1. Whether it would not be well for Clemson College to offer to hold entrance examinations of the different county schools 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 Negro Colleges and Normal Schools, and reported that of the Cotton States (now to be called the Southern States) Association of Commissioners of Agriculture.

The Faculty adjourned at 5:40 P.M.

J. Watson Lewis,
Secretary.

Regular Meeting Dec. 3, 1903.

Meeting was called to order at 6:15 p.m. by the President. Attendance on roll were: Messrs. Chamberlaine, E. B. Rawl, and Reddy, Messrs. Daniel and M'Kee, present late.

Mr. Daniel, Chairman, submitted the following names to the faculty as suggestions for commission members. Messrs. Clark Howell, Judge P. A. Woods, Wm. P. Ayres, and Dr. Wm. Adair, Dr. P. A. Ham, Dr. Woodrow Wilson, Rev. J. D. Temple, Trone, and Mr. J. R. Daniel.

Mr. T. B. Ayers, nominee of Mr. Ayers, was announced by the President and nominated by Mr. Ayers, accordingly was appointed. It was decided that a vote should be by ballot and the President appointed Messrs. Rawl and Keitt.
Regular Meeting Dec 10 1903

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

Present on roll call, Messrs. Sanfel, Martin (Ex),

Evel (Ex), Stanley, and Springer (Ex).

The President presented a letter from Judge E.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 J.F. Talley stating

That engagements elsewhere prevented in accepting

The faculty's invitation to precede the commencement

sermon.

Mrs. McLan, Chairman, submitted the annual 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. Joe Turner, Dr. W.H. Evans, Bishop J.F. Bratton,

Dr. W.D. Rainesford, Dr. David Lesueur and Rev. C.B. Holt.

Bishop's Bratton was elected on third ballot.

The following names were ballot for commencement


Upon fifth ballot Mr. Joe W. Daniel was elected.

On motion of Dr. Briggs, seconded by Mr. North, the faculty proceeded to elect an alternate for commencement preacher. Rev. Joe Turner named as alternate. The President deferred the discussion

Of monthly examinations one vote.

Cadet Besue, who had lost several weeks on account

Of being crippled was granted such time as needed

To make up work. Mr. Beuty requested the faculty

To allow him to resign as the faculty's representative to

Deliver an address in Atlanta before the S.C.T. Assoc.

During Christmas week. Resignation accepted. Faculty adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

F. Talley

Sec'y Fac.
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 therefor, 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 17, 1903.

Meeting called to order by President at 5 o'clock. Present on roll call Messrs. Rawland and Fries (as) - 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 before that time, and it would be very important for him to be in Washington at that time.

The name of Dr. Metcalf was proposed by the President as the faculty's representative to the meeting of the State Assoc. in Atlanta. Dr. Metcalf was unanimously elected.

Mr. Metcalf, the Library Committee read the revised rules of 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. Ethridge, L. H. Footwell, T. E. Royal and W. A. King of the preparatory class were presented to the faculty as not 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.

Mr. 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 do not show progress, be requested to withdraw from college." Carried by vote of faculty.

The report of 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. Gimbel. Mr. Morrison moved to postpone indefinitely. Mr. Work 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 P.M. About on roll call Miss. Hoote, James, Mitchell, Rawl and Shealey. Present late Miss. Bristow, Houston and Moreau.

The President presented a letter from Bishop Bratton accepting the invitation of the faculty to deliver the Commencement sermon on June 5, next.

A 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, Mr. Col. Hardin, Mr. Furlow. The application of Cadet S. A. Gaylord 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 senior 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 usual 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 26, the last day of 1st term. By vote of faculty the majority report was adopted. Upon motion of Mr. Potts the faculty passed a resolution that thereafter each term take care of its own examination. Faculty adjourned at 4:30 P.M.

G. Shanklin
Sec. of Faculty