

**The University of Minnesota**  
**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**  
**MINUTES**

November 14, 1918

A meeting of a committee of the whole was held in the President's office Thursday, November 14, 1918, at ten o'clock.

Present: Regent Snyder, presiding; Regents Burton, Partridge, Schulz, and Sommers.

The policy of providing a dormitory system for men and women was discussed and approved.

A report of the special committee on building matters for the University was submitted and the question of adopting a comprehensive building plan to extend over a period of ten years was considered and approved. It was

Voted to request the Legislature to authorize the levy of a  $\frac{35}{100}$  of a mill tax.

The general salary situation of the University was carefully considered and it was

Voted to include in the Needs for the Biennium an increase in the maintenance fund to cover.

The question of adopting the four-quarter system was discussed and favorably considered.

The question of the needs for the biennium was considered and it was

Voted to request that the maintenance fund be increased from \$1,365,000 to \$1,865,000 and to establish the maximum of the request for the biennium at \$5,500,000.

Voted to adjourn.

G. H. HAYES, *Secretary*