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Lamb and Streichenberg for university grounds \$93.00. Bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn. The secretary then read the specifications for the observatory Building, in which it was ordered that paper be substituted galvanized on the Dome. The secretary was directed to instruct the architect to draw up such specifications as would describe the kind of paper to be used and the method constructions so as to secure the best work. The specifications for the observatory adopted with changes suggested. The following resolutions was then unanimously [sic] adopted:

Be it resolved by the Board of Regents of the University of North Dakota in session this 16th day of July 1883, that the services of Professor H. Montgomery be and the same hereby secured as professor of Natural Science and also as Vice President in and for the University of North Dakota at a salary of two thousand (2000) Dollars per annum for the first year, and said services and compensation to commence at such is the University is ready for operation. The Secretary was instructed to notify Professor Montgomery of this action.

Adjourned to 4 o'clock P.M. July 31st 1883.

F.W. Iddings, Secretary.

Board of Regents of the University of North Dakota
Grand Forks D.T. July 31st 1883.

Reading session, President Collins in the chair. There were present Regents C.E. Teel, James
Minutes Twamley and W.T. Collins.

Postponed Reading of the minutes were postponed.

Adjourned to meet at 4 o'clock P.M. of Aug. 4th 1883 for the purpose of opening bids for the construction for Observatory Building and University Building

F.W. Iddings, Sec.

Voucher No 5 allowed [upper left margin]

Observatory specifications read [upper left margin]

Adopted [left margin]

Prof. H. Montgomery elected to chair of Nat Sciences & Vice Prest [left margin]