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OMAHA, NEB.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

Letters of inquiry in connection with patients desiring to appear for clinical treatment should be addressed as follows:

Surgical Cases—DR. JOSEPH NEVILLE, Omaha, Neb.

Medical Cases—DR. L. F. McKENNA, Omaha, Neb.

Surgical Diseases of Women—DR. G. H. PEEBLES, Burr Block, Lincoln, Neb.

Eye, Ear and Throat—DR. J. C. DENISE, Omaha, Neb.

Inquiries relating to the College, to the Secretary of the
 Faculty,
 P. S. LEISENRING, M. D.,
 Sixteenth St. and Capitol Ave.,
 Omaha, Neb.

Students upon arriving should leave their baggage at the depot until they procure rooms, thus saving the expense of transfers. Good board and lodgings can be obtained at from \$3.50 to \$5.00 per week. By clubbing, the expense of living can be greatly diminished.

FACULTY.

J. C. DENISE, M. D., Dean. ✓
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- 1888
- DONALD MACRAE, M. D. ✓
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- P. S. LEISENRING, M. D. ✓
Professor of Obstetrics,
706 SOUTH EIGHTEENTH ST.
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209 SOUTH FIFTEENTH ST.,
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Professor of Anatomy,
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Professor of Physiology,
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Professor of Chemistry.
- L. F. MCKENNA, M. D. ✓
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- JOSEPH NEVILLE, M. D. ✓
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1402 DOUGLAS ST.
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Professor of Railroad and Clinical Surgery,
120 SOUTH FOURTEENTH ST.
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Professor of Ophthalmology, Otology and Laryngology,
320 SOUTH FIFTEENTH ST.
- G. H. PEEBLES, M. D. ✓
Professor of Gynecology.
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Professor of Diseases of Children,
1505 FARNAM ST.
- W. F. MILROY, M. D. ✓
Professor of Histology, Pathology and Hygiene,
115 SOUTH TWENTIETH ST.
- O. P. SEWARD, LL. B. ✓
Professor of Medical Jurisprudence,
1505 FARNAM ST.
- FREDERIC S. THOMAS, M. D. ✓
Adjunct to the Professor of Theory and Practice of Medicine.
COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.
- M. A. REBERT, M. D. ✓
Demonstrator of Anatomy.
GRANITE BLOCK.

INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT.

The session begins Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1888, and will close March 27, 1889, allowing a short vacation at the holidays.

Candidates for admission must present to the faculty satisfactory evidence of a good moral character, and must be at least eighteen years of age, and unless holding a certificate or diploma from a literary institution, must pass an examination showing a fair English education.

The trustees and faculty have concluded for the present not to admit lady students as matriculants, but advise all female applicants to attend a regular female medical college.

In addition to our former facilities we are happy to announce that Dr. WM. J. GALBRAITH, Division Surgeon of the U. P. Railroad, has accepted the chair of Railroad and Clinical Surgery in the College. From his large service, Prof. GALBRAITH will be able to illustrate the particular line of surgery incident to railroad practice, as well as a great number of cases of more general interest. Attention is also directed to pages ten and eleven, where newly acquired hospital advantages are set forth.

There are undoubted advantages to a man proposing to practice medicine in the West in securing his medical education in a Western college. Such being the case, we invite attention to our peculiar

ADVANTAGES OF LOCATION.

Omaha has now a population of not less than 120,000, and her new hospitals leave nothing to be desired as to quantity and variety of clinical material at hand. Being a railroad centre, having a desirable healthy climate, possessing all the educational, social, religious and commercial advantages of older Eastern cities, it offers strong inducements for students, particularly from the West, to obtain their medical education here.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF SURGERY.

The course on Principles and Practice of Surgery will consist of about sixty lectures. No pains will be spared to render the instruction and training of matriculants thorough and practical. Advanced students will be taught the use of instruments and appliances, and all material, splints, dressings, etc., furnished free of cost. After demonstration of the principal operations of surgery on the cadaver before the class, each advanced student will be *required* to perform them himself.

THEORY AND PRACTICE OF MEDICINE.

Professor DONALD MACRAE will aim to make his lectures interesting and practical. He will be assisted by Dr. FREDERIC S. THOMAS, who will deliver one lecture a week on General and Constitutional Diseases. Many of the subjects treated of in the didactic course will find illustrations in the wards of the hospital by the Professor of Clinical Medicine.

ANATOMY.

A course of General, Descriptive and Surgical Anatomy will be given by Prof. EWING BROWN, consisting of three didactic lectures during the week, and in addition one hour of each week will be used for a general review and examination of the past lectures.

It will be the object of this chair to make its teachings as thorough and practical as possible; for this purpose the lectures will be thoroughly demonstrated upon the cadaver, illustrated by anatomical preparations of the museum, plates and charts, and daily instruction given in dissection.

CLINICAL SURGERY.

Professors NEVILLE and GALBRAITH will each hold a clinic twice a week in St. Joseph's Hospital, including General,

Railroad and Orthopædic Surgery. Advanced students will be permitted to examine cases, assist in operations and apply dressings. Review quizzes will be held on regular and convenient occasions.

CLINICAL MEDICINE.

Professor L. F. McKENNA gives two clinical lectures a week in St. Joseph Hospital. Instructions on practical diagnosis are given special attention.

Advanced students are formed into a class for diagnosis which is divided into sections of three students each. A patient is assigned to each section. Ample time and facilities are allowed for the examination of the case. A written report of the diagnosis and treatment is made by each member of the section in the presence of the class, and the members are severally questioned concerning points that are suggested in connection with the case.

First course students are formed into a clinical class, which is divided into sections of five members each. Cases are examined under the immediate direction of the professor.

No time or labor is spared to familiarize the student with the most practical methods of arriving at a correct diagnosis.

OBSTETRICS.

In this department there are delivered three lectures weekly, and these are illustrated in such a manner as to thoroughly prepare students to become successful obstetricians. Advanced students will have cases of midwifery assigned them.

PHYSIOLOGY.

The instruction in this department is given in didactic lectures. The teaching embraces the essential phenomena of digestion, absorption, circulation, respiration, excretion, the nervous system and the reproductive apparatus. The

truths taught are impressed by the use of the microscope, diagrams and vivisections.

MATERIA MEDICA AND THERAPEUTICS.

The lectures, three a week, are illustrated by a selected cabinet of drugs and preparations; special attention is also given to the late advances made in the department of therapeutics.

HISTOLOGY AND GENERAL PATHOLOGY.

Recent developments in these sciences have made a thorough knowledge of them necessary to the physician of the present day. Instruction is given, aided by the microscope, in reference to the present views on Bacteriology, etc., and students are prepared for subsequent original microscopic investigation.

THE EYE, EAR AND THROAT.

Didactic lectures and clinical instruction in this special department are given by Prof. DENISE. The clinics are abundantly supplied with material, and many operations are performed; advanced students are assigned cases for diagnosis and treatment.

GYNÆCOLOGY.

Two didactic lectures on this important branch are given by Prof. Peebles each week.

These lectures will be illustrated by colored charts, models and manikin, and by drawing and demonstration whenever the subject will admit of it. Also the lectures will from time to time be further illustrated by appropriate clinics in the college building or at St. Joseph Hospital.

PRACTICAL ANATOMY.

The facility for obtaining subjects for dissection under the statute enacted by the Legislature of Nebraska, places at the disposal of the College the necessary amount of material. The anatomical room will be open from November 1st to the close of the session; and at stated hours the

Demonstrator will direct the prosecution of the work in this department. Demonstrator's ticket must be obtained from the Secretary of the board of trustees prior to the commencement of the dissection.

CHEMISTRY.

Chemistry will be taught: 1st. By means of Didactic Lectures, fully illustrated with experiments, diagrams, specimens, etc., which shall have special reference to that part of the subject more particularly belonging to the domain of medicine; and, second, by a thorough training in the laboratory.

PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY.

The chemical laboratory is under the personal supervision of the Professor of Chemistry. It was last year enlarged and entirely rebuilt, and is now capable of accommodating thirty students at one time. It is thoroughly lighted and ventilated and is completely appointed, being supplied with working benches, all the necessary chemicals and apparatus for experiments, gas and water-fittings, furnaces, etc. It will be open several hours each week during the full session, when special attention will be paid to the detection of poisons in organic mixtures, of adulterations in foods, drinks, and drugs and urinalysis.

This course is compulsory on every student ere he presents himself for final examination.

DISEASES OF CHILDREN.

A thorough course of lectures is given on diseases incident to childhood, and the treatment of the same.

HYGIENE.

The sanitary aspect of food, water supply, ventilation, drainage, disinfection, disposal of the dead, etc., will be thoroughly discussed.

EXAMINATIONS.

The members of the faculty devote a portion of each day to examinations on the subject of past lectures; special quizzes will also be held during the day on the different subjects taught.

CLINICAL TEACHING.

ST. JOSEPH HOSPITAL.

This, the oldest and largest hospital in the city, is under the management of the Sisters of St. Francis. Here are accommodated all the cases of accident occurring under the management of the Union Pacific Railroad Company and the sick under the care of the city; which, with a great variety of surgical and medical cases constantly applying, tax its utmost capacity. The visiting staff of physicians and surgeons of this hospital are members of the faculty of the Omaha Medical College. Students are thus privileged to reap large benefit from clinical instruction in all classes of medical and surgical cases.

DOUGLAS COUNTY HOSPITAL.

By a recent vote of the electors of Douglas County, in which Omaha is situated, a fund was provided for the construction of a county hospital. The plans selected by the commissioners are upon the pavilion system and are arranged according to the latest and most approved ideas of hospital construction. That portion of the edifice which is to be completed at present will cost upwards of \$160,000, and will accommodate 300 patients. This includes a maternity pavilion and a department for the insane. The plans provide for indefinite extension of the building, but it is intended to have that portion above referred to ready for occupation in the early autumn.

When completed, some members of the faculty will be members of the hospital staff and will thus be able to offer

students of the college largely increased facilities for clinical instruction and experience.

ST. BERNARD'S HOSPITAL.

[COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.]

This is a new and elegant hospital which is capable of accommodating a large number of patients and is constantly filled to its utmost capacity. It is surrounded by three acres of ground in one of the most beautiful locations about the beautiful city of Council Bluffs. The new wagon and electric railroad bridge which is about to be opened uniting the two cities renders it easily accessible. Prof. Macrae is a member of the medical staff, and through the kindness of the authorities in charge of this hospital it has been placed at the disposal of the Omaha Medical College for use in clinical instruction.

THE OMAHA MEDICAL COLLEGE DISPENSARY.

The college dispensary is open daily except Sundays at the college building for the free treatment of the indigent sick. By this means a large number of cases are obtained for clinical purposes. These cases include every variety of medical and surgical disease, and are precisely such as form the great majority of those met with by the general practitioner in his daily rounds.

Arrangements for utilizing the clinical material in the above institutions will be perfected later.

HOSPITAL INTERNES.

Arrangements are being made and are already so far advanced as to leave little room for doubt that the faculty of this college will be able to confer two or more very advantageous hospital positions upon meritorious graduates of this college in 1889 and thereafter.

TEXT BOOKS.

The following Text Books are among the best now in use :

- Anatomy**—Gray, Wilson, Quain, and Allen's Atlas.
Physiology—Flint, Dalton or Yeo.
Chemistry—Attfield and Witthaus.
Materia Medica—Bartholow, H. C. Wood, Jr.
Surgery—Gross, Erichson, Ashurst, Wyeth or Bryant.
Obstetrics—Playfair, Leishman, Lusk and Galabin's.
Diseases of Women—Thomas, Emmet or Barnes.
Diseases of Children—J. Lewis Smith, Meigs and Pepper.
Practice of Medicine—Davis, Bartholow, Pepper, Loomis, and Da Costa's
 Physical Diagnosis.
Histology—Quain, Frey or Miller.
Pathology—Delafield & Prudden, Quain's Dictionary of Medicine, Cornil
 and Ranvier.
Ophthalmology—Soelberg, Wells or Stellwag.
Otology—Turnbull, Roosa or Toynbee.
Laryngology—Cohen.
Hygiene—Parke, Wilson or Rohe.
Dictionary—Dunglison.

TICKETS.

Tickets for the course will be issued by each professor at the beginning of the session on presentation of the Secretary's receipt for the payment of fees.

Certificates of attendance will be given by each professor at the end of each session.

Certificates of dissection will be issued by the Demonstrator.

While, in cases of sickness or other emergency, the faculty will act with all the leniency that a conscientious regard for the discharge of duty will allow, they wish it understood that their tickets are evidence of *bona fide* attendance upon the course of instruction, and therefore

students are expected to remain until the close of the term. If they leave before the close, or absent themselves during the session, without consent of the faculty, their names will be entered upon the record as not having completed the course.

FEES.*

Matriculation Fee, (paid but once).....	\$ 5 00
For Lecture Term.....	45 00
Dissection Ticket, (material furnished at cost).....	5 00
Examination Fee for Graduation, (payable once only and not returnable).....	25 00
Hospital Ticket.....	5 00

PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY. — Students taking Practical Chemistry will be required to deposit with the Treasurer \$5.00 to cover the use of chemicals and breakage. The expenses of this course will vary with the prudence and economy of the student.

The matriculation fee and fee for lecture term must be paid when session opens. The dissecting fee must be paid at the time students begin their practical work in the anatomical room.

Students who intend to present themselves for graduation, must deposit the examination fee with the Treasurer on or before the first day of February.

A resolution of the Board of Trustees provides that a graduate of any respectable and recognized medical college, who may desire to attend this college, be permitted such attendance on the payment of the matriculation fee only.

* No portion of the fees can be refunded to students who leave the college during the session, except by special order of the Board of Trustees.

GRADUATION.

The following are the requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Medicine:

1. The candidate must be twenty-one years of age, and must give satisfactory evidence of possessing a good moral character, with such primary education as is clearly requisite for a proper standing with the public and profession.

2. He must have pursued the study of medicine three years (lecture term included), and have attended at least two full courses of lectures, of which the last must be in this institution.

3. He must have attended clinical instruction during the entire term of attendance in this College.

4. He must have pursued the study of Practical Anatomy, in the Anatomical room, to the extent of having dissected all regions of the body, and must have completed the course in Practical Chemistry.

5. He must have been in close attendance at all lectures delivered during the session. The degree will not be conferred on any candidate who is often absent from the regular lectures of the College, or who is absent from the public commencement, without special permission of the Faculty.

6. He must notify the Secretary of the Faculty of his intention to become a candidate, and deposit the graduating fee, certificates of moral character and time of study, on or before the first day of February.

7. Every candidate must undergo a full and satisfactory written and oral examination on each branch taught.

MATRICULANTS 1887-8.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Preceptor.</i>
Atkinson, Ira E.	Omaha.	D. C. Bryant, M. D.
Brennan, T. F., B. A.	Omaha.	R. C. Moore, M. D.
Burbank, T. L.		Faculty.
Burgess, T. D.	Plattsmouth, Neb.	R. R. Livingston, M. D.
Coffin, C. E.	Ord, Neb.	Fred Haldeman, M. D.
Crawford, Andrew.	Omaha.	W. S. Gibbs, M. D.
Cummins, E. D.	Plattsmouth, Neb.	R. R. Livingston, M. D.
Devries, J. S.	Omaha.	D. C. Bryant, M. D.
Fort, H. L.	Stuart, Neb.	Faculty.
Graham, F. A.	North Bend, Neb.	A. B. Anderson, M. D.
Hadley, S. J.	Arlington, Neb.	Faculty.
Hakanson, Alfred.	Edgar, Neb.	Faculty.
Haynes, A. P.	Omaha.	Faculty.
Johnson, Andrew.	Osceola, Neb.	Faculty.
Livingston, R. R., Jr.	Plattsmouth, Neb.	R. R. Livingston.
Macrae, Donald, Jr.	Council Bluffs, Iowa.	Donald Macrae.
Mason, W. T.	Oakville, Canada.	Faculty.
Miller, J. N.	David City, Neb.	P. S. Leisenring.
Moore, G. W.		Faculty.
Noon, J. E.	Omaha.	Faculty.
Pitton, W. A.	Knoxville, Tenn.	Michael Campbell, M. D.
Robertson, Robert.	Lodge Pole, Neb.	E. L. Yarletz, M. D.
Taggart, E. J.	Omaha.	E. N. Den, M. D.
Van Wyck, D. B.	Furmis, Kansas.	Jas. Norrish, M. D.

GRADUATES.

CLASS OF 1888.

Atkinson, Ira Elwin Jasper.	
Burgess, Frank Dooley.	Plattsmouth, Neb.
Crawford, Andrew.	Omaha.
Devries, Joshua Shipley.	Omaha.
Fort, Homer Frank.	Stuart, Neb.
Hadley, Sherman J.	Arlington, Neb.
Livingston, Robert Ramsay, Jr.	Plattsmouth, Neb.
Miller, Joseph Henry.	Rising City, Neb.
Noon, Joseph Edward.	Omaha.
Taggart, Edward Jackson.	Omaha.

ALUMNI.

Arbuckle, Georgia A.	Omaha, Nebraska,	Class of 1883
Atkinson, Ira E.		" 1887
Blickensderfer, Joseph	Pocatello, Idaho,	" 1887
Brothers, Howard De W.	Malvern, Iowa,	" 1883
Burgess, F. D.	U. S. A.	" 1888
Crawford, Andrew,	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1888
Dalby, William T.	St. Johns, Arizona,	" 1885
Deidrich, Edward,	Portland, Oregon,	" 1882
Devries, Joshua S.	Fremont, Nebraska,	" 1888
Dittebrandt, Charles B.	Nebraska City, Nebraska,	" 1887
Ellis, George V.	Calliope, Iowa,	" 1882
Fort, H. F.	Stuart, Nebraska,	" 1888
Frazier, J. W.	Honey Creek, Iowa,	" 1887
Frese, Louise	Portland, Oregon,	" 1887
Gibbs, D. C.	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1887
Hadley, James E.	Kennard, Nebraska,	" 1882
Hadley, S. J.	Arlington, Nebraska,	" 1888
Haldeman, Fred D.	Ord, Nebraska,	" 1882
Hemsted, Werner	Brainard, Minnesota,	" 1882
Hinz, Alois, F.	Ashland, Nebraska,	" 1886
Huff, Alice E.	Ashland, Nebraska,	" 1884
Hull, George M.	Kearney, Nebraska,	" 1885
Jackson, Andrew N.	Council Bluffs, Iowa,	" 1885
Keller, Alvin H.	Sutton, Nebraska,	" 1883
Knowles, S. H., U. S. A.	Ft. Russell, Wyoming,	" 1885
Leisenring, Henry S.	Wayne, Nebraska,	" 1883
Livingston, Theo. P.,	Plattsmouth, Nebraska,	" 1885
Livingston, R. R., Jr.	Plattsmouth, Nebraska,	" 1888
Lloyd, George F.	Hastings, Nebraska,	" 1883
Markley, Lemon R.	Alma, Nebraska,	" 1883
Miller, J. H.	David City, Nebraska,	" 1888
Montieth, Robert	Texas,	" 1882
McGavren, H. S.	Missouri Valley, Iowa,	" 1887
Noon, J. E.,	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1888
Norris, Urban H.	Greenwood, Nebraska,	" 1882
Norrish, James	Firmis, Kansas,	" 1886
Norwood, P. E.	Homer, Nebraska,	" 1887
Painter, Samuel G.	Dorchester, Nebraska,	" 1886
Ricketts, Mathew O.	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1884
Roe, John W.	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1884
Search, James W.	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1882
Shaw, James S.	Indianola, Nebraska,	" 1883
Smith, William H.	Buchanan, Nebraska,	" 1886
Taggart, E. J.	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1888
Webb, Charles F.	New Tacoma, W. T.,	" 1883
Webb, Walter Q.	Denver, Colorado,	" 1885
Weise, Heinrich G.	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1886
Williams, Josephus	Kenesaw, Nebraska,	" 1883
Wirth, Edward	Omaha, Nebraska,	" 1885
Waterman, E. L.	Fairfield, Nebraska,	" 1885
Youngman, Stacy C.	Fairfield, Nebraska,	" 1884