1. Whether it would not be well for Clemson College to offer to hold entrance examinations at the different county seats of the state, some time early in the summer vacation.

2. By what method such examinations should be conducted. That is, among other things, whether the county superintendents of education should be required to hold such examinations; or whether legislative authority is necessary to require them to do so; or whether other persons should be asked to do the work.

3. Whether the Faculty has authority to order such examinations or should merely recommend action on the matter to the Board of Trustees.

The President summarized the work of the recent meeting of the Association of Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations, and the reason that of the Cotton States (hereafter to be called the Southern States) Association of Commissioners of Agriculture.

The Faculty adjourned at 5:40 P.M.

John Lewis
Secretary

Regular Meeting Dec. 3, 1903.

Meeting was called to order at 6:15 P.M. by the President. Attendance on roll and others, Chandler, Thomas B. Rawlins, and S. C. Meigs. Present, Messrs. Daniel and McRae, present late.

Mr. Daniel, Chairman, submitted the following names to the faculty as suggestions for commencement speakers: Hon. Clark Howell, Judge P. A. Woods, Gov. H. B. Byrd, Miss Sarah Adair, Dr. A. B. Pearson, Dr. Wilson, Rev. Mr. S. J. Temple, James Ewing, and Mr. J. W. Daniel.

Mr. E. B. Piggott was nominated by Mr. Pigg, seconded by Mr. Smith. It was decided that vote should be by ballot and the President appointed Mr. White and Keitel.

Approved Dec. 10, 1903.
On the fourth ballot, Judge Wood was declared to be the choice of the faculty for commencement speaker. Mr. Pigg, chairman of Athletic Council, presented to the faculty a petition from the Manager of the base-ball team asking for permission to have three games on the home grounds during the coming season on school days beginning at 4 P.M. The faculty granted the petition.

Mr. Boats brought to the attention of the faculty the need of some means of looking after the athletic interests of the college from the faculty standpoint. The President stated that a committee on Athletics had been appointed by the faculty.

Col. Newman moved that a committee of three be appointed to draw up rules for the government of the admission of cadets to the various athletic teams. Seconded by Mr. Brewster.

Col. Newman moved to amend by referring the matter to the Athletic Committee with instructions to report at next meeting. The motion as amended was adopted.

Cadet C.M. Garrett asked to be transferred from Freshman to Preparatory Class, which was granted. Cadet L.D. Dickerson of Fifth Class petitioned for the privilege of taking Freshman Mathematics in addition to regular Fireman work. It appeared that Cadet Dickerson could not take all the freshman mathematics without changing his schedule. Mr. Daniel moved to allow him to take as much of the freshman work and as could be provided for without changing his schedule, approved by faculty. The President regretted that marks for third period be handed in by Dec. 15. The President gave notice that the soon being up for discussion at next faculty meeting the subject of monthly examinations. Faculty adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

S. Shanklin
Sec. of Fac.
Regular Meeting Dec 10 1903

Meeting called to order at 5:15 P.M. by President.

Present on roll call, Messrs. Gant, Martin (ex), Pafford (ex), Shealy, and Springer (ex).

The President presented a letter from Judge C.P. Woods declining the invitation to deliver the commencement address, as the spring term of the supreme court would very probably be in session at that time, also a letter from Bishop E.F. Sailer stating that engagements elsewhere prevented his accepting the faculty's invitation to preach the commencement sermon.

Mr. W. Lucas, Chairman, submitted the amended report.

Mr. Lewis moved the adoption of the report, seconded by Mr. North. Mr. Daniel moved to lay the report on the table for one week, which motion was carried. The faculty then proceeded to elect a commencement preacher.

Mr. Daniel, Chairman, presented the names of Rev. J.H. Kershaw, Dr. W.E. Evans, Bishop D.D. Bratton, Dr. W.D. Rainersford, Dr. David Jereem and Rev. B. Hilly. Bishop Bratton was elected on first ballot. The following names were balloted for commencement speakers: Jno. A. Temple, slave, Dr. D.B. Halseman, Jno. Jno. Hamilton, Dr. W.W. Daniel, and Houston. Upon second ballot Jno. Jno. Daniel was elected.

In motion of Mr. Fisher, seconded by Mr. North, the faculty proceeded to elect an alternate for commencement speaker. Jno. A. Temple Kershaw was elected as alternate. The President defined the discussion of monthly examinations one week.

Cadet Belue, who had lost several weeks on account of being crippled, was granted such time as needed to make up work. Mr. Beatty requested the faculty to allow him to resign as the faculty representative to deliver an address in Atlanta before the Southern Assoc. during Christmas week. Resignation accepted, faculty adjourned at 6:30 P.M.
REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

The committee, appointed by the Chair, to consider the advisability of adopting a plan of holding entrance examinations at the various county seats at some time during the summer, submits the following report:—

1. The committee is of the opinion that a system of holding entrance examinations during the summer at the various county seats is very desirable. First, because it would save boys who are not prepared to enter college the expense and mortification of coming to the college and being sent home. Second, because it would give students who do not fail badly a chance to know wherein they are deficient and to make up that deficiency by study during the summer, thereby enabling them to enter college regularly in the fall and to do the work required.

2. The committee recommends that, for this college year, the president request the various county superintendents of education to hold examinations for entrance to Clemson College at the same time that the Winthrop examinations are held; that the fact that such examinations are to be held be advertised by sending circulars to the various superintendents with the request that they be distributed to the teachers, and that similar circulars be sent to the county newspapers; and that examination questions suitable for such examinations be prepared by the proper instructors.

3. The committee recommends further that this plan of conducting entrance examinations be submitted to the Board of Trustees, together with the reasons therefore, and that the Board be requested to procure suitable legislation, so that in future the county superintendents of education shall be required to hold entrance examinations for the state colleges and for other colleges, provided such colleges desire such examinations to be held, and submit examination questions.

Respectfully submitted by,

Chairman of committee.
Regular Meeting Dec 15, 1903.
Meeting called to order by President at 5:30 P.M. Present on roll call Messrs. Rawland, Rigsby (29) - Present late Mr. Lewis.
The President presented a letter from Senator Daniel declining the invitation to deliver the commencement address, as Congress would probably adjourn about that time and it would be very important for him to be in Washington at that time.

The name of Dr. McCaffrey was proposed by the President as the faculty's representative at the meeting of the So. Ed. Assn in Atlanta. Dr. McCaffrey was unanimously elected.

Mr. McCaffrey, the Library Committee read the revised rules for the library and stated they would be printed and distributed.

The President announced that work on the catalog of the College would begin immediately after the Christmas holidays.

The names of Cadets G. O. Thedrege, L. H. Fretwell, C. E. Royal and W. H. King of the preparatory class were presented to the faculty as doing very unsatisfactory work. Upon a vote of the faculty it was decided that the parents of these cadets be requested to withdraw them from college.

Mrs. Daniel moved that "All in the preparatory class who have not as many as a total of six (6) pass marks for the first three months, or who does not show progress, be requested to withdraw from college." Carried by vote of faculty.

The report of the Committee in regard to holding entrance examinations at the various county seats was brought up for discussion. Mr. Lucas moved to postpone for one week, seconded by Col. Girney. Mr. Morrison moved to postpone indefinitely. Mr. Norris seconded the noble motion to postpone indefinitely, carried by vote of faculty. A vote was then
Called Meeting Jan 9, 1904.
Meeting was called to order by the President at 4:30 P.M. About on roll Carl Hoote, James McNally, Ralva and Thealy. Present late Miss. Bixby, Houston and Menas. The President presented a letter from Bishop Dratton accepting the invitation of the Faculty to deliver the Commencement sermon on June 5th next.

Letter from Dr. Harris of the National Bureau of Education relative to the Educational exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition. By motion of the faculty the communication was referred to the following committee appointed by the chair, Mr. Brodie, Col. Hardin, Mr. Ferran. The application of Cadet P. H. Keeney for an irregular course in Chemistry and Agriculture was referred.

The President reported that he had carefully examined the class records of all the students and found none deficient under the previous motion of last meeting.

The faculty then proceeded to the History class room to examine the schedule for examinations. Upon motion of Mr. Lewis the subject matter of the schedule was adopted subject to normal conditions.

The schedule committee made a majority report recommending that the examinations begin on June 24.

A minority report recommended that they begin on such date as would permit the examination period to close on Jan 24, the last day of 1st term.

By vote of faculty the majority report was adopted. Upon motion of Mr. Poole, the faculty passed a resolution that hereafter each term faculty give care of its own examinations. Faculty adjourned at 4:50 P.M.

S. Shanklin, Sec. of Faculty