

MINUTES

A meeting of the Hall of Records Commission, duly held on the 9th day of May, 1939, at 2.30 P.M. at the Hall in Annapolis, was attended by the chairman, Judge Carroll T. Bond, the State Comptroller, Mr. Tawes, Dr. Bowman, the president of Johns Hopkins University, Dr. J. Hall Pleasants, president of the Peabody Institute, and Dr. Stringfellow Barr, president of St. Johns' College.

The principal purpose of the meeting was to meet and question some of the leading candidates for appointment to the position of archivist, and the commission met, in succession, Mr. George F. Ashworth, Dr. C. P. Gould, Mr. Walter F. Meyer, Dr. Maurice Radoff, and Prof. V. J. Wyckoff.

Miss Meade was called to the meeting to present a plan for increasing salaries of the staff of the Hall from funds spared from other uses, but the commission voted that the plan should await the appointment and study of the new archivist. The provision of increases in salaries by this method as approved by the

commission if the archivist finds it convenient.

The commission then directed that \$500 of the archivist's salary unpaid and accumulated since Dr. Robertson's death, be paid Miss Meade for her services as acting archivist from that time until the installation of the new archivist.

There being no further business before the commission, the meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chairman.

Carroll J. Bond
Chairman

Stringfellow Barr
Acting Secretary.