Irregularities

Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the University of Kentucky, May 30, 1925.

In the absence of Governor Fields, the Board of Trustees was called to order by Vice-Chairman R. C. Stoll. The following were present: Mr. Stoll, Mr. Phoads, Mr. Hillenmeyer, Mr. Grady, Mr. Bassett, Senator Froman, and Mr. Gordon.

When the report of the Business Agent was called for, the President announced that the report made by the Business Agent to the Executive Committee in session May 12 was the same as that which had been submitted to this board, explaining that the reason for this was that the end of the current month had not yet been reached.

Upon motion duly seconded, the report of the Business Agent as explained by the President was ordered received and noted as already on the minutes of the Executive Committee.

President McVey made the following quarterly report to the Board:

"At the April meeting of the Board of Trustees I presented in my quarterly report some of the material improvements that had been made by this board during the last five or six years. The changes that have been made are very impressive. The University has advanced in its material equipment, though lagging behind its needs and requirements. In this report I have in mind the presentation of some of the educational problems with which the University is confronted.

"One of the noticeable things that has happened in college and university development has been the rapid growth in student bodies and the increase in the obligations of institutions to the students that come to them for educational While there has been a steady growth in the number of persons engaged in instruction, there has been a very slight growth in the administrative staffs. This applies particularly in the staffs that have to do with student affairs, student help and student welfare. Perhaps everywhere expansion has taken place, except in the President's office or that of the Deans. I speak of this matter at this time to indicate that with the growth of the student body it will be necessary to provide for more direction for the students' welfare.

"One of the difficulties with which the University is faced is to provide sufficient recitation rooms to take care of the classes on the campus. To meet this situation the schedule was advanced this year one hour, so that the

teaching day covered eight hours from eight in the morning to four-thirty in the afternoon. Even with this arrangement it will not take care of the need for recitation rooms.

"The Registrar's office has now maintained for two years an institute for the training of registrars. People from 13 states and 36 institutions attended the meeting in April of this year. It is always difficult to secur It is always difficult to secure trained persons for the registrar's work and the University is doing an important thing in making the provisions for their training. One of the graduate students, Miss Elma Poole made a study of the teaching load at the University of Kentucky and her conclusion was that taking into consideration the teaching, administrative duties, conferences with students and such research as is carried on, the average person was engaged fifty-two hours a week. Undoubtedly many of the University instructors are carrying too heavy administrative duties and in some instances too large a teaching load. This again, is the result of the constantly increasing student body. It will be very desirable to emphasize the need of more research and more writing on the part of the University staff, and I trust the coming year will show enlarged activity in that respect. The Experiment Station has been doing unusually well in the research work which it is carrying on.

"A very considerable development has taken place at the University in graduate work. This past year there were 74 resident graduate students in the Graduate School. This number has been increased by students in the summer session to nearly one hundred. This is a very notable growth and one that should be encouraged, because the standing of the University as a University largely depends on its graduate instruction. For some years the University has provided for scholarships and fellowships for graduate instruction and some effort should be put forth to enlarge this fund by outside gifts. Meantime the University is being asked to enlarge its graduate instruction and make provision for granting the Doctor of Philosophy degree.

"Several years ago the Board of Trustees provided a fund for the printing of any publications which might bear upon Kentucky problems. Three books were published under this provision, but it is hoped a larger activity will take place in this field in the near future.

"At this point it might be well to report that the American Bar Association has listed the Law College of the University as an A class institution and the College of Arts and Sciences has been reported favorably to the Sentate of Phi Beta Kappa for a chapter of that learned fraternity.

"I cannot pass by a quarterly report without again referring to the need for some pension system. The necessity for such a provision becomes more and more apparent every day. I hope to report some progress at an early date to the Board of Trustees.

"It is quite apparent that unless the legislature makes provision for more recitation rooms, some of the departments will have to be placed in temporary buildings. This has already been done for the Department of Art and this might be done for the University High School, practice school of the College of Education.

"More recreation facilities are needed. Four new tennis courts have been added, making eight in all. This number should be increased to twelve, and provision made for baseball grounds as well. Girls in particular, need an athletic field.

"Again it is quite apparent that any additional buildings placed on the campus must affect materially the whole.
One more building is likely to block the situation, unless
the plan is carefully worked out. The Olmstead plan does
not seem to meet the situation. Provision ought to be
made for the housing of the faculty club and for the erection of a student building. In addition the Experiment
Station must acquire in the very near future additions to
its lands or cut off forever the possible increase of its
present lands."

Very truly yours,

Frank L. McVey President

Election of Officers. The Board of Trustees then proceeded with the annual election of officers. Mr. Grady moved that the present officers of the Board be reelected. This motion was seconded by Mr. Gordon, and put upon passage, was adopted by unanimous vote. The officers so reelected wase as follows:

Executive Committee; R. C. Stoll, Vice-Chairman. Messrs. Gordon, Rhoads, Wells and Froman.

Secretary, Enoch Grehan. Treasurer, W. A. McDowell.

Election of Alumni Member. President McVey announced that under the law, an alumnus of the University should be elected to fill the vacancy of Mr. Grady.

Upon motion of Mr. Rhoads, seconded by Mr. Grady that the secretary of the board proceed with such steps as were necessary to effect this election, it was put upon passage and adopted unanimously. In this connection the Secretary was instructed to put into the literature of the election called, the announcement reminding electors that under the law, only residents of Montucky were eligible for election to the Board of Trustees.

Street Construction. The President then read the following communication from W. C. Wilson, Secretary of the Alumni Association, requesting that the Legislature be petitioned for appropriation of a sum sufficient to cover the cost of street reconstruction along the Rose Street frontage of the University property.

May 15, 1925

President Frank L. McVey
University of Kentucky

Dear President:

Pursuant to our recent conversation relative to reconstruction of Rose Street, I wish that you would take up with the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees the advisability of asking for a special appropriation by the Legislature for a sufficient sum to cover cost of the University frontage on this street, and let me have their opinion.

Yours very truly,

W. C. Wilson Secretary

Discussion that issued indicated that the Board was not in avor of presenting such petition and the matter was allowed to without action.

College of Commerce. (See also last paragraph of these minutes.) President McVey reported to the Board that at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board held May 12, he had recommended that a Department of Sociology and a College of Commerce be established as part of the University curriculum; that a committee acting for the Executive Committee present on that date had authorized him to proceed with such establishment; that he was now asking the authority of the Board of Trustees to effect this step.

Upon motion of Mr. Rhoads, duly seconded by Senator Froman the Board approved, by unanimous vote, the establishing of the

Department of Sociology and the College of Commerce and instructed the President to proceed with the same.

In this connection, President McVey explained that the College of Commerce would be established in White Hall as a separate college and that the Department of Sociology would remain a part of the College of Arts and Sciences.

Gift of Jockey Club. President McVey reported that the Kentucky Jockey Club had made a gift of \$5,000 to be used by the Experiment Station for experimental research in a study of abortion of mares. The Secretary was authorized to note the University's acceptance of this generous gift and to express to the Jockey Club appreciation of the Board of Trustees.

Increase of Fees for Athletic Purposes. President McVey reported the action of the student body recently taken upon the question of increase of one dollar each per semester in student fees, the money so procured to be used by the Athletic Council in the promotion of its annual athletic program. It was explained in this connection that the Athletic Council had represented to the President that under the present system of issuing tickets to students for various athletic contests in return for the present ree set aside out of student fees and devoted to athletics, the Athletic Council was losing approximately 39 cents upon each student admission ticket; that this loss came about through the fact that the Athletic Association was compelled to settle with managers of contesting teams upon a basis in some cases of 50 cents, and in some cases of one dollar for each University of Kentucky student who attended such contests upon the privilege of his stu-When this condition was reported to the President dent ticket. by Dr. W. D. Funkhouser, Chairman of the Athletic Council, President McVey said he gold Doctor Funkhouser that he was not in favor of such addition to fees nor could the Board of Trustees sanction such an increase unless the student body itself, by popular vote, agreed to such increase. President Mc Wey reported further that in pursuance of his talk with the Chairman of the Athletic Council through the Su-ky Circle, the student body was called into convocation May 20, and the scheme explained to them by Doctor Funkhouser; that Doctor Funkhouser had indicated that he had merely stated the situation to the students and left the matter in their hands entirely, to take such steps as they desired; that the Suzky Circle called an election by secret ballot of the students for a "yes" and "no" vote on whether they would be willing to increase voluntarily the athletic funds to the extent of one dbalar each, per semester.

This election, the President reported, was held at the front door of the Administration Building and the following certification to the President was made concerning the result of that vote:

"We certify that the foregoing is a true count of the

election held May 27, by students of the University upon the question whether student fees for athletic purposes should be increased one dollar each, for each semester.

In favor of increase Opposed to increase

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Note - Senior Class not voting for obvious reasons."

(Signed) Ted McDowell Jack Green Committee on count of vote.

When this report was read to the Board of Trustees, Mr. Gordon moved that the Board of Trustees approve the increase of one dollar a semester for each student in fees to be devoted to athletic This motion was seconded by Mr. Froman, put upon passage and adopted by unanimous vote of those present.

Appointments, etc. President McVey submitted recommendations of the following appointments, reappointments and changes in teaching and other staffs of the University.

College of Arts and Sciences.

Department of Geology.

Reappointment of Assistant Professor Robinson for a period of three years.

Reappointment of Mr. Coleman Hunter as student assistant at \$250.

The appointment of Messrs. R. C. Lane and Raymond Miller as student assistants at \$150 each.

Continuance on rolls of Professor A. M. Miller as Emeritus Professor of Geology, without salary.

Appointment of Professor A. C. McFarlan to full professorship with the title of Acting Head of the Department of Geology.

Department of Mathematics. Promotion of Miss Flora E. LeStourgeon, assistant professor, to associate professorship for next year.

Appointment of D. E. South as instructor in mathematics for 1925-6, at a salary of \$1,700. He has served one year.

Reappointment of H. W. Mobley as graduate assistant at \$600.

Department of Bacteriology.

Appointment of N. H. Crowder as Senior Assistant in Bacteriology at \$250 a year.

Department of Chemistry.

Appointment for three years each, Assistant Professors Barkenbus, Bedford and Mitchell.

Appointment for term of one year each as instructors of A. Zimmerman and M. M. Windsor.

Department of Art.

Reappointment of Allan Swisher, Instructor in Drawing and Painting.

Reappointment of Miss Elizabeth Shropshire, Instructor in Design.

Reappointment of Miss Anne Callihan, as Instructor.

Department of Hygiene and Public Health. Reappointment of Miss Elizabeth Desha as resident nurse. Appointment of D. Stanton Ross as Instructor in Hygiene at \$2,000, for one year.

<u>Department of Physical Education</u>.

Reappointment of Miss Sarah Blanding as instructor for

1925-26 with leave of absence without salary.

Reappointment of Mr. William Howard Hansen, as instructor for 1925-26.

Reappointment of Mr. Ray Eklund, Instructor and Coach of Freshman athletics, for 1925-26.

Reappointment of Mr. Frank Mann, Instructor and Athletic Trainer, for 1925-26.

Department of Music.

Appointment as Assistant to Biractor of Band of Sergeant John J. Kennedy, at \$200 for the year 1925-26.

Department of Romance Languages.

Reappointment of Mrs. J. M. Server as instructor for 1925-26. Reappointment of Mr. H. B. Holmes as instructor for 1925-26. Appointment of Mr. Blaine W. Schick as instructor at \$1800.

Department of Journalism. Appointment of Miss Marguerite McLaughlin as Assistant Professor for three years.

Appointment of Miss Irene McNamara, as instructor for one year. Appointment of Assistant (unnamed) for one year or less. Appointment of Assistant (Mechanical, unnamed) for one year.

Department of Botany

appointment of Miss Elizabeth Clay for nine months at \$25 each. Appointment of Mr. Gordon Pennebaker for nine months at \$25 a month.

Appointment of Mr. Thomas Morgan, as Greenhouse Keeper for nine months at \$25 a month.

Hilitary Department.

Reappointment of Colonel H. P. Hobbs, Professor, for 1925-26. Appointment of Captain Basil D. Spalding, Assistant Professor for 1925-26.

Reappointment of Captain James Taylor, assistant Professor for 1925-26.

Appointment of Captain Herbert M. Schmid, Assistant Professor for 1925-26.

Reappointment of Captain J. E. Torrence, Assistant Professor for 1925-26.

Reappointment of Sergeant John J. Kennedy, Instructor for 1925-26.

Reappointment of Sergeant M. J. Eberhardt, Instructor for 1925-26.

Appointment of Sergeant James A. Short, Instructor for 1925-26. Reappointment of Warrant Officer, G. A. Knight, Assistant Professor, for 1925-26.

Department of History and Political Science.

Appointment of J. C. Jones as Associate Professor at \$2600. Appointment of Wendell H. Stephenson as Assistant Professor at \$2,100.

Department of Zoology.
Reappointment of William R. Allen for three years with rank of associate professor.

Reappointment of Mr. Alfred Brauer as instructor. Appointment of Leonard Govannoli as laboratory assistant.

Department of English Reappointment of B. P. Davis, as instructor at \$1700. Reappointment of Mr. L. Yates as instructor at \$1850. Reappointment of Mr. L. L. McKibben as instructor at \$1700. Reappointment of Miss Elizabeth Gay as instructor at \$1500. Reappointment of Miss Margaret King as instructor for part time, at \$200.

Appointment of Professor Grant Knight as Associate Professor. Appointment of L. B. Shackelford, as instructor at \$1700. Appointment of W. F. Galloway as instructor at \$1700.

Department of Mathematics

Appointment of D. O. Streyffler, instructor at \$1600. Appointment of M. C. Brown, instructor, at \$1600. Appointment of Mary H. Cooper, graduate assistant at \$600. Department of Physical Education.

Appointment of Helen Skinner, instructor at \$1600.

Appointment of Mayme Wurtele, stenographer, \$433 to be paid by the Department.

Department of Botany.
B. S. McInteer, instructor at \$2000.

Department of History and Political Science.
Appointment of Ellery Hall, graduate assistant at \$750.

Department of German. Appointment of Adolph Bigge, instructor, at \$1800.

Department of Physics
Appointment of W. H. Brenner, graduate assistant at \$600.
Appointment of R.B. Scott, student assistant at \$400.
Appointment of Everett Matheny, graduate assistant at \$600.
Appointment of L. A. Pardue, graduate assistant at \$600.
Appointment of Ben Kievit, instructor at \$1600.
Appointment of T. M. Hahn, instructor at \$1600.
Appointment of R. G. Henry, graduate assistant at \$6000.
Appointment of Sanford Gladden, graduate assistant at \$6000.

College of Commerce and Administration.

Appointment of Dr. Hugh L. Keenleyside as Assistant Professor of Economics at a salary of \$3000 for a period of one year.

Appointment of Mr. H. B. Eversole for one year, Assistant Professor of Accounting at a salary of \$2300.

Administrative.

Women for 1925-26 at \$2000.

Appointment of Hiss Rachelle Shacklette as Secretary to the Acting Dean of Women at \$1000.

College of Education
Appointment of Miss Julia Hurd as Professor, Department of Teacher Training at \$3200.

College of A riculture and Agricultural Experiment Station.

Appointment of Mr. Thomas Baird as Assistant in Farm Management in the Experiment Station at a salary of \$2200, effective July 1, 1925.

Sabbatical leave of absence with half pay for Professor J. Holmes Martin from October 15, 1925 to June 15, 1926.

Leave of absence for Mr. R. C. Miller from September 1, 1925 to March 1, 1926. One-half pay.

Appointment of Mr. Robert Matthews, inspector, feed stuffs, and fortilizers, \$150 a month.

Appointment of Miss Marie Barkley as Instructor in Home Economics at a salary of \$1600 on a ten months' basis.

Reappointment of Miss Roxie C. Perkins as Home Demonstration Agent from May 1, 1925 to April 30, 1926 at \$118.33 1/3 a month.

Reappointment of Mr. C. O. Dickey, County agent, Webster

Opunty from May 15, 1925 to May 14, 1926 at \$158 1/3 a month.

Reappointment of Mr. H. B. Lane, County Agent, Crittenden County, from April 1, 1925 to June 30, 1925 at \$150 a month. Transferred from assistant County Agent Todd County; increase of ु≎00 a year.

Reappointment of Mr. William B. Howell, County Agent Trimble County, from June 11, 1925 to February 16, 1926 at \$166 2/3 a month.

College of Engineering. Carter Coleman Jett appointed Professor of Machine Design for the year 1925-26 at \$3000.

Mr. Gordon moved that the foregoing recommendations be approved. Mr. Grady seconded the motion and when put upon its passage it was adopted by a unanimous vote.

The President then submitted a recommendation made by the University Senate and certified to by the Registrar that the following candidates for graduation be given the degrees indicated.

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Elwyn Howe Abbott Edward Aloysius anglin Petty Huston Barbour Mary Elizabeth Barnett Louise M. Barth James Clayton Baughman Mildred Rose Beam ary Matilda Beard Dwight Lyman Bicknell-Bernice Kerr Bonar Carrison Connolly Bowles Amett Bradley Lary Doris Branaman Grace Beatrice Brewer Helen Brower Robert Dulaney Bullock Marion Estel Bunch Frances Louise Burks Lucille Bush Ellen V. Butler Mary Frances Campbell Tom W. Campbell William H. Cartmell Sue Gray Champion

Margaret D. Chenault Elsie Elizabeth Coleman Frances Field Coleman Arthur Lewis Cooper Charles Louis Cooper Dorothy Lourana Cooper John Coleman Covington Anna Jewell Cromwell James Samuel Darnell, Jr. Elizabeth Macon Davis Thomas B. Dewhurst, Jr. Anna Elizabeth Dodd Glenn Urey Dorrah. Harry Gingles Dulaney Thomas A. Duncan Jeanette Frances Ellison William T. Ellison Lloyd Wheeler Erskine Adolph Oren Erwin Ruby Lee Fogle William Wayne Foust Max Freeman -Lydia K. Fremd Cectl Dale French

Katherine Elizabeth Fuller Catherine Maye Garrison Nannie Chenault Gay Louise B. George Leonard Giovannoli lana C. Gordon Mary Agnes Gordon Vary Amanda Gordon Ann Elizabeth Gormley Outherine S. Gormley. Morrie Frances Green Alvyn Greenbaum Turner William Gregg. Elizabeth S. Guthrie Esther Louise Hagyard. John S. Hambleton -Mary Elizabeth Hanson Elizabeth W. Hart Joseph Karl Hays Lyda Lois Heath Thomas Armstrong Hendricks Joseph Norton Hocker Elizabeth P. Holmes Charles T. Hughes Ellen McClure Hughes Elizabeth Wisdom Johnson Lillian B. Johnson Joe Scott Jones Frances Miriam Kane Roscoe C. Kash George R. Kavanaugh William Owen Keller Annelle Kerr Kelley Frances Louise Kenney Edna E. Land Alenne Leach Edna Clyde Lee · Ralph R. Lephart Karl Ewart Lewis Anne Elizabeth McChesney Jusper Reed McClure. William Henry McGehee Thelma L. MacIntyre Charles C. McLean Virginia licvey William Stapleton Massie George Mornis Moore John D. Moore, Jr. Margaret A. Hoore Elizabeth M. Moorman Henry Elliott Netherton Louis A. Pardue

Albert Roy Perkins John Hardin Powell Clark Pratt Elise Roberta Rache George Ragland, Jr. Lillian Christine Rasch. Joseph Carr Ray James Ellis Reed Mary Susan Renaker Alex. T. Rice. Katherine R. Richardson Ida Kenney Risque Katherine E. Roberts Karle H. Rohs Harriet B. Salin Russell Aubrey Sanders Lois Kathryn Satterfield Cripps 3. Shacklette. Rachelle Shacklette Frances II. Shannon Ben Rice Shaver-Edith Skidmore Frances L. Smith Bernard Southgate, Jr. Mary 1. Stallings
Myrtle I. Stephens
Nancy W. Stephenson Alphonsine D. Stewart Allison Stokes Robert A. Strauss Annasteele Taylor Benton S. Taylor Daisy A. Taylor Frances ... Thomason Sarah T. Thorn Ruth F. Todd Joseph S. Towles Lola Etna Traylor Isabella Van Meter Margaret W. Van Meter John C. Watts-Eva Frances Weller Martha Wheeler Edward M. Wiley Beulah D. Willett Augustus O. Willis-Ellen Wood Wilson Maxwell Dyer Winston . Jean Joseph Woll Marguerite A. Yarbro. Mary Elizabeth Yarbro Maryann Prewitt Young

Judith O. Yungblut

Eachelor of Science

Glenn Floyd Justice

Hugh Alexander Tanner

Charles T. Razor

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry

Joseph Kastle Roberts

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts in Journalism

Helen Galvin King

Eugene Burgess Moore

College of Agriculture

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Agriculture

John William Blue
Stuart Albert Brabant
Luther Edward Dean
McKinley Elam
Harlan Benjamin Franklin
L. Watts Franklin
Clarence Edward Hubbuch
Ralph Jones
Raymond Henry Lickert

William S. Ligon
D. Howard Mahoney
Samuel C. Martin
Paul W. Mathews
Gladys E. Platts
Bland Y. Redford
Curtis Moore Sanders
Zachariah T. Shirley
L. W. V. Stamper

Halbert H. Thornberry

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Home Economics

Mary Elizabeth Atkins
Irma Loomis Bain
Helen Esther Bowen
Iayle Casner
Elizabeth Cromwell
Mary Elizabeth Galloway
Betsy D. Helburn

Dorothy M. Moran Elizabeth Morris Virginia Newman Ruth N. Prewitt Mildred Rees Emma R. Stevenson Mary Lee Taylor

Sadie Deweese Wilgus

College of Engineering

Candidates for the Degree of Schelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Owen Miller Akers
Thomas Benson
William Overton Billiter
Maurice Richard Black
Harold L. Brentlinger
Alvin Lee Chambers
William Nelson Downey
Gortez Daugherty Edens

B. Arthur Grobmeier
Walter Francis Manion
Robert T. Mann, Jr.
Rowlette L. Mays
William H. Skinner
Estill Elliott Sparks
Dana M. Taylor
Alan Paul Welker

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Leon Freis Bird
John Barnhill Bushop
Rodes Viley Clark
Owen Wallace Daniel
George King Fischer
Grant L. Fowler
Robert Giovannoli
Frederick T. Goosman
Clyde Willis Gray

Roy Miller Hukle
Joseph E. Murphy
Charles Lyon Orman
Richmond Clay Porter
Denzil Smith Sample
Gnau Geleff Stamatoff
Ralph S. Trosper
Mendel Edison Trumbull
James Morris Willis

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Mining Engineering

Fred Chappell

William Embry Maddox

John C. Riley, Jr.

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Metallurgical Engineering

Oscar Henry Bishop Samuel M. Cassidy, Jr. William W. Shropshire Henry C. Stephens

College of Law

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Laws

Thomas Austin Ballentime
Forrest Pendleton Bell
George Washington Broadus
Louise Carson
Morman B. Daniel
Elmer Edward Dixon
Lucy Ellen Edens
Merrill Jerome Fischer
Gilbert E. Ford
Basil Frost

John William Gillon, Jr. Charles heizer
Joe Hobson
Robert Morgan Honaker
Elmer R. Johnson
Henry Clay Johnson
Robert S. Mason
Elijah S. Melton
Rodes Kirby Myers
Cassius M. C. Porter

Taylor G. Smith

College of Education

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts in Education.

Lucille Jean Arnold Regina Bryant Elizabeth T. Carroll Leander Clark Louis Clifton Ida Lurline Cole Mary Louise Cole Clarice Alberta Day

Mary Elizabeth Depew Margaret Doty
Eva Frances Downing Wallace E. Franck
Eliza M. Hanson
Harry E. Hendrick
Sallie A. Hiteman
Richard E. Jaggers

Frances Shinkle Jennings Hettie Hawes Knox Ernestine Ligon George D. Messer Lewis H. Mills Milliam Julius Moore Ella Pearl Neal Mary Louise Norman Bess A. Owens Bess Durrett Parry

Mildred Rankley Edward Roark Joan Robinson Eugene Sammons Lucy Young Sharpe William T. Shelby Katherine Truman Elizabeth Williams George R. Woolf Etta A. Wooldridge

Virginia M. Willett

Candidates for Advanced Degrees

Master of Arts Education - William H. Arnold Education - Elmer H. Hinkle Mathematics - Marion C. Brown Education - Vaneta Horlacher Education - H. J. Kloepfer Education - Ernest H. Canon History and Pol. Sci - Roscoe Cross Education - C. S. Lowry Education - Oscar F. Galloway Education - Mary E. Poole Education - Carsie Hammonds Education - W. B. Stallard English - William H. Hickerson Education - Grace C. Richards

History and Political Sci. - G. T. F. Taylor

Master of Science

Physics - Thomas M. Hahn Geology - George W. Pirtle Mathematics - Russell Smith Park Chemistry - Manly M. Windsor

Master of Science in Agriculture

Animal Industry - Percy H. Gooding Dairy Husbandry - H. L. Katzman

Animal Industry - C. A. Hollowell Animal Industry - H. R. Vanzant

Plant Pathology - Charles Hubbard Animal Industry - E. J. Wilford

Civil Engineer Hugh Mathew Meriwether

Mechanical Engineer
Julius Wolf

Electrical Engineer

Leo Steele Borders

Junius Weakley Millard

Honorary Degrees

Doctor of Laws

Sophonisba Preston Breckinridge Percy Hampton Johnston Louis Wiley

Fire Hydrants. President LeVey reported that the city had indicated to him in correspondence, its desire to establish upon the campus hydrants sufficient to give adequate protection in case of fire. The President was authorized by the Board to accept this offer.

Purchase of Collins Farm. The President asked that the Board appoint a Committee to look into the matter of purchasing certain acreage known as the Collins land adjacent to lands of the Experiment Station lying along the Nicholasville road; this Committee to report back at a subsequent meeting of the Board its recommendation. Upon motion duly made, seconded and adopted, Chairman Stoll appointed upon this committee, Messrs. Hillenmeyer, Froman and Rhoads.

Leave of Absence for Dean Cooper. President McVey reported that United States Secretary of Agriculture, Jardine, had been in communication with him and Dean Thomas P. Cooper, Director of the Experiment Station, with reference to the desire upon the part of the Secretary of Agriculture to acquire part time service of Dean Cooper as Chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture; that Secretary Jardine had decided from a large number of persons eligible for such position that Dean Cooper was the man who could best fill that difficult position and help him to solve a grave administrative problem for the government; that he would be willing, if nthe University would lend Dean Cooper to the Covernment to have Dean Cooper return monthly to the University or at such other times as might be necessary to discharge his administrative duties at the Experiment Station, and that at the end of a period of eight or ten months permit him to return to his former post.

The President reported that he submitted this matter to members of the Executive Committee in session, April 12, and that it was their opinion that the University should accede to the request of Secretary Jardine with the understanding that Dean Cooper be permitted to return to the University monthly or at such times as administrative duties here demanded his presence.

Motion was made by Mr. Gordon that the University agree to the request that Dean Cooper be lent to the Government on half pay and upon the additional conditions set out in the foregoing presentment by the President. This motion was seconded by Mr. Bassett and when put upon its passage was adopted unanimously.

It was explained in this connection that Dean Cooper's term of service with the government begin about the first of August, and that he be given half payment of salary by the University in the interim.

THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE Washington

May 9, 1925

My dear Dr. McVey:

Immediately after coming to Washington I started casting about for the best man in the country to take charge of the economic work of the Department of Agriculture as Chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. It did not take me long to conclude that Mr. Thomas Cooper of your institution was the one most ideally fitted for the jeb, but because of the good work he is doing in Kentucky and the high esteem in which he was held it appeared almost impossible to believe that he could be secured.

But the more I look into the problems connected with the economic activities of the Department the more I am convinced that Mr. Cooper is the one person who could handle this task. Consequently, I am respectfully asking your Board to be permitted to draft Mr. Cooper to take charge of this phase of the Department. My thought is that he could be loaned to the Government for appointment as Chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics for such time as might be satisfactory and advisable. I would be very happy to enter into an agreement or understanding whereby Mr. Cooper could give such attention and time, including trips to Kentucky, as may be necessary for the proper conduct of assigned duties in Kentucky.

I am sure the job we have here was cut out for Tom Cooper. It would give him further opportunity to contribute to the cause of agriculture. His appointment would do honor to hentucky and to the agriculture of the bouth.

Your favorable consideration of this request, I know, would be done with reluctance but I wish to assure you that it would be greatly appreciated, not only by this Department but by American agriculture. I am asking that this matter be held in confidence until final action has been taken because of shifts in Department personnel which may be necessary.

Sincerely yours,

W. M. Jardine

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

May 14, 1925

Honoarble W. H. Jardine
Department of Agriculture
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Secretary:

I am in receipt of your letter asking that the Board of Trustees of the University of Kentucky permit the Department of Agriculture to draft Dean Thomas Cooper for service in the Department, as head of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

I have talked the matter over with the members of the Executive Committee, and they are agreeable to the proposal. There are, however, certain limitations which they place upon the arrangement, which I am sure you will accept as reasonable.

One of these is that Mr. Cooper be permitted to return to the University of Kentucky at the end of his leave of absence, with the understanding that he is not to be pressed to continue his service with the Department. The second modification is that he be allowed to return to the University at least once a month for the purpose of directing matters in the agriculture division. The committee also desires an understanding to the effect that in case of emergency he be allowed to return to the University for the purpose of dealing with the matter, whatever it may be.

The committee appreciates the opportunity that Dean Cooper will enjoy in a wider acquaintance with agricultural matters, and also feels the honor conferred upon the University in the selection of Dean Cooper. It would be our purpose to keep this matter confidential until announcement is made by the Department of Agriculture, under the arrangement.

Dean Cooper will be granted leave of absence for the academic year, with the understanding that if the call comes late in the year his leave may be extended beyond the period of the fiscal year.

I assure you that the University is glad to cooperate in this way.

Very truly yours, Frank L. McVey President

THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE Washington

May 25, 1925

My dear President McVey:

I have your kind letter of May 14 and am gratified to learn that the Board of Trustees of the University of Kentucky has generously granted Dean Cooper a year's leave of absence to serve as Chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of this Department. I am very happy to observe arrangements for his services as outlined in your letter and respectfully ask that you carry my appreciation to the members of the Board for their action in this matter.

Dean Cooper will be serving both the State of Kentucky and the farmers of the Nation in his new capacity, and I predict that his services will be of utmost value to all concerned. I hope to complete arrangements to bring Dean Cooper to Washington by August 1 if this date is agreeable. I again suggest that until announcement of his appointment is made from here that the matter be kept in confidence.

Again assuring you and the members of your Board of my deep appreciation, I am

Sincerely yours,

W. H. Jardine

Fugazzi Property. Report having been made to the Board of Trustees that certain property adjacent to the new women's dormitory off Winslow Street was necessary to the extension of building plans by the University, the same being known as the Fugazzi property; and further that the University had not been able to agree with the owners thereof on terms of payment, the Board of Trustees, upon motion made by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Grady, authorized the University to proceed with such condemnation proceedings in court as may be necessary to acquire the property in question. In connection herewith, the President was instructed to authorize the University's legal agent to proceed with necessary legal action.

College of Commerce. The following recommendation concerning details of the establishment of the College of Commerce and the Department of Sociology was ordered spread upon the minutes.

May 19, 1925

To the University Senate:

Your committee appointed to consider the recommendations relative to the organization of the proposed College of Commerce submit for your consideration the following recommendations:

- 1. That a College of Commerce be established and that the work in economics now offered in the Department of Economics and Sociology be transferred to this College.
- 2. That the work in Sociology offered formerly in the Department of Economics and Sociology be transferred to a department of Sociology to be established in the College of Arts and Sciences.
- 3. That the degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce be conferred upon students majoring in this College who present a total of 127 credits with a standing of "1" and who conform to one of the prescribed curricula of the College.
- 4. Unless two units in the ancient or foreign languages are offered for entrance, one year of language in college is required. It is highly recommended that all commerce students take at least one year of language. Students pursuing the foreign-commerce curriculum are required to take two years of foreign languages.
- 5. All candidates for the commerce degree are required to take:

6 credits in English

- 12 credits in history, political science, sociology, philosophy, education and psychology, with the exception of those courses offered in the psychology of advertising and selling and in personnel management.
- 6 to 8 credits in the natural science.
- 5.6 credits in military science
- 1.4 credits in physical education
- 5 credits in college algebra
- 5 credits in mathematics of finance
- 6 credits in American and European economic history
- 6 credits in principles of economics
- 6 credits in elementary accounting
- 3 credits in statistics

Curricula leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce will be submitted by the faculty of the College of Commerce.

Very truly yours, Edward Wiest

Board adjourned.

Enoch Grehan Secretary