Regular Meeting, April 7, 1897

The Faculty was called to order by the Pres't at 8 a.m. President will call: Messrs. Fuld, Starr, Rugg, Lee, McLean, Morrison, Adlum, Riggs, Hamilton, Tappan, Present-Came: Messrs. Fuld, Starr, McLean, Morrison, Adlum, Riggs & Tappan.

Mr. McLean reported that the forms for reports to parents has been ordered.

The Pres't stated in his opinion that student not living in branches, taking regular course, should not be allowed to drop any study without the approval of the Faculty.

Mr. McLean called attention to the request from parents regarding the Sophomore courses. Mr. Fullen stated that the Sophomore claimed that most of them had been consens to Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. Considerable discussion, no action.

A petition was presented through Mr. Morrison from Mr. J. H. Matthews requesting that he be allowed to change from Mechanical to Agricultural Sophomore. On motion of Mr. Morrison (read by McLean) the petition was passed with the condition that Carl Matthews obtain written permission from his father and that he make up Agriculture.

The form for reports to parents was then taken up. After careful examination of the new form submitted by the committee on form for parents, it was resolved, on motion of Mr. Morrison (read by McLean) that the new form be rejected, that the old form be taken up for revision. The old form was then read (adopted, see minutes file).

The Pres't requested the Pres't to arrange the subjects according to the revision of the old form to make arrangements for same at once.

On motion of Mr. McLean the faculty adjourned at 10 a.m.

R. F. Bracken-Ley
Regular Meeting April 14, 1897
The Faculty was called to order at 8:00 a.m. by the President. "Present on roll call: Meeks, Klugh, Steele, Shive.
A petition was read by the Secy. from J.C. Stirling, asking that he be excused from Military, based on the ground of his being a day student & special student. The petition was referred to the Committee on Pension and referred to the Committee on the following resolution offered by Mr. Morrison seconded by Mr. Fuller: Resolved that all students be required to take the military course - all included, unless excused by the Faculty.
On motion of the Secy. (ascended by Mr. Burden) action on Mr. Stirling's petition was postponed for work. The Faculty then proceeded to make our reports for the month ending March 31. The Faculty adjourned at 11:40 a.m.
R. A. MacCurt Secy Faculty

Regular Meeting April 21, 1897
The Faculty was called to order at 8:00 by the President. "Present on roll call: Meeks, Bowman, Clinkscale, Connor, Klugh, Lee, Reid, Lewis, Spinks, Whale & Sayre. Secretaries: Mr. Clinkscale.
Mr. DePrees stated that the Freshman section in Agriculture were too large to handle; that they were divided for farm work and asked that they be divided for agriculture if possible. The President requested the Schedule Committee to look into the matter at once. (Mr. Freeman, Chairman of the Schedule Co.) Called a meeting of the Board on the premises in consideration of the changes made by the President in the Commandant's office for 9:30 a.m. 22nd 1897.
The petition of J.C. Stirling asking that he be relieved from农学 was referred to the Committee on Pension (rect'd by Mr. Wyman) to rule 9:45 a.m.)
On motion of Mr. Morrison (rect'd by Mr. Fuller) the
Faculty adjourned at 9:45 a.m.
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Mr. Fisk, in behalf of the Schedule Committee, reported that the only arrangement that could be made for the Freshman Class for the Agriculture work was to let the students take one half the section one hour and the other half the next hour, of the two hours assigned to Mr. Kirk. After some discussion of the case, the President stated that he thought the Schedule Committee had better keep the matter under consideration as what could be done.

Mr. Merritt states that Mr. Daniel Rosemond, age of the oldest society of Charleston, has presented the library with the two copies of the proceedings of the Society. The President requested Mr. Merritt to write a letter of thanks in behalf of the Society.

The President stated that the Faculty has been invited to Morgan College by the Director of the Gymnasium to attend an entertainment there. A petition was read by the Captain poet Fisk, signing that he be excused from the same. No motion was made.

A petition was read by the Secretary, S. J. Thompson, asking that he be allowed to take a special or ungraded course. (See petition on file). A motion of Mr. Fiskman, seconded by Mr. Finch, the petition was granted.

The following list of students was taken up for consideration - list of irregular students.

Cox, H. B.
Davis, F.
Lee, J. T.
Marshall, J. H. (F.
Dunlap, J. S.
Hawkins, L.
After some discussion it was resolved on motion of Mr. Davis (Sec.) that a committee be appointed to investigate the cases of all irregular students to determine whether they are doing the requisite amount of work and if not to assign them additional work as far as feasible under the schedule approved by the Faculty.

The committee appointed was:

M. T. Tompkins, Ch. S. Calkins & Fuller

It was moved on motion of Mr. Calkins (Sec.) that all students mentioned in the above list be allowed to take irregular classes subject to the action of the committee consisting of Messrs. Tompkins, Calkins & Fuller. Mr. Fuller asked to be relieved from duty on the committee on account of some illness. The motion adopted. Mr. Franklin in place of Mr. Fuller.

Mr. Fuller called attention to the future of the committee. The question arose about a daily and a weekly or monthly report to be sent. This was discussed.

Resolution of Mr. Moses (Sec.) that the meeting of the Faculty adjourn at 9:15 a.m.