The Regents participated officially in the public exercises, the principal events of the day being an address in the afternoon by Governor A. O. Stanley and an evening address by ex-President William Howard Taft.

The Regents considered the present status of the bill in the legislature giving a mill tax basis in place of the present acts. The bill having passed the House, and, at this date, being in the Orders of the Day in the Senate, it was decided that President Cherry should go to Frankfort for Tuesday morning next and that Judge Haswell should join him that night to watch the progress of affairs and assist in getting the bill in its present form passed.

An adjournment was had to some subsequent date and until the legislative action should be determined.

Minutes of Adjourned Regent's Meeting, April 24, 1918.

A Regents' Meeting was called for above date, at which were present Superintendent Gilbert in the chair and Regents Potter, Cole and Haswell and President Cherry.

President Cherry stated that he was not yet prepared to present the list of the faculty for suggestions as to salary, but would do so at the next meeting of the Regents.

Regent Potter submitted contract of March 20th last, with the Kentucky Public Service Company, H. D. Fitch, Superintendent, for electric light service, which contract was read, approved and ordered filed.

The President was requested to submit at the next Regents' meeting or as early as practicable a plan for the development of the Rural School idea.

The following resolutions were introduced and passed unanimously:

RESOLVED That it is the sense of the Board of Regents that the current expenses of the school for the year beginning July 1, 1918, should be kept within the sum of $90,000.00, if possible; not, however, including in this amount the incidental fees used ordinarily.

It was ordered that Regent Potter be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to go to Cincinnati, Ohio, and interview Seasonood & Mayer, and the Union Savings Bank and Trust Company, the trustee in the bond issue which is se-
cured by a mortgage on the property of the school, for the purpose of arranging, if possible, a release of said mortgage, so far as certain lands of the school embraced therein lying on the Nashville Pike, are concerned, and he shall report his acts herein to the Board.

Regent Potter reported the purchase for the school of certain lands lying on the northwest side of the Nashville Pike, and it was ordered that the sum of $12,500 be and it is hereby ordered to be paid to the Potter-Latock Trust Company, it being the purchase price of said land. This sum to be paid upon delivery of a general warranty deed to be executed to the Board of Regents for Western Kentucky Normal School No. 2, conveying a fee simple title therein.

After due consideration President Cherry was instructed to report at the next Regents' meeting the tentative plan for a new building to be constructed to be known as Science Hall, the approximate expense of same to be $125,000.00 (One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars).

No further business appearing, the Board adjourned subject to call of Superintendent V. O. Gilbert.

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Minutes of Board of Regents' Meeting
May 27, 1918.

In response to call of Superintendent V. O. Gilbert, there was held on Monday, May 27, 1918, a regular meeting of the Board of Regents of the Western Kentucky State Normal School, at which were present Supt. Gilbert, Regents Potter, Cole, and Haswell, and President Cherry.

Superintendent Gilbert occupied the chair. The secretary called the attention of the Regents to the resolution passed a year ago relative to placing upon the records of the school suitable expression of the Regents and faculty and presented a tribute which was ordered placed upon the records and will be found on pages 143-147. The adoption of this memorial was upon a rising vote on motion of Regent Haswell.

In accordance with the decision at the last Regents' meeting, President Cherry brought up the question of the salary list for the school. After a