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FACULTY—1880-'81.

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ALUMNAE.

JUNE, 1877.

MINNIE McDOWELL	Boyle County.
LILY POWELL	Boyle County.
LENA BRIGHT	Garrard County.
SUSIE H. SHELBY	Lincoln County.
LATTIE HELM	Stanford.
RETTIE ALLEN	Cleveland, Ohio.
JUDITH M. GUEST	Boyle County.
MOULIE EVANS	Danville.
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Latin Valedictory	MINNIE McDOWELL.
English Valedictory	SUSIE FINNIE.

JUNE, 1878.

RETTIE DENNIS	Stanford.
GEORGIE SHEARS	Boyle County.
SUSIE SHELTON	Boyle County.
MATTIE GREEN	Texas.
Valedictory	MATTIE GREEN.
Salutatory	SUSIE SHELTON.

JUNE, 1879.

KATIE DUNCAN	Danville.
BOSSIE GREEN	Maysville.
MATTIE McDOWELL	Boyle County.
ANNA B. VAUGHAN	Danville.
ANNIE A. WARDROPER	Lexington.
First Honor	MATTIE McDOWELL.
Second Honor	ANNA B. VAUGHAN.

JUNE, 1880.

RETTIE GIVES LYON	Lincoln County.
MAGGIE McROBERTS	Danville.
MARY E. PETTUS	Farmaset.
JOSIE SMITH	St. Louis, Mo.
Valedictory	JOSIE SMITH.
Salutatory	RETTIE G. LYON.

PUPILS.

SESSION 1879-'80

Mary M. Allen	Dixon Springs, Tenn.
Louise Arvin	Boyle County.
Sallie Barford	Boyle County.
Fannie Barkard	Boyle County.
Laura Owsley Baker	Barthonsville, Ky.
Georgie Cape Barnes	Standard, Ky.
Ella Barker	Danville, Ky.
Marian Batterton	Danville, Ky.
Martha Batterton	Danville, Ky.
Josh Fry Bell	Danville, Ky.
Jessie Bingham	Boyle County.
Zoa Bingham	Boyle County.
Delra Bingham	Boyle County.
Lily Brown	Lexington, Ky.
Tinie Boone	Danville, Ky.
Mattie Brown	Danville, Ky.
Mary Brown	Danville, Ky.
Willie Burke	Boyle County.
Julia Bush	Danville, Ky.
Boone Bush	Danville, Ky.
Berkner Bush	Danville, Ky.
Marla Caldwell	Boyle County.
Ole Caldwell	Boyle County.
Katie Caldwell	Boyle County.
Sadie Clarke	Danville, Ky.
Stella Cotton	Boyle County.
Bessie Cohen	Boyle County.
Belle Cohen	Boyle County.
Allie Cohen	Boyle County.
Mary Cohen	Boyle County.
David Cohn	Danville, Ky.
Bettie Craig	Danville, Ky.
Mattie Drake	Boyle County.
Attie Durn	Boyle County.
Mary Dunlap	Danville, Ky.
Naggie Egbert	Crab Orchard, Ky.
Sallie Engleman	Danville, Ky.
Mary M. Bell Engleman	Danville, Ky.

Bessie Bagleman	Lincoln County.
Miriam Eddy	Danville, Ky.
Glen Eddy	Danville, Ky.
Sue Belle Fible	Louisville, Ky.
Sophie Fishback	Danville, Ky.
Anna B. Gaines	Lincoln County.
Ollie Gregory	Danville, Ky.
Louise Guest	Danville, Ky.
Eugenia W. Hamilton	Danville, Ky.
Mattie Harlan	Danville, Ky.
Ida Harlan	Danville, Ky.
Allie Harlan	Danville, Ky.
Rhoda Harlan	Danville, Ky.
Claire Bell Helms	Stanford, Ky.
Jennie Irwin	Boyle County.
Mollie A. Johnson	Lexington, Ky.
Mattie Keamy	Boyle County.
Edith Lytle	Williamsburg, O.
Bettie Glenn Lyon	Lincoln County.
Emma Mahan	Boyle County.
Bettie Mahan	Boyle County.
Hattie Marrs	Danville, Ky.
Howard Marrs	Danville, Ky.
Mary Merrill	Danville, Ky.
Lizzie Mitchell	Perryville, Ky.
Jennie McCartney	Danville, Ky.
Annie McDowell	Boyle County.
Nannie McDowell	Boyle County.
Mary McKelroy	Danville, Ky.
Fannie McKelroy	Danville, Ky.
Eva McGinn	Danville, Ky.
Clara Lee McKinarty	Danville, Ky.
Maggie McRoberts	Danville, Ky.
Mary McRoberts	Danville, Ky.
John McRoberts	Danville, Ky.
George McRoberts	Danville, Ky.
Adelia Merrihon	Danville, Ky.
James Merrihon	Danville, Ky.
Nettie Mock	Danville, Ky.
Corinne Murphy	Danville, Ky.
Lella K. Owsley	Danville, Ky.
Mary K. Pettus	Somerset, Ky.
Lillie Pettus	Somerset, Ky.
Genevieve Pugh	Somerset, Ky.
Nannie Pitman	Boyle County.
Maggie Rowland	Danville, Ky.
America Rowat	Stanford, Ky.
Mary Eliza Rowat	Stanford, Ky.
Lila Rue	Danville, Ky.
Sue Rue	Danville, Ky.

Josephine Salter	Danville, Ky.
Jennie Salter	Danville, Ky.
Mary Lou Shelton	Boyle County.
Hattie Shelton	Boyle County.
Annie Shelley	Danville, Ky.
John Sholley	Danville, Ky.
Nellie Shumate	Danville, Ky.
Hattie Shumate	Danville, Ky.
Jennie Shumate	Danville, Ky.
Florence Slaughter	Boyle County.
Justa Smith	St. Louis, Mo.
Nannie Stodghill	Danville, Ky.
Sallie Tomlinson	Danville, Ky.
Nannie Troutman	Lexington, Ky.
Hattie Vaughan	Danville, Ky.
Cora Van Pelt	Danville, Ky.
Georgia Walter	Danville, Ky.
Emma Webb	Parisville, Ky.
Yinnie Wood	Boyle County.
Ned Wiseman	Danville, Ky.
Jennie B. Wiseman	Danville, Ky.
Fannie Yeiser	Danville, Ky.
Katie Yeiser	Danville, Ky.
Maggie Yeager	Boyle County.
Silas Yeager	Boyle County.
Regular pupils	114.

SPECIAL BRANCHES.

IN MUSIC:

Jennie Boughman	Boyle County.
Effie Bruce	Boyle County.
Panarella Cloyd	Lincoln County.

MATHEMATICS.

Anna Vaughan,	J. Lapsley McKee,	Ed. Vaughan.
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Total number of pupils.....109.

GRADUATING CLASS.

Bettie G. Lyon	Lincoln County.
Maggie McRoberts	Dunville, Ky.
Mary E. Pettus	Somerset, Ky.
Jessie Smith	St. Louis, Mo.

ADMISSION.

Before a student can enter any class of Bell Seminary, she must either pass a satisfactory examination in the studies previously pursued by the class she desires to enter, or she must present satisfactory testimonials of her standing in the School or College which she last attended.

COURSE OF STUDY.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Spelling; Reading; Primary Geography; Writing; Map Drawing; Object Lessons; Ray's Primary Mental Arithmetic.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

Spelling, with Definitions; Reading; Primary English Composition; Hart's Grammar and Analysis; Milne's Practical Arithmetic; Stokard's Intellectual Arithmetic; Descriptive Geography; Writing; Recitations.

COLLEGIATE DEPARTMENT.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

French's Practical Arithmetic, completed; Stokard's Intellectual Arithmetic; History of United States; Hart's Lessons in Composition; Wood's Science of Common Things; Harvey's Grammar; Readings and Recitations.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

Loane's Algebra; History of England; Steel's Natural Philosophy; Rhetoric; Hirston's Physical Geography; Quackenbos' History of the World; Recitations and Compositions.

JUNIOR CLASS.

Loane's Higher Algebra; Greene's Analysis; Hart's American and English Literature; Steel's Chemistry; Loane's Geometry, plain, solid and analytic; Wood's Botany; Dana's Geology.

SENIOR CLASS.

Psychology, (Haven's); Evidences of Christianity, (Alexander's); Physiology, (Dutton's); Logic, (Copper's); Astronomy, (Burnett's); Loane's plain and spherical Trigonometry and Surveying, (optional); Political Economy, (Wayland's); Moral Science, (Haven's); Recitations; Essays.

Elocution will be taught in every class to enable the young ladies to become accomplished in a beautiful and entertaining art,—that of "reading aloud well." Frequent recitations and readings will be given by the pupils before the school.

The regular Collegiate Course of Study covers a period of four years. This is preceded by a Preparatory Course, occupying more or less time, according to the ability and application of the student.

EXAMINATIONS.

Very thorough and exhaustive written examinations will be made in each study and class before a pupil will be permitted to take up an advanced study.

GRADUATION.

A Diploma will be awarded to a student when she has completed the regular course of study. As this course of study is extensive, and thorough scholarship will be required, perhaps a few pupils will not apply themselves with sufficient diligence to become Regular Graduates; but to meet the necessity of these cases, "Certificates of Proficiency" will be given in such studies as the student may have completed.

The deportment of the student will be taken into consideration in awarding a Diploma or Certificate.

Monthly reports of departments and semi-annual reports of progress in studies will be sent to the parents or guardians.

THE COLLEGIATE YEAR

Begins on the first Wednesday in September, and closes on the second Thursday in June.

We urge upon pupils the importance of being present at the opening of the session.

EXPENSES,

Per Term of Twenty Weeks.

Board, and English Tuition	\$100 00
Board for Scholars from Monday to Friday	50 00
Tuition in Collegiate Department	25 00
Tuition in Preparatory Department	20 00
Tuition in Primary Department	15 00
Washing	7 50

Extra Expenses, (Optional.)

Ancient Languages, Latin and Greek, each	\$ 10 00
Modern Languages, each, in classes of four or more	10 00
Instrumental Music	25 00
Vocal Music	25 00
Painting in Oil	25 00
Drawing—Pencil or Crayon	10 00
Diploma, free of charge.	

The daughters of Ministers of the Gospel will be taken at half price in the English Department.

Pupils will be received at any time, but will not be admitted for less than one term, unless it is a matter of previous arrangement with the Principal. Those entering during the month of September will be charged from the beginning; after this time the charge will be made from date of entry. No distinction will be made for withdrawal from school, except in cases of prolonged illness.

BOARDING DEPARTMENT.

Only a faithful number of Boarders will be taken.

We wish to surround the girls placed under our care with a true *home influence*, and will always endeavor, by kindness and love, to make them realize that, for the time, this is *Home*, and not a mere Boarding School. We think we can do this, especially if we have the hearty co-operation and delegated authority of the Parents, for we desire to discipline our girls by appealing to their honor, and confiding in their word and integrity,—thus teaching them *self-government*, which seems to us far better than obedience to *mere rules*. We are earnestly seeking to make this a thorough, genuine school, where girls may be trained to become earnest Christian women, as well as elegant, accomplished ladies.

Parents, please do not send us your daughters with a definite or indefinite promise that if they are not satisfied, you will remove them at any time. Young people are occasionally fickle; but if there should be any *seriousness* just complaint made to you, notify us, and we will undertake to rectify the trouble or satisfy you that it was whimsical. And, again, do not request us to comply with the wishes of your daughters concerning their studies and examinations, because in any arrangement of studies and classes we may make, we can only desire to benefit the girls. They may resort to you after we, who have considered and understood the whole case, have decided contrary to their wishes. We ask you to trust us, and we will seek to promote their highest interests and best welfare in mind, morals and manners.

We will require lady-like conduct on all occasions; prompt obedience to rules; strict observance of *study, rest and recreation* hours; strict observance of the Sabbath. The young ladies must attend Church (once every Sabbath, unless sick), with the Principal or Associate Principal, unless some other Church is specified by the parents. We will permit so much of *select society*, under proper restrictions, as we may deem desirable.

We will prohibit absence from Chapel or Recitation Rooms in study hours; leaving any class without consent of the Principal; absence from "Home" without permission; boisterous noise in or about house or grounds; reception of day scholars, or other friends, except in the parlor. We will not allow any pupil to spend a night away from the Seminary, unless authorized by the request of the parents.

Unrestricted correspondence with parents will be permitted, but the parents should be very careful to specify any others with whom they are willing their daughters should correspond. The correspondence must, however, be limited.

Each pupil is expected to furnish her own towels, toilet articles, napkins and napkin-ring, and to have every article of her wearing apparel distinctly marked with her full name. Each should have an umbrella, India-rubber comb and water-proof cloak.

THE BELL SEMINARY

Was the home of the late Hon. Joshua F. Bell, in honor of whom it is named, and was incorporated by an act of the Legislature of 1877-78.

The location of the Seminary within large, pleasant grounds in one of the most agreeable parts of the town, and within ten minutes walk of eight Churches of different denominations, makes a desirable home for those who are to be sent away from parents and friends for educational advantages.

Danville—situated in the beautiful "Blue-Grass District of Kentucky," is easily accessible from all points by eight macadamized roads and two railroads, running North and South.

Having been encouraged by the attendance of a larger number of pupils than we anticipated, in the four years during which we have conducted this Institution, and having received flattering commendations with regard to the progress of the pupils, and the satisfaction of the patrons, we have determined to continue in the work, and, by gaining the confidence, diligent application of the girls, and the earnest co-operation of the parents, we hope to make "School Life and School Work" a labor of Love.