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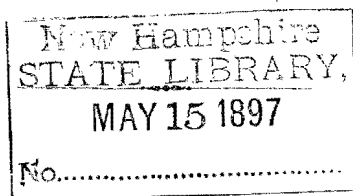
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# STUDENTS.

## GENTLEMEN.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
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Frank K. Baleh, . . . . .	Hanover.
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Albert E. Barney, . . . . .	Canaan.
Isaac N. Blodgett, . . . . .	Canaan.
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William Butterfield, . . . . .	Canaan.
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George P. Clark, . . . . .	Canaan.
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George E. Cobb, . . . . .	Canaan.
Moses E. Currier, . . . . .	Canaan.
Henry Currier, . . . . .	Canaan.
John Currier, . . . . .	Canaan.
George Davis, . . . . .	Canaan.
Ambrose C. Doten, . . . . .	Canaan.
Sylvanus J. Dow, . . . . .	Canaan.
Holman R. Drew, . . . . .	Danville, Vt.
Daniel J. Durrell, . . . . .	Canaan.
Charles Farrington, . . . . .	Dorchester.
William A. Flanders, . . . . .	Canaan.
Edward B. Foster, . . . . .	Hanover.
Edwin Foster, . . . . .	Canaan.
James H. French, . . . . .	Canaan.
Allen H. George, . . . . .	Canaan.
Carlos C. George, . . . . .	Canaan.
Warren Hamlet, . . . . .	Canaan.
Tilton Harris, . . . . .	Canaan.
John Henry Hayes, . . . . .	Canaan.

LADIES.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
Caroline A. Atherton, . . . . .	Manchester.
Mary A. Bailey, . . . . .	Salisbury.
Susan R. Barney, . . . . .	Canaan.
Hetta N. Blaisdell, . . . . .	Boston, Ms.
Harriet J. Butterfield, . . . . .	Canaan.
Caroline Chesley, . . . . .	Canaan.
Ruth L. Chesley, . . . . .	Canaan.
Mary A. Clough, . . . . .	Orange.
Lucretia B. Cobb, . . . . .	Canaan.
Emma E. Cobb, . . . . .	Canaan.
Abby C. Cochran, . . . . .	Canaan.
Clara A. Cummings, . . . . .	Boston, Ms,
Mary D. Currier, . . . . .	Canaan.
Charlotte S. Davis, . . . . .	Springfield.
Melinda H. Davis, . . . . .	Sprinfifield.
Caroline F. Day, . . . . .	Canaan.
Sarah J. Drew, . . . . .	Danville, Vt.
Elizabeth J. Durrell, . . . . .	Canaan.
Lydia A. Fellows, . . . . .	Canaan.
Frances A. Fernald, . . . . .	Orange.
Susan A. Fernald, . . . . .	Orange.
Melinda K. Ford, . . . . .	Canaan.
Mary E. Ford, . . . . .	Canaan.
Angela E. Foster, . . . . .	Canaan.
Mary A. George, . . . . .	Canaan.
Isabella Goss, . . . . .	Canaan.
Susanna C. Gould, . . . . .	Bradford, Vt.
Harriet Hamlet, . . . . .	Canaan.
Nancy J. Hodgeman, . . . . .	Manchester.
Lucy J. Hutchinson, . . . . .	Canaan.
Almeda Jones, . . . . .	Canaan.
Elizabeth Jones, . . . . .	Canaan.
Eliza A. Kimball, . . . . .	Canaan.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
W. Wallace Kidder, . . . . .	Canaan.
Albion Kidder, . . . . .	Canaan.
Gustavus F. Kimball, . . . . .	Orange.
Perry Kittredge, . . . . .	Canaan.
Henry H. Kittredge, . . . . .	Canaan.
Charles McDaniel, . . . . .	Springfield.
Lucien E. Martin, . . . . .	Canaan.
Byron Miner, . . . . .	Canaan.
Thomas B. Morgan, . . . . .	Canaan.
Samuel B. Morgan, . . . . .	Canaan.
Charles N. Morse, . . . . .	Canaan.
George E. Mussey, . . . . .	Canaan.
Alfred J. Nesmith, . . . . .	Canaan.
George Page, . . . . .	Canaan.
Burns W. Pattee, . . . . .	Canaan.
Marcus M. Pillsbury, . . . . .	Canaan.
Joseph J. Pollard, . . . . .	Canaan.
William D. Pressey, . . . . .	Canaan.
Henry A. Pressey, . . . . .	Canaan.
Edwin H. Pressey, . . . . .	Canaan.
Franklin Richardson, . . . . .	Canaan.
J. Clough Rockwell, . . . . .	Canaan.
Nelson S. Sanborn, . . . . .	Dorchester.
John J. Sargent, . . . . .	Wentworth.
Henry Shepard, . . . . .	Canaan.
Augustus Shepard, . . . . .	Canaan.
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Joseph D. Weeks, . . . . .	Canaan.
William B. Weeks, . . . . .	Canaan.
Marshall H. Weeks, . . . . .	Canaan.
George P. Welch, . . . . .	Canaan.
Frederic B. Wells, . . . . .	Canaan.
George W. Wilson, . . . . .	Canaan.
Warren F. Wilson, . . . . .	Canaan.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
Mary F. Kenney, .....	Orange.
Triphena Leeds, .....	Canaan.
Susan A. Martin, .....	Canaan.
Caroline Page, .....	Canaan.
Addy J. Pierce, .....	Springfield.
Mariam E. Smith, .....	Canaan.
Sophia E. Smith, .....	Canaan.
Harriet A. Smith, .....	Canaan.
Georgianna Varney, .....	Canaan.
Sarah Washburn, .....	Springfield.
Angie M. Wilson, .....	Canaan.
Laura S. Woodbury, .....	Groton.

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### SUMMARY.

Gentlemen, .....	65
Ladies, .....	45
Total, .....	110

## COURSE OF STUDY AND TEXT BOOKS.

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The Course of Study is arranged in three Departments: the Preparatory; English; and Classical. The Preparatory Department embraces the Primary and Common English Branches. The English Department embraces Higher English and Moral Science; Natural Science; and Mathematics. The Classical Department embraces the Latin and Greek Classics, and such other accompanying studies as are essential to a thorough classical course. Instruction will also be given in French, Music, Drawing, Painting, &c.

### PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

Reading,.....	Town's 3d and 4th.
Spelling, .....	Town.
Geography,.....	Mitchell's Series.
Arithmetic, .....	Colburn, Holbrook, Adams, (Revised.)
Grammar, .....	Weld.
History of United States,.....	Goodrich.
Governmental Instructor,.....	Parker.

### ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.

General History,.....	Worcester.
Botany, .....	Wood.
Geology,.....	Hitchcock.
Mineralogy, .....	Dana.
Astronomy, .....	Smith, Olmsted.
Anatomy and Physiology, .....	Cutter.
Chemistry, .....	Silliman.
Natural Philosophy,.....	Johnston.
Intellectual Philosophy, .....	Upham.
Moral Philosophy, .....	Wayland.
Rhetoric,.....	Campbell.
Algebra,.....	Davies, Robinson.
Geometry, .....	Davies, Legendre.
Trigonometry,.....	Davies.
Surveying, .....	Davies.
Drawing and Mensuration,.....	Davies.



## CLASSICAL DEPARTMENT.

## LATIN.

Grammar, .....	Andrews & Stoddard.
Reader, .....	Andrews.
Latin Prose Composition, .....	Arnold.
Cæsar, .....	Spencer.
Sallust, .....	Andrews.
Virgil, .....	Cooper, Gould, Bowen.
Cicero, .....	Johnson.
Latin Synonyms, .....	Ramshorn.
Lexicon, .....	Andrews, Leverett.

## GREEK.

Grammar, .....	Crosby, Kühner.
Exercises, .....	Arnold.
Greek Lessons, .....	Crosby.
Xenophon's Anabasis, .....	Crosby.
Homer's Iliad, .....	Fulton.
Lexicon, .....	Liddell & Scott.

## FRENCH.

Ollendorff's Method, .....	Jewett.
Reader, .....	De Fivas.
Charles XII.	
Corinne.	
Lamartine's Travels in the East.	
Dictionary, .....	Surenne.

## BOOKS OF REFERENCE.

Mitchell's Ancient Geography and Atlas, Bojesen's Grecian and Roman Antiquities, Keightley's Mythology, Keightley's History of Greece, Schmitz' History of Rome, Anthon's Classical Dictionary, Grahan's English Synonyms, Webster's Series of Dictionaries, &c.

## CANAAN UNION ACADEMY.

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THIS Institution which, for a few years past, has languished in consequence of a want of the necessary requisites for a successful school, viz: a convenient Building, a good Apparatus, and a permanent Board of efficient Teachers, has recently been revived under the most flattering prospects, and in full possession of all the above named requisites. Great exertions have been made during the past Summer, by the citizens of Canaan, in enlarging and re-fitting the Academy Building, and in raising funds to purchase the very ample and elegant Apparatus with which the Institution is furnished. The Building is now commodious and pleasant, and in its internal arrangement combines, in a rare degree, beauty, convenience and comfort.

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### LOCATION.

The location is one of the most favorable in New-England for an institution of learning. Situated in a beautiful and quiet village; removed from all incentives to dissipation and vice; celebrated for its healthfulness and the unparalleled beauty of its natural scenery; in the midst of an industrious and thriving population, who are deeply interested in its prosperity; easy of access from all parts of the country—being situated only two miles from the Station of the Northern Railroad—it combines every advantage that can be desired for a quiet and pleasant retreat for the Student. Parents who wish to remove their children from the corrupting and effeminating influences of our cities and larger towns, cannot find a more desirable location for them than this.

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### OBJECT.

It is the design of the managers of this Institution, to furnish the youth of both sexes with the means of a finished and substantial education, in the various departments of knowledge within the province of such an institution, and to fit them, by a course of thorough mental and moral discipline, for the active and responsible duties of life.

To accomplish this object, a Course of Study has been arranged, sufficiently wide in its scope to call into exercise and develop the various powers of the young mind, and to give it that vigor and symmetry, which it is the design of all education to secure. The Student is not allowed, as is too often the case, to skim, at random, over the surface of knowledge, but under the direction of judicious guides, he is required to probe beneath the surface, and to grapple with elementary principles, and is allowed to advance no faster than his real

attainments will justify. All necessary aids will be rendered, by way of books, apparatus, and lectures, yet the student is constantly impressed with the fact that education is peculiarly his own work. No pains will be spared to make this a school of the first rank, and to render it worthy of the confidence of an enlightened community.

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### GENERAL EXERCISES.

Declamation is required from the Gentlemen, and Composition from all the Students, once in two weeks. Weekly public lectures will be delivered by the Principal, during the Fall and Spring Terms, upon the Natural Sciences, and upon other subjects of interest; and private informal lectures will be given before the Students, as the wants of the school may require. A flourishing Lyceum has been organized, which is made a source of improvement to all who participate in its exercises. Public Examinations will be held at the close of the Fall and Spring Terms, which the friends and patrons of the school are invited to attend.

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### TEACHERS' CLASS.

A Teachers' Class will be formed during the Fall and Spring Terms; the object of which is to give to those designing to teach, a thorough drilling in all the branches usually taught in our Common Schools, and to instruct them in the best methods of teaching, interesting, and governing children.

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### APPARATUS.

The Apparatus is extensive and of a superior quality, embracing all the modern improvements. It is valued at upwards of \$800. It is very complete, embracing the several departments of Mechanics, Pneumatics, Electricity, Magnetism, Optics, Chemistry, Astronomy, and Surveying: also a set of Anatomical Plates. Among the more important instruments may be mentioned the Magic Lantern, accompanied with a full set of Astronomical Diagrams: including also the Oxy-Hydrogen, Calcium Light and Compound Microscope attachment. By means of this instrument the minutest objects are thrown upon a screen, magnified many thousand times. Eels in vinegar are seen several feet in length. Air Pump, price \$85, plate 12 inches; barrel 11 by 3½ inches, fixtures to correspond. Electrical Machine, 24 inch plate; Battery of six 2 quart Leyden jars, and other instruments to correspond. Groves Battery, of six pairs; Apparatus for Shocks; Bell-Engine; Cell for decomposing water, &c. Planetarium, for showing the motions, relative magnitudes, etc., of the Planets. Pair of 12 inch Globes, high mounted. Set of Mechanical Powers in frame. Pair of Gasometers, and other Chemical instruments. It comprises one of the most complete sets of Apparatus in the State.

## GOVERNMENT AND REGULATIONS.

The government of the school is designed to be parental, and while it is aimed to lead the Student along in a course of right-doing by an appeal to his better feelings, at the same time, an unhesitating and cheerful compliance with the established regulations, is positively insisted on. The following extract from the By-Laws contains the

### REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOOL.

ART. 1. The regular Study Hours in Term time shall be from 9 to 12 A. M. and from 1½ to 4½, and from 7 to 9 P. M., except Friday and Saturday evenings

ART. 2. The Principal may allow such scholars as can be better accommodated by such an arrangement, to study at their rooms during School Hours; but if any student, thus excused, shall absent himself from his room during the time above specified, he shall be required to study in the school-room. Students may not absent themselves from their rooms during evening Study Hours only in cases of necessity. All Students are required to be in their rooms after *half past nine* in the evening.

ART. 3. It shall be the duty of the Principal to require all the Students to meet together in the School-Room, every morning and oftener, if he thinks it expedient, to attend to such religious, and general exercises as he thinks proper; and it shall be his duty to note all absences and tardinesses at those exercises, and to preserve them for the inspection of the Board of Visitors; he being authorized however to excuse the delinquencies, when it shall appear that, from ill-health or other causes, attendance was impracticable.

ART. 4. It shall be the duty of the Principal to note all absences from recitations, and all delinquencies in the performance of any other assigned exercises, and preserve them in the same manner as the absences from the morning exercises.

ART. 5. There shall be an exercise in Declamation before the school every Saturday forenoon, which all the Students shall be required to attend. The number of speakers and the selection of pieces being left to the direction of the Teachers.

ART. 6. Every Student of sufficient attainments shall be required to write and hand in for correction, a Composition once in two weeks, and to read the same if called upon to do so.

ART. 7. There shall be a Public examination of the several classes at the close of the Fall and Spring Terms, to be held at such time and to continue as long as the Principal shall think proper; it being his duty to give notice of the same to the Secretary in season for him to notify the Board of Visitors.

ART. 8. All damages done to the buildings, or yard; furniture or Apparatus, in any manner, shall be repaired by the individual, by whom they were committed; and if any Student shall neglect to do the same, he shall be charged for the amount of said damage in his Term Bill: and further, if any Student shall carelessly or willfully, cut, mark, or in any manner injure, or deface any article of furniture, apparatus, or any desk or other part of the building, he

shall make full and satisfactory reparation for the injury done, and shall be liable to such other punishment as the case may deserve.

ART. 9. The Institution shall be wholly free from sectarian bias, yet the great principles of Morality and Religion shall be faithfully inculcated.

ART. 10. Every Student is required to keep the Sabbath in an appropriate manner, and to attend church morning and afternoon, at such place in town, as he, if of sufficient age to decide for himself, or his parents or guardians may choose, unless it be impracticable for him to do so.

ART. 11. Students may not absent themselves from the place, nor from any exercise of the school, without permission previously obtained from the Principal.

ART. 12. The use of profane or indecent language; playing at cards or any other game of chance; rude or indecent behavior; insult or abuse to others; making clamorous or improper noises to the disturbance of other students or the inhabitants of the place, and all other conduct inconsistent with decorum are strictly prohibited.

ART. 13. No Student may habitually frequent stores, shops, taverns, nor, any other place of public resort; nor may he have in his room, nor use, any intoxicating drinks.

ART. 14. All intercourse between the members of the two Departments, Male and Female, shall be characterized by the strictest propriety; and all rides, walks, and calls are forbidden without permission from the Principal, except on Friday and Saturday evenings, when Students may call; also all parties, levees, &c., among the Students are forbidden without permission.

ART. 15. Gentlemen are not allowed to pass up the stairs to the Upper Story of the Building, at any time, without permission.

ART. 16. No Student may handle the Apparatus without permission from a Teacher.

ART. 17. In case of habitual delinquency or willful disobedience, any Student may be suspended from the privileges of the School, or if the case is sufficiently aggravated to demand it, he may be expelled.

## EXPENSES.

### TUITION.

Primary Branches,.....	\$2 00
Common English,.....	3 00
Higher English,.....	3 50 and 4 00
Latin and Greek,.....	4 00
French alone, \$3,00, in connection with other Studies,.....	1 50
Pencilling extra,.....	1 00
Painting, Crayoning, and Perspective,.....	2 00 to 4 00
Penmanship,.....	1 00
Music and use of Instrument,.....	8 00

Tuition payable, in all cases, at the middle of the Term. No Tuition will be received for less than half a Term, and no deductions will be made for absence, except in cases of *protracted* sickness.

### BOARD.

Ample accommodations will be afforded for boarding, and pleasant rooms can be rented at low rates, by those wishing to board themselves.

Board, including room and washing, per week, \$1,50 to \$1,75.

All applications should be made to the Principal.

## CALENDAR.

1853. Nov. 12th and 14th, Fall Examination.

Nov. 14th, Fall Term ends.

VACATION OF TWO WEEKS.

Nov. 30th, Winter Term begins.

1854. Feb. 7th, Winter Term ends.

VACATION OF ONE WEEK.

Feb. 15th, Spring Term begins.

May 1st and 2nd, Spring Examination.

May 2nd, Spring Term ends.

VACATION OF TWO WEEKS.

May, 17th, Summer Term begins.

July 25th, Summer Term ends.

VACATION OF FIVE WEEKS.

Aug. 30th, Fall Term begins.