

# Theological Curriculum.

The course of instruction in Theology extends over three sessions of six months each. In addition to the ordinary subjects taught in the classes of the various Professors as prescribed for each year, in which every student must pass an examination at the close of the session, an honour course is provided, which is optional, and in which no lectures are given, but to which certificates of honour, scholarships, and medals are attached.

## First Year.

### ORDINARY COURSE.

#### *Department I.—Systematic Theology.*

I.—Theology proper; Nature and Attributes of God—the Trinity; the Divinity of Christ; the Holy Spirit; Decrees of God—Creation—Providence.

II.—Anthropology; Origin, nature, and Original state of Man, Covenant of Works, the Fall; Nature of sin; Free Agency.

Books: Hodge, Hill, Thornwell, Dick, Turretine, Calvin, Dörner, Müller, Martensen.

#### *Department II.—Church Government.*

I.—Historical View of Forms of Church Government.

II.—Development of Scriptural Form and Refutation of errors.

III.—Church Polity—Form of Process, &c.

Books: Bannerman, Jacob, Stewart, Hooker, Whately, Hill, &c.

#### *Department III.—Church History.*

I.—Old Testament History.

II.—History of the Jews from the Restoration to the Birth of Christ.

III.—New Testament History, including a Harmony of the Gospel narratives.

IV.—The Connection of Profane and Sacred History.

V.—Geography and Antiquities of the Bible.

Books: Smith, Kurtz, Ritter, Wheeler, Josephus, Kitto, Andrews, Ebrard, Conybeare and Howson, &c.

#### *Department IV.—Sacred Literature.*

I.—Introduction to the Old and New Testaments.

II.—Biblical Criticism, Restoration of the Text of the Old and New Testaments.

III.—Principles of Hermeneutics; Inspiration; Canon.

Books: Horne, Davidson, Keil, Bleek, Westcott, Scrivener.

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