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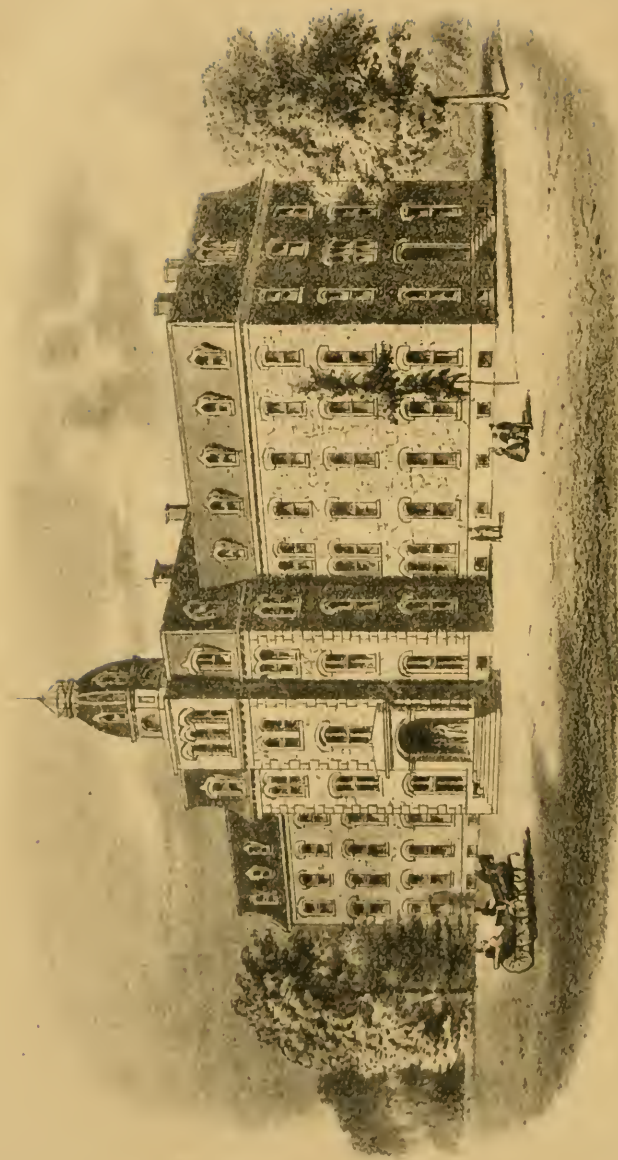
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Longstreth, Emma J.	West Chester,	Chester county, "
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Marshall, Maggie	"	" "
Marshall, Sallie H.	"	" "
Martin, Rachel S.	Parkerville,	" "
Maxton, Cora	West Chester,	" "
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Hoopes, Franklin	"	" "
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Lawson, William G.	"	" "
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Pearson, Edwin G.	New Hope,	Bucks county, "
Perkins, J. Douglas	Coatesville,	Chester county, "
Philips, William C.	Faulkland,	New Castle co., Del.
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Pochon, Charles F.	Ivy Mills,	" "
Polk, George W.	Odessa,	New Castle co., Del.
Polk, Charles T.	"	" "
Polk, Cyrus	"	" "
Prizer, Levi, Jr.	Chester Springs,	Chester county, Pa.
Rogers, Elwood	Spring City,	" "
Sharpe, Richard	Eckley,	Luzerne county, "
Sharpless, Willard	Lima,	Delaware county, "
Sharpless, Joel, Jr.	"	" "
Sharpless, Philip M.	West Chester,	Chester county, "
Serrill, William	Jenkintown,	Montgomery co. "
Swymelar, Brinton P.	Honeybrook,	Chester county, "
Tangny, Howard	Chadd's Ford,	Delaware county, "
Tennis, De La Fletcher	Glenloch,	Chester county, "
Thompson, Walter	West Chester,	" "
Troth, Wm. D.	Burlington,	Burlington co., N. J.
Turner, Charles E.	Elkview,	Chester county, Pa.
Wickersham, Leslie	West Chester,	" "
Wilkinson, William	Germantown,	Philadelphia, "
William, Abram G.	West Chester,	Chester county, "
Wilson, Harry	"	" "
Wollerton, Fred.	"	" "
Wood, Irwin	"	" "
Woods, Walter V.	MacDonough,	New Castle co., Del.
Wootten, Geo. W.	Pine Street,	Philadelphia, Pa.
Worrall, Elwood F.	West Chester,	Chester county, "
Young, Benton M.	Marshallton,	" "
Zook, Elhanan	West Whiteland,	" "

LOCATION.

The situation of West Chester, is unsurpassed for the beauty and fertility of its surroundings, and for the healthfulness of its climate. Elevated nearly 500 feet above tide, it is free from all malaria. Access is had several times daily by railroad from Philadelphia, or by a branch connecting with the Pennsylvania Central, as also by stage from the Wilmington and Reading Road.

THE BUILDING.

Is situated on the south side of the Borough, half a mile from the Court House, is entirely new. of stone, 150 by 112 feet, four stories high, with a basement. It is furnished with new furniture of the most approved patterns. All the rooms are heated by steam, and lighted with gas, and nearly all are arranged for two students, each. Water closets, wash rooms, and bath rooms are all complete and under one roof.

OUTFIT.

Pupils boarding in the Institution, will be furnished with single beds, bedding, wardrobe and glass, and are expected to furnish only a pair of blankets, towels, and table napkins. Boys must also furnish themselves with slippers for use in the building. Many of the students provide carpet for their rooms, thus giving them a very neat and home-like appearance.

THE COURSE OF STUDY

Is intended to be at once thorough and comprehensive; it is designed that students faithfully availing themselves of their privileges, shall be thoroughly fitted as teachers in the Common or Classical Schools.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION—MODEL SCHOOL.

This department is designed for young pupils, and is under the charge of a thoroughly competent instructor. Members of the senior class in the Elementary Course, are also required to teach in this department a portion of the year.

THE PREPARATORY COURSE

Includes all students not prepared to enter the Elementary Course. Pupils are admitted into this course without regard to previous preparation, and are assigned to such classes as best suit their attainments.

THE ELEMENTARY COURSE

Extends through two years, and embraces all the studies required by law, to enable students to graduate with the degree of B. E., (Bachelor of the Elements) together with the study of Latin. After graduating in this, students may enter either the

CLASSICAL OR SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

Each of which requires two years. The studies pursued are similar to those of like departments in a college course.

STATE APPROPRIATIONS TO STUDENTS AND GRADUATES.

By a recent Act of the Legislature, the following appropriations are made by the State to Normal Students and Graduates :

1. Each Student over *seventeen years* of age, who shall sign a *paper* declaring *his intention* to teach in the Common Schools of the State, shall receive the sum of FIFTY CENTS *per week* toward defraying the expenses of tuition and boarding.

2. Each Student over *seventeen years* of age, who was *disabled in the military or naval service* of the United States, or of Pennsylvania, or whose *father lost his life* in said service, and who shall sign an agreement as above, shall receive the sum of ONE DOLLAR per week.

3. Each Student who, *upon graduating*, shall sign an agreement to teach in the Common Schools of the State *two full school years*, shall receive the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS.

4. Any Student, to secure these benefits, must attend the School at least *twelve consecutive weeks*. These benefits are to be deducted from regular expenses of board and tuition.

VISITORS.

Calls on the pupils at other times than during the hours of recreation, seriously interfere with the objects they have in view, and therefore will not be allowed except in case of necessity.

Persons desiring to visit the School are cordially invited to do so at any time.

COURSE OF STUDIES.

The Course of Instruction prepared for the State Normal Schools of Pennsylvania, and approved by the State authorities, is as follows:

ELEMENTARY COURSE.

A thorough knowledge of the branches taught in common schools, as required by law, including higher arithmetic and higher grammar; also,

Geography—*Physical*, as much as found in Warren's; and *Mathematical*, as much as found in Smith's.

Etymology.—As much as in Webb's *Etymology*.

Geometry.—Plane and solid *Geometry*, including the measurement of the surface and volume of the prism, the pyramid, the cylinder, the cone, and the sphere.

Algebra.—As found in elementary text-books.

Book-keeping.—Single entry, as found in ordinary text-books, with the knowledge of the use of checks, notes, drafts, etc.

Physiology.—As found in larger common school text-books.

Natural Philosophy.—As found in the ordinary text-books, with the use of apparatus.

Rhetoric.—As much as is in Quackenbos or Hart.

History United States and Constitution.—As in ordinary text-books.

Botany.—As in ordinary text-books.

Penmanship.—To be able to teach and explain some approved system, and the writing-books to be presented to the Board of Examiners.

Drawing.—Two of Bartholomew's drawing-books, or an equivalent, and sketching upon the blackboard simple objects of nature and art.

Vocal Music.—Principles as found in ordinary text-books, and attendance upon daily exercises for at least one-third of a year.

The Theory of Teaching.—This embraces three things, namely:

1. A knowledge of the mental and moral powers, and the methods of training them.

2. A knowledge of the methods of teaching the different branches of study.

3. A knowledge of the methods of organizing and managing public schools.

The Practice of Teaching.—This includes forty-five minutes' daily

practice in the Model School, and two meetings each week for the discussion of the Practice of Teaching.

The Theory of Teaching must be commenced the second half of the junior year, and continued during the entire course.

SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

Plane and Spherical Trigonometry and Surveying.

Higher Algebra.—As found in ordinary text-books.

Analytical Geometry and Calculus.

Chemistry.—As found in ordinary text-books.

Natural Philosophy.—As much as in Olmstead.

Zoology.—As found in Agassiz and Gould.

Geology.—As found in ordinary text-books.

General History.—As found in Weber and Wilson.

Astronomy.—As found in Loomis.

Logic.—As much as in Atwater.

Mental and Moral Philosophy.—As much as in Haven or Hickok.

Elements of Latin.—Including four books of Cæsar.

English Literature.—As much as in Shaw, and the study of English Classics for one-third of a school year.

Theory of Teaching.—As much as in the Elementary Course, and the whole of "Methods of Instruction."

Substitutions.—Lady pupils may be permitted to substitute for Spherical Trigonometry, Analytical Geometry, Calculus, the Mathematical parts of Natural Philosophy and Astronomy, and the latter third of Higher Algebra—an equivalent amount of Latin, French or German.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

Pupils, to graduate in a Normal School, must attend twenty-one weeks.

Pupils applying for a diploma in any course, must be examined in all the studies of that course.

Thesis.—In each course a thesis must be written upon some educational subject.

At examination, a paper stating that the candidates have completed the course of study for Normal Schools, have taught the required time in the Model School, and have been examined and approved by the faculty, shall be presented to the Board of Examiners.

Papers for second diplomas must be presented to the Board of Examiners at their regular session.

SCHEDULE OF STUDIES.

PREPARATORY COURSE.

FIRST TERM.

Orthography (Parker & Watson's) to page 129; Grammar (Fewsmith's) to Syntax; Written Arithmetic (Brooks') to Percentage; Mental Arithmetic (Brooks') to section v.; Geography (Warren's) to South America; Elocution; Penmanship (Spencerian); Composition (Hart's).

SECOND TERM.

Elocution, Penmanship; Orthography; Grammar, to Rule x.; Written Arithmetic to Involution; Mental Arithmetic, to page 129; Geography, to Asia; Composition.

ELEMENTARY COURSE—JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Elocution; Etymology; Penmanship; Grammar (completed); Written and Mental Arithmetic (completed); Algebra (Brooks'); Political Geography (completed); History, U. S. (Barnes'); Book-keeping; School Economy (Wickersham); Composition.

SECOND TERM.

Latin; Algebra (completed); Geometry (Davies' Legendre); Physical Geography (Warren's); History U. S. (completed); Constitution of U. S. (Hart); Drawing (Spencerian); Vocal Music; Methods of Instruction (Wickersham); Composition.

SENIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Latin; Rhetoric (Boyd's); Mental Philosophy, (Hickok's); Geometry; Natural Philosophy, (Ganot's); Physiology, (Hutchinson's); Theory of Teaching, Lectures; Teaching in Model School.

SECOND TERM.

Rhetoric; Geometry; Botany, (Gray's); Natural Philosophy, Mental Philosophy; Practice of Teaching; Studies reviewed.

Each Senior is required to teach in the Model School forty-five minutes a day, for one-half the school year.

CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION.

Pupils will be admitted into the Preparatory Department, without regard to previous attainments; and they will be allowed to enter the regular course at any point for which they are actually fitted. They may enter at any time during the session, and will be charged from date of entrance till end of Session, unless by special agreement.

A prompt attendance at the commencement of the Session is of the utmost importance, both to the progress of the pupil and proper organization of the school.

Students desiring to enter the Institution, should make application to the Principal at as early a date as possible.

GOVERNMENT.

SELF-GOVERNMENT is regarded as the only true government, and nothing will be required except that which a *true sense of honor and self-respect* would naturally demand from the individual.

Any pupil whose influence is found to be vitiating, will be at once removed from the School.

MORAL AND SOCIAL CULTURE.

The intercourse of the pupils with each other and with the Instructors, most of whom, together with the Principal and his family, reside in the Institution, will be regulated in conformity with the usages of refined and cultivated society.

All students are required to attend religious services each Sabbath morning, at the churches preferred by their parents or guardians.

APPARATUS.

The Institution is supplied with Philosophical and Chemical Apparatus of the most approved kind, and students have an opportunity to *perform practically* the experiments described in the text-books. A small charge is made to students taking a course in Experimental Chemistry, to cover the expense of breakage and chemicals consumed.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURES are delivered weekly before the school.

LIBRARY.

There is a well selected library belonging to the school, to which students have access, free of charge, subject to regulations adopted by the trustees.

THE MUSEUM.

The Museum contains a large and valuable collection of specimens, illustrating every department of Natural Science. It was commenced in the year 1826, and has been annually enriched with contributions from every portion of the world, so that at the present time it is doubtless unexcelled in our State, excepting only the Academy of Natural Science of Philadelphia. The justly celebrated "Herbariums" of the late Dr. Wm. Darlington, and David Townsend, now in this Museum, are conceded to be two of the most accurate and extensive private collections ever formed in this country.

LITERARY SOCIETY.

The "Moore" Literary Society, composed of students and members of the Faculty, has been in successful operation since the commencement of the school. It is desirable that students connect themselves with this society, as the advantages are various and important.

COURSE OF LECTURES.

Students have unusual facilities for attending Courses of Lectures. During the year the following distinguished speakers lectured in West Chester, and a large number of students attended :

REV. E. H. CHAPIN, DR. J. G. HOLLAND, HON. WM. PARSONS, ANNA E. DICKINSON, MARY A. LIVERMORE, DANIEL DOUGHERTY, ESQ., REV. H. W. WARREN, and REV. JOHN LORD. An array of talent seldom equalled in our large cities.

APPLICATIONS FOR TEACHERS.

Frequent applications are made to the Principal for well trained teachers ; and it will be our aim to supply the demand as far as possible. Directors and others desiring to employ teachers for the higher grade of schools, will please remember that we are better able to supply their wants near the end of each Term.

CALENDAR.

The school year is divided into two sessions. The Winter Session will begin the first Monday of September, and continue twenty-six weeks. The Spring Session will begin the second Monday of March, and continue sixteen weeks. There will be a short vacation between the two sessions.

TERMS.

Tuition and boarding, including heat, light and washing for the Winter Session \$130, *one-half payable in advance*, the remainder at the middle of the Term; for the Spring Session \$80, *payable in advance*. For any period less than a session, per week, \$5.50.

For tuition alone, for Winter Term \$40, *one-half payable in advance*, remainder at middle of session. For Spring Session, in advance, \$25. For a time less than a session, per week, \$1.75.

EXTRA CHARGES.

For instruction on the Piano, or Melodeon, with use of instrument, for Winter Session,	\$30.00
For Spring Session,	20.00

For lessons on other instruments, special arrangements must be made with the Professor in that department.

Painting in oil or water colors, per term of sixteen weeks, \$12.
Wax Flowers, per course, \$6.

All students will be instructed in Vocal Music free of charge. Those desiring *special* instruction in classes, will pay \$6 for the Winter Session, \$4 for the Spring. All students will be instructed in Writing free of charge. Those desiring *special* instruction in classes will pay \$6 for the Winter Session, \$4 for the Spring.

DEDUCTIONS.

Students absent two consecutive weeks or longer, on account of personal sickness, are entitled to a deduction of one-half the usual rates.

Those leaving for any other cause, will be required to pay for half a term, unless by special agreement with the Principal.

All bills must be settled with the Principal who acts in behalf of the Trustees.

REGULATIONS.

1. Every student is requested, on entering, to give the Principal information in regard to the following particulars: Whether he designs fitting himself for a teacher; what length of time he designs remaining in the Institution, and whether he desires to pursue the regular course for Graduation.

2. Students boarding in the building are required to provide themselves with *slippers*.

3. The hours regularly assigned to study are to be faithfully devoted to the preparation of the exercises required.

4. Students are allowed to walk for exercise in the vicinity of the school, but no one is permitted to visit the town, or otherwise absent himself without permission from the Principal.

5. Permission to be absent from a recitation must always be obtained from the teacher in charge of the class, *before* the absence occurs.

6. Each student will be held accountable for any disturbance or damage in his room.

7. No nails must be driven into the walls or ceiling, or alterations be made in the windows, doors or any appendage of the rooms, without permission from the *Steward*.

8. Students are not allowed to visit one another's rooms during the regular hours of study, and no change of rooms must take place without permission from the Principal.

9. Each student of Instrumental Music will have regular hours assigned for practice, during which time no spectator must be present to interrupt the exercises or divert the attention.

10. All students who are tardy, unnecessarily, at meals, must forfeit them, and no one must leave before the rest without good reason and permission from the person sitting at the head of the table. Any student sick or indisposed and requiring attention, must have himself reported at once to the Principal.

11. It is expected that the ladies and gentlemen of the Institution will treat one another with politeness, but they will not be allowed to assemble in the Chapel, Recitation Rooms or Halls, during re-

creation hours for conversation, except when permission is given. Neither sex will be expected to trespass upon that portion of the building assigned to the other.

12. No lady or gentleman attending this Institution will correspond, meet, walk or ride with a student of the opposite sex, except in cases of necessity, and then only with the permission of the Principal.

13. Students will not visit the dining room at any other time than meal-time; neither kitchen nor the music rooms without permission.

14. Loud talking, whistling, scuffling, &c., in the building, are prohibited.

15. The use of tobacco in any form, is strictly prohibited in the building or on the grounds.

16. Students will be required to attend public worship each Sabbath morning, at such place as their parents or guardians designate.

17. Students must furnish towels, napkins, and a pair of blankets, and have all articles of clothing distinctly marked. Each student is permitted to have twelve pieces washed each week without extra charge.

