Special Lectures are given with a view to Candidates for University Honors, on the general European History of each period; and in the third year, an additional course on Ancient and Modern Ethnology, with a view to the sources of national character and institutions.

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

## FIRST YEAR.

- Language: \*Origin and History of the English Language; its
  Orthographic and Etymological forms; its compound structure and intrusive Philological and Grammatical elements;
  \*Prosody.
- Literature: History of English Literature to the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

## SECOND YEAR.

- Language: \*Etymology and Synonyms Syntactical and Rhetorical
  Analysis of forms of English Composition.
- Literature: History of English Literature temp. Queen Elizabeth to Queen Anne.
  - \*Critical reading of one of Shakespear's Dramas.

## FOURTH YEAR.

- Language: History of the formation of the English Language, and Analysis of the Philological Elements; Principles of Composition and Prosody, based on Critical Readings of English Classics.
- Literature: History of English Literature from Queen Anne to the present time.
- \*Critical Analysis of two of Shakespear's Historical Dramas; and of portions of Milton's Paradise Lost, Spencer's Faerie Queen, &c.

<sup>\*</sup>Only for Candidates for Honors.