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# ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

OF

## WILKINSON COLLEGE.

CARLISLE, JULY 9, 1857.

### Graduating Class.

CORNELIUS FLETCHER BARNES,

GUSTAVUS CLAGGETT BIRD,

WILLIAM WALLACE BRIM,

DANIEL STAMM BURNS,

THOMAS NELSON CONRAD,

GEORGE WASHINGTON DENNY DAVIS,

CYRUS IRVING DITTY,

WILLIAM HENRY EFFINGER,

FRANK SMITH FINDLAY,

VALENTINE FRIESE,

EDWIN LYCURGUS GRIFFITH,

JOHN HAYS,

OWEN JOHNSON,

SAMUEL JEREMIAH JONES,

GEORGE BARTON KEEN,

WILLIAM FLETCHER PERRIE,

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PURSEL,

JOSEPH CULBERTSON SNIVELY,

ANDREW JACKSON WILCOX.

HERALD, PRINTER.



# Order of Exercises.

## Music.

U. S. GARRISON BAND.

## PRAYER.

### Music.

1. SALUTATORY ADDRESSES, (in Latin.)  
D. S. BURNS, Lancaster Co.,
2. ORATION—(Second Class)—*Antipathy to Tyranny.*  
JOHN HAYS, Carlisle.
3. ESSAY—*The Student's Dream.*  
E. L. GRIFFITH, Calvert Co., Md.
4. ORATION—(First Class)—*Fame, a Legitimate Object of Pursuit.*  
G. W. D. DAVIS, Woodstock, Md.
5. ESSAY—\* *Nature's Nobility.*  
C. F. BARNES, Baltimore, Md.
6. ORATION—(First Class)—*The Domain of Thought.*  
V. FRIESE, Cumberland Co.
7. ORATION—(Third Class)—*America.*  
ANDREW J. WILCOX, Baltimore, Md.
8. ORATION—(Second Class)—*Veneration for Antiquity.*  
THOMAS N. CONRAD, Martinsburg, Va.
9. ORATION—(Third Class)\*  
GEORGE B. KEEN, Perrymansville, Md.
10. ORATION—(Second Class)—\* *America—my Country.*  
W. F. PERRIE, Prince George Co., Md.



11. ORATION—(First Class)—*Henry Clay.*

S. J. JONES, Bainbridge.

12. ORATION—(Second Class)—*Onward.*

C. I. DITTY, West River, Md.

—Music—

13. ORATION—(First Class)—*Mutual Dependence and Influence.*

G. C. BIRD, West River, Md.

14. ORATION—(First Class)—\* *Heroism of the Nineteenth Century.*

J. C. SNIVELY, New Albany, Ia.

15. CLASSICAL ORATION.\*

W. W. BRIM, Seneca Falls, N. Y.

16. ORATION—(Third Class)—*Spanish Cruelty.*

F. S. FINDLAY, Abingdon, Va.

17. PHILOSOPHICAL ORATION—*The Eloquence of Ruins.*

W. H. EFFINGER, Harrisonburg, Va.

—Music—

18. MASTER'S ORATION—*History vs. Panegyric.*

JAMES F. RUSLING, Williamsport.

19. MASTER'S ORATION—*Times and Tides of Eloquence.*

BENJAMIN ARBOGAST, Pocahontas, Va.,

—Music—

## DEGREES CONFERRED.

—Music—

20. VALEDICTORY ADDRESSES.

B. F. PURSEL, Jersey Shore.

—Music—

BENEDICTION.

\*Excused.