Reno, Nevada
December 11, 1917

The December meeting of the Board of Regents was called to order at 10:30 A.M. in the Office of the President by Acting Chairman Sullivan.


Acting President Lewers gave an informal report on the status of the Agricultural building, stating there had been some delay owing to the fact that the joists had not arrived. He stated that he had sent Mr. Gorman back to San Francisco to look after getting a car and had told him to stay until he succeeded. The Priority Committee had promised the first car in to be loaded for the University. It was expected to have the lumber here possibly by Friday. All other materials were on hand and as soon as the joists could be received there would be no further delay.

The matter of storm doors on the President's house, Mr. Lewers advised, was being held until President Clark's arrival on the 20th. The probable cost is $200.

Mr. Lewers reported that the military situation at the University looked as though we might lose the R. O. T. C. on account of the diminishing number of men students. He reported that Major Ryan and he had taken the matter up with the War Department and they advised that the Unit would not be disturbed for the present, although they wished the number of students reported to them from time to time, this being granted on the fact that such a large number of boys had gone into the U. S. Service.

No formal action was taken on any matters and the Board recessed until December 21 at 10 o'clock that President Clark might be present.

J. J. Sullivan, M. D.
Acting Chairman

Louise Blaney
Secretary