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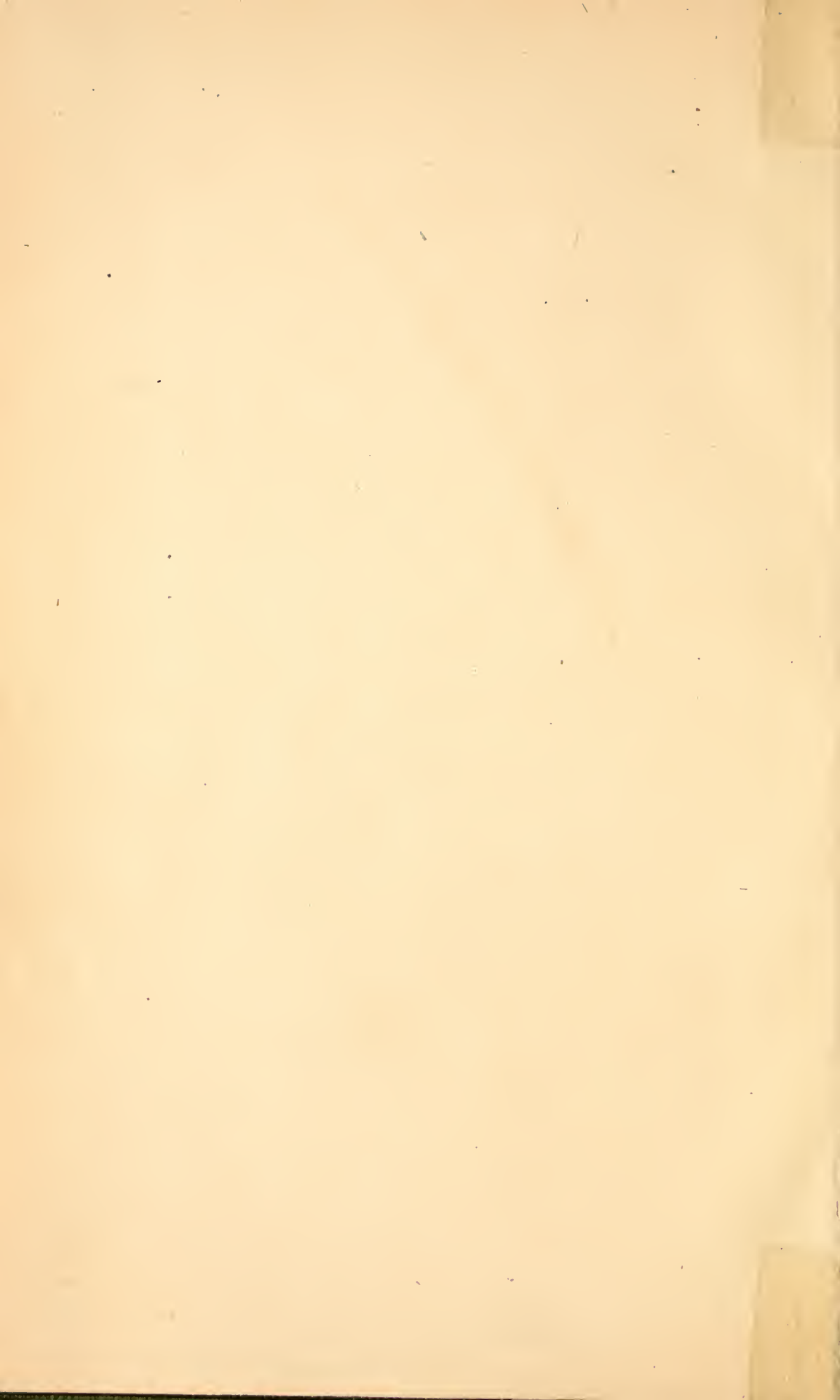
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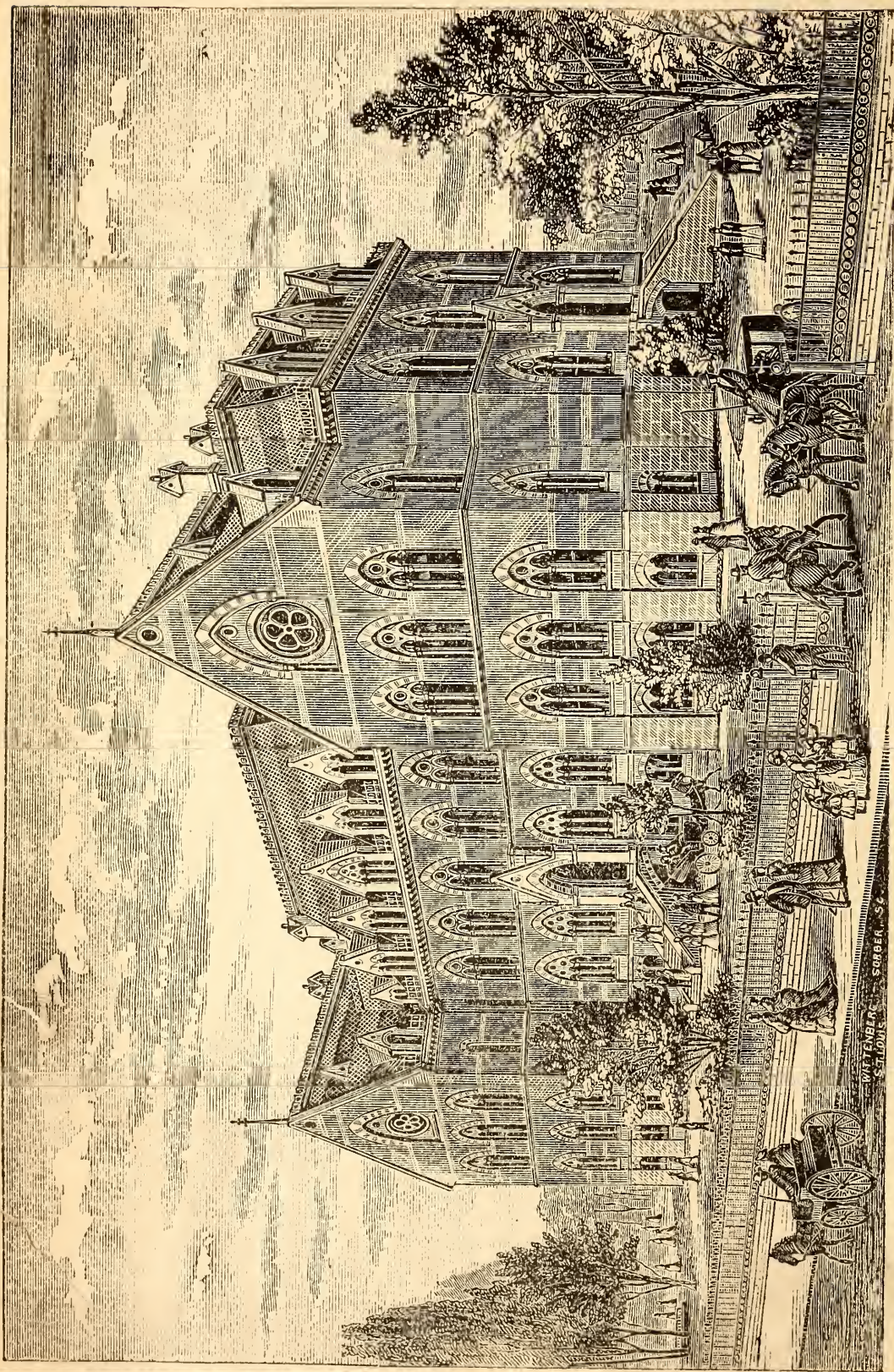
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JACKSON COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

1874-5.

Incorporated by Act of the Legislature, approved April 29th, 1869,

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William B. Gray,	Wayne County,
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Elanor Duff,	Carbondale,
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Mattie Robarts,	Carbondale,
General R. Romig,	Carbondale,
Etta L. Rugg,	Carbondale,
Lizzie A. Sears,	Carbondale,
Lizzie M. Sheppard,	Carbondale,
Luella Sheppard,	Carbondale,
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Silas Simons,	Jackson County,
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William Spence,	Makanda,
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Thomas B. Stephenson,	Sparta,
George L. Stout,	Johnson County,
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Anna Thorpe,	Carbondale,
Lizzie E. Thurbur,	Petersboro, N. Y.,
Henry Tudor,	Rockwood,
Frank M. Tuthill,	Vergennes,
Helen F. Underwood,	Anna,
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Fannie L. Walker,	Carbondale,
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Olive L. Zimmerman,	Makanda,

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Lincoln Fitzgerald,	Carbondale,
John P. Goodall,	Marion,
Sophonra Grear,	Vergennes,
John M. Halsted,	Makanda,
Edward B. Hamilton,	Carbondale,
Daniel W. Hartwell,	Marion,
Robert M. Hight,	Johnson County.
Helen M. Houston,	Metropolis,
Thomas J. Hurst,	Makanda,
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Solomon Kimmel,	Elkville,
Albert Krysher,	Makanda,
Alice Krysher,	Makanda,
Mary E. Linehan,	Carbondale,
Alva Lipe,	DuQuoin,
Jefferson W. McChesney,	Fredona, Ky.,
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John E. Manier,	Marion,
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Kate H. Moore,	Carbondale,
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David L. Barton,	Carbondale,
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Cora Brewster,	Carbondale,
Nora Brush,	Carbondale,
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Edwin D. Carey,	Grayville,
Mary A. Caswell,	Carbondale,
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Nellie B. Davis,	Carbondale,
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Mary Gaines,	Williamson County,
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James McFadden,	Carbondale,
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James M. Snider,	Carbondale,
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Lizzie Snider,	Carbondale,
James C. Tabb,	Ashley,
Anna G. Warder,	Carbondale,
Charles Ware,	Jonesboro,
Jennie E. Watson,	Carbondale,
Elmira B. Wilson,	Carbondale,
Georgianna Winn,	Carbondale,
Ada M. Wykes,	Carbondale,
William H. Young, Jr.,	Manheim, Prussia.

MODEL DEPARTMENT.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.
Mamie Allen,	Carbondale,
Robert M. Allen,	Carbondale,
Frank A. Allison,	Murphysboro,
Grant Beard,	Carbondale,
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Mary E. Bridges,	Carbondale,
James Brown,	Carbondale,
Maggie Brown,	Carbondale,
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Cora Krysher,	Makanda,

Ora Krysher,	Makanda,
Lizzie Lawrence,	Carbondale,
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Harry W. Smith,	Carbondale,
Alice Sprague,	Carbondale,
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Russell D. Waggoner,	Jackson County,
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Mary E. Yocum,	Carbondale,

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SUMMARY OF STUDENTS.

In Normal Department.....	132
In Preparatory Department.....	203
In Model Department.....	61
Total.....	396

COURSE OF STUDY.

Model School.

FIRST YEAR.

The Primary English Studies and Object Lessons, Counting, Drawing, Singing, Local Geography and Spelling.

SECOND YEAR.

Geography of United States, Arithmetic through Division, Reading, Writing, Drawing, Singing, Object Lessons, Spelling and Defining and Calisthenics.

THIRD YEAR.

Arithmetic to Fractions, Geography, Grammar begun and Elementary Natural History, Reading, Spelling, Writing, Drawing, Calisthenics and Singing.

Preparatory School.

FIRST YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Arithmetic—Fractions, Reading, Writing, Geography, Spelling, Drawing, Vocal Music and Calisthenics.

SECOND TERM.—Arithmetic—Percentage, Geography, Spelling, Writing, Reading, Drawing, Vocal Music and Calisthenics.

THIRD TERM.—Arithmetic—Ratio and Roots, Grammar begun, Reading, Drawing, Writing, Spelling and Calisthenics.

SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Review of Arithmetic, Grammar, United States History, Reading, Drawing, Writing and Singing.

SECOND TERM.—Grammar, History, Astronomy, Reading, Drawing, Singing, Writing and Calisthenics.

THIRD TERM.—Grammar, Botany, Natural History, Reading, Singing, Writing and Calisthenics.

THIRD YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Latin begun, Elements of Algebra, Physical Geography, English Grammar Reviewed and General Exercises the same as second year.

SECOND TERM.—Latin, Algebra, Physiology, Astronomy, Natural History and General Exercises continued.

THIRD TERM.—Latin, Algebra, English Analysis, General Exercises continued.

Normal School.

The following is the Normal Course. It embraces two large and thorough courses of study. One includes the Classics, with provision for elective German and French; the other omits all the languages except the English, and both make an extensive study of the mother tongue.

It substantially embraces a department of Mathematics, of English Language and Literature, of Art and Elocution, Music, Drawing and Calisthenics, of Physics, of Chemistry and Astronomy, of History, of Classical Language, and of Theoretical and Practical Teaching. The whole forms what is called the

Classical Normal Course, and selected studies make up the Scientific Normal Course.

Either is sufficient for practical purposes, and may prepare a teacher for the full work of our public and high schools.

FIRST YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—English Language, Algebra, Latin, Greek, Drawing, Singing and Calisthenics.

SECOND TERM.—Algebra, English, Latin, Greek: General Exercises same.

THIRD TERM.—Geometry, Latin, Greek, History of English Language: same General Exercises.

SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Geometry, Latin, Greek, and English Literature.

SECOND TERM.—Trigonometry and Surveying, Latin, Greek, Physiology.

THIRD TERM.—Latin, Greek, Botany and Natural Philosophy.

THIRD YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Rhetoric, History, Greek, Zoology and General Exercises continued.

SECOND TERM.—Logic, History, Greek and Chemistry.

THIRD TERM.—English Criticism, History, Geology, and Conic Sections.

FOURTH YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Mental Philosophy, English Language, Physical Geography and Pedagogics.

SECOND TERM.—Ethics, Astronomy, Pedagogics and Book Keeping.

THIRD TERM.—Constitution of United States, School Laws of Illinois, Pedagogics and Book Keeping.

General Exercises during the whole course.

German and French may be substituted in some cases.

N. B.—Written examinations monthly, and oral at the close of each term.

POST GRADUATE YEAR.

This will embrace a larger course of History, more of Mathematics, Political Economy, Criticism, Field Work in Natural History, Analytical Chemistry, and Dissecting and Preserving Specimens collected. It will also include courses of Lectures on the above branches, and on the History and Science of Education. One year's work of teaching in the Model School, for an hour a day, will be required for a Diploma.

General Information.

The object of the University is to do a part of the work of education undertaken by the State. This is provided for in three departments—Model or Primary, Preparatory and Normal. Each of these has a specific work, and pursues its appropriate method. The great design of the Model School is to be an example of what a school for primary scholars should be, and to afford to those preparing themselves to teach a place where they may observe the best methods in operation, and where, at suitable times, they may practice in the calling of a teacher, under the eye of one well instructed and largely experienced in the work.

The purpose of the Preparatory Department is, in part, the same, but it is largely used to give instruction in the common branches, and to make up the early deficiencies of such as design to enter the Normal classes.

The Normal Department is to give thorough instruction in the elementary and higher portions of the school course of study, and, indeed, to fit the student by knowledge and discipline for the practical duty of a teacher. It aims to give instruction and opportunities of observation and trial, to every one passing through the course, so that he shall not be an entire novice in his calling when he enters the school room. With this idea in the mind every branch prescribed to be taught in the common and high schools of our State is carefully studied, from the alphabet to the highest range of philosophy. Accuracy and complete thoroughness are points held in mind in every recitation, and drills upon the elements are not shunned as though one gained something by slurring over them. So much of each branch as we pursue we endeavor to impress upon the heart, and to incorporate its methods into the whole frame of the character. Great attention is, therefore, bestowed on the earlier parts of the course, such as spelling and pronouncing words, reading and defining, writing, drawing and calisthenics. The body needs culture and systematic activity, quite as much as the soul, and we begin with making it the servant of the mind, and habituating it to an unhesitating obedience.

The course of study is planned to give information, to assist in self control and discipline, and to promote culture and refinement. It is arranged in the order which ages have found most profitable and philosophical. The earlier studies are elementary and the later ones calculated for stimulating thought when it is growing to maturity and needs discipline in the proper directions. It is most emphatically urged on all students, that they make their arrangements to pursue each study in its order, to make thorough work of each, and not to overburden the mind and body, too, by a larger number of studies than they can carry.

Few things can be impressed on the mind to more profit than rules like the following, and we earnestly request school officers, directors and county superintendents to aid us, and the friends of sound and symmetrical education to reiterate the maxims: Be thoroughly grounded in the elements of all knowledge; particularly spelling English words, pronouncing every letter and syllable properly; reading with readiness and correctness; adding and multiplying numbers in all possible combinations, with electric speed and infallible accuracy; writing a good hand easily read, and done with despatch and neatness; drawing any simple figure, and singing. These things, well learned in theory and wrought into practical habits, not only open the door to all fields of knowledge and art, but they do go a long way toward making the highest attainments in scholarship and the sweetest grace in all manners and behavior. This Normal University insists on them as both necessary and easily gained.

Our rules of government are only few in number and very general in their application. They are embraced in the Golden Rule: "Do to others as you would they should do to you." It is expected, of course, that they include—

1. Neatness of person and of dress.
2. Purity of words and of behavior.
3. Cleanliness of desks, books and rooms.
4. Genteel bearing to teachers and fellow students.
5. Punctuality every day and promptness in every duty, not to the minute only, but to the second.
6. Respect for all the rights of others in all things.
7. Earnest devotion to work.
8. Quietness in all movements.
9. By all means be in school on the first day and remain till the last of every term.
10. Obedience to the laws of love and duty.

If the spirit of these things can be infused into the soul and wrought into the habits, each student will for himself grow in goodness and truth, and for the State will be a power and a blessing.

CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION.

To be entitled to admission in the Normal Department, a lady must be sixteen years of age, and a gentleman seventeen. They must be of good moral character and a certificate to this effect will be required. To enjoy the privilege of free tuition, they must sign a certificate promising to teach in the schools of Illinois three years, or, at least, as long as they have received gratuitous instructions. They are to pass an examination, either before the County Superintendent, or Examiners, or before the Faculty of the University, such as would entitle them to a Second Grade Certificate, and they must agree to obey all reasonable requirements, as to order, promptness, cleanliness and genteel behavior.

EXPENSES.

To those who sign the above-named certificate, tuition is gratuitous, but there may be a fee charged for incidentals, at present not exceeding \$3.00 per term of thirteen weeks. Tuition in Normal Department, \$10.00; in the Preparatory Department, \$8.00; in the Model Department, \$4.00.

Board can be had in good families in Carbondale, at rates varying from \$3.50 to \$5.00 per week, and by renting rooms and self-boardings, or by organizing clubs, the cost may be largely reduced, perhaps to \$2.50 per week. Books are sold by the several bookstores at reasonable rates.

GENERAL REMARKS.

The work accomplished in the first year of our history, we point to with much satisfaction. More than four hundred students have for some time been with us during our year. Some of these have left us and have already engaged in the work of teaching. We regret that all cannot remain and complete the full course. Yet every year should increase the number of such as can regularly pursue each study in the order prescribed, and then go forth well commended to the patronage of the public.

SUGGESTIONS.

We do most earnestly and affectionately recommend to all our students, and to those who may be in charge of them, or who have influence over them, in any way, by advice or authority, that they fix it as a rule never to leave the institution before the end of a term, and, if possible, that they complete a full year. Fragments of an education are indeed of much worth, just as the fragments of a diamond are valuable. But how much more profitable are they when united. The price of the diamond increases as the square of its weight. Hard study for a week, or a day, or even an hour, is worth a vast deal; but a full course of several years is largely enhanced in value. Do not be absent from the school for a day. The regular Calisthenic Exercises will give you health for consecutive study, and by habitual application you will acquire facility for study, and you will accomplish more than you would have believed.

We certainly shall not grant diplomas to those who are absent often, and who do not finish every examination, both written and oral. One of the values of a course of study is that it represents years of honest, punctual work.

LOCATION, &c.

Carbondale is a city of 2,500 inhabitants, healthful and beautiful, with a refined and cultured people. It is easy of access and offers inducements for board and social advantages beyond most other places. It has, perhaps, fewer temptations to idleness and dissipations, and combines religious and educational privileges, in a degree greater than the average of towns and cities. Parents may be assured that their children will be as safe as in any school away from home; and scholars may come here and be certain that economy and industry will be respected and assisted by all the surroundings of the locality. The Illinois Central, the Carbondale and Grand Tower, and the Carbondale and Shawneetown Railroads, afford ample facilities for convenient access.

LITERARY SOCIETY.

The students have organized a Literary Society for purposes of mutual improvement. It is called THE ZETETIC SOCIETY, and meets every Friday evening. Both ladies and gentlemen belong to it, and it affords one of the best means of culture, discipline and instruction in the practical conduct of business. It has commenced the foundation for a library and deserves the countenance and patronage of all the students and their friends.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The Trustees have unanimously voted to establish a Law Department, in case the Hon. Judge Duff will undertake the charge of it, and give instruction and lectures. It will not interfere with the regular work of the Normal Departments, and will have no other connection with the faculty than through Judge Duff.

CALENDER FOR 1875-6.

Commencement for 1874-5—June 17.

Special Session begins August 9th.

Fall Term begins Monday, September 13th—Ends Friday, December 11.

Winter Term begins Monday, December 13th.

Holiday Recess begins December 24th.

Winter Term begins January 5th, 1876.

Winter Term ends March 24th, 1876.

Spring Term begins March 27th, 1876.

Examination for the year begins June 19th, 1876.

Annual Commencement, June 22nd, 1876.



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