WESLEYAN ACADEMY, MOUNT ALLISON, SACKVILLE, N. B.

GENERAL CIRCULAR.

MALE BRANCH.

Titis Branch of the Institution has been opened and in successful operation more than fourteen years. The arrangements which were made for the accomplishment of the important object for which it had been founded were such as obtained for it a high position in the public estimation, very early in its history; and those upon whom the direction of its affairs has devoked have been stimulated and encouraged by its prosperity to continued efforts to render it, in all its departments, ever increasingly efficient. Each year has consequently been marked by valuable additions to its educational factorial and by more or less extensive general improvement throughout the establishment. And as it will continue to be conducted upon the same principles which have secured for it such enviable and distinguished popularity, and such extensive and continued patronage, the attention of young men and of the parents and guardians of yould is confidently introspectfully invited to it, as an Institution where, under most favorable circumstances, the advantages of a thorough intellectual training may be obtained in safety and comfort.

Course of Study, Classification, &c,

THE Course of Study is designed to ensure to the Student thorough preparation for comfortable entrance upon a course, either of special training for Agricultural, Mechanical, or Commercial pursuits, or of speciale study for professional life, it is therefore systematic and extensive, including all the branches of Science and Literature, which are taught in the best conducted educational c-tablishments on this Continent and in Great Britain.

The aim in arranging the order in which the several subjects for study succeed each other in the course, has been, not only to secure, to the greatest possible extent, the symmetrical development of all the intelectual powers of the regular Student, but at the same time also to accommodate the class of worthy young men who, being able to spend but a short time in the Institution, wish to devote it all to particular studies.

The Students being classified according to their respective scholastic attainments, are arranged in three distinct Departments. Each Department is subdivided into classes, and has assigned to it its own appropriate portion of the course of study.

I. PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

This is designed as a preparatory school for such of the more youthful Pupils as may not be prepared for the exercises of the classes in the higher Departments.

TIME-TWO YEARS.

Sindles.

FIRST YEAR.—SECOND CLASS. Reading, &c. Pennianship, Mental Arithmetic, First Lessons in Geography.

SECOND YEAR.—PHIST CLASS.

Reading &c. Penmanship Arithmetic (Eigmentary Rules) First Lessons in Grammar

II. INTERNEDIATE DEPARTMENT. TIME-TWO YEARS.

Studies.

FIRST YEAR,—SICOND CLASS.

1st Term. Rhetorical Reading, Geography, English Grammar, Arithmetic.
2nd " History of England. " Latin Lessons, "

SECOND YEAR.—FIRST CLASS.

Statem Platery of Rome, English Grammar, Latin Reader. Menauration, de. Srd " " " Menauration, de. Land Surveying.

III. COLLEGIATE DEPARTMENT. TIME—FOUR YEARS.

Studies.

FIRST YEAR.—FOURTH CLASS.

Lat Term. History of Greece, Natural Illistory, Ovid, Greek Lersons.

2nd "Algebra, Natural Philosophy, Ovid and Yesar, "
Astronomy, Casar, Greek Reader

SECOND VEAU.-THIRD CLASS.

1st Tetm Geometry, Rheloffe, Virgil, Greek Reader
2nd "Rheloffe and Mental Philosophy, Virgil, Greek Reader,
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THERD YEAR, SECOND CLASS.

1st Term Yoral Philosophy, Chemistry, Horace, Homer, 2nd " Logic, t hemistry, Live, Homer, Natural Theology, Thjshology, Tacitus, Perestotus

FOURTH YEAR-PIRST CLASS.

1st Term Elements of Criticism, Geology, Analytical Geometry, &c. Demosthenes, 2nd " Editical Economy, Mineralogy, " " Proneticus, Editical Economy, Mineralogy, " " Proneticus,

Declaration and Composition will be required, from all the Students in the Intermediate and Collegaste Departments, on alternate Saturdays.

Classes will be organized and instructed in the French Language, and Scientific Agriculture, whenever required by a sufficient number of Students. Where it is preferred, the study of French may be substituted for Latin in the Intermediate Department. By oinliting the Latin and Greek in the Collegiate Department, the studies of that Department may be completed in from two to three years.

Persons who may not wish to pursue either Course regularly, will be allowed to enter any of the Classes, in order, for which they are qualified.

But where there is no infination of desire on the part of the Parent or Guardian of the youthful Student, dictating a modified course—ho will be examined, and have his place assigned in the Department which he may be found prepared to join; and will be required to jurgue the regular Course as above given, while he may continue in the Institution.

The Method of Instruction,

Is that which, after careful observation and mature experience has been judged best calculated to interest the youthful mind, and to develop most harmoniously all its powers. The best text books extant, in the various studies, are placed in the hands of the Student, who is required to make himself acquainted with successive portions of these as they are from day to day definitely assigned by the Teachers, and to furnish satisfactory evidence of such acquaintance in his recitation-rooms at appointed hours. To do this he must study, and persecting in so doing, week after week, he acquaires the habit of inctholical study. But to prevent the preparation for the recitation room from becoming mere task work, and the recitations mere memoriter repetition of words and phrases, the Student is encouraged to extend his range of inquiry beyond the limits of his text-book,—to investigate and think and talk for himself;—to lead him to do so is the constant endeavour of all the Officers of Instruction.

Courses of Lectures will be delivered, upon Natural Philosophy, Astronomy, Geology, &c., &c.

Expenses.

For Board, Washing, Facl, Lights, &c., and Taition in the Primary Department—For Academical Year, (42 weeks.)	£27	10	0
Or, for each Term, (14 weeks,) Per week, for a period less than a Term,	9	3	4
For Tuition and Incidentals to Day Scholar per Term, .		6	8
Or, for the Year,			<u> </u>
An additional charge of 6s. 8d. per Term, will be made for			

An additional charge of 6s. Sd. per Term, will be made for Tuition in each branch in the higher Departments, but the expense for Board, &c., and Tuition, in the regular classes, will in no case exceed £33 per annum.

A small sum will be charged each Term, for Library and Lecture Fees, and also for general incidentals.

The amount of the nationary expenses must be paid in advance—at the beginning of each Term. \(\sigma \)