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SOPHOMORE CLASS.

NAMES	RESIDENCE.	ROOMS.
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Nathaniel O. Cornwall,	<i>Chatham,</i>	6
Stephen E. Warren,	<i>Troy, N. Y.</i>	48
Marcus F. Hyde,	<i>Newtown,</i>	16
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George H. Nichols,	<i>Bridgeport,</i>	9
George A. Smith,	<i>Hartford,</i> <i>Mr. Smith's.</i>	
George W. Beers,	<i>Litchfield,</i>	12
G. Zelotes Adams,	<i>Hartford,</i>	9
William H. I. Dorsey,	<i>St. Mary's Co. Md.</i>	—
Abijah P. Marvin,	<i>Lyme,</i>	47
Charles W. Welsh,	<i>Boston, Mass.</i>	15
William M. Bull,	<i>Chester Co. Pa.</i>	43
William A. Littlejohn,	<i>Edenton, N. C.</i>	23

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John B. Vandenburg,	<i>Philadelphia,</i>	39
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Charles E. Phelps,	<i>Hartford,</i>	42
Henry Stanley,	<i>West Hartford.</i>	30

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STATEMENT

OF THE

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION, EXPENSES, &c.

TERMS OF ADMISSION.

Candidates for the Freshman Class will be examined in the Grammars of the English, Latin, and Greek Languages;—in Geography and Arithmetic; in Sallust, Cicero's Select Oration, Virgil, Latin Prosody, and the translation of English into Latin;—in Jacob's Greek Reader, the Gospels of St. Luke and St. John, and the Acts of the Apostles.

Candidates for an advanced standing must sustain a further examination in those studies which have been read by the class they propose to enter.

Students, who propose to attend to but part of the regular course, must be qualified to recite with the regular classes in the branches they pursue. They are admitted to the Lectures, and to the use of the Library; and are subject to the College Laws.

No student can be admitted to the Freshman Class before he has completed his fourteenth year; nor to an advanced standing, without a proportionate increase of age.

All candidates for admission must present satisfactory testimonials of good moral character; and those who are from other Colleges must produce certificates of a dismissal in good standing.

COURSE OF STUDIES.

The Course of Instruction extends through four years: and each year is divided into three terms.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

- 1st TERM.—Livy (*Folsom's*) begun: Roman Antiquities, (*Adams's*).*
 Xenophon's Anabasis: Grecian Antiquities.*
 Jamieson's Rhetoric: Tytler's History.
- 2d TERM.—Livy finished: Latin Composition.
 Xenophon's Anabasis.
 Algebra begun.
- 3d TERM.—Horace, (*Odes*;) Latin Composition and Prosody.
 Greek Prose.
 Plane Geometry, (*Legendre's*).
 Declamations and written translations throughout the year.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

- 1st TERM.—Horace, (*Satires and Epistles*.)
 Homer.
 Solid and Spherical Geometry, (*Legendre's*).
- 2d TERM.—Logic; Gambier on Moral Evidence.
 Homer's Iliad.
 Algebra finished.
- 3d TERM.—Cicero de Oratore, (*Kingsley's*.)
 Kames' Elements of Criticism.
 Plane and Spherical Geometry, and their applications.
 Declamations and Themes throughout the year.

JUNIOR CLASS.

- 1st TERM.—Juvenal: (*Leverett's*.)
 Græca Majora, Vol. II.
 Applications of Trigonometry continued: Conic Sections.
- 2d TERM.—Tacitus, (*History, Kingsley's*.) begun.
 Rhetoric.
 Mechanics: Calculus.
- 3d TERM.—Tacitus, (*History* finished: *Manners of Germans, and Agricola*.)
 Greek Tragedies.
 Mechanics: Optics: Lectures on Natural Philosophy.
 Declamations, Forensic Debates, and Exercises in English Composition throughout the year.

* To be read with the Classic Authors, throughout the course.

SENIOR CLASS.

- 1st TERM.—Intellectual Philosophy.
Chemistry.
Astronomy.
- 2d TERM.—Evidences of Christianity.
Political Economy.
Moral Philosophy.
- 3d TERM.—Greek and Latin, with Lectures.
Chemistry : Mineralogy.
Butler's Analogy : Natural Theology.

During the Senior year, Lectures are delivered on the application of Science to the Arts ; on Botany, Anatomy, and the Principles of Law ; and on Theological subjects to all the classes.

Instruction is also given to a class in Hebrew, at extra hours, without any additional charge. Instruction in the Modern Languages will be at the expense of the student.

By an inspection of the course of studies given above, it will be perceived that provision is made for instruction in the following departments :—

1. Latin and Greek Languages and Literature.
2. Mathematics, with their application to the Arts.
3. Natural Philosophy, comprehending Mechanics, Pneumatics, Hydrostatics, Optics, and Astronomy.
4. Physical Science, including Chemistry and Mineralogy, Electricity and Magnetism.
5. Rhetoric, including the art of speaking and writing well.
6. Intellectual and Moral Philosophy, and the Evidences of Revealed Religion.
7. Political Economy.
8. Hebrew.
9. Lectures on the principles of Law, on Botany, and Anatomy.

PARTIAL COURSE.

For the accommodation of those students, who wish to attend to a portion only of the studies laid down in the regular course, the following provision has been made in the College Statutes. "They may apply themselves to any of the studies contained in the regular course, with the privilege of attending the Lectures ;" and they "may also be prepared to join any of the higher classes in the regular course. Such stu-

dents of the partial course, as pursue their studies for a period of not less than two years, to the satisfaction of the Faculty, will, on leaving the institution, receive an English Diploma as a testimony of their good conduct and proficiency in learning."

INTRODUCTORY CLASS.

Candidates for admission into College, who are deficient in the preparatory studies, have rooms assigned them in the College buildings, and pursue their studies under the direction of the Faculty, until they are qualified to join one of the regular classes. They are charged the same rate for tuition and room-rent as in the case of regular students, and are required to conform themselves in all respects to the regulations of the institution. The same supervisory care is extended to them as to other students; but they are not considered as members of the College, until admitted to recite with the regular classes. This provision has been recently adopted, from an experience of the embarrassment often occasioned by defective preparation in the young men who offer themselves for examination.

GOVERNMENT AND DISCIPLINE.

These are designed to be strictly parental; and are administered with the single design of promoting the intellectual and moral advancement of the students. Punishments involving disgrace are always resorted to with reluctance, and only in cases where an appeal to the better feelings and principles of the heart have failed.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.

Prayers are attended every morning and evening in the College Chapel, with reading of the Scriptures, when all the students are required to attend. They are also required to attend public worship on the Lord's day, either in the Chapel, or at such places as their parents or guardians may desire.

EXPENSES.

For Tuition, \$11, 00 per term; for room rent, \$3, 50 per term; for the use of the Library, \$1, 00 per term; for sweeping rooms, ringing the bell, fuel for recitation rooms, and printing, \$2, 00 per term; all payable in advance. Besides the above, there will be occasional assessments for damages, extra printing, or other common expenses.

No Commons are established, as it is preferred that the students should board in private families, contiguous to the College. During the present high prices, board is from \$2, 00 to \$3, 00 per week. The Trustees are taking measures to erect a large boarding house on the premises in the course of the summer.

The Students reside in the College, and provide for themselves bed and bedding, furniture for their rooms, fire-wood, candles, books, stationary and washing. Books and furniture may be sold, when the student has no further use for them, at a moderate reduction from the original cost.

An association of students has been formed for the purpose of boarding themselves. Their steward provides for the table, and their meals are prepared by a small family residing on the premises. The price of board in the FRANKLIN CLUB is from \$1, 50 to \$1, 75 per week.

By a late regulation of the Trustees, the *whole* of the tuition is remitted to Beneficiaries of the Church Scholarship Society, and to such other necessitous students as design to enter the ministry. The necessary College expenses of such, exclusive of personal expenses for clothing, fuel, furniture, &c. are as follows:—

Board in the Franklin Club,	\$60 00 per year.
Room rent,	10 50 “
Use of Library,	3 00 “
Attendance, printing, &c.	6 00 “
Assessment for public damage, &c.	4 50 “
Total,	<hr/> \$84 00 “

To prevent extravagant or improper expenditures, all moneys designed for the use of students are placed in the hands of the College Bursar, who superintends their expenses with a parental discretion. The present Bursar is William M. Holland, A. M., Professor of Ancient Languages.

EXAMINATIONS.

At the close of the first and second terms, all the classes are examined on the studies pursued during the term; and at the close of the third term, on all the studies of the preceding year.

PUBLIC EXHIBITIONS.

1. Junior Exhibition—at the close of the second term.
2. Commencement—on the first Thursday in August.

VACATIONS.

1. Seven weeks from Commencement.
2. Two weeks from the Thursday before the 20th of December.
3. Three weeks from the Thursday before the 12th of April.

PHILOSOPHICAL APPARATUS, LIBRARY, &c.

There is an extensive apparatus for the illustration of Natural and Mathematical Science, including a powerful reflecting Telescope, of 14 feet radius, made by Mr. Holcomb of Southwick; and a large Mineralogical Cabinet is deposited in the institution by the Professor in that department. The various Libraries, including the valuable one of Dr. Jarvis, contain about 14,000 volumes.