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NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
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Arnold, Robert Russell	Boone county, “
Arnold, William,	“ “ “
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Ball, Robert Bruce	Boone county, “
Banks, Hiram Franklin	Lafayette county, “
Barr, William *	Boone county, “
Bates, John Montraville	Marion county, “
Batterton, William Walker	Boone county, “
Bean, Charles William	Platte county, “
Bell, Thomas Fletcher	Cooper county, “
Booton, Richard Crittenden	Lafayette county “
Breckenridge, John James	Franklin county, “
Britt, William Tandy	Montgomery Co. “
Brooks, Robert Jackson	Cape Girardeau, “
Buckner, William Aylett *	Lafayette county, “
Burnam, Allen Embry	Boone county, “
Burnam, Jackson Talbot	Monroe county, “
Chappell, Philip Edward	Callaway county, “
Collins, Joseph	Madison county, Ky.
Connelly, Abram Harrison	Boone county, Mo.
Crow, Charles Wayman	St. Louis, “

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
Davidson, William Alexander	Livingston Par., La.
Duncan, James Samuel	Boone county, Mo.
Durkee, Henry McBride	Knox county, "
Ellington, Jesse Branch	Chariton county, "
Ellis, Adrian Collier	Cal.
Ellis, William Penn *	Boone county, Mo.
Ferguson, William Henry	Boone county, "
Field, Curtis Hardin	Boone county, "
Field, Thomas Moore *	Boone county, "
Garth, Samuel Albert	Boone county, "
Goode, Nathaniel Macon	Franklin county, "
Gordon, Wellington	Boone county, "
Hairston, John Brown	Houston county, Texas.
Harper, Richard Samuel	Chariton county, Mo.
Haynes, Anthony	San Francisco, Cal.
Henderson, James Alexander	St. Louis, Mo.
Hickman, Thomas Harvey	Boone county, "
Higbee, Charlton Hunt	Fayette county, Ky.
Hitt, James Jeremiah	Boone county, Mo.
Howard, Joseph Baldwin jr.	" " "
Howe, John J. *	Fleming county, Ky.
Humber, Newmeris Albert	Lincoln county, "
Hyde, George Washington	Chariton county, Mo.
Jacobs, Charles Anderson	Boone county, "
Jacobs, William Henry	Boone county, "
Jones, Henry Clay	Ralls county, "
King, Edward Livingston	Ray county, "
King, Thomas Benton	Ray county, "
King, Micajah Harlow	Lafayette county, "
Lamkin, Emilius Paulus	Cole county, "
Leonard, Michael Durrett	Boone county, "
Lynch, Francis Kirtley	Boone county, "
McCarty, William Gilmore	Cole county, "
McCurdy, Edward Bruce	Jasper county, "
Miller, Robert Lewis	Cooper county, "

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
Murray, James Kelsey	Greene county, Mo.
Napton, William Barclay	Saline county, "
Newman, Cassius Calhoun	Boone county, "
Northcutt, George Washington	Boone county, "
Parrish, Thomas	Boone county, "
Peabody, Henry Adams	Boone county, "
Phillips, Joseph Carter	Boone county, "
Price, Celsus	Cole county, "
Provines, William Garvin	Boone county, "
Ready, William Henry	Boone county, "
Robinson, William Phillips	Boone county, "
Rogers, George Washington	Boone county, "
Rucker, James Edwin	Randolph county, "
Rucker, John Marshall	" " "
Samuel, David Todd	Andrew county, "
Sandusky, John Wesley	Carroll county, "
Searcy, George Newton •	Boone county, "
Shannon, James Mays	Boone county, "
Shannon, Richard Dudley	Boone county, "
Shannon, James Milton	Monroe county, Ga.
Shannon, Joseph	" " "
Shoot, John Allen	Marion county, Mo.
Sloan, Charles Harris	Cape Girardeau, "
Smelser, Joseph,	Ralls county, "
Smith, Charles Marsh	Johnson county, "
Smith, Jackson Leonidas	Callaway county, "
Smith, Oliver Perry	Boone county, "
Spence, Alexander Persinger •	Boone county, "
Stapp, John Speed	Madison county, Ky.
Stone, Walter Wilson	Boone county, Mo.
Strawn, Benjamin Franklin	Boone county, "
Teagarden, Thomas Hyatt •	St. Louis, "
Tincher, Cortes *	Callaway county, "
Thompson, William Jackson	Lewis county, "
Turner, John Hickman	Howard county, "

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
Waldo, William	Or. Ter.
Walker, Anthony Addison	Cooper county, Mo.
Walker, Anthony Winston	" " "
Wamsley, Alexis *	St. Clair county, "
Waters, William Thompson	Boone county, "
Weight, George Washington *	Cooper county, "
White, Edwin Clay *	Lafayette county, "
Williams, Charles	Randolph county, "
Williams, James Quincy	Cole county "
Williams, Robert Trimble	Montgomery co., Ky.
Williams, Samuel Lacy	Washington co., Ark.
Winn, Charles Leslie	Boone county, Mo.
Withers, Elisha Theobald *	Boone county, "
Woods, Erasmus Smith	St. Charles county, "
Woods, William Stone	Boone county, "
Wright, Leonidas Edmondson	Boone county, "
Young, Frederick Bullock	Boone county, "
Young, Robert Emmett	Cole county, "
Yount, John	Cole county, "

SUMMARY,

Missouri,	98
Kentucky,	6
Georgia,	2
California,	2
Louisiana,	1
Texas,	1
Arkansas,	1
Oregon Territory,	1
Total,	112

Those marked thus * are members of the Senior Class.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

THE Faculty of Arts, to whom are committed the instruction and government of the pupils, consists of a President, four Professors, and three Adjunct Professors.

The full course of instruction, exclusive of the Preparatory Department, occupies four years. Students, however, are admitted into any class which they are prepared to enter. The studies of the several classes are arranged as follows:

1. PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

Arithmetic; Geography and History; Bullion's English Grammar; Spencer's Latin Lessons, Bullion's Greek Lessons, and Latin Reader.

Bullion's Latin Grammar, Greek Grammar, Cæsar, and Greek Reader; and Algebra (Loomis') commenced.

The foregoing course will, ordinarily, require two years.

2. COLLEGIATE DEPARTMENT.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

Loomis' Algebra, completed; Bullion's Sallust; Classical Geography and Chronology; Bullion's Analytical and Practical English Grammar and Parsing; Virgil; Loomis' Geometry; Græca Majora.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

Logarithms; Loomis' Trigonometry, Heights, Distances and Mensuration; Livy; Græca Majora; Weber's History; Harrison on the English Language; Latin and Greek Composition; Loomis' Surveying, Leveling, and Conic Sections; Roman and Grecian Antiquities; and Horace commenced.

JUNIOR CLASS.

Spherical Trigonometry; Olmsted's Natural Philosophy; Horace completed; Tacitus; Græca Majora, 2d volume; Whately's Logic; Whately and Campbell's Rhetoric; Intellect-

ual Philosophy (Upham and Cousin;) Alexander's Christian Evidences.

SENIOR CLASS.

Loomis' Analytical Geometry and Calculus; Norton's Astronomy; Wayland's Moral Science; Homer's Iliad; Œdipus Tyrannus; Cicero de Oratore; Shephard's Constitutional Text Book; Law of Nations; Wayland's Political Economy; Civil Engineering; Chemistry, Mineralogy, &c., &c.

SCHEME OF RECITATIONS AND CLASSES.

	FIRST HOUR.	SECOND HOUR.	THIRD HOUR.	FOURTH HOUR.
SENIORS.	1. Higher Mathematics and Higher Classics, alternately.	2. Moral Science, Political Economy, Constitutional Law, and Law of Nations.	3. Astronomy & Astronomical Observations &c., &c.	4. Chemistry Mineralogy &c., &c.
JUNIORS.	5. Rhetoric, Logic, Intellectual Philosophy, Alexander's Evidences.	6. Spherical Trigonometry, Olmsted's Natural Philosophy.	7. Horace, Tacitus.	8. Græca Majora, 2d volume.
SOPHOMORES.	9 Logarithms Trigonometry, Mensuration, Surveying, Conic Sections.	10. Livy and Horace.	11. Græca Majora, 1st vol.	12. Weber's History, Harrison on the English Language.
FRESHMAN.	13. Sallust and Virgil.	14. Algebra and Geometry.	15. Analytical and Practical English Grammar.	16. Græca Majora, 1st Volume.

From the foregoing Scheme, it may be seen, that Students, whose circumstances do not permit them to take a regular course, may have their time fully occupied, and can select, with the consent of the Faculty, such branches as they wish to study; but every student will be required to take four recitations, unless specially excused by the Faculty.

A regular course, when practicable, should, by all means, be preferred. Those, whose duty it is to control the education of minors, ought not to overlook the importance of this suggestion.

EXERCISES DURING THE YEAR.

Critical reading of the New Testament in Greek, on Monday morning of each week, by the Senior, Junior, Sophomore and Freshman Classes.

English Composition and daily exercises in Declamation, by all the classes.

Written Translations of Classical Authors, by the Freshman class.

Latin Composition by the Sophomore class.

Forensic Debates and original Declamation by the Senior and Junior classes.

LECTURES,

On Natural Philosophy and Chemistry, with experimental illustrations, to the Junior class. On Philosophy of Rhetoric and Elocution to the same.

On Mineralogy and Geology, with the exhibition of specimens, models of drawings, and on Astronomy, with observations in the Observatory, at noon and at night to the Senior class.

On International Law, Civil Polity and Political Economy, to the Senior class.

DEGREES.

On completion of the full course, students will, if approved on examination, be admitted to the Degree of Bachelor of Arts, and three years thereafter, may be admitted to the Degree of Master of Arts.

Individuals desirous of pursuing select portions of the course will be admitted to the recitations and other exercises of the classes, and if desired, will receive a written certificate, stating the number of sessions passed at the University, and the branches of study to which they have devoted their attention.

THE SCHOLASTIC YEAR

Consists of a single session, commencing on the 1st day of October, and terminating on the 4th of July.

EXAMINATIONS

Of all the classes will be publicly held at the close of each session.

AN EXHIBITION

Of the Senior class at Commencement, July 4th.

LIBRARY, APPARATUS AND CABINET.

The University Library contains 2300 volumes.

The Society Libraries " 1000 do

Total, - - - - - 3300.

The Astronomical, Philosophical and Chemical Apparatus, is very extensive, and embraces most articles requisite for the purposes of illustration and experiment.

The Geological collection, which is constantly receiving additions, comprises about 1,500 select specimens.

RECESS.

No recess will be given during the Scholastic Year except from the 24th of December to the 1st of January, inclusive.

EXPENSES OF THE SESSION.

Tuition Fee, - - - - -	\$20.
Contingent Fee, - - - - -	1.
Boarding in private families, with washing, lodging, fuel and lights, from \$2 00 to \$2 50 per week, (average,) - - - -	84.
Total, - - - - -	\$105.

With a view to the preservation of the Edifice, heavy charges will be made for any damages wrongfully done. It is to be hoped there will be no occasion to add this item to the expenditure of any Student.

PAYMENT OF BILLS.

It is provided, by ordinance of the Curators, that no Student be admitted by the President to the exercises of the University for any session, until he present a certificate from the Treasurer of the Board, that his bill for tuition and contingencies has been paid, and that no drawback be allowed for absence in any case.

REMISSION OF TUITION FEES.

Indigent Students presenting a certificate of good moral character from the Curator of the Congressional District in which they reside, are admitted to all the exercises of the University free of expense, except the contingent fee of one dollar per Session.

DISCIPLINE.

Records are kept by the Faculty, exhibiting accurately the standing of each student in scholarship and deportment. A low standing on either record will be followed by a private admonition, and notice of the same will be given to the parent or guardian. Unexcused absence from a public examination, or continued delinquency, may subject the offender to degradation to some lower class, or to separation from the institution. It is believed, however, that a prompt and judicious co-operation on the part of parents or guardians, will relieve the Faculty from the necessity of resorting to severe measures; and that ends of good government may be secured by means that will save the feelings and the character of the Student.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

It is deemed quite unnecessary, during the Session, for Students to visit their friends beyond the immediate neighborhood of the University, except for urgent and unforeseen reasons. The occasional loss of a day cannot fail to have an unfavorable bearing on the intellectual habits and standing of the student.— It is hoped that parents and guardians will concur with the Faculty, in their opinion of the inexpediency of granting leave of absence in ordinary cases.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

The Medical Faculty hold their sessions, and deliver their instructions in the City of St. Louis.

The regular Course of Lectures commences on the first Monday in November, and closes the first week in March. During the last two weeks in October, Lectures out of course are delivered by some one of the Professors, to such Students as may be in attendance before the opening of the Session.

In the City Hospital is presented almost every variety of disease, and as the students are admitted to the Hospital clinique, they have an opportunity of observing the symptoms and the treatment of each and all the maladies there presented.

The requisites for graduation in the Medical Department of the University of the State of Missouri, are, that the candidate shall not be less than twenty-one years of age, and of good moral character; shall have enjoyed the advantages of two years private pupilage, and have attended two Courses of Lectures, the last of which must have been attended at this school; write and defend a Thesis on some Medical subject, and stand a satisfactory examination before the Faculty, or shall have attended three successive Courses of Lectures without previous private pupilage, or shall have been engaged in a reputable practice for three years.

The aggregate cost of Tickets, including the Matriculation Ticket, \$110. Dissecting Ticket, \$10, which the student is required to take but once; Graduation fee \$20.

Comfortable boarding can be obtained, within a convenient distance of the College, at from \$2 to \$3 per week.

Students desiring further information can address Dr. JOSEPH N. McDOWELL, Dean of the medical Faculty, at St. Louis.

GENERAL REMARKS.

The University of the State of Missouri was chartered by the Legislature during the session of 1838-'9, and went into full operation under its present organization on the first of January, 1844; since which time it has been in successful operation, affording to Students the educational advantage ordinarily enjoyed in similar institutions.

The University Edifice, a spacious, tasteful and commodious building, was erected at an expense of about \$85,000, by the liberality of the citizens of the county of Boone, in which it is located.

The annual revenue of the Institution, exclusive of fees for Tuition, is the income of a State fund of \$100,000, being the proceeds of the sales of lands, donated by Congress to the State, for University purposes. The principal is well invested and is legally inviolable.

Columbia, the seat of the University, is situated near the centre of the State, ten miles North of Providence on the Missouri river. The town contains about twelve hundred inhabitants. It is confidently believed that no location combines more advantages for the site of a Literary Institution. It is not surpassed in healthfulness; and in those social, moral and religious influences which are conservative of the character of young men, and promotive of good order and industrious habits of study.

The University is easily accessible by the river during the greater part of the year. At the landing in Providence, carriages will always be in readiness to convey passengers to Columbia. To this point a plank road is completed. There is also constant communication with St. Louis and with the upper counties by stage.

Should farther information be desired by parents or guardians, it may be obtained by addressing the President of the University or any of the Professors.

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