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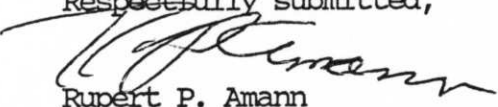
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<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>1982</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
Total assets Dec 31 (prev. yr.)	\$ 36,597.93	63,609.54	75,969.23
Unrestricted assets Dec 31			
Checking/money mkt.	26,024.94	30,654.36	31,470.09
Savings	4,822.34	6,116.31	-
Cert. of Deposit	10,000.00	10,000.00	12,361.53
Ready assets	17,239.41	18,746.61	20,719.99
Total Unrestricted Funds	58,086.69	65,517.28	64,551.61
Restricted assets			
Endowment (Gen. Fund)	1,200.00	2,560.00	2,859.00
Endowment (Ann.Mtg. Speaker)	2,000.00	3,000.00	4,000.00
Endowment (Student Award)	2,000.00	3,000.00	4,000.00
Life memberships	-	1,000.00	1,000.00
Unrestricted interest in acct.	322.85	891.95	-
Total Restricted Funds	5,522.85	10,451.95	11,859.00
Total assets	63,609.54	75,969.23	76,410.61
Net increase in unrestricted assets	23,488.76	8,322.54	[965.67]
Total Operating Fund Revenues	78,237.40	77,188.33	84,760.21
Total Operating Fund Disbursements	54,748.64	67,543.43	86,735.88
<u>Comment</u>			
Major unpaid bills due:			
Journal office	5,538.87	-	-
Lippincott - journal subs.	8,894.95	9,500.00	-

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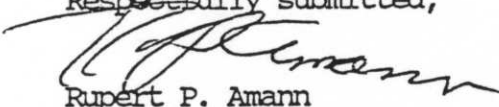
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