

## MINUTES OF THE UNIVERSITY SENATE - MARCH 8, 1937

The University Senate met in the Lecture Room of McVey Hall Monday, March 8, with President McVey presiding.

The minutes of February 22 were approved as read.

The Committee on Duplication of Work presented the following new courses, and changes in courses which were approved:

College of Arts and Sciences

New Courses:

Pol. Sci. 151 - The Constitution Today. One credit. Methods of interpreting the Constitution; position of the States under the Constitution; the significance of due process of law; the Constitution and national economy; the Constitution and the Supreme Court; the Constitution and control of foreign relations; the Constitution and political parties. Primarily for summer school.

Psychology 14. - Group Leadership. This course is designed for leaders in such adult groups as women's clubs, parent-teacher associations, forums and community enterprises. It includes a study of traits found in successful procedures in the organization and administration of groups. Three credits.

(It is not the intention of the department to offer this course in the regular session, but it may be desirable to give the work in extension. This summer it will be offered for one credit as S14 and given by Miss Sowers, July 19-26).

Changes in Courses:

German 10a,b. German Conversation and Composition, two credits, prerequisite 1b. To replace German 110a,b, German Conversation and Composition, two credits.

Political Science 176. Legislation. Three credits. A study of the legislative process; composition and organization of the legislative bodies; drafting of legislation; legislative procedure; special aspects of legislation. To replace Pol. Sci. 53a,b; 75a,b; 175a,b; 191.

Political Science 177. Principles of Public Administration. Three credits. The theory, general practices, and problems of public administration; the problems of administrative organization and reorganization; personnel administration and financial management. To replace Pol. Sci. 153, Municipal Administration, and to lessen time given to administration in State and County Government.

Sociology 205. Social Systems. Changed from Soc. 105, and to be made a two-credit course instead of a three-credit course.

Sociology 201a,b. Sociology Seminar. To be made a two-credit course instead of a one-credit course.

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College of Education

New Course

Education 175g. Education of Handicapped Children. This course is designed as a general survey of this field. It deals particularly with the education of the blind and partially sighted, the deaf and hard of hearing, the crippled, the delinquent, and children who are socially maladjusted. 3 credits.

Changes in Courses

Drop Education 182. Teaching Practice in Vocational Agriculture

Give the number to a new course. Evening School and Part-time Courses in Agriculture. A general introduction to evening school and part-time work with some observation of work in both of these fields. 2 credits.

Reports of the meeting of the N.E.A. in New Orleans were given by Dean Taylor and Prof. J. D. Williams.

On recommendation from the University Council, the Senate approved the proposed University of Kentucky Bacteriological Society.

The following recommendation from the Graduate Faculty was approved.

"Candidates for the degree of M.A. in Education or M.S. in Education who are given permission to offer additional credits and additional weeks of residence in lieu of a thesis shall be required to complete 36 hours of graduate work with an average standing of B or better and a minimum of 48 weeks of residence."

President McVey announced that he had sent to the departments a statement of ten points on the functions of a departmental head. He also stated that in calling for the budget for next year he had requested that budget requests be not increased since the University's income for the next year would not be larger than for the current year. He expressed the hope that after the next session of the Legislature it could be possible to restore salaries to the pre-depression figures, and to purchase needed books, equipment, etc.

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