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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS  
MURRAY STATE UNIVERSITY  
May 13, 1969

The Board of Regents of Murray State University, Murray, Kentucky, convened a meeting recessed on April 30, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., C.D.T., May 13, 1969, in the Board Room of the Administration Building on the campus of the University, for the purpose of conducting a hearing on views regarding compulsory ROTC and for any other matters needing to come before the Board.

Mr. O. B. Springer was in the chair, presiding as Vice Chairman, and upon call of the roll the following answered present: Mr. Adams, Mrs. Hart, Dr. Howard, Mr. Powell, Mr. Springer, Dr. Read (non-voting), Mr. Russell (non-voting), and Mr. Whittle. There was absent Mr. Butler.

Present also for the meeting were: Dr. Sparks, Mrs. Dyer, Dr. Hogancamp, and Mr. Wrather.

Oath of Office administered to E. G. Adams by Mr. M. O. Wrather, Notary Public.

Mr. E. G. Adams, reappointed to the Board of Regents by Governor Nunn, was administered the Oath of Office by Mr. M. O. Wrather, Notary Public.

Election of Officers

Dr. Howard nominated Mr. O. B. Springer for Vice Chairman of the Board. Mr. Powell moved that Mr. Springer be elected by acclamation; Mr. Whittle seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Adams nominated Mrs. Patsy R. Dyer for Secretary of the Board. Mr. Whittle moved that Mrs. Dyer be elected by acclamation; Dr. Howard seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Powell nominated Mr. James Rogers for Treasurer of the Board; Dr. Howard moved that Mr. Rogers be elected by acclamation; Mr. Whittle seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

Minutes of the Board Meetings held on April 22, 1969, and April 30, 1969, Adopted

Mr. Powell moved that the Board approve the Minutes of the Board Meetings held on April 22, 1969, and April 30, 1969, as received. Dr. Read seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Discussion of Compulsory ROTC

The following groups and individuals having previously registered with the Secretary of the Board appeared at this time to present views regarding the compulsory phase of ROTC.

- I. Mr. Wilson Gantt and Mr. Leroy Eldridge
- II. Col. Eff Birdsong, Sammy Knight, Mike Smith
- III. Dr. William G. Nash
- IV. Tim Halley, Kim Smith, Dave Winslow
- V. Dr. Pete Panzera
- VI. Richard J. Smith, Robert H. Ogle, John Touchstone
- VII. Dr. James Parr, Dr. Charles Daughaday, and Mr. Franklin Robinson
- VIII. Lance E. Booth III, Denise Minshall

Following the presentations and much discussion, Mr. Powell moved that the Board of Regents take under consideration the question of compulsory ROTC, that it weigh and investigate evidence presented this date and that it continue to study the matter in order that a deliberate and sound decision may be made.

Mrs. Hart seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Injury to Student, Reported

Mr. Wrather reported that he had been informed that Raymond Goodman was injured in a fall at the Science Building. The Board referred the matter to the University's attorneys with the request that the attorneys write to Mr. Robert Goodman, father of the student.

Changes in Fees, Approved

Dr. Hogancamp presented and reviewed the following fee changes:

| <u>Fee</u>                      | <u>Present<br/>Rate</u> | <u>Recommended<br/>Rate</u> | <u>Effective</u> |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Registration Fee: Resident      | \$120.00                | \$130.00                    | Fall 1969        |
| Non-resident                    | 370.00                  | 380.00                      | Fall 1969        |
| ROTC Uniform Deposit            | 10.00                   | 8.00                        | Fall 1969        |
| ROTC Activity Fee               | 3.50                    | 2.00                        | Fall 1969        |
| Bowling Fee (P. E. 145)         | 12.00                   | 13.00                       | Fall 1969        |
|                                 |                         | 14.00                       | Fall 1970        |
|                                 |                         | 15.00                       | Fall 1971        |
| Towel Fee                       | 1.00                    | 2.00                        | Fall 1969        |
| Graduate Record Exam            | 6.00                    | 12.00                       | Fall 1969        |
| Rent: Air Conditioned Dormitory | 120.00                  | 125.00                      | Fall 1969        |
| Non-air conditioned Dormitory   | 110.00                  | 115.00                      | Fall 1969        |
| Meal Tickets: 5-day (per week)  | 10.50                   | 11.50                       | Fall 1969        |
| 7-day (per week)                | 13.30                   | 14.00                       | Fall 1969        |
| Apartment Rent (per month):     |                         |                             |                  |
| One-bedroom                     | 63.30                   | 65.00                       | July 1, 1969     |
| One-bedroom (air conditioned)   | Not avail.              | 70.00                       | July 1, 1969     |
| Two-bedroom                     | 80.30                   | 82.00                       | July 1, 1969     |
| Two-bedroom (air conditioned)   | Not avail.              | 88.00                       | July 1, 1969     |

Mr. Adams moved that the foregoing fees be changed as recommended.  
Dr. Howard seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Meeting Adjourned

Mr. Adams moved that the meeting be adjourned; Dr. Read seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

OB Springer  
Vice Chairman

Patsy R. Dyer  
Secretary