

The Faculty of State University met in regular session at 3:45 P.M., Dec. 5, 1913.

Present: President H.S. Barker, Professors Anderson, Bohannon, Boyd, Brumage, Carrel, Chalkley, Dantzler, Davis, Easton, Farquhar, Garman, Gilbert, Gillis, Miss Hamilton, Dr. Kastle, Judge Lafferty, Professors Melcher, Miller, Noe, Rees, Rowe, Terrell, Tigert, Tut-hill, Weaver, Webb, and Zembrod.

The meeting was called to order by President Barker.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

As Professor Easton could stay only a few minutes, he was asked to read a message from Professor Norwood, requesting that the name of Herbert Adolph Kohnhorst be placed in nomination for the degree of Bachelor of Mining Engineering (B.E.M.). He also stated that Mr. Kohnhorst was a candidate for graduation last June and that his name had been presented with the names of the class of 1913, but that he did not have his thesis ready at that time. Since then, his thesis had been received and accepted, and he requested the Faculty to recommend Mr. Kohnhorst to the Board of Trustees at its next meeting to be held the following Tuesday, Dec. 9th, for the degree of Bachelor of Mining Engineering (B.E.M.) and to consider him a member of the class of 1913.

A motion, made by Dean Miller and seconded by Professor Terrell, to recommend Mr. Kohnhorst for graduation, was carried.

On motion by Professor Miller the names of Miss Mary Frances Huff, <sup>Miss Gertrude Tartar</sup> and Mr. Walter Franklin Wright were added to the list to receive the A.B. degree at the December Board meeting. Mr. Wright will be considered a member of the class of 1914.

President Barker stated that two of our students - Messrs. Edwin Thomas Proctor and Reuben Thornton Taylor - had passed the examination for the Rhodes Scholarship and therefore were placed on the eligible list, and <sup>at their request</sup> he desired the Faculty to select one of them as a candidate for the scholarship. It was agreed that the two men be brought before the Faculty in order to question them regarding their experience and attainments.

While the men were being looked for, Judge Chalkley read a petition of certain students who desired to receive University credit for oratorical, editorial and other similar work of a literary character not now in the recognized curriculum. He therefore moved that a committee be appointed to hear the petitioners and report at the next regular meeting.

The motion was duly seconded and after some discussion, was carried.

The President appointed upon this committee: Judge Chalkley, Profs. Dantzler, Farquhar, Weaver and Dean Hamilton.

On a motion by Professor Jones, seconded by Professor Tigert, Messrs. Proctor and Taylor, the candidates for the Rhodes Scholarship, were called before the Faculty, and after being questioned by Professors Tigert, Terrell and Mathews, were then allowed to retire. A vote was taken by secret ballot, and Mr. Proctor was elected.

Professor Farquhar presented the following petition from the officers of the Choral Society:-

To the President and Faculty of State University,  
Lexington, Ky.

The Choral Society of State University in session Wednesday evening, December third, unanimously passed the following resolution:

That the University be asked to give the Choral Society the privilege of one hour rehearsal in chapel each Thursday morning, as is given the Convocation on Tuesday.

That every student in the University be asked to join this musical organization for his or her sake and for the good of the University.

Respectfully submitted by the officers of the Society, and members present Wednesday evening.

- W.J. Sanford ----- President.
- Virginia Anderson ----- Vice-President.
- Minnie Cramer ----- Sec'y - Treas.

Approved Harlowe F. Dean,  
Director of State University Choral Society.

Anna Chandler Goff,  
Director of Music, State University.

A motion was made by Prof. Farquhar that this petition be granted a trial for one month.

President Barker requested that the Faculty grant this petition if possible, as it seemed to be the only chance for the Choral Society to succeed. The question was discussed by Dean Hamilton, Profs. Terrell, Melcher, Miller, Gilbert and Anderson.

The motion was carried by a majority of two votes.

President Barker offered the following resolution, which was adopted by a unanimous vote:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Faculty of the State University of Kentucky, at its regular Faculty meeting assembled, that we extend our thanks to the Editor of the Lexington Herald for three splendid editorials appearing in his paper within the last month, advocating a higher spirit of appreciation on the part of the citizens for the University and pointing out the duty of the Faculty and the citizens of Lexington to meet together in a closer bond and spirit of amity and good-fellowship than has heretofore prevailed. We fully appreciate these editorials and endorse their spirit, and now desire to express ourselves as willing and anxious, in every way possible, to be of service to Lexington and Fayette County. We do not believe there is any antagonism between us and the citizens; but perhaps both sides, in the close pursuit of their vocations, have overlooked some of the social amenities due from each to the other.

We FURTHER RESOLVE, that a copy of these resolutions be sent by the Secretary of the Faculty to Mr. Desha Breckinridge, Editor of the Lexington Herald.

The Committee on Course of Study submitted the minutes of their last meeting which were read by Prof. Mathews, at the request of Prof. Anderson. The minutes were as follows:

*E. F. Gillis*  
Secretary