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CATALOGUE

OF

WOFFORD COLLEGE

FOR THE

COLLEGIATE YEAR, 1876-77.

TWENTY-THIRD SESSION.

CHARLESTON, S. C.

WALKER, EVANS & COGSWELL, PRINTERS,

Nos. 3 Broad and 109 East Bay Streets.

1877.

CALENDAR.

The Session is divided into two Terms, with no intervening vacation.

First Monday in October : First Term begins.

14th of February : Second Term begins.

Last Wednesday in June : Session closes.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES, 1877.

Last Sunday of Session :

11 A. M. Commencement Sermon, by Rev. John T. Wightman, D. D., S. C. Conference.

Last Monday of Session :

9 A. M. Annual Meeting of Board of Trustees.

11 A. M. Address before the Alumni Association, by Rev. E. W. Peeples.

8½ P. M. Annual Debate of Calhoun Literary Society, Geo. Cofield presiding.

Last Tuesday of Session :

11 A. M. Address before the Literary Societies, by Hon. M. P. O'Connor, Charleston.

8½ P. M. Annual Debate of Preston Literary Society, L. D. Hamer presiding.

Last Wednesday of Session :

Commencement Day.

4½ P. M. Annual Meeting of Alumni Association.

LOCATION.

Wofford College is located at Spartanburg, S. C., a quiet, pleasant, and healthy town, celebrated for the high moral tone of its society. The climate is of almost unsurpassed healthfulness, cases of serious sickness being very rare. Situated near the mountains, having fine scenery, pure air, and good water, Spartanburg is a good summer resort for those living in malarious districts. The abundance of the surrounding country renders boarding comparatively cheap.

ROUTES.

Spartanburg can be reached by the following railroads, over which daily mail trains pass. The Spartanburg, Union and Columbia Railroad, without change of cars from Columbia, S. C., the Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line Railroad, and the Spartanburg and Asheville Railroad, now completed to the mountains. The advantages of telegraph lines are enjoyed by students wishing speedy communication with their homes.

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MATRICULATES AND GRADUATES.

The subjoined table exhibits the number of Matriculates during each collegiate year, and the number of Graduates at each Commencement, from the opening of the College, 1st August, 1854, to 27th June, 1877:

YEAR.	MATRICULATES.	GRADUATES.
1854-55	24	00
1856	35	1
1857	60	6
1858	61	12
1859	70	14
1860	76	16
1861	79	15
1862	33	00
1863	27	00
1864	18	2
1865	00	00
1866	18	00
1867	46	2
1868	56	4
1869	90	14
1870	100	6
1871	94	15
1872	94	17
1873	96	15
1874	93	12
1875	92	18
1876	76	21
1877	—	12
	1,338	202

Of the two hundred and two graduates, forty-seven have received the Degree of A. M., and the College has conferred the Degree of D. D. on nine distinguished gentlemen, and the Degree of LL.D. on one.

STUDENTS.

SENIOR CLASS.

NAME.	POSTOFFICE.	STATE.
Graham, Thos. Addison . .	Cokesbury	South Carolina
Kirkland, Jas. Hampton . .	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Klugh, James Coke	Greenwood	South Carolina
Lanham, John Calhoun . .	Spartanburg	South Carolina
*Porter, James Smiley . .	Charleston	South Carolina
Richardson, Wm. Reed . .	Williamston	South Carolina
Rushton, Jesse Edward . .	Edgefield	South Carolina
Sessions, Joseph	Georgetown	South Carolina
Smith, Edwin Bobo	Georgetown	Georgia
*Stuckey, Albert Brooks . .	Bishopville	South Carolina
Tarbourx, John William . .	Georgetown	South Carolina
Whiteside, And. Sylvanus . .	Rutherfordton	North Carolina
Whiteside, Zach. Taylor . .	Rutherfordton	North Carolina

JUNIOR CLASS.

Breeden, Lindsey Joseph . .	Bennettsville	South Carolina
Browning, John Ferguson . .	Spartanburg	South Carolina
*Browning, Wm. Clarence . .	Spartanburg	South Carolina
*Caston, Lemuel Elmore . .	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Cerbett, Louis George . . .	Sumter	South Carolina
DuPré, Warren, Jr	Abingdon	Virginia
Herbert, Daniel Oscar . . .	Silver Street	South Carolina
Jones, William Montague . .	Pendleton	South Carolina
*Jordan, Thos. Macaulay . .	Winnsboro'	South Carolina
Koger, James William . . .	George's Station	South Carolina
Lee, William Wightman . . .	Spartanburg	South Carolina

*Irregular.

NAME.	POSTOFFICE.	STATE.
Mood, Preston Dula	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Parsons, Walter Leak	Wadesboro	North Carolina
*Pate, John Thomas	Sumter	South Carolina
Raysor, Thos. Middleton . .	Orangeburg	South Carolina
Smith, Robert Derrill	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Varn, Henry Aaron	Folk's Store	South Carolina

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

Bearden, William R	Asheville	North Carolina
Bomar, Edward E	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Bowman, Ilderton Wesley . .	Rowesville	South Carolina
Boyd, James J., Jr	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Butler, Frank W. P.	Edgefield	South Carolina
DuPré, Daniel Calhoun	Greenwood	South Carolina
Fridy, James Marion	Columbia	South Carolina
Glenn, J. Lyles	Rock Hill	South Carolina
Harvin, J. Rembert	Sumter	South Carolina
*Henderson, Preston W	Spartanburg	South Carolina
John, Roderic Belton	Laurinburg	North Carolina
King, James Rufus	Columbia	South Carolina
*Lamaster, Madison L	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Lander, J. McPherson	Williamston	South Carolina
*Means, Albert G	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Neagle, Hancock	Columbia	South Carolina
Rawls, Bernard Glenn	Union	South Carolina
Rice, James Glenn	Union	South Carolina
Thomason, Whitefoord S	Plain	South Carolina
Twitty, Irvine	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Walker, William Reid	Skull Shoals	South Carolina
Wightman, Arthur C	Columbia	South Carolina
Wofford, J. Clifton	Cherokee Springs	South Carolina

FRESHMAN CLASS.

Bobo, Edwin Simpson	Spartanburg	South Carolina
*Brockington, Wilmot S	Kingstree	South Carolina
Calvert, Archie Boyd	Reidville	South Carolina

*Irregular.

NAME.	POSTOFFICE.	STATE.
Cauthen, William Marion	Graham's, S. C. R. R.	S. Carolina
*Dial, William Hastings	Laurens	South Carolina
*Durant, John Franklin	Centreville	Texas
Folk, Henry Calhoun	Folk's Store	South Carolina
Gray, James Pinckney	Power's Shop	South Carolina
*King, George Pierce	Columbia	South Carolina
Lander, William Tertius	Williamston	South Carolina
Moore, James Duncan	Bennettsville	South Carolina
*Rogers, Thomas Irby	Brownsville	South Carolina
Thackston, Turner Bartlett	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Tolleson, James Rowland	Spartanburg	South Carolina
*Valencia, Juan S	City of Mexico	Mexico
Walker, James Lowry	Skull Shoals	South Carolina
Willcox, Henry Mood	Marion	South Carolina

INTRODUCTORY CLASS.

Carlisle, Charles Henry	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Clark, William Hanley	Winnsboro'	South Carolina
Duncan, Thomas Carey	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Galloway, Braxton A	Lydia	South Carolina
Garner, James Samuel	Timmons ville	South Carolina
Hydrick, David Edward	Orangeburg	South Carolina
Kerrison, Philip Davy	Charleston	South Carolina
Kilgo, James Whitfield	Bishopville	South Carolina
Newton, Henry Covington	Bennettsville	South Carolina
Riley, Jacob Hilliard	Orangeburg	South Carolina
Sarratt, Milton A	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Tanner, Geo. Pierce	Spartanburg	South Carolina

SUB-INTRODUCTORY CLASS.

Austin, James Waddy	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Blake, William Gregg	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Bobo, Barham Drummond	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Bowman, Jefferson Davis	Rowesville	South Carolina
Bryant, Bloomfield	Spartanburg	South Carolina

*Irregular.

NAME.	POSTOFFICE.	STATE.
Carlisle, Marcus Lee	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Carlisle, James Henry, Jr	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Dickey, Thos. M. L	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Eppes, James Hardy	Line Creek	South Carolina
Fairey, T. Brooks	Branchville	South Carolina
Fowler, James Howard	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Galloway, David Robert	Lydia	South Carolina
Hawes, John S	Winnsboro'	South Carolina
Henneman, John Bell	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Kirby, William Augustus	Spartanburg	South Carolina
Kirkley, James C. C	Flat Rock	South Carolina
Kirkley, Lewis E. W	Flat Rock	South Carolina
McDowell, Aug. Shanklin	Island Ford	North Carolina
Slawson, J. T	Columbia	South Carolina
Smith, James Perrin	Spartanburg	South Carolina

COURSES OF INSTRUCTION.

The College offers two parallel Courses of Instruction, each requiring four years for completion; the first, for the Degree Bachelor of Arts; the second, for the Degree Bachelor of Science. The Faculty recognize the fact that there is an increasing demand upon the Colleges of the country for directly practical studies, and they have taken measures to make the B. Sc. course equal in all respects to the A. B. Hereafter all students, whether studying the Ancient Languages or not, may be regular, and the Faculty require the same thoroughness in one course as in the other.

The school heretofore known as the Preparatory Department has been reorganized, and will be called hereafter the two Introductory Classes. The young men belonging to these classes are regarded as College Students, are amenable to all College rules, taught by the Assistant Professor, and examined regularly by the Professors of the different departments. The average age of students of these classes for the past two years has been sixteen, and the grade of scholarship and department attained must be gratifying alike to Faculty and patrons.

OUTLINE OF THE DIFFERENT COURSES.

A. B. Course.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

Mathematics, four hours per week; Greek, four hours; Latin, three hours; English, three hours.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

Mathematics, four hours per week; Greek, four hours; Latin, three hours; English, three hours.

JUNIOR CLASS.

Required Studies.	{ Greek, 3 hrs. per week. Latin, 3 hrs. per week. Chemistry, 4 hrs. per week.	} and any two	{ Mathematics, 3 hrs. Logic & Rhetoric, 2 hrs. German, 3 hrs. English, 3 hrs.	
				} of the

SENIOR CLASS.

Required Studies. { Mathematics, two hours per week; Moral Philosophy and Metaphysics, four hours; Evidences of Christianity and Elements of Criticism, three hours; and one or two of the following electives: Geology, three hours; German, three hours; Political Economy, two hours.

B. Sc. Course.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

Mathematics, four hours; English, three hours; Book-keeping, three hours; History, two hours; and one elective study.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

Mathematics, four hours; English, three hours; History, two hours, and two elective studies.

JUNIOR CLASS.

Mathematics, three hours; Chemistry, four hours; English, three hours; Logic and Rhetoric, two hours; and German, three hours.

SENIOR CLASS.

Required. { Mathematics, two hours; Moral Philosophy and Metaphysics, four hours; Evidences of Christianity and Elements of Criticism, three hours; Geology, three hours; and either of the following electives: German, three hours; Political Economy, two hours.

Bible, one hour per week in both courses.

COLLEGIATE COURSE.

TERMS OF ADMISSION.

Candidates for admission into the Freshman Class are required to be at least fourteen years of age, to have carefully studied Ancient and Modern Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, through Equations of second degree, English Grammar, Goodwin's Greek Grammar, two books of Xenophon's Anabasis, Latin Grammar, (Gildersleeve's recommended,) including Prosody, two books of Cæsar's Gallic Wars, three books of Vergil's Æneid, first two orations of Cicero against Catiline.

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

TEXT-BOOKS.

SUB-INTRODUCTORY CLASS.

Greek.—Five recitations a week. Goodwin's Grammar; Easy Selections from Greek Prose.

Latin.—Five recitations a week. Gildersleeve's Primer; Gildersleeve's Reader.

Mathematics.—Five recitations a week. Robinson's Algebra; Sanford's Arithmetic.

English.—Three recitations a week. Morris's English Grammar; Bain's English Grammar; Freeman's Outlines of History (for the study both of facts and of style); Daily Exercises in Spelling; Weekly Exercises in Composition.

INTRODUCTORY CLASS.

Greek.—Five recitations a week. Goodwin's Grammar; Xenophon's Anabasis.

Latin.—Five recitations a week. Gildersleeve's Grammar; Nepos; Vergil.

Mathematics.—Five recitations a week. Robinson's Algebra; Sanford's Arithmetic.

English.—Three recitations a week, with weekly exercises. Morris's Historical English Grammar; Dalgeich's Analysis; Green's History of the English People (for the practical study of an effective style); Daily Exercises in Spelling; Weekly Exercises in Composition.

COLLEGE CLASSES.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

1. *Mathematics*—Geometry; Book-Keeping.
2. *Greek*—Xenophon's Anabasis, continued; Cyropædia; Exercises; Goodwin's Grammar.

3. *Latin*—Cæsar; Ovid; Sallust; Exercises; Gildersleeve's Grammar.

4. *English*—Angus's Hand-Book of the English Tongue; Bain's English Composition; Shakspeare's Works.

5. *Modern History*, for students of the B. Sc. Course.

6. *Bible*.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

1. *Mathematics*—Loomis's Trigonometry; Analytical Geometry.

2. *Greek*—One of Plato's Dialogues; Lysias or Herodotus; Exercises; Hadley's Grammar; Grecian History.

3. *Latin*—Cicero; Vergil; Livy; Exercises; Written Translations; Lectures on Prosody, with special reference to the Hexameter; Smith's Smaller History of Rome (begun).

4. *English*—Bain's English Composition, 2d part; March's Anglo-Saxon Grammar; March's Anglo-Saxon Reader; Chaucer's Poems.

5. *Modern History*, for students of the B. Sc. Course.

6. *Bible*.

JUNIOR CLASS.

1. *Mathematics*—Differential and Integral Calculus (Loomis).

2. *Greek*—Euripides; Homer; Exercises; Hadley's Grammar; Study of Metres; Grecian History.

3. *Latin*—Cicero; Horace; Tacitus; Lectures on Latin Metres; Written Translations; Exercises; Smith's Smaller History of Rome (completed); Books of Reference in Greek and Latin; Long's Atlas; Smith's Classical Dictionary; Kühner's Greek Grammar; Zumpt's Latin Grammar.

Parallel reading in Greek and Latin prescribed in all three Classes.

4. *English*—Heyne's Gothic Grammar; Ulfilas's Gothic Bible, edited by Heyne; Morris's Historical Outlines of English Accidence; Specimens of Early English, Morris and Skeat; the Professor's Lectures on the Comparative Grammar of the English Language.

5. *English Literature*—Coppee's Logic.

6. *Natural Science*—Chemistry.

7. *German*—Schiller and Lessing; Exercises; Ahn's German Grammar.

8. *Bible*.

SENIOR CLASS.

1. *Mathematics*—Loomis's Astronomy.

2. *English Literature and Evidences of Christianity*—Kame's Elements of Criticism; Paley's Evidences of Christianity.

3. *Natural Science*—Dana's Geology; Dana's Mineralogy.

4. *Moral Philosophy and Metaphysics*—Hopkins's "Law of Love and Love as a Law;" Munsell's Psychology. Books of Reference: Uxberwey's History of Philosophy; Hamilton's Metaphysics; Porter on the Human Intellect.

5. *Political Economy*—Amasa Walker's "Science of Wealth." Books of Reference: Mill's Principles of Political Economy; Bowen's American Political Economy.

6. *German*—Storm; Goethe; Exercises; History of German Literature; Grammar.

7. *Bible*.

ENGLISH PHILOLOGY.

I cannot better explain the purpose of this new study than in the words of my teacher, Prof. T. R. Price, now Professor of Greek, University of Virginia, formerly Professor of Greek and English, Randolph Macon College, Virginia.

W. M. BASKERVILL.

"The Faculty, in adding this new study to the established studies of the College, have endeavored to remedy a defect that has been long felt and bitterly regretted by cultivated men, as the chief fault in collegiate instruction; for the study of English in the College may, as our experience has shown, be regarded as useful, both as means and as end. As the means of insuring an easier and sounder progress in other studies, and especially in the study of other languages, the scientific study of the English, by preparing the mind for the reception of other sciences, by sharpening the intelligence, and by stimulating the powers of thought and of expression, has shown itself to be of the highest utility. But, beyond all that, the Trustees and the Faculty are profoundly convinced that the opportunity of careful and exact study of our own language, as an end in itself, is the greatest benefit that our College can bestow upon her sons. Thus, in doing this, they are helping to solve the much-mooted question of practical education, and are removing from the collegiate system the reproach that, both in England and America, has of late brought upon the Colleges well-merited censure. Young men, born into the possession of a language that comes down to them fraught with the wealth of a splendid history, and into the enjoyment of a literature that throws open to them the highest models of moral and intellectual greatness, ought

not, for lack of teaching, to be suffered to leave College, knowing many other things, indeed, but unskilled in the use of their mother tongue, and with far less knowledge of their own rich heritage than of the treasures of foreign lands. It ought no longer to be seen that young men, at the end of their studies, should often be unable to write a letter decently, or to express with ease, or even with correctness, the knowledge they have won. The study of the English should, on the contrary, wherever English is spoken, enter as the leading element into every system of liberal education, and keep pace in its advances with the age and progress of the student. For, in practical value, it of course surpasses, and in scientific value, as part and means of mental discipline, it at least equals, the study of a foreign tongue. The College appeals, therefore, with hope and confidence to its friends and to the public to sustain it in this effort to place side by side with the Latin and the Greek, with the French and the German, the philological and literary study of the English."

BOOK-KEEPING.

By the introduction of Book-keeping, an attractive and valuable study is placed within the reach of the students of Wofford. Aside from a thorough drill in this "practical science," special attention will be given to *business calculations*.

Students of the B. Sc. Course will be required to study this branch, and the hours of recitation will be so arranged that those of the A. B. Course may have the benefit of this class.

EXAMINATIONS.

The Examinations are chiefly written. There are two examinations during the year—one at the end of the half session in February, the other in June. These examinations are meant to be strict and thorough, and students who fail to pass them satisfactorily, are required either to take the same class again, or are conditioned in the departments in which they are deficient.

REPORTS.

A report of the scholarship and deportment of each student is made to the parent or guardian at the end of every nine weeks during the session.

DEGREES AND HONORS.

The following Degrees are conferred by the College: 1. Bachelor of Arts; 2. Bachelor of Science; 3. Master of Arts.

The Trustees, at their last regular meeting, determined to discontinue the old custom of conferring the A. M. Degree upon any graduate of three years' standing, who applied for it. The Faculty have adopted the following rule with regard to this Degree: Any A. B. graduate of distinction who pursues for one year after graduation, at the College or elsewhere, an assigned course of study in one or two of the regular departments of the College, and passes with distinction a written examination on that work, may obtain the Degree A. M.

The Valedictory Address of the Senior Class will be assigned to the best average student for the whole course. The Salutatory Address will be assigned to the student whose rank is second for the course.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

Connected with the College are two Literary Societies, the Calhoun and Preston, which have well furnished halls, with valuable and increasing libraries. Great interest is manifested by the students in these societies, and they are regarded by the Faculty as an indispensable part of the College machinery. They hold weekly meetings, celebrate their anniversaries in November of each year, and alternately elect one of their honorary members to make the Annual Address on Tuesday of Commencement week. The Legare Society has been organized for the benefit of the students of the Introductory Classes.

LIBRARIES.

There are three Libraries—one belonging to the College and two to the Literary Societies—containing about 5,000 volumes. These Libraries are conveniently arranged, and are open, under proper restrictions, to all the students.

EXPENSES.

Tuition in College Classes, per year, including Contingent Fee, payable in October and February, \$64.

Tuition in the Introductory Classes, per year, including Contingent Fee, payable in October and February, \$44.

Diploma Fee, \$5.

The College is conducted on the non-resident system. Boarding in private families costs \$15 or \$16 per month.

MEDALS AWARDED 1876-77.

A gold medal, value \$10, called the "Latin Medal of the Junior Year," offered by Prof. Charles F. Smith to the Junior Class of 1875 and '76, for the best paper on the Germania of Tacitus (extra work,) was competed for by four students, on 10th October, 1876, and won by Mr. James H. Kirkland, of Spartanburg, S. C.

A gold medal, value \$11, offered by Prof. David Duncan to the Junior Class of 1876-77, for the best paper on one of the orations of Lysias (extra work,) was contended for on June 16th, 1877, and won by Mr. D. O. Herbert, of Newberry, S. C.

A gold medal, value \$10, offered by Prof. J. A. Gamewell to the best average student in the Greek and Latin of the Introductory Classes, was won by Mr. J. H. Riley, of Orangeburg, S. C.

MEDALS TO BE AWARDED 1877-78.

The Alumni, at their regular meeting, resolved to raise \$150 or \$200 to endow a gold medal, to be called the "Alumni Medal." This medal will be awarded to the best average student of the Junior Year.

"The David Duncan Medal for Greek Scholarship" will be awarded to the student who stands first in the Greek of the Junior Year.

A gold medal will be awarded by Prof. J. A. Gamewell to the best average student of the Introductory Class.

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 TWENTY-FIFTH YEAR.

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