

gies for all denominational purposes; that in order to the accomplishment of these results it is indispensable that the pastors of the Churches should be perseveringly zealous in the support of our Institutions, and unremitting in their endeavours to guide and stimulate the people; and that unless pastors and people, throughout these lands, act with promptitude, and vigour befitting the occasion, symptoms of decay will soon be visible.

5th, That the solemn observance of the first day the year, as a day of prayer and thanksgiving, as well as the regular attendance on quarterly meetings, is well adapted to consolidate union and revive drooping energies.

J. M. CRAMP, Chairman.

ACADIA COLLEGE REPORT.

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In presenting a report of their proceedings, and of the affairs of the College, during the past year, the Board of Governors will begin by placing before the Convention a statement which has already appeared in the periodicals of the denomination. It is as follows:

Report of the Studies of the Year ending June 4, 1852.

The Session was opened on Tuesday, Sept. 2, 1851. Sixteen students have attended the Classes during the year.

CLASSICS. In Greek, the senior class have read the Medea of Euripides, from the 908th line to the end—a portion of the fifth book of Homer's Odyssey—and ninety-five sections of the Oration of Demosthenes "on the crown." The junior class have read in the Iliad of Homer throughout the Term.

In Latin, the senior class have read the "Agricola" of Tacitus, from Chap. 19 to the end, the whole of the "Germania," and thirteen chapters of Cicero de Officiis. The junior class have read Cæsar's Catiline, from chap. 26 to the end, and twenty of the Odes of Horace, selected from his third and fourth books.—This class has also been regularly exercised in Greek and Latin composition.

MATHEMATICS. Classes have been instructed in Geometry, Algebra, Trigonometry, plane and spherical, Navigation, Surveying, and Nautical Astronomy. In Geometry, the text-book has been Davies Legendre, nine books; in Algebra, Davies' Bourdan, the Theory of Logarithms; in Trigonometry, Davies, plane and spherical, to the end; in Navigation, Surveying, and Nautical Astronomy, Hackley to the end. The subjects have been studied theoretically and practically, combined.

MENTAL PHILOSOPHY. The Class in Mental Philosophy have been through Upham's Treatise on the Intellect as a text-book, with extended comments.

MORAL PHILOSOPHY. A class chiefly composed of senior students, was formed immediately after the opening of the Fall term. Dr. Wayland's Moral Philosophy was used as a text-book.