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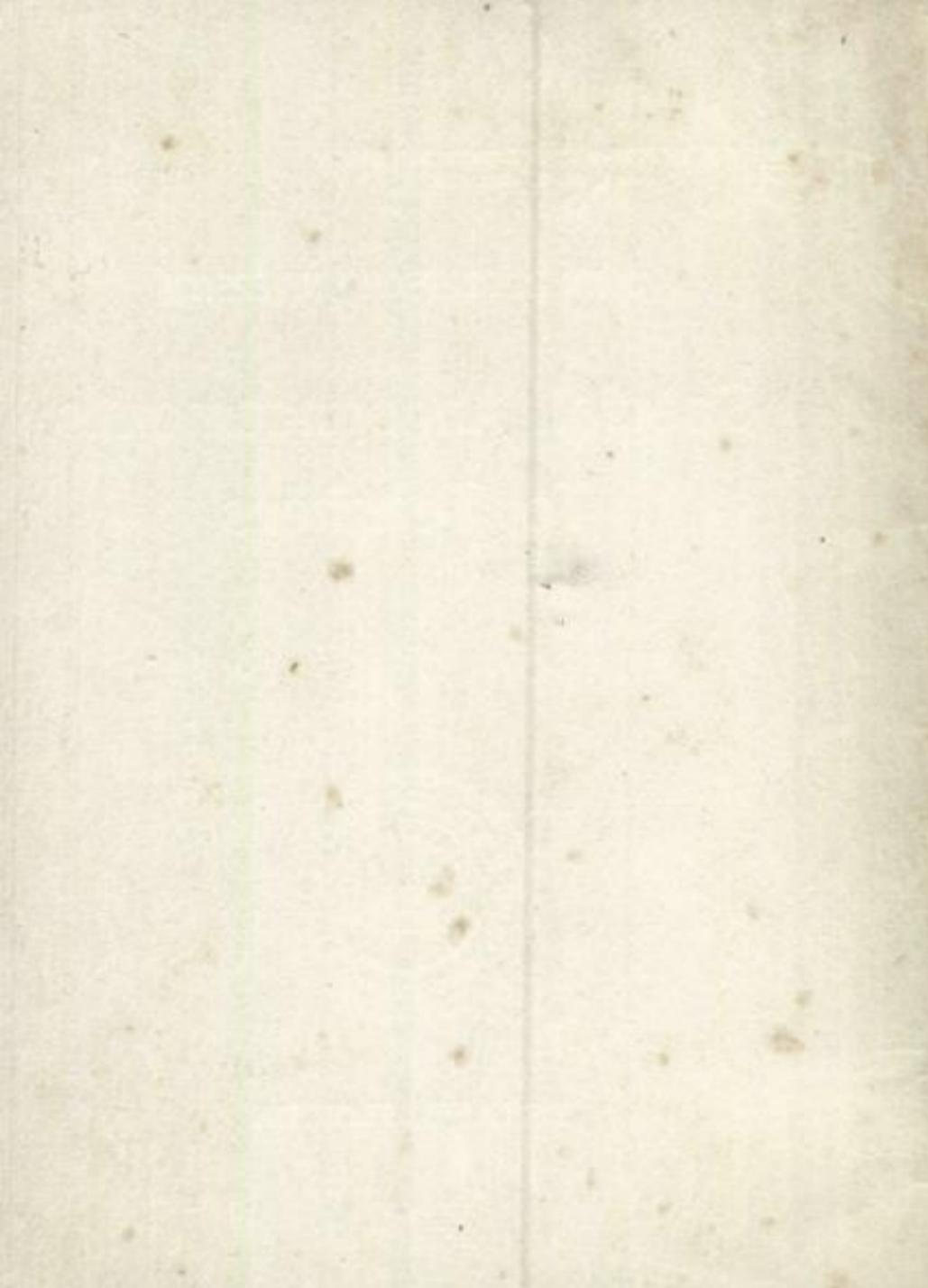
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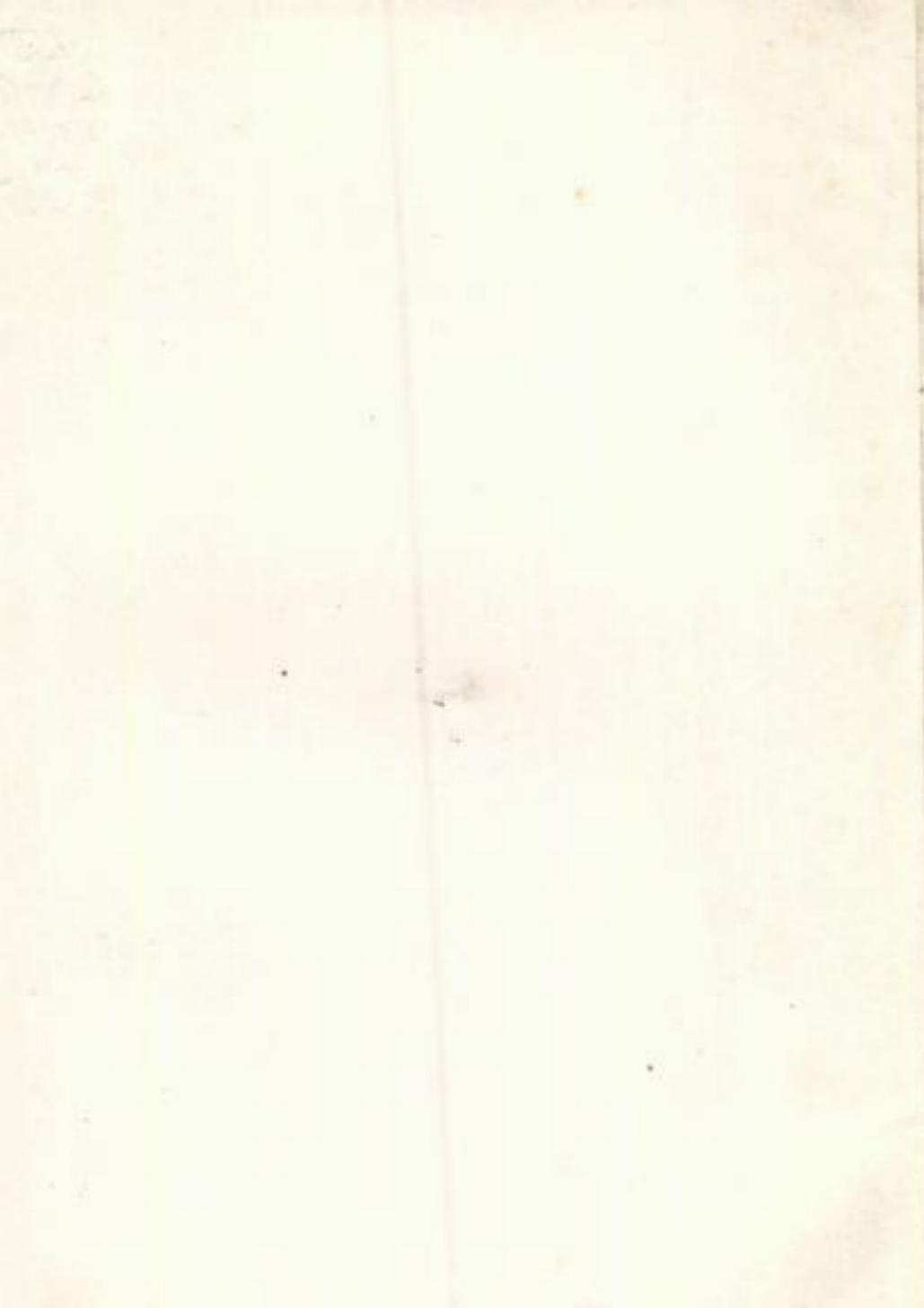


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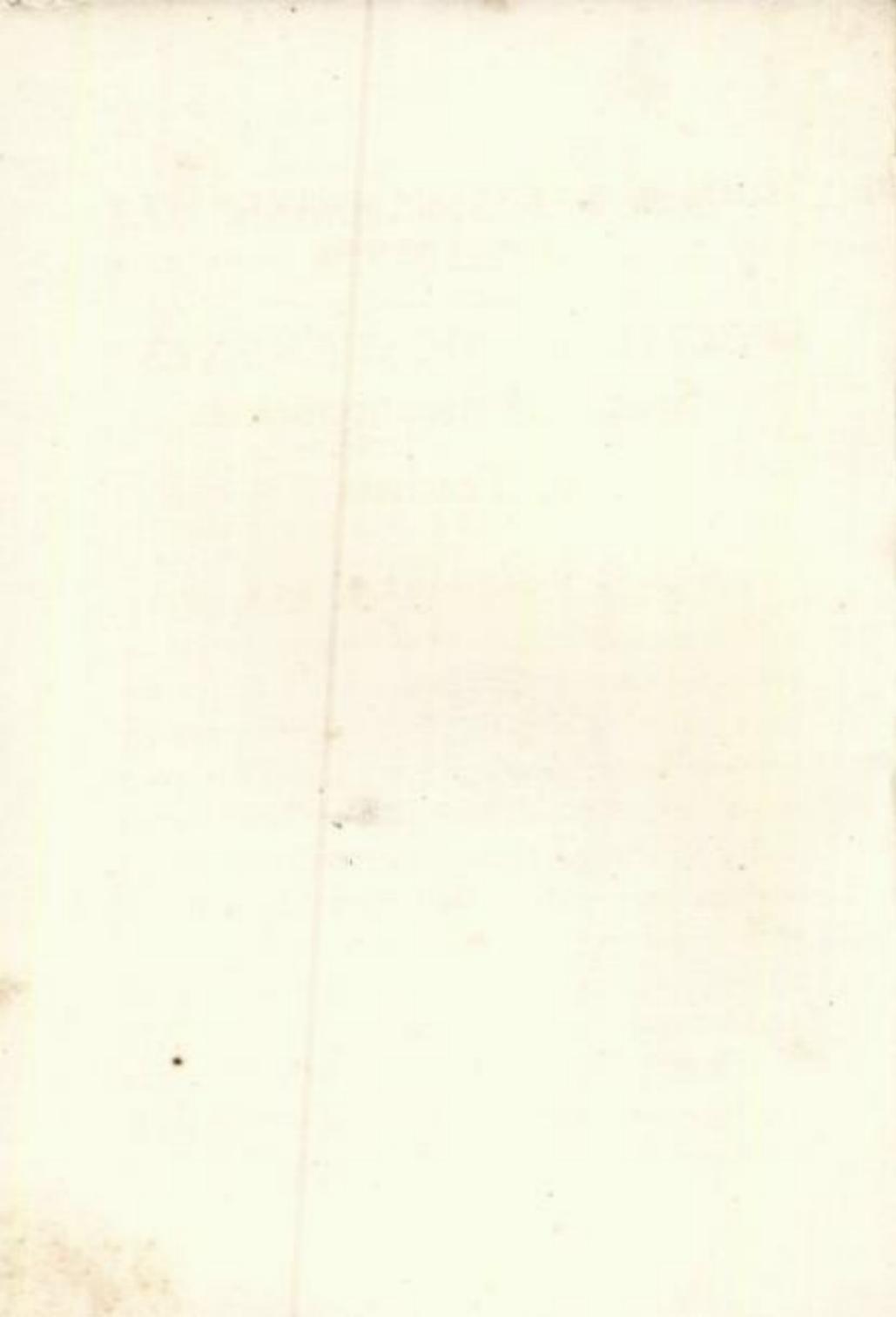
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Special Announcements to Teachers

The officers of John B. Stetson University desire to again call the attention of the teachers in the public schools of Florida to the normal and review work offered during the Spring Term especially for their accommodation. For the past five years special normal classes have annually been formed during the Spring months, and large numbers of teachers have enthusiastically availed themselves of the opportunities offered, and have in the large majority of cases secured a higher grade of certificate as a result of the work done.

It is with pleasure, therefore, that we announce that the special normal work for teachers will again be offered during the Spring of 1902.

Public School Teachers and University Life.

Most of the public schools of Florida close early in the Spring, thus allowing ample time for the teachers to spend a term at the University after completing the Winter's teaching. If classes are organized beginning the needed subjects at the opening of the Spring Term, the teacher may, by a few weeks of college residence and study, increase his efficiency, prepare himself for a higher grade of work and receive invaluable stimulus from association with a large body of earnest, enthusiastic students and instructors.

The gains, both direct and indirect, to be obtained by public school teachers from contact with the stimulating influences of college life, are evident. Particularly is this true when Library and Studio, Museum and Laboratories, indispensable factors in modern education all well equipped and under the best professional control, place before the student their wealth of material and offer him the opportunity for broadening so greatly his mental vision and inspiring an increased zeal in the further search for truth.

This contact with the higher institutions of learning brings to the teacher those varied and uplifting influences which add so greatly to his power and value. A large part of the education of the student is carried on outside the recitation room. The chapel talks by the President, the op-

portunity to hear the best music and the most noted platform speakers, the social function where well-bred men and women are found, the contact of student with student in the various activities of college life, all these have an educational value which should never be forgotten.

Fortunately John B. Stetson University is able to offer these great advantages to its students, and the result must be that quickening of mental life which is the foundation of all progress.

Courses Offered.

Our special Normal Term will open on Wednesday, March 26, 1902, and will continue nine weeks closing on Tuesday, May 27th. During this period special classes will be organized for the teachers in all the subjects required for a first grade certificate in this State. Class instruction in drawing, sight singing, elocution and physical culture will also be offered without extra charge. In addition to this elementary courses will be offered in French, German, Spanish and Latin, together with Laboratory courses in Chemistry and Physics. Teachers may also at this time be admitted to the regular classes of any department of the University where they are prepared to do the work. Special attention is called to the professional courses for teachers, those in the Theory and Practice of Teaching. These courses will be given by members

of the faculty who have made an extended study of the educational systems of the world and have had long and successful experience in the work of training teachers.

Text Books.

For all the regular work of the University textbooks may be rented at a moderate cost. Texts for the work of the special normal class may be obtained at the University book-room, and will be sold at the lowest possible figure.

The text to be used in the work in Theory and Practice of Teaching will be White's Art of Teaching (American Book Co.) This is the text suggested by the Superintendent of Education, the Hon. W. N. Sheats. Upon it will be based the questions which will be asked on this subject in the examination to be held in June, 1902.

Expenses and Requirements.

In order to bring this opportunity within the reach of every Florida teacher, for those who reside either in Stetson or Chaudoin Halls a special rate of \$35 has been made for the term of nine weeks beginning March 26, 1902. This includes furnished room, board, heat, light, washing and tuition in all branches.

Those teachers who may find it necessary to reduce still further their expenses will have the op-

portunity of doing so by residing in one of the new club dormitories; the young men in Conrad Hall, where board may be obtained at the rate of \$10 per month, and the young women in Hamilton House, where board may be secured at the actual cost of supplying the same, the rate thus far this year having averaged about \$9 per month. In Conrad Hall an incidental fee of \$1 per month is charged. Students in both of these club dormitories are provided with board, furnished room, heat and lights, but arrange for their own laundry. In the case of those teachers who reside either in Conrad Hall or Hamilton House the charge for tuition will be six dollars for the term.

All teachers, however, will be required to furnish napkins, towels and bed linen, four pillow cases and one pair of comforters or blankets. All articles should be distinctly marked with the owner's name. Young ladies should each be provided with a waterproof, rubbers and umbrella.

These reduced rates are offered only to teachers for this one term and do not apply to the Business Department.

Normal Department.

This department of the University is intended for those who are definitely preparing to teach.

The professional course will extend through two years. Those entering upon this course will

be required to pass a satisfactory examination in Arithmetic Complete, English Grammar, Elementary Composition, United States History, Geography, Spelling and Writing, or present certificates from approved Institutions for all of the above work except Spelling, for which no certificate will be accepted.

At the end of two years those successfully completing the course will receive diplomas. In addition to the two years Professional Course, those desiring it may take additional work in Academy and College in such subjects as will enable them to secure a State certificate. Those who are unable to take a full normal course will be permitted to select such subjects as their maturity and attainments qualify them to pursue.

Normal Course.

FIRST YEAR.

History of Education.	Physics.
Psychology.	Drawing.
English.	Sight Singing.
Theory and Practice.	Elocution.
Botany.	Model Lessons.
Zoology.	Physical Culture.

SECOND YEAR.

History of Education.	Drawing.
Theory and Practice.	Sight Singing.

Elocution. English.
 Psychology. Nature Study.
 Original Courses of Study. Manual Training.

The Kindergarten.

The aim of this department is to prepare young women to pass uniform examinations in any state where Kindrgartens have been made a part of the Public School System. Interest in Kindergarten work is increasing and the time is not far distant when Kindergartens will be a part of the public school system of Florida. It is our intention to enable the young people of our state to take such positions as will be opened in this line of work. We wish to keep the standard equal to that of any state in the Union. The following course is offered:

FIRST YEAR.

English.	Elocution.
Psychology.	Mother Play Songs.
Theory and Practice.	Gifts and Occupations.
Zoology.	Physical Culture.
Botany.	Color Work.
Physics.	Clay Modeling.
Drawing.	Games.
Sight singing.	

SECOND YEAR.

History of Education. Psychology.
 Theory and Practice. English.

Nature Study.	Physical Culture.
Drawing.	Education of Man.
Sight Singing.	Mother Play Songs.
Elocution.	Symbolic Education.
Original Programs for the Year.	

The Practice School.

The Practice School consists of three departments, Kindergarten, Primary and Grammar School, comprising every grade from Kindergarten to High School. It is intended that this shall be a model school both in equipment and method of instruction. Students will have the actual practice in teaching by conducting classes from time to time in the Practice School under the supervision of the Director or her Assistant. Those students showing special talent in certain grades or departments of work will, during the second year, do all their Practice Teaching in the line of work for which they are adapted.

General Work of the University.

In addition to the Normal and Practice School John B. Stetson University as now constituted includes the College of Liberal Arts, the Department of Law, the Academy, the School of Art, the School of Music, the Business College, and the proposed new School of Technology.

The College of Liberal Arts.

This department is affiliated with the Univer-

sity of Chicago and the requirements for admission thereto are practically the same as in the foremost American Universities. It provides for four years of instruction leading to the degrees of A. B., Ph. B., or B. S. A large number of electives are offered permitting the student to modify his course according to his taste and purposes.

The Department of Law.

Recognizing the need for professional training in the study of law the University opened a Department of Law in October 1900, which is now in successful operation.

A two years' course is offered which leads to the degree of Bachelor of Law. Those who have studied for fourteen months in a law office and can by examination show that they have completed the equivalent of one year's work may enter the senior class. The department already has a good working library of six hundred volumes, and affords the young men of Florida an excellent opportunity to acquire that training which is requisite for the best results in the practice of law.

Under the statutes of Florida all graduates of the Law Department of John B. Stetson University are admitted to the bar on motion in open court upon presentation of diplomas duly signed by the University authorities.

The Academy.

The Academy requires for entrance the com-

pletion of the ordinary English branches. A four years' course is offered enabling students to prepare for almost any American college and also providing a relatively liberal course of study for those who think themselves unable to take a full college course.

Schools of Music and Art.

The work of these schools is now thoroughly organized. In the former, teachers trained in the leading conservatories give instruction in Voice, Piano, Harmony, Organ and Violin. The latter is conducted by an artist whose work regularly finds a place in the art exhibitions of the great cities.

The Business College.

A fully organized and equipped Business College as a distinct department of the University was opened in October 1897, in charge of a gentleman of successful experience as an educator and expert accountant. A general business or bookkeeping course is offered, together with courses in telegraphy and shorthand. Actual business is transacted in offices appropriately fitted up. In both courses the instruction is thoroughly practical.

Students may enter at any time for any period. Teachers will be admitted to the above work but the charge will be the regular rate of \$25 per month, including board, heat, light, washing and tuition.

Proposed School of Technology.

The School of Technology will be opened in October, 1902. The buildings for this department are now in process of construction and will be completed and equipped with apparatus and machinery by that date. Courses will be offered in Mechanical Engineering Civil Engineering, Manual Training, and Domestic Science.

Buildings and Equipment.

The buildings and equipment of John B. Stetson University, including the new Science Hall, now in process of construction, are valued at \$300,000. In beauty, stability and adaption to their purposes the buildings are certainly not approached by any educational institution in Florida and it is doubtful whether they are surpassed by any educational buildings in the entire South. No reasonable expense has been spared to make them artistic, convenient and comfortable. All buildings are lighted by electricity and heated by steam. The new Science Hall, the gift of a valued friend of the institution, is to be a massive brick structure 206x88 feet costing \$60,000, the basement of which is to be used for the courses in Wood and Iron Working and Domestic Science, the first floor being given to the work in Physics and Chemistry, and the second to the Department of Law, College of Liberal Arts and School of Technology.

Evidences of the material prosperity of the

University abound. Additions to the library, which now contains nearly 12,000 volumes, to the scientific apparatus, etc., are constantly being made, and thus the University is each year being better enabled to do its important work.

New Dormitories.

The Dormitories of the University were filled last year and it became evident to the Board of Trustees that additional accommodations must be provided for the steadily increasing number of students. At the same time it was thought that the time had come to make some arrangement whereby students of limited means might secure a very low rate of board and thus reduce expenses to the lowest possible point. In pursuance of these purposes three new dormitories have been provided as follows:

A College Dormitory.

Through the generosity of John B. Stetson, a large eleven-room house adjoining the University campus has been purchased and fitted up with electric light, bath and toilet rooms and good substantial furniture throughout, and presented to the University as a Dormitory for College men. This house was opened at the beginning of the Fall Term. The rates are the regular college rates as published in the catalogue, with the exception of four specially large and fine rooms, with windows

on two sides, for which there is an extra charge of one dollar per week, if two students occupy the room—fifty cents per week each. All college men will be located in this house until it is filled.

Conrad Hall.

This is a new dormitory for young men, now open, erected through the generosity of Mr. J. B. Conrad, of Glenwood, Fla., after whom the Hall is named, and many generous friends of the University, throughout this and other States. It is a plain but substantial building, erected on the University grounds, containing accommodations for thirty students and also containing commodious reception room, dining room, kitchen, etc., as well as living rooms for the steward and family. For the present year it has been deemed best to arrange board for the occupants of this building at a fixed rate, and accordingly board will be furnished at the low rate of ten dollars (\$10) per month, payable monthly in advance, with an incidental fee of one dollar per month. This will include furnished room, heat and light. Students will arrange for their own laundry. The rooms are commodious, intended for two students and furnished with two single beds, with mattress and pillow for each, two chairs, a table and combination washstand and bureau. Students must furnish their own linen and bedding and any additional furniture that may be desired.

Young Women's Club.

Another house has been rented adjoining the University campus affording accommodations for fifteen women, and a club of that number is now being organized. In this club students will furnish their own cot-beds and bedding, linen, etc. The rooms are large and will easily accommodate three persons. The cost of board will be under the control of the club, and it is expected that the total expense for each student, including room rent and board, will not exceed ten dollars per month. Applications for membership in this club should also be made promptly. Only mature students will be accepted.

Further Information.

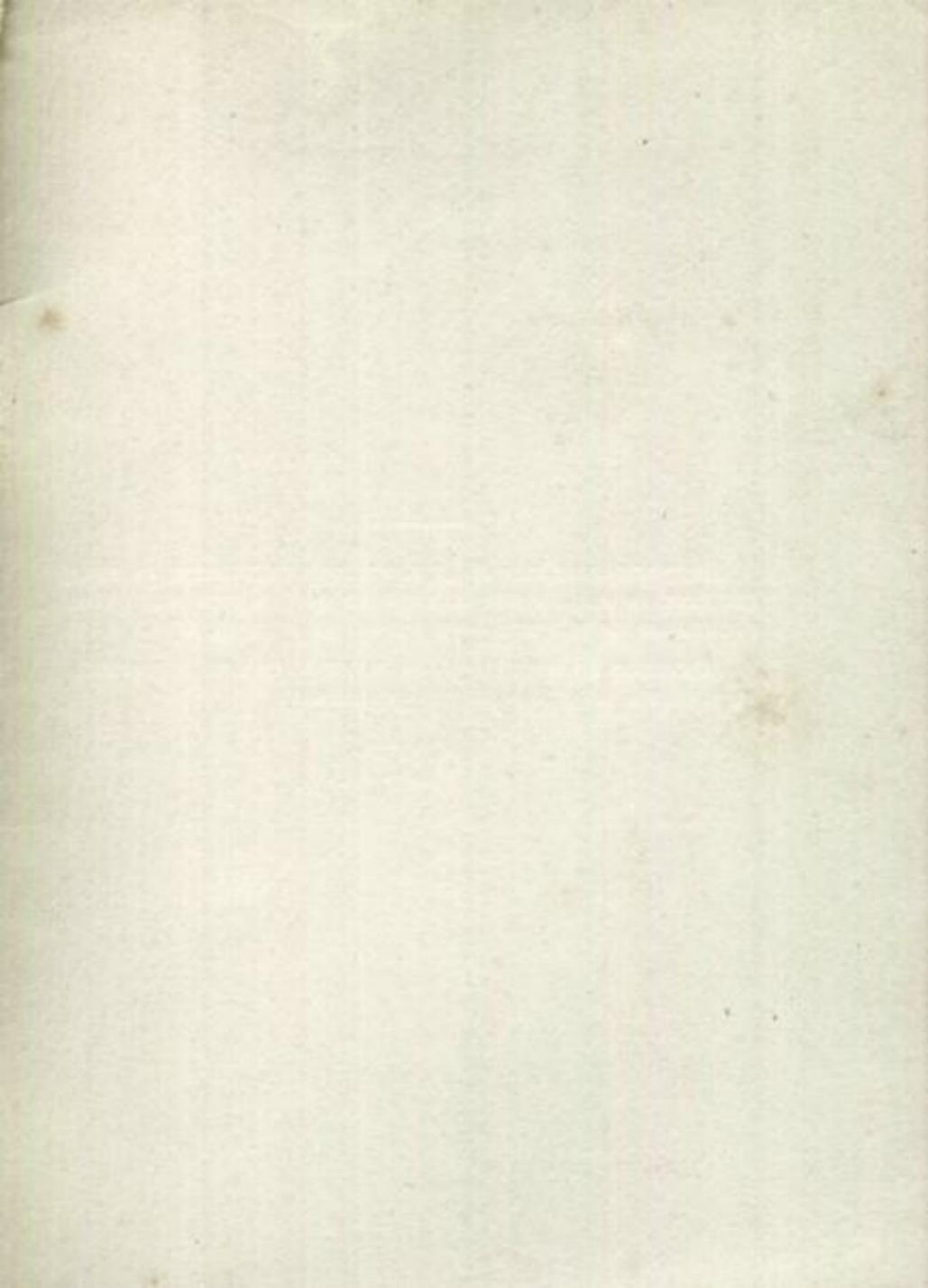
All who contemplate entering on March 26th next, would do well to correspond with us at once and engage rooms. We should be glad to answer by correspondence any questions not answered here. We believe that we can render very real and valuable assistance to any public school teacher who shall decide to spend a shorter or longer time with us.

Address all communications to

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DeLand, Fla.



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