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CALENDAR.

FALL TERM, 1909.

October 4, Monday Entrance Examinations
October 5, Tuesday morning First term begins
December 21-22 Examinations
December 22, Wednesday First term ends

WINTER TERM, 1910.

January 4, Tuesday Second term begins
March 18-19 Examinations
March 19, Saturday Second term ends

SPRING TERM, 1910.

March 22, Tuesday Third term begins
May 25-26 Examinations
May 27, Friday Commencement Exercises

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STUDENTS.

SENIORS—Class of 1909.

Sarah Catherine Barnes, Oxford, Md.
Jerome Walter Douglas, Washington, D.C.
Florence May Kenly, Perrymans, Md.
Blanche Lankford, Dover
Estelle Hartly Terry, New Castle
Robert Milton Tribbitt, Denton, Md.
Jesse Theophilus Wallace, Nanticoke, Md.

NORMAL COURSE.

Laura May Davis, Dover

JUNIORS—Class of 1910.

Alfred G. Casper, Salem, N.J.
Camilla U. Laws, Lincoln
Herman S. Pitts, Berlin, Md.
John Fisher Polk, Milford
Carrie Rasin, Wilmington
Priscilla Shockley, Argo

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Virginia W. Campbell, Milford
Charles T. Gaillard, Philadelphia, Pa.
Florence M. Higgins, Houston
Susie M. Jason, Porto Rico
Harrison C. Molock, Berlin, Md.
Clara A. Pierce, Bridgeton, N. J.
Davis W. Shockley, Milford
Charles S. Showell, Berlin, Md.
Ralph B. Thompson, Dover
Harold Wilson, Philadelphia, Pa.

Clarence T. Woodland, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Bernard Young, Lincoln

FRESHMEN—1912.

Theresa Armistead, New York City
 William T. Bantam, Easton, Md.
 Oliver H. Bond, Pomona, Md.
 Anna T. Burgess, Jenkintown, Pa.
 Lewis A. Cephas, East New Market, Md.
 Virginia Craig, Dover
 R. Edmonia Crawford, Philadelphia, Pa.
 George Colburn, Wilmington
 Elmer E. Dashiell, Mardela Springs, Md.
 W. Clarence Drain, Philadelphia, Pa.
 William D. Earle, Melitota, Md.
 Annie M. Evans, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Leon T. Fisher, Wilmington
 Helen Foreman, Wilmington
 Edith Goodall, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Ellwood G. Hubert, Lewes
 Maggie Hutchins, Barclay, Md.
 George H. Jackson, Port Penn
 Theresa Long, Nanticoke, Md.
 Robert Matthews, Atlantic City, N.J.
 Clarence Polk, Milford
 Edith E. Prattis, Felton
 Lillian Rochester, Barclay, Md.
 Martha E. Rogers, Parsonsburg, Md.
 Ernest F. Showell, Frankford
 Samuel L. Simpler, Milton
 Irene Stricklin, Chestertown, Md.
 Mary O. Tribbitt, Denton, Md.
 Oliver W. Winters, Leemont, Va.

PREPARATORY—Second Year.

Edna E. Aiken, Dover
 Walter H. Aiken, Dover
 George E. Anderson, Brooklyn, N.Y.
 Lena Anderson, Dover
 George S. Barnes, Oxford, Md.
 Charles R. Bayard, Summit Bridge
 Florence Berry, Dover
 Ellis A. Blocksom, Sewickly, Pa.
 Isaiah Casper, Salem, N.J.
 Ferdinand D. Caulk, Townsend
 Seth L. Cochrane, Brooklyn, N.Y.
 George A. Davis, Orange, N.J.
 James E. Dickerson, Bridgeville
 Harold Dickinson, New York City
 Joshua Dickson, Jr., Dover
 Lillian Goldsboro, Marydel
 Evelyn G. Hall, Baltimore, Md.
 Mary Hester Harris, Magnolia
 Mary E. Hill, Lewes
 Harry C. Holmes, Baltimore, Md.
 Annie E. Hoskins, Centreville, Md.
 Lena W. Jason, Porto Rico
 T. Oscar Johns, Hurlock, Md.
 James H. Johnson, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Mabel Kemp, New York City
 Wilhelmina King, Frederica
 Evelyn Kisner, Edgeworth, Pa.
 Francis O. T. Laws, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Isadore G. Lee, Southampton, N.Y.
 Nannie E. Lomax, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Ella B. Lowber, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Helen V. Marine, Cambridge, Md.

Madaline Miles,	Philadelphia, Pa.
Althea Mitchell,	Philadelphia, Pa.
Flora E. Morris,	Dover
Ethelyn Smith,	Chestertown, Md.
O. H. Spence,	Parsonsborg, Md.
Nellie D. Thomas,	Philadelphia, Pa.
Cordelia Townsend,	Viola
Viola Watson,	New York City
Martha Weldon,	Selbyville
Charles Vincent,	Philadelphia, Pa.
Raymond E. Wells,	Chester, Pa.
James Preston Woodard,	Dover

PREPARATORY—First Year.

Mary E. Adams,	Viola
John Baker,	Trainor, Pa.
Lewis Berry,	Dover
I. D. Blackiston,	Frederica
Hilda Boyer,	Chestertown, Md.
Beverly G. Curtis,	Washington, D.C.
George Holmes,	Philadelphia, Pa.
W. C. Jason, Jr.,	Dover
Howard Latney,	Philadelphia, Pa.
Edward Manns,	Dover
Wilbert Morris,	Dover
David Rasin,	Germantown, Pa.
David Warner,	Baltimore, Md.
Howard Wyatt,	East Orange, N.J.

HISTORY AND RESOURCES.

The State College for Colored Students was established under the Act of Congress of 1890, and under the Act of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware on May 15, 1891. By the former, money is appropriated to the several States which "shall establish and maintain" colleges of agriculture and mechanic arts. By the Act of the General Assembly of Delaware this money is divided between Delaware College at Newark, and the State College for Colored Students, at Dover, the latter receiving one-fifth, upon the basis of proportion of colored persons to the total population. The Act of Congress stipulates that the money appropriated by it shall "be applied only to instruction in agriculture, the mechanic arts, the English language and the various branches of mathematical, physical, natural and economic science, with special reference to their application in the industries of life and to the facilities for such instruction." Land cannot be purchased nor buildings erected with this money. The Legislature of Delaware has accordingly made appropriations for these purposes: in 1891, \$8,000; in 1893, \$1000; in 1897, \$4000; in 1901, \$6000; in 1903, \$4000; in 1905, \$6000; in 1907, \$5000.

The State is pledged by the terms of its acceptance of the Federal appropriation to "maintain" the College—to provide from time to time the money to supply its necessities.

By the articles of incorporation the control of the College is vested in a Board of Trustees, six in number, appointed quadrennially by the Governor. The Trustees elect the members of the Faculty and through their committees attend personally to all the business.

With the first appropriation by the State a tract of about one hundred acres known as the Loockerman farm, situated two miles north of Dover, was purchased; alterations were made in the buildings, new building erected and furnished, and the doors opened for the reception of students in February, 1892.

GENERAL STATEMENT.

LOCATION.

On the Delaware-Maryland Peninsula between two large bodies of water, near the State Capital, in the midst of a grain and fruit producing region of wide repute and within seventy-five miles of three large cities—Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore—the College has few superiors for attractiveness, healthfulness and convenience of location.

THE BUILDINGS.

THE MAIN BUILDING is supposed to have been erected over a century ago of imported brick. This is a large structure which was remodeled when the property was purchased for school purposes. A frame addition has been placed in the rear. In this building are recitation rooms, dining rooms, kitchen, bath room, and twenty-two sleeping rooms for the male students.

THE GIRLS' DORMITORY, erected in 1901, is wholly of brick, has twenty-two large, well ventilated sleeping rooms, with bath on third floor, library, reception hall and matron's rooms on first floor, and laundry in basement.

THE BOYS' DORMITORY, erected in 1905, has fifteen rooms of convenient size, two shower baths, and modern conveniences.

THE CHAPEL, built of brick, mainly by student labor, is the old slave quarters transformed into a house of prayer and praise, and is the result of voluntary contributions from the colored people of the State and their friends.

All these buildings are heated by steam, each from a separate plant.

THE PRESIDENT'S COTTAGE is an attractive frame building of ten rooms.

THE WORKSHOP is a two story frame structure 30x64 feet, situated in the rear of the Main Building.

THE FARM BUILDINGS, for housing stock, machinery and crops are six in number and are models of neatness and convenience of arrangement.

OTHER STRUCTURES

visible from the outside are a 45 ft. brick stack, a windmill and pump located at the barns, and a 10,000 gallon tank erected on a structural steel tower at an elevation of 62 feet.

FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

for the Chapel and recitation rooms are of home manufacture, consisting of seats and tables made by the students. The sleeping rooms are provided with iron beds with woven wire springs, also with chairs, bureaus, washstands and mirrors. All necessary bedding is also provided.

The Chemical and Physical Laboratories contain all appliances ordinarily used in teaching those objects.

The Library consists mainly of reference works and a fair amount of general literature.

The Workshop contains an excellent assortment of tools and machinery for teaching carpentry, wood turning, blacksmithing, machine work, engineering and mechanical drawing.

The dining room has been recently enlarged so as to seat comfortably over one hundred persons and the table is supplied with wholesome food largely from the products of our own farm.

STUDENTS

are under the immediate and constant supervision of careful instructors who live in the buildings with them and eat at the same table.

While in no sense a reformatory or prison, it is the constant care of the school to guard the physical and moral health of our students, and rarely are our young people better protected in their own homes than here.

There are comfortable accommodations for one hundred and twenty-five boarding students.

RELIGIOUS EXERCISES

are held every morning at eight o'clock before the recitations begin and all students are required to be present. The roll is called and a record kept of attendance.

Wednesday evening a prayer-meeting is conducted by one of the Faculty or an older student. This service has been a valuable aid toward keeping up the spiritual interest of Christian students.

The Sunday-school is regularly organized with proper officers and holds a weekly session for the study of the International Sunday-school Lessons at half past ten every Sunday. Attendance is required.

The Sunday school elects a committee of Public Worship whose duties are to secure the services of ministers to preach in the Chapel Sunday afternoons. For several years this plan has worked well and the students have had the privilege of hearing some of the ablest preachers of both races.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets at 7 p. m. Sunday evening for a service of song and praise which is usually well attended.

Special revival services during the Winter Term are always attempted and sometimes with remarkable success in winning converts. A majority of our students have always been Christians and the moral tone is excellent.

THE LITERARY SOCIETY.

This is an important feature of the school work. Two societies have been merged into one—the Douglass-Morrill Literary Society, to which all are admitted who desire. Students are encouraged to avail themselves of the opportunity thus afforded to gain practice in the art of public speech. All needed assistance and advice is cheerfully given by the Faculty, but the management of the Society in all its details is in the hands of the students. This plan has been productive of good results.

SOCIAL CLUBS.

Several such organizations exist and promote a spirit of fraternity among the members and wholesome rivalry to high standards of deportment and scholarship.

THE CADET CORPS.

The male students are organized into two companies and required to spend two hours a week in military tactics and drill. Prof. Cogbill has charge as commandant of this department. Unless excused by the Faculty, every student is expected to provide himself with uniform and report for this duty.

SPORTS.

Manly and healthful sports are encouraged but not allowed to interfere with regular work. Foot-ball and base-ball teams

of the past two years have been popular and creditably successful.

ACCESS.

Dover is seventy-five miles south of Philadelphia on the Delaware Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, the main line of traffic between New York and Norfolk, Va. There are seven trains in each direction daily. Persons who advise us beforehand of the time of their arrival will be met at the station by conveyance. Those coming unannounced can secure transportation from town to the College for 25 or 50 cents. The school is two miles north of town.

TERMS OF ADMISSION.

Applicants for admission to the College Classes must be not less than fourteen years of age and able to pass a satisfactory examination in Reading, Writing, Spelling, Arithmetic, English Grammar, and History of the United States. Those entering the Classical Course must be examined also in Rhetoric, Algebra to quadratics, and in English Classics.

None are admitted to the second year of the Normal Course who are not qualified to pass the examination for admission to the Freshman Class of the College Course.

No examination is required to enter the Preparatory Classes, but only such work will be assigned as the student is able to perform satisfactorily.

AMOUNT OF WORK.

The minimum of any student is three studies averaging fifteen periods a week. Students in regular course are required to take four subjects of five periods each per week, or their equivalent.

SHOP WORK.

In addition to the work indicated in the schedules, all

male students are required to take a course in shop work, or its equivalent in work in agriculture and horticulture, averaging two hours a day. Male students are also required to receive instruction in military science or tactics unless excused by special arrangements with the Faculty.

Female students will spend the same time in Sewing, Laundry or Cooking classes and at such other tasks as may be assigned by the Matron.

EXAMINATIONS

for entrance to the several classes are held at the beginning of the school year. Those entering during the term are assigned to classes for which they are qualified, after special examination. The work of each term is tested by examination at the close of the term, and no student is advanced who is absent from, or who fails in such examination. An opportunity to take the examination at another time may be given for cause.

GRADING.

The standing of the student is obtained by grading on a scale of 100; the daily average in any student and in the examination at end of term must be 70 at least or credit is not allowed.

Credit for work done in any class may not alone entitle the student to promotion when in the judgment of his teacher he is not prepared for advanced work.

EXPENSES.

A matriculation fee of \$2.00 is charged each student on entering.

Board is furnished at a cost not exceeding \$2.00 per week, or \$8.00 per month.

An incidental fee of \$1.00 per month is charged to cover cost of light, fuel, laundry, etc.

Rooms furnished with beds, bedding, chairs, tables and lamp are free.

All text books are provided free, but a deposit may be required to insure the safe return of books to be taken away from the school.

Tuition is free to all Delaware students. Those from other States, unless by special arrangement, will be charged \$8.00 for the first term, \$6.00 for the second term, \$6.00 for the third term, or \$20.00 for the year in addition to amount charged for board.

Day scholars are charged 25 cents per week for incidental expenses. Time is reckoned not by days of actual attendance, but from date of taking text books till their return.

All bills are payable monthly in advance.

DUTIES AND PRIVILEGES.

The rules are few and simple. Some things entirely proper under other circumstances are forbidden because experience has proven them harmful to the objects of the school.

Students are not allowed:

1. To leave the premises without permission.
2. To be absent from recitation without a satisfactory explanation to the teacher.
3. To leave their rooms during the hours of study without the consent of an instructor.
4. To converse or correspond with members of the opposite sex except at times and places known and approved by the Matron.
5. To use tobacco on the school premises or intoxicating liquors anywhere.

Students are required:

1. To be prompt at meals and all exercises.
2. To present a neat and cleanly appearance.
3. To work two hours daily at whatever task assigned.
4. To attend chapel services daily and Sunday-school on Sunday.
5. To present their grievances in a respectful manner to the President and avoid contentions with any member of the Faculty.

These are a few specifications under the general rule that all must be diligent, attentive to duty and considerate of the rights of others. Enrollment is considered as a pledge that all known rules will be kept.

Those who disregard these instructions and others which may be given, will be subject to demerits of from one to twenty marks and these deducted from their deportment which should always be 100. When the deportment falls to 70 the student is suspended.

Occupants are responsible for all articles in the rooms, and breakage or damage to furniture beyond reasonable wear must be made good.

An attractive library and reading room are free for the use of students under proper regulations.

PRIZES.

At the close of the school year the following prizes were awarded to deserving students :

SCHOLARSHIP PRIZE, \$10.

For the highest average in all studies for the year.

To Susie M. Jason, Corozal, P. R.

FOR EXCELLENCE IN SHOP WORK, \$15.

To Alfred G. Casper, Woodwork, Salem, N. J.

W. Clarence Drain, Ironwork, Philadelphia, Pa.

Florence May Kenly, Needlework, Perrymans, Md.

FOR ENGLISH DECLAMATION.

First Prize, \$10, to Edna E. Aiken, Dover, Del.

Second Prize, \$5, to George E. Anderson, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Contributions to the prize fund were received from :

Alumni Association, Scholarship Prize	\$10.00
Dr. L. B. Moore, Washington, D. C.	5.00
Mrs. Georgeanna Carson	1.00
Mr. J. E. Rickerby	1.00
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	\$17.00

COURSES OF STUDY.

There are three courses of study of four years each—*Scientific, Agricultural, Engineering.*

THE NORMAL COURSE embraces three years, the last two years of which are nearly parallel to the first and second years of the College Course.

PREPARATORY CLASSES are divided into First Year and Second Year.

Students not sufficiently advanced to enter the regular classes in the College Department are admitted to the Preparatory Department, graded according to proficiency and carefully instructed to the point where they may enter such classes.

DEGREES.

The Engineering Course leads to the degree of *Bachelor of Engineering*; the Agricultural Course to the degree of *Bachelor of Agriculture*; and the Scientific Course to the degree of *Bachelor of Science*.

Those completing the *Normal Course* will receive a certificate, recommending the bearer as a proper person to teach in the public schools of the State.

INDUSTRIAL COURSES of two years each: Wood-working, Iron-working, Blacksmithing, Masonry, Printing, Cooking, Sewing, and Dressmaking.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE FACULTY

TO THE

President and Members of the Board of Trustees,
for the year ending June 1, 1909.

GENTLEMEN:

I have the honor to report another year of encouraging and successful effort. The total enrollment of students was 114; males, 58, females, 56. The College and Normal Classes numbered 54; Preparatory Classes, 60. While the total is four less than for the preceding year, improvement is shown in the larger number who remained for the full term of eight months and the increase in the amount of money collected for board, which was \$4,629, as against \$4,111; a gain of \$518.

Seven persons were graduated from the College Classes with the degree of B. S., three men and four women. One woman was graduated from the Normal Course.

Commencement Day was particularly fine and a large audience was in attendance. Excellent addresses were delivered by Bishop B. T. Tanner of the A. M. E. Church, and Rev. Alexander Allison, Jr., of West Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, which were thoroughly enjoyed. The orations, essays and music, also the numerous articles of student manufacture exhibited by the Industrial Department, elicited much favorable comment.

The first honorary degree to be conferred by the college

was announced by the President of the Board of Trustees and the audience responded with enthusiastic applause. Hon. Henry C. Conrad, Secretary of the Board, received the degree LL. D. Judge Conrad has served the school with marked interest and fidelity since its origin, and the announcement that he would find it necessary to sever such relations was the one sad feature of the day.

The health of the students was generally good, only two being compelled to leave school on account of illness. Lindon Briscoe, a lad of seventeen who came to us from Lakeland, Md., died at his home during the vacation last year. He was popular with his fellows and particularly efficient in athletic sports.

In the matter of deportment we have cause for congratulation. Our students make no trouble in the community by any form of disorderly conduct. The only cases of discipline were for disregard of regulations governing the relation of students toward each other, and in a few instances toward members of the faculty.

Work in the Academic and Industrial departments was conducted as previously reported and with satisfactory results.

The faculty of five men and two women have taught classes for 20 or 25 periods each week during the school year in the forenoon, and have spent two hours in the afternoon in directing some form of industrial occupation. Results have been entirely satisfactory. They desire me to express their appreciation for the evidence of your continued confidence as shown in their election for another term of service.

At a cost of about \$400 for material and labor the main building, the girls' dormitory, the cottage, shop and barns were painted last summer, adding greatly to their attractiveness. The grounds and exterior of buildings present a very

creditable appearance. Attention should now be paid to the inside of the dormitories. All need painting and in many places plaster has fallen from walls and ceiling. Two persons have been injured by falling plaster.

The farm is in good hands. Inspection of animals, machinery and crops is invited by Mr. Deputy. An especially fine yield of corn is expected for this year. 1,100 bushels of corn was grown last year on a 20-acre lot. This with 15 tons of hay furnished the principal food for 8 horses and mules, seven cows, and 12 hogs weighing 2,200 lbs. From last year's crop also about 200 bushels of corn was sold. There were sold also one cow, three calves and four pairs of pigs for \$102, besides a limited amount of vegetables and garden truck. 200 baskets turnips, 330 baskets apples, 1900 heads cabbage, 430 baskets sweet potatoes, 20 baskets white potatoes, were used to supply the boarding department. The milk from five cows was also used in the school.

At this writing the wheat crop for the present year has not been thrashed. The yield last year was poor, 290 bushels from 20 acres.

Suggested needs for the farm are increased sheds for machinery and tools, a repair shop for use of farmer, and a new woven wire fence around the entire property. In reference to the repair shop it need only be stated that at a low estimate fifty dollars was saved during the year by having a man here who can do much of the work for which a carpenter, blacksmith or wheelwright is needed.

In accordance with the idea that the State College should aid in all possible and proper ways the educational interests of the colored people, and in response to repeated suggestions from different sources, it was decided last year to hold a Summer School of Methods for teachers. The Board of Trustees

graciously permitted the use of the buildings for this purpose, and Prof. A. R. Spaid, Superintendent of Schools for New Castle County, secured by personal effort sufficient money to meet the expenses of instruction. An incidental fee of \$1.00 was charged each student and board for four weeks offered at \$10. Superintendent Spaid, Superintendent Carroll of Kent County, and Superintendent Brooks of Sussex County each taught several classes without compensation. Other instructors were: Mrs. Alice M. Dunbar of Howard School, Wilmington, Miss Addams, Supervisor of Schools, Reading, Pa., and Prof. T. R. Parker of Morgan College, Baltimore. School was conducted during the month of July and twenty two students were enrolled.

All agree that the experiment was most successful. The need for such an addition to the educational system of the State was demonstrated, as was also the fact that this school is the convenient and proper centre for the supply of that need.

The money raised last year was found sufficient to continue the Summer School again this summer, which was done with a larger teaching force and an increase in the number of students. Thanks are hereby extended to the generous friends whose contributions made possible this effort to help the public school teacher to qualify for better service and so help the colored child.

Our Board is requested to make provisions, if practicable with the means at hand, for the perpetuation of this feature of our work.

I conclude this brief report with a prepetition of the commendation made a year ago. With the increase in the appropriation from the National Government, it is desirable that the scope of our work be enlarged by additions to the

course of study and more attention to scientific and systematic instruction in agriculture.

A man qualified to instruct the farmer of small means in methods of raising, harvesting and marketing his crops, and conducting experiments calculated to arouse the interest of such persons, could greatly enhance the value of our work.

With an increase in our force of teachers something could be done also in the interest of the large number of pupils who cannot attend school for more than two or three months in the year. The longer courses are impracticable for them and arrangements could made for the accomplishment of definite results in briefer time.

As a supplement to the report of the Treasurer, I append a summary statement of the money which has passed through my hands during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. C. JASON.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY.

RECEIVED.

Received from Treasurer	\$4,303 75
Cash collected for board	\$4,629 63
Labor for board	957 96
Dues from day pupils	33 75
Matriculation fee	64 00
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Summer school 1908	5,685 34
Sales from farm	257 28
All other sources	223 93
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	96 50
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	<u>\$10,566 80</u>

PAID

Salaries	\$4,303 75
Credited labor acct.	957 96
Cash for labor	159 22
Other bills aggregating	397 80
Balance paid to Treasurer	4,748 07
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	<u>\$10,566 80</u>

BILLS FORWARDED TO TREASURER.

Meat	\$1,237 45
Groceries	2,115 51
Flour	46 50
Oil	81 00
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	\$3,480 46
Coal	1,198 13
Machine shop, work and material	254 04
Furniture	138 15
Lumber	275 69
Paints	\$227 80
Painting buildings	174 40
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	402 20
Hardware and supplies	459 99
Text books and stationery	54 20
Fertilizer and seed	172 00
Other items	394 45
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	<u>\$6,829 31</u>