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A special meeting of the Faculty of the State University was held July 18th, 1917, at 4:00 P.M., at the request of Chancellor Elliott.

The Chancellor announced that the State Board had given their consent to proceed with the construction of such new buildings as may be possible from appropriations made by the last Legislature, and that Mr. George Carsley of Helena had been chosen to prepare plans for this institution and for the Agricultural College. At the request of Chancellor Elliott, Mr. Carsley presented the plans he had prepared, after having carefully considered the report of the faculty with regard to the buildings needed. A building to house the natural sciences being most needed, the Chancellor asked for advice from the faculty with regard to its location and general plan. The location decided upon was north of Main Hall. During his remarks, the Chancellor mentioned that while the matter of extension of the campus had not been considered by the State Board, he felt certain that they could consider the matter favorable. The Chancellor then suggested that the departments present to Mr. Bonner within a fortnight ideas of their departments so that when the architect comes, the matter may be presented to him at once.

A discussion then followed concerning the plan of dividing the University year into quarters of twelve weeks each. The Chancellor suggested the following dates for the University calendar for the college year 1917-18.

lst term to begin Oct.lst and close with Christmas Holidays;
2nd term to begin Jan.7th and close March 29th;
3rd term to begin April 1st and close June 21st;
4th term (Summer Session) to begin June 24th and close
August 2nd, making the Summer Session of six weeks, and
depending upon circumstances whether or not another Summer
Session of six weeks would be held.

Owing to absence during the summer of some members of the committee which was appointed to investigate the four quarter plan, the Chancellor appointed several additional members. The committee as appointed follows: Professors Scheuch, Lennes, Pope, H. E. Smith, Jameson, Bonner, Kirkwood and Coffman. The Chancellor asked that this committee meet with the faculty and come to a decision by Monday, June 23rd, as to whether or not they desired to establish the four quarter plan this fall, as outlined above.

Chancellor Elliott then announced two new courses which had been approved by the State Board of Education. One of six months duration which has been approved by the State Nurses Association, preparatory for young women who want to qualify for service in hospitals. The other, a military service course for young men, which course was suggested by Mr. Bonner. Those taking this course who wish to continue an engineering course may do so without serious interruption.

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Meeting adjourned.

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June 1, 1917.

To President F. C. Scheuch, State University, Missoula.

Dear Sir:

The Committee on Courses for Teachers begs leave to report that, having checked over the courses required for the Certificate of qualification to Teach in each case individually, the following persons, upon receipt of their Bachelor's or Master's Degree from this institution, are entitled to the Certificate of Qualification to Teach in the public schools of the State of Montana:

Name.

Majors.

Minors.

Blomgren, Ethel Mathematics Chemistry, German, Carney, Florence History English Mathematics Clark, Pearl History, Mod. Lang. Duncan, Marian History, German Class, Languages Foley, Anna Hist. & Pol.Sci. English Hemmick, Lenore Physical Education, English, Biology Hershey, Elizabeth Holmes, Esta English Home Econ., Mod. Lang. German English Lease, Jessie English History, German Lewis, Gladys Fine Arts, Education English German, English Linn, Marguerite Mathematics French, English Fine Arts Little, Eleanor Mod. Lang., Education Logan, Lelia Biology Mod . Lang . , English -etlen, Genevieve Economics History O'Flynn, Patricia English Botany, English Parmelee, Myrtle Biology Pope, Mae German, Home Econ. English Pub. Speak., Mod. Lang. English Reely, Grace Phys.Ed., Biology Seifert, Regina Mathematics Mod.Lang., History Siedentopf, Marie Biology German, History Swearingen, Hazel English Thelin, Ernest Philos., Social Sciences English English Thomas, Evalyn Modern Languages German, English Shope, Frene History

> (Signed) Freeman Daughters Committee J. H. Underwood Paul C. Phillips

Approved by Committee on Admission and Registration

(Signed) J. P. Rowe, Chairman.