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Scovil Bettie J ........................................ Nashville, Tenn.
Swope, Hattie .......................................... Mt. Meridian.
Shively, Thomas ......................................... Edwardsport.
Stevens, James Y ....................................... Franklin.
Surber, Jennie .......................................... Indianapolis.
Smith, Clara A .......................................... Waverly.
Smith, M. Alla .......................................... Waverly.
Terry, Elvie ........................................ Indianapolis.
Tresslar, Minnie G ...................................... Bluff Creek.
Tilford, Alice L ......................................... Indianapolis.
Thompson, John A ...................................... Edinburg.
Tilford, Oscar H ......................................... Edinburg.
Venable, Alice .......................................... Carlinville.
Winpenny, George W .................................... Millersville.
Wilson, Henry L ......................................... Rushville.
Walker, Frank B ......................................... Indianapolis.
Walker, John C .......................................... Indianapolis.
Wallace, George B ...................................... Indianapolis.
Webster, Lida .......................................... Crawfordsville.
Weiand, Eli ............................................... Indianapolis.
Wooden, Conie .......................................... Gosport.
Warner, Leonidas ....................................... Vincennes.
York, William H ......................................... Peru.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS.

REGULAR UNDERGRADUATES.

Bailey, Henry ........................................ Indianapolis.
Blue, B. Frank .......................................... Indianapolis.
Brown, W. J. ................................................... Syracuse, N. Y.
Boyle, Chas. E .................................................. Indianapolis.
Barr, Wm. V ..................................................... Nineveh.
Carter, Fletcher .................................................. Indianapolis.
Coburn, Charles F ............................................... Indianapolis.
Curtis, John J .................................................... Indianapolis.
Curryea, Lizzie .................................................. Mattoon, Ill.
Davenport, Charles L ........................................... Indianapolis.
Gibson, — .......................................................... 
Hurst, Horace L ................................................... Milton.
Howland, James E ............................................... Indianapolis.
Harding, W. Newton ............................................ Indianapolis.
Hodgson, Isaac N ............................................... Indianapolis.
Jameson, Ovid B .................................................. Indianapolis.
Johnson, John B .................................................. Kokomo.
Jenks, Lewis B ................................................... Indianapolis.
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Landers, Hicklin ................................................ Indianapolis.
Lemen, Alfred .................................................... Indianapolis.
Miller, Alvin H .................................................. Nineveh.
McLaughlin, Chas. E ............................................. Indianapolis.
Meek, Abner F .................................................... Marshall.
Page, Wm. J ....................................................... Columbia, Ky.
Robey, Francis M ............................................... Sunnyside.
Randall, Theodore A ............................................ Indianapolis.
Reeves, William ................................................ Indianapolis.
Ritter, Wade ..................................................... Indianapolis.
Scovel, Bettie J .................................................. Nashville, Tenn.
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Webster, Lida .................................................... Crawfordsville.
Warner, Leonidas ............................................... Vincennes.

COLLEGE OF LAW.

Anderson, Samuel S ........................................... Indianapolis.
Brown, Edgar A ................................................ Indianapolis.
GRADUATES.

COLLEGE OF LITERATURE.

Fertig, Walter .............................. Carmel.
Hopkins, James I ............................. Kokomo.
Newberger, Lewis ............................. New Cumberland.
Thrasher, Allen B ............................ Groves.
Tingley, Walter S ............................. Harrisburg.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS.

Boyle, Chas. E ............................... Indianapolis.
Curtis, John J ............................... Indianapolis.
Coburn, Chas. T ............................... Indianapolis.
Davenport, Chas. E ............................ Indianapolis.
Meek, Abner F ............................... Marshfield.
Scovel, Bettie J .............................. Nashville, Tenn.
Stephenson, Jas. Y ............................ Thornton.
Somerville, T. E ............................. Sunman.
Stahl, Simon P ............................... Fostoria, O.
Seaton, Chas. F ............................... Indianapolis.
Thompson, Jno. A., Jr ........................ Edinburg.

COLLEGE OF LAW.

Brown, Edgar A ............................... Indianapolis.
Craft, John A ............................... Indianapolis.
Florea, Joshua E ............................. Knightstown.
Harrison, Temple C .......................... Indianapolis.
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Vanarsdel, William C ........................ Indianapolis.
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### ENTERING THE UNIVERSITY.

To enter any department of the Institution the student will be required,

1. To present to the President satisfactory evidence of good moral character and sufficient attainments, and receive from him a written permit to enter the Institution, and advice in reference to what class he should enter.

2. To obtain the Treasurer's signature by paying all necessary fees for at least one term.

3. To pass the necessary preliminary examinations, and obtain the signature of the Professors whose classes he enters.

4. To present his permit, thus endorsed, to the Secretary of the Faculty, and subscribe to the By-Laws of the Institution as a promise of their observance.
CLASSICAL COURSE OF STUDY.

To enter this Department, the student must pass a satisfactory examination in the elements of Arithmetic and English Grammar, or present a satisfactory certificate of proficiency in them.

FIRST PREPARATORY YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

1. LATIN—Grammar.
2. ENGLISH—Analysis of Sentences.
3. HISTORY—Outlines of Ancient History.

SECOND TERM.

1. LATIN—Grammar and Reader.
2. ENGLISH—Hart's Composition and Rhetoric.
3. HISTORY—Outlines of Medieval History.

THIRD TERM.

1. LATIN—Grammar and Reader.
2. ENGLISH—Hart's Composition and Rhetoric.
3. HISTORY—Outlines of Modern History.

SECOND PREPARATORY YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

1. GREEK—Grammar and Exercise Book.
2. LATIN—Caesar's Commentaries; Prose Composition.
3. MATHEMATICS—Algebra.
4. ENGLISH—Composition, with Exercises.

SECOND TERM.

1. GREEK—Grammar and Exercise Book.
2. LATIN—Cicero's Orations; Prose Composition.
3. MATHEMATICS—Algebra.
4. ENGLISH—Composition, with Exercises.
THIRD TERM.

2. Latin—Virgil; Prosody; Prose Composition.
4. English—Composition, with Exercises.

FRESHMAN YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

1. Greek—Xenophon's Anabasis; Syntax; Prose Composition.
2. Latin—Cicero de Senectute and de Amicitia; Prose Composition.

SECOND TERM.

1. Greek—Xenophon's Anabasis; Syntax; Prose Composition.
2. Latin—Horace; Prose Composition.

THIRD TERM.

1. Greek—Xenophon's Anabasis; Syntax; Prose Composition.
2. Latin—Horace; Prose Composition.

SOPHOMORE YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

1. Greek—Herodotus; Arnold's Prose Composition, begun.
2. Latin—Tacitus.
SECOND TERM.
1. GREEK—Thucydides; Prose Composition.
2. LATIN—Livy.
3. MATHEMATICS—Surveying.

THIRD TERM.
1. GREEK—Thucydides; Prose Composition.
2. LATIN—Cicero’s Tusculan Disputations.
3. MATHEMATICS—Analytical Geometry.
3. BIBLE—Jewish Kingdom.

JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.
1. GREEK—Homer’s Iliad; Prose Composition, completed.
2. MATHEMATICS—Calculus.
3. NATURAL SCIENCE—Inorganic Chemistry.
4. NATURAL HISTORY—Anatomy and Physiology.

SECOND TERM.
1. GREEK—Olynthiacs of Demosthenes; Plato’s Apology.
2. MATHEMATICS—Silliman’s Physics to Pneumatics.
3. NATURAL SCIENCE—Organic Chemistry.
4. NATURAL HISTORY—Zoology.

THIRD TERM.
1. GREEK—Œdipus Tyrannus of Sophocles.
2. MATHEMATICS—Astronomy.
3. NATURAL SCIENCE—Silliman’s Physics to Heat.
4. NATURAL HISTORY—Botany.

SENIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.
1. NATURAL SCIENCE—Silliman’s Physics, completed.
2. METAPHYSICS—Haven’s Mental Philosophy.
3. ÆSTHETICS—Basecom’s Æsthetics.
4. ENGLISH—Bain’s Rhetoric.
SECOND TERM.

1. **NATURAL HISTORY**—Geology.
2. **METAPHYSICS**—Haven's Moral Philosophy.
3. **POLITICS**—Political Economy; Constitution of the United States.
4. **ENGLISH**—Shaw's English Literature.

THIRD TERM.

1. **NATURAL HISTORY**—Geology.
2. **EVIDENCES**—Fisher's Evidences of Christianity.
3. **LOGIC**—Coppee's Logic; Practical Exercises.
4. **ENGLISH**—Botta's Universal Literature.

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**SCIENTIFIC COURSE.**

This course embraces precisely the Classical Course, except that it substitutes two years of German and two years of French for the four years of Greek.

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**SELECTION OF STUDIES.**

The regular Classical Course is earnestly recommended by the Faculty and Directors, as that which the experience of the past and the practice of the best institutions of the present have shown to be the best adapted to the harmonious development and training of all the intellectual powers.

Students will be permitted, however, to choose between this and the Scientific Course; and then they will be required to take the regular studies of that year for which they are prepared. In no case will a student be permitted to be irregular in his classification, except by presenting satisfactory reasons to the Faculty in session, and obtaining their permission.
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DEPARTMENTS OF STUDY.

The Charter of this Institution authorizes its Board of Directors to organize Colleges for Literature and Science, Law, Medicine, and a Normal School.

The following Departments exhibit the course of Study required for Graduation in the College of Literature and Science. Additional Departments will be organized as the exigencies of the Institution may demand.

The plan of Study in the Classical and Scientific Course is more fully explained under the following divisions:

I. BIBLE DEPARTMENT.

PROF. JOHN C. MILLER, A. M.

In this the Bible is studied as a text book, and, while no sectarian dogmas are taught, its history, geography, antiquities; its laws, dispensations, prophesies, moral and religious truths, etc., will be the object of careful attention. This book will be treated as the grand source of our knowledge of moral and religious truth, of the will of God, of man's origin, duty and destiny, and, as such, of the highest interest, and deserving the most careful study of every human being.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

First Term................Gospels..............................(English.)
Second Term..............Acts of Apostles.............................(English.)
Third Term...............Epistles....................................(English.)

SOPHOMORE.

First Term................PentateuchCommenced...............(English.)
Second Term..............PentateuchFinished......................(English.)
Third Term...............Jewish Kingdom............................(English.)
JUNIOR.

First Term..............Christian Evidence, Hermeneutics and Sacred Criticism.
Second Term..............Analysis and History of the Books of the Bible.
Third Term............Homiletics............(Broadus.)

SENIOR CLASS.

First Term..............Mental Philosophy...............(Haven.)
Second Term..............Moral Philosophy and Christian Evidence.
Third Term..............Christian Evidence Finished.......(Fisher.)

The third year is intended for ministerial students only, and those who pass a satisfactory examination therein will be excused from Analytical Geometry and Calculus.

The following books are recommended for constant reference in this department: Horne's Introduction, Smith's Bible Dictionary, Cruden's and Englishman's Greek Concordance, and Mitchell's Ancient Atlas.

An important adjunct to this department are the classes in the Hebrew and Syriac Languages, taught by President W. F. Black, A. M. The course of study in these Languages will embrace a period of two years, in Hebrew, as follows:

FIRST YEAR.

First Term..............Hebrew Grammar.....................(Greene.)
Second Term..............Hebrew Grammar.....................(Greene.)
Third Term..............Hebrew Grammar.....................(Greene.)

SECOND YEAR.

First Term ..........Genesis.
Second Term...........Genesis and Selections from Job.
Third Term............Psalms.

In Syriac will be studied during the

First year—Uhlemann's Syriac Grammar.
Second year—Matthew and John, and selections from other books of the Syriac Testament.
II. MATHEMATICAL DEPARTMENT.

PROF. W. M. THRASHER, A. M.

The studies in this department are:
Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry (Plane and Spherical), Surveying, Mechanics, Conic Sections and Analytical Geometry, Calculus and Astronomy.

Special instructions will be secured to any who may pursue the subject of Surveying, with a practical object in view.

Mathematical Instruments—Planetarium, Plane Compass, Solar Compass, and Engineer's Theodolite.

The training of the logical faculties of the students will be a leading object kept in view in the Mathematical Course. To this end constant care will be exercised with regard to clearness of apprehension of terms and sequences, precision of statement and classification.

Field exercises in use of Mathematical instruments will be had during the study of Surveying, Trigonometry and Astronomy, in which will be taught, practically, Compass Surveying, Leveling, Heights and Distances, Time, Latitude, Longitude, etc., etc.

III. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL SCIENCE.

PROF. ALFRED FAIRHURST, A. M.

This department embraces the subject of Chemistry, Natural Philosophy, Physiology, Botany, Zoology, and Geology.

The Text Books in this department will be illustrated by experiments. For this purpose the Institution has been provided with a complete set of Philosophical instruments, and the means of Chemical Experimentation.

Geology, Natural History, and Mineralogy, will be illustrated by constant use of the Cabinets.

BOOKS OF REFERENCE.

In Natural Science.—Miller's Elements of Chemistry, Tenney's Natural History, Agassiz and Gould's Zoology, works of Huxley and Darwin, Baird's Mammals and Birds of North America, Brown's Animal Kingdom, Dalton's and Flint's Physiologies, Gray's Anatomy, Siebold's Comparative Anatomy, Dana's Geol-

In History.—Lenormant's Oriental History, Grote's or Curtius' History of Greece; Arnold's Merivale's, and Gibbon's Histories of Rome; Michiel's France, Kohlrausch's Germany, Abbott's Russia; Hume's, Macaulay's and Froude's England; Robertson's Charles V, and Hallam's Constitutional History of England.

IV. DEPARTMENT OF LATIN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

PROF. SCOTT BUTLER, A. M.

Latin is taught during the First and Second Preparatory, Freshman, and Sophomore Years.

The course of Study embraces a select course of reading from the Latin Classics, together with a thorough study of the Latin Grammar and exercises in Latin Prose Composition.

The course of study embraces, in the

First Preparatory.—Harkness' Grammar and Reader.

Second Preparatory.—Cicero's Commentaries on the Gallic War; Cicero's Orations against Cataline; Virgil's Aeneid.

Freshman.—Cicero on Friendship and Old Age, Horace's Odes, Horace's Satires.

Sophomore.—Selections from the Historical Books of Livy, Tacitus' Germania and Agricola, Cicero's Tuscanal Disputations.

It will be the aim in this Department to have the student thoroughly drilled in the principles of Latin Syntax rather than to have read, without critical analysis, a great number of authors.

V. DEPARTMENT OF THE GREEK LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

PROFESSOR J. O. HOPKINS, A. B.

The instruction in Greek extends through a period of four years.

Senior Preparatory.—Hadley's Greek Grammar to Syntax, with the whole of Boise's First Lessons in Greek, the English exercises to be written in Greek, with the accents.

Freshman.—Xenophon's Anabasis during the entire year, together with Syntax in Hadley's Greek Grammar, and the whole of Jones's Greek Prose Composition.

Sophomore.—Herodotus one term. Thucydides two terms, and daily exercises during the year in writing Greek with the accents, from Arnold's Greek Prose Composition.

Junior.—Homer's Iliad, the Olynthiacs of Demosthenes, Plato's Apology, and Ædipus Tyrannus of Sophocles, with Arnold's Greek Prose Composition completed.

Lectures will be delivered before the Junior Class on the Ancient Drama, Grecian Mythology, and Early History of Greece.

Students will be required to investigate and explain all allusions to History, Geography, and Mythology. For this purpose a good History of Greece, Classical Atlas, and Classical Dictionary are indispensable.

The following Books of Reference are recommended: Long's Classical Atlas, Fenley's Ancient Atlas, or Mitchel's Ancient Geography; Anthon's or Smith's Classical Dictionary; Smith's, Grote's, or Curtius's History of Greece; Smith's Dictionary of Antiquities, and Liddell and Scott's Greek-English Lexicon.

VI. DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH LITERATURE.

PROF. CATHARINE MERRILL, A. M.

This Department embraces Literature, (English and General), Rhetoric and Composition, Æsthetics, etc.

Theses will frequently be required of the classes in Æsthetics and Literature, containing critical compendiums of the matters treated in the text-books. The principles of Criticism and English Composition will be thoroughly familiarized by daily exercises in Composition during the study of Rhetoric and English Literature.
The following books will be found valuable for reference: Literature—Dwight's Philology, Muller's Science of Language, Sismondi's Literature of the South of Europe, Dunlop's History of Fiction, Schlegel's and Hazlitt's Treatises on Literature, Kuyser's Religion of the Northmen, the works of Morrell, Lewes, and Cousin. Esthetics—Taine's and Ruskin's works, and Cousin's True, Beautiful and Good.

VII. DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES.

PROFESSOR S. K. HOSHOURL, A. M.

In this Department two years are required to complete the course of either the German or French language.

GERMAN.—First Year—Whitney's Grammar and Reader; exercises in German Composition and Speaking.

Second Year—German conversation continued; also, reading of weekly Journals in this language, with conversation on their items of news; to which will be added a careful study of some of Germany's best authors.

FRENCH.—First Year—Otto's French Grammar and Reader; drill in French Composition and conversation.

Second Year—Exercises in Composition, and in conversation by means of the "French Echo de Paris"; also, reading of French newspapers and tragedy.

Classes in this Department are formed only at the opening of the session. Applicants for entrance into it, without a respectable proficiency in English Grammar, cannot be admitted. Of the known qualifications and long experience of the Professor in this department, it is not necessary to say anything.

NOTE.—The German and French take the place of the Greek both in the curriculum and daily recitations; the former instead of the first two, and the latter of the last two years of the Greek.

VIII. DEPARTMENT OF VOCAL CULTURE.

This Department, during the past year, has been ably taught by Professor J. I. Hopkins. It is the earnest desire of the Directors and Faculty to make the instruction in this Department, at an early period, comprise a regular course, extending through one or two years. Its importance can scarcely be overestimated.
I. LECTURES.

(a) Week day lectures will be delivered in elucidation of subjects suggested by the text books. For their particular description, see Departments.

(b) Lord’s day lectures will be delivered weekly, during the first and third terms of each session, by a member of the Faculty; (or an acceptable substitute) on topics connected with the Christian Religion, or related to human conduct. Every student is required to attend the lecture and one other religious service each Lord’s Day.

II. RHETORICAL EXERCISES.

Practical composition is taught by Miss Merrill during the three terms of the second Preparatory Year.

For vocal training, see Department of Vocal Culture.

III. LITERARY SOCIETIES.

Three Literary Societies are now organized and in successful operation in the University. These are the Mathesian and the Pythonian, composed of young gentlemen, and the Athenian, of young ladies.
All these societies are, by the by-laws of the University, placed under the supervision of the Faculty.

The Athenian receives the care and attention of Miss Merrill. These societies, properly conducted, are very important agencies in the social and literary culture of the students of the Institution. Well selected Libraries, accessible to the members of the societies, give important additional means of culture. Contributions to them will be thankfully received.

IV. COLLEGE CABINETS.

The Cabinets given to the Institution, by Van Tuyl, of Ohio, and purchased of W. D. Frazee, of Santa Barbara, California, afford a very complete illustration of the rocks and fossils of the different geological eras.

There is a fair collection of shells, fossil and recent, and a very considerable number of specimens illustrative of Ethnology.

It is hoped that the friends of the Institution will, whenever opportunity offers, forward specimens illustrative of any of the departments of natural science. Our friends traveling in different parts of the earth will please note this, and in seeking pleasure not forget the interests of science.

ORDER.

I. IN CHAPEL.

Each student, at the beginning of each term, will be assigned to a seat in the Chapel, which he will be expected to keep for the term. Perfect decorum, and entire abstinence from whispering, reading, and all overt demonstrations of approval or disapproval, will be required. Students will stand during singing and prayer.

II. CLASS ROOM.

Entire abstinence from intercommunication, and perfect quiet and attention to the recitation are here required.
III. COLLEGE BUILDING.

No student will be allowed to remain in the halls during recitation hours. At the ringing of each successive bell the classes will be dismissed, and will proceed without delay to the room of the next recitation. Students not reciting will, unless expressly permitted to study elsewhere, be seated in one of the Recitation Rooms assigned for the purpose. Generally, they will be required to remain in the room where they recited last, until their next recitation.

IV. COLLEGE GROUNDS.

Students are not permitted to remain on the Campus, even for study, during recitation hours; and any loitering or playing in the Campus within that time will be considered highly disorderly.

V. GENERAL BEHAVIOR.

Courteous and respectful deportment from students to each other; and to the officers and Faculty of the Institution, a careful observance of by-laws as to character and conduct, will be a necessary condition of a continued connection with the University.

During recitation hours, the young ladies will be under the immediate care and control of the Lady Professor; and during that time will meet the other sex only in the room where they recite. The same strict propriety will be required in the intercourse of the sexes everywhere, and at all times during their connection with the Institution. In no case, brother or father excepted, will a gentleman be permitted to visit a lady’s private room. It is believed that, with only the restrictions demanded by propriety, the association of the sexes in the collegiate career will greatly promote the social, moral and intellectual culture of each.
COLLEGE EXAMINATIONS.

I. PRELIMINARY.

1. Every candidate for admission to the University for the first time, not having a satisfactory certificate, will be examined in the elements of Arithmetic and English Grammar before receiving the President's permit.

2. Every candidate for advanced standing not having a satisfactory certificate, will, before class enrollment, be examined upon the branches which precede those of the class he proposes to enter.

II. DAILY CLASS.

The daily examinations of lessons will be conducted according to the best judgment of the Professor in charge. Careful attention will be given in all cases to secure the use of correct words and sentences. The prime objects of the recitation will be to test the student's preparation, and to develop his logical ability and capacity for expression. To impart information will be secondary, and will be employed only to clear difficulties, amplify the subject, and promote the interest of the recitation.

III. TERM.

At the close of each term all the classes will be examined on the branches pursued during the term. These examinations will be entirely written, or partly written and partly oral, as the Faculty may determine. They will always be open for the attendance of visitors. The aim, however, will not be to make them a source of entertainment to visitors, but a rigid test of the student's knowledge.

The result obtained by adding the value of this examination to twice the average class standing, and dividing the sum by three, will constitute the student's proficiency, which, to entitle him to promotion, must not be less than 70, on a scale in which 100 denotes perfect, and 0 an entire failure.
IV. SENIOR.

The members of the Senior Class shall sustain an examination in the following branches: Practical Arithmetic, Descriptive Geography, English Grammar, United States History and Orthography.

The Senior Class will be examined on the studies of the Senior Year during, or previous to, the first week in June.

COLLEGE RECORDS.

I. MATRICULATION.

In the Matriculation book of the University each student will record his name and age, and the name and postoffice address of his parent or guardian.

II. CHAPEL.

The College Roll will be called on each Friday morning, and each student will report his absences during the week, if any, from church, lecture and chapel.

If he fails to have his absences excused before the next roll call, his name will be publicly read, and he will be suspended from all his recitations until he obtains a written excuse for all his absences.

III. DAILY.

In a Class Book, kept by each Professor, will be entered daily a record of the proficiency, deportment and attendance of each member of the class, from which his class standing will be determined.

IV. TERM.

From his class standing and the result of his examinations at the close of each term, his final standing will be determined, which will be recorded on the University Record for future reference.
COLLEGE REPORTS.

During the last week of each term a report of the department, attendance, and proficiency of each student will be prepared and sent to the parent or guardian.

DEGREES.

I. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE.

This degree will be conferred on students who have satisfactorily completed the studies embraced in the Scientific Course of the College of Literature.

II. BACHELOR OF ARTS.

In the same College will be conferred the degree of Bachelor of Arts upon completion of the Classical Course.

III. MASTERS OF ARTS.

This degree will be conferred upon any Bachelor of Arts of the University at the end of three years, upon condition that during that time he shall have maintained a good character and been engaged in literary or scientific pursuits.

IV. BACHELOR OF LAWS.

This degree will be conferred on those who have finished the prescribed course in the College of Law.

HONORARY DEGREES.

The Institution will occasionally confer the degrees of A. M. and LL. D. upon persons who, to a fair scholarship, join a high character for energy and worth.
The above degrees will be conferred by the Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Faculty of the College to which the candidate belongs.

**DIPLOMAS.**

When a degree has been conferred a diploma may be obtained upon payment of the fee of five dollars. Diplomas will also be granted upon satisfactory completion of the course in the Commercial Department.

**TERMS OF COLLEGE YEAR FOR 1872-3.**

The College year or session is divided into three terms, as follows:

First of fifteen weeks, beginning on Wednesday, the 10th day of September, which will give fifteen weeks before Christmas.

Second of twelve weeks, beginning the 5th of January, and ending on Wednesday, March 25th.

Third of twelve weeks, beginning on Monday of the week following the close of the preceding term, and ending June 19th.

**VACATIONS.**

Vacation of two weeks will be given at the close of the first term, and four days at the close of the second term.

**EXPENSES.**

The fees in the Institution are fixed as follows:

For tuition in College proper and Preparatory Department—
Per Session in scrip.................................................. $42 00
Per Term in scrip......................................................... 14 00
MATRICULATION FEES.

Per Session in cash ........................................ 5 00
Per Term in cash ........................................... 2 00
Janitor's Fees per Term ................................. 2 00
Graduation Fee ........................................... 5 00

BOARDING.

Board is easily obtained in good families, and convenient to the Institution, at four to five dollars per week. Students can board themselves at much lower rates.

SCRIP.

Those students who have not scrip can generally obtain it of the Secretary by paying four dollars in cash for fourteen in scrip.

The following will approximate very closely the

NECESSARY EXPENSES.

Per Session, tuition (scrip at 30 per cent.) ............... $12 00
Per Session, Janitor's fees ................................ 12 00
Per Session, boarding at $4.50 per week ................. 175 50

Total for one College year, exclusive of books ...... $199 50

Other expenses, as clothing, etc., are different for different students, but from the above, any student may approximate the annual necessary outlay.

Many students board themselves at $2.00 per week. This would reduce the above almost one-half.

FREE TUITION.

Tuition fees in the Institution are payable in Interest Scrip, which is issued to and belongs to stockholders. Stockholders having a supply of this scrip, propose to furnish it gratuitously
to worthy students, who, in good faith, propose to devote themselves to the work of the Christian ministry, and need help to enable them to complete their studies for that purpose. Such students may rely upon being furnished with scrip to pay their tuition fees.

TO STUDENTS ON ARRIVING IN THE CITY.

On arriving at the Union Depot of the city, students will reach the University by the Massachusetts Avenue line of street cars. Any information respecting the Institution, or places for obtaining boarding, can be obtained by calling on the Secretary, Professor C. E. Hollenbeck, at the office of the University, from 9 A.M. to 12 M., or at his residence.

TO THE ALUMNI OF THE N. W. C. U., THEIR RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.

It is desirable to preserve biographical statistics of each graduate of the University for future use. Information as to any of the items following, we would be glad to receive, addressed to the Secretary:

1. Names of graduates and parents.
2. Date, month and year, and place of birth.
3. Facts of early life and education.
4. Date of admission to College, and class entered.
5. Particulars of professions studied, degrees, etc., etc.
6. Any offices, titles, honors of after life.
7. Marriage, facts of subsequent history, and time, place, and circumstances of decease.
Three years ago, the Board of Directors determined to organize and equip, as one of the Colleges of the University, a school for the special preparation of young men and women for commercial pursuits. This was accordingly done, under powers granted by the charter of the University.

The following exhibits the course of study:

I. BUSINESS DEPARTMENT,

C. E. HOLLENBECK, A. M.

Book-keeping, single and double entry, is taught thoroughly by an experienced practical accountant. The method at beginning is to analyze simple transactions, determine the exact relations to the business of the persons, property and causes involved in them, then to devise the best method to so record these relations as to show results.

After a thorough elementary drill, the student proceeds to open, write up, and close about twenty-five sets of books, illustrating the following kinds of business: Single Proprietor, Partnership, Joint Stock Company, Retail and Wholesale Merchandising, Jobbing, Farming, Commission, Administration, Forwarding, Brokerage, Mining, Contracting, and Banking; also, methods of changing books from single to double entry, and vice versa, and from single proprietor to partnership books, and vice versa.
The student acquires a considerable knowledge of each kind of business, and he makes and uses Notes, Drafts, Receipts, Orders, Checks, Certificates, Bills, Accounts Current, Accounts Sales, Invoices, Bills of Lading, etc.

Principles and Practice of Business receive careful explanation, and are illustrated and rendered familiar by mimic transactions, involving all the steps and forms of real business.

Commercial Law in practical easy lectures on Common Contract, Partnership, Agency, Negotiable Paper, and Common Carrier, calculated to give an available knowledge of these important subjects.

Business Computations, involving special training in the ready application of the principles, and methods of arithmetic to business transactions.

Business Correspondence, Papers and Forms are taught and practiced until readiness and precision are secured.

II. POLITICAL ECONOMY.

Miss Catharine Merrill, A. M.

The importance of giving attention to the science of economy as applied to States and Nations, is growing to be generally recognized. Besides the class exercises, it is intended that there shall hereafter be a course of lectures each term on this subject.

III. ARITHMETIC.

C. E. Hollenbeck, A. M.

The Arithmetic is a special class of advanced students.

IV. ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION.

Miss Catharine Merrill, A. M.

A business man should be able to give concise and pointed expression to his ideas. It is of great advantage to him in conversation, and of almost incalculable value in business correspondence.

V. ALGEBRA.

W. M. Thrasher, A. M.

Algebra is optional.
VI. PENMANSHIP.
GEO. F. BEASOM.

Taught according to the Spencerian system, which is so well known for beauty, simplicity, and ease of acquisition.

REGULATIONS.

Students can enter at any time, and continue until they complete the course.

Students can enter on a common school education.

Students are expected to attend morning prayers at the University Chapel daily, and public worship on Sunday at a church of their own selection.

The privileges of Library and Literary Societies are shared by commercial students.

Upon completing the course of studies, a diploma of graduation will be granted.

EXPENSES.

Tuition fees payable in advance.

Scholarship good for Bookkeeping, Principles and Practice of Business, Commercial Law, Business Computations, Correspondence, Business Papers and Forms, and Penmanship, till they are completed, with privilege of review; also, good for three months in any classes in the University ................................................................. $40 00

Book-keeping, Commercial Law, Computations and Penmanship, three months ........................................... 25 00

Penmanship alone, three months ...................................... 5 00

Graduation fee .................................................................. 2 00

For graduation, the applicant must pass examination in all the above named branches, except Algebra and Political Economy.
N. W. C. UNIVERSITY.

COLLEGE OF LAW.

FACULTY.

HON. HORATIO C. NEWCOMB, LL. D.,
Professor of Equity Jurisprudence, Law of Corporations, and Partnerships.

HON. BYRON K. ELLIOTT, A. M.,
Professor of Real Property Law, Criminal Law, Practice, Pleadings, and Evidence.

CHARLES P. JACOBS, ESQ., A. M.
Professor of Natural and Municipal Law, Rights of Persons, Law of Contracts, and Personal Property.

THE LAW CLASS OF 1872-3.

This Department, lately reorganized, has already gained an enviable reputation for the thoroughness of its lecture course. The gentlemen composing the Faculty were selected on account of their known fitness for the positions they occupy, and because their ages, tastes and habits of thought would fully represent the enterprise and energy of the present era.

In relation to the advantages of location, we quote the following from our circular, issued January, 1871:
"The advantages accruing to the student who pursues his legal studies at this Institution are, it is believed, unequalled in the State. It is located at Indianapolis, whose importance as a commercial city is now second to no inland city of the Union. It is the seat of the State Government, and the General Assembly holds its sessions here every two years, with the probability that, sooner or later, the sessions will be held annually.

"Here, too, are held the Courts of the United States, Circuit and District; the various Courts of the State, Supreme Court, Circuit Court, Superior Court, and Criminal Court; and these are in session at Indianapolis during the greater portion of the year, and the causes argued in their several forums are among the most important and interesting which can arise in modern litigation.

"Here, too, is located the State Law Library, the most extensive collection of legal works in the State, which is open every day, during ordinary hours, to students, free of charge; and in the various law offices of the city are found numerous extensive private collections of law books, many of which are accessible, at proper times, to students."

COURSE OF STUDY.

Lectures will be delivered on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week. On Tuesdays, a general review will be had of the week's work, and on Thursdays, Moot Courts will be held by one of the Professors, in which questions of present and practical interest will be discussed and causes tried, to be conducted by the students, who will be required to prepare pleadings, furnish briefs, and make oral arguments.

No examination and no particular course of study is required for admission. Students will be required to be punctual in their attendance upon the lectures, and industry and scholarship will alone be encouraged. Nothing else will succeed in the College or in the profession.

The lectures for the session of 1873–4 will begin on

Wednesday, the 1st of October, 1873,

and continue until the 17th day of December, 1873, when there will be a vacation of two weeks. Lectures will be resumed again
on Monday, the 5th day of January, 1874, and continue until Friday, the 27th day of March, making a session of twenty-three weeks.

TEXT BOOKS.

The text books used and referred to are those in general use, and are to be found in all private or public law libraries of any importance, and the students will probably be able to secure the use of most, if not all, of them, without being compelled to purchase for themselves. Should any, however, prefer to purchase their own, the following are recommended: Kent's Commentaries on American Law, Blackstone's Commentaries, Washburn on Real Property, Smith on Contracts, Greenleaf on Evidence, Stephen on Pleading, Smith's Mercantile Law, Story's Equity Jurisprudence, Williams on Personal Property, Browne on Frauds, Broom's Legal Maxims, Angell and Ames on Corporations. In all cases it is best to purchase the latest editions of text books.

TERMS.

The lecture fees are $30 for the session, payable invariably in advance. Payment may be made to either of the Professors in this Department, or to the Treasurer of the University.

The annual commencement will be held at the close of the session, and the degree of Bachelor of Laws will be conferred upon such students as shall pass the proper examinations, and whose deportment and attendance upon the lectures shall be such as to merit the approval of the Faculty.

Each candidate for graduation may be required to prepare and read at the annual commencement a thesis upon some topic connected with his legal studies.

Students intending to enter this Department are requested to be punctual in their attendance upon the first day of the term.
DEMIA BUTLER CHAIR.

MISS CATHARINE MERRILL, PROFESSOR.

It will be seen by inspecting the courses of study, that a Chair has been added, called the "Demia Butler Chair of English Literature," in honor of Demia Butler, now deceased, the first female to be graduated in the full Classical Course of the Institution. This Chair has been endowed by her father, Ovid Butler, Esq., of this city, to be perpetually filled by a female Professor. The Board have been fortunate in securing the services of Miss Catharine Merrill for the Chair, a thorough teacher, of large experience, and under whose care the friends and patrons of the University may safely place their daughters, and to whom without reserve they may intrust their moral and educational wants and interests. This Department has been in successful operation four years, having great prospects for the future.

THE JEREMY H. ANDERSON CHAIR.

JOHN O. HOPKINS, A. B., PROFESSOR.

Jeremy H. Anderson, Esq., of Missouri, has made provision to endow the Chair of the Greek Language and Literature, which the Board have named in honor of him. Prof. John O. Hopkins, A. B., a graduate of Kentucky University, has been elected to this Chair, which he has satisfactorily and efficiently filled during the past year.
The session of 1872-3, as the accompanying Catalogue will show, has witnessed a continuance of the unusual prosperity which the last few years have brought us.

All well wishers of the cause of Education must regret that no man has, so far, been found of the requisite zeal, energy and business capacity, who is willing to devote these for a few years in order to place on a basis of assured success this Educational Enterprise.

The Institution has made an excellent beginning; has already a foundation sufficient to enable it to live and accomplish great good. Of this the past history of the College affords ample proof. But, believing, as we do, that the full measure of a great University is within its certain reach at the price of a reasonable expenditure of energy, we can not rest content with the present success, however encouraging.

The Board have used considerable effort in the right direction, and, as we close the Collegiate year of 1872-3, we have intimations of a decidedly encouraging nature touching the financial condition.

We wish it clearly understood, now and hereafter, that all the friends of the University and of Education generally, will always find a cordial welcome awaiting them whenever, in visiting Indianapolis, they may favor the Institution with a visit.

We would especially be glad to see them during the closing days of the college year, when, for nearly two weeks, the closing Exercises and Exhibitions of the Literary Societies, the Examinations, written and oral, and the Commencement Exercises are taking place. May God increase continually our zeal in behalf of a generous Christian Education, and our willingness to work for truth always and everywhere.
AN ORDINANCE

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Government of the University.

OF STUDENTS.

SECTION 19. Students of either sex, of good moral character and habits shall be entitled to admission into the University. Every candidate for admission as a student, must pay the Treasurer of the Institution the tuition fees in advance, for not less than one term. Each student of the age of fourteen years or upwards, when he or she applies for admission as a student, shall procure and read a copy of the By-Laws pertaining to the duties of students, and shall then sign his or her name in a book to be kept for that purpose by the Secretary of the Faculty stating his or her age and place of nativity, and the name of his or her parent or guardian, under a caption, in the following words: "Having carefully read the By-Laws pertaining to the duties of students of the Northwestern Christian University, I do hereby subscribe myself student thereof; and I do hereby solemnly promise that, during my connection with it, I will faithfully observe and obey its laws, rules and regulations."

SECTION 20. To remain a student in connection with the University, every student is required to observe the following regulations:

1. Immediately after matriculation, the student shall select from the different schools, with the advice and consent of the Faculty, an amount of study equal to three daily recitations.
2. That the student be diligent in study, and punctual in his attendance upon recitations, examinations, and other college exercises.

3. That having entered any College Class, the student shall not leave it without the permission of the Faculty.

4. That the student neither introduce nor use upon the premises of the University any intoxicating beverages.

5. That the student do not bring nor use upon said premises any firearms, dirk, bowie-knife, or any other kind of deadly weapon.

6. That the student abstain from profanity, the desecration of the Lord’s day, all kinds of gaming, even for amusement, and whatever is inconsistent with good order, good taste, and good morals.

7. That the student attend public worship at least once every Lord’s day.

8. That the students be strictly moral in language and conduct, respectful to the officers of the Institution, and courteous and kind to all the students of the University.

9. That the student carefully observe all the rules and regulations contained in any part of this Ordinance, respecting fees, societies, and University grounds and buildings.

The marriage of any student, during term time, shall, in the discretion of the Faculty, be regarded a sufficient reason for the disconnection of such student from the Institution for the balance of the term.

OF DISCIPLINE.

SECTION 22. The discipline of the University is confined to the Faculty, under the provisions herein contained. As far as practicable, it shall be parental, and all severe and disgraceful punishment shall be avoided, and appeals addressed to the reason and conscience. But to maintain good order, and to secure the very important objects for which the Institution was founded, the Faculty may inflict, at their discretion, according to the character of the offense, any of the following penalties:

1. Private admonition.
2. Public admonition.
3. Suspension for a time, at the discretion of the Faculty.
4. Expulsion.

No student shall be publicly suspended or expelled without an opportunity of being fully heard in his or her own defense; and in all cases of expulsion, the party expelled may appeal to the Board within thirty days, in which case the action of the Faculty shall not be final, till confirmed by the Board of Directors or Business Committee. The appeal shall be filed with the Secretary of the Board, and shall be acted on by the Board or Business Committee, as soon as either can be called together.

But whenever the Faculty are satisfied that, owing to the habitual idleness, profanity, or any other cause, the presence of a student in the University is unfavorable to its prosperity and the welfare of other students, they may suspend him or her privately, or require the parent or guardian to remove such student immediately from the Institution. In all cases of suspension or expulsion the delinquent shall forfeit the tuition fee for the remainder of the term.

Sec. 23. The Faculty may, from time to time, make such prudential regulations pertaining to the social intercourse of the sexes as they may deem expedient.