

MOREHEAD GETS NORMAL SCHOOL

Proposition on Buildings and Land Accepted by Commission, Certified by Superintendent Colvin

CHIEF TO BE NAMED SOON

FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 13.—(By The Associated Press)—The site offered by Morehead for the normal school for eastern Kentucky has been accepted by the normal school commission and the report has been certified to George Colvin, state superintendent, according to an announcement made here today by Judge E. C. O'Rear, chairman of the commission.

The proposition offered by Morehead was accepted at a recent meeting of the commission in Louisville, it was reported here, but announcement of the action taken was withheld pending the return of Mr. Colvin from his vacation. The full report has been sent to the department of education, according to Judge O'Rear, but no action has been taken on it. Mr. Colvin is expected to return within a few days and it is likely that final action on the naming of a president will be taken at that time, according to Judge O'Rear.

The site offered by Morehead was valued at approximately \$190,000 by Morehead backers of the school. This estimate was considered as too high by the commission and the offer was rejected. Meanwhile Levy & Levy, architects, of Louisville, made an investigation of the property at the suggestion of the commission, and their report was submitted at the last meeting of the commission. Judge O'Rear said today that he did not recall the exact valuation fixed on the property by the architects, but said that it was somewhere between \$100,000 and \$150,000.

The act creating the two new schools called for gifts of \$100,000 or lands or buildings worth that

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NORMAL SCHOOL BOARD ACCEPTS MOREHEAD SITE

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amount. Murray, the city which obtained the school for western Kentucky, raised \$100,000 in cash for the new school, and Morehead, one of the applicants for the eastern Kentucky institution, offered buildings and land.

The new schools have been given names to distinguish them from the normal schools at Richmond and Bowling Green, Judge O'Rear said. One will be known as Murray State and the other Morehead State Normal. The Richmond institution is called Eastern State Normal and Teachers' College and the Bowling Green school is known as Western State Normal and Teachers' College.

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