

UCCSN Board of Regents' Meeting Minutes November 6-7, 1954

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

November 6, 1954

The Executive Committee of the Board of Regents met in the President's office at the University on Saturday, November 6, 1954.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Ross at 5 P.M. Present: Regents Hardy, Lombardi, Ross; Comptroller Hayden and President Stout. Reporters present were Robert Laxalt and Jim Hulse.

The meeting was called to consider the building program of the University. Mr. Mackenzie and Mr. Lemon of the State Planning Board were present for this item of business.

Building Program

Plans for remodeling the present Agricultural Extension building and the present Agricultural Experiment Station building (Hatch building) were presented by Mr. Ross as Chairman of the Regents Committee on Buildings and Grounds.

Following general discussion, it was unanimously agreed that estimates of cost be secured by the President and turned over to the State Planning Board. A joint meeting of the Board of Regents and the State Planning Board will then be called to consider the remodeling plan.

Columbia Pictures Request

President Stout presented the request of Columbia Pictures corporation to film scenes for their picture, "Five Against the House" on the University Campus. The Chairman pointed out that there is no established policy concerning the use of the Campus for motion pictures, but that the precedent had been established; therefore, the request was a matter for consideration.

It was unanimously agreed that the President be authorized to grant permission to Columbia Pictures, providing their activities do not interfere with regular University work and providing the filming is done at a time when classes

are not in session. The Secretary was instructed to poll the two absent members of the Board by telephone.

Request for Use of Mackay Stadium

President Stout presented the request of Father Welsh of Manogue High School for use of Mackay Stadium, free of charge, in order that Manogue, Sparks and Reno High Schools might put on a benefit football game for the families of Gene Mastroianni (killed) and Alfred Sorensen (seriously injured) in an automobile accident. The request set Sunday, November 14, as the date for the benefit game.

The matter was discussed and it was unanimously agreed that the request be granted. The Secretary was instructed to poll the two absent members of the Board by telephone.

Note: Mr. Newton Crumley and Mr. A. C. Grant were reached by telephone on Sunday, November 7, 1954. Both voted to approve the request of the Columbia Pictures Corporation and the request of Father Welsh for the 3 high schools.