State of New York.

No. 20.

IN SENATE,

January 19, 1864.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

To the Legislature:

Pursuant to the act, chap. 311, of the Laws of 1844, the undersigned herewith transmit the annual report of the Executive Committee of the State Normal School, which has been received and approved: which report also contains a full statement of the receipts and expenditures of money under the same act.

V. M. RICE, Superintendent of Public Instruction. JOHN V. L. PRUYN,

Chancellor of the University of the State of New York. Albany, January 15, 1864.

REPORT:

To the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Regents of the University:

The Executive Committee of the State Normal School RESPECTFULLY REPORT as follows:

Number of Pupils and Graduates.

During the past year, embracing the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth terms, the whole number of pupils in attendance has been two hundred and seventy-nine. Of these, the whole number of males has been sixty-one, and the whole number of females two hundred and eighteen.

The graduates of the past year have numbered sixty. Of these, fifteen were males and forty-five were females. The whole number of graduates since the commencement is thus increased to one thousand three hundred and seventy-three.

During the year, all the counties of the State, with the exception of Allegany, Chenango, Fulton, Hamilton, Ontario, Steuben and Yates, have been represented in the school. Twenty-eight counties were represented in the graduating classes. One hundred and ninety-three candidates for admission to the school have been examined, and one hundred and fifty-four having passed the preliminary examinations, have entered upon the prescribed course of study. The average age of these pupils is $21\frac{1}{2}$ years; and they had taught an average period of eight and three-fourths months previous to entering the school.

Number of Pupils and Graduates in Former Years.

Graduates.

	•				GRAD	UATES.	
				Pupils.	Males.	Females	. Total.
First year	1st		m	98	0	0	0
	2d			185	29	5	34
Second year	·3d	"		197	30	17	47
• • •	4th	66		205	37	26	63
Third year	$5 ext{th}$	"		178	27	19	46
•	6th	66		221	37	25	62
Fourth year	7th	66		198	25	25	50
	8th	46		208	17	29	46
Fifth year	9 th	66		175	22	21	43
	10th	"		196	19	18	37
Sixth year	11th	"		223	12	20	32
omen journale	12th	"		219	21	13	34
Seventh year		46		232	$\overline{12}$	14	26
	14th	46	T 7.7	236	11	17	28
Eighth year	15th	66		232	13	13	$\frac{26}{26}$
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Ninth year	17th	"		276	13	26	39
Amon year	18th	46		273	170		42
Tenth year	10th	46		253	13	25	38
Tenth year	20th	46		265	17	33	50
Eleventh year		66	.: ***** ***	250	14	27	41
Elevenin year				228	11	26	37
		"		238	10	31	41
Twelfth year				237	12	20	32
	24th	44		270	THE STREET OF THE STREET	15	28
Thirteenth year		- 33			13		and the second second
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Fourteenth year				233	. 9	14	23
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Fifteenth year	29th			241	. 14	17	31
	30th	66		250	- 19 17 - Mariya Milat	22	29
Sixteenth year				253	14	24	38
	32d.	"		246	18	17	35
Seventeenth year.		44		215	14	23	37
	34th	"	ا باغايا .	212	13	16	29
Eighteenth year		"		208	9	15	24
	36th	"		212	13	17	30
Nineteenth year*.		66		198	4	24	28
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Present Number and Classification of Pupils.

The thirty-ninth term (the first of the nineteenth year of the State Normal School,) commenced on the third Monday of September, and the number of pupils in attendance is 219. They are divided into four classes, Sub-Juniors, Juniors, Sub-Senior and Seniors, thus making a course of study extending through two years. These classes are again arranged in divisions to suit the convenience of recitations. The sex and classification of pupils will be seen from the following table:

Class. Seniors	Males. 12	Females.	Total. 38
Sub-Seniors	17	50	67
Juniors	14	67	81
Sub-Juniors	6	27	33
	49	170	219

The average age of these pupils is twenty-two years, and their average time employed in teaching previous to entering the Normal School is eight months.

Notwithstanding the unusual demand for undergraduate pupils to teach in winter schools, the present condition of the school is in the highest degree satisfactory. The School Commissioners, in general, have faithfully performed their duty by sending such representatives as give good promise of becoming thorough and efficient teachers; and, at the present time, all of the counties of the State are represented with the exceptions of Cortland, Hamilton and Richmond.

In a former report, we had occasion to notice the effect of the war in reducing the number of male pupils in the school. The demand for young men in the national service still continues, and the resources of the school are, on this account, diminished; yet it is gratifying to know that, during the past year, the proportion of male pupils has increased. This increase, however, has not kept pace with the demand for male teachers in our public schools. At no previous time in the history of the institution has so large a number of applications for teachers been received from the various sections of the State. Indeed, it has been found impossible to supply the demand, partly, because so many experienced teachers have engaged in other vocations offering higher pecuniary inducements; and partly, because those out of employ could not be obtained at salaries named in the applica-

tions. It is to be regretted that with the increased demand for teachers, there has not been a corresponding advance in salary; for while in almost every other department of labor compensation has been increased so as in a degree to equalize the burdens of the times, teachers' salaries have remained stationary. The effect of this, when we consider the vast increase of the expenses of living, has been to reduce salaries far below what they were; and as a general reduction of compensation in any department has the effect to deplete it of its most faithful and skilful laborers, so here, hundreds of the better class of teachers have left the profession, and our schools are in great danger of passing into the hands of those whose only qualification is their inability to support themselves in other professions.

The compensation formerly paid to good male teachers, will now command only the services of well qualified females; and to those who would not see the character of their schools degenerate, it remains either to advance the salaries of male teachers. or secure the services of good females at present rates. In a great majority of cases there should be no hesitation in adopting the latter alternative; indeed, it can hardly be questioned that such a revolution as this involves, is just the reform needed in our public schools to bring the young beneath the chastening and elevating influences which woman alone can exert. But neither should there be hesitation in regard to those positions, which must always exist, where the more vigorous energy of man is required. The interests of education are of too sacred a character to be entrusted to unqualified persons, and it is folly to expect that educated men will devote themselves to teaching when the pecuniary inducements do not in a measure keep pace with the increased burdens of the citizen, or when they fall below those held out in every other department of labor.

Faculty.

The following changes have occurred in the Faculty:

At the close of the 36th term, Mr. Ralph S. Goodwin resigned his position in the school as teacher of Reading and Penmanship, to accept a position in the Polytechnic and Collegiate Institute, in Brooklyn. His duties were assigned to other teachers, and no new appointment was then deemed necessary.

Professor Rodney G. Kimball, whose resignation to enter the army, was noticed in the last report, having been honorably dis-

charged from service in April last, on account of disability, resumed his former position at the commencement of the thirty-ninth term. The committee cheerfully bear testimony to the ability of Prof. Charles D. Lawrence, who was employed in the school during the absence of the professor of Mathematics.

At the commencement of the present term, Mr. James M. North, teacher of Vocal Music, resigned his position to accept a more lucrative one in the city of St. Louis, and the vacancy was filled by the appointment of James E. Perring, a well known vocalist and teacher.

The following is a full list of the present officers of the school. DAVID H. COCHRAN, A. M., Ph. D.,

Principal, and Professor of Moral and Intellectual Philosophy.

Rev. FREDERICK S. JEWELL, A. M.,

Professor of the English Language and Literature.

RODNEY G. KIMBALL, A. M.,

Professor of Mathematics.

LE ROY C. COOLEY, A. M.,

Professor of Natural Science.

WILLIAMS D. HUNTLEY, A. M.,

Superintendent of the Experimental School.

JOSIAH T. MAREAN,

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Teacher of Vocal Music.

LOUISA OSTROM

Teacher of History and Drawing.

MARY E. BUTLER,

Teacher of Reading, and Mental Arithmetic.

MARY E. HOWELL,

Teacher of Arithmetic and Grammar.

LYDIA K. KEYES,

Superintendent of the Primary School.

Experimental and Primary Schools.

The schools of practice connected with the institution and denominated the Experimental and Primary Departments, furnish ample opportunities for illustrating methods of instruction, and of testing the ability of pupils to instruct and manage schools. All pupils of the Normal School are required to teach at least one month under constant and watchful supervision, in these de-

partments, previous to their graduation. During this time, they are made responsible, as far as practicable, for the advancement of their pupils and the good order of the schools. The Superintendents are also required to criticise their work, correct whatever is inconsistent with the instructions given in the Normal School, and to report the results to the Principal. These reports, in connection with scholarship, determine the fitness of candidates for graduation.

The Experimental Department numbers 105 pupils, between the ages of nine and sixteen. In the lowest class, the pupils pay a tuition fee of \$10 per term. In the higher classes, a tuition fee of \$12.50 is charged. The income of this school for the past year, has been \$2,536.80.

The Primary Department numbers forty pupils between the ages of five and nine years. Each pupil pays a tuition fee of \$10 per term. The amount received for tuition in this department during the past year is \$712.

The applications for admission far exceed the capacity of these departments. They are not only self-sustaining, but contribute somewhat to the support of the Normal School; and experience proves them to be indispensible means in the training of teachers.

Libraries and Apparatus.

During the past year 267 volumes have been added to the text book library to replace books too much worn for longer service. The miscellaneous library remains as at the date of last report. All the apparatus belonging to the school has been examined and found to be in good condition.

A statement of all receipts and expenditures for the year ending September 30, 1863, is appended to this report, and the vouchers for every payment are in the hands of the committee.

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FINANCIAL REPORT.

New York State Normal School in account with Executive Committee.

1862. Cr.		
Balance of last year.	\$941	84
1863.		
Cash from Comptroller	12,000	00
Cash received for tuition in experimental and prima-		
ry schools.	3,248	80
ry schools	24	32
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	\$16,214	96
1862. Dr.		
Cash paid salaries	\$9,240	00
To cash paid stationery and text books	410	70
do mileage, paid students	826	
do repairs	146	04
do fuel		05
do insurance	55	50
do contingents	1,723	29
do support of experimental and primary		
schools		86
Balance in bank	1,056	61
	\$16,214	

Of the above balance, \$35.06 is held by the receiver of the Bank of Albany.

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ACCOMPANYING THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECU-TIVE COMMITTEE.

Reinfer hier dedi A, Annual Register and Circular of the State Normal School for the year ending July 9, 1863, with the names of the Executive Committee, faculty, and pupils, and a list of the graduates for the same period; also an account of the qualifications for admission, the sums allowed for traveling expenses, and other matters important to be understood by the pupils and others, with the form of the diploma granted to grad-

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Executive Committee.

Hon. V. M. RICE, median facility of the property of the control of

Superintendent of Public Instruction,
Chairman.

CHARLES L. AUSTIN, Esq., FRANKLIN TOWNSEND, SAMUEL B. WOOLWORTH, Secretary and Treasurer. JOHN V. L. PRUYN.

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Faculty.

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MARY E. HOWELL,

Teacher of Arithmetic and Grammar.

LYDIA K. KEYES,
Superintendent of the Primary School.

STUDENTS. FEMALES.

Names.	Towns.	Counties.
Fannie Adams	Frankfort	Herkimer.
Annie Agnew	Ogdensburgh	St. Lawrence.
Anna M. Alexander	Albany	Albany.
Patience L. Allen	Rutland	Jefferson.
Louise M. Amidon	Parma	Monroe.
Hannah T. Austin	Syracuse	Onondaga.
Ella M. Averill	Vienna	Oneida.
Celeste F. Backus	Albany	Albany.
Selima Bailey		Rensselaer.
Margaret L. Bardwell	Albany	Albany.
Antoinette W. Barnes	South East	Putnam.
Helen S. Barnes	Stockbridge	Madison.
Helen I. Bartley	Albany	Albany.
Martha J. Baxter	Putnam Valley.	Putnam.
Lemira M. Beaty	Salem	Washington.
Henrietta M. Bedell	Greenbush	Rensselaer.
Rachel Bedford	Thompson	Sullivan.
Abbie Bockes	Portville	Cattaraugus.
Julia I. Boies	Leicester	Livingston.
Mary Boyd	Albany	Albany.
Mary J, Bowhall	Watertown	Jefferson.
Sarah M. Brayton	Geneseo	Livingston,
Mary A. Breese	Horseheads	Chemung.
Francis L. Briggs	Coeymans	Albany.
Mary E. Briggs	Coeymans	Albany.
Ruth A. Brooks	Leicester	Livingston.
Cornelia Brown	Harford	Cortland.
Sophia E. Brown	Canajoharie	Montgomery.
Emma R. Budd	Turin	Lewis.
Emma Buell	Rodman	Jefferson.

Names.	Towns.	Counties.
Sarah Burrage	Hyde Park	
Caroline F. Burrows		
Lona E. Burton		
Josephine E. Canfield		Madison.
Hannah J. Carpenter		
Amanda H. Carr	Albany	Albany.
Lydia M. Chryslar		Schenectady.
Josephine Clement	Albany	Albany.
Emeline Cobb	Greenville	Greene.
Clara L. Cochran	Concord	Erie.
Anna E. Cocks	Oyster Bay	Queens.
Sarah M. Coffin	Providence	Saratoga.
Mary J. Coonradt	North Parma	
Harriet Coryell	Dix	Schuyler.
Margaret J. Courtney	Albany	Albany.
Elizabeth Cutler	Ballston	Saratoga.
Elizabeth B. Day	New York	New York.
Saran J. Dearstyne	Greenbush	Rensselaer.
Kate A. Dedrick	East Glenville.	Schenectady.
Fannie Dennington	Galen	Wayne.
Margaret A. Deyo	Greenbush	
Harriet L. Dickinson Hellen B. Dickinson	Alexander	Genesee.
	Constantia	Oswego.
Harriet E. Distin	Volney	Oswego.
Mary J. Don	Albany	Albany.
Marianna Fay	Stapleton	Richmond.
Jane A. Ferrell	Greenbush	
Jane File	Brunswick	
Anna L. Fitch		Washington.
Mary R. Fletcher	Lansing	Tompkins.
Harriet A. Foote	Parma	(1) (1) (2) (1) (2) (2) (2) (3) (3) (4) (4) (4) (4) (5) (5)
Helen M. Gaige	Duanesburgh	
Emilda J. Garvey	Greenbush	
Mary J. Gates	Coxsackie	Greene.
Europa D. Gifford	Easton	Washington.
Fannie M. Gilbert- Francis A. Gilbourne	Schodack	Rensselaer.
Francis A. Gilbourne	Ballston	Saratoga.
Lydia A. Gladding.	Waterville	Oneida.
Sarah H. Goodale	Schodack	Rensselaer.
Lucy A. Goring	Fishkill	Dutchess.
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Names.	Towns.	Countiess
Jane A. Gourlie		
Sarah M. Graham		
L. Georgia Grandin		
Mary A. Grant		
Emma N. Gray		
Louisa E. Green		•
Pamela Green		
Adrianie Gregory	•	
Sarah C. Griffeth	Tyrone	Schuyler.
Arietta-L. Griffin		
Ella P. Griswold	Little Falls	Herkimer.
Anna M. Guaron		
Augusta Guyer		
Carrie V. Haff		
Emma A. Haff		
Clara V. Halbert		
Susan A. Hastings	New York	New York.
Gertrude Haswell	Knox	Albany.
Caroline V. Hawthorne	Schroeppel	Oswego.
Martha A. Hay		
Madaline A. Hayden		
Anna Healey	New York	New York.
Matilda Henderson		
Catherine E. Hogan		
Mary E. Horton		
Josephine Howard	Brooklyn	Kings.
Amelia Hoyt	Bedford	Westchester.
Anna Hoyt	Bedford	Westchester.
Martha J. Hutchinson	Albany	Albany.
Maggie B. Hyde	Poughkeepsie	Dutchess.
Susan H. Jackson	Brooklyn	Kings.
Emmer E. Jarvis	Otsego	Otsego.
Louisa S. Johnson	Bridgewater	Oneida.
Mary A. Jones	Utica	Oneida.
Sarah Keeler		
Minnie Killip.	Albany	Albany.
Mary S. King	Lee	Oneida.
Emma Kingsbury		
Ella A. Kinney		
Mary A. Kittel		
[Senate, No. 20.]		

Names.	Towns.	Counties.
Carrie E. Knapp	Kent.	Putnam.
Hortense O. Knapp	Kent.	Putnam.
Melissa Landt	Danube	Herkimer.
Catherine Lapp	Clarence	Erie.
Florence La Valle	Stamford	Delaware.
Ellen J. Littlefield	Grafton	Rensselaer.
Alice A. Lohness	Brunswick	Rensselaer.
Annis Z. Lohness	Brunswick	Rensselaer.
Sophia Loomis	Rodman	Jefferson.
Catherine Lynch	Albany	Albany.
Sarah A. Lyon	Stamford	Dutchess.
Ellen Machette	Cornwall	Orange.
Sarah E. Maitland	New York	New York.
Caroline Martin	Albany	Albany.
Mary Martin	Albany	Albany.
Kate McAuley	Albany	Albany.
Mary A. McClure	Greenburgh	Westchester.
Agnes McFadden	Delhi	Delaware.
Lydia McGrath	Albany	Albany.
Ann R. McNamara	Albany	Albany.
Mary McNeil	Ovid	Seneca.
Ann C. Merriman	Butler	Wayne.
H. Frances Milligan	Somers	Westchester.
Mary E. Mills	Mount Hope	Orange.
Marthaette Moak	Carlisle	Schoharie.
Margaret Murphy	New York	New York.
Maria L. Nellegar		Albany.
Mary L. Noble	Red Hook	Dutchess.
Mary Nourse	Hinsdale	Cattaraugus.
Mariamne Osborn		Saratoga.
Mary E. Parker	Manlius	Onondaga.
Mary E. Perry		Oneida.
Martha E. Petty		
Martha W. Pinkney		
Helen D. Pitts		
Margaret B. Porter		
Harriet A. Potter		
Josephine E. Price		
Salomé Purroy		
Helen A. Putnam	Lyme	Jefferson.

	Names.	Towns.	Counties.
	Huldah Reamer	Albany	Albany.
	Mary A. Richards		Albany.
	Maria Robbins	Greenville	Greene.
	Julia A. Řobinson	Sing Sing	Westchester.
	H. Delamere Rowley	Parma	Monroe.
	Elizabeth L. Savage	Brooklyn	Kings.
	Clara Sawyer	Parma	Monroe.
	Catherine Scott	Stamford	Delaware.
	Anna Seaton	Albany	Albany.
	Amelia Sharp	Schoharie	Schoharie.
	Adelaide Sheak	New York	New York.
	Mary L. Sherman	Galen	Wayne.
	Helen I. Sherwood	Niagara	Niagara.
	Martha Shipman	Warsaw	Wyoming.
	Esther R. Showerman	Alexander	Genesee.
	C. Matilda Shultes	Berne	Albany.
	Caroline A. Sill	Albany	Albany.
	Eliza S. Skinner	Niagara	Niagara.
	Lizzie Smith	Albany	Albany.
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	Mary W. Southwick	Albany	Albany.
	Catherine A. Spencer	Otsego	Otsego.
	Annie M. Stevens	Auburn	Cayuga.
	Lucy J. Striker	Jàva	Wyoming.
	Jessie Sweeney	Bath	Rensselaer.
	Margaret TenEvck	Lenox	Madison.
-	Carrie E. Tetherly	Chatham	Columbia.
	Mary P. Titus	Yorktown	Rensselaer.
	Harriet S. Todd	Manlius	Onondaga.
	Addie Tooker	Greenbush	Rensselaer.
	Martha Townsend	Carroll	Chautauqua.
	Mary Townsend	Carroll	Chautauqua.
	Frances L. Traver	Albany	Albany.
	Harriet S. Tyler	Troy	Rensselaer.
	Jane Underwood	Chautauqua	Chautauqua.
	Josephine Van Derwerker	Milton	Saratoga.
	Mary E. Van Deusen	Eaton	Madison.
	Lavina Van Schaack	New Scotland	Albany.
	Margaret Van Vranken	Schenectady	Schenectady.
	Margaretta Vedder	Schoharie	Schoharie.
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Names.	Towns.	Counties.
Emily Voorhes		Delaware.
Caroline Wadhams	Scipio	
F. Cora Watson		
Julia E. Webb	Monroe	Orange.
Lucelia L. Webster		
Paulina Webster		
Julia E. Wemple	New York	New York.
Celynda Werner		
Ada Weston	North Buffalo	Erie.
Margaret White	Nassau	Rensselaer.
Sarah L. White	Albany	Albany.
Kate Whitlock		
Almeda A. Wilcox	Albany	Albany.
Augusta J. Woodward		
Sarah Woodward		•
Margaret A. Wright		
Ann C. Wygant		
Caroline Wygant		
Sophia E. Young		
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- MALES.

Names.	Towns.	Counties.
Alonzo L. Bardin	Queensbury	Warren.
James E. Beardsley	Lewis	Essex.
Moses A. Bedell		Suffolk.
George F. Belden	West Sandlake _	Rensselaer.
Simon Bell		Albany.
Nelson R. Boss	Milton	Saratoga.
Robert L. Brougham	Root	Montgomery.
James H. Bump	Nunda	Livingston.
Aaron Burr.	Rosendale	Ulster.
George W. Cheeney	Fort Covington.	Franklin.
Addison L. Clark	Denmark	Lewis.
John D. Conley	Lenox	Madison.
William H. Conover	Boutonville	Montgomery.
George W. Cook	Horseheads	Chemung.
Hobart Cook	Mooers	Clinton.
George W. Crane		Broome.
James M. Crane	Wallkill	Orange.

Names.	Towns.	Counties.
Edward D. Davis	Kingston	Ulster.
Andrew A. Demarest		
Robert Dorchester	Marcellus	Onondaga.
Edward Duffy	Harrisburgh	Lewis.
Merritt B. Fairchild	Ellisburgh	Jefferson.
Lott Farnsworth	Murray	Orleans.
Joseph B. Fryer	Easton	Washington.
Archibald Grant	Wheatland	Monroe.
George T. Hall	Malta	Saratoga.
Oren C. Hinman	Otisco	Onondaga.
Abraham C. Holdrum	Orange	Rockland.
J. Thompson Hooper	Hounsfield	Jefferson.
Isaac E. House	Clarkstown	Rockland.
Theodore F. S. Hunter	Kirkwood	Broome.
Edwin Husted	Pleasant Valley.	Dutchess.
Charles W. Loomis	Binghamton	Broome.
Luther M. Marsh	Hounsfield	Jefferson.
Judiah Matteson	Albion	Oswego.
Nicholas J. Maybee	Oyster Bay	Queens.
Harrison Merry	Florida	Montgomery.
Sylvester P. Moore	Rhinebeck	Dutchess.
Henry S. Parks	Whitehall	Washington.
Daniel F. Payne	Westport	Essex.
	Northumberland	Saratoga.
Charles L. Rickerson	Cairo	Greene.
W. De Laun Robbins	Denmark	Lewis.
Thomas Robinson	Hudson	Columbia.
Charles E. Rogers	Beekman	Dutchess.
Charles W. Rosenberg	Collins	Erie.
Fortunatus Sayer	Macomb	St. Lawrence.
John C. Sharp	Scott	Cortland.
William A. Sheldon	Pompey	Onondaga.
Myron D. Stewart	Stockbridge	Madison.
Gerard C. Strong	Carmel	Putnam.
John H. Tucker	Davenport	Delaware.
Warren E. Valentine	Jackson	Washington.
Richard B. Vaughn		Warren.
Nathan M. Ward		Albany.
Lyman Warner		Columbia.
Marcus A. Weed	Richland	Oswego.

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Benjamin E. W		*	•
Charles Whipple			
John V. E. Win	nie	Kingston	Ulster.
Seth S. Wood.	. au Làitean	Wawayanda.	Orange.
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GRADUATES

Of the Thirty-seventh Term, ending January 29, 1863.

	FEMALES.	
Names. Mary Boyd	Post-offices.	
Mary A. Breese		
		Albany.
Francis L. Briggs		Dutchess.
Sarah BurrageLona E. Burton		Jefferson.
Amanda H. Carr		Albany.
Emeline Cobb		Greene.
Fannie Dennington	Alamadan	wayне.
Harriette S. Dickinson.	Alexander	Genesee.
Europa D. Gifford		
Frances A. Gilborn	Ballston Spa	
Jane H. Gourlie		Albany.
Arrietta L. Griffin		Albany,
Mary A. Horton		Orange.
Margarette Hyde		
Mary E. Killip		Albany.
	Rodman	
Kate Lynch		Albany.
Anne C. Merriman	the first of the second of the	Wayne.
	Fordham	
	Warsaw	
Harriet S. Todd	Fayetteville	Onondaga.
Mary Townsend	Frewsburgh	Chautauqua.
Ada Weston	North Buffalo	Erie.
	MALES.	
Names.	Post-offices.	Counties.
Addison L. Clark	Copenhagen	Lewis.
W. DeLaun Robbins	Copenhagen	Lewis.
John H. Tucker	DavenportCenter	Delaware.
Marcus A. Weed	Pulaski	Oswego, no.
Females		24 14 24 14 V
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Total		28

GRADUATES ...

Of the Thirty-eighth Term, ending July 9, 1863.

FEMALES.

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Names.		
Helen S. Barnes		
Rachel Bedford		
Ruth A. Brooks		0
Caroline F. Burrows	and the second s	
Anne E. Cocks		
Hattie Coryell		
Emma H. Gray		Westchester.
Sarah C. Griffeth	Western	Schuyler.
Ella P. Griswold		Herkimer.
Martha A. Hay	Potter's Hollow.	Schoharie.
Caroline V. Hawthorne		
Catharine Hogan	Albany	Albany.
Josephine Howard	Brooklyn	Kings.
Emmer E. Jarvis	. Schuyler's Lake.	Otsego.
Melissa Landt	Newville	Herkimer.
Catharine Lapp	. Clarence Center .	
Kate McAuley	Albany	Albany.
Marthaette Moak	. Carlisle	
Mary L. Sherman	Clyde	Wayne.
Helen I. Sherwood	Suspension B'ge	Niagara.
Caroline A. Sill	Albany	Albany.
Eliza Skinner	Suspension B'ge	Niagara.
Martha Townsend	Frewsburgh	Chautauqua.
Lucelia Webster		Wyoming.
Sophia E. Young	Copenhagen	Lewis.
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Names.	Post-offices.	Counties.
John D. Conley		
James M. Crane		
Joseph B. Fryer	Easton	Washington.
Edwin Husted		Dutchess.
Nicholas J. Maybee		
Myron D. Stewart	Stockbridge	Madison.
Warren E. Valentine	North White C'k	Washington.
Females		
Males		
Total		32

CIRCULAR.

The Normal School of the State of New York was established by an act of the Legislature, in 1844, "for the instruction and practice of Teachers of Common Schools in the Science of Education and the art of Teaching." It was first established for five years, as an experiment, and went into operation on the 18th of December, 1844, in a building provided gratuitously by the city of Albany, and temporarily fitted up for that purpose. The first term opened with twenty-nine pupils, and closed with ninety-seven. The number in attendance the second term, was about two hundred. The average number is now about two hundred and fifty.

In 1848, an act was passed by the Legislature "for the permanent establishment of the State Normal School," appropriating \$15,000 towards the erection of a suitable building. The following year an additional appropriation of \$10,000 was made for its completion. A large and commodious edifice, containing a dwelling house for the Principal, was accordingly erected on the corner of Lodge and Howard streets, adjoining the State Geological and Agricultural rooms. To this building the school was removed on the 31st of July, 1849.

The design of this institution is to improve the condition of Common Schools, by providing a class of teachers superior in professional scholarship and practical skill, to those ordinarily furnished by institutions not having this end specifically in view, and it is confidently believed from experience, that the conditions of admission, the course of study adopted, and the class drill pursued, are well calculated to secure this object.

Each county in the State is entitled to send to the school a number of pupils (either male or female) equal to twice the number of members of the Assembly in such county. The pupils are appointed by the Assembly district school commissioners, at a

meeting called by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, on the first Mondays of February and September in each year. A list of the vacancies at the close of each term is forwarded to the commissioners.

Persons failing to receive appointments in their respective counties, may, upon presenting testimonials of character and talents, and sustaining the prescribed examination, receive appointments from the executive committee, provided any vacancies exist. In such case the pupil will not receive mileage.

Pupils once admitted to the school will be entitled to its privileges until they graduate, unless they forfeit that right by voluntary absence, by improper conduct, or by failing to exhibit evidences of scholarship and fair promise of success as teachers.

The following is the form of certificate of appointment which is to be given by the commissioners to each pupil appointed:

At a meeting of the school commissioners of the county of held at on the day of

for the purpose of filling vacancies in the State Normal School, was duly appointed a pupil of that institution.

(Signed by the Commissioners.)

Qualifications of Applicants.

Females sent to the school must be at least sixteen years of age, and males eighteen, and in all cases decided maturity of mind is indispensable.

Candidates for admission to the lowest class must sustain a thorough examination in reading, spelling, the geography of the western continent, intellectual arithmetic (equal to one-half of the ordinary treatises), written arithmetic (through interest), and so much of English grammar as to be able to analyze and parse any ordinary prose sentence.

For admission to the advanced classes, in addition to those required for entrance examination, all the studies of the preceding classes must have been accomplished. The time required to complete the course will depend on the attainments, habits and talents of the pupil. It ought never to exceed four terms, or two years.

All the pupils, on entering the school, are required to sign the following declaration:

We, the subscribers, hereby DECLARE, that it is our intention to devote ourselves to the business of teaching the schools of the State, and that our sole object in resorting to this Normal School is the better to prepare ourselves for this important duty:

It is expected of the commissioners that they will select such pupils as will sacredly fulfill their engagements in this particular, and they should be made acquainted with its import before they are appointed.

The following extracts from a circular issued to the school commissioners, by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, clearly present the qualifications which are deemed essential:

"The school commissioners are directed to give the most extended notice in their power of vacancies, and to interest themselves in finding proper pupils to be appointed.

"In making the selections, those who from past successful experience have proved their aptness to teach, or from traits of character, clearly developed, give fair promise of future success, should be preferred. Talents not below mediocrity, unblemished morals and sound health, are regarded as indispensable. In your visitations of the schools you will sometimes find teachers who only need the instruction which this school is designed to give, to insure their highest success and usefulness; or pupils who have given proof of good scholarship, which, by being properly directed, may be made of great value in the cause of education. Such teachers and scholars you will encourage to seek these appointments."

Privileges of the Pupils.

All pupils receive their tuition free. They are also furnished with the use of text books without charge. They are, however, held responsible for their loss or injury. If they already own the books of the course, they will do well to bring them, together with such other books for reference as they may possess. Besides this, each student receives the amount designated in the following table, to defray traveling expenses from his county seat to Albany. No pupil will receive mileage, unless the appointment is obtained from the county in which said pupil resides, such appointment being regularly made by the commissioners. This money is paid at the close of each term.

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The following table will show the sum a student of each county will receive at the end of the term as traveling expenses.

Counties. An	nount paid to	Counties.	Amount paid to each pupil.
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Allegany		Onondaga	
Broome		Ontario	- No. 1
Cattaraugus		Orange	• ,
Cayuga		Orleans	
Chautauqua		Oswego	
Chemung		Otsego	
Chenango		Putnam	2 00
Clinton		Queens	3 75
Columbia	0.75	Rensselaer	0 18
Cortland	4 06	Richmond	3 50
Delaware	. 7 10	Rockland	3 00
Dutchess	. 1 50	Saratoga	0 90
Erie	6 00	Schenectady	
Essex	5 60	Schoharie	1 50
Franklin	6 60	Schuyler	
Fulton		Seneca	4 90
Genesee	5 50	St. Lawrence	6 00
Greene	1 02	Steuben	8 00
Hamilton	4 00	Suffolk	
Herkimer		Sullivan	
Jefferson	4 80	Tioga	6 50
Kings	3 50	Tompkins	5 10
Lewis	4 80	Ulster	
Livingston	5 60	Warren	
Madison		Washington	1 50
Monroe		Wayne	
Montgomery	0 88	Westchester	
New York		Wyoming	
Niagara	5 75	Yates	6 36

Apparatus.

The apparatus of the school is well assorted, and sufficiently extensive to illustrate all the important principles in natural philosophy, surveying, chemistry and human physiology. Extraordinary facilities for the study of natural history are afforded

by the museum of the Medical College and the State collections which are open at all hours for visitors.

Library.

Besides an abundant supply of text books upon all the branches of the course of study, a well selected miscellaneous library has been procured, to which all the pupils may have access, free of charge. In the selection of this library, particular care has been exercised to procure most of the recent works upon education, as well as valuable standard works upon the natural sciences, history, mathematics, &c. The State Library is also freely accessible to all.

Terms and Vacations.

The Fall Term will begin on the third Monday in September, and continue twenty weeks.

The Spring Term will begin on the last Monday in February, and continue twenty weeks.

Prompt Attendance.

As the school will open on Monday, it is desirable that pupils reach Albany on the Friday or Saturday preceding the day of opening. The faculty can then aid them in securing suitable places for boarding.

Student's arriving on those days will find it to their advantage to proceed directly to the school building, situated on Lodge street, near State, retaining their checks until after they have secured their boarding places, when their baggage will be delivered free of charge.

As the examination of the pupils preparatory to classification will commence on the first day of the term, it is exceedingly important that all should report themselves on the first morning. Those who arrive a day after the time, will subject not only the teachers to much trouble, but themselves also to the rigors of a private examination. After the first week, no student, except for the strongest reasons, will be allowed to enter the school.

Price of Board.

The price of board in respectable families varies from \$3.00 to \$4, exclusive of washing. Students wishing to board themselves can procure ready furnished rooms at six shillings per week. Many pupils, by so doing, reduce their entire expenses to about \$2 per week.

Pupils of different sexes are not allowed to board in the same families. Particular care is taken to be assured of the respectability of the families who propose to take boarders, before they are recommended to the pupils.

Course of Study and Text Books.

The following is the course of study prescribed for the school, and a thorough acquaintance with the whole of it on the part of the male pupils, is made a condition of graduation.

SUB-JUNIORS.

	Text Books.
Reading	Mandeville.
Spelling.	
Elementary Sounds of the Letters	Page's Normal Chart.
Writing.	
English Prose Composition	Quackenboss.
Geography and Outline Maps	McNally.
Intellectual Arithmetic	Davies.
Elementary Arithmetic	Davies.
English Grammar	Clark.
English Grammar History	Wilson.
Elementary Algebra, begun	Davies.
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Intellectual Arithmetic	Davies.
Practical Arithmetic	Davies.
Geography and Map Drawing	McNally.
Writing.	
Elementary Sounds of the Letters	Page's Normal Chart.
Reading.	Mandeville.
History	Wilson.
English Grammar	Clark & Brown.
Elementary Algebra	Davies.
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SUB-SENIORS.	i oda religi radi e gilitak
Book-Keeping	Palmer.
Book-Keeping Higher Arithmetic Geometry, six books	Davies' University.
Company of books	Davies' Legendre.
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Drawing Elementary Algebra, reviewed	Davies.
Natural Philogophy	Gray.
Natural Philosophy Perspective Drawing	Lectures.
Mathematical Geography and use of globes	Lectures.
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Constitutional Law, with select parts of \ Young's Science of the R. Statutes most intimately connected with the rights and duties of citizens ____.

Government; Revised Statutes.

Grammatical Analysis	Clark.
Higher Algebra	Davies' Bourdon.
Plane Trigonometry, as contained in	Davies' Legendre.
Surveying and Mensuration	Davies.
	Hooker.
Physiology	Brocklesby.
Intellectual Philosophy	Champlin.
Moral Philosophy	Wayland.
Chemistry	
Agricultural Chemistry	Norton.
Geology	Wells.
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attendance in the Experimental Art of Teaching and Primary Schools.

It is not claimed that in order to meet the present demands of ordinary district schools, a student must complete the entire course of study above specified. The Normal School claims to exert its most direct and powerful influence by supplying a superior grade of scholarship for the higher public schools in its graduates, but at the same time to supply the wants of a lower grade of schools, it provides an undergraduate course sufficiently moderate in its requisitions.

The studies of the Junior class are designed to prepare a higher order of teachers for the common schools generally; those who are looking for schools of a still better grade, have before them the Sub-Senior course; and for those who aim at more important positions in the higher schools, or at principalships, the Senior studies are believed to be none too complete or severe. To extend or elevate the course beyond what it now is, would be to put its completion beyond the time and means of most of those who now graduate; and more, it would simply educate the few who could complete it beyond even the reach of the higher schools, on account of the limited demand for such teachers, and the insufficient compensation offered them. On the other hand, to modify it so as to make it less severe upon the pupils at any one time, would be to disregard the fact that it is no part of the true province of the Normal School to afford a purely academic instruction in the arts and sciences. This is the proper work of our many excellent high schools and academies, and if through their means the pupil has properly prepared himself for the Normal School course, as it must be presumed he has, no more is required of him than he ought to perform.

Experimental School.

The object of this department is to give the pupils of the Senior class an opportunity to apply in practice, under the direction of an experienced teacher, the methods of instruction and discipline inculcated in the Normal School. It has one permanent teacher, denominated the Superintendent of the Experimental School, whose labors are devoted to its management.

There are one hundred and five pupils in this department, whose ages range from eight to sixteen years. These pupils are divided, according to their requirements, into five classes; and to give opportunity for alternate study and recitation, and a more complete classification, each class is further divided into two divisions, making in all ten distinct grades. The pupils of the lowest class, having learned a little of reading and spelling before entering the school, commence mental arithmetic and geography. The course of study in this department embraces the subjects usually taught in our public schools.

To give each member of the Senior class a suitable opportunity to fix permanently in the mind the most approved methods of illustrating the subjects here taught, and to afford an opportunity for practice in school management, the Senior class is divided into sections of five pupils each, corresponding to the number of classes of the Experimental School. Each section is exercised in this school during at least two weeks; and each teacher is expected to exert all his tact, energy and skill to advance the pupils of the class placed in his charge. On entering the department and having his class assigned to him, the teacher remains as "observer" two or three days before the class is fully committed to his charge. During this time he is to learn the condition of his class and his duty, and prepare himself as well as he is able to discharge that duty. He is furnished with written instructions, embodying as far as possible, general principles in teaching applied to his specific duties, which instructions he is to study carefully, and apply in practice. The Superintendent meets these teachers every morning (half an hour) before school,

to remove any difficulties they may have found in the discharge of their duties, and to criticise fully and freely their bearing as teachers, their manner of teaching, and the matter taught. Each teacher, upon leaving this department, makes a report of the condition of his class, and a concise statement of the methods he would employ in teaching the various subjects. These reports are preserved and bound for future reference as to the success of the teachers respectively in this school. The length of time each teacher is employed in the Experimental Department is from two to three weeks, depending upon the number of the Senior class.

Primary School.

The object of this school is to illustrate the organization, management and instruction of primary schools. It is composed of pupils between the ages of five and seven years, who are taught for the most part, orally by means of sensible objects, in accordance with Pestalozzian principles. The female pupils spend at least one week of the Sub-Senior term in this department, and they are engaged for six weeks of the Senior term, one hour each day in the discussion and practice of methods of primary teaching.

Examinations.

The examinations at the close of each term are, in part, written, and in part oral. The questions for the written examinations are prepared under the direction of the executive committee, and first presented to the teachers as well as pupils at the time of their examinations. The answers to the questions of each paper are written out at one sitting, the pupil having no opportunity to obtain assistance from text books or fellow pupils. The oral examinations occupy the last three days preceding the closing exercises of each term.

DIPLOMA.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
Normal School, Albany, N. Y., [Date.]

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To whom it may concern:

This certifies that A. B., having been a member of the State Normal School, and having completed the prescribed course of study, is deemed by the Faculty of the Institution to be well qualified to enter upon the duties of a teacher.

|Signed by each member of the Faculty.]

In accordance with the above certificate, we, the Executive Committee have granted this DIPLOMA.

[Signed by each member of the Executive Committee.]

[By an act of the Legislature, passed April 11, 1849, "every teacher shall be deemed a qualified teacher who shall have in possession a Diploma from the State Normal School."]

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The following are the Programmes of Exercises of the fall term. They remain the same for the spring term, except that the exercises commence one hour earlier:

PROGRAMME:

FOR FIRST THIRD OF THE TERM-SIX WEEKS.
9 A. M. to 9.20Opening Exercises.
Seniors Geology Prof. Cooley.
Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Geometry Prof. Kimball.
Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Grammar Prof. Jewell.
9.20 to 10.05. Juniors, No. 1 Reading Mr. Marean.
Juniors, No. 2 Reading Miss Butler.
Juniors, No. 3 Arithmetic Miss Howell.
, Sub-Juniors History Miss Ostrom.
10.05 to 10.15Rest and Change of Classes.
Seniors Intellectual Philosophy Principal.
Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Drawing Miss Ostrom.
Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Geometry Prof. Kimball.
10.15 to 11Juniors, No. 1 Arithmetic Miss Howell.
Juniors, No. 2 Algebra Mr. Marean.
Juniors, No. 3 Grammar Prof. Jewell.
Sub-Juniors Grammar Miss Butler.
11 to 11.10
Seniors Logic of Mathematics Prof. Kimball.
Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Science of Government Prof. Jewell.
Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Natural Philosophy Prof. Cooley.
11.10 to 11.55. Juniors, No. 1 Algebra Mr. Marean.
Juniors, No. 2 Geography Miss Ostrom.
Juniors, No. 3 Reading Miss Butler.
Sub-Juniors Geography Miss Howell.
11.55 to 12.15
Seniors Theory and Practice Principal.
Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Natural Philosophy Prof. Cooley.
Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Algebra Prof. Kimball.
12.15 to 1Juniors, No. 1 Grammar Prof. Jewell.
Juniors, No. 2 Arithmetic Miss Howell.
Juniors, No. 3 Algebra Mr. Marean.
Sub-Juniors Composition Miss Ostrom.
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Seniors Chemistry Prof. Cooley.
Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Arithmetic Prof. Kimball.
Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Drawing Miss Ostrom.
1.10 to 1.55Juniors. No. 1 Intellectual Arithmetic. Miss Butler.
Juniors, No. 2 Grammar Prof. Jewell.
Juniors, No. 3 Geography Mr. Marean.
Sub-Juniors Arithmetic Miss Howell.
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PROGRAMME

SECOND THIRD OF THE TERM—SIX WEEKS.

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		Geology and Physiology	
		Grammar	
		Algebra	
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		History	
	Sub-Juniors	Intellectual Arithmetic	Miss Butler.
10.05 to 10.15	Rest and	Change of Classes.	ar garages
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		Natural Philosophy	
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		History	
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PROGRAMME:

FOR THE LAST THIRD OF THE TERM—SIX WEEKS.
9 A. M. to 9.20Opening Exercises.
Seniors Physiology Prof. Cooley. Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Geometry Prof. Kimball. Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Science of Government Miss Howell. 9.20 to 10.05 Juniors, No. 1 Grammar Prof. Jewell. Juniors, No. 2 History Miss Ostrom. Juniors, No. 3 Algebra Mr. Marean. Sub-Juniors Intellectual Arithmetic Miss Butler.
10.05 to 10.15
Seniors
11.55 to 12.15
Senior Gentlemen. Higher Mathematics. Prof. Kimball. Senior Ladies Primary Teaching Miss Keyes. Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Rhetoric Prof. Jewell. Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Natural Philosophy Prof. Cooley. 12.15 to 1 Juniors, No. 2 Intellectual Arithmetic Miss Butler. Juniors, No. 3 Intellectual Arithmetic Mr. Marean. Sub-Juniors. Algebra Miss Howell. 1 to 1.10 Rest. Seniors Agricultuaral Chemistry Prof. Cooley. Sub-Seniors, No. 1 Drawing Miss Ostrom. Sub-Seniors, No. 2 Higher Arithmetic Prof. Kimball. 1.10 to 1.55 Juniors, No. 1 Algebra Mr. Marean. Juniors, No. 2 Grammar Prof. Jewell. Juniors, No. 3 History Miss Howell.
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AFTERNOON EXERCISES.

All the afternoon exercises of the Fall Term commence at $3\frac{1}{2}$ and close at $4\frac{1}{2}$. In the Spring Term they take place one hour later.

Instruction in vocal music:

Senior and Sub-Seniors on Mondays and Fridays, \ Juniors and Sub-Juniors on Tuesdays and Fridays \ Mr. Perring.

Compositions are required from each pupil once in three weeks, commencing with the third week, and ending with the eighteenth week, thus making six compositions during the term.

The compositions are corrected as follows:

The	Seniors'		Ariba da Ariba da Burungan	by Prof. Jewell.
	Sub-Seniors'	No. 1		Prof. Cooley.
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	Juniors' No.	3		Miss Howell.
	Sub-Juniors'			Miss Butler.

Selected compositions are read publicly every third Wednesday, commencing the fifth week, and ending with the twentieth, thus making six times. A list showing these selections will be found on the following page. At this exercise, all the teachers, as well as pupils, are required to be present.

Field exercises, with surveying and engineering instruments, are given to the gentlemen of the Senior class, by the Professor of Mathematics. These exercises consist of land surveying, with trigonometrical and other methods of areas, and heights and distances—taking levels for railroads and canals, calculations for excavations and embankments, and locating and describing curves. The object of these exercises is to make the pupils familiar with the use of instruments, and their application to the purposes for which they are designed.

In the afternoon of those Wednesdays which are not otherwise occupied, lectures are given by the several teachers, to the classes, on such subjects as are peculiarly appropriate to their duties in the school, and those of the profession for which they are preparing.

ESSAYISTS.

During the year the essays of the following persons have been selected for the public exercises of the school. The figure opposite the names indicate the number of essays read by each individual respectively.

Writers selected for the Wednesdays of the 37th term.

Se	NIO	RS.		
Mr. A. L. Clark				
Mr. J. H. Tucker	2	Miss A. C. Merriman 3		
Mr. M. A. Weed	2	Miss S. Purroy 2		
Miss F. A. Briggs		Miss M. A. Shipman 1		
Miss S. Burrage		Miss H. S. Todd		
Miss E. Cobb	2	Miss M. Townsend3		
Miss F. Dennington	1	Miss A. Weston 2		
Miss H. Dickinson	2	Miss S. M. Loomis1		
Miss E. D. Gifford	3			
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Writers selected for the Wednesday exercises of the 38th term:

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Mr. J. D. Conly					
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Miss F. Adams	1	Miss M Martin 1			
Miss A. M. Alexander	1	Miss M. McNeil			
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State Mormal School.

THIRTY-SEVENTH TERM.

Thursday, January 29,

1863.

The STEINWAY & Sons' Grand Piano, and the MASON & HAMLIN Organ Harmonium, used on this occasion, are kindly furnished by their Agent, J. H. Hidley.





Order of Exercises.

- 1. CHANT-"Ninetieth Psalm."
- 2. PRAYER.
- 3. ESSAY—" Decision and Energy."

 JOHN H. TUCKER, Delaware Co.
- 4. ESSAY-"The Days of Chivalry."

 HARRIETTE DICKINSON, Genesee Co.
- 5. ESSAY—"Character, the Result of Growth and Influence."

 EUROPA D. GIFFORD, Washington Co.
- 6. ESSAY—"Indications of Character."

 MARY TOWNSEND, Chautauqua Co.
- 7. CHORUS—"Columbia is Free," - Mietzske.
- 8. ESSAY—"What's in a Name?"
 W. D. L. Robbins, Lewis Co.
- 9. ESSAY—"Frozen to Death."

 SARAH BURRAGE, Dutchess Co.
- 10. ESSAY—"Artificial Lights."

 SALOME PURROY, Westchester Co.
- 11. ESSAY—"The Ignorance of Knowledge."

 Anne C. Merriman, Wayne Co.

12. CHORUS-"Firmly Stand, My Native Land."

Firmly stand, my native land, True in heart and true in hand, All that's lovely cherish! Thus shall God remain thy friend, Thus shall heav'n thy walls defend; Freedom, freedom shall not perish, Firmly stand, my native land.

Safely dwell, my native land, May thy sons united stand. Firm and true forever! God forbid the day should rise, When 'tis said our freedom dies; Freedom, freedom shall not perish, Firmly stand, my native land.

Sing for joy, my native land,
In thee dwells a noble band,
All thy need to cherish!
God with might will guard thee round,
While thy steps in truth are bound,
Freedom shall not perish,
Firmly stand, my native land.

- 13. ADDRESS—By SAMUEL FISHER, D. D., of Hamilton College.
- 14. DIPLOMAS CONFERRED.
- 15. ANTHEM-"0, come, let us Worship." Samuel Chapple.
- 16. BENEDICTION.

Graduates of the Thirty-Seventh Term.

NAME.	Post Office Address.
Mary Boyd,	Albany, Albany Co.
Mary A. Breese,	Horse Heads, Chemung Co.
Frances L. Briggs,	Coeymans, Albany Co.
SARAH BURRAGE,	Hyde Park, Dutchess Co.
Lona E. Burton,	Rodman, Jefferson Co.
AMANDA H. CARR,	Albany, Albany Co.
Emeline Cobb,	Greenville, Greene Co.
FANNIE DENNINGTON,	Clyde, Wayne Co.
Harriette S. Dickinson,	Alexander, Genesee Co.
EUROPA D. GIFFORD,	Easton, Washington Co.
FRANCES A. GILBORN,	Ballston Spa, Saratoga Co.
JANE H. GOURLIE,	Albany, Albany Co.
ARRIETTA L. GRIFFIN,	Albany, Albany Co.
Mary A. Horton,	Newburgh, Orange Co.
MARGARETTE HYDE,	Poughkeepsie, Dutchess Co.
MARY E. KILLIP,	Albany, Albany Co.
SOPHIA E. LOOMIS,	Rodman, Jefferson Co.
KATE LYNCH,	Albany, Albany Co.
ANNE C. MERRIMAN,	South Butler, Wayne Co.
SALOME PURROY,	Fordham, Westchester Co.
MARTHA A. SHIPMAN,	Warsaw, Wyoming Co.
HARRIET S. TODD,	Fayetteville, Onondaga Co.
MARY TOWNSEND,	Frewsburgh, Chautauqua Co.
ADA WESTON,	North Buffalo, Erie Co.
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THIRTY-EIGHTH TERM.

THURSDAY, JULY 9,

1863.

The Organ Harmonium and Hazleton Piano Forte, used on this occasion, are furnished by W. F. Sherwin.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

- 1. MUSIC-Chant-Psalm CIII.
- 2. PRAYER.
- 3. MUSIC-Anthem-"O Praise the Lord all ye Nations."
- 4. ESSAY—"True Manliness."

 JAMES M. CRANE, Circleville, Orange Co.
- 5. ESSAY—"Intellectual and Manual Labor."

 CAROLINE V. HAWTHORNE, Hinmanville, Oswego Co.
- 6. ESSAY—"Patient Labor."

 Sophia E. Young, Copenhagen, Lewis Co.
- 7. ESSAY—"The Women of the Day."

 MARY L. SHERMAN, Clyde, Wayne Co.
- 8. ESSAY—"Boarding Around."

 MARTHAETTE MOAK, Carlisle, Schoharie Co.
- MUSIC—Chorus—"Let the Dew-drops do our Weeping."
 Rossini.
- 10. ESSAY—"The Law of Labor."

 Nicholas J. Maybee, East Norwich, Queens Co.
- 11. ESSAY—"Local Conceit."

 Melissa Landt, Newville, Herkimer Co.

- 12. ESSAY—"The Study of English Analysis."

 Martha A. Hay, Potter's Hollow, Schoharie Co.
- 13. ESSAY—"The Cultivation of a Hopeful Spirit."

 Martha E. Townsend, Frewsburg, Chautauqua Co.
- 14. ESSAY—"The Ornamental in Education."

 CAROLINE F. BURROWS, Fredonia, Chautauqua Co.
- 15. MUSIC—Chorus—"Like a High Star." James M. North.
 Words by Prof. F. S. Jewell.

Like a higher star, so let thy soul

In heaven's sweet calm serenely dwell,
Undimm'd, 'tho clouds around thee roll,
Unmov'd, 'tho tempests rock the pole,
And girt with peace, no storm can quell.

Like a high star, so let thy light
O'er a dark world, in beauty shine,
Beaming resplendent thro' the night,
To point the wand'rer's path aright,
Into the port of bliss divine.

Like a high star, so let thy power
Bind hosts around thy central heart;
Steadfast, thro' sunshine and thro' shower,
Steadfast, beyond thy life's brief hour,
Bright be thy sway till life depart.

Like a high star, so let thy course
Onward, unwavering, ever tend:
Sprung from an unseen, mighty source,
Press on, o'er each opposing force,
And win the god-like, glorious end.

- 16. DIPLOMAS CONFERRED.
- 17. MUSIC-Chorus-"Volunteer's Song." James M. North.
- 18. BENEDICTION.

Graduates of the Thirty-Eighth Term.

NAME.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Helen S. Barnes,	Munnsville, Madison Co.
RACHEL BEDFORD,	Monticello, Sullivan Co.
RUTH A. BROOKS,	Moscow, Livingston Co.
CAROLINE F. BURROWS,	Fredonia, Chautauqua Co.
ANNE E. COCKS,	Glen Cove, Queens Co.
HATTIE CORVELL,	Townsend, Schuyler Co.
Emma H. Gray,	Armonk, Westchester Co.
SARAH C. GRIFFETH,	Western, Schuyler Co.
ELLA P. GRISWOLD,	Little Falls, Herkimer Co.
MARTHA A. HAY,	Potter's Hollow, Schoharie Co.
CAROLINE V. HAWTHORNE,	Hinmanville, Oswego Co
CATHARINE HOGAN,	Albany, Albany Co.
Josephine Howard,	Brooklyn, Kings Co.
EMMER E. JARVIS,	
Melissa Landt,	Newville, Herkimer Co.
CATHARINE LAPP,	Clarence Center, Erie Co.
KATE McAULEY,	Albany, Albany Co.
MARTHAETTE MOAK,	Carlisle, Schoharie Co
MARY L. SHERMAN,	Clyde, Wayne Co.
HELEN I. SHERWOOD,	Suspension Bridge, Niagara Co.
CAROLINE A. SILL,	Albany, Albany Co.
ELIZA SKINNER,	
MARTHA TOWNSEND,	
LUCELIA WEBSTER,	Warsaw, Wyoming Co.
SOPHIA E. YOUNG,	Copenhagen, Lewis Co.
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