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# ANNOUNCEMENT.

SESSION 1875-6.

THE *Twenty-sixth* Regular Course of Instruction in the Medical Department of the University of Nashville will commence on Monday, the 4th day of October next, and end on the last Thursday in February, 1876.

After a fourth of a century, in again issuing the regular Announcement, the Trustees and Faculty of the Institution have pleasure in referring to the continued prosperity which it has enjoyed, and would return acknowledgments to the Alumni of the Medical School, and to the profession throughout the South and South-west, for the cordial, earnest, and devoted support which has heretofore been extended.

The Anatomical Rooms will be opened for students on the 20th of September. To this department especial attention will be paid, and nothing will be left undone to make it thoroughly efficient. The facilities for the study of Practical Anatomy are ample and all that the student can desire.

## METHOD OF TEACHING.

It is the purpose of the Faculty to make the teaching thorough and practical. *Five* Didactic Lectures will be delivered daily, in the College Halls, upon the different subjects of the Course. During the week, the student will hear *four* Lectures upon each branch of Medicine. Daily examinations will be held by each Professor at the beginning of the Lecture-hour, in order that the facts of the previous Lecture may be impressed upon the minds of students. The various Lectures will be illustrated by experiments, dissections, surgical operations, clinics, models, anatomical, botanical, and chemical specimens, and by such other means as may make the instruction imparted practical and pointed. The Cabinets of Pathology, Obstetrics, Surgery, *Materia Medica*, and Chemistry are richly supplied with preparations and specimens, which will be used as occasion demands.

## HOSPITALS AND CLINICAL INSTRUCTION.

The Medical Faculty have in course of construction, to be finished and occupied in ample time for the ensuing Course of Lectures, a magnificent *Hospital building*, having a frontage of one hundred and fifty-four feet,



with other dimensions in proportion, and commodious enough to accommodate two hundred and fifty patients. This building will adjoin the Medical College, so that both will be, in effect, under the same roof, thus making the wards pleasantly accessible to students at all hours, in good and bad weather alike. In addition to the College Hospital, the hospital wards of the State Prison, numbering eleven hundred inmates, will supply numerous patients. It is thus seen that the material for Clinical Instruction will be unsurpassed by that of any similar institution in the United States.

Professor NICHOL will devote much of his time to Lectures on Clinical Medicine; and Professor MADDIN will, in addition to his regular Course, give one or two Clinical Lectures every week.

No School will be able to present superior advantages in the way of Surgical Clinics. Three, four, and often six Clinics of this character are given every week, and numerous operations performed before the Class by Professors EVE and BRIGGS.\*

### PRACTICAL ANATOMY.

The Anatomical Rooms will be under the direction of the Professor and Demonstrator of Anatomy, with efficient assistants, who will be present every evening to assist the student in his labors. Material is abundant. The rooms will be open from 7 to 10 o'clock each evening. Students will be taught the art of injecting, preparing, and preserving anatomical specimens, both wet and dry; also, the manner of making corroded specimens of the vessels, tubes, and ducts of the various organs. Later in the Session, Classes in Operative Surgery will be formed, and each student will receive practical instruction upon the dead body, in the application of the bandage, in the ligation of the different arteries, and in the performance of amputations, resections, etc.

### GRADUATION.

I. To graduate, the candidate must have attained the age of twenty-one years, be of good moral character, and have been engaged in the study of Medicine for three years with a preceptor, inclusive of attendance upon Lectures.

II. He must have attended two full Courses of Lectures, the last of which must have been in this Institution. If the candidate has attended a full Course of Lectures in some regular Medical School, or can show that he has been in reputable practice for four years, he may, by attendance upon a full Course of Lectures in this Institution, present himself for graduation. It is required, also, that the Dissecting Ticket be taken.

III. The candidate is elected by ballot, and upon receiving *three nega-*

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\*All charity patients will be treated and have operations performed upon them before the Class free of charge.

*tive* votes will be rejected, but will be entitled to another examination by appearing before a full Faculty, after all other applicants have been examined. *No premature examination will be granted, except by consent of the entire Faculty.*

IV. Candidates will not be registered for examination until all fees are paid.

#### FEES.

Matriculation and General Ticket, . . . . .	\$55 00
Dissecting Ticket, . . . . .	10 00
Hospital Ticket, . . . . .	5 00
Graduation Fee, . . . . .	30 00

By referring to the above list of fees, it will be seen that the Matriculation Fee is included with the Professors' Ticket, both of which must be obtained at the same time, unless the student desires to take a *partial Course of Lectures*, in which case a separate Matriculation Ticket will be issued for five dollars. Students, upon their arrival, must call at the Secretary's Office, and, after registering their names, pay for their tickets.

Graduates of regular Schools will be admitted to the Lectures upon the payment of the Matriculation Ticket.

#### TEXT-BOOKS.

Anatomy: Gray. Surgery: Billroth, Paget, Erichsen, Gross. Obstetrics: Hodge, Cazeaux, Leishman. Diseases of Women: Thomas or Barré. Diseases of Children: Meigs and Pepper. Physiology: Kirke, Dalton. Materia Medica: Wood, Stillé, Biddle, Waring. Chemistry: Attfield. Theory and Practice: Watson, Aitken, Niemeyer, Trousseau. Dictionary: Dunglison.

#### COLLEGE BUILDING, HOSPITAL, AND MUSEUM.

The building occupied by the Medical School is a large and airy edifice. This, in connection with the Hospital in course of construction, and already referred to, will form a handsome block of buildings, presenting two fronts, and of imposing appearance. The ample grounds around the block extend across from College to Market, parallel streets. The College Building has a large Hall for Lecturing and general purposes, a spacious Chemical Laboratory and Lecture Room, a well-arranged Amphitheater, a very large and inviting Museum Room, together with Dissecting Rooms, Special Laboratories, Professors' and Apparatus Rooms, Janitors' Rooms, etc. The entire building is supplied with water and gas, and is heated with furnaces, etc., and made comfortable during the limited cold weather we have in this climate.

The Museum is noted for its extent, and for the value and variety of its Anatomical, Pathological, Surgical and Obstetrical specimens, and for its Cabinet of Materia Medica. It has been recently re-arranged, and rendered more complete by new additions. The Chemical portion is well supplied with medicinal substances and preparations, and such other



articles as may be required in the elucidation of the theory and practice of Chemistry and Pharmacy.

### LOCATION.

It would be difficult to find a city combining more advantages as a location for a Medical School than Nashville. Highly favored in climate, midway between the cold of more Northern cities and the debilitating temperature of the extreme South; a great railroad center, to which lines converge from all directions; the principal port of the Cumberland River; having an active population of nearly fifty thousand; surrounded by an exceedingly fertile and beautiful country, thickly peopled; the capital of the State; the location of the Blind and Lunatic Asylums; the seat of great universities; a place noted for its learned and scientific men—all make it a place for a School of Medicine.

### DIRECTIONS TO STUDENTS.

It will be best for students, upon arriving in the city, to take a hack, and, with their baggage, go immediately to the *Medical College*, where they can obtain assistance in securing such boarding-houses as they may desire. Boarding can be obtained at from Four to Five Dollars per week.

For farther information, address

W. T. BRIGGS, M.D., *Dean*, or

JAMES M. SAFFORD, M.D., *Sec. Med. Faculty*.

NOTE.—An arrangement has been made by which students matriculating in the Medical Department of Vanderbilt University use the buildings and Museum of the University of Nashville.

### PRIZES.

At the last Commencement five prizes—Gold Medals, beautifully fashioned and properly inscribed—were awarded to successful competitors. These had been offered as follows:

By Professor T. O. SUMMERS, JR.: To the student found most proficient in Anatomy and Histology.

By Professor THOS. MENEES: To the student best qualified in Obstetric Science.

By Professor W. L. NICHOL: To the student most learned in Gynæcology.

By Professor W. T. BRIGGS: To the student found to possess the most thorough knowledge of the Principles and Practice of Surgery.

By Professor THOS. A. ATCHISON: To the student best qualified in Materia Medica and Therapeutics.

After a most thorough trial, the prizes were bestowed as follows:

In Anatomy: To CHAS. S. BRIGGS, of Nashville, Tenn.

In Obstetrics: To H. B. SULLIVAN, of Waco, Texas.

In Gynæcology: To JAMES E. DODSON, of Texas.

In Surgery: To J. I. TAYLOR, of Jackson, Tenn.

In Materia Medica: To H. A. GANT, of Water Valley, Miss.

Prizes for the next Term will be announced at the opening of the School.



## GRADUATES OF 1875.

The Degree of M.D. was conferred upon *seventy-one* young gentlemen. A majority of these received the honors of both the University of Nashville and Vanderbilt University.

Those taking a Degree from the University of Nashville are as follows :

A. A. Boothe, Tennessee.	W. C. Lowery, Kentucky.
J. Blankinship, Tennessee.	J. W. McAlister, Tennessee.
H. G. Beard, Tennessee.	J. M. McCulley, Tennessee.
A. B. Brown, Kentucky.	H. W. Morgan, Tennessee.
W. V. Bush, Kentucky.	J. M. Moore, Tennessee.
C. S. Briggs, Tennessee.	H. M. Markham, Texas.
E. A. Brown, Kentucky.	F. A. Overall, Tennessee.
S. H. Bundy, Illinois.	D. C. Overton, Missouri.
W. H. Campbell, Texas.	S. M. Payne, Tennessee.
H. T. Campbell, Tennessee.	J. M. Pughe, Tennessee.
G. M. D. Cantrell, jr., Tennessee.	E. J. P'Pool, Tennessee.
W. M. Claypool, Kentucky.	J. L. Phelps, Tennessee.
B. H. Cavitt, Tennessee.	J. G. Rogers, Tennessee.
G. W. Charlton, Tennessee.	H. B. Sullivan, Texas.
J. C. Cassidy, Kentucky.	H. C. Smith, Kentucky.
J. E. Dodson, Texas.	L. D. Scarborough, Alabama.
W. W. Ellis, Missouri.	R. W. Scott, Tennessee.
T. S. Evins, Tennessee.	O. J. Sherman, Mississippi.
R. M. Foster, Tennessee.	F. H. Stump, Tennessee.
G. B. Gillespie, Mississippi.	J. B. Smith, Tennessee.
P. B. Green, Alabama.	J. F. Strother, Kentucky.
J. B. E. Gates, Kentucky.	Joel Smith, Mississippi.
S. H. Gault, Tennessee.	J. I. Taylor, Tennessee.
R. E. Goodlett, Tennessee.	Thomas Toney, Tennessee.
A. L. Glaze, Tennessee.	J. M. Townes, Texas.
W. J. Hatcher, Arkansas.	G. F. Weaks, Kentucky.
J. W. Hunt, Kentucky.	W. M. Wherry, Tennessee.
G. W. Johnson, Tennessee.	A. H. Williams, Tennessee.
R. N. Knox, Tennessee.	S. B. Wright, Tennessee.

The names of the following gentlemen, who took their Degree from the Vanderbilt University only, do not appear in the above list:

S. W. Champ, Tennessee.	B. S. Stone, Tennessee.
R. R. Freeman, Tennessee.	W. A. Smith, Tennessee.
S. F. Maddin, Texas.	W. H. Taylor, Tennessee.
J. T. Moore, Georgia.	L. L. Thomas, Texas.
R. A. Orr, Tennessee.	T. L. Wilburn, Mississippi.
J. A. Siddons, Tennessee.	R. D. Winsett, Tennessee.

## MATRICULATES AND GRADUATES FROM THE BEGINNING.

Date.	Matriculates.	Graduates.	Date.	Matriculates.	Graduates.
1851-52	121	33	1864-65	75	27
1852-53	151	36	1865-66	128	54
1853-54	220	71	1866-67	192	56
1854-55	294	93	1867-68	209	83
1855-56	339	85	1868-69	201	71
1856-57	410	137	1869-70	186	58
1857-58	353	109	1870-71	203	66
1858-59	436	103	1871-72	240	82
1859-60	456	101	1872-73	235	69
1860-61	399	141	1873-74	245	72
1861-62	102	24	1874-75	240	71
1862-63	32	9			
1863-64	45	15	Total,	5,546	1,677
1864	33	11			