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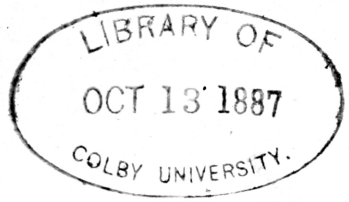


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OF

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FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR

1875-6.

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SUMMARY.

Seniors	10
Juniors	21
Sophomores	22
Freshmen	38
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Total	91

ABBREVIATIONS.

C. H.....	Chaplin Hall.
S. C.....	South College.

TERMS OF ADMISSION.

Candidates for admission to the Freshman Class are examined in the following subjects and books:—

Geography—Ancient and Modern.

English Grammar.

MATHEMATICS.

Arithmetic.

Algebra—First Six Chapters in Davies' Bourdon.

Geometry—Davies' Legendre's Elements—First Four Books.

LATIN.

Grammar—Harkness' preferred.

Cæsar—Four Books.

Sallust—Catiline.

Virgil—Six Books of the *Æneid*.

Cicero—Six Orations, of which one shall be that for the Manilian Law.

Composition—As far as Part III. of Harkness' Introduction.

GREEK.

Grammar—Hadley's preferred.

Xenophon's *Anabasis*—Three Books, or an equivalent.

The attentive reading of some manual of Greek and Roman History is recommended.

Candidates for admission to the College will be required to write each an article in English, on a subject taken from some standard author. Correctness in spelling, punctuation, grammar, and expression will be expected in these articles. The subject for 1876 will be taken from one of

the following works: Shakespeare's *Macbeth*; Goldsmith's *Vicar of Wakefield*; Milton's *Comus*.

Candidates for advanced standing are examined in the preparatory studies, and in the various studies to which the class they purpose to enter have attended. Those who are admitted from other colleges must present certificates of regular dismission.

The Regular Examination for admission will take place at Champlin Hall on Tuesday before Commencement, at eight o'clock A.M. The examination will be partly oral and partly written. A second examination will be held on the first day of the term, at the same place and hour.

TESTIMONIALS.—Satisfactory testimonials of good moral character are required.

SELECT COURSE.

Individuals of suitable age and attainments will be allowed to take a Partial Course, for any length of time not less than one year, selecting such studies as they may desire to pursue. They will be required to recite with the regular College classes at least twice a day, and to continue through the term any study commenced. They will have access to the Libraries and Lectures, and on leaving the Institution will be entitled to a certificate of their respective acquirements in the studies on which they have passed an examination.

ADMISSION OF WOMEN.

The courses of study are now open to young women, on the same terms as to young men.

COURSE OF STUDY.

FRESHMAN YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Geometry.....	Davies' Legendre.
Latin.....	Livy.
Latin Prose Composition	Harkness.
Greek	Greek History.
Exercises in Elocution	Day.
Evidences of Christianity.....	Lectures.
Physiology and Hygiene	Lectures.

SECOND TERM.

Algebra.....	Davies' Bourdon.
Latin.....	Odes of Horace.
Latin Prose Composition	Harkness.
Greek	Plato's Apology and Crito.
Exercises in Elocution	Day.
Evidences of Christianity.....	Lectures.
Physiology and Hygiene	Lectures.

THIRD TERM.

Algebra (completed).....	Davies' Bourdon.
Plane Trigonometry.....	Davies.
Greek	Homer.
Greek Composition.....	Boise.
Latin.....	Satires of Horace and Agricola of Tacitus.
Evidences of Christianity.....	Lectures.
Physiology and Hygiene	Lectures.

SOPHOMORE YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Spherical Trigonometry	Davies.
Surveying and Navigation.....	Davies.

Latin Histories of Tacitus.
 Rhetoric Whately ; Day's Rhetorical Praxis.
 Roman History Lectures.

SECOND TERM.

Analytical Geometry Davies.
 Differential and Integral Calculus Davies.
 French Grammar.
 Rhetoric Whately and Day.
 Anglo-Saxon March.
 Greek Philippics of Demosthenes.
 Roman History Lectures.
 French History Lectures.

THIRD TERM.

Mechanics Snell's Olmsted.
 French Dumas' Napoleon.
 English Literature Spalding and Shaw, and Lectures.
 Anglo-Saxon (*elective*) March.
 Chemical Physics (*elective*).
 Botany Lectures.
 Pneumatics Lectures.

JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Greek Demosthenes on the Crown.
 Constitution of the United States Andrews.
 Chemistry Eliot and Storer.
 Civil Engineering (*elective*) Mahan.
 Constitutional History of England (*elective*) Bagehot.
 Greek History Lectures.
 Greek (*elective*).
 Physics Lectures.

SECOND TERM.

Latin Cicero de Amicitia.
 Logic Whately.
 Sound Snell's Olmsted.
 Physiology Loomis.

Principles of Zoölogy	Agassiz and Gould.
Physics	Lectures.

THIRD TERM.

Greek	Tragedy.
Geology	Dana.
Rhetoric	Whately.
Optics	Snell's Olmsted.
Greek History	Lectures.
Light	Lectures.

SENIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Astronomy	Loomis.
Intellectual Philosophy, Lectures and Discussions,	
	Champlin and Porter.
German	Grammar.
German History	Lectures.
Astronomy	Lectures.

SECOND TERM.

Ethics, Lectures and Discussions... Champlin and Gregory.	
Latin... Epistles of Horace; Hercules Furens of Seneca.	
German	Reader.
French (<i>elective</i>).	
Mineralogy (<i>elective</i>).	
English History	Lectures.
German History	Lectures.

THIRD TERM.

German (<i>elective</i>)	Schiller's Wilhelm Tell.
Latin (<i>elective</i>)	Andria of Terence.
Political Economy	Champlin.
English History	Lectures.

It is required that these studies be pursued, and regular examinations sustained in them, by each student, prior to his receiving the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

DEPARTMENTS OF INSTRUCTION.

THE GREEK LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

PROF. JOHN B. FOSTER, A.M.

In the course of Greek study, the primary object is to aid the student in acquiring such a mastery of the language as shall give him access to the treasures of knowledge, thought, and beauty which it contains. To this end, thoroughness, rather than extent of reading, is sought; yet it is designed to introduce the student to as great a variety of authors and lead him over as large an amount as is consistent with critical study. In connection with this, constant and prominent reference is had to the incomparable advantages which the study affords as a means of mental training—leading, to an extent which can hardly be claimed for any other single branch of education, to the ready, symmetrical, and simultaneous exercise of all the intellectual powers, and at the same time bringing the learner into practical acquaintance with the faculties of the human mind and their modes of working. The study is also made to furnish occasion for illustrating the general laws of language and the principles of literary art, and for exhibiting the sources of most important elements in the Roman and all subsequent forms of civilization. It is the aim, in short, in this department, to make the studies conduce, as far as practicable, to the promotion of general literary culture—to give refinement of taste, nicety of discrimination, facility of analysis, precision of thought, variety, accuracy, and elegance of expression.

THE LATIN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

PROF. JULIAN D. TAYLOR, A.M.

The Latin language, while rated at its true value as a record of the mind and manners of antiquity, is regarded as

the best general introduction to modern literary and professional pursuits. The logical power developed by the analysis of its complicated structure,—the habits of precise and adequate expression acquired in the translation of its prose and verse, are recognized as going far to form a free, forcible, and accurate English style. Constant references to English literature, in connection with the study of the Latin, open to the student a wide field of illustration and comparison, and accustom him to those associations of modern with ancient thought, characteristic of the liberal education. The great principles common to Roman and English law are exhibited as the foundation of our present legal system, while attention is continually directed to those connections, historical and political, which, traced to their origin, discover in the old Roman polity the germs of the national life of Europe. A free discussion of all points of interest is encouraged in the class room, and a course of reading, historical and critical, in addition to the study of the regular text-books, is marked out and recommended to the student.

DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES.

PROF. EDWARD W. HALL, A.M.

In the study of the French language an attempt is made to utilize the knowledge of Latin possessed by the student. The historical development of the language is traced, and the principles of its etymology are set forth as determined by the discoveries of recent linguistic science. There is a constant endeavor to impart a correct pronunciation by practice in reading or conversation. Those works are chosen for translation which are written in modern idiomatic style, and which illustrate the history of the French nation. The diligent student becomes so far master of the language as to be able, in his subsequent studies, to avail himself of its stores of eloquence, philosophy, and science.

In like manner the German is taught as a living language, of common parentage with the English, which can not be thoroughly understood except by its aid. After

acquiring sufficient knowledge of the grammar, the class enters upon the careful study of some great literary work. The progress of German literature is sketched, and aid rendered to those desiring to pursue special study in any department or to prepare themselves to become teachers.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY AND NATURAL HISTORY.

PROF. WM. ELDER, A.M.

In this department instruction is given by lectures, very fully illustrated with experiments and specimens.

The class work consists of recitations from the lectures, supplemented by an approved text-book. Practical instruction is afforded to students in Chemistry, who are assisted to repeat for themselves the experiments given with the lectures.

The fine collections contained in the Cabinet illustrating the departments of Ornithology, Conchology, Geology, and Mineralogy are being increased every year, and are available for the purposes of instruction.

Students are trained to original investigation, and every means is used to render the knowledge acquired real and practical.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL PHILOSOPHY AND ASTRONOMY.

PROF. MOSES LYFORD, LL.D

The aim of the instruction given in this department is twofold: not only to discipline the mind of the student to logical methods of study in the several branches taught, so as to prepare him for the further pursuit of scientific investigation, but while accomplishing this object to furnish him with a liberal store of accurate scientific knowledge. Hence while the student is held to an independent presentation of each topic assigned him from the text-book, the utmost freedom of discussion is encouraged on all occasions, and

the ordinary exercises are supplemented by a course of familiar lectures.

In connection with the study of Astronomy, the classes are allowed frequent opportunities for observations with the astronomical instruments at the Observatory of the University, which is located on an eminence near the College buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF RHETORIC.

PROF. S. K. SMITH, D.D.

Two objects are especially aimed at in this Department. The first is to give the student an accurate and thorough knowledge of the principles of Logic and Rhetoric. The second is the attainment on his part of such practical skill in the application of these principles to explanatory, argumentative, and persuasive discourse, as can be acquired during the College course.

The first of these objects is sought through the study of the most approved text-books. In the use of these text-books great care is exercised that the student thoroughly master their contents,—that he comprehend every principle which is made the subject of study. The leading doctrines of each work are made matter of critical discussion in the classes, and their application to practice is clearly and carefully illustrated.

The second of the objects proposed is sought through the study of the standard authors of the language, and the practice of Composition and Declamation, which is kept up throughout the course. The English language is studied in its origin and development, while the leading authors, especially in the departments of poetry and oratory, are subjected to constant examination and criticism. In the work of Composition especial attention is directed to the logical development of themes, as well as to the selection and accurate expression of the thought.

The members of the three upper classes are required to present original essays three times at least in each term.

These essays are subjected to criticism before the classes, and their excellences and defects are freely employed in illustration of the principles of Rhetoric.

Declamations are required from one of the four classes every week, the Senior and Junior Classes speaking original articles.

Exercises in Elocution are continued throughout the course, the Freshman Class having weekly exercises in this branch during the first two terms of the year.

DEPARTMENT OF INTELLECTUAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY AND POLITICAL ECONOMY.

THE PRESIDENT.

The three branches of study in this department are taught in their natural order of dependence, as above indicated.

The special aim of the work done is to train the students to habits of independent thinking, so that what is learned may be held not simply in the memory, but in the personal conviction of the pupils. Instruction is given in part by lectures, and in part by the use of approved text-books. Constant reference is had to modern phases of thought. Free discussion, in the class-room, of topics under review, is encouraged.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY.

The work in this department is done by means of lectures, delivered on Thursday mornings, during the Sophomore, the Junior, and the Senior years, by Profs. Smith, Foster, Hall, and Taylor. The aim is to awaken and stimulate a taste for historical investigation, especially in relation to the studies pursued in the regular course.

COURSE OF READING.

The course of reading germane to the course of study is recommended, and, in part, prescribed to the students. Each professor will, from time to time, prepare for his department

a list of books, monographs, and essays; and supervise the reading of the students therein.

The object of the course is to save the students the loss resulting from aimless and desultory reading, to train them in habits of exact investigation, to broaden their views, to inform them respecting the literature of the subjects which, at any time, may be occupying their attention in the classroom.

A written analysis will be required of whatever is read in that part of the course which is prescribed.

Those who shall present an accepted written analysis of any book in the course, not prescribed, shall have honorable mention in the catalogue, provided they have maintained a specific standing in all the required work of the College course.

THE HAMLIN PRIZES.

Through the generosity of Hon. HANNIBAL HAMLIN, the following prizes are offered: To the young women of the Sophomore Class, one first prize of \$10, and one second prize of \$5, for excellence in Reading. To the young men of the Freshman Class, one first prize of \$10, and one second prize of \$5, for excellence in Reading. To the young women of the Freshman Class, one first prize of \$10, and one second prize of \$5, for excellence in Reading.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

The LITERARY FRATERNITY and the EROSOPHIAN ADELPHI Societies are under the control of the students, and afford them opportunity for extemporaneous debate. The required exercises of the College are so arranged as to give the students time for preparation for the duties voluntarily assumed in connection with these societies.

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BOARDMAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY AND YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

The Boardman Missionary Society, so named to keep in memory **GEORGE DANA BOARDMAN**, the first graduate of the College, and a distinguished missionary of the American Baptist Missionary Union, was organized in 1820. Its object is to awaken an interest in Foreign Missions. In order to give local direction to missionary zeal, the Young Men's Christian Association acts in harmony with the B. M. S., under the same constitution. The object is to supply to the Christian students, while in College, the care and sympathy, and stimulus to Christian labor, of the churches which they have left at home.

Pastors are requested to give to members of their churches, when leaving home for College, letters of introduction to the officers of this society.

PHYSICAL CULTURE.

The Gymnasium affords the required facilities for physical training. It is under the control of an association of the students, and is open to all upon subscribing to the regulations.

Voluntary drill in gymnastic exercises and the manual of arms, under the direction of Drs. Crosby and Wilson, will be provided for the current year.

TERMS AND VACATIONS.

Commencement is on the fourth Wednesday in July.

The first term begins five weeks from Commencement Day, and continues fifteen weeks. The second term begins eight weeks after the close of the first, and continues twelve weeks. The third term begins one week after the close of the second, and continues till Commencement. The intervening periods of five and eight weeks and one week are vacations.

No student is allowed to be absent a term, nor to leave town during term time, without permission from the President. *Special attention is called to the fact that no student can be absent from the regular college exercises, even for a few days, without serious loss.*

EXAMINATIONS.

There is a public examination of all the classes, partly oral and partly written, at the close of each term. The final examination of the Senior Class occurs five weeks before Commencement.

EXHIBITION.

There is an exhibition of the Senior Class at the end of the first term, at which honorary parts of equal rank, consisting of English, Greek, French, and Latin versions, are assigned to members of the Junior Class whose rank is such as to entitle them to the distinction.

PRIZE READING AND DECLAMATIONS.

There is a Prize Declamation of the Sophomore Class at the end of the Spring Term, and of the Junior Class at the end of the Summer Term. Original articles are required of the Junior Class. A prize is also given to those members of the Freshman Class who excel in reading. The exhibition at which these prizes are awarded is held at the middle of the Summer Term.

HONORABLE MENTION.

Students maintaining a specific rank in *all* required exercises, who shall either achieve *exceptional* excellence in any prescribed study, or shall do special work not demanded in the regular course, and shall pass examination thereon, receive honorable mention in the Catalogue.

EXPENSES.

The following is an estimate of the necessary expenses of a student, not including furniture, books, apparel, traveling, and board in vacations:—

Tuition and Room-rent.....	\$42 00	\$42 00
Incidental expenses.....	18 00	18 00
Board from \$2 50 to \$3 50 per week.....	97 50	136 50
Fuel, Washing, and Lights	30 00	50 00
Amount.....	\$187 50	\$246 50

Students provide for themselves board, washing, furniture, fuel, lights, and text-books. Books and furniture may be sold when the student has no further use for them. In this case the expense will be light. A club, under the control of the students, has been established on the College grounds, the price of board in which is restricted to \$2 50 per week.

TERM BILLS.

There is kept an accurate account of each student's absences from all exercises upon which his attendance is required; also, of his general conduct and scholarship. This account, in connection with the regular term bill, embracing the charges for Tuition, Room-rent, use of Library, and Incidentals, is sent to the student's parent or guardian, at the close of each term.

Bills must be promptly paid at the commencement of the succeeding term. In case of failure, bonds must be given to the Treasurer, and even with bonds, no student will be allowed to proceed with his class who has more than two bills unpaid.

Persons admitted to advanced standing, if not from another College, are required to pay back tuition; but no matriculation fee is exacted in any case.

SCHOLARSHIPS.

It is due to those who generously contributed the funds,

to announce that the following Scholarships, yielding from thirty-six to sixty dollars per annum, have been founded for the benefit of students needing aid. No student will be nominated as a beneficiary who does not maintain a good average standing in his classes, and whose conduct is not, in all respects, exemplary. Preference in nomination will be given to the students maintaining the best standing. Serious College censure will render a student liable to loss of a scholarship.

APPLETON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Samuel Appleton, Esq., Mrs. M. J. Plaisted, and A. A. Plaisted, Esq., Waterville.

AUGUSTA SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Augusta Church.

BANGOR SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the First Church, Bangor.

BARRON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by William Barron, Esq., Topsham.

BICKMORE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by John Bickmore, Esq., St. George.

BLOOMFIELD SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Bloomfield Church.

BOLLES SCHOLARSHIP, founded by *James G. Bolles, Esq., Hartford, Conn.

BOSWORTH SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Free Street Church, Portland.

TIMOTHY BOUTELLE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by N. R. Boutelle, M.D., and Edwin Noyes, Esq., Waterville.

BUTLER AND INMAN SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Auburn Church.

CAMPBELL SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Alexander Campbell & Co., Cherryfield.

CHAMPLIN SCHOLARSHIP, founded by J. T. Champlin, D.D., LL.D., Portland.

COBURN SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. Abner Coburn, and P. Coburn, Esq., Skowhegan.

ELEAZUR COBURN SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * Eleazur Coburn, Esq., Skowhegan.

CONVERSE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by J. H. Converse, Esq., Cambridge, Mass.

COBB SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Lemuel Cobb, Esq., Portland.

COUNCE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * Mrs. Kezia Counce, Thomaston, * Mrs. Paulina H. McCallum, Warren, and A. W. Kennedy, M.D., and wife, Warren.

DAMARISCOTTA SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Damariscotta Church.

DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. Isaac Davis, LL.D., Worcester, Mass.

DEXTER SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Calais Church.

DRINKWATER SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * Rev. Arthur Drinkwater, Waterville.

DRUMMOND SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Hon. J. H. Drummond, LL.D., Portland.

EAST CORINTH SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the East Corinth Church.

EAST WINTHROP SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the East Winthrop Church.

EATON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Free St. Church, Portland.

GIDDINGS SCHOLARSHIPS (two), founded by Moses Giddings, Esq., Bangor.

GOODWIN AND BRADBURY SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * George C. Goodwin and B. F. Bradbury, Esq., Bangor.

GREENOUGH SCHOLARSHIPS (five), founded by * Dea. Byron Greenough, Portland.

HALL AND FLYE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Austin Hall, Esq., and Edwin Flye, Esq., Damariscotta.

HALLOWELL SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Hallowell Church.

HAMLIN SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. Hannibal Hamlin, Bangor.

HART SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * H. B. and H. M. Hart, Esqs., Portland.

HEALEY SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Aaron Healey, Esq., New York.

HUMPHREY SCHOLARSHIPS (two), founded by * Chapin Humphrey, Esq., Bangor.

KING SCHOLARSHIP, founded by members of the King family, Calais.

MERRIAM SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Rev. Franklin Merriam, Danbury, N. H.

MERRILL SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. J. Warren Merrill, Cambridge, Mass.

METCALF SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. B. D. Metcalf, Damariscotta.

MILLIKEN SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. D. L. Milliken, Waterville.

MOUNT VERNON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Mount Vernon Church.

NYE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. Joshua Nye, Augusta.

PEVEAR SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Pevear & Co., Boston.

PIERCE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Wm. G. and Almira F. Pierce, Providence, R. I.

POLLARD SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * J. M. Pollard, Esq., Oldtown.

PORTER SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Joseph Treat, Esq., New York.

PURRINGTON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * Wm. and Ellen Purrington, Bowdoinham.

RICHARDSON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Dea. Wm. T. Richardson, Cambridge, Mass.

RICKER SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Rev. Joseph Ricker, D.D., Augusta.

ROBINSON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Rev. T. B. Robinson, Montville.

ROUNDS SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Freeport Church.

SCHOLFIELD SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Hon. Wm. S. Scholfield, Topsham.

SHAILER SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Rev. W. H. Shailer, D.D., Portland.

A. K. P. SMALL SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the First Church, Bangor.

SOUTH BERWICK SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the South Berwick Church.

STEVENS SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * J. I. Stevens, Gorham.

THOMPSON SCHOLARSHIPS (two), founded by Arad Thompson, Esq., Bangor.

WARREN SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Warren Church.

WHITE SCHOLARSHIP, founded by Dea. J. C. White, Bangor.

ADAM WILSON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * Rev. Adam Wilson, D.D., Waterville.

THOMAS WILSON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by * Thomas Wilson, Wiscasset.

WILLIAM WILSON SCHOLARSHIP, founded by William Wilson, Esq., Hallowell.

YARMOUTH SCHOLARSHIP, founded by the Yarmouth Church.

* Deceased.

NOTE. The attention of the friends of the College is called to the fact that there is urgent need of an increase in scholarships. The income of a scholarship of \$1000 will pay the regular College charges of a student.

Honorary Aid.

1. Twenty Dollars on the first term bill canceled for the student best fitted for College; also the same amount on all subsequent bills through his course, in case he needs the aid and maintains a high rank in his class.

2. Twenty Dollars on the first term bill canceled for the best of not less than six from the same school. Also on the second bill, and on the first and second bills in each year, on the same conditions as above.

3. Twenty Dollars on the first term bill canceled for the best of not less than four from the same school; and on the first bill in each subsequent year, on the same conditions as above.

But no school shall be entitled to more than one prize; the first prize will not be awarded except in cases of marked excellence; nor shall any one receive a prize who is not well prepared for college.

AWARDS FOR THE LAST ACADEMIC YEAR.

SENIOR EXHIBITION.—The prize for the best essay, to Leslie C. Cornish. Honorary Junior Parts, to J. B. Brown, Jr., Fred. V. Chase, Albion W. Small, and George F. Youngman.

JUNIOR PRIZE DECLAMATION.—First prize to Fred V. Chase; second prize to Albion W. Small.

SOPHOMORE PRIZE DECLAMATION.—First prize to Edwin F. Lyford; second prize to John M. Foster.

HAMLIN PRIZES.—First prize to Fred E. Dewhurst; second prize to Henry M. Thompson.

ENTRANCE PRIZES.—The prize for the best of not less than six from the same school, to William N. Philbrook, from the Waterville Classical Institute.

HONORABLE MENTION for extra work beyond the requirements of the College course, as follows:—

Mary C. Low, for a translation in writing of the *Andria* of Terence.

William H. Brownson, for readings and criticism in Tennyson.

John M. Foster, for reading the oration of *Æschines* against Ctesiphon, with a written analysis of the argument.

Florentius M. Hallowell, for readings, analysis, and criticism in Scott.

Lizzie G. Hoag, for reading the *Alcestis* of Euripides.

Edwin F. Lyford, for readings, analysis, and criticism in Chaucer.

James W. Jenkins, for an examination upon Ovid's *Metamorphoses*, 1800 lines; also, for an abstract in writing of the Roman Lives of Plutarch.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.

A religious service of prayer, reading of the Scriptures, and singing, is held in the College Chapel every morning at 9 o'clock, and all the students are required to be present.

All undergraduates are expected to observe reverently the Sabbath, and to attend public worship. Where they shall attend shall be determined by the election of each one, if of age; if under age, by the election of parent or guardian.

GENERAL INFORMATION.

For the information of those not acquainted with the College, the following facts are mentioned:—

Waterville is one of the most healthful as well as one of the most beautiful villages in Maine. Never has any epidemic disease prevailed among the students. The climate is especially favorable for study.

The expense of a Collegiate course is here reduced to an inconsiderable sum. The cost of an education in our large colleges is every year becoming more burdensome, and in the case of many is a positive interdict to the benefits which they offer. The terms are so arranged that students who desire may teach school during the winter.

It is regarded as an advantage to the College that it is not located in a city. While it must be conceded that a city affords pre-eminent facilities for professional culture, it seems equally clear that the studies of a College course can be more advantageously pursued in the quiet of a village.

The temptations of city life, which so often prove too strong for young men during the critical period of College days, are here escaped. The "Maine Law," restricting the sale of intoxicating liquors, is enforced. The moral tone of the community is high, and the social influences are refining.

At the outset of the course of study, by means of lectures given by the President on the Evidences of Christianity, and by Prof. Elder on Physiology and Hygiene, an effort is made to awaken the young men to the harmonious culture of our threefold nature—body, mind, and spirit.

Special interest is felt by the Faculty in the religious condition of those under their care. Thorough discipline of the intellect is rigidly insisted upon in order to the cult-

ure of the heart. That education is regarded as fatally defective which has not this for its ultimate aim. It is not forgotten that the College was founded as a Christian institution.

Parents desiring that their sons should be under special oversight, are requested to communicate their desire to the President.

THE BUILDINGS.

Chaplin Hall, so named in memory of the venerated first President, Rev. JEREMIAH CHAPLIN, D.D., has recently been so thoroughly renovated as to be substantially a new building. It furnishes the dormitories for the students. It is heated throughout with steam.

Champlin Hall, so named in recognition of the distinguished services of the late President, Rev. J. T. CHAMPLIN, D.D., LL.D., supplies the large, well-ventilated, and cheerful recitation rooms.

Coburn Hall, so named in acknowledgment of benefactions from one of the most liberal friends of the College, Hon. ABNER COBURN, is entirely devoted to the use of the Department of Chemistry and Natural History. The building is of rough quarry-stone, with granite trimmings, the walls being 56 by 48 feet, and 41 feet high. On the first floor are the Lecture room, Laboratories, and Apparatus rooms. On the second floor are work-rooms for students in Natural History, and a Hall supplied with elegant cases for the exhibition of specimens. A gallery, more spacious than the main floor, surrounds the Hall. The Cabinet is of unusual excellence for purposes of instruction. It is especially rich in the departments of Conchology and Ornithology.

Memorial Hall, so named in honor of the Alumni of the College who fell in the service of their country during the late civil war, is built of stone and surmounted by a tower eighty feet in height. The eastern wing of the building contains the University Library, 44 feet by 54, and 20 feet high, furnished with double alcoves and shelves for

30,000 volumes. The west wing contains, on the first floor, the College Chapel, 40 by 58 feet in dimensions. Above this is the Hall of the Alumni, in which is the Memorial Tablet, surmounted by a copy, in marble, of Thorwaldsen's Lion of Lucerne.

LIBRARIES.

The Library of the University contains 11,000 volumes and 4,800 pamphlets. It is open daily for consultation and delivery of books. Members of all the classes have free access to the Library under the usual rules. A card catalogue and index has been prepared, by means of which the contents of the Library are made available for ready reference. The Librarian and members of the Faculty give personal assistance to those wishing to investigate special topics.

Additions are made from the income of the Library Fund of \$2000, and from the Colby Library Fund of \$500 per annum, the gift of GARDNER COLBY, Esq. The expenditure of these funds is under the control of a committee appointed from the Board of Trustees.

There are two libraries belonging to the Literary Societies, which are under the direction of the students. They are open on Tuesdays and Fridays, and contain about 4000 volumes.

A commodious Reading Room, well supplied with papers and magazines, is open to all the students.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

The Waterville Classical Institute is under the control of the Trustees of the University. It is conducted by J. H. HANSON, LL.D., and has, for many years, sustained a high reputation for the excellence and thoroughness of the instruction given. The average number of pupils last year was 170.

COURSES OF STUDY.

I. A very thorough and complete College Preparatory Course of three years.

II. A Collegiate Course of the same character, of four years, for young ladies, with degree of B.L.

III. An Introductory Course, to which pupils are admitted without regard to attainments.

BOARD.

In private families, including room, lodg- ing, and light.....	\$4 00 per week.
In clubs, about	2 25 per week.
Self-board, about	1 50 per week.

ROOMS.

In private houses.....	\$1 00 per week.
In Dormitory.....	50 per week.

The rooms will accommodate two persons, and will be partially furnished. Rooms wholly furnished may be had at reasonable rates.

 TUITION.

Languages.....	\$12 00 per term.
Higher English.....	11 00 per term.
Common English.....	10 00 per term.
Music, Painting, and Penmanship, extra.	

Tuition is not taken for less than a half-term.

CALENDAR.

Two terms, of twenty weeks each; the first beginning Aug. 30th, the second Feb. 7th. A recess of one week in the middle of each term.

GRADUATES.

Graduates of the Institute will be admitted to Colby University, without further examination, on the certificate of the Principal that they have completed the Course and attained an average scholarship of at least 70 per cent. in each study; provided that the said certificate shall be granted with the approval of the Faculty of the College,—a Committee of whom shall attend the examinations of the Institute.

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COLLEGE CALENDAR.

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1875.

Senior Exhibition, Wednesday evening Nov. 17.
 FALL TERM ends Wednesday Nov. 24.

Vacation of ten weeks.

1876.

SPRING TERM begins Wednesday Feb. 2.
 Sophomore Prize Declamation April 19.
 Spring Term ends April 26.

Vacation of one week.

SUMMER TERM begins Wednesday evening May 3.
 Freshman Prize Reading June 14.
 Senior Examination, Wednesday June 21.
 Examinations of other classes begin Wednesday, July 20.
 Junior Exhibition, Monday evening July 24.
 Examination for admission, 8 A.M. July 25.
 Meeting of the Board of Trustees, 11 A.M. July 25.
 Meeting of the Alumni Association, 2 P.M. July 25.
 Anniversary of Literary Societies July 25.
 Commencement, Wednesday July 26.

Vacation of five weeks.

FALL TERM begins Wednesday evening Aug. 30.
 Examination for admission, Wednesday Aug. 30.