## MEETING OF THE STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE

## President's Office

March 5, 1923

7:30 P.M.

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Present, President Friday, Mrs. Stockman, and Messrs. Watkins, Mc. Pherson, Brody, Woodman and Secretary Halladay.

The minutes of the previous meeting, having been in the hands of the members, were approved without reading.

On motion of Mr. Brody, the resignation of Mr. G. F. Davis as Assistant in Poultry Husbandry, was accepted as of March 1.

On motion of Mr. Watkins, Prof. A. C. Conger was appointed Acting Head of the Department of Zoology and Physiology for the remainder of the academic year.

On motion of Mr. Woodman, Mr Watkins was appointed to represent the Board of Agriculture on the Board of Directors of the M. A. C. Union.

On motion of Mrs. Stockman, the Secretary was instructed to write to the Secretary of Agriculture at Washington and make arrangements, if possible, to establish a federal forest experiment station in Michigan.

On motion of Mr. Watkins, the bill for drain inspection and leveling amounting to \$592.50, as presented by W. VanHaitsma, was authorized to be paid from the Land Improvement fund.

On motion of Mr. Brody, Mr. Ralph H. Young was appointed Athletic Director, Head Coach of major sports, and Professor of Physical Education, at a salary of \$6000 per annum beginning Sept. 1

On motion of Mr. Woodman, the Secretary was requested to correspond with Dr. Geo.

E. Hart of the University of California and offer him the Deanship of the Veterinary Division at a salary of \$6000 per annum.

On motion of Mr. Woodman, it was voted bo tear down the cld piggery and park the land occupied as a hog run.

On motion of Mrs. Stockman, Director Shaw was authorized to establish experimental plots for soil building purposes in some forty counties of Michigan. These plots shall comprise about fifty acres to the county and shall contain from five to ten acres each of cut over and worn out lands, to be sown to sweet clover, alfalfa, and other grass seeds.

On motion of Mrs. Stockman, additional apportionments, for the balance of the fiscal year were made as follows:

| Botany   | Exp.Station 500.00 | C <u>ollege</u><br>350.00 € jo |
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| Chemistry  |                    | 1500.00 sel 1300 6 } >         |
| Dairy Husbandry (includes Creamery)                        |                    | 20000.00 €                     |
| Farm Crops   |                    | 500.00 Enja                    |
| Farm & Horse   |                    | 10000.00 8                     |
| (also to be allowed to use money from replace those sold.) | sale of animals to |                                |
| Forestry   |                    | م و 1000.00                    |
| Horticulture   | 1000.00            | 1500.00 5/                     |
| Poultry (egg laying contest)                               |                    | 3400.00 Sp                     |
| Military   |                    | 666.00 ° /                     |
| Soils  | 1500.00            |                                |
| Surgery & Medicine   |                    | 500.00 408 Sal                 |
| Upper Peninsula Station                                    | 3500.00            | 100                            |

G. F. Davis, Resignation Accepted

Prof. Conger app't Act. Head.

Mr.Watkins to represent Bd of Ag. Union.

Sec'y to establish Fed forest.

Inspection& Levelling amt paid from L Impt.Fund.

Ralph Young appit Ath. Director.

Sec'y to correspond Dr. Hart. U of Cal.

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Dean Shaw to establish Exp. plots for soil purposes.

Secretary.