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MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF REGENTSMURRAY STATE NORMAL SCHOOLJUNE 3, 1924.

The Board of Regents of the Murray State Normal School met in the office of the President at 10:15 A. M., Vice Chairman, T. H. Stokes, presiding. Present: Mr. T. H. Stokes, Mrs. Laurine Wells Lovett and Mr. G. P. Thomas. Absent: Superintendent McHenry Rhoads and Mr. J. F. Wilson.

Plans for Campus and Building

Mr. W. E. Gore, architect, presented the preliminary sketch of the layout of the campus prepared by Olmsted Brothers, and also a preliminary sketch of the class room and administration building which he had prepared.

A letter was also submitted from Olmsted Brothers explaining their tentative plans and offering suggestions relative to the purchase of additional land and other matters. (see files for letter). Both plans were examined and criticised.

Mr. Stokes was appointed a committee of one to ascertain whether or not additional land could be obtained and at what price.

The Board took a recess until 4:00 P. M., in order to examine the grounds to be considered for purchase.

The Board reconvened at 4:30 P. M.

Mr. Wilson who was absent at forenoon meeting was present.

Mr. Stokes reported that it was not feasible to purchase additional land as the price asked was \$1000.00 per acre and even at that price the owners were not willing to sell land to the street.


The report was adopted by common consent without a motion.

✓ Moved by Mr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Thomas, That the preliminary sketch submitted by Mr. Gore be accepted as a basis for the class room and administration building. Carried.

✓ Moved by Mr. Wilson, seconded by Mrs. Lovett, That Mr. Stokes and Dr. Carr be appointed a building committee with power to pass on minor details of design of building prior to submitting plans for final approval to the Board. Carried.

✓ Moved by Mrs. Lovett, seconded by Mr. Wilson, That Mr. Gore be authorized to draw plans and submit estimates for converting the present heating plant into a central heating plant with sufficient capacity to heat the women's dormitory and the class room and administration building. Carried.

Moved by Mrs. Lovett, seconded by Mr. Thomas, That the Board recess until tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock. Carried.

  
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Chairman.

  
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Secretary.