

Proceedings of Special Meeting of the Faculty Senate
Meeting of Wednesday

December 19, 1956

Faculty elections committee, report of: Mr. Leshner read a report submitted by Mr. Quentin Mees, Chairman of the Faculty Elections Committee, which indicated that Herbert D. Rhodes was declared elected Chairman of the Faculty, and the ten members elected to the Committee of Eleven were as follow: William S. Barnes, Edwin F. Carpenter, Albert F. Gegenheimer, Emil W. Haury, Philip G. Hudson, Arthur R. Kemmerer, H. A. Marcoux, Thomas L. Martin, Jr., Joseph L. Picard, and William J. Pistor. It was pointed out that the newly elected Chairman of the Faculty, Dr. Herbert D. Rhodes, makes the eleventh member of the Committee of Eleven.

Elections system, suggestion re: The Senate placed on the agenda for consideration at an early meeting a suggestion to provide that persons nominated for faculty positions (such as membership in the Senate) be contacted before the announcement of their nomination is made.

Adjustments in curricula, committee on: The President announced the appointment of the following committee to study a report on the recommendation by the Committee of Eleven to adopt a new plan of administering petitions submitted by students for adjustments in degree requirements: Dr. Albert F. Gegenheimer, Professor Harry E. Stewart, Professor W. R. Rucker, Dean E. J. Brown, and Dr. Klonda Lynn (Chairman).

Catalogue material, consideration of: The Senate gave final approval to catalogue material with such changes as it had authorized.

Senior examinations, report of committee on: The Senate received and considered a comprehensive report submitted by a special committee appointed to study a proposal submitted by the Committee of Eleven to have senior examinations coincide with all other final examinations. The Committee's recommendation, as approved by the Senate, was that the proposal be not approved and that the present plan be retained with the understanding that members of the faculty may limit the final examinations to one hour given in regular class or laboratory periods and that departments are encouraged to have such senior examinations held in separate location under proctorship.


C. L. Leshner, Secretary