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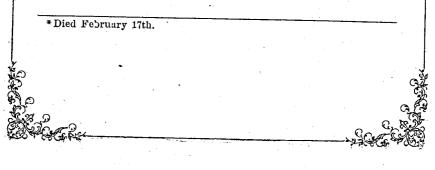
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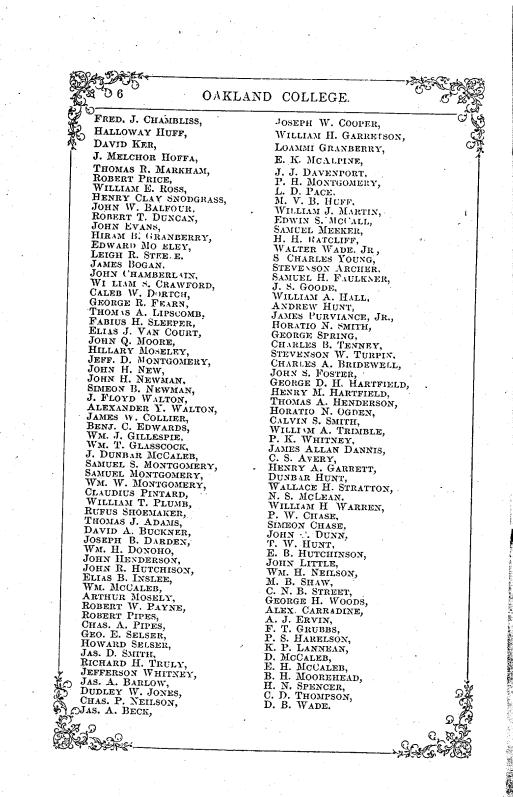


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BODLEY, W. S	Vicksburg, Miss.
BRABSTON, THOMAS BRIDEWELL, WINFIELD	Port Gibson, Miss.
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BRIDEWELL, W. A	Favette. Miss.
BULLEN, DAMUEL	Oakland College, Miss.
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SNYDER, J	Rodney, Miss.
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STACY, JOHN	Rodney, Miss.
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WATSON. A. C	St. Joseph, La.
WATSON, FRANK	St. Joseph, La.
WATSON, JANSON	Oakland College, Miss.
WATSON, JAMES	Oakland College, Miss.
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WOODLAND, E. N	Camden, Ark.

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Requisites for Admission.

Applicants for admission to the Freshman Class must sustain an approved examination in English Grammar, Geography, Ancient and Modern, Arithmetic, Algebrs, through simple Equations, Latin and Greek Accidence and a Syntax, Cæsar's Commentaries, (three books,) six books of Virgil's Æneid, Sallust, Cicero's Orations, Greek Reader, and First Book of Xenophon's Anabasis. These requirements, or their real equivalents, will be insisted upon as necessary to prepare the Student to receive the full advantage of the College course. It is found from experience that Students imperfectly prepared for the classes which they enter, are constantly embarrassed in their progress.

Those who seek admission to a higher class than the Freshman will be rigidly examined in all the studies which have been pursued by the class which they desire to enter. Students in applying for admission to the privileges of the Institution should produce testimonials of good moral character, and, in case the applicant has been a Student in some other College, he must furni-h evidence of having left such School in good standing.

Students who do not desire to pursue the regular course prescribed for graduation may, at the discretion of the Faculty, be permitted to take an irregular course and attend recitations and lectures in the departments elected by themselves. Every such Student, however, must have not less than fifteen recitations per week, unless for special reasons the Faculty determine otherwise, and no Student will be allowed to discontinue a study without permission from the Faculty.

Course of Study.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

ENGLISH.—Spelling, Reading, Writing, Geography, (Ancient and Modern,) English Grammar, Declamation, and Composition.

LATIN.—Harkness' First and Second Books, Latin Grammar, Cæsar, Sallust, Cicero and Virgil.

GREEK.-McClintock's & Crook's First Book, Kuhner's Elementary Grammar, with daily written Exercises, Greek Reader and Xenophon's Anabasis (First Book.)

MATHEMATICS.—Mental and Written Arithmetic, and Algebra through Simple Equations.

Collegiate Department.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

ENGLISH.—Composition, Declamation and Rhetoric. LATIN.—Harkness' Latin Grammar, Arnold's Latin Prose Composition, Livy (Lincoln,) Horace (Lincoln,) and History of Rome

(Liddell.)

GREEK.- Xenophon's Anabasis, (Owen,) Xenophon's Memorabilia (Robbins',) Daily Exercises in Greek Composition from Kuhner's

Elementary Grammar. Ancient Geography (Long's Atlas.)

MATHEMATICS.—Algebra and Geometry.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

ENGLISH .- Composition, Declamation, and History.

LATIN.—Arnold's Latin Prose Composition, Horace (Lincoln,) Tacitus' Germania and Agricola (Tyler.)

GREEK.--Demosthenes de Corona (Champlin,) Plato's Apology and Crito (Tyler,) Selections from Felton's Greek Historians, Exercises in Greek Composition from the Syntactical part of Kuhner's Elementary Grammar, Greek History (Smith.)

MATHEMATICS.—Plane and Spherical Trigonometry, Mensuration. Surveying, Leveling, Navigation, Analytical Geometry, Descriptive Geometry, Shades, Shadows and Perspective.

FRENCH.-

JUNIOR CLASS.

ENGLISH.—Composition, Declamation and Rhetoric.

LATIN.-Horace's Art of Poetry (Lincoln,) Juvenal (Leverett.)

GREEK.—Thucydides (Owen,) Plato's Gorgias (Woolsey,) Homer's Iliad (Owen,) Exercises in Greek Composition with reference to Kuhner, Matthix & Jelf. Kuhner's larger Grammar, translated by Edwards & Taylor, will be the m-nual for the class.

MATHEMATICS.-Differential and Integral Calculus.

CHEMISTRY .- Stockhardt, and Lectures.

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.--....FRENCH.-

SENIOR CLASS.

ENGLISH.—Original Speeches, Logic, English Literature, and Political Economy.

MENTAL AND MORAL SCIENCE, AND EVIDENCES OF CHRISTIANITY.

LATIN.-Cicero de Officiis (Tyler,) Cicero de Oratore (Kingsley.)

GREEK.—The Antigone of Sophocles (Woolsey,) The Clouds of Aristophanes (Felton,) History of Greek Literature and Philosophy (Browne,

with lectures,) Exercises in Greek Composition written at sight.

MINERALOGY AND GEOLOGY.—Dana, and Lectures.

Moral and Mental Science.

Instruction.

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REV. J. H. CALVIN, D. D., Professor.

This Department claims the attention of the Senior Class, and embraces as extended a course as a judicious apportionment of time to each Department will admit

TEXT-BOOKS : Alexander and Haven.

GEORGE LITTLE, Ph. D., Professor.

Chemistry, Mineralogy and Geology.

Instruction in this Department will be given by lectures, illustrated by experiments, models, maps and specimens from nature.

The Chemical Laboratory is well furnished with the necessary apparatus. The Minerals of the Chase Cabinet fully illustrate the subject of Mineralogy. The private Herbarium of the Professor, consisting of several thousand speeimens of plants of this country and Europe, together with excursions into the neighboring woods, will afford Students an opportunity of becoming familiar with the Science of Botany. The largest collection of stuffed animals in the State facilitates the acquisition of a knowledge of Zoology. A complete suite of soils, marks and fossils, from the various formations, illustrates the Geology of the State.

TEXT-BOOKS :

Stockhardt's Chemistry, Dana's Mineralogy and Geology, and Gray's Botany.

English Biterature and History.

J. E. WHEELER, A. M., Professor.

Instruction in this Department will be commenced in the Freshman Class, with a critical examination of the English Language—its history; Grammar, and the art of writing it with precision and elegance. This will be followed in the Sophomore and Junior years by a course of Modern History and Rhetoric—the latter in its more philosophical treatment, as the Art of Reasoning. The Senior Class will devote the first Term to Logic, and the last to English Literature. In the latter part of the course, the Professor will accompany the text with lectures on the beauties and excellences of the best English authors. Exercises in Composition and Declamation will be required of all the Classes.

TEXT-BOOKS:

FRESHMAN CLASS,	Quackenbos' Rhetoric.
SOPHOMORE CLASS,	
JUNIOR CLASS,	
SENIOR CLASS,	Spaulding's English Literature and
	Wayland's Political Economy.

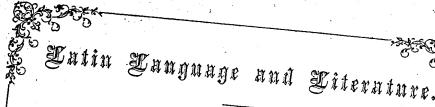
Matural Philosophy.

COL. GEORGE M. EDGAR, Professor.

Instruction in this Department is begun in the middle of the Junior year, and continued until graduation. It will be the aim of the Professor to strike a mean between the most popular treatment of the subject and the most abstruse, in order that the Student may acquire such a knowledge of the course as is best adapted to general education. To this end he will adopt a strictly mathematical treatment of the laws of force and motion, but in the study of the subjects which follow, will call in the aid of the higher analysis only so far as is necessary to a clear understanding of the principles. The course will embrace MECHANICS OF SOLIDS, MECHANICS OF FLUIDS, ACOUSTICS, OFTICS AND ASTRONOMY, together with HEAT, ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM. The Professor will, throughout the entire course, accompany the text with such lectures and experiments as may be necessary to give the Student a comprehensive view of the subject.

TEXT-BOOKS AND BOOKS OF REFERENCE:

MECH INICS AND GENERAL PHYSICS, ... Smith, Bartlett, Silliman, Lardner.



REV. GEORGE L. PETRIE, Professor. The best preparation for entrance into the Freshman Class is a thorough acquaintance with the Grammar of the Language. to insure which it is required that the applicant have read portions of Casar, Sallust, Cicero and Virgil, or their equivalents, with reference rather to the accuracy than to the quantity of reading. Throughout the entire course the Classes are drilled in the grammatical structure of the language. English into Latin are considered indispensable to thorough scholarship. Frequent exercises in converting In the daily translation of Latin into English, the sentences are minutely analyzed, peculiarities of construction explained, changes made and new sentences formed on the basis of the old, until the Student has a full appreciation of the principles involved. Particular attention is given to the formation of Latin words, and the derivation of English.

Greek Bungunge and Biternture.

H. R. MORRISON, A. M., Professor.

This Department claims the attention of the Student throughout the entire Collegiate course. In the earlier part of the course special attention is given to the grammatical structure of the language, which is exemplified by regular exercises in Greek composition with Kuhner's Elementary Grammar as a manual. The Greek read is minutely analyzed, and to ensure a correct knowledge of the various constructions involved the Student is required to reproduce them in initative exercises. During the later years of the course the exercises in Greek composition are of a higher grade. Selections from the best authors are translated by the Professor into good English, which the Class is required to render into the original. These exercises are carefully examined and returned with an accompanying explanation of the peculiarities of construction involved. To insure facility in translation, the Students in all the Classes are frequently called upon to furnish written translations of portions of the authors read.

Greek History is a part of the Sophomore course, and will embrace the period extending from the earliest times to the Macedonian conquest. The History of Greek Literature and Philosophy is taught in the Junior and Senior years, with Browne and Eschenberg as manuals, supplemented by

Mathematics.

T. A. HENDERSON, A. M., Professor.

This Department will embrace the entire course of pure Mathematics, together with its applications to Surveying, Navigation, and Shades, Shadows and Perspective. It will be the aim of the Professor to make this course an important means of mental discipline as well as a source of valuable information. To this end he will insist upon the most accurate use of Mathematical language, and the acquirement of the utmost facility in the discussion of all general principles, as well as skill in their application.

TEXT-BOOKS FOR THE PRESENT :

Loomis' Algebra, Geometry, and Trigonometry, including Surveying, &c. Smith's Biot's Analytical Geometry.

Davies' Descriptive Geometry, and Shades, Shadows and Perspective. Church's Calculus.

Modern Bunguages.

CHARLES H. MOORE, Professor.

This Department will afford the Student the opportunity to acquire FRENCH, SPANISH, GERMAN AND ITALIAN; but only the first is made a part of the regular curriculum. In teaching all, the Professor will adopt the Ollendorff System of Instruction, accompanied with exercises in Reading and Conversation. He will take great pains to make the Student familiar with the idioms of each language, and, as far as possible, prepare him to speak it.

Breparatory Jepartment.

REV. PHILO CALHOUN, A. M., Professor.

GEORGE A. CALHOUN, A. M., Assistant.

This School was established to supply the want of preparation which many applying for entrance into the College Classes exhibit. But though its course and mode of instruction have been adopted with this especial view, it also affords the best advantages to those desiring to pursue only an English course. Its management is subject to the review of the Faculty, and each Student is personally known to them all. At the close of every month the standing and deportment of the Students in their respective Classes are ascertained and posted up for their information. At the close of each quarter, a Circular Letter is also sent by the Secretary of the Faculty to the parent or guardian of each Student, containing a statement of his absolute and relative standing for the quarter, and exhibiting the number of his absences from recitations, and giving any other information with regard to the Student's deportment which the Faculty may deem proper to communicate.

Eirculars to Parents and Guardians.

Examinations.

Semi-annual examinations of all the Classes are held before the close of each Term. These examinations are full and thorough, embracing in their scope all the subjects of instruction which have been treated of during the Term. They are conducted chiefly in writing, but may be partly oral and partly in writing at the option of the Professor. The results of the examinations, together with the Term standing of the Student in his daily recitations, determine his qualifications for entrance into a higher Class.

Government.

The discipline of the College is firm but mild. An effort is made by the Faculty to impress upon the Students the necessity of law to their proper government, and highest advancement; and to give them correct views of the high source of the obligation resting on them to obey.

Moral Culture.

This is of paramount importance, and must not be sacrificed to the subordinate claims of mental culture. Literature and Science are the hand-maids to religion, and any theory which would array them as antagonists must work serious injury. The Students are encouraged to attend exercises and means of religious culture within their reach. They are required to attend religious services every morning in the Chapel, and the usual services of the Sabbath.

The Library,

Contains several thousand volumes, among which are many valuable works in the various Departments of Science and Literature. Students have free access to it, and are allowed the use of books under the usual and necessary restrictions.

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Literary Societies.

There are two Literary Societies: the Belles Lettres Society, and the Adelphie Institute. These meet weekly for mental improvement, and their influence in developing talent and cultivating taste has been eminently gratifying. They have each a substantial and beautiful Hall, erected through the exertions of the members, and furnished with libraries which previous to the late war numbered four thousand volumes. Although damaged by the loss of valuable books, these libraries still contain a vast amount of choice literature, and will not be searched in vain by the Student who seeks information upon the Sciences, Arts, History, and General Literature.

Society of Alumni.

The annual meetings of this Association are held at the close of the session, at which time an address is delivered by an orator previously selected for this duty. As several years have elapsed since a Catalogue of the College was published, the members of the Association are earnestly solicited to suggest such emendations and additions to the list of members of the Alumni contained in this Catalogue as may ensure the publication next year of a full and complete roll, with the places of residence, and present occupations or professions of all the members now living, and full and correct statements of the deceased.

Length of Sessions---Commencement.

The first Term of the Session commences on the second Wednesday of September, and ends the fourth Wednesday of January. The second commences on the day following the close of the first, and ends on the third Thursday of June, which is Commencement Day.

Terms.

Tuition per Term,\$	40 00	Board at Refectory, per month	
Contingent Fee,	3 00	of four weeks,\$20	00
Room Attendance,	$5 \ 00$	Washing per dozen,	50

By a recent order of the Board of Trustees, Students are required to pay their expenses invariably in advance. They are also required to furnish their own BOOKS, FURNITURE, FUEL AND LIGHTS. Boarding may be obtained in private families in the neighborhood, at \$25 per month.

Candidates for the Christian Ministry, and sons of Ministers of all denominations, are admitted free of charge for TUITION.

The College is situated within four and a half miles of Rodney, on the Mississippi river, and is therefore easily accessible from all parts of the South-West.

All Communications should be addressed to the Chairman of the Faculty, Rodney, Mississippi.

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T. J. ADAMS, A. M., PRINCIPAL OF PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT IN PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

NOTE.—The Presidency, rendered vacant by the death of Rev. J. H. Calvin, D. D., will be filled at an early day. By reason of changes made at the recent meeting of the Board of Trustees, the above announcement is made of the Faculty for the ensuing year.