The Advisory Council met at the call of the President at the Anchorage at the noon hour, Saturday, December 11, 1927.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

A communication from Mr. Spencer, Registrar, gave the official notice of the election by the faculty of the following members to the Advisory Council: Deans Gilbert and Hale, and Professors Stafford and Packard.

The new members of the Council were present.

Dr. Gilbert announced that the inaugural lectures had been prepared for publication in the Commonwealth Review.

At the suggestion of President Hall, Mr. Spencer and Mr. Ommerhans were invited to attend the meeting of the Council.

The President reported upon his trip over the State and was impressed with the cordial manner in which he was received in every section visited. The opportunities for University training; the importance of productive scholarship of the staff in helping to solve state and wider problems; and value of University extension were all presented at every opportunity. The University need for a unit of the library, an infirmary and a pension system were also stressed.

President Hall, in reporting on his eastern trip included statements regarding the sympathetic attitude of the Carnegie Foundation toward contributing funds for the establishment of a University retirement fund. Certain research projects were discussed by President Hall while in the east in view of obtaining financial assistance for those projects.

The Oregon-California Land Grant situation was discussed by various members of the Council.

President Hall submitted the general topic of the Junior College for consideration. This and other allied topics including that of superior students were informally discussed.

President Hall announced that the budgets for the year would not be definitely determined until after the close of the legislature. Immediate needs could be met upon the assumption that this year's budgets would approximate those of last year.

Adjournment.

E. L. Packard,
Secretary.
MEETING OF ADVISORY COUNCIL
March 4, 1927

The Advisory Council met at the call of the President at 4:00 Friday, March 4, 1927.

Dean Allen was absent.

Due to the lack of time the minutes were not read.

The President Hall reported upon the action of the Governor in vetoing the University appropriation bills.

The 1927 University Budget was presented by Mr. Onthank. Various items were explained in detail and the council informally approved the budget as it was presented.

As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned.

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E. L. Packard
Secretary.