The Board of Regents held the Commencement meeting in the Office of President Clark at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, May 8th. Present: Chairman Pratt, Mrs. Williams and Judge Talbot. Absent: Mrs. Hood and Mr. Williams.

On motion of Mr. Pratt, the minutes of the Committee meetings of January 30th, March 31st and April 9th and the month-end actions on payrolls and claims of the majority members of the Board in February and April were confirmed and approved by the following vote:

Judge Talbot          Aye  
Mrs. Williams         Aye  
Mr. Pratt             Aye  

On motion of Judge Talbot, the list of candidates for degrees and diplomas, presented to the President by the Registrar and approved by the General University Faculty, as given below, was approved by the following vote:

Judge Talbot          Aye  
Mrs. Williams         Aye  
Mr. Pratt             Aye  

Engineer of Mines
Harper C. Neeld

Master of Science in Metallurgy
Herbert Carroll Vacher

Master of Arts in Economics
Loren E. Mc Fadden

Master of Arts in Modern Languages
John R. Gottardi  

Master of Arts in English  

Nathalie J. Holly  

College of Arts and Science  

Bachelor of Arts  

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Marian Blanche Wyckoff  

College of Arts and Science
Bachelor of Science

Jasper C. Atkinson
Stephen Louis Berdalis
Edward R. Chittenden
John Remers Gillberg

John B. Kalin
Walter H. Maddox
Lloyd A. Shellabarger

College of Engineering

Bachelor of Science in Mining Engineering

Richard F. Brown
Courtland Bell Frain

Merle Mensinger
Murl R. Schrock

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

James Chester Atcheson
Robert Sherman Baldwin
John R. Bonner
Charles E. Card
Lloyd E. Crosby
Gerald Fowble
Everett W. Harris

Raemon Charles Samuels
Neil B. Shaber
Clinton A. Smith
Merle W. Smith
Rocco L. Spina
Carl B. Wahlund

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Louis H. Bratmon
Robert Terry Conroy
Foster W. Curtis

Harold Frederick Dwyer
Michail John Palashoff

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Willis L. Edwards
Charles K. Mc Clelland

Thomas M. Roach
Fred A. Roemer

Bachelor of Science in Agriculture

Robert Marion Clawson
William A. Goodale

Clarence J. Thornton
Russel S. Weeks

Bachelor of Science in Home Economics

Ruth L. Gunter
Frances Lattin Harrison
Marjorie Roach

Audrey E. Springmeyer
Helen Wells

Teacher's Diploma of High School Grade
On the recommendation of the President, Mrs. Williams moved the acceptance of the resignations of:

Miss Ruth Billinghurst, as Assistant Professor of Chemistry
Mr. Mc Kean Carter, as Fellow in Chemistry
Mr. Harold P. Miller, as Instructor in English
Miss Luethel Austin, as Instructor in English
Miss Margaret Regan, as Secretary in the College of Agriculture

each at his own request. Vote:

Judge Talbot  Aye
Mr. Pratt  Aye
Mrs. Williams  Aye
On the recommendation of the President, on motion of Mrs. Williams, the following were elected to the positions indicated:

Irwin S. Danielson to be Fellow in Chemistry for the academic year 1926-27 at a stipend of $600 and exemption from non-resident tuition and all fees, including Chemistry laboratory fees.

Edwin Duerr to be Instructor in Debating and Composition in the Department of English at a salary of $1500 for the year beginning August 1st, 1926.

J. W. Cunningham to be continued in his Instructorship in Biology at a salary of $1500 for the year beginning August 1st, 1926.

Alice Terry to be Secretary of the College of Agriculture at a monthly salary of $110 for the year beginning July 1, 1926.

Vote:

Judge Talbot          Aye
Mr. Pratt             Aye
Mrs. Williams         Aye

President Clark stated that the Attorney General had given him unofficial opinion that it would not be legal to charge Nevada students an incidental and registration fee other than a very small $5 or $10 per semester Registration Fee, all income from which must be used specifically to defray registration expenses.

On the recommendation of President Clark, Mrs. Williams moved that Messrs. Kent and Haseman, in charge respectively of the University Band and of the Men's Glee Club, should receive $150 each for both semesters of the coming University year. Vote:

Judge Talbot          Aye
Mr. Pratt             Aye
Mrs. Williams         Aye

Judge Talbot moved that if need came to move the Hatch building in order to free the site for a proposed new building, the Chairman of the Board of Regents and the President of the University be authorized to have the Hatch building moved to some point north of the driveway running in front of Lincoln Hall, unless upon advice from Mr. De Longchamps he decides against the practi-
cability of moving the building, in which case they are authorize-
ed to have the building torn down. Mr. De Longchamps is to
receive from general University funds a fee of $50 for this
service. Vote:

Judge Talbot          Aye
Mr. Pratt             Aye
Mrs. Williams         Aye

On motion of Judge Talbot the lowest bid for the installation
of the Refrigeration Plant in the new Dining Hall, that of the
Curtis Machinery Company, for the sum of $3317, was accepted by
the following vote:

Judge Talbot          Aye
Mr. Pratt             Aye
Mrs. Williams         Aye

Bids for this work and for the enlargement of the Dining Hall
had, in accord with the Board's authorization, been cared for
by Chairman Pratt and President Clark and were opened by them
in the presence of the bidders on April 30, 1926.

At 11 o'clock the matter of awarding the contract on the bids
for the Heating Plant were taken up in the presence of such
bidders as cared to appear. Mr. Ben A. Brickham of Denver,
Engineer in charge of the Heating Plant alterations and addi-
tions, was present. Judge Talbot asked Mr. Brickham for a
detailed statement of his experience in installing heating
equipment. At its close, Mr. Brickham said that there was
but one bid, submitted without request and without specifica-
tions, for the installation of a steam heating system on this
Campus, amounting to $33,954 and furnished by Contractor John
Lukey of Reno. He would like to inquire of Mr. Mc Neil, repre-
senting Mr. Lukey, what manner of steam plant he would propose to
install for this sum. After Mr. Mc Neil had submitted his prop-
osition, which Mr. Brickham declared to be entirely unfeasible,
Mr. Mc Neil and two other interested contractors, Mr. Wagner of
Shearer and Wagner, and Mr. Westover of the Reno Plumbing and
Heating Company, withdrew.

Bids for this contract work had been opened by Chairman Pratt
in the presence of the President of the University and the
bidders on May 5, 1926.

Judge Talbot moved that the Board accept the lowest bid for the
alterations and additions to the hot water heating system at
this University in accord with the plans and specifications
prepared by Engineer Ben A. Brickham under date April 5, 1926, as submitted by Shearer and Wagner for the sum of $47,649. Vote:

Judge Talbot         Aye
Mr. Pratt            Aye
Mrs. Williams        Aye

Judge Talbot moved that 3% of the amount of this bid, less the $354 already paid to him, or a total of $1079.47 be authorized to be paid to Engineer Brickham in accord with the contract with Mr. Brickham. Vote:

Judge Talbot         Aye
Mr. Pratt            Aye
Mrs. Williams        Aye

Judge Talbot moved that all certified checks, save those submitted by contractors whose bids have been accepted, should be returned to the contractors. Vote:

Judge Talbot         Aye
Mr. Pratt            Aye
Mrs. Williams        Aye

The Chairman of the Board instructed the Secretary to return the checks, unendorsed, by registered mail, return receipt requested.

The President is to instruct Professor Boardman to be prepared to make any surveys deemed necessary by Shearer and Wagner in connection with the installation of the enlarged heating system, same to be paid from general University funds.

Recessed until 2 o'clock.

The recessed meeting convened at 2 P.M. Chairman Pratt, Judge Talbot and Mrs. Williams, President Clark, Architect De Longchamps and Contractor Bernasconi being present.

Mr. Bernasconi was the lowest bidder on the Dining Hall bids when these were opened on April 30th by the Chairman of the Board and the President of the University, as authorized by the Board. There were two other bidders. The 3 bidders and their bids follow:

J. Bernasconi       $21,800
E. K. Fowler        21,878
Wine and Williams   22,000
Mr. Bernasconi was called to see if he could agree to complete the work within the 5 weeks available between the close of the University and the opening of the Summer Session and, if not, if he would agree to accept a penalty of $20 for each day beyond the 5 week period. Mr. Bernasconi desired to consult with another contractor, Mr. De Luca, and to get in touch with stone masons before he gave definite answer. He left with the understanding that Mr. Pratt would phone to him at his home at 6 P.M. to learn his decision.

Mr. E. K. Fowler then appeared before the Board. Mr. Fowler agreed to complete all the interior work within the allotted 5 weeks, under a penalty of $20 per day for all days delayed beyond June 14, 1926, should the Board grant him the contract, which they were willing to do in case Mr. Bernasconi failed to give the necessary guarantees for the completion of the work within the 5 weeks.

Recessed to 1:30 P.M. Monday, May 10, 1926.