school in those that have gone out from here is the best test of the worth of the school.

The graduates of this school stand well wherever they may labor. They are sought by school authorities for their excellent training and good deportment. The work done here is thorough and the common verdict among educators of the country is, that the students from State Normal have a first class training "so far as they go."

But no longer will it be said, "so far as they go," for the Board of Trustees, with the Governor as chairman, has ordered that the course of study be raised, to be the equal of the best normal schools in the country. We have always done well, and now we do more, we go higher.

**Uniforms**—In order to inculcate the virtue of economy the school has adopted uniforms both for the male and female students. Because of the adoption of uniforms the expenditure for outer garments has been greatly reduced. There is no need of any other outer garments, except in rare instances, for all students are required to wear the uniform on all occasions whether public or merely ordinary school days.

The wisdom of this course has shown itself in the frequent words of commendation from parents and guardians.

At this writing, the girls' dress goods, a blue gingham, is 39 cents a yard.

The uniform for the young men is army blue. The school will make arrangements whereby this uniform can be had at the lowest possible figure. Both young men and young women, coming to the school for the first time, should wait till arrival at the school, in order to consult the school about the uniform. There is a margin of time allowed these. Students in school last year or previous years must appear in uniform on entering. However, this is modified—for the present, referring only to girls and young women.

## A RALLY FOR DORMITORY

The school, through the students, the Alumni, and the general public will make a rally to pay off balance of $4,500 on a piece of property that the school has purchased, in order to have more grounds for new buildings. This rally will take the entire first week of September, and this will be known as "Tag Week for State Normal Dormitory." Tags will be sent to different centers and there distributed to different persons, to sell for the school. Tags will range from 10 cents each up. We are satisfied that rich reward will be our harvest.

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## Montgomery, Ala.

School Opens September 16

1919

## GENERAL STATEMENT

THIS school opens Tuesday, September 16, 1919.

Those planning to enter here should do so before the 16th.

In a general way the school will begin with many new possibilities opened up before it.

The confidence of the general public and the good will of those in authority in the State of Alabama have not only been maintained, but these essentials, more valuable by far than money, have been again redoubled in exercise of kindly offices toward the school.

The late President Paterson has left the school a priceless heritage in the good wiil of the best people, white and black, throughout the entire State.

This school will continue to be conducted so as to retain and keep sacred this priceless heritage.

## CONTEMPLATED IMPROVEMENTS FOR THIS YEAR

(1) Some time within this school year, a dormitory for girls will be erected. This will supply a long felt want, and will materially increase our boarding department.

(2) The course of study will be much improved and a number of higher subjects added to the course. The course will be made higher in every class.

(3) The laboratory will be equipped with instruments and other requisites of a first class laboratory for agriculture, physics, and chemistry.

(4) The school will spend about $250 for books for library each year.

**Course of Study**—The course of study will be so improved as to make this school the equal of the best normal schools in the country. The intention of the Board of Trustees, the Governor of the State Chairman, is to make this school a first class normal school; and to this end has decided to raise the course of study.

Some time within the ensuing school year, the school will issue a catalogue, setting out in full this course.

**Admission**—Enrollment of students will begin Tuesday, September 2, and will continue each school day thereafter till the 16th of September, when school will open for the session 1919-20. However, students may enroll any time after this announcement is published.

Early enrollment will insure a place; for the number will be limited. The old law, first come first served, will be observed. For the normal students, the entrance fee will be $6.00 in advance instead of $5.00 as heretofore.

For the grades the fee will be $1.00 per month in advance.

Those expecting to keep their classes will have to enter school by October the first. Those coming later will not go on with their classes except by special arrangements.

First two weeks in September the office will be open from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. for enrollment of students.

Examinations for delinquents will be held the first two weeks in September.

**Faculty**—The faculty will be the equal of any former year. Several of our teachers are studying at Columbia University, New York City, and at other noted seats of learning. These will return with renewed vigor and increased learning and enthusiasm for the work.

Several new teachers, experts along their lines, will strengthen our faculty for the ensuing term.

With a faculty of twenty-five teachers this school promises to be the equal of the best in the scholarship of the teachers and in the number of instructors.

**Expenses**—Board can be had for $12.00 to $14.00 per month in the best of families near the school. The school selects the boarding place, unless the parents or guardians have places of preference with friends or relatives.

Beginning with session of 1920-21 the school hopes to have the dormitory for girls ready for use.

## STANDING OF THE SCHOOL

This is the only normal school and school of higher training owned and controlled by the State of Alabama for colored students. The work done by the