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WEST TENNESSEE
June 1929
STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE
MEMPHIS

J. W. BRISTER
PRESIDENT

Dear Student :

I was informed by your high school principal several months ago that you were a member of his senior class during the last school year. I hope you have carried on your work successfully and that you have graduated from your high school this spring.

I hope, too, that you are thinking of continuing your education and I am writing this letter to call your attention to some of the educational advantages offered by the West Tennessee State Teachers College.

The College is a standard senior college of the professional type, a member of the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States and of the American Association of Teachers Colleges. It offers excellent opportunities for college education at moderate cost. It has a well trained faculty, and its curriculum covers a variety of courses in academic and industrial subjects, as well as its own particularly professional field.

During the last year a splendid library building and a magnificent gymnasium were erected, and a considerable addition to the girls' dormitory was made. The last General Assembly made a generous appropriation for a new science building, and also increased the appropriation for operation of the school. These facts are set forth in order to acquaint you with the growth and development of the school and to indicate to you the increasing educational opportunities which it has to offer to ambitious young men and women of West Tennessee.

The Teachers College is a professional institution designed to train teachers and it gives courses to prepare for elementary and high school positions. The public school system of Tennessee is developing and improving and calls each year for better equipped and more highly trained teachers, and well prepared teachers are each year receiving more adequate compensation.

The general catalogue of the College for the coming year has already been mailed to you. The Fall Quarter will begin September 23, 1929 and we shall be glad to have you register with us.

Very truly yours,

