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The Board of Trustees of
The Clemson Agricultural College.

Gentlemen:

The regular scholarship examinations were held on
the second Friday in July at the County Seats in accordance with the law.

There were 146 young men who took the examinations
for 82 vacant four-year scholarships. There were vacancies in every
County except Allendale, Colleton, Darlington, Dillon, Lancaster,
Marion, Spartanburg, and Sumter. In the Counties of Abbeville, Cherokee,
Chester, Kershaw, Lee, Pickens, Richland, and York there were no
applicants to pass the examinations or otherwise qualify. There were
no applicants in four Counties - Beaufort, Georgetown, Newberry and
Union.

Upon the grading of the Faculty, forty-one applicants qualified for four-year scholarships from their respective
Counties and seven from the State-at-large. Eight students who held
one-year appointments from last session were reappointed from the
State-at-large. This made a total of fifty-six applicants eligible
on the basis of scholarship requirements, each of these young men
being eligible for admission to the Freshman class.

The list of the fifty-six applicants is as follows:

Aiken County (2)

Weathersbee, A.A.---R.F.D, Ellenton
Culler, R. E.-------R # 1, Kitchens Mill

Anderson County (1)

Reed, L. B.-----R # 7, Anderson
Massey, L. B.----R # 2, Pendleton (S-A-L)
Cromer, N. C.-----Sandy Springs (S-A-L)
Picklesimer, D.L.----Piedmont (S-A-L)
Weigle, C. C.-------R # 1, Belton (S-A-L)

Bamberg County (1)

Jones, B. C.-------Bamberg
Hutto, S. G.-------Denmark (S-A-L)

Barnwell County (1)

Youngblood, J. E.----Elko

Berkeley County (2)

Rudloff, C. -------Pineopolis
Collins, M. W.----Cordesville
The following students of Clemson College who held one year appointments from the State-at-large for the session 1922-1923, and who made good records are recommended for continuance of their scholarships from the State-at-large for the session 1923-1924:

List B

Name and Address
Long, C. A.----R # 1, Conway
Long, L. S.----R # 3, Prosperity
Padgett, A.B.----R # 2, Smoaks

To fill vacancy in County of
Beaufort

*Note: The address information for some students includes additional notes. For example, Long, L. S.'s address includes a note indicating a vacancy in the county.*
The only question arising is in regard to the recommendation of James K. Crowson. This young man stood and passed the examination in Fairfield County on July 13th. His name was submitted to the State Board of Public Welfare as being eligible for investigation. Before the Board of Public Welfare made its report and before the Board of Trustees made its report to the State Board of Education, the father of this applicant moved to Richland County.

The question which might arise is whether or not the boy is eligible to receive a four-year scholarship in Fairfield County as his father moved to another County before an appointment was actually made. The father is a printer and is now in business in Columbia, but he writes that he still retains his citizenship in Fairfield and will do so until January 1924. I notified this man that his case would be brought up for a ruling.

Sixty-nine young men stood the examinations for the new Two-year Agricultural Course scholarships. Twenty-eight are recommended from their respective Counties and seven from the State-at-large, making a total of thirty-five. The following were the successful applicants:

**TWO-YEAR AGRICULTURAL COURSE SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Abbeville County**

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<th>Grant, R. A.</th>
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**Aiken County**

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**Allendale County**

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**Anderson County**

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**Barnwell County**

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**Calhoun County**

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<th>Hane, W. W.</th>
<th>R F D. St. Matthews</th>
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There were no applicants for Two-year Agricultural Course scholarships from the following counties: Bamberg, Beaufort, Berkeley, Chesterfield, Charleston, Darlington, Georgetown, Jasper, McCormick,
Pickens, Union, and Williamsburg.

There were no eligible applicants from the following counties: Clarendon, Dillon, Greenville, Horry, Lancaster, and Orangeburg.

Under the law no action by the State Board of Public Welfare is necessary in these cases. Only the approval by the Trustees is required.

It is necessary that the Board act on the following matters:

1 - To award regular scholarships in light of recommendations of State Board of Public Welfare.

2 - To award the Two-Year Agricultural scholarships in which no property qualification enters.

3 - To decide whether or not Mr. James K. Crowson is entitled to a scholarship from Fairfield County since his father moved to another County before the awards were actually made.

This being a special meeting called for a specific purpose of passing upon scholarships, no other matters are presented for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

W. M. Riggs, President.