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# CATALOGUE

OF THE

# TRUSTEES, FACULTY, AND STUDENTS,

OF

WOFFORD COLLEGE,

MDCCCLV.

SPARTANBURG: CAROLINA SPARTAN PRINT. 1855.

# PACULTY.

Rev. W. M. WIGHTMAN, D. D., President, and Professor of Mental and Moral Science.

DAVID DUNCAN, A. M., Professor of Ancient Languages.

Rev. A. M. SHIPP, A. M., Professor of English Literature.

JAMES H. CARLISLE, A. M., Professor of Mathematics.

WARREN DuPRE, A. M., Professor of Natural Science.

H. BAER, Tutor of Modern Languages and Hebrew.

R. W. BOYD, A. B., Principal of Preparatory Department.

# UNDER GRADUATES.

# JUNIOR CLASS.

Names.	Residences.
Bowie, Robert E.	Abbeville.
Carlisle, J. Newton	Union.
Cofield, George	Union.
Dawkins, S. Morgan	Union.
Dibble, Samuel	Charleston.
- Fripp, W. J. E.*	Charleston.
Martin, William, jr.,	Spartanburg.
Petty, Charles	Spartanburg.
Stafford, A. J.*	Rutherford, N. C.

#### SOPHOMORE CLASS.

Names.	Residences.
Barton, Theophilus Fisk	Orangeburg.
Cummings, W. M.	Colleton.
Duncan, William Wallace	Spartanburg.
Hardin, John O.	Chester.
Hardin, James C.	Chester
Harris, T. Alonzo	Abbeville.
Heath, William H.	Chester.
Holman, E.	Orangeburg.
Jordan, Joel B.	Abbeville.
McDowell, James A.	Abbeville.
Moore, James A.	Spartanburg.
Sanders, John B.	Colleton.
Shackelford, J. Fletcher	Early co., Ga.
Tarrant, R. Benson	Abbeville.

<sup>\*</sup> In the Biblical Department.

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#### FRESHMAN CLASS.

Names.
Beaty, Henry S.
Briggs, Jesse K.
Cockrell, Benjamin R.
Easteling, Edward Charles
Holmes, John Wesley
Humbert, John Wesley
King, Richard Ragin
Miller, Eli H.
Stokes, Andrew Jackson
Townsend, J. Asbury
Weaver, Linsey C.
Wright, G. J.

Residences.
Union.
Union.
Fairfield.
Georgetown.
Shelby, N. C.
Laurens.
Sumter.
Shelby, N. C.
Colleton.
Abbeville.
Spartanburg.
Orangeburg.

# Preparatory Department.

Archer, Leonidas Spartanburg. Arnandez, Bitoriano Talfa Mexico. Bivings, James Morris Spartanburg. Bogan, John Benjamin Spartanburg. Byers, William Union. Campbell, John B. Spartanburg. Clarkson, Nathaniel Bowen Sumter. Crawford, John H. Spartanburg. Crawford, David Columbia. Dean, Edward J. Spartanburg. De Hay, Proctor S. Union.

Duncan, Thomas C.	Spartanburg.
Duncan, D'Arey Paul	Spartanburg.
Du Pre, Daniel	Spartanburg.
Evans, William T.	Marion.
Foster, Joseph Adolphus	Spartanburg.
Green, P. V.	Shelby, N. C.
Huggin, Perry	Spartanburg.
Humbert, Joseph Benson	Laurens.
Kirby, Preston Govan	Spartanburg.
Lockwood, James P.	Spartanburg.
Nelson, Isham LaFayette	Spartanburg.
Patrick, William Washington	Barnwell.
Patterson, Albert	Spartanburg.
Sullivan, John M.	Laurens,
Sullivan, Charles P.	Laurens.
Thomas, William	Decatur, Ga.
Weaver, Garvin Linsey	Greenville.
Weaver, John	Greenville.
Wells, Gustavus Baron	Tennessee.
Wightman, Wm. Shackelford	Spartanburg.
Walker, John T.	Spartanburg.
Walker, John Easterling	Spartanburg.
Wightman, Henry Percival.	Spartanburg.
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UNDERGRADUATES.



#### COURSE OF STUDIES.

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# FOR ADMISSION TO THE FRESHMAN CLASS.

A candidate is required to have studied carefully the English, Latin and Greek Grammars, including Prosody.

Ancient and Modern Geography.

Arithmetic.

Algebra, through Equations of First Degree.

Cæsar's Commentaries, four books.

Virgil's Æneid, six books.

Sallust.

Cicero's Orations.

Jacobs' Greek Reader.

Xenophon's Anabasis, six books.

Candidates for a more advanced standing will be examined on all the studies already pursued by the class they wish to join.

### FRESHMAN YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Livy, (Lincoln's.) Latin Prose Composition, Herodotus, Arnold's Greek Prose Composition, Greek Testament, Greek and Roman Antiquities, Fisk's; Algebra (Davies' Bourdon,) History.

SECOND TERM.

Horace begun, Homer's Iliad, Ancient Geography and Mythology, Greek Testament, Geometry, History.

#### SOPHOMORE YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Horace completed, Demosthenes, Latin and Greek Exercises, Greek Testament, Trigonometry and Mensuration.

SECOND TERM.

Tacitus, Terence, (one Play,) Euripides, Latin and Greek Prose Composition and Antiquities, Spherical Trigonometry, Navigation and Surveying, Analytical Geometry, Greek Testament, History.

#### JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Cicero de Oratore, Thucydides or Plato's Gorgias, Greek Composition and Antiquities, Greek Testament, Natural Philosophy, Analytical Geometry completed, Logic, Chemistry, (Silliman's.)

SECOND TERM.

Juvenal and Persius, Æschvlus or Aristophanes, Greek Prose Composition, Greek Testament, Mechanics, Calculus, Chemistry, Rhetoric; and French optional.

#### SENIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, Moral Philosophy, Political Economy commenced, Evidences of Christianity, Chemistry, French, German or Hebrew, optional.

SECOND TERM.

Astronomy completed, Evidences of Christianity, Mental Philosophy, Political Economy completed, Mineralogy, Geology, French, German, or Hebrew, optional.

Compositions and Declamations are required throughout the course; and the Senior Class deliver Original Speeches.

### EXPENSES.

Tuition per Term, payable in advance, -- \$25.00 Contingent Fee. Boarding in the Village, from \$10 to \$12 per month.

#### PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

Tuition per Term in Classical Department (in advance,) \$20.00 Tuition per Term in English Department (in advance,) 16.00 Contingent Fee, per Term, -1.00

# TERMS AND VACATIONS.

The first Term of the scholastic year begins on the fourth Wednesday of August, and ends on the second Wednesday of December.

The second Term begins on the second Wednesday of January, and ends on the fourth Wednesday of June. Examination at the close of each Term.

# RULES FOR WOFFORD COLLEGE.

#### DUTIES OF PRESIDENT AND FACULTY.

The President shall be the chief executive officer in the government of the College. It shall be his duty to preside at all meetings of the Faculty, to deliver their opinions, and announce all sentences and censures against Students. It shall be his duty to give the casting vote whenever the members of the Faculty are equally divided on any question. He shall report to the Trustees, at their annual meeting, the number, general behavior, and progress of the Students, and any other matters which in his opinion may promote the interests of the institution. In the event of his absence, the Faculty shall elect from themselves a President pro tem.

#### SECRETARY.

The Faculty shall appoint one of their number Secretary, whose duty it shall be to keep a Record of their meetings, which shall be open to inspection by the Trustees at any time.

#### TREASURER.

The College Treasurer shall be elected from the Faculty. It shall be his duty to receive all moneys from the Students, keep an accurate account of his receipts and expenditures, and make a full report of the same, accompanied by the proper vouchers. Before entering on the duties of his office he shall give a bond, with satisfactory security, to the amount of Dollars, for the faithful performance of his duty. As a compensation he shall receive two per cent. on all moneys paid out by him.

#### LIBRARY.

The Faculty shall appoint one of their number Librarian, whose duty shall be to attend in the Library at such hours as he may be directed by the Faculty, keep an account of all books borrowed by the Students, and enforce on them a careful observance of all regulations made for the preservation of the Library Books.

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No Encyclopedia, or other book intended chiefly for reference, shall be taken out by any Student.

All books must be returned at least three days before each vacation.

No student shall take out at one time more than three volumes, nor shall he keep any volume out longer than three weeks. A violation of either of these rules may subject him to a fine of One Dollar.

The Students are positively forbidden to lend a Library book to any other person.

The Professors may enter the Library at any hour to consult or borrow books. They are expected, however, to register, in a book kept in the Library for that purpose, the names of all volumes taken out by them,

# COMMENCEMENT, VACATIONS, &C.

The fourth Wednesday in June shall be Commencement Day. The Scholastic Year shall be divided as follows: The First Term shall begin on the fourth Wednesday in August, and end on the second Wednesday in December. The Second Term shall begin on the second Wednesday in January, and end on Commencement Day.

The Exercises of Commencement shall consist of Addresses delivered by those whose deportment and proficiency as Students may entitle them to such distinction, after which the President shall publicly confer Degrees on the graduating class.

#### ADMISSION OF STUDENTS.

Applicants for Admission are expected to bring written testimonials of moral character, and to stand a satisfactory examination on our published requisitions. After which, having procured boarding at some house approved by the President, (or in his absence, by the Faculty,) and having produced his Treasurer's receipt for Tuition and contingent fee, (which contingent fee shall be Two Dollars each term,) he shall be allowed to take his place in the class assigned him.

The Faculty shall keep a Register, in which shall be recorded the name and residence of every Student, his age, date of admission, dismission, or graduation, together with the name and Post Office of his Father or Guardian.

#### EXERCISES.

There shall be one Recitation on Saturday, and three on every

other day, at such hours as the Faculty may appoint.

There shall be devotional exercises every morning and evening, at which time every Student is expected to be present, and to behave with the seriousness and reverence proper to a religious assembly.

# PUNISHMENT, CONDUCT, &c.

The Punishments shall be reproof, private or public, complaint made to Parent or Guardian, suspension and expulsion.

In a case of gross deficiency in study, a Student may be de-

graded to a lower class.

Where the intellectual or moral habits of a young man are such as to render the privileges of the College useless to him, or render his example hurtful to other students, the Parent or Guardian will be requested to withdraw him.

Gaming, drunkenness, the use of profane or obscene language, visiting drinking houses, loitering idly about stores or public places, and all riotous, disorderly, and immoral conduct general-

ly, are forbidden.

The Report of the President to Trustees shall refer particularly to all cases of gross misdemeanor or immorality, for which

Students have been suspended or expelled.

The Students are strictly enjoined not to visit or walk on the streets during study hours; and they are expected at all times and in all companies (especially at their boarding houses and in all their intercourse with citizens of the village and vicinity) to display that delicate regard for the rights and the feelings of others, which is the sure test and unfailing characteristic of the GENTLEMAN.

A strict observance of the Sabbath, and habitual attendance on religious service are enjoined on all the Students.