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YOUNG SOCIALIST EDITORIAL BOARD MINUTES - Nov. 16, 1958

- Agenda: 1. Fund drive                      4. Dec. issue  
 2. Sub drive                              5. Tour report  
 3. Communications                      6. Oct. financial statement

Members present: Voting: Tim, Dick, Mike. Non-voting: Martha, Allen  
Absent: Jim, George, Bert. Observers: Nora, Barbara, Joan. Secretary: Allen

1. Fund Drive: Allen reported that the fund drive has moved ahead of schedule. With 69% of the drive period over, 78% of the quota, or \$932, has been received. Congratulations to the five areas that have filled their quotas, and welcome to our new supporters in San Diego. Continued effort by all supporters for the final month will get us over the top in full and on time.

A letter that describes the work of the YS and asks for fund drive contributions has been sent to all subscribers. Supporter groups are urged to visit every subscriber in their area and personally ask them for a donation. (Sub lists have been sent out by Barbara.) The combination of a letter and then a personal visit can add substantially to the drive. One month remains, so visit the subscribers now!

Every area can also hold at least one fund-raising affair. A Thanksgiving social, advertised to celebrate the YS's first anniversary, with proceeds going to the fund drive, is something that every local group can arrange.

<u>Area</u>	<u>Quota</u>	<u>Paid</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Quota</u>	<u>Paid</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Quota</u>	<u>Paid</u>
Baltimore	\$ 15	\$ 2	Denver	\$ 40	\$ -	St. Louis	\$10	\$ 2
BAY AREA	125	156	Detroit	115	49	Seattle	50	-
Boston	15	-	LOS ANGELES	250	255	Toronto	15	-
BUFFALO	15	15	New York	300	275	Vancouver	15	12
Chicago	90	62	PHILADELPHIA	25	25	Twin Cities	50	48
CLEVELAND	15	15	Milwaukee	15	-	General	-	11
	275			745		San Diego	-	5
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 745  
 440  
 1460

2. Sub drive: Barbara gave a report on the sub drive; newsletter is attached.

3. Communications: YPSL, 303 4th Ave, NYC 10, announced publication of Challenge, a 4-page monthly newspaper, and requested an exchange sub.

YS Forums #5 and #6 are presently being mimeographed and will be distributed within a few weeks, according to a letter from Jim R. #3 is being re-run and "Hungary" by Shane Mage will soon be finished.

SANE. A query was received from San Francisco for an opinion on how to approach the organization of a student-SANE group on campus. Motion by Tim: We suggest that supporter groups participate in SANE activities, while not taking full responsibility for SANE's political line. Carried: For-Tim, Dick. Against-Mike. Motion by Mike: No supporter of the YS should be responsible for the organization of any SANE committee on any campus. He should however participate in one if it has been formed while holding a position of extremely critical support. Failed: For-Mike. Against-Tim, Dick.

4. Dec. issue: Editorial on Pasternak case submitted by Dick. Carried: For-Tim, Dick. Abstain-Mike. Consultative: For-Martha, Allen. Statement by Mike: "This editorial glosses over the actual class meaning of the book. This book obviously should be published in the Soviet Union at this time. But, it should be pointed out that it does not represent the political revolution against the bureaucracy (which we must support) It represents bourgeois restoration (which we must unconditionally defend the Soviet Union against)"

Scott Nearing interview by Arthur Phelps. Motion by Tim: To print it with a preface inviting discussion of co-existence, so that an opposing point of view will appear in the next issue. Passed: For-Tim, Dick. Against-Mike. Consultative: For-Martha, Allen. Motion by Mike: An article supporting peaceful co-existence, i.e., international class collaboration, should not be published without an editorial in that same issue exposing it and supporting international proletarian revolution. Failed: For-Mike. Against-Tim, Dick.

5. Tour report: A report on part of the Midwest section is attached to the minutes. A report on the most recent meetings was given by Tim and will be reported in the next issue of the minutes.

Next meeting: Sunday, Nov. 23, 8:00 PM.

6. YOUNG SOCIALIST FINANCIAL STATEMENT - October, 1958

INCOME

Bundles: New York	(\$35 not collected)		
National		\$	25.45
Subscriptions			82.10
Fund drive			483.50
Supporter cards			10.75
Ads			8.00
	Total income		<u>\$609.80</u>

EXPENDITURES

Office

Rent	(\$35 not paid)		
* Utilities: phone		\$11.00	
gas, electric		<u>6.50</u>	\$17.50
Correspondence: stamps purchased		\$ 4.79	
" on hand		<u>3.34</u>	8.13
Stationery and mimeo supplies			10.42
Petty cash account			10.19
Bank charges			<u>3.00</u>
			\$ 49.24

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Editorial expense (5 weeks)		\$218.75	
Printer: Sept YS - V.1, #12	\$178.25		
Oct YS - V.2, #1	<u>185.85</u>	364.10	
Mailings: subs	\$ 14.25		
Seattle bundle	25.00		
other bundles	<u>14.73</u>	<u>53.98</u>	<u>636.83</u>

Total expenditures	<u>686.07</u>
Deficit	\$ 76.27

YS FORUM ACCOUNT: Income: \$100 from Bay Area YS Comm - from special donations  
 Expenditure: 100 for mimeo supplies - publication in Bay Area

\* Bills paid by Young Socialist Alliance