Minutes of the University Faculty, December 14, 1953

The University Faculty met in regular session in the Assembly Room of Lafferty Hall, Monday, December 14, 1953, at 4:00 p.m. President Donovan presided. Members absent were Charles Barkenbus, Martha G. Carr, Louis Clifton, Jesse DeBoer, Frank G. Dickey*, W. P. Garrigus, H. W. Hargreaves, W. M. Insko, A. D. Kirwan, Homer C. Lewis, John T. Masten, W. L. Matthews, Jr., L. E. Meece, Frank D. Peterson, W. A. Seay, Roy E. Sigafus, E. M. Spokes, E. E. Stein, Lawrence S. Thompson*, E. G. Trimble, Charles A. Walton, Frank J. Welch.

The minutes of the meeting of November 9 were approved as read.

Dr. Carsie Hammonds presented resolutions on the death of Dr. J. T. C. Noe who died November 9, 1953.

RESOLUTION ON THE DEATH OF JAMES THOMAS COTTON NOE

James Thomas Cotton Noe, gentleman and friend, teacher and scholar, lover and counselor of youth, philosopher and individualist, poet and idealist, died November 9, 1953, at his home in Beverly Hills, California. He was born in Washington County Kentucky, near Springfield, May 2, 1864. He spent his childhood on a farm and in Springfield. He received his early education in the schools of Kentucky and graduated from Franklin College, Franklin, Indiana, in 1887. During his third year in college he won prizes for his knowledge of Greek and Latin and for his ability in oratory. He was pitcher and captain of his college baseball team, and pitched one summer for the Franklin Ball Club.

After graduation, he taught two years in small high schools in Kentucky and Indiana, before entering Cornell University for graduate study in Shakespeare, English Literature, and Philology. He received his M.A. degree from that institution in 1890 and returned to Kentucky. He taught in a district school in Marion County and then became instructor in English at Williamsburg Institute, now Cumberland College, Williamsburg, Kentucky. While there, he met and married Sidney Stanfill. He then returned to his home town, Springfield, and began the practice of law. He was Police Judge of Springfield four years.

He re-entered teaching in 1898, serving as principal of Harts-ville Masonic Institute, 1898 to 1901, of Theodore Harris Institute, Pineville, Kentucky, 1901 to 1904, and as instructor, Lincoln Memorial University, in Tennessee 1904 to 1906. He was instructor of English at the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Lexington, afterwards the University of Kentucky, 1906 to 1908. He became head of the department of education in 1912, and served in that capacity until 1923 when the department was raised to the rank of College of Education. He recommended that a younger person be selected as dean. His advice was followed, and he continued on the staff as professor and head of a department until he accepted a special assignment in 1934.

Dr. Noe was an inspiring teacher. He was an idealist, and poetry was as much a part of him as the color of his eyes. He

*Absence Explained

could make the stern facts of life live and glow with love, sympathy, hope, and song that stirred his students to develop full and useful lives.

His published volumes of verse are: LOOM OF LIFE, 1912; THE BLOOD OF RACHEL, 1917; TIP SAMS OF KENTUCKY, 1926; LINCOLN AND TWENTY OTHER POEMS; THE LEGEND OF THE SILVER BAND, 1932; THE VALLEYS OF PARNASSUS, 1935; A BRIEF ANTHOLOGY OF KENTUCKY POETRY, 1936; OOLOOLOON, 1938; IN KENTUCKY, 1940; and TIP SAMS AGAIN, 1947. He was made Poet Laureate by the Kentucky General Assembly in 1926. He received the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Literature from his Alma Mater in 1919 and the Doctor of Letters from Georgetown College in 1934.

Cotton Noe was loved and honored by the members of the faculty of the College of Education for his broad human sympathy, his sincerity, his breadth of interest, and his sense of humor. James L. Harman, a dear friend of Dr. Noe, has outlined his personality for us in these words: "There was an unusual commingling of qualities that produced his personality -- an explosive outburst against pretense; an almost trembling fervor in the presence of actual beauty or the beauty he saw in his limitless imagination; a purity of thought and language as chaste as Keat's Grecian Urn; a philosophy delving into the seemingly insignificant or going into the far reaches of human interest; a blind love for those who loved him; an unpredictable wit and humor in his conversation and writing; a withering criticism of what he thought was an injustice; and in all he did, said, or thought, he was as frank as a child. These characteristics were vital parts of one whose body was as rugged as his thoughts were original."

His eighty-nine years were full of service. His colleagues move forward more surely because of his contributions.

Ezra L. Gillis Leo M. Chamberlain Louis Clifton M. E. Ligon, Chairman

The University Faculty approved a motion that these resolutions be included in the minutes of the University Faculty and that a copy be sent to Dr. Noe's family.

Dean White presented the following recommendations from the College of Arts and Sciences concerning new and dropped courses and changes in courses.

I. Courses to be Added

Geography 30a-b. Introductory Field Studies In Geography. (3 ea.)
Techniques of obtaining and verifying data in the field,
association of geographic names, technical and descriptive
terms of geographic phenomena with classification and report.

Geography 130a-b. Intermediate Field Studies. (3 ea.)

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An intensive study of a particular geographic area with such specific skills as filling in a base map and observing and recording data for map composition and report.

Zoology 126. Speciation. (3 ea.)

Mechanisms of Evolution. A discussion of modern theories and problems concerning the formation of animal and plant species. Three hours per week. Prereq.: Eight hours of Biological Science including Zoology 1.

Military Science 22a, b. Military Science II (Branch General) (2 ea.)
Course in crew-served weapons and gunnery, map and aerial
photograph reading, school of the soldier and exercise of
command.

II. Courses to be Dropped

Geography 130 (3)

Geography 202 (3)

Geography 203 (3)

Geography 204 (3)

Military Science 21a,b (2 ea.) 31a,b (2 ea.)

III. Changes

Change of Military Science la,b Military Science I (Branch Immaterial) (First Year) (2) to Military Science la,b Military Science I (Branch General) (First Year) (2 ea.)

Introductory course covering broad concepts of military science, including the organization of the Army. American Military History and individual weapons, together with such practical subjects as marksmanship, leadership and drill.

The University Faculty approved the recommendations.

Acting Associate Dean Steele presented recommendations from the College of Agriculture and Home Economics that certain changes be made in order to complete the merging of two departments into the Department of Agricultural Economics. This involved slight changes in existing courses, certain new courses and combined courses.

Summary of Major Changes

Courses dropped

Fm. Ec. 121, Land Use Planning, 3 credits

M & R F 30, Sources and Uses of Agricultural Data, 2 credits

Courses reduced in semester hours

Fm. Ec. 115, Farm Accounting, - from 3 credits to 2 credits

*M & R F 200a-c, and) Agricultural Economics Seminar -Fm. Ec. 200a-d) both courses from 1 credit to no credit.

Course increased in semester hours

Agr Econ 155, Agricultural and Farm Finance, 3 credits. (Replacing Markets & Rural Finance 120, 2 credits)

New courses

Agr Econ 118, Farm Labor Utilization, 3 credits *Agr Econ 240, Advanced Agricultural Policy, 3 credits
*Agr Econ 500 (1,2,3) Thesis, no credit

Courses combined

*Fm. Ec. 20la-d, Research in Farm Economics, 3 credits, and *M&RF 202a-c, Special Problems in Marketing and Rural Finance, 3 credits, combined into Agricultural Economics 260a-c, Special Problems in Agricultural Economics, 3 credits

The following is a complete list of all courses in Agricultural Economics:

Teaching Division - General Agricultural Economics

Agricultural Economics 1, Agricultural Economics (3) I, II, S An examination of the agricultural industry and of farm businesses as affected by economic forces. (replaces and duplicates Farm Economics 1)

Agricultural Economics 100, Agricultural Marketing (3), I, II, S Principles and methods of marketing farm products with attention to systems and agencies at both country and central markets. Prereq: Econ. 51; Agr Econ. 1. (Replaces and duplicates M & R F 100.)

Agricultural Economics 101, Agricultural Cooperation (3) II, S Principles, methods, and problems involved in the cooperative marketing of farm products and in the purchase of farm production supplies through cooperatives. Prereq: Agr Econ 100. (Replaces and duplicates M & R F 101.)

Agricultural Economics 102a, Marketing Tobacco (2) I, S Special emphasis on the marketing of and the market systems for tobacco. Application of marketing principles and methods to tobacco. Prereq: Agr. Econ. 100. (Replaces M & R F 102a); duplication of M & R F 102a

Agricultural Economics 102b. Tobacco Market Grades and Grading (1) S Procedures and problems in establishing market standards for tobacco, including practice in grading. Prereq: or concurrent: Agr Econ 102a, or approval of instructor. (Replaces M & R F 102b) (duplication of M & R F 102b)

Agricultural Economics 103, Marketing Livestock and Livestock Products (2) II, S

Analysis of livestock and dairy markets; market organization, agencies, institutions, and services; and public regulations. Prereq: Agr. Econ 100. (Replaces and duplicates M & R F 103)

Agricultural Economics 109, Marketing and Processing Poultry Products (2) I. S

Organization and operation of markets; grading, packaging and handling poultry and eggs. Lecture, one hour; laboratory, 2 hours. Prereq: A. I. 41, Agr Econ 100. Same course as A I 142. (Course replaces and duplicates M & R F 142)

*Agricultural Economics 206, Advanced Agricultural Marketing (3) II
A critical examination of objectives and results of various types of
research in market organization, marketing functions, market management,
and price analysis. Prereq: Approval of instructor.
(Replaces M & R F 204, Research in Marketing.)

Teaching Division - Farm Management

Agricultural Economics 110, Farm Management, (3), I, II, S.

An analysis of management and of the science of organizing and operating farms; measurements of success; developing crop and livestock programs; and record keeping in the light of maximizing returns from resources.

Prereq: Agr. Econ 1, Econ 51.

(Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 110)

Agricultural Economics 111, Advanced Farm Management (3) II
An advanced analysis of management and managing farms. Prereq: Agr Econ
110 (Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 111)

Agricultural Economics 114, Current Farm Management Problems (3) S
An analysis of the current economic problems in farming, such as costs, technological developments, demand changes, and resource use. An introductory course designed primarily for professional workers in agriculture.

Prereq: Agr Econ 110, or approval of instructor.

(Replaces Fm. Ec. 124.)

Agricultural Economics 115, Farm Accounting. (2) II
Development and analysis of farm records and farm accounts including farm cost accounting. Prereq: Agr. Econ. 110
(Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 115)

Agricultural Economics 116, Land Value and Appraisal (Odd No. Years) (3) I The capitalization process, and other methods of valuing farm land; appraisal procedures of the Federal Land Banks and other credit institutions. Prereq: Agr Econ 110 or approval of instructor. (Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 122)

Agricultural Economics 117, Types and Systems of Farming (Even No. Years)
(3) I

Critical study of the business organization and management of Kentucky farm businesses. Field trips required. Prereq: Agr Econ 110 or approval of instructor.

(Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 113)

Agricultural Economics 118, Farm Labor Utilization (3) I Efficient work method fundamentals as applied to agricultural production, work simplification analysis of specific farm jobs and incentive payment plans for encouraging economic use of farm labor, are studied. Prereq. or concurrent: Agr. Econ. 110

Teaching Division - Production Economics

Agricultural Economics 120, Production Economics (3) I Economic analysis of agricultural production. A theoretical treatment of I and and capital returns, costs and related functions of agricultural production at an elementary level. Prereq: Agr. Econ. 110. (Replaces and Duplicates Fm. Ec. 130)

Agricultural Economics 121, Cost, Price and Production Relationships in Agriculture (3) S
Relationship among production expenses, cost of production, prices paid, prices received, agricultural production, and farm income. Designed primarily for professional workers in agriculture. Prereq: Agr. Econ. 110, and approval of instructor. (Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 203)

*Agricultural Economics 220a Economics of Agricultural Production.

Static Application. (3) I

Application of economic principles to agricultural production problems of resource combination, enterprise selection, scale of operations, household firm relationships, interregional competition, and national agricultural policies and programs. Prereq: Approval of instructor.

(Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 202a)

*Agricultural Economics 220b, Economics of Agricultural Production.

Dynamic Application (3) II

A continuation of 220a with application to dynamic situations.

Prereq: Agr Econ 220a and approval of instructor.

(Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 202b)

Teaching Division - Agricultural Statistics

Agricultural Economics 130, Agricultural Statistics (3) I, II Principles and methods involved in the analysis, interpretation, and use of agricultural statistics including variation, correlation, standard errors, and simple analysis of variance. (Replaces and duplicates M & R F 130)

*Agricultural Economics 230, Statistics for Agricultural Research - Social Sciences (3) II

Multiple and partial correlation, test of reliability, sample surveys, and other techniques for agricultural research. Prereq:

Agr. Econ. 130 or equivalent.

(Replaces and duplicates M & R F 230)

*Agricultural Economics 231, Statistics for Agricultural Research - Plant and Animal Sciences (3) II
Analysis of variance and covariance; statistical considerations in the design of experiments; tests of significance and confidence

limits. Prereq: Agr. Econ. 130 or equivalent. (Replaces and duplicates M & R F 231.)

Teaching Division - Agricultural Policy and Land Economics

Agricultural Economics 140, Agricultural Policy. (3) II Historical development of principles underlying agricultural policy; objectives of agricultural policy; appraisal of current and proposed agricultural programs. Prereq: Agr. Econ. 100. (Replaces and duplicates M & R F 140.)

Agricultural Economics 145, Land Economics (3) I Institutional, technological and physical forces affecting the use of land resources in agriculture. Analysis of problems connected with land tenure, land conservation and transfer of farm real estate. Prereq: Agr. Econ. 110 or approval of instructor. (Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 120)

*Agricultural Economics 240, Advanced Agricultural Policy. (3) I Influences of policies upon economic progress, efficiency in resource use, distribution of income, and welfare in agriculture. Prereq: Approval of instructor.

Teaching Division - Agricultural Prices and Finance

Agricultural Economics 150. Agricultural Prices (3) II
Price behavior of agricultural products including supply-price
relationships and their relation to the general price level. Prereq:
Econ 51.

Agricultural Economics 155. Agricultural and Farm Finance. (3) I, S Credit needs of agriculture; problems connected with farm and market agency financing; organization and operation of agricultural credit agencies. Prereq: Econ. 51 (Replaces and duplicates M & R F 120, 2 cr.)

*Agricultural Economics 250. Advanced Agricultural Prices. (3) I
Advanced study of agricultural price behavior by the application of
economic theory and statistical analysis. Prereq: Approval of instructor. (Replaces and duplicates M & RF 210)

Teaching Division - General Courses

Agricultural Economics 160. Special Problems in Agricultural Economics (3) I, II
Directed independent study of a selected problem. Prereq: Approval of instructor and head of department.
(Replaces Fm. Ec. 112a-c; no duplication)

*Agricultural Economics 260a-c. Special Problems in Agricultural Economics (3 ea.) I, II

Open to graduate students who have the necessary training and ability to conduct research on a selected problem. Prereq: Approval of head of department.

(Replaces Fm. Ec. 201a-d and M & R F 202a-c; no duplication)

*Agricultural Economics 216. Research Methods in Agricultural Economics (3) II

An analytical examination of research methods and techniques used in agricultural economics. Prereq: Approval of Instructor. (Replaces and duplicates Fm. Ec. 204)

*Agricultural Economics 200a-d. Agricultural Economic Seminars. (0) I,II Analysis of economic problems which affect agriculture. (Replaces Fm. Ec. 200a-d and M & R F 200a-c)

*Agricultural Economics 500(1,2,3,) Thesis (0)

*Note: These courses were not acted upon by the faculty of the College of Agriculture and Home Economics, but will be forwarded to the Graduate Council for their action before request for action by the University Faculty. They are shown here to provide information upon the complete reorganization of the department's offerings.

The University Faculty approved the recommended changes.

Dr. Koppius presented for the Schedule Committee the proposed University Calendar for 1954-55.

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR FOR THE YEAR 1954-55

First Semester

1954	
Sept. 12-18	Sunday through Saturday - Orientation Week for all new students
Sept. 12	Sunday, 4:00 to 6:00 p.m President's reception for new students
Sept. 13	Monday, 7:45 a.m. through Thursday, 12:00 Noon - Classi- fication tests, physical examinations, advising and classification of all new students
Sept. 16-18	Thursday, 1:30 p.m. through Saturday, 11:00 a.m Classification of all advanced standing students and registration of all students, including new freshmen, according to an alphabetical schedule
Sept. 20	Monday - Class work begins
Sept. 25	Saturday - Last date one may enter an organized class for the first semester
Oct. 9	Saturday - Last date on which photographs will be taken for ID cards
Oct. 15, 16	Friday and Saturday - Period for filing applications for degrees
Oct. 25 Nov. 25-29	Monday - Last date one may drop a course without a grade Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to Monday, 8:00 a.m Thanksgiving holidays
Dec. 18	Saturday noon - Christmas Holidays begin

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	Jan. 3	Monday, 8:00 a.m Christmas holidays end
	Jan. 24-28	Monday through Friday - Final examinations
	Jan. 28	Friday, 6:00 p.m End of first semester
Second Semester		
	Feb. 5	Saturday, 7:45 a.m Classification tests and physical
		examinations for all new students
	Feb. 7, 8	Monday, 8:00 a.m. through Tuesday, 4:00 p.m Registration
		and classification of all students according to an alpha- betical schedule
	Feb. 9	Wednesday - Class work begins
	Feb. 15	Tuesday - Iast date one may enter an organized class for the second semester
	March 4, 5	Friday and Saturday - Period for filing applications for degrees
	March 14 April 8-12 May 29	Monday - Last date one may drop a course without a grade Friday, 8:00 a.m. to Tuesday, 8:00 a.m Easter holidays Sunday - Baccalaureate services
		Tuesday through Saturday - Final examinations
	June 3	Friday - Eighty-eighth Annual Commencement
	June 4	Saturday - End of second semester
	June 7-11	Tuesday through Saturday - 4-H Club Week
Summer Session 1955		
	June 13	Monday, 7:45 a.m Classification tests and physical examinations for all new students
	June 14	Tuesday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m Registration and class-
		ification of all students according to an alphabetical schedule
	June 15	Wednesday - Class work begins
	June 21	Tuesday - Last date one may enter an organized class for
		the summer session
	June 25	Saturday - Last date one may drop a course without a grade
	June 28, 29	Tuesday and Wednesday - Period for filing applications for degrees
	July 4	Monday - Independence Day holiday
	August 5	Friday - Summer Session Commencement
	August 6	Saturday Noon - End of Summer Session
	Sept. 12	Monday - Opening of Fall Semester of 1955-56
	1st Semester -	$85^{\frac{1}{2}}$ Net teaching days 2nd Semester - $84^{\frac{1}{2}}$ Net teaching days

1st Semester - 85½ Net teaching days 2nd Semester - 84½ Net teaching days

Summer Session - 44 Net teaching days

This Calendar was approved by the Faculty.

The Faculty adjourned.

Maple Moores Acting Secretary