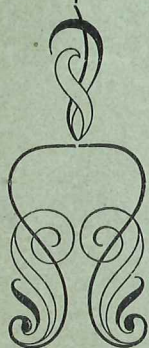


# Central Academy

CO-EDUCATIONAL

Twenty-first Year



Plainfield, Indiana.

CATALOGUE  
OF  
CENTRAL ACADEMY

PLAINFIELD, INDIANA.

1901-1902

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H. W. VROOMAN,  
PRINTER, KOKOMO,

## CALENDAR.

### 1902.

Autumn Term Opens.....	September 23
Y. P. S. C. E. Reception.....	September 26
Senior Public.....	December 19
Autumn Term Closes.....	December 19
Holiday Vacation.	
Winter Term Opens.....	December 30

### 1903.

Declamatory Contest.....	March 5
Oratorical Contest.....	March 6
Winter Term Closes.....	March 20

### SPRING TERM.

Spring Term Opens.....	March 24
Inter-Academic Contest.....	May 2
Field Day.....	May 23
Public Meeting Alumni.....	June 4
COMMENCEMENT.....	June 5
Business Meeting Alumni.....	June 5
Summer Vacation.	

## MANAGEMENT.

Central Academy is under control of the Friends Church. It is managed by trustees appointed by Plainfield, White Lick, Fairfield and Danville Quarterly Meetings. Effort is made that a distinctly religious spirit shall permeate the institution. However, the management is wholly free from any proselyting effort, and students of all denominations and of no denomination are admitted upon equal standing to all the privileges of the school.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

	Term Expires.
C. M. HOBBS, President.....	Bridgeport.....1904
J. N. HADLEY, Treasurer.....	Danville.....1902
ALIDA COPE, Secretary.....	Plainfield.....1903
LEWIS PHILIPS.....	Amo.....1904
GEORGE H. EVANS....	Indianapolis.....1905
ALFRED W. FARMER.....	Mooreville.....1903
MARY PAGE.....	Monrovia.....1902
THURZA A. STARBUCK.....	Bridgeport.....1905
WM. FURNAS.....	Friendswood.....1903
OLMA REEVE.....	Friendswood.....1904
TOWNSEND COPE.....	Danville.....1903
WM. R. BOWMAN.....	Monrovia.....1904



## INSTRUCTORS.

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CURTIS B. NEWSOM, Principal.

*Ph. B. Earlham College.*

Resigned Jan. 1.

B. W. KELLY, PRINCIPAL, SPRING TERM,

*B. S. 1902, Earlham College.*

Science, Pedagogy.

BERTHA CARTER,

*A. B. Earlham College.*

Latin, History.

FLORENCE R. HENLEY,

*Ph. B. Earlham College.*

Mathematics, English.

J. F. COX,

*Ph. B. Earlham College.*

History, Winter Term

### SITUATION OF CENTRAL ACADEMY.

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The Academy has a pleasant location in Plainfield, a town of 1200 inhabitants, on the Vandalia railroad, fourteen miles west of Indianapolis. The Academy building stands on a campus of seven acres, adjoining the Friends Park. The town has the advantage of a Citizens State Bank, two daily mails each way, telegraph, long distance and local telephone, express and a public library. Two book stores keep supplies necessary to furnishing books, stationery, etc.

Plainfield has four vigorous churches with well sustained Sabbath Schools and Y. P. C. E. societies. The town is noted for its many public and private educational facilities; and the beauty and healthfulness of the situation, together with the morality, temperance, industry, and intelligence of the people, make it just the place for parents to make a permanent or temporary home for the education of their children under moral and religious influences.

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**COURSES OF STUDY.**


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**GRAMMAR SCHOOL.**

English Grammar.  
Elements Physiology.

*3d Term*  
Arithmetic.  
Writing.  
Composition.

United States History.  
Spelling.

**LATIN AND ENGLISH COURSES.****FIRST YEAR.**

*1st Term*  
HISTORY, 5.  
ALGEBRA, 5.  
ENGLISH, 3.  
*Latin*, 5.  
*Science*, 5.

*2d Term*  
HISTORY, 5.  
ALGEBRA, 5.  
ENGLISH, 3.  
*Latin*, 5.  
*Science*, 5.

*3d Term*  
HISTORY, 5.  
ALGEBRA, 5.  
ENGLISH, 3.  
*Latin*, 5.  
*Science*, 5.

**SECOND YEAR.**

*1st Term*  
HISTORY, 4.  
ALGEBRA, 5.  
ENGLISH, 4.  
*Latin*, 5.  
*Science*, 5.

*2d Term*  
HISTORY, 4.  
GEOMETRY, 5.  
ENGLISH, 4.  
*Latin*, 5.  
*Science*, 5.

*3d Term*  
HISTORY, 4.  
GEOMETRY, 5.  
ENGLISH, 4.  
*Latin*, 5.  
*Science*, 5.

**THIRD YEAR.**

*1st Term*  
Geometry, 5.  
ENGLISH, 5.  
*Latin*, 5.  
SCIENCE, 7.  
*German*, 5.

*2d Term*  
Trigonometry, 5.  
ENGLISH, 5.  
*Latin*, 5.  
SCIENCE, 7.  
*German*, 5.

*3d Term*  
Bookkeeping, 5.  
ENGLISH, 5.  
*Latin*, 5.  
SCIENCE, 7.  
*German*, 5.

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FOURTH YEAR.

1st Term	2d Term	3d Term
HISTORY, 5.	HISTORY, 5.	HISTORY, 5.
ENGLISH, 5.	ENGLISH, 5.	THESIS.
<i>Latin</i> , 5.	<i>Latin</i> , 5.	<i>Latin</i> , 5.
<i>Civics</i> , 5.	<i>Science</i> , 5.	<i>Business Arithmetic</i> , 5.
	<i>Psychology</i> , 5.	<i>Pedagogy</i> , 5.

Work in SMALL CAPITALS is required. Work in *italics* is elective.

3, 4, 5, 7, hours per week.

Thirty-six term credits required for graduation.

All students are required to take spelling.

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ADMISSION.

To be admitted to the Preparatory Class, students must be acquainted with the outlines of Geography, with elements of English Grammar, and with higher Arithmetic through Denominate Numbers.

Common School Diploma awarded by a County Superintendent is accepted for entrance to the Academic Department.

Candidates for advanced standing will be examined on studies that have been pursued by the class they propose to enter.

Students not wishing to finish the course may select studies for which in the judgement of the Principal, they are prepared, provided that their selections are accommodated by the program of recitations made out for regular students. It is advisable for students to bring certificate of good moral character, and a statement of grades in school last attended.



## GRADUATION.

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Examination in the different studies will be given at the close of each term, and a grade of seventy per cent. for each student and a general average of eighty per cent. will be required for graduation.

Academy Certificates are granted to those students who have satisfactorily completed each course. **CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION** from Grammar School course; **ACADEMY DIPLOMAS** for the English or Latin.

The final record of each student equals the quotient obtained by dividing the sum of the daily recitation and examination grades by two.

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## COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

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Students wishing to prepare for college will do well to consider the advantages offered by the Academy. Arrangements can be made with the leading colleges of the State by which graduates of the Academy are admitted without examination. Earlham College, Wabash College, DePauw, University of Indianapolis, Purdue, State University, and the State Normal School gave such recognition.

In some of these colleges the admission is to advanced standing.

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## COMMON BRANCHES.

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During the spring term opportunity is given to take a hasty review of common school work. In the grammar department the Indiana series of text book is used.

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## HISTORY AND CIVICS.

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The first two terms are devoted to Grecian History which is followed by one term's study of the history of Rome. During the second year four hours per week are given to work in the history of Mediæval and Modern Times. The first two terms of the fourth year are given to English History. The work for the third term is American Politics, or the History of France.

This work is all required for graduation. Thirteen weeks are given to a study of the Civil Government of the United States and Indiana, which is elective. The texts are Myer's Greece, Myer's Rome, Myer's Mediæval and Modern History, Montgomery's England, Montgomery's French History, Johnston's American Politics and Thorpe-Rawles's United States and Indiana.

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## MATHEMATICS.

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Classes as needed are organized in the spring term in Arithmetic and Business Arithmetic. The first four terms in the academic courses are devoted to a study of Algebra, which is followed by two terms in Plane Geometry.

Solid and Spherical Geometry is elective during the fall term of the third year. This year's work is finished with a term in Plane Trigonometry and a term in Book-keeping. College preparatory students are expected to take Solid and Spherical Geometry and Plane Trigonometry. Much attention is given throughout the course to original exercises. Texts: Arithmetic, Indiana Series; Business Arithmetic and Book-keeping, Goodyear; Algebra, Milne; Geometry and Trigonometry, Wentworth.

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## LATIN AND GERMAN.

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During the first year in Latin, attention is given not only to paradigms and the translation of short sentences, but to construction of original sentences illustrating the rules. Every effort is put forth to make the work practical and equip the student with fundamental principles. The first month of the second year is given to the reading of *Viri Romae*, after which three books of Cæsar are read. A great deal of attention is given to Cæsar idioms, context composition and sight reading. Work in prose composition is also done in connection with the reading of Cicero. In Virgil, the student is encouraged to make a comparative study of his author, and the great poets of other languages. The texts are: First year—Collar and Daniel; Cæsar, Harper and Tolman; Virgil, Harper and Miller; Cicero, Kelsey; *Viri Romae*, D'Ooge. Spanhoofd's "*Lehrbuch der Deutschen Sprache*" and Storm's "*Immensee*" constitute the basis of the work in German.

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## SCIENCE.

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The course in science is divided into half year periods, the order of subjects being as nearly as practicable that adopted by the State Science Teacher's Association. In the first half year, Physical Geography is taken. Some drawing is given, especially designed as an aid to proficiency in the note-book work of succeeding Science Study. The second half year is devoted to the study of Botany. Especial attention is given to plant structure and growth, free use being made of experiments and microscopic projections. The flora of the neighborhood is thoroughly studied, each student being required to analyze and mount fifty flowers.



In the second year, Zoology is taken up, with a careful study of typical members of the different branches of the animal kingdom. This is a combination of laboratory and text-book work, the student making careful notes and drawings. The third year is devoted entirely to Physics, two hours per week of laboratory work being required of each student. Observations are recorded by drawings and notes. The laboratory is well supplied with apparatus for illustrating the laws of machines and principles of heat, sound, light and electricity. The work in Chemistry is purely introductory. All students participate in the experiments. The texts are: Zoology, Needham; Physical Geography, Eclectic; Botany, Bergen; Physics, Carhart & Chute; Chemistry, Remsen.

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### ENGLISH.

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#### FIRST YEAR.

Literature—Irving—Six sketches.

Franklin—"Autobiography."

Scott—"Ivanhoe."

Poe—"The Bells," "The Raven," "The Gold Bug."

"Brander Mathews' Introduction to American Literature."

Cooper—"Last of the Mohicans" (outside reading).

Composition—Weekly exercises.

#### SECOND YEAR.

Rhetorical Study, equivalent to one recitation a week—

(1) Choice of words, pp. 1-48.

(2) Phraseology, pp. 48-116.

(3) The Sentence, pp. 171-219.



Literature—"Last of the Mohicans," "Enoch Arden," "Julius Cæsar," "Vicar of Wakefield," "Marmion," "Talisman."

Composition—Weekly exercises and essays.

### THIRD YEAR.

Rhetorical Study, equivalent to one recitation a week—

(1) Special Objects in Style, pp. 116-167.

(2) The Paragraph, pp. 220-237.

(3) The Whole Composition, pp. 238-276.

Literature—Lowell—Twelve poems.

Byron—"Prisoner of Chillon."

Eliot—"Silas Marner."

Burke—"Speech on Conciliation."

Coleridge—"Ancient Mariner."

Shakespeare—"As You Like It," One other play.

Composition—Based upon the studies in Rhetoric and Literature.

### FOURTH YEAR.

The History of the Early and Middle Periods of English Literature.

Chaucer—"Canterbury Tales."

Spencer—"Færie Queen."

Shakespeare—"The Merchant of Venice," together with a Study of the development of the Drama.

The History of English Literature in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

Selections from the writings of such authors as Milton, Bacon, Dryden, Burns and Wordsworth.

Four recitations a week will be given to literature.

Composition—Based upon studies in Argumentation, and Persuasion.

During the Spring Term, the Thesis will be the only requirement in English.

The Studies in Rhetoric are references to Genung's Outlines of Rhetoric.

Newcomer's Composition is made the basis of that line of work.

Stopford Brooke's Literature Primer is the Text used for the historical work, and it is expected that other authors will be consulted in the preparation of the lessons.

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### ELOCUTION AND PUBLIC SPEAKING.

All students have the privilege of training in Elocution. Members of the Senior Class give a Public at the close of the fall term. All essays are required to be read before the class. Original orations or theses are required of those graduating in the Academic courses. For many years annual contests in Oratory and Declamation have been held. Cash prizes of \$7.50 and \$5.00 respectively, are offered by the Principal. The winning speakers are the Academy representatives in the Inter-Academic contest. This year the representatives were Harry Hobbs, in Oratory, who won first place and Helen Carter who received third in Declamation.

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### NORMAL COURSE.

Our motto is thoroughness. Academy students are known for their stability. We do not advertise to give a student a finished education in three months. The Academy has sent out a large and strong army of teachers. Those

who pursue the regular courses, take the review work offered each term, and the thorough work in Psychology and Pedagogy have not only professional zeal, but general culture as well. The text in Psychology is Halleck; in Pedagogy, Hewitt and James.

### MORNING EXERCISES.

The sessions of each day are opened with devotional exercises, consisting of songs, Bible readings, prayers and remarks by the teachers, intended to enforce the spirit of Christianity.

### READING ROOM.

An excellent assortment of current literature may be found on the reading table. A number of new books have been added to the library this year. Papers and magazines on our table this year were: Advocate of Peace, American Friend, Success, Outlook, Literary Digest, American Weekly. Students of the Academy have access to the Public Library afternoons and evenings where an excellent assortment of magazines and current literature may be found.

The students and citizens of Plainfield have had the benefit of the following lectures and entertainments during the year 1901-1902:

1. The Excelsior Entertainers.....Musical.
2. Katharine Eggleston.....Interpretive Recital.
3. H. Spillman Riggs....."Fits and Misfits."
4. Reno B. Welbourn....."Wireless Telegraphy."
5. Professor Germaine.....The Magician.

This course was under the management of the Principal of Central Academy and the Commercial Club.



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**GENERAL ITEMS.**

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Books and stationery can be secured at the book stores at Plainfield.

It is expected that students will spend at least one hour each evening in study at their homes or boarding places.

The **USE OF TOBACCO** in any form on the school premises is forbidden.

Students are held accountable for bad conduct at lectures, literary societies, or entertainments held by the Academy.

A reasonable charge will be made for defacing or injuring school property.

Whenever a student enters school it is taken as a pledge on his part to obey faithfully all the rules and regulations, but only such regulations are adopted as are calculated to promote the best interests of the school.

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**TUITION—PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.**

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<b>FOR GRAMMAR SCHOOL.</b>		<b>FOR OTHER GRADES.</b>	
Fall Term.....	\$9.00	Fall Term.....	\$11.00
Winter Term.....	8.00	Winter Term.....	10.00
Spring Term.....	7.00	Spring Term.....	9.00

For less than one term tuition will be charged by the week, seventy-five cents per week for the common branches, and one dollar per week for all others.

**TUITION FOR ENTIRE TERM MUST BE PAID DURING FIRST WEEK OF TERM.**

Students in Chemistry are required to pay seventy-five cents each for materials and breakage.

No deduction for absence during the first and last



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weeks of a term, nor for other absence unless on account of protracted sickness.

A charge of \$1.25 is made to each member of the graduating class for diploma and expenses of Commencement.

Boarding in private families at \$2.25 to \$2.50 per week; five days each week at corresponding rates. Students may board themselves at one dollar per week, including room rent. The expenses of the full year, including tuition and a good home in a private family, need not exceed \$120.00. For further information, and for circulars and catalogues, address,

PRINCIPAL CENTRAL ACADEMY,  
Plainfield, Indiana.

## STUDENTS.

## CLASS OF 1902.

Ethol Ballard.....	L.....	Plainfield
Iris Cumberworth.....	L.....	Plainfield
Grace Dillon.....	E.....	Plainfield
Harry Hobbs.....	E.....	Bridgeport
Rene Starbuck.....	E.....	Bridgeport
Laura Woodward.....	L.....	Camby
Edna Doan.....	L.....	Hadley
Marcia Furnas.....	L.....	Camby
Clementina Starbuck.....	L.....	Bridgeport
Mamie Breedlove.....	L.....	Plainfield
Angie Henley.....	L.....	Monrovia
Jessie Swindler.....	E.....	Belleville
Bertha Haworth.....	L.....	Bridgeport

## CLASS OF 1903.

Mira Cope.....	L.....	Plainfield
Lillian Creed.....	E.....	Plainfield
Dora Jessup.....	L.....	Friendswood
Della Leitzman.....	L.....	Hazelwood
Emil Mills.....	E.....	Plainfield

Inez Reeve.....	L.....	Friendswood
Wendell Reeve.....	E.....	Friendswood
Chester Little.....	L.....	Plainfield
Dorsey Reagan.....	E.....	Plainfield
Mark Black.....	E.....	Plainfield
Jacob Wilkin.....	E.....	Plainfield
Hallie Smith.....	E.....	Monrovia
Frank Allen.....	E.....	Plainfield

**CLASS OF 1904.**

Inis Blair.....	E.....	Plainfield
Helen Carter.....	L.....	Plainfield
Melville Hawkins.....	L.....	Bridgeport
Laura Hobbs.....	E.....	Plainfield
Chester Little.....	L.....	Plainfield
Gertrude Stout.....	L.....	Plainfield
Chester Kendall.....	E.....	Plainfield
Helen Raidabaugh.....	L.....	Plainfield
Hattie Wilson.....	E.....	Hazelwood
Esther Milhous.....	L.....	Bridgeport

**CLASS OF 1905**

Waldo Kenworthy.....	E.....	Bridgeport
Charles Reagan.....	L.....	Plainfield
Raymond Johnson.....	L.....	Plainfield
Nellie M. Macy.....	L.....	Joppa
Ava Cope.....	L.....	Plainfield
Evelyn Reeve.....	L.....	Friendswood
Charles Strickland.....	L.....	Plainfield
Howard Macy.....	L.....	Joppa
Troy Wilson.....	L.....	Hazelwood
Guy Hadley.....	E.....	Mooreville
Irwin Miles.....	L.....	Belleville
Grace Hollingsworth.....	L.....	Avon

**PREPARATORY AND REVIEW.**

Lee Strong.....	Belleville
Melville Ballard.....	Plainfield
Walter Reagan.....	Bridgeport
Lottie Masten.....	Bridgeport
Gertrude Gilbert.....	Plainfield
Hazel Owens.....	Plainfield
Pansy Newlin.....	Plainfield
Roy Franklin.....	Belleville

## ALUMNI.

### CLASS OF '84.

A. W. Moore (Ph. D.) \*Elmer C. Smith, Perry Stanley, Eva H. P. Matson.

### CLASS OF '85.

Allen D. Hole (B. S. M. A.), W. H. Hiss (M. S.), Nannie Lawrence.

### CLASS OF '86.

Ida Atkinson Wright, R. Elma Carter, Wilson J. Hole, Otis W. Green (A. B.).

### CLASS OF '87.

Alvin George, Edwin C. Green, Henry W. Greist (M. D.), W. J. Hole, Ella J. Lawrence, Cora Phelps Crow, Maggie Riley.

### CLASS OF '88.

John J. Copeland, Charles Furnas, Louis T. Greist (L. L. B.), Chas. E. Hawkins, Lena Henley, W. J. Hole, Lily Mills Hiss (Ph. B.), \*Alva Mills (Ph. B., M. D.), Everett Morgan, Emma Reeve Kellum.

### CLASS OF '89.

Mary Alderson Andrews, Effie Hadley Robbins, \*Nellie Hoffman, Edwin McMillan, Rolena Morgan Hagee, Eva Morris, Eva Reeve Kellum, \*Will Robbins, Harry Sanders.

### CLASS OF '90.

Cora Green Milhous, Luther Hadley, Olin Hadley, \*Olive Hadley, Osie Hadley, Pearl Hadley, Will L. Jessup, Lucile Lampard May, Jessie Manker, Minnie Mills Hadley, Ralph Morgan (M. D.).

### CLASS OF '91.

Fred Allen (B. S.), \*Edgar Ballard, Lillian Chandler (Ph. B.), Lizzie Chamberlain, Dora Green Morgan (A. B.), Lillian Greist, Everett Henley (B. S.), Ella Hanna Cooper, Emma McAdams, Laudovic Milhous, Michael Riley, Alice Tomlinson, Zeno Doan.

### CLASS OF '92.

Albert Copeland (A. B.), Chas. L. Jessup, Chas. Heringlake, Frank Kellum, John Newlin (B. C. E.), Emma McAdams.

### CLASS OF '93.

Chas. Reeve (B. S.), Lydia Guyer, Phebe Henley, Mary Morgan, May Morris, Cora Balch Vestal, Nettie Swindler, \*Joshua M. Doan (M. D.), Ernest Cooper (M. D.), Pearl Mills, W. R. Ballard, Elvin C. Hadley, Ernest Heringlake, Elvin Carter, Horace Hanna.

\*Deceased.



## CLASS OF '94.

Anna L. Guyer, B. Bessie Cumberworth, Maggie Hagee, John A. Newlin (B. C. E.).

## CLASS OF '95.

Eldora A. Carson, Bertha Carter (A. B.), Della Cropper, Everett Cooper (L. L. B.), Wm. R. Guyer, Laurence Hadley (B. S.), Smythie Hadley, Retta H. Hole, Inona Kenworthy (A. B.), Charles D. Marley (B. L.), Paul D. Miller (Ph. B.), Minnie V. Morgan, Ethel Parsons Davis, Myrtle R. Mitchell, Mamie C. Snipes, Wm. F. Evans, Daisy Jackson.

## CLASS OF '96.

V. W. Blair, Dot Bly, Charles L. Bray, Francis A. Bray, Mary E. Cammack, Willis E. Doan, William Hadley, Bernard Henley (B. L.), John S. Hunt, Olive Newlin, Orie E. Palmer Wills.

## CLASS OF '97.

Mary A. Clark, Bessie M. Hadley, Lizzie Hadley, Elsie V. Hadley, Minnie E. Little, Gertrude M. Shaw, Ervin E. Stanley, Flora E. Starbuck, W. O. Trueblood (B. S.), Harlan York, Laurence Hadley (B. S.).

## CLASS OF '98.

Charles W. Atkinson, Lydia Black, Emma Dillon, Walter Guyer, R. Ella Hadley, Florence Hanna, Sibbie Henley, May Merritt, Edith O. Rains, Wilfred S. Renolds, Geneva Vaught, Minnie F. Little, Lizzie Hadley, Gertrude M. Shaw.

## CLASS OF '99.

Edna Atkins, Lottie Breedlove Duffy, Pauline Carson, Alva Edmonson, May Farmer, Warren Griffin, Claude Gladden, Florence Green, Mabel E. Hadley, Manly Hadley, Gertrude Holderman, Carl Hunt, Sherfey Hanna, Oliver Hobbs, Hattie Johnson Black, Esther Jessup Kendall, Arthur L. Jessup, Charles Reagan, Lola Reagan, Ina Reagan, Kitty Vestal, Norma Wright, Orpha Beeler Osborn, Lloyd Reeve.

## CLASS OF '00.

Ernest Atkins, Myrtle Barlow, Esther Guthrie, Geraldine Hadley, Mary Hodgkin, Tarlton Kenworthy, Cophine Mills, Hal Mills, Elwood Parker, Nellie Rogers, Ralph Reagan, Harry Tincher, Worth E. Woodward, Fary Woodward, Horace Ballard.

## CLASS OF '01.

Alex. Allen, Effie Black, Roy Crone, Ethel Hadley, Chas. Hanna, Samuel Little, Nora Owens, Hezzie Pike.