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THE REGISTRAR, State College, Pennsylvania

Annual College Report Published

Part One of the annual report of the college has come from the printers, covering the year ending June 30, 1908. This part covers the departments of instruction, while Volume Two, to be issued later, includes the work of the agricultural experiment station. A number of extra copies are at the registrar's office, where they may be secured by any student who is interested in the report.

The most interesting feature of the reports is that of the President, which shows the general growth of the institution. During last year the number of actual resident students was 1147, while 5050 were enrolled in the correspondence courses. The attendance has doubled in eight years and trebled in thirteen years.

The establishment of greater loan funds and a greater number of loan scholarships is urged, especially of the senatorial scholarships. At the beginning of the present year only eleven of the latter were vacant. The President urges that the number of these be increased so that one could be filled each year from each senatorial district and four each year by the Governor.

Mention is made of the Carnegie Foundation, and of the necessary declaration by the legislature that the college is a state institution. As noted in another column, this declaration was made last week by the legislature, and the benefits of the

Foundation will be made possible for our faculty members who have served long and faithfully.

The summer school plan is urged, the argument being that no great industrial concern would allow its plant and equipment to lie idle for three months out of the twelve. At its last meeting the State Educational Association adopted a resolution favoring the summer school idea, and it is possible that the board of trustees may see fit to place the buildings and equipment of the college at the disposal of the commonwealth during the summer for this purpose.

Legislature Passes Favorable Resolution.

The state legislature has passed a concurrent resolution endorsing the application of The Pennsylvania State College for admission to the Carnegie Foundation for the advancement of teaching. An application has been filed with the New York office of the Foundation, and it is hoped that favorable action will be taken within a short time. The first name proposed to the Foundation will be that of Prof. I. T. Osmond, who retired two years ago after a long term of service at the head of the department of physics.

\$100 Tuition Fee Abolished.

At the last meeting of the board of trustees of the College, it was voted to discontinue after this year, the tuition fee of \$100

which has heretofore been charged to students whose residence is outside of Pennsylvania. This action should help to increase the number of students from other states and foreign countries. Practically all of the other state universities make no distinction in regard to tuition, and State is therefore following the general custom.

CALENDAR.

In order that the Calendar may be made as complete as possible, all college organizations are urged to hand in notices of meetings.

THURSDAY, MARCH 18

7:30 p. m. Episcopal Service. 114 Main.

7:30 p. m. Lecture on Cement Manufacture in the old chapel.

FRIDAY, MARCH 19

7:30 p. m. "Some Scottish Poets," Prof. W. S. Dye, Old Chapel.

7:30 p. m. Berzelius Chemical Society. Prof. C. L. Penny will talk on Miscible Oils.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20

8:00 p. m. Wrestling Match. Lehigh vs. State. Old Chapel.

SUNDAY, MARCH 21

10:00 a. m. Address to the Senior class by Mr. Frank A. Fall. Room 20 Engineering Building.

11:00 a. m. Chapel. Chancellor McCormick, of the University of Pittsburg, will preach.

4:30 p. m. Episcopal Service. 114 Main.

6 15 p. m. Address by Mr. Fall in the Old Chapel.