

for the profit of the college. The yearly expenditure on this account amounts in all to about \$3,500.

Conclusion.

The results of the experimental and other work in all the departments are given to the public promptly, in a neatly printed four page sheet, known as "The Industrialist," which is published weekly by the printing department of the college.

KENTUCKY.

The Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky is located at Lexington, on 52 acres of land within the city limits, which was given by the city for college purposes. The land is valued at \$25,000, the buildings at \$85,000, making a total of \$110,000. The endowment fund amounts to \$165,000.

The aim of this college is to teach those branches of learning which are related to agriculture and the mechanic arts. The education provided is of a very general character. There is no special department of agriculture, although efforts are being made to organize one. Instruction is given in agricultural chemistry; lectures on the relations of geology to soils, the influence of forests on agriculture, also on insects which are injurious to crops. The number of students attending, according to the last returns, was 32%.

Revenue and Expenditure.

The annual income from the endowment fund is \$9,900; proceeds of a special tax of $\frac{1}{2}$ cent on each \$100 of taxable property within the State, \$16,000; tuition fees, \$2,500—total, \$28,400; which is sufficient to cover the expenditure, a large proportion of which is required to pay the teaching staff.

LOUISIANA.

The State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College is situated at Baton Rouge and is the result of a combination of the old State University, formerly at Alexandria, with the agricultural and mechanical college. The combined endowment funds amount to \$318,000, and the land, buildings and appliances are valued at \$350,000.

The aim of this institution is to provide general instruction and education in all the departments of literature, science and art, and includes special instruction in agriculture and the mechanic arts. The education in agriculture includes a training in the cultivation of sugar, cotton and rice and in general farm work. Instruction is also given in farm architecture, surveying roads, levees, ditches, &c., also in veterinary surgery. One hour a day is devoted to labour in the field, garden or workshop. According to the latest published returns the number of students attending is 159.