

which would be required to the grounds and to report on the same at the next meeting of the Committee.

The Committee then adjourned.

January 12, 1889.

The executive Committee met in the rooms of the Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to a call, present  
 Superintendent Draper.  
 Dr. Ward.

Mr. North

Mr. Murray

President Waterbury was also present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The secretary reported that Miss Ida M. Isdell had received an invitation to teach in Rochester at a salary of \$400 per annum. Whereupon on motion of Dr. Ward, it was resolved that Miss Isdell's salary be increased to \$500 to commence from the beginning of the next term of the school.

The president reported that the work of Prof. Burt in natural science was too great to be

performed by a single teacher. He recommended that Miss E. Helen Hammons who graduated from the Normal School in 1884 and since had devoted herself to teaching natural sciences and is now engaged in teaching them at Rome, N.Y. be appointed a member of the faculty to perform such duties as may be assigned to her by the President at a salary of \$650. per annum for the remainder of the present year, and at \$700 per annum for the next year, with an annual increase thereafter of \$100. per annum until a maximum of \$900. per annum is reached; her engagement to be at the pleasure of the Executive Committee. On motion of Mr. Murray the recommendation of the President was approved and the appointment made.

The secretary reported the names of the graduating class which had been nominated by the faculty for graduation at the close of the present term. The list was approved and diplomas were ordered to be issued for them.  
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The secretary reported that in accordance with the resolution adopted at the

## MEMBERS OF THE CLASS

GRADUATING JANUARY 25, 1889,

*Their Post Offices, Counties, and the Subjects of their Essays.*

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Post Office.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Subject of Essay.</i>
M. EUDORA ATWELL,	Gulf Summit,	Broome,	The Tides.
SARAH BELL,	Bath-on-Hudson,	Rensselaer,	The Tongue.
BEULAH E. BABCOCK,	Mount Vernon,	Westchester,	Active Genius.
ADALINE BAYLES,	Mount Vernon,	Westchester,	Effects of Criticism.
JESSIE CAMPBELL,	Vernon,	Oneida,	Silent Forces.
GAZENA D. CROSS,	Cobleskill,	Schoharie,	Manual Training.
SARAH DE FREEST,	De Freestville,	Rensselaer,	Comparison.
CARRIE J. DICKINSON,	Rose,	Wayne,	Originality in the Teacher.
SARA J. EVANS,	Plainfield Centre,	Otsego,	Silence.
ADDIE LORETTA EVERITT,	Unionville,	Orange,	Conversation.
ANNA FILKINS,	Oneonta,	Otsego,	Books as Teachers.
CARRIE M. FINCH,	North Salem,	Westchester,	Methods.
MARY C. FITCH,	New Salem,	Albany,	Word Pictures.
ANNA AGNES GARRITY,	Chatham,	Columbia,	Builders.
GRACE HARRISON,	Westmoreland,	Oneida,	Kismet.
CATHERINE E. HILL,	Niverville,	Columbia,	Commerce of Thought.
JANE KENNEDY,	West Troy,	Albany,	Power of Kindness.
CHARITY J. LAMOUREE,	East Albany,	Rensselaer,	Devotion.
EMMA R. LEONARD,	Broome Centre,	Schoharie,	Influences.
KATHARINE MATTICE,	Middleburgh,	Schoharie,	Traveling in Peru.
ROSE MARY McCLARE,	West Troy,	Albany,	Advantages of Training.
MARY A. McDONOUGH,	Albany,	Albany,	Prospect and Retrospect.
CORA MOCHRIE,	Amsterdam,	Montgomery,	The Storm King.
MYRTIE M. MONTAGUE,	Henderson,	Jefferson,	Necessity for Mental Labor.
MARIANNA MOULD,	Montgomery,	Orange,	Temperance.
MARY H. O'BRIEN,	Forestport,	Oneida,	A Plea for Girls.
ANNA PARRY,	New York Mills,	Oneida,	Music.
ANNA S. QUANT,	Albany,	Albany,	The Telegraph.
ALICE M. SAYRE,	Dundee,	Yates,	Importance of Individuals.
JENNIE THORN,	Breakabeen,	Schoharie,	Local History.
JOSEPHINE M. VAN ALLEN,	Valatie,	Columbia,	Progress of Manufactures.
CORA VAN BENTHUYSEN,	Johnstown,	Fulton,	Our Debt to our Poets.
IVA C. WALLING,	W. Burlington,	Otsego,	Handwork or Headwork.
ARRENE WISE,	City of Kingston,	Ulster,	The Old New Year.
CORA ELVIRA WELCH,	Albany,	Albany,	Work of Women.
W. IRVING BRAY,	Naples,	Ontario,	Tact.
EDWIN J. FORT,	South Easton,	Washington,	Forest Culture.
ERASTUS S. HAWKINS,	Ronkonkoma,	Suffolk,	Newspapers.
GEORGE C. LANG,	Wurtemburg,	Dutchess,	Lessons from Nature.
THOMAS D. McLAUGHLIN,	Clarksville,	Albany,	Concentration.

Ladies, 35; Gentlemen, 5; Total, 40. Representing 18 counties of the State.

Last meeting he had transmitted the annual report to the Superintendent of Public Instruction and to the regents of the University.

The president reported that pursuant to the authority granted him at the last meeting of the executive committee he had arranged with Mr. F. J. Cameron to place storm windows in the thirty-four windows of the west front of the building. This had been finished at an expense of \$250.<sup>00</sup>

Superintendent Draper reported progress in regard to inquiries concerning additional grounds for the normal school on which a building might be erected for gymnasium and other purposes.

On motion the committee then adjourned.

February 27 - 1889

The executive committee met in the rooms of the superintendent of public instruction, present

Superintendent Draper

Dr. Ward

Mr. Murray