Regular Meeting March 4, 1903.

The faculty was called to order by the President at 5:15 P.M.


Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

An application was presented by H.T. Buehler, Jr., special text student, for permission to take 6 hours a week civil engineering with the Junior class.

Mr. Bodee stated that he had been attending the class irregularly, and for that reason his work had not been satisfactory. On motion of Mr. Morrison, the petition was granted.

Cadet J.E. Fowler, freshman class, applied for permission to change from Agricultural to Mechanical course. On motion of Mr. Bodee, the request was granted.

Cadet R.B. Banks, sophomore class, applied for permission to take surveying in addition to his regular work. On motion of Mr. Lewis, the request was granted.

Cadet John C. Boggsan, sophomore class, also applied for permission to take surveying in addition to his regular course. Granted by vote of the Faculty, on motion of Mr. Bodee.

The Faculty adjourned at 5:35 P.M.

W. Clinton Lewis,
Sec. of Faculty.
Regular Meeting, March 12, 1903.

Came to order by the President at 5:15 P.M. Present on roll call: Messrs. Russell, Keel, Lewis, and Watson. Absent late Mr. Lewis.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The President presented a letter from Mr. W.A. Connolly, of Wofford College, stating that he will complete the sophomore work in June, and desiring to know whether he could enter the junior electrical class in next September, and if so how much work would have to be made up. By vote of the Faculty, the letter was referred to Mr. Riggs.

Cadet J.T. Hesse, freshman class, applied for permission to change from Mechanical to Agricultural courses. On motion of Mr. Riggs, the request was granted, by vote of the Faculty.

The President gave a synopsis of business transacted at the meeting of the Board of Trustees on the 10th & 11th, including the following matters affecting the Faculty and the College at large:

The College is divided into seven departments: 1. Chemical and Scientific; 2. Academic; 3. Agricultural (including Sophia Station); 4. Textile; 5. Mechanical and Electrical; 6. Military; 7. Sub freshmen. (Official order, next page)

Heads of departments are designated Directors, other members of the faculty to rank as Professors, Associate Professors, Assistant Professors, Instructors and Instructors. The name of the Faculty is to be grouped by departments in the catalogue.

Member of the Faculty appointed since last Board meeting were confirmed.

Directors of departments, professors, associate and assistant professors constituted
The voting members of the faculty.

Commencement exercises to be held Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, June 7-9, inclusive.

$100 was appropriated to provide an entertainment room for students in Barracks.

Christmas vacation to begin Dec. 25 and end Jan. 2d.

Barracks to be open 5 days before opening day of session, and entrance examinations to be held in that period.

Evenings of Lee's birthday, Washington's birthday, and 1st of May are set apart for the annual celebrations of the literary societies. May 1st is also to be "field day" for athletics.

The best speaker in each annual society contest is to speak also at Commencement, and the best of the three to be awarded a $25 gold medal.

The arrangement of courses for Saturday was placed in the hands of the President and Faculty.

$1200 appropriated for agricultural experiments near the coast.

All instructors to receive a salary of $400, and Tenure $600.

To Kalpman's name to be dropped from all of Faculty, as he has been relieved of all duties except those of Surgeon.


Mr. Langner requested that faculty meeting be changed to Tuesday, as Monday had long been the day for correspondence, at which he always presents. On motion of Mr. Morrison this was done by vote of the faculty.

Faculty adjourned 5:30 P.M. [Signature]
Regular Meeting, May 19, 1903.

Called to order by the President at 5:15 P.M.


Minutes of last meeting were read, amended and approved.

An application from the agricultural division asking for time for thesis work was referred to the President and Director of the Agricultural department.

The President brought before the Faculty the case of Cadet C.V. Allen, regular student, who has not been following the schedule prepared for him. He had been remanded for neglect of duty, and now submits a new schedule, which he wishes approved. This schedule contained but six hours theoretical work. On motion of Mr. Riggs, it was referred to the Schedule Committee, by vote of the Faculty.

The President announced that it was hoped that the catalogue would be issued before commencement this year.

Members of the faculty were requested to revise the descriptions of their individual work, when necessary, and to suggest any changes that seemed desirable.

The President stated that letters had been received from schools requesting that their students be admitted to the College without examination. Would it not be desirable to publish a list of accredited schools? After some discussion of this, consisting chiefly of expressions of disapproval, it was decided by vote of the Faculty, on motion of Mr. Brodie, to refer the matter to a committee, of which the President should be chairman, to report at next meeting.

The President appointed Messrs. Brodie and Lewis on this committee.
The Committee recommends the insertion of the following statement in the catalog:

Following will be found a detailed statement of the requirements for admission to the Freshman class. On pages 12 to 17 are also given typical entrance examinations, which will be useful in suggesting the character of preparation that an applicant should have.

To the Faculty:
The Executive Committee of the Athletic Association of Clemson College has recommended to the President, the Ball Manager, to the effect that the morning is not a suitable time for practice, and that neither facilities nor competent instructors are available in the afternoon.

The following objections are brought against the morning practice:

1st. The men have to practice immediately after eating which is objectionable, and the number of cases known to have been affected to be sluggish and unsatisfactory.

2nd. The sun is so strong that the boys cannot bat, throw and catch the ball and impossible to pitch it.

3rd. The afternoon is cooler and the boys are accustomed to the hot afternoons in which all match games must be played and must be officially approved by the principal or superintendent of the school. Testimonials of a general or indefinite character and certificates from schools whose standing is not known to the college will not suffice the applicant from the regular examinations.

The Committee, therefore, recommends that since the Faculty recognizes and encourages athletics that some way be provided whereby the baseball practice may begin in the afternoon.

(Above report unanimously adopted by Committee.)

Committee,

Prof. W.M. Riggs, President.

[Signatures]

March 21, 1905.
Clemson College, S.C., March 26, 1903

To the Faculty:

The Executive Committee of the Athletic Association of Clemson College has looked carefully into the complaint of the Base-Ball Manager, to the effect that the morning is not a suitable time for practice, and that not enough time is available in the afternoon.

The following objections are brought against the morning practice:

1st. The men have to practice immediately after eating, which is objectionable not only from the standpoint of health, but causes the practice to be sluggish and unsatisfactory.

2nd. The dew upon the grass wets the ball covers making it difficult to bat, throw and catch the ball and impossible to pitch it. Also the ball after wetting wear out rapidly making the cost of new balls excessive.

3rd. Men trained in the early morning when it is cool will not be accustomed to the hot afternoons in which all match games must be played, and hence they cannot do themselves justice in our inter-collegiate contests.

In all of the above objections to the morning practice the Committee concurs, and finds further that the present contract with the Coach and the present schedule of games were arranged under a rule of the Faculty which for the present session affords the necessary time in the afternoon for practice in Base-Ball and Foot-Ball.

The Committee, therefore, recommends that since the Faculty recognizes and encourages athletics that some way be provided whereby the base ball practice may begin in the afternoon at 5 P.M.

(Above report unanimously adopted by Committee)

Committee,

Prof. W. M. Riggs, President.
Prof. J. V. Lewis
Prof. J. S. McLucas Faculty Representatives.
Prof. D. W. Daniel
Prof. H. H. Kyser Secretary-Treasurer.
Cadet J. H. Wyse Manager Foot-Ball Team
Cadet J. H. Wyse Manager Base-Ball Team
Cadet H. C. Sahlmann Manager Track Team
Cadet J. A. Wier Manager Tennis Team.
Then being no further business, the
 Faculty adjourned.

J. Henry Lewis
Pres. J. Faculty

Regular Meeting, Mar. 26, 1903.

Called to order at 3:15 P.M. by the President.
Absent on roll call: Messrs. Chambless (on
official business), Foster, Hunter, McLuise,
Roose, Pigg (official business), Sirmyer,
Uptan, Watson, Newman R.C., Newman J.S.
(on official business). Present late: Messrs. Mc-
Luise, Roon, Hunter.

Minutes of last meeting were read and
approved.

The Committee on Accredit Schools rec-
commended a paragraph for insertion in
the catalogue, stating that certificates from
approved schools will be accepted in lieu
of entrance examinations. (Copy attached)

A motion to adopt the report was lost by
a roll call vote of 12 to 15. Ayes: Bax, Benton,
Bost, Daniel, Earl, Hoole, Johnson, Ryan, Van,
Lewis, Roon, Roon, 12. Nays: Braddock,
Bissell, Furman, Hardin, James, Kelt, McBean,
Martin, Metal, Newman, Bax, Shanklin,
Shiver, Miller, Knight, 15.

The Executive Committee of the Athletics
Association presented a report setting
forth the difficulties under which base-
ball practice is now conducted, and
recommending that a way be provided whereby
the practice may begin at 5:00 P.M.

The President stated that a petition signed
by cadets had also been received in regard
to this matter, but had not been brought
before the Faculty.

After some informal discussion, Mr.
Lewis moved that the Faculty request the
Military department to arrange, if practicable, to allow the baseball players to drill in the morning, in order that they may begin practice at 5 P.M. The motion carried by vote of the Faculty.

The President requested the Commencement Committee to prepare a schedule of classes to be printed in the catalog.

Members of the Faculty were also requested to suggest such changes as seemed desirable in other courses of study.

The President announced that he had been invited to attend a meeting of the Kansas Rural School Teachers Association in Kansas City on April 25th. On explaining that this would be impossible, he had been asked to send a member of the Faculty.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the President was requested to appoint a representative of the Faculty to attend this meeting.

The President requested the Committee on Commencement Exercises to prepare a program to be reported at next meeting of the Faculty.

On motion the Faculty adjourned at 6:26 P.M.

J. Holley Lewis
Sec. of Faculty

Regular Meeting May 2, 1903

Called to order by the President at 5:15 P.M.


Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The Committee on Commencement Exercises reported, suggesting a program. Mr. Brodie moved that ordination of