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Some ITEMS IN THE HISTORY OF THE UNIVERSITY.

The charter of what is now known as Washington and Lee University was first granted, in 1782, to Liberty Hall Academy, a school established by the early settlers of the Valley of Virginia, in 1749, and, until the Revolutionary War, called The Augusta Academy.

In 1796, General Washington bestowed upon Liberty Hall Academy, James River Company stock, valued at \$50,000, voted to him by the Commonwealth of Virginia in acknowledgment of his services in the Revolution, but accepted by him on the express condition that he should be permitted to endow therewith some institution of learning. The name, Liberty Hall Academy, was then changed to Washington Academy, and this, in 1813, to Washington College.

In 1803, the Institution received the further endowment of \$25,000, from the Society of the Cincinnati, and in 1826 a gift of \$40,000, from John Robinson, a soldier under Washington. In honor of these munificent benefactions, the Trustees established the "Cincinnati Professorship of Mathematics," and the "Robinson Professorship of Chemistry."

In 1865, General Robert E. Lee accepted the Presidency of Washington College, a position which he held for five years, until his death, in 1870.

In 1871, General G. W. Custis Lee succeeded his father in the Presidential Chair, and the Legislature of Virginia changed the name of the Institution to its present title—Washington and Lee University.

In addition to the munificent gifts just mentioned, it is deemed proper to note more recent contributions to the funds of the Institution. The names, however, can be here inserted of those only whose contributions exceed or approximate \$5,000.

Hon. Cyrus H. McCormick, New York	\$20,500
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Mr. R. H. Bayly, New Orleans, (a bequest, of which one-half has	
already been realized.)	70,000

Hon. George Peabody, London, (value at time of donation, in 1869, less expenses of litigation) about \$250,000

Mr. RATHMELL WILSON, of Philadelphia, a large and valuable library of scientific and literary works, estimated at \$6,000 to \$8,000.

Dr. W. N. Mercer, New Orleans, one thousand volumes of select and especially valuable Books and several Oil Paintings of great historical interest.

Mr. Lewis Brooks, of Rochester, N. Y., for the Museum, and its arrangement, as particularly described elsewhere in this Catalogue, sums aggregating \$25,000.

"Newcomb Hall" has been erected at the cost of \$20,000, by Mrs. Josephine Louise Newcomb, of New York, as a tribute of affection and honor to the memory of her husband, the late Warren Newcomb, Esquire.

To Mrs. M. J. Youne, of Houston, and other ladies of Texas, the University is indebted for a large and costly Organ for the Lee Memorial Chapel.

Mr. H. H. Houston, of Philadelphia has given the sum of \$7,000, the interest on which is applied to the support of the Howard Houston Fellowship.

Mr. F. O. French, of New York, has established a Scholarship, yielding annually \$300, for the benefit of undergraduates.

The friends of the University in various parts of the country will be gratified by the strong testimony to its claims on the confidence of the public at large, which is afforded in the high character of these, its patrons, as well as in the extent of their liberality on its behalf. Decisive as this testimony must be regarded, it would yet be greatly strengthened by adding the names, with the generous contributions, of other patrons, the number of whom prevents a more particular notice of their benefactions.

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1. The arrangement of the course of study into distinct elective Departments. Students may elect their own studies; but in each Department there is a prescribed course, which the student is required to pursue according to the degree of his preparation. Promotion is accorded only upon actual attainments, and Certificates are conferred only at the end of a complete course, upon a thorough examination.

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COURSE OF STUDY.

The Course of Study is divided into the following distinct Departments. The student, under the advice of the Faculty, may select any studies for which he is prepared.

DEPARTMENT OF LATIN AND ROMAN HISTORY.

PROFESSOR HARRIS.

In this Department there are three classes:

I. JUNIOR.

This class meets five times a week. The chief work of this class is constant drill in the Inflections and the elementary principles of Syntax; a persistent effort is made to secure exactness and uniformity of pronunciation with the observance of quantity.

There are two written exercises a week. The class reads the Twenty-First Book of Livy; the Orations of Cicero against Catiline; two books of Vergil's Æneid, (Greenough's ed.)

TEXT-BOOKS.

Gildersleeve's Grammar; Tozer's Primer of Classical Geography; Creighton's Primer of Roman History; Keightley's Mythology.

II. INTERMEDIATE.

This class meets four times a week. The authors read are Livy, Cicero, Vergil, Terence. The study of Syntax is pursued systematically. There are two written exercises a week. One hour a week will be given to the study of Roman Antiquities.

III. SENIOR.

This class meets four times a week. The class reads Tacitus, Horace, Juvenal, with selections from other poets. One hour each week is given to Roman History and Literature.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Leighton's Roman History, Bender's Roman Literature.

Private parellel reading is required in all the classes; a small amount in the lower, a larger amount in the higher classes.

Note.—There is a Fourth class, which meets five times a week, for students who are not prepared for the Junior class.

This class studies Gildersleeve's Grammar and Exercises, and reads Cæsar and Ovid.

DEPARTMENT OF GREEK AND GREEK HISTORY.

PROFESSOR WHITE.

I. JUNIOR CLASS.

Read Xenophon's Anabasis and Memorabilia and Plato's Apology and Crito; study the forms and structure of the Language, illustrated by exercises in Greek composition. Curtis' Grammar. (Meet five times weekly.)

II. INTERMEDIATE.

Read Homer, Euripides and Demosthenes. The Syntax formally taught by lectures and illustrated by exercises. (Three times weekly.)

III. SENIOR.

Read Thucydides, Æschylus, Sophocles and Euripides. The History and Literature taught in this class. In addition to what is read in the lecture-room, candidates for Proficiency are expected to pursue a prescribed course of reading. (Three times weekly.)

Arrangements are made for Elementary Instruction in a Fourth class.

DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES, ENGLISH, AND MODERN HISTORY.

PROF. HARRISON.

Ass'T Prof. Akers.

MODERN LANGUAGES.

The subjects taught in this Department are the French and German Languages. There are two classes, Junior and Senior, each of which meets three times a week.

FRENCH.

JUNIOR—Harrison's French Syntax, (selected parts); Bôcher's Otto's Reader, Bôcher's College Plays; Saintsbury's French Literature. Exercises twice a week.

Senior—Keetels' Collegiate Grammar; Harrison's French Syntax; Molière and Racine; Saintsbury's French Literature; Belot. Exercises twice a week. Outlines of Historical French Grammar are taught. Spiers and Surenne's Dictionary. For Etymologies, Brachet's Dictionary. Some knowledge of Latin is desirable in the Senior Class.

GERMAN.

JUNIOR—Whitney's Grammar; Whitney's Reader; Grimm's Märchen; Hosmer's German Literature. Exercises twice a week.

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Adler's Dictionary. Private parallel reading is required in all classes.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

GENERAL.

The *Junior Course* in English is intended for students who have either never had an opportunity to study English Grammar at all, or who desire to review what they may have studied at other institutions. This course is devoted particularly to a thorough drill in English Composition, Analysis and Punctuation, for which suitable text-books are provided. A course of reading in the principal English poets, from Shakspere to Tennyson, accompanies the work of the Junior year. Effort is made to correct errors in pronunciation, and to inculcate accuracy in the use of language.

Academic Students of the University, who contemplate graduation in any study, are required either to pass the Junior Examinations successfully or to stand a Special Examination in English, at such time as the Faculty of the University shall indicate.

The *Intermediate* and *Senior Courses* in English are largely, though not exclusively, devoted to the historical study of the language as developed out of the Anglo-Saxon and enriched by the French and other languages. The history of the forms and inflections is carefully pursued. The masterpieces of the Anglo-Saxon, the Semi-Saxon and the Early English period, from Beowulf to Chaucer, inclusive, are systematically studied, while throughout the Intermediate year ordinary English Composition, in continuation of the Junior year, is cultivated.

Parallel Reading, Lectures and Exercises are further agencies employed to render the study of English during the two concluding years as wide and useful as possible.

The prizes awarded by the New Shakspere Society and by the Early English Text Society, for the best piece of work on some technical subject connected with Anglo-Saxon and Early English, respectively, for the English department, are promised for the future.

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Some knowledge of Latin, French and German is highly desirable for Intermediate and Senior students.

English Literature and Rhetoric are taught in another Department; and to complete a full English Course it is most desirable that students combine this Course with the Course of Special English indicated below.

SPECIAL.

JUNIOR—Three recitations a week.

Texts—Kellogg's Higher English Grammar; Abbott's How to Write Clearly; Minto's Prose Composition; Ward's English Poets, vols. III. and IV.

English Composition, Punctuation, Sentence-Analysis are carefully taught in this Class. Weekly Exercises and Analysis. Parallel Reading.

INTERMEDIATE.—Three recitations a week. The history of the English language is now taken up, and the study of English composition is continued by weekly exercises. Anglo-Saxon is begun with the second half-session.

Texts—Bain's Higher English Grammar; Morris's History of the English language; Ward's English Poets, vols. I. and II.; March's or Carpenter's Anglo-Saxon Grammar; Exercises; Parallel Reading.

Ward contains selections from all the great English poets, from Chaucer to Shakspere, and the four volumes of the work, as distributed between the Junior and Intermediate years, contain a very complete outline sketch of the period 1350–1850.

Senior—Three recitations a week. The historical study of the language is continued, and an extensive course of Anglo-Saxon, Semi-Saxon and Early English, from Beowulf to Chaucer, (connecting with the Intermediate Course) is completed; lectures on the history and development of the language are given; an introduction to the study of Gothic, as the foundation of English and Germanic philology, is made by means of Skeat's edition of one of Ulfilas's Gospels.

Texts—Sweet's Anglo-Saxon Reader; Corson's Hand-Book of Early English; Harrison's Beowulf; Whitney's Language and the Study of Language, (for the general history of philology and its methods); Ten Brink's History of Old English Literature.

A piece of special work will be required of each Senior student. Parallel Reading.

Works for General Reference—Skeat's Etymological Dictionary of the English Language; Gilman's Chaucer; the Globe Shakspere; Abbott's Shakspere Grammar; Kington-Oliphant's and Earle's Works on English.

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MODERN HISTORY.

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This class meets three times a week.

Text-Books—Gibbon; Hallam's Middle Ages; Doyle's History of the United States; Green's History of the English People.

DEPARTMENT OF MORAL PHILOSOPHY AND BELLES-LETTRES.

PROFESSOR KIRKPATRICK.

The subjects taught are—

Philosophy of the Mind, with the use of Hamilton's Metaphysics; Logic, with Bowen's Treatise; Ethics, partly by lectures and partly with the use of Alexander's Moral Science; Evidences of Christianity, with Paley's Treatise and

In the foregoing studies the class meets the Professor on each day of the week throughout the session.

In the Department of Belles-Lettres, the books used are—

Bain's and Whately's works on Rhetoric, and Shaw's and Taine's Histories of English Literature, to which are added Readings and Critical Analysis of stand-

Two classes, each meeting three times a week through the entire session.

Lectures, more or less formal, are delivered throughout the course whenever the subjects require them.

Books for reference and for parallel reading are named as there is occasion for their use.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS.

PROF. NELSON.

INSTRUCTOR: CARICHOFF.

In this Department there are three classes:

I. JUNIOR.

In this class are taught Algebra, Geometry and Plane Trigonometry, (five recitations per week.)

In order that students may enter this class, they must be familiar with Arithmetic and with Elementary Algebra as far as quadratic equations, and have studied two books of Geometry. There is a lower section, called the Second Junior Class, which

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English re Gramstudents may enter who are not prepared to enter the regular Junior Class.

II. INTERMEDIATE.

This class studies Spherical Trigonometry, Analytical Geometry and an elementary course in Differential and Integral Calculus. (Four recitations per week.)

III. SENIOR.

This class takes a more extended course in Analytical Geometry, Differential and Integral Calculus, and studies the Philosophy of Mathematics. (Three recitations per week.)

In all of the classes the students are subjected to rigid examinations in the class-room, and are carefully trained in making accurate demonstrations at the black-board. Much importance is attached to the original solution of problems so selected as to afford applications of the principles taught in the class-room.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Wentworth's Complete Algebra; Wentworth's Plane and Solid Geometry; Wheeler's Trigonometry; Puckle's Conic Sections, with Notes and Lectures by the Professor; Olney's General Geometry and Calculus; Byerly's Differential and Integral Calculus; Comte's Philosophy of Mathematics; G. W. Smith on Life Insurance.

DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED MATHEMATICS.

ACTING PROFESSORS LEE AND MORELAND.

A. Civil Engineering—Three Classes.

I. JUNIOR.

Descriptive Geometry, Shades and Shadows, and Perspective (Church); Stone Cutting (Mahan); Surveying (Davies); Field Work (Searles); Topographical Drawing (Smith).

II. INTERMEDIATE.

Civil Engineering (Mahan, revised by Wood); Rudiments of Architecture; Applied Mechanics (Rankine.)

III. SENIOR.

Applied Mechanics, (Rankine); Civil Engineering, (Rankine.)

Drawing and field practice throughout the course.

B. Military Engineering.

Principles of fortification and gunnery.

C. Astronomy.

This course is elementary and popular.

Text-Book-Newcomb and Holden.

To enter the Junior Class in Civil Engineering, students must be familiar with Algebra, Geometry and Plane Trigonometry.

To enter the class in Astronomy, a knowledge of at least the first half of the Junior course of Natural Philosophy is required.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

PROFESSOR MORELAND.

In this Department there are two classes, each meeting five times per week.

I. JUNIOR.

This class first studies Elementary Mechanics as an introduction to Physics and a more extended study of Mechanics in the Senior year. On completing the Mechanics, Physics is taken up and pursued during the remainder of the session. The solution of a large number of problems in both Mechanics and Physics is required. The course is illustrated by experiments, the subjects of Electricity, Magnetism, and Optics receiving special attention.

To enter this class students must be familiar with the elements of Algebra, Geometry and Plane Trigonometry.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Dana's Text-Book of Elementary Mechanics; Everett's Physics, supplemented by lectures.

II. SENIOR.

This class studies—1. Analytical Mechanics; 2. Thermodynamics; 3. Vibratory Motion and Sound, or some similar work on Optics, Electricity, etc.

To enter this class students must be familiar with the subjects taught in the Junior class, and also be well prepared on the subjects taught in the Senior Class of Mathematics.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Bartlett's Analytical Mechanics; McCulloch's Mechanical Theory of Heat; Everett's Vibratory Motion and Sound; Airy's Undulatory Theory of Optics.

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DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY AND GEOLOGY.

PROFESSOR CAMPBELL.

INSTRUCTOR: CAMPBELL.

In this Department there are two classes. The studies are divided as follows:

I. THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY.

- 1. CHEMICAL Physics.—Embracing Light, Heat and Electricity, in their relations to the science of Chemistry.
- 2. Inorganic Chemistry.—In which are discussed the use of chemical symbols and nomenclature; the laws of chemical affinity; electro-chemical decomposition; the atomic theory and the theory of volumes; the relation of Chemistry to Mineralogy; the general principles of inorganic analysis; theory and use of the Spectroscope.
- 3. Organic Chemistry.—Treating of the composition and properties of the proximate constituents of plants and animals; the changes produced by fermentation, and by light, heat and chemical re-agents; the theory of compound radicals; the properties of vegetable acids and alkaloids, and the principles and processes of organic analysis.
- 4. Physiological Chemistry.—Including an outline of vegetable and animal physiology; the connection of vitality with chemical action in both plants and animals, as illustrated in growth, nutrition and respiration.
 - 5. Course of lectures on agriculture.
 - 6. A brief history of the origin and development of chemical science.

This class meets the Professor in the Laboratory on six days of every week for recitations and experiments. The lectures are illustrated by an elaborate course of experiments. Recitations are both written and oral. Exercises in Laboratory work will be given as often as circumstances may permit.

Solutions of scientific problems, with written exercises and essays on the subjects of study, are assigned frequently throughout the session.

TEXT-BOOKS.

"Bloxam's Chemistry," (last edition), and "Fownes' Chemistry," (new edition). A good chemical library for reference is accessible to students.

Students entering this Department must be familiar with the subjects taught in the Junior Class of Mathematics.

II. MINERALOGY AND GEOLOGY.

A knowledge of Chemistry is required for this course.

The course of Mineralogy and Geology occupies three hours per week in lectures and recitations, for the entire session. prej T

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and ble Elementary courses of Zoology and Mineralogy are studied preparatory to Geology.

The study of comparative Zoology will relate chiefly to the structure, habits and classification of animals, preparatory to the study of Palæontology.

The leading object in the study of Mineralogy, is to make the student familiar with—

- 1. The external properties of all important minerals as they are found in the earth.
- 2. The methods of testing them with chemical re-agents and with the blow-pipe.
 - 3. Their practical value and relation to the arts, and to the science of Geology.

 Geology is studied under the following heads:
 - 1. Dynamical Geology, or Geological Agencies.
 - 2. Structural Geology.
 - 3. Historical Geology, especially that of the United States.
- 4. Practical application of the science (a) in explorations for metallic ores and other valuable minerals; (b) in Mining and Civil Engineering.

TEXT-BOOKS.

Nicholson's Manual of Zoology, Dana's Manual of Mineralogy and Lithology, (new), and Le Conte's Geology.

Dana's Manual of Geology, and other works on the subject, are always accessible to members of the class.

N. B.—The studies in this Department are illustrated by an extensive Museum. (See on page 40). The hills, mountains and railroad cuts surrounding the Institution also afford admirable illustrations of the science of Geology.

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SCHOOL OF LAW AND EQUITY.

CHARLES A. GRAVES, M. A., B. L., PROFESSOR COMMON AND STATUTE LAW AND EQUITY JURISPRUDENCE.

HON. J. RANDOLPH TUCKER, LL. D., PROFESSOR INTERNATIONAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LAW.

HON. HUGH W. SHEFFEY, LL. D., (Late Judge Circuit Court of Virginia)

LECTURER ON WILLS AND PROBATE PRACTICE.

This School furnishes full instruction in the Law of Real and Personal Property and of Contracts; in Mercantile Law; in the Law of Torts and Crimes; in Equity Jurisprudence; in Evidence, and in Practice and Pleading; and in International and Constitutional Law.

The course is so arranged as to render possible its completion in one session of nine months. This enables diligent and earnest young men, whose means or time is limited, to prepare themselves for the Bar by a single year's unremitting study. Students are advised, however, to devote two years to their course in Law; the time thus obtained for reflection and mental digestion will secure a more thorough and accurate knowledge of law, and a stronger and more comprehensive grasp of fundamental legal principles.

There are two classes—Junior and Senior; and in each class there are six recitations or lectures a week. The Senior Class recites from ten to half-past eleven each day; the Junior from two to half-past three. Students who take the Junior Course only in Law, should pursue with it one or more of the Academic Studies taught in the University, the course in Rhetoric being especially recommended. Students who take the Senior Course only in Law, (having completed the Junior Course the previous session), are advised to pursue at the same time the course in Metaphysics and Logic.

The studies of each class are divided into those of the First Half-Session, and those of the Second Half-Session. The Second Half-Session begins February 1. In the Junior Class the studies of the two Half-Sessions are distinct, and students may enter at the beginning of the Second Half-Session, and thus materially lighten the labor of completing the course the following year.

The examinations are held at the end of each Half-Session. They are meant to be rigid, and they require a thorough acquaintance with all the subjects studied. There is no preliminary examination for admission into the Law School.

The instruction is by text-books, supplemented by a full course of printed Lectures. Written opinions are required every week of the Senior Class upon cases stated, involving the principles of law under consideration. By a special arrangement with law publishers, students can procure text-books at greatly reduced rates.

The following are the text-books required, in the order in which they are studied:

Junior Class—First Half-Session: Introductory Lectures; Blackstone's Commentaries, Book II.; Williams on Real Property; Printed Lectures on Real Property; Smith's Law of Contracts; Printed Lectures on Domestic Relations; Blackstone's Commentaries, Book I.; Schouler's Personal Property, vol. II., (Sale and Bailment).

Second Half-Session: Schouler's Personal Property, vol. II., (Accession, Confusion, and Gifts); Hutchinson on Carriers; May's Criminal Law; Blackstone's Commentaries, Book IV.; Cooley's Principles of Constitutional Law, (Law Students' Series); Vattel's Law of Nations, For reference: The Federalist.

Senior Class—First Half-Session: Printed Lectures on Corporations; Printed Lectures on Negotiable Paper; Benjamin's Chalmer's Digest of the Law of Bills and Notes; Bispham's Principles of Equity; Bigelow on Torts. (Law Students' Series); Blackstone's Commentaries, Book III.

Second Half-Session: Stephen on Pleading, (Tyler's ed.), with Lectures; Langdell's Summary of Equity Pleading; (2d ed.); Greenleaf on Evidence, (14th ed.), vol. I.; Blackstone's Commentaries, Book III.; Printed Lectures on the Conflict of Laws.

Students should have the Codes of their several States for reference.

A Moot Court is conducted in connection with the Lectures

on Practice and Pleading. A "Law Debating Society" is conducted by the students themselves.

Students have free access to the Law Library, which adjoins the Law Lecture Room, and contains a large collection of standard text-books, besides English and American Reports.

The Degree of Bachelor of Law is conferred on Students who satisfactorily pass the examinations upon the entire course. Certificates of Distinction are conferred upon the Junior Course.

The Students of the Law class are authorized by the Faculty to select one of their number as "Law Class Orator," to deliver an Oration at the Commencement of the University.

The Law School opens at the same time with the Academic Departments of the University—the next session beginning Thursday, September 18th, 1884.

EXPENSES PER SESSION OF NINE MONTHS.

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Students who take both classes in one year pay \$80, as above. Those who take one class only, in Law, pay the same, but are entitled to enter the Academic Schools of the University without further charge.

The necessary expenses for the entire session of a Law Student who boards in a private family, or at the University Hotel, need not exceed \$250. This estimate includes tuition, fees, meals, lodging, &c., but does not include books, or clothing.

PRIVATE INSTRUCTION.

Students who wish to prepare for entering the University, can receive private instruction during the summer. This work is done under the supervision of the Faculty by competent instructors. Private instruction can also be had during the session.

EXAMINATIONS.

These are conducted chiefly in writing, and are the Intermediate and Final, held, the former near the middle, and the latter near the close of the session.

The examinations are conducted by the Professors. No certificate of any kind is conferred, except after thorough and satisfactory examination upon the prescribed subjects.

The failure of a student to stand any of the regular examinations of his class, shall subject him to censure, and he shall forfeit his place in the class, unless such failure shall be excused for reasons deemed sufficient by the Faculty.

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- I. As evidence of *distinguished attainments* in any class, a Certificate of Distinction will be conferred.
- 2. As evidence of *satisfactory attainments* in any department, or complete subject therein, a Certificate of Proficiency will be conferred, with the title of Proficient.
- 3. As evidence of *distinguished attainments* in any department, or complete subject therein, a Certificate of Distinguished Proficiency will be conferred, with the title of Distinguished Proficient.
- 4. DIPLOMAS, attesting the degrees of the University, are conferred by the Board of Trustees, on the recommendation of the Faculty.

Before receiving a Certificate of Proficiency on any subject, students are required either to complete the course of Junior English, or to pass a special examination in English at a time prescribed by the Faculty.

DEGREES.

1. ACADEMIC.

I. Bachelor of Arts, (A. B.), conferred upon students who successfully complete the studies mentioned in any one of the following schemes:

Scheme A. The entire course of Latin, Greek, Rhetoric, Moral Philosophy, and Modern History or English Literature; the Junior course of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy; an elementary course of Surveying and Astronomy; the entire course of English or the Intermediate course of English, with the course of Chemistry; the entire course of German and the Junior course of French, or the entire course of French and the Junior course of German.

Scheme B. The entire course of French, German, English, Rhetoric, Moral Philosophy and Modern History; the Intermediate course of Mathematics; the Intermediate course of Latin and Greek or the entire course of Latin and the Junior course of Greek; the course of Chemistry; the Junior course of Natural Philosophy; an elementary course of Surveying and Astronomy.

Scheme C. The entire course of Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Mineralogy, Geology, French, German, Rhetoric and Moral Philosophy; Descriptive Geometry, Shades and Shadows, and Perspective; an elementary course of Surveying and Astronomy; the Intermediate course of English; the Junior course of Latin and Greek or the entire course of either Latin or Greek.

II. MASTER OF ARTS, (M. A.), conferred on students who complete with distinction all the subjects embraced in either of the following schemes, and who, moreover, make special attainments in scheme D, either in Latin and Greek, or in French, German and English, and, in scheme E, in Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, Chemisty Mineralogy and Geology.

Scheme D. The entire course of Latin, Greek, French, German, English, Rhetoric, Moral Philosophy, English Literature and Modern History; the Intermediate course of Mathematics; the Junior course of Natural Philosophy; Chemistry; an elementary course of Surveying and Astronomy.

Scheme E. The entire course of Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Mineralogy, Geology, French, German, Rhetoric, English Literature, Moral Philosophy and Modern History; the entire course of one of the three subjects—Latin, Greek and English, and the Intermediate course of the other two; Descrip-

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The applicant for any of the foregoing Degrees must submit to the Faculty a suitable Essay or Oration, to be delivered on Commencement Day if required.

III. Doctor of Philosophy, (Ph. D.)—This Degree will be conferred on any Master of Arts of the University who, for not less than two years after graduation, shall pursue at the University a special course of study in any one subject taught in the Academic Departments of the Institution. The one special subject shall have associated with it at least one subsidiary or affiliated study. It is expected that from time to time the candidate submit to his Professor, or the Faculty, evidence of independent research in his special line of study; that he stand at least two examinations during his course, and that he produce a thesis, or special essay, the final year, showing the progress he has made.

2. PROFESSIONAL.

IV. CIVIL ENGINEER, (C. E.)—The requirements for this Degree are Certificates of Proficiency in Mathematics; Applied Mathematics, including Astronomy; Chemistry, Mineralogy and Geology; Natural Philosophy; French or German; and Plans and Reports upon assigned subjects.

V. BACHELOR OF LAW, (B. L.)—This Degree is conferred on graduates in the School of Law and Equity.

COURSE OF STUDY.

Students are allowed to pursue such studies as they may select, if found prepared. But each student is required to attend at least fifteen lectures a week, or their equivalent; and no student is allowed to leave any class without the permission of the Faculty. Students are assigned to their classes at the beginning of the session, according to their qualifications, as far as these can be ascertained, but will be liable at any time to a transfer to a lower class, when it is deemed necessary by the Professor.

While the course of study is elective, students will receive the advice of the President and Faculty with reference to the choice and arrangement of their studies, according to the circumstances of each particular case.

For the benefit of students who are looking forward to the Degree of A. B., a schedule is here appended of the studies required for it, in the order of succession in which it is desirable that they should be pursued. This schedule provides for each of the several schemes for that Degree, as found on another page, and contemplates a course of four years for those who enter the Junior Classes. In order to avoid conflicts of hours between the Recitations in different classes, and for other obvious advantages, a conformity with the schedule here given is strongly recommended.

SCHEDULE OF STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS.

First Session—Jr. Latin, Jr. Greek, Jr. Mathematics, Jr. French.

Second Session—Int. Latin, Int. Greek, Int. English, Jr. German, Sr. French.

Third Session—Sr. Latin, Sr. Greek, Chemistry, Jr. Natural Philosophy.

Fourth Session—Rhetoric, Moral Philosophy, Surveying, Astronomy, Modern History or English Literature.

SCHEME B.

First Session—Jr. Latin, Jr. Greek, Jr. Mathematics, Jr. French.

Second Session—Int. Latin, Int. Greek, Int. Mathematics, Sr. French, Jr. German.

Third Session—Int. English, Chemistry, Jr. Natural Philosophy, Sr. German, Rhetoric.

Fourth Session—Moral Philosophy, Modern History, Sr. English, Surveying, Astronomy.

SCHEME C.

First Session—Jr. Latin, Jr. Greek, Jr. Mathematics, Jr. French.

Second Session—Int. English, Int. Mathematics, Sr. French, Jr. German, Descriptive Geometry.

 $Third\ Session$ —Sr. Mathematics, Sr. German, Jr. Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Rhetoric.

Fourth Session—Sr. Natural Philosophy, Moral Philosophy, Mineralogy, Geology, Surveying, Astronomy.

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10.	Jr. Greek II. Sr. Nat. Phil. Sr. Law.	Jr. Ap. Math. Sr. French. Rhetoric.	Sr. Math. Jr. German.
6	Jr. Math., I.	Sr. Latin. Min. and Geol.	Sr. Greek. Modern History.
	Daily.	Monday, Wednesday, Friday.	TUESDAY, THURSDAY, SATURDAY.

FELLOWSHIPS.

The generous contribution has been recently made to the University of a sum, the annual interest of which is \$500, by H. H. Houston, Esq., of Philadelphia, for the purpose of endowing a permanent fellowship, to be known as the "Howard Houston Fellowship," as a tribute to the memory of a deceased son. As other Fellowships may be founded, it is thought proper to state the design, conditions and requirements of this valuable appendage to the educational appliances of the Institution.

- I. The design is to secure a more thorough and extended scholarship than can be attained in the time usually allotted to academic instruction.
- 2. The Fellowships will be restricted to graduates of this University.
- 3. They will be conferred for two consecutive years, and are not to be relinquished in any case until the end of that term, except for sufficient reasons, to be approved by the Faculty.
- 4. The recipient of a Fellowship shall reside in or near the University, and pursue a special line of study in the academic departments, under the supervision of the Professor in the department he may select.
- 5. If required by the Faculty he shall give instruction in the University for not more than two hours per day.
- 6. He shall have access to the Library, class-room instruction and other privileges of the University, and shall receive a salary of \$500, or whatever smaller sum may be yielded by the endowment of the Fellowship to which he is appointed.
- 7. On satisfactory examinations, and such other tests of attainments as the Faculty shall prescribe, he will be recommended, at the expiration of the two years of his incumbency, to the Board of Trustees for the Degree of Ph. D.

For information respecting the minor details of the conditions and duties of the Fellowships, application may be made to the President of the University.

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HONORARY SCHOLARSHIPS.

These are intended to reward high attainments in scholarship, and, at the same time, to promote and secure general meritorious conduct. Under this head are two classes:—

1. UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS.

These are four in number, one being conferred by the Faculty in each of the Departments of Latin, Greek, Modern Languages, and Natural Philosophy.

2. ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS.

These are five in number:-

- 1. The *Taylor Scholarship*, endowed by Mrs. Fanny B. Taylor, of Baltimore, conferred by the Faculty upon the student attaining the highest proficiency in the Intermediate Class in Mathematics.
- 2. The Young Scholarship, endowed by Henry Young, Esq., of New York, conferred by the Faculty upon the student attaining the highest proficiency in Moral Philosophy.
- 3. The F. O. French Scholarship, conferred by the Faculty upon an undergraduate selected from any department.
- 4. The *Hamilton Law Scholarship*, endowed by Mrs. Virginia C. Hamilton, of Augusta County, Va., entitles the recipient to attend the School of Law and Equity for one session, without the payment of tuition and fees.

All the Honorary Scholarships entitle the students appointed to them to attend the Academic Departments, the Department of Applied Mathematics, and the Junior Class in Law, the following session, without the payment of tuition and fees. In addition to the tuition and fees, the French Scholarship pays about \$225, making the total value \$300. The money is paid in instalments during the session following the appointment.

ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIPS.

Each Local Alumni Association is authorized to nominate—subject to the approval of the Faculty—one student each year to a scholarship for one session, on the following conditions: 1.

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SPECIAL PRIVILEGES.

I. By enactment of the Board of Trustees, a credit for fees, amounting to about seventy dollars annually, is extended to such meritorious young men as are unable to pay the same, and their bond is taken, payable in not less than two nor more than six years from the probable termination of their University course.

II. By like enactment, the Faculty are authorized to admit into the University, without fees, candidates for the Christian ministry: Provided the said candidates shall be unable to pay the regular charges, and that they shall be recommended by some competent ecclesiastical authority as suitable persons to be educated for the ministry. If any student who has been admitted on these terms shall afterwards decline entering the ministry, his fees shall be held as debts due the University, according to the conditions provided in the preceding paragraph.

III. The sons of ministers of religion, actually engaged as such, and unable to pay the regular fees, or the sons of such ministers deceased, may be admitted without charge, upon satisfactory testimonials to this effect.

IV. In order to establish a system of post-graduate study, such as is necessary to the development of University education, and to extend its advantages as widely as possible, the Faculty may admit all graduates in regular academic degrees of this University to all the privileges of the Academic Departments.

Students admitted on any of the foregoing provisions are free from all charges, except a diploma fee of \$5, required only on their first matriculation, and an annual deposit of \$5, for damages, to be refunded if not expended.

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Board and room rent are not included in the above provisions.

Any of the privileges above offered may be withdrawn by the Faculty, whenever the recipient, by improper conduct, or by a failure to make due progress in his studies, shall show himself unworthy of them. These privileges are for one year only, unless specially renewed by the Faculty.

These privileges do not apply to students taking professional courses, nor to any persons not prepared to enter the regular classes of the University.

PRIZE MEDALS.

1. The *Robinson Prize Medals*, which are three in number, and of equal value, are named and conferred as follows:

The Robinson Medal of Ancient and Modern Languages, in Latin and Roman History, Greek and Greek History, French and German.

The Robinson Medal of Philosophy and Literature, in Moral Philosophy, English, Rhetoric, English Literature and Modern History.

The Robinson Medal of Mathematics and Science, in Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Geology, Surveying and Astronomy.

The recipient of either of these Medals must have attained distinguished proficiency in each of the studies involved, and an average examination grade of eighty per cent. in the entire group of subjects required for the medal in question. No student shall receive the same prize twice.

For further information apply to the clerk of the Faculty.

2. Two Gold Medals, for the encouragement of Oratory and Elocution. The first, called the Orator's Medal, and of the value of \$50, will be awarded to the author of the best original speech, and the second, the Declaimer's Medal, valued at \$30, to the best declaimer of a selected piece, in a public competitive trial, dur-

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ing the week of Commencement. Each of the two Literary Societies will choose two members to compete for each of these Medals, and the decision on the merits of the contestants will be made by a committee of gentlemen not connected with the University. The medals will be provided out of the funds of the University, and delivered by the President on Commencement Day.

3. The Santini Prize Medal, which was established by the late Joseph Santini, of New Orleans, is conferred by the Faculty upon the writer of the best Essay published during the session in The Southern Collegian.

COMMENCEMENT ORATIONS.

- 1. The *Cincinnati Oration* is awarded to that graduate who shall be judged by the Faculty to have attained the highest degree of general scholarship, and is delivered at the Commencement next succeeding graduation.
- 2. The Valedictory Address is awarded to that graduate who shall be selected by his fellow-graduates.
- 3. An Essay, called the *University Prize Essay*, is awarded by the Faculty to that student who may have submitted the best Essay, in such manner as may be prescribed by the Faculty.
- 4. The Law Class Oration is delivered by a graduate of the Law Class, selected by his fellow-students in the Law School.

Not more than one of the above Essays or Orations shall be awarded to the same student in one year.

ADMISSION.

Applicants for admission who have been students in other Institutions, must produce evidence of having left them in good standing.

Applicants will report themselves to the Faculty within twenty-four hours after their arrival, and none will be allowed to re-

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No person under the age of sixteen will be admitted as a student unless prepared to enter the regular classes of the University.

GOVERNMENT.

The government of the University is administered by the President and Faculty, in accordance with a Code of Laws enacted by the Board of Trustees. The President devotes himself to the duties of his office, occupying a room in the University buildings, to which the students have access at stated times. He presides at the meetings of the Faculty, and, by the Reports of the several Professors, is made acquainted with the standing and deportment of each student. All cases of irregularity receive his personal attention.

Students receive the admonition and counsel of the President before being subjected to any penalty, except in cases of flagrant offences. Those who are habitually neglectful of their duties, or who do not regularly attend their classes, will be required to withdraw from the University.

No student is allowed to leave the town during the session without the permission of the President, nor to withdraw from the University without the consent of the Faculty, on the written authority of the parent or guardian.

REPORTS TO PARENTS AND GUARDIANS.

Regular Reports of the progress and attendance of the students are made to the President. At stated intervals a circular is sent to the parent or guardian of each student, showing his absolute and relative standing in his several classes, the number of his absences from his class, and any other facts that it may be deemed proper to communicate. At the close of each term a similar circular is sent, setting forth the results of his examinations, and his standing for the term.

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RELIGIOUS AND MORAL CULTURE.

Religious services are held every morning in the chapel, by the clergymen of Lexington, in rotation.

The students are expected to attend these exercises, and the church of their choice at least once on Sunday. Opportunities are also afforded for attending Bible classes every Sunday.

A "Young Men's Christian Association" exists among the students, and has been found a most efficient agent in promoting their moral and religious welfare.

APPARATUS.

The Department of Natural Philosophy is supplied with the apparatus necessary for illustrating the subjects of Heat, Light, Sound, Electricity, Magnetism, &c. The apparatus for Light is especially good, having been constructed by Duboscq, of Paris, under the special direction of Professor R. S. McCulloch, formerly Professor in this Institution.

In the Department of Chemistry, the apparatus is abundant for illustrating the relations of Light, Heat and Electricity to Chemistry; the properties of elementary substances; the effects of the various chemical re-agents; the processes of organic and inorganic analyses; and whatever else is required in a complete course of instruction in this interesting science.

The Department of Applied Mathematics is furnished with all apparatus needed to illustrate Surveying and Engineering, with a large variety of models to illustrate structures in wood, stone and iron, such as bridges, arches, &c. A planetarium forms part of this apparatus.

THE LEWIS BROOKS MUSEUM.

This most attractive and valuable addition recently made to the educational appliances of the University, with all the expenses incurred in its reception and arrangement, is the gift of a generous friend of the University and of science, the late Lewis BROOKS rooms a the Mu Ward, fessiona

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"The tal Roce sample BROOKS, Esq., of Rochester, New York. The preparation of rooms and cases, and the orderly disposition of the contents of the Museum were superintended in person by Prof. Henry A. Ward, of Rochester, to whose kindness, scientific skill and professional experience the University is greatly indebted.

The Museum comprises four distinct Cabinets:

- I. The *Zoological*, presenting, in stuffed specimens and mounted skeletons, representatives of all the divisions of the animal kingdom—mammals, birds, fishes, reptiles, &c. For the study of Natural History, this Cabinet is invaluable.
- 2. The *Mineralogical*, containing an extensive assortment of specimens from various parts of our land and of foreign countries, many of them rare, and all beautiful. Appended to this is a collection of *Lithological* specimens of almost every variety of rocks used for building and other works of art.
- 3. The *Geological*, representing in miniature the history of our earth, from the earliest periods of organic life. It embraces an extensive collection of fossil animals and plants belonging to the fauna and flora of each geological age.

This Cabinet, as also that of Mineralogy, not only lends important aid to the student in gaining a knowledge of the science, but also invests the study with new life and interest.

4. The *Botanical*, embracing an Herbarium of 5,000 specimens, mounted in walnut cases; a Portfolio of American trees; about 700 sections of various kinds of wood; numerous rare fruits and models of flowers; mounted botanical charts; everything, in fact, that is required to illustrate Structural and Systematic Botany, and Vegetable Physiology.

Visitors, as well as students, have daily access to the *Museum* during University hours.

BUILDING AND ORNAMENTAL STONES.

"The JOHN S. F. Bachen Collection of Building and Ornamental Rocks," representing the different geological ages, and giving samples of the material employed for structural and ornamental

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made to ll the exe gift of a ate Lewis purposes in various public edifices, is an interesting and valuable addition to the facilities of the University for scientific instruction.

It is a donation from John S. F. Bachen, Esq., Chicago, Ill.

LIBRARY.

There are about twenty thousand volumes in the Library, to which the students have access under stated regulations.

In connection with the Law School, and apart from the Library of the University, there is a valuable collection of Legal Text-Books and Reports, to which large additions are made every year. The Law Library is supplied with the latest English Reports, through the generosity of the Hon. Vincent L. Bradford, LL. D., D. C. L., of Philadelphia, who makes an annual donation of \$100 to the University for this purpose.

READING ROOM.

The Reading Room is well supplied with periodicals, literary and scientific, and is open to students during recitation hours every day.

GYMNASTICS.

There is a Gymnasium on the University grounds. Baseball, and other athletic sports, are encouraged by the Faculty.

The North River, a mile from the University, furnishes good rowing, and two Boat Clubs, the "Harry Lee" and the "Albert Sidney," have been organized. Each club selects a crew to engage in a boat race, which takes place during Commencement week. A handsome prize, offered by a kind friend of the University, is presented each year to the winning crew.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

The Literary Societies are: The Graham Lee Society, organized in 1809; and the Washington Literary Society, organized in 1812. These societies meet once a week for debate and other literary exercises. They have their own halls and libraries, and their influence upon the character and culture of the students is

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Each society celebrates publicly the anniversary of its foundation; the Graham Lee Society, on the 19th of January; the Washington Society, on the 22d of February. On Commencement Day, an address is delivered before the two societies jointly, by some gentleman chosen by them for this purpose.

For the special encouragement in the art of Speaking, the Board of Trustees offer two Gold Medals, to be competed for each session by representatives chosen by the societies respectively. Further particulars are given on another page, under the title Medals.

In connection with the final Celebration of the Societies, the Santini Medal is publicly conferred.

ANNIVERSARIES, 1884.* WASHINGTON LITERARY SOCIETY.

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SAMUEL OTT BOYCE		
Guy Sherwood Raymond		

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

The Alumni of the University have had an Association for many years. Its object is to keep alive among the Alumni the

^{*}The Graham Lee Society had no anniversary celebration.

sentiment of affection for their Alma Mater, and to unite the graduates of successive years by a common tie of fellowship. Its annual meetings are held at Commencement, when, after the transaction of business, an Anniversary Oration is pronounced by some alumnus chosen by the Society. The following is the present organization.

H. St. G. TUCKER, Virginia, President.

G. Watson James, D. L., Va., S. J. Graham, Va.,

C. A. Graves, Secretary.

J. L. CAMPBELL, JR., Treasurer.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

S. J. GRAHAM, Chairman.

W. T. SHIELDS, M. W. PAXTON, J. T. AKERS, S. T. MORELAND.

LOCAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATIONS.

Any organized body of the Alumni of the University, consisting of not less than seven members, having a president, and one or more vice-presidents, a secretary and an executive committee, and which shall maintain its organization by holding at least one meeting each year, is recognized as a Local Alumni Association. They tend to keep up, and give practical shape to, the interest felt by the Alumni in the well-being of the University, and it is earnestly hoped that other associations will be formed whenever circumstances will allow. Each Association is authorized to nominate one student each year to a Scholarship, as explained on pages 35 and 36.

Below will be found the officers of the Local Alumni Associations that have been formed. The Presidents of these Associations are *ex-officio* Vice-Presidents of the Association at the University.

MEMPHIS, TENN.

GEO. B. Peters, President. Walter Gregory, Secretary.

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E. B. Kruttschnitt, President. T. I. Bartlette, Secretary.

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LOUISVILLE, KY.

George A. Robinson, President.

RANDOLPH BLAINE, Vice-Presidents. HELM BRUCE,

Joshua F. Bullitt, Treasurer.

W. S. Forrester, Secretary.

TEXAS.

C. C. GARRETT, President.

W. M. Brown, Vice-Presidents. M. E. KLEBERG,

J. W. TAYLOR, Secretary.

W. L. PRATHER, Treasurer.

J. H. McLeary, J. S. WILLIS, F. M. COCKRELL.

Executive Committee.

NEW YORK CITY.

Dr. H. Marion Sims, President.

WM. M. JOHNSTON, Vice-Presidents. WM. S. RYAN,

J. S. CLARK, Secretary.

WALTER L. McCorkle. Treasurer.

THOS. C. HANNA, JOHN H. HAMILTON, DR. W. R. PRYOR,

Executive Committee.

LIBERTY, VA.

H. C. Lowry, President. JAMES R. GUY, Secretary.

RICHMOND, VA.

G. WATSON JAMES, D. L., President.

W. R. Bowie, Vice-President.

John R. Anderson, Jr., Secretary and Treasurer.

COL. Jo. LANE STERN,

W. R. BOWIE, C. B. ANTRIM,

FRANK D. BEVERIDGE,

Executive Committee.

BALTIMORE, MD.

REV. WM. STROTHER JONES, President.

MAJ. R. M. VENABLE,

GEO. B. BAKER, COL. WM. ALLAN,

Vice-Presidents.

S. Z. Ammen, Secretary.

Dr. T. A. Ashby, Treasurer.

DR. T. A. ASHBY, D. C. LYLE, J. GLENN PITTS,

Executive Committee.

CHRISTIANSBURG, VA.

CAPT. WM. C. HAGAN, President.

REV. CHAS. A. MILLER, Vice-President.

REV. DANIEL BLAIN, Secretary.

WM. McC. MILLER, Treasurer.

CAPT. GEO. G. JUNKIN,

CAPT. JNO. R. JOHNSTON, Hon. A. A. Phlegar,

Executive Committee.

BUCHANAN, VA.

WM. J. PENN, President.

F. T. GLASGOW, W. N. JOHNSTON, Vice-Presidents.

P. B. Houston, Secretary.

J. L. Patton, Treasurer.

W. W. HADEN, A. W. RUFF, C. L. WILSON,

Executive Committee.

CHARLESTON, W. VA.

MAJ. I. N. SMITH, President.

D. L. RUFFNFR, Vice-President.

W. A, McCorkle, Secretary.

J. Z. McChesney, Treasurer.

BATH AND ALLEGHANY COUNTIES, VA.

REV. A. R. COCKE, President.

REV. E. W. McCorkle, Vice-President.

Dr. G. B. McCorkle, Secretary.

J. A. FORD, Treasurer.

ARKANSAS.

R. D. Haislip, President.

R. B. WILLIAMS, Vice-President.

P. D. English, Secretary and Treasurer.

S. R. COCKRILL, C. B. MOORE, HON. C. R. BRECKINRIDGE, T. C. McRae, J. M. BULLOCK,

HUGH BARCLAY,

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STAUNTON, VA.

T. C. MORTON, President.

CHAS. E. KEMPER, Secretary.

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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

These take place at the close of the session. On the Sunday preceding, a Baccalaureate Sermon is preached before the graduates and the students at large. On Commencement Day the names of the students distinguished in the several classes are announced; Certificates, Diplomas, and University Honors are publicly awarded by the President; and the addresses of graduates, and the Prize Orations and Essays, are delivered. The celebrations of the Literary Societies and of the Society of the Alumni also take place in Commencement week.

COMMENCEMENT, 1883.

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Q. T. Bugg, A. B.	
Address before the Literary Societies.	Virginia.
GENERAL FITZHUGH LEE.	

SESSION.

The next Session begins September 18th, 1884, and ends June 24th, 1885.

EXPENSES, &c.

FEES.

In the Academic Department.	\$50 00
Tuition	. 20 00
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To the Professional Departments of Law and Engineering.	
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Room rent (for each occupant of the University buildings for entire Session)	5-

A deposit of \$5 is required of each student to cover damages, the balance of which, not expended, is returned at the close of the session.

On his first matriculation, each student is required to pay a fee of \$5, to cover the cost of all diplomas and certificates through his entire course. No additional charge is made for degrees.

Tuition and fees for the whole session are to be paid in advance.

When a student, on account of his sickness, is necessarily withdrawn from the University before the beginning of the second term, one half his fees (except matriculation fee of \$5) will be refunded; but no fees are refunded after that time.

Students entering on or after the first of February are charged half the regular fees, \$35, and in addition pay the diploma fee of \$5, and make a deposit of \$2.50 for damages.

BOARDING.

At the University Boarding House, which is a building on the University grounds, occupied by a private family, meals can be had at \$12 per month; meals and lodging, including servant's attendance, \$15. Students lodging here furnish their own towels, blacking, lights and fuel. Fuel is furnished at cost.

The price of board in private families in town varies somewhat, but good board and lodging, including fuel and lights, can usually be had at from \$18 to \$20 per month.

Washing is not included in any of the above prices. It costs \$1.50 per month.

Board bills are expected to be settled monthly, and, in some cases, payment is required monthly in advance.

By getting board at the lowest rates, the necessary expenses of a student, including tuition and fees, but exclusive of books and clothing, may be reduced to about \$250.

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Students may take boarding at such private houses only as the Faculty shall approve, and the Faculty may, at any time, require a student to change his boarding-house.

FUNDS OF STUDENTS.

Under a conviction that the unrestrained use of money on the part of students is the source of manifold evils, the Faculty would earnestly recommend to parents and guardians to deposit with the Treasurer of the University all the funds designed for their sons or wards, whether for regular charges of tuition and board, or for any other purposes.

It is the duty of that officer to keep safely the funds placed in his hands, and, with the approval of the President, to pay the above-named regular charges, and all bills for purchases made by the authority of parents or guardians, to whom a monthly statement of receipts and expenditures will be forwarded.

Unless the course here recommended is adopted, the Faculty cannot exert a control over the expenses of the students, and cannot be held responsible for them.

The laws of Virginia prohibit the crediting of students who are minors, except on the written permission of their parents or guardians, or of the proper authority of the Institution. As the contraction of debt offers a constant temptation to extravagance, the Faculty ask the influence of parents in restraining this evil.

LOCATION.

Lexington is situated in the county of Rockbridge, in the Valley of Virginia, and is surrounded by beautiful mountain scenery. The healthfulness of the climate is attested by the fact that no student at the University has died of disease for a period of more than thirty years. For students subject to miasmatic disease, residence here often produces the most beneficial effects.

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ROUTES.

Students from the West, via Huntington, may reach Lexington by taking the Richmond and Alleghany Railroad at Clifton Forge, a station on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad. Students from the South or East take the Richmond and Alleghany Railroad at Lynchburg, or the Valley Railroad at Staunton.

SUMMER BOARDING.

Students who do not wish to return home during the vacation can procure board in Lexington at reduced rates. Boarding can also be had on reasonable terms at the Summer Resorts in the neighborhood. The Rockbridge Baths, the Rockbridge Alum, the Cold Sulphur Springs, and the Natural Bridge Hotel, are within the county and convenient to Lexington.

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BOOKS PRESENTED TO THE LIBRARY.

SESSION 1883'-84.

- From the office of A. E. and N. A., U. S.—"The American Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac, 1855, 1857, 1859, 1866, 1867." 5 vols.
- From War Department, U. S.—"Report of the Chief of Engineers U. S., 1882." 3 vols. Report of the Chief Signal Officer, 1880, 1881." 2 vols.
- From Department of State—"Commercial Relations of the U. S., 1880, 1881." "Foreign Relations of the U. S., 1882."
- From C. W. Dabney, Jr., of Experimental Station, N. C.—"Annual (1882) Report North Carolina Agricultural Experimental Station."
- From Department of Interior—"Bulletins U. S. Geological and Geographical Survey of the Territories: Hayden." Vols. IV., V., VI.
- From Publishers—Jones Bros. & Co.—" Alexander Hamilton," Address by J. C. Ridpath, LL. D.
- From Rev. Thos. D. Everett, D. D.—"Duke of Yorke's Laws of Pennsylvania, from 1682 to 1700," by J. B. Linn.
- From J. Fuller—" Michigan, and Its Resources, 1883."
- From Miss Lizzie Cummins—" Campbell's Agriculture."
- From Hon. R. R. Farr, Superintendent Public Instruction—"Virginia School Report, 1882."
- From Board of Education of Cincinnati--" 53d Annual Report of the Board, 1882;" "54th Annual Report of the City Schools, 1883."
- From Hon. Edward Cooper, of New York—"Ideas for a Science of Good Government."
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