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**1876-7.**

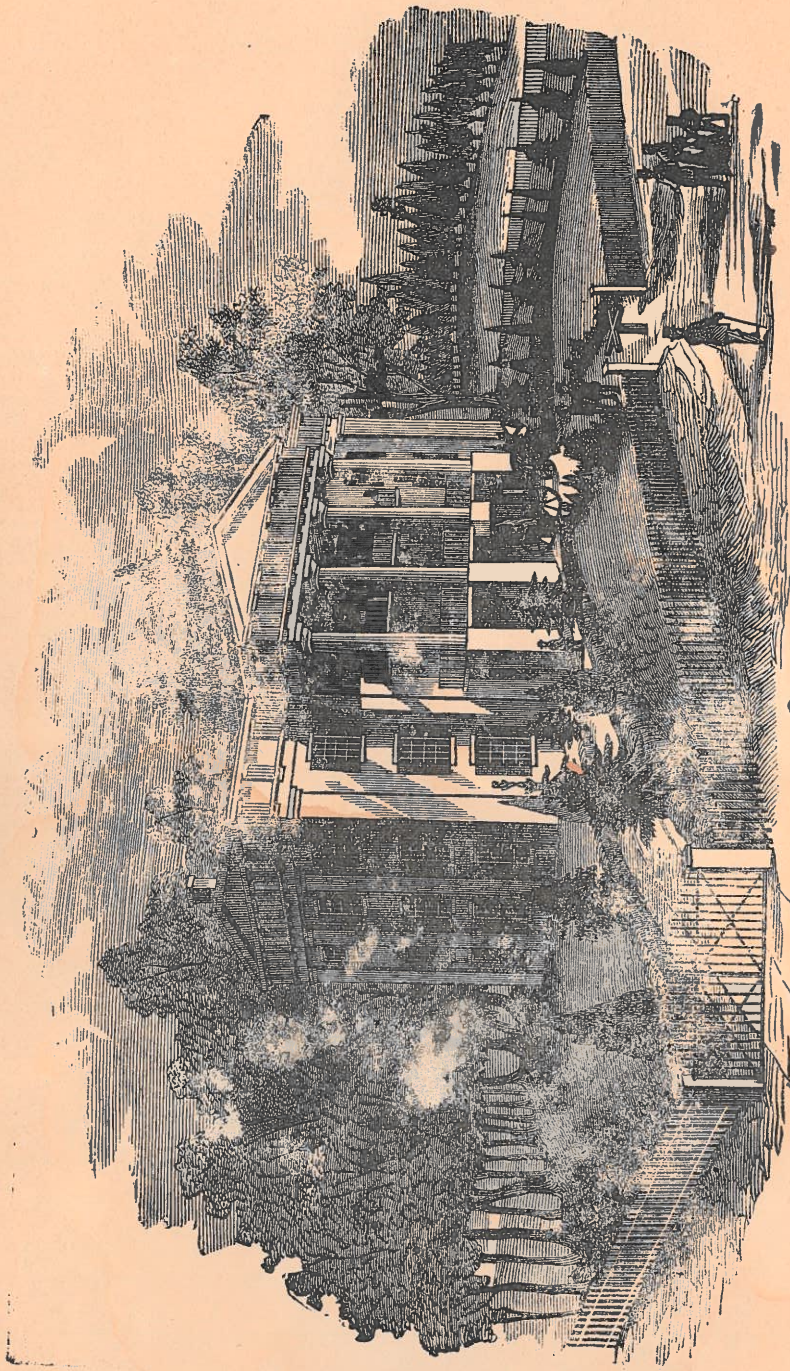
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TALLADEGA COLLEGE.

CATALOGUE  
OF THE  
OFFICERS AND STUDENTS  
OF  
TALLADEGA COLLEGE,

(INCORPORATED FEBRUARY 17, 1869).

TALLADEGA, ALA,

WITH A

STATEMENT OF THE COURSES OF STUDY, EXPENSES, Etc.

1876-7.

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## Calendar for 1877-8.

THE YEAR begins..... Tuesday, October 2, 1877.

THE YEAR ends..... Thursday, June 13, 1878.

### TERMS.

THE FALL TERM begins..... Tuesday, October 2, 1877.

" " " ends..... Friday, December 29, 1877.

THE WINTER TERM begins..... Monday, January 1, 1878.

" " " ends..... Friday, March 29, 1878.

THE SPRING TERM begins..... Monday, April 8, 1878.

" " " ends..... Thursday, June 13, 1878.

### COMMENCEMENT WEEK

Begins with Sermon to Graduates, and Missionary Sermon,  
Sabbath June 9, 1878.

Examination of classes Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday June  
10, 11, and 12.

PRIZE ESSAYS AND DECLAMATIONS.

ANNUAL COLLEGE ADDRESS.

THEOLOGICAL COMMENCEMENT.

COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT.

Closing with the ANNUAL CONCERT Thursday Night June 18.

## Instructors.

REV. EDWARD P. LORD. A. M.

*Principal and Instructor in Mental and Moral Philosophy.*

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MISS ANNIE E. SAWYER.

*Teacher of Mathematics.*

MISS ANNA M. BISHOP.

*Assistant in Normal Department.*

MISS FRANCES S. LITTLEFIELD.

*and*

MISS SUE STEVENSON.

*Intermediate Department.*

MISS H. C. BULLARD.

*Primary Department*

MISS KATE A. LORD.

*Teacher of Music.*

MISS LUCY A. ALFORD.

*Matron,*

REV. G. STANLEY POPE.

*Pastor of College Church, and Treasurer.*



STUDENTS.

THEOLOGICAL COURSE.

Fourth Year.

Benson, Thornton T. .... Marion.  
 Fuller, Wyatt. .... "  
 Jones, Alfred. .... "  
 McLean, John R. .... Greensboro, N. C.

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Third Year.

Allen, Wilbur. .... Loachapoea.  
 Cantrell, Henry. .... Ashland.  
 Harris, Milus. .... Childersburg.  
 Lowry, Noah. .... Marion.  
 McEntosh, Peter J. .... Montgomery.  
 Whitis, Edmund. .... Marion.

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Second Year.

Cost, Clayton. .... Montevallo.  
 Grant, John Barbara. .... Andersonville Ga.  
 Headen, Andrew. .... Talladega.  
 Moren, James. .... Mt. Meigs.  
 Smith, John D. .... Talladega.  
 Worthy, William. .... Montgomery.  
 Young, Preston W. .... "

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First Year.

Conley, Henry W. .... Shelby Iron Works.  
 Cook, Abner. .... Talladega.  
 French, Emanuel. .... "

Gunner, Byron. .... Marion.  
 McAlpine, Ivy. .... Talladega.  
 Roberts, J. W. .... Savannah Ga.  
 Strong, John W. .... Shelby Iron Works.  
 Williams, Henry S. .... Wetumpka.  
 Witherspoon, M. J. .... Columbus Miss.

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HIGHER NORMAL COURSE.

Fourth Year.

Headen, Andrew J. .... Talladega.  
 Smith, John D. .... "  
 White, George A. .... "  
 Young, Preston W. .... Montgomery.  
 Headen, Nannie. .... Talladega.  
 Isbell, Janette I. .... "

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Third Year.

Bush, James E. .... Jacksonville.  
 French, Emanuel. .... Talladega.  
 Hudson, Burton H. .... Tuscaloosa.  
 McNair, Charles R. .... Talladega.  
 McCann, Augustus W. .... "  
 Wilson, Frederick. .... Montgomery.  
 Carver, Lillie B. .... Selma.  
 Duff, S. Helena. .... Mobile.  
 Hardwick, Daisy M. .... Talladega.  
 Jones, Pink V. .... Mobile.  
 Shuford, Minerva C. .... Montgomery.  
 White, Clara N. .... Talladega.

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Second Year.

Cantrell, Henry. .... Ashland.  
 Sims, Samuel. .... Silver Run.  
 Headen, Kate. .... Talladega.



Jacobs, Mary E.....	Talladega.
Morrow, Minta.....	"
Reynolds, Lizzie E.....	"
Taul, Belle.....	"

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NORMAL COURSE.

Second Year.

Brown, Henry.....	Talladega.
Benson, Thornton T.....	Marion.
Childs, William F.....	"
Conley, Henry, W.....	Shelby Iron Works.
Grant, Barbara J.....	Tuscaloosa.
Hale, Kern H.....	Vance, Station.
Jackson, Washington G.....	Whiteside, Tenn.
Jackson, George T.....	Tuscaloosa.
Johnson, Hilliard H.....	Snow Hill.
Jones, David.....	Selma.
McAlpine, Ivy.....	Talladega.
McLean, John R.....	Greensboro, N. C.
McEntosh, Peter J.....	Montgomery.
Prentice, Daniel L.....	Shelby Iron Works.
Strong, John W.....	"
Young, Pierson.....	Talladega.
Williams, Henry S.....	Wetumpka.
Alexander, Ella F.....	Jacksonville.
Carter, America.....	Talladega.
Chafin, Viola E.....	Selma.
Rice, Ellen J.....	Montgomery.
Stevenson, Amanda S.....	Rome Ga.
Strode, Anine L.....	Mobile.
Wilson, Maggie.....	Shelby Iron Works.

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First Year.

Brown, Lewis.....	Talladega.
Caperton, Chalmers C.....	"
Clay, Henry E.....	"
French, William.....	"
Gunner, Byron.....	Marion.
McCann, Robert.....	Talladega.
Neely, Benjamin J.....	Shelby Iron Works.
Roberts, Joseph W.....	Savannah, Ga.
Simmons, John.....	Talladega.
Taggart, Charles J.....	Selma.
Thomas, Gloster.....	Talladega.
Walker, George W.....	Selma.
Webb, John.....	Talladega.
Binnion, Jennie.....	Selma.
DeJarnette, Emma C.....	"
McAlpine, Sidney.....	Talladega.
Simmons, Margaret.....	"
Smith, Lucy B.....	Selma.

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INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

Barber, William.....	Talladega.
Barclay, Augustus.....	"
Boswell, Hillary.....	"
Duncan, Albert.....	"
Estes, Samuel.....	"
French, Prince.....	"
Gray, Felix J. E.....	"
Green, Prince.....	"
Hall, Isham J.....	"
Hall, Judson D.....	Birmingham.
Hardwick, Henry.....	Talladega.
Hardwick, William A.....	"
Hannon, Adam.....	Sykes' Mills



Howard, Joshua B.....	Fayetteville.
Jacobs, Henry.....	Talladega.
Jennings, John H.....	Fayetteville.
Jones, Alfred.....	Marion.
Losson, John.....	Talladega.
Madison, Asbery.....	"
Mayfield, George.....	"
McElrath, David.....	Rockford.
Minor, S. G.....	Shelby Iron Works.
Moulton, Peyton Y.....	Wetumpka.
Nelson, A. D.....	Shelby Iron Works.
Riser, Charles B.....	Talladega.
Savery, Joseph H.....	"
Smith, Crawford.....	Ellasville, Ga.
Sims, Andrew.....	Talladega.
Storrs, Smith S.....	Shelby Iron Works.
Walker, Troop G.....	Talladega.
Warwick, William.....	"
White, Fillmore M.....	Selma.
White, Henry C.....	Talladega.
White, John M.....	"
White, Silas C.....	"
Wilson, Lafayette L.....	Fayetteville.
Wilson, Wiley.....	Talladega.
Woodson, J. D.....	Shelby Iron Works.
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Baker, Ada.....	Talladega.
Barclay, Ellen.....	"
Bradford, Agnes.....	"
Braxdall, Sarah.....	"
Crocheron, Alberta A.....	Cahawba.
Cruikshank, Addie.....	Talladega.
Fearing, Maria.....	Gainesville.
Hatcher, Annie M.....	Cahawba.
Hendrix, Kate H.....	"
Header, Lula.....	Talladega.
Hunter, Ellen M.....	Selma.
Jacobs, Maggie.....	Talladega.
Johnson, Paulina.....	"
Johnson, Sophie N. T.....	"

## HIGHER NORMAL COURSE.

This course is intended to prepare those who complete it for teaching in the more advanced schools of the state, and for leading positions in other callings.

There is a growing demand for all who have finished this course, at good salaries in the city schools.

Graduates from this department receive a diploma.

*First Year.*

## FIRST TERM.

Mathematics—Elementary Algebra (Davies).

Science of Government (Alden).

Science—Physiology (Steele).

## SECOND TERM.

Mathematics—Elementary Algebra (Davies).

Science of Government, one-half Term.

History—General (Anderson), one-half Term.

Science—Physiology (Steele).

## THIRD TERM.

Mathematics—Elementary Algebra (Davies).

History—General (Anderson).

English—Selections, with Grammar and Analysis of same.

*Second Year.*

## FIRST TERM.

Mathematics—Geometry (Loomis).

Book-keeping (Bryant and Stratton).

Science—Natural Philosophy (Steele).

## SECOND TERM.

Mathematics—Geometry (Loomis).

Science—Physical Geography (Maury).

" Natural Philosophy (Steele).

## THIRD TERM.

Mathematics—Geometry (Loomis).

Science—Physical Geography [Maury].

" Natural Philosophy [Steele].

*Third Year.*

## FIRST TERM.

Mathematics—Algebra, University (Davies).

English—Literature (Selected).

Science—Astronomy (Steele).



## SECOND TERM.

Mental—Philosophy (Wayland).  
 English—Literature (Selected).  
 Moral Philosophy (Peabody), one-half Term.

## THIRD TERM.

Moral Philosophy (Peabody).  
 Science—Mental Philosophy (Wayland).  
 Teaching—Theory and Practice.

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 NORMAL COURSE.
 

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As the aim of this course is to fit the student for thorough and successful teaching, as well as to meet the immediate demand for teachers throughout the State, it will consist of such branches as are usually taught in Common Schools, together with a few of the more advanced studies.

Throughout the course there will be, at stated times, practice in Reading, Writing, Spelling and Composition.

No examination for admission is required, but pupils will be classed according to their attainments.

Students completing this course will receive a certificate, stating their qualifications to teach the studies pursued by them.

*First Year.*

## FIRST TERM.

Elementary Arithmetic (Davies) completed.  
 Introductory Grammar—(Clark).  
 Geography (Guyot), with Map Drawing.

## SECOND TERM.

Practical Arithmetic (Davies).  
 Introductory Grammar—(Clark).  
 Geography—(Guyot).

## THIRD TERM.

Practical Arithmetic—(Davies).  
 Grammar—Normal English (Clark).  
 Geography—(Guyot).

*Second Year.*

## FIRST TERM.

Practical Arithmetic—(Davies).  
 Grammar—Normal English (Clark).  
 Geography—General Review.

## SECOND TERM.

Practical Arithmetic—(Davies).  
 Grammar—Analysis (Clark).  
 History—United States [Swinton].

## THIRD TERM.

Practical Arithmetic—[Davies].  
 English Composition—First Lessons [Quackenbos].  
 History—United States [Swinton].

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 AGRICULTURAL AND LABOR DEPARTMENT.
 

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The great want of the colored people, even more pressing and immediate than teachers and ministers, is intelligent and energetic labor. In the great social economic struggle which is to decide the relative position of the people at the South, material prosperity and social respect must be with those who have the intelligence and ability to develop the wonderful resources of this south land.

The College has twenty acres under cultivation, and one of the professors has rented a small farm. One of the professors is now in the North endeavoring to raise funds to secure a very desirable farm adjoining.

The best kind of an Agricultural Course is to be given to all young men who wish it, viz; practical work. With this there will be given though the year lectures on the different branches of farming.

A Printing Press has been given to the College. Five scholars have been learning during the summer to print and are now issuing a monthly paper and doing job work to pay their way in school. Other kinds of work are being introduced, all of which paid for at reasonable rates permits scholars to work their way in school with all the independence and self respect which such a course begets.

Friends of the cause are earnestly asked to give us means to put this Department on a sure footing

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 PRIMARY, INTERMEDIATE AND GRAMMAR DEPARTMENTS.
 

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Scholars will have an opportunity to pursue those studies usually found in the Primary and Intermediate Departments of Graded Schools, such as Reading, Writing, Spelling, Elementary Arithmetic and Geography.



## General Information.

### MEMBERSHIP.

For membership in the Institution, applicants must have good moral character, and should come prepared to give satisfactory testimonials of such character.

Applicants from other schools will be expected to furnish certificates of honorable dismissal therefrom.

None from abroad who are under fifteen years of age, will be received, except by special arrangement.

For all such, application in writing should be made *previous to their coming*. Those desiring to become *boarders* should also send previous notice to that effect.

Pupils should be present, if possible, the first day of the school year, or term, that they be immediately classified, and thus lose no time. Students in regular classes lose their membership when absent during any part of the year; while *absence without leave* may forfeit the pupil's right to membership in the Institution.

### TEXT-BOOKS.

The following are some of the text-books at present in use in the Institution: Readers and Spellers (Parker and Watson); Geography (Guyot); Mathematics, including Arithmetic and Algebra (Davies); English Grammar (Clark).

For text-books used in the College Preparatory and Higher Normal Department, see their respective Courses of Study.

Only such text-books as are used in the Institution will be of value to the pupil; all others will be useless.

### STUDENT AID.

A few students have been aided during the past year by their own labor; the Institution furnishing them a certain amount of work with fair remuneration therefor. It is probable that a few may be thus aided another year; but all students, so far as possible, should come prepared to pay their expenses. *In no case should any one come, hoping to receive such aid, unless such person has applied for it, and received favorable answer.* Attention to this statement will save time, trouble, and disappointment.

Applicants for aid should state their necessities, advancement in their studies, and, when possible, the pursuit they intend to follow.

### TEACHING.

By far the best means of support, as well as of doing good, is found in *teaching*. The demand for teachers properly qualified for this work is usually in excess of the supply; and hence nearly all of those who are sufficiently advanced in scholarship, can aid themselves by teaching.

County Superintendents Schools, and others desirous of securing teachers from this Institution, will favor their own interests by so arranging the sessions of the public schools as to have them occur during its summer vacation.

Members of this Institution who may be considered by their instructors qualified for teaching, will be furnished with certificates stating their qualifications and standing. As a means of protection from imposition, applicants for schools, claiming to be from Talladega College, should be required to present such certificates.

### MUSIC.

The natural taste of our scholars for music, is one of our best means of influence.

Excellent advantages are offered for study, drill in both Instrumental, and Vocal Music. Lessons are given upon the piano or organ, the *College Choir*, and *College Glee Class*, besides private classes, present unusual advantages for vocal culture. These organizations together with the *College Band* form the *TALLADEGA MUSICAL UNION*. This body gave concerts in Talladega during the year which netted over \$100 for the Department.

Ten members of the Musical Union, have this summer with their teacher, been through the state giving concerts, interesting the young people in securing an education.

### MILITARY DISCIPLINE.

During the past year young men of the College, have been organized, and drilled Cadets. The government of the young men is carried on through, this organization.

The personal carriage, and demeanor, the precision of movement, the deference of privates to officers and the responsibility of officers for the conduct of their command, and the healthy emulation incited has had a marked effect, upon the morals of the of the whole College. By the gift of one of the teachers, a band has been formed, and their music salivens the tedium of drill.

### LIBRARY.

During the past two years, a small beginning has been made toward securing a Library. About four hundred volumes have been received and catalogued. These books, for the most part, have been donated for the purpose by private individuals, friends of the Institution.

### LITERARY SOCIETY.

*The Young People's Literary Society*, organized and sustained by the students, is in a flourishing condition. It has been a source of great benefit to its members, and is regarded as by no means a slight aid in the general culture of the young people.



### THE SOUTHERN SENTINEL.

The publication of a semi-monthly newspaper has been begun edited by the teachers, and printed by the scholars on the College press. The *Sentinel* is intended as a help to those who go out to teach, and unite the more intelligent colored people in sentiment, and practical effort in whatever is good and true, and useful for their development.

The price of The Sentinel is \$1.00 per year, or 50 cents for six months.

#### REGULATIONS.

As it is the aim of the Institution to promote good scholarship and Christian character, the following regulations have been adopted, as calculated to secure these results:

Students are not allowed to use intoxicating liquors.

The use of tobacco in any form upon the College premises, or in other public places, is prohibited.

All profanity, playing at cards, or billiards, and everything tending to immorality of life, is strictly forbidden.

Cleanliness of rooms and person is required.

Regular and punctual attendance upon all hours for study and recitation, and upon the established religious exercises of the Institution, is expected; as also entire and cheerful obedience to its regulations, and to the officers of the same.

The government of the Institution is designed to be moral and conciliatory. It *will be* strict and impartial.

Students, so far as possible, are thrown upon their own behavior, appeal being made to their own sense of justice and propriety and their principles of honor—and *are understood, on entering, to pledge themselves to obey all the regulations of the Institution.*

But should such consideration fail to secure obedience, the officers will not hesitate to punish with reprimand, suspension, or expulsion. Hence, those who have not a fixed purpose to improve their time, and an earnest desire to fit themselves for usefulness, should not seek admission, as the presence of such will not be tolerated.

#### RELIGIOUS EXERCISES.

Students are required to attend the following religious exercises; Church service and Sabbath School on the Sabbath; Daily Prayers at their boarding places, and, in the morning at the Chapel.

#### AIMS.

The advantages and privileges of the Institution are offered to all of either sex, without regard to sect, race, color, or nationality.

It aims to furnish a thorough education, under the best methods of instruction, in a sufficiently wide range of studies, securing a substantial preparation for professional studies, teaching, or general business.

It aims also to secure the best development of social character, by bringing students of both sexes, from various localities, under the same general discipline, occupying separate buildings, yet constituting one family; associating in school and religious exercises, and in the dining-hall, under the constant oversight of the teachers.

Above all, it claims to be an institution of *Christian* learning.

It stands upon the broadest possible basis, and is in no respect *sectarian*.

It is designed to make the Institution, so far as possible, a *home* for those who attend. Parents and guardians may rest assured that any youth placed under the care of the Instructors will be their especial charge, and that the rules of good conduct will be at all times enforced.

#### WANTS.

Talladega College, like many others in their early history has many wants:

1st. *A new Hall* for the accommodation of the young men.

The rooms upon the third floor of Swayne Hall, thus far occupied by the young men, are merely temporary ones, and are used for that purpose only because necessity has demanded it.

During the year six young men have been compelled to occupy one room, and every loft, and garret upon the premises have been filled. More have applied for admission during the coming year than ever before. Order, healthfulness and even morality demand a dormitory for the young men.

It is hoped that the work upon this much-needed building may be soon commenced, and carried forward to an early completion. *It must be built.* Who will furnish the necessary means?

2d. The College needs *Endowments*. No educational institution can rest on a solid basis, without a permanent fund from which a regular income may accrue.

Since the establishment of the Institution, the salaries of the teachers, as well as a large part of its current expenses, have been paid by the American Missionary Association. To this Association the Institution owes its existence, and support, thus far; but it should now begin to furnish its own means of support. To whom shall the Institution look for endowments?

3d. There is pressing need of more Apparatus (Philosophical and Chemical), Reference Book, Maps' etc. The more advanced classes are already in need of these. How can the Institution do without them?



4th. *Library.* The want of a library has been severely felt. How often have students desired to consult books, on various subjects? In answer to their inquiries for them, it could only be said that the Institution did not possess them. This want is imperative. Who will aid in the supply of this want?

Standard works, either from publishing houses or private libraries, would be of great benefit and highly appreciated.

5th. The students are desirous of establishing a *Reading-Room* in connection with their Literary Society. During the past year, a small beginning has been made in this direction. Should any one feel disposed to contribute to this object, in the way of sending books, papers, or periodicals, he may rest assured such contribution will be rightly esteemed by the recipients.

6th. We desire to aid deserving young people by giving them an appointment to help themselves. If friends will give the means to purchase the farm and provide mechanical implements, the students may always have means of learning a useful trade, and at the same time, earning their way in school. Who that has worked his own way up in life, will not give something to encourage these young people to do the same?

#### LOCATION.

Talladega, the pleasant and thriving county seat of Talladega county, among the hills and mountains of Northern Alabama, is situated on the line of the Selma, Rome and Dalton Railroad, by means of which it is accessible to the various parts of the State.

For beauty of location and healthfulness of climate, it cannot be surpassed by any other portion of Alabama.

#### EXPENSES.

Board, including furnished room, lights, and washing per week.....	\$2 50
Tuition in Preparatory and Normal Departments, per month.....	1 25
Tuition in Primary and Intermediate Departments, per month.....	1 00
Term Incidentals, per term.....	75
Instruction in Instrumental Music, with use of instrument one hour a day per month.....	2 50
Agricultural Department, one hour's work per day, extra.	

*All payments to be made in advance on the first day of each month.*

Money received for board, tuition and music, cannot be drawn out and used for other purposes; hence pupils should supply themselves with sufficient funds for the purchase of books, stationery, etc.

All boarders are required to work for the Institution at least one hour a day. This requirement makes the above low charges possible.

Remittances in payment of bills should be made by money-orders, drafts, in registered letters, or by express. Make money-orders and drafts payable to Edward P. Lord, and address all moneys to him. Receipts will be promptly returned.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Each pupil should bring a Bible. It is needed for private reading, for the Sunday School, and for the weekly Bible lesson.

All should be provided with *warm* clothing.

Economy and good taste demand plain and simple clothing. Parents are urged to co-operate with teachers in seeing that none other is worn. No extra dress is required for the close of school.

Letters should be addressed to Talladega College, Talladega Ala.

Along experience has proven that much evil comes from pupils receiving food from home. It is best they should not receive it. *Friends, therefore, will please not send it.*

Pupils who do not board at their homes, are not allowed to board out of the Institution, except by special permission.

Boarders are expected to furnish their own towels.