

CATALOGUE

OF THE

MOUNT AIRY MALE ACADEMY

For The

SCHOLASTIC YEAR ENDING JUNE 18, 1875.

Post Office,

MOUNT AIRY, SURRY COUNTY, N. C.

Teachers.

S. S. BURTON, A. B., PRINCIPAL.
W. S. THOMASON, Assistant.

F. FALLENSTEIN, Instructor in German.
CAPT. W. O. T. BANNER, Instructor in Tactics.

R. E. GILMER, President of the Board of Trustees.

Remarks.

LOCATION.—Mt. Airy is a pleasant Village 40 miles from Salem, N. C. The climate is delightful, and altogether, it is one of the healthiest places in the State, claiming all, as to salubrity, that any Western town can boast. By an act of the Legislature no bar-rooms are allowed within two miles of the place, it is therefore free from the temptations so often thrown in the way of young men at schools in towns. The surrounding community is intelligent and moral, while, in the village, the society is as good as any one can ask. The mail passes from Salem to Wytheville, Va., three times a week which, in connection with the shorter mail routes, affords great facilities in that line.

OBJECT.—The object of the school is to furnish a *thorough* preparation to young men who may wish to prosecute their studies at some College, also to give *cheap, practical business*, educations to those who have, of necessity, to complete their studies at such preparatory schools.

MILITARY FEATURE.—Deeming strict discipline, system in all things, of great importance in the education of young men, the school will be put under military discipline as early as practicable. Owing to some misunderstanding the arms granted by the Governor have not yet been received, but will, however, be on hand by the next scholastic year.

We deem this system best for the following reasons:

- 1st. It engenders habits of order and neatness
- 2nd. It better enables the instructors to manage the school.
- 3rd. It necessitates wholesome exercise.
- 4th. When uniforms are used it is cheaper

INSTRUCTION—*Thoroughness* is the motto of the teachers, and each student is required to know the subject of study, well, before he can leave it for another. Education is but a succession of steps and he who would make a learned man of himself must, with patience, labor from one to another in such a manner that he can feel that what is below him is *his*; with this fact in view it is deemed best to carry the student slowly over the course, regarding *quality*, not *quantity*.

DISCIPLINE.—The discipline is mild, yet firm and decided, calculated to teach young men a *proper* subordination to lawful authority.

GRADES, MEDALS & C.—All students standing above 47 during any term are said to have obtained 1ST HONOR, between 45 & 47, 2ND HONOR, 43 & 45, 3RD HONOR. MEDALS offered for declamation and scholarship. All examinations are conducted in writing and are of two classes, monthly and semi-annual. Report of student sent to parent or guardian at end of each term.

SESSIONS and VACATIONS.—The year is divided into two sessions. Fall term beginning about the first of AUGUST, continuing until Christmas. The Spring term in JANUARY, continuing until June. Short vacation in December.

FALL SESSION of '75 opens AUGUST 15th.

TERMS.—Attention is especially called to the *cheapness* of our Institution. Knowing that our country is still suffering from impoverishment from various causes we have decided to keep the terms within the reach of our laboring citizens: and young men who find themselves unable to complete their education would do well to examine the advantages we offer—*practical* education made a speciality, *Book-keeping* taught with care so that young men are fitted for business with but little expenditure.

Parents or guardians are requested not to furnish money extravagantly to students while in school as it engenders habits of extravagance and tends to lead them from their books. No show in dress is required to demand standing among sensible people.

TERMS CASH, payable *strictly* at the end of each month of four weeks.

Primary, - - - - -	\$2 00	German (Extra) \$2 00.	Academic, - - - - -	\$3 00	Contingent fee \$	20.
Intermediate, - - - - -	\$2 50	French, " \$1 00.				

Board in good families \$10 per month, less in the country near the Academy.

Students.

(Names marked †, irregular; * deceased.)					
NAME,	COUNTY,	STATE.			
ALLRED, E. †	Surry,	N. C.	GWYN, HUGH JR.	Surry,	"
ALLRED, J. F.	"	"	HARRISON, R. E.	"	"
ALLRED, W.	Carroll,	Va.	HAYNES, W. G.	"	"
BANNER, CHARLIE	Surry,	N. C.	HOLLINSWORTH, J. B.	"	"
BANNER, H. E.	"	"	HOLLINSWORTH, J. M.	"	"
BANNER, J. E.	"	"	HOLLINSWORTH, E. F.	"	"
BANNER, P. S.	"	"	HOLLINSWORTH, E. M.	"	"
BANNER, W. M.	"	"	JONES, L. P.	"	"
BELTON, GEO.	"	"	LEDFORD, HENRY	"	"
BOLT, WILLIE	"	"	LEDFORD, JOHN	"	"
BROWN, F.	Davie,	"	LEDFORD, JULIUS	"	"
BUNKER, A. L.	Surry,	"	LOWRY, F.	"	"
CALVERT, A. B.	Spartanburg,	S. C.	MARTIN, R. S.	Stokes,	"
CARDWELL, F. H.	Rockingham,	N. C.	MINISH, J.	Surry,	"
CRED, E.	Surry,	"	MINISH, M.	"	"
CRITZ, ROBERT	"	"	MITCHEL, G. M.	"	"
DAVIS, W. F.	"	"	MOORE, M. D.	"	"
DODD, J. D.	Stokes,	"	POORE, FLOYD	"	"
GALLAWAY, CHARLIE †	Surry,	"	POORE, ROMEO	"	"
GALLAWAY, DICKIE	"	"	REYNOLDS, J. F.	Rockingham,	"
GALLAWAY, R. W. *	"	"	REYNOLDS, T. E.	"	"
GILMER, BOBBIE	"	"	ROBERTS, J.	Surry,	"
GILMER, E. C.	"	"	ROBERTS, R.	"	"
GILMER, R. D.	"	"	SHELTON, G. W.	"	"
GILMER, S. L.	"	"	SHEPHERD, J. R.	"	"
GILMER, W. F.	"	"	SIMMONS, W. A.	Stokes	"
GRAVES, B. F.	"	"	SPARGER, B. F.	Surry,	"
GRAVES, S. P.	"	"	SPARGER, G. W.	"	"
GRIFFITH, J. D.	"	"	SPARGER, J.	"	"
GRIFFITH, M.	"	"	STUART, V.	"	"
			TAYLOR, W.	"	"
			Total		61

Roll of Honor.

All those students who have stood above 47 or the First Honor grade are entitled to a place on this roll. The following attained First Honor during first session of the year:

A. L. BUNKER,	Mount Airy,	N. C.	J. F. REYNOLDS,	Leaksville,	N. C.
T. E. REYNOLDS,	Leaksville,	N. C.	B. F. GRAVES,	Mount Airy,	N. C.

Prizes for Spelling.

MESSRS. A. L. BUNKER, AND B. F. GRAVES.

☞ Positively no deduction made for absence except in cases of protracted illness. Students charged from time of entrance to end of session unless arrangements to the contrary had been made previous to entrance.

For further information address

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