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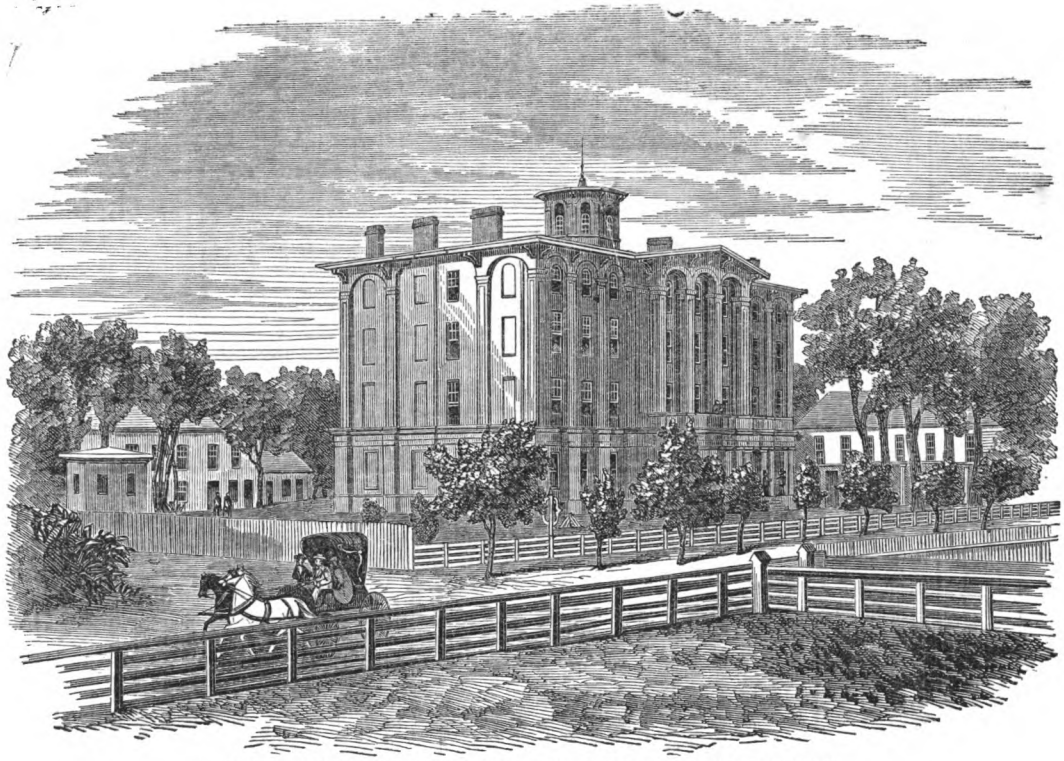

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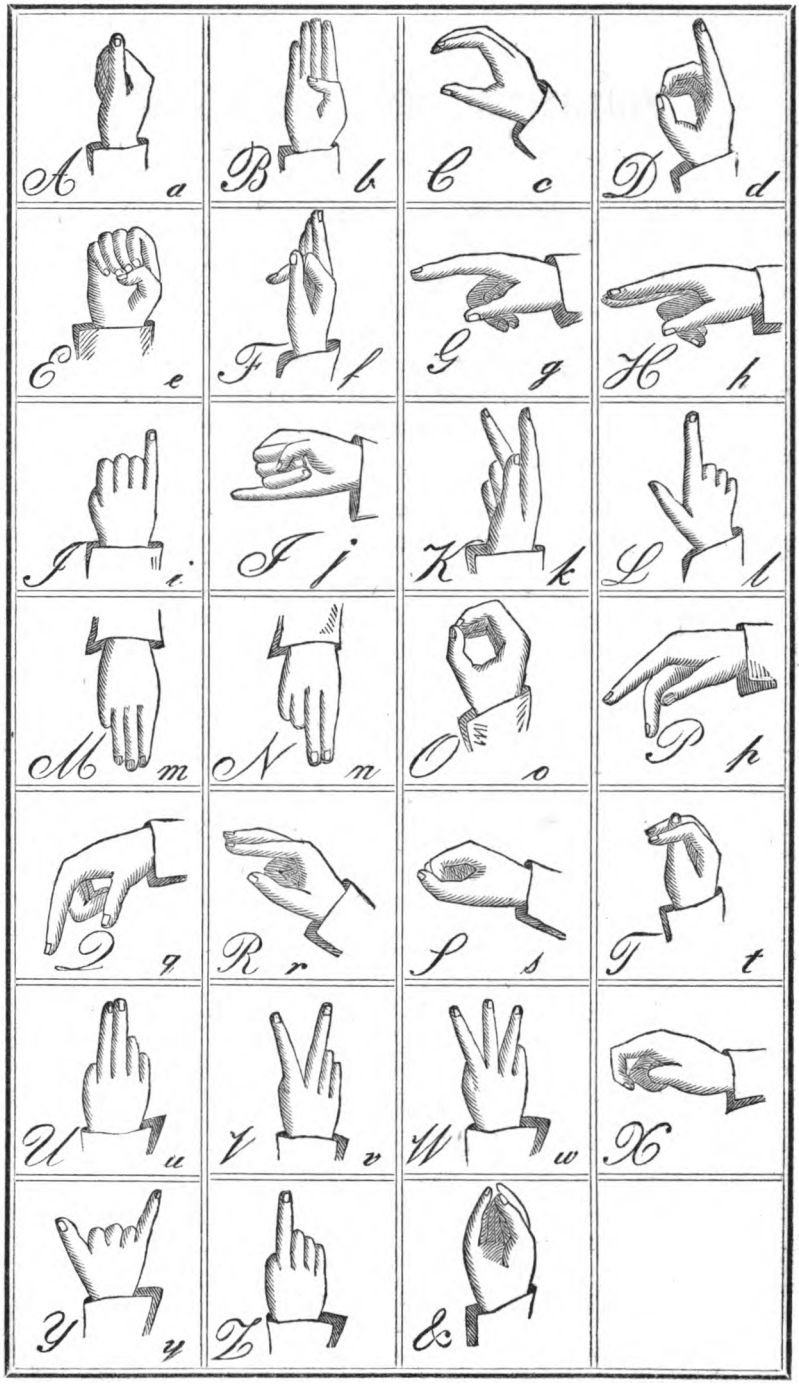

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REPORT.

To the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

The Trustees of the Institution for the Education of Deaf Mutes would respectfully present this, their fifth biennial and thirty-eighth annual report, together with the accompanying papers, which, as they are necessary for the completion of the report, are made a part of the same.

The time covered by this report is from December 1, 1859, to August 1, 1861, being four months less than two years. This is occasioned by the fact that the Legislature meets several months earlier than usual the present year. Still, the report embraces, substantially, the history and condition of the Institution for the period of two years.

The Trustees are glad to be able to say, in general, that the Institution committed to our care is in a good condition. The officers, instructors, and employees have remained, with unimportant changes, the same as they were at our last report. The average number of pupils in attendance during the past two years has been greater than ever before. We deeply regret, however, to anticipate at the next session, commencing October 1, a large diminution in consequence of the disturbed state of the country. We deeply grieve also to say that, as a further consequence, we may lose one or two of our best and most experienced instructors, who at present have under consideration a change in profession and location. This will be a great misfortune, as well qualified teachers cannot be easily obtained when we may want them again, when peace, as we trust, shall be restored to our beloved country. It is not among the least of the unhappy effects of this unnatural and fratricidal strife that it should threaten to obstruct, if not to break down, the operations of an establishment like ours. But the probable large decrease in our numbers will proportionally decrease our expenditure, and the requisition on the treasury of the State for its support, at this period of private and public financial distress. Our finances will also be diminished by the amount we have usually collected from the parents of the pupils, who, under present circumstances, will not probably be able to pay their usual contribution. In consequence, as the support and tuition of a smaller number of pupils necessarily costs more, in proportion, than of a large number, it will be with some difficulty that we shall be able, under these unfavorable circumstances, to sustain the Institution. The health of the pupils has been generally good; yet once or twice we have been made to experience more than a usual amount of sickness. The typhoid fever, at one time, and that new and dreaded disease known as the diphtheria, at another, appeared among them. But through the kind ordering of Providence, and by the skillful and assiduous attention of the physicians and nurses who had charge of the sick,

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we have been called to deplore the loss of but one pupil during the past two sessions.

The pupil whose death we have to record, was Andrew J. Rose, from Marshall county, Ky. He entered in September last. Some time in the month of March he was taken with a severe attack of pneumonia, from which, however, he had almost recovered, when some imprudent exposure brought on a relapse which proved fatal. He died on the 4th of April, 1861. He had a feeble constitution, and his mother died of consumption since he was brought to the Institution. The general health of the pupils, and the few cases of mortality which our whole history furnishes, are the best assurance to parents that they run no risk in placing their children under our care; but, on the contrary, the fact is established beyond question from our statistics that as many of our pupils die at home during the brief period of two months' vacation as during the ten months' session of school.

The systems of education and discipline which prevail in our Institution are complete and admirable in all respects. The system of instruction—originally derived from the American Asylum, at Hartford, Connecticut—is the happy result of the skill and experience of the Principal during the course of thirty-six years, together with the harmonious and active co-operation of the instructors who are associated with him. There is nothing pretentious about it; neither does it promise or undertake to accomplish great results. On the contrary, it is a modest and humble scheme of education, the chief excellence of which consists in the wise and judicious adaptation of its parts to the necessities and disabilities of the unfortunate class for whom it has been projected. It accepts as a fundamental position that the mute, though possessed of the same nature, intellectual, moral, and physical, as speaking persons, yet develops the intellect under different and peculiar conditions. The speaking and the mute child originally think alike. But the child who hears and learns spoken language has his mode and habits of thought gradually and imperceptibly changed by the power and forms of that language. Human speech, which is the result of original divine endowment, modified and refined by the best efforts and skill of man through many generations, is the most powerful of all educators. The ordinary child is trained and moulded from the start by this controlling influence and in accordance with this high standard—an influence and a standard, it will be observed, which are wholly outside of itself. The mute child, on the contrary, is wholly educated and developed from within. His ignorant and irregular thoughts in seeking development can only find expression in rude natural signs, which are but a weak echo of his own incorrect and untrained ideas. These natural signs take the place with him of spoken language; but, instead of reacting upon the mind as a powerful trainer and educator of its powers and modes of thought, they only serve to set and harden the crude and bad intellectual habits into which the mind left to itself has naturally fallen.

When such a child is brought to school. and begins to get acquainted with spoken or written language, it naturally inclines to use words in its own order of thought, and according to the forms and idioms of its

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natural sign language. This tendency must be counteracted. This, we conceive, can be most effectually done by discontinuing, as far as possible, the use of natural signs, and by teaching the proper use of language simply through illustrative examples and lessons, resorting to the natural sign language of the mutes only for the purpose of communicating ideas and enlarging their knowledge. In accordance with these ideas, the principal of this Institution has prepared and published a course of primary instruction for deaf mutes in two parts. These volumes are now in use in our own Institution, where our teachers and pupils unite in highly appreciating them. They have also met with high commendation, both public and private, from those well qualified to judge, and been adopted into use by nearly one half of the institutions of the country.

The discipline which prevails is worthy of special notice. It is eminently kind, parental, and just. Its power and character are mainly determined by the moral and religious element, which is the chief influence relied upon in the whole management of our pupils. It may be doubted whether an equal number of speaking youth can anywhere be found who are so willingly, pleasantly, and harmoniously associated together as the pupils who are gathered within our walls.

At the last regular session of the Legislature an appropriation of ten thousand dollars was granted to us for the purpose of making some necessary improvements and repairs. About one half of this appropriation has been expended. The whole of it would probably have been exhausted in the course of the present year; but it was deemed best, in view of the disturbed state of the country, to postpone, for the present, any further works of improvement. The whole amount which remains, however, will be required to accomplish the purposes for which the appropriation was originally made.

In this connection, we may state that our general, as well as special expenditures, are managed in the strictest spirit of economy. Our pupils are boarded and lodged in the plainest and cheapest style of living; all unnecessary expenses, consistent with comfort and plenty, being strictly avoided. The employment of a superintendent to board the pupils by contract, has been discontinued for several years, so that everything is now obtained at the prime and least possible cost. The salaries of the officers and instructors are the very least for which competent persons can be had. The largest salary which is paid, is that of the Principal, which is but one thousand dollars per annum. These facts, and others which might be mentioned, may serve to assure the General Assembly that a wise and true economy presides over all our expenditures.

Out of the whole number of our pupils in 1859–60, twenty-nine, one fourth, were orphans, having neither father nor mother, and several of them having no home, save that which is furnished by the Institution. Fifteen others are half-orphans, the children of widows. A large number have to be supplied by us with clothing, either wholly or in part. Thus it will be seen that, to a large class of the unfortunate mutes, our Institution answers to what an orphan asylum is among destitute speaking children. Here they are trained in intelli-

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gence, morality, and religion, and to industry and usefulness; and, in general, when they leave us, are prepared to make, and do make, useful and exemplary citizens. The people of almost every county will bear testimony to the truth of this statement; for educated mutes are now to be found in almost every part of the State.

What a great and favorable change has been wrought in Kentucky, through the agency of this Institution, in the condition of the deaf and dumb—a much more numerous class than was formerly supposed, there being probably one to every fifteen hundred of the inhabitants.

A chief object of our efforts is to train our pupils to habits of industry, and to render them skillful in one or more departments of manual labor. The girls are exercised in needle-work and housekeeping; while the boys are variously employed in gardening, farming operations, and learning trades. An abundance of both summer and winter vegetables are now raised on our own grounds by the labor of our boys, together with a considerable quanity of provender for the stock. They have also, under the direction of the steward, made several hundred panels of plank fencing, and are engaged in making more. We have a carpenter's shop, in which many articles, as tables, benches, &c., needed in the Institution, are made; and most of the repairs about the buildings are performed by the boys who work in it. This shop is a means of useful instruction to a portion of the boys, as well as a great convenience and considerable saving. We have also planted an orchard of apples and pears, and a grapery, and set out smaller fruits sufficient, in a few years, to supply us abundantly.

The following mechanics have brought us under obligation by kindly furnishing instruction in their respective trades, viz: Messrs. Zimmerman & Son, printers; Messrs. Collins & Hackney, tinners; Messrs. Dennis, Bash & Co., carriage-makers; Mr. James Garret, blacksmith; Messrs. Ball & Cloyd, tinners; Messrs. J. L. & G. W. Webb, gunsmiths; Mr. John Stodghill, blacksmith; Messrs. Larimer & Gotlieb, marble-artists; and Messrs. Teney & Smith, tinners.

In conclusion, we do again earnestly commend the Institution to the continued and liberal care and patronage of the Legislature and people of the State.

By order of the Board.

CHARLES HENDERSON,
JERE. T. BOYLE,
Committee of Superintendence.

AUGUST 1, 1861.

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Catalogue of Pupils from November 15, 1859, *to November* 15, 1860.

No	Names.	Age	Residence.	Cause of Deafness.	State of Hearing.
1	Eleanora Malone	17	Harrison county	Not ascertained	Totally deaf.
2	Arabella Jones	19	Union county	Scarlet fever	Totally deaf.
3	Daniel Stewart	21	Knox county	Probably born deaf, but had risings in the ears at two years of age	Hears a little.
4	Thomas P. Dorsey	20	Fleming county	Dropsy in the head; had a cousin deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
5	Benj. E. Oney	19	Louisville	Semi-mute; lost hearing at ten years of age from cold	Hears and speaks some.
6	Mary Babcock	21	Louisville	Scarlet fever at about three years of age	Hears slightly in one ear.
7	Benna Sinn	18	Louisville	Not ascertained	Hears loud sounds.
8	Wm. G. Reynolds	18	Mason county	Congenital	Hears partially in one ear and speaks some
9	Lewis H. Van Hook	18	Harrison county	Congenital	Hears loud sounds.
10	Susan F. Smith	18	Grant county	Scarlet fever at eighteen months of age	Totally deaf.
11	Mary Ann Knoth	17	Louisville	A fit at five years of age	Hears loud sounds.
12	Lamanthus Rusk	18	Jefferson county	Probably congenital	Probably hears loud sounds.
13	Pattie A. Lipscomb	18	Clarke county	Probably congenital	Totally deaf.
14	Cortez S. Fitch	18	Lewis county	Fever and risings in the ears	Hears loud and shrill sounds.
15	Joshua Hadley	19	Texas	Mother believed not born deaf; had pains in his ears till five years old	Hears loud sounds
16	Rufus K. Thompson	17	Alabama	Lost his hearing, speech, and sight, at two years of age, from an over-dose of morphine, administered by a quack doctor; recovered sight and hearing gradually; mind also injured, but now recovering itself, also, gradually. This lad, when brought to the Institution, was an imbecile. His improvement has been about one half that of one of the same age of ordinary mind. He is very ambitious to learn. Has great energy of character, and will ultimately obtain an education that will place him nearly on a level with ordinary educated deaf mutes	Hears well, but can speak only a few words.
17	Nancy E. Hambleton	24	Breckinridge county	Doubtful whether congenital or from scarlet fever	Hears loud sounds in one ear.
18	Mary E. Hambleton	15	Breckinridge county	Congenital; sister to the above; and has four cousins deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
19	Sophia Staib	17	Jefferson county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
20	Jacob D. Wilson	18	Kenton county	Risings in the ears; has a brother deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
21	Ann M. Langsford	18	Spencer county	Unknown	Hears sharp and loud sounds.
22	Wm. H. Sparks	21	Jessamine county	By a fall or from worms; had a younger sister deaf and dumb; and another hard of hearing	Hears loud sounds and speaks a few words.

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Catalogue of Pupils from November 15, 1859, *to November* 15, 1860—Continued.

No.	Names.	Age.	Residence.	Cause of Deafness.	State of Hearing.
23	James H. Reed	15	Frankfort	Congenital; father, brother, sister, and uncle deaf and dumb; also many second and third cousins; deaf-dumbness hereditary in all collateral branches of family through several generations*	Hears loud sounds.
24	Mary Ann Reed	13	Frankfort	Congenital; and sister to the preceding	Hears loud sounds.
25	William J. Norton	20	Butler county	Lost hearing suddenly at two and a half years of age without known cause	Totally deaf.
26	Charles Richey	18	Hancock county	Congenital	Hears loud sounds.
27	Thos. J. Willhite	15	Oldham county	Risings in the ears and cold	Probably hears loud sounds.
28	John Lane	22	Covington	Scarlet fever between four and five years of age	Hears slightly.
29	Isaiah Philips	17	Butler county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
30	Sarah D. Johnson	16	Bourbon county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
31	Innis Harris	16	Frankfort	Probably from gatherings in the head and cold	Totally deaf.
32	James Tewell	23	Nelson county	Congenital	Hears and speaks partially.
33	Alex. Adams	16	Pulaski county	Scarlet fever	Totally deaf.
34	Morris Long	16	Madison county	Congestive fever at eight years of age	Hears and speaks some.
35	Geo. T. Schoolfield	19	Bracken county	Probably not congenital; cause of deafness not known	Hears in one ear and speaks some words.
36	Alice D. Riggen	15	Mason county	Whether born deaf or caused by whooping cough at one year old not certain	Perhaps hears loud sounds.
37	Greenfield A. Gatliff	15	Knox county	Risings in the ears; has a sister deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
38	Ann M. Bradley	14	Lincoln county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
39	William Reed	12	Frankfort	Congenital; and brother to James and Mary Reed	Hears loud sounds.
40	Amelia J Kavanaugh	18	Garrard county	Fever at two or three years old; has a cousin deaf and dumb	Hears and speaks some.
41	Mary C. Moorman	15	Hardin county	Not known whether born deaf or not; deafness discovered at two years of age; had risings in the ears in the interval; has a cousin deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
42	Ann E. Higdon	21	Daviess county	Risings in the ears at three years of age	Hears loud sounds.
43	Malsenico McCauley	14	Jessamine county	Cold and risings in the ears at four years of age	Totally deaf.
44	Jos. M. T. Davis	12	Mason county	Hearing acute till February, 1856; first noticed he was becoming deaf in the left ear; speech always imperfect	Totally deaf.
45	Ellen Merrifield	12	Lyon county	By disease, not ascertained, at eighteen months old	Hears loud sounds.
46	Martha A. Edwards	--	Hancock county	Congenital; has three sisters deaf and dumb; also two aunts and some cousins	Totally deaf.
47	Mary M. Edwards	--	Hancock county	Congenital; sister to the preceding	Totally deaf.
48	Catharine E. Edwards	--	Hancock county	Congenital; sister to the two preceding	Totally deaf.
49	Celia A. Edwards	13	Hancock county	Congenital; sister to the three preceding	Totally deaf.

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50	William W. Parks	20	Daviess county	From sore head too rapidly healed	Hears loud sounds.
51	Jesse T. Hoagland	11	Lexington	Congenital; father, mother, a sister, nephew, and a large number of relations deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
52	Malvina Elkins	20	Madison county	Congenital; has a sister deaf and dumb	Hears and speaks a little.
53	Ada Perry	12	Campbell county	Risings in the head and ears at one year old	Probably hears loud sounds.
54	William Thompson	18	Butler county	A fit at about three years old	Hears loud sounds.
55	Thos. H. Spencer	26	Trigg county	Congenital	Hears loud sounds.
56	Henry L. Jones	22	Green county	Putrid fever at three years and eight months of age	Totally deaf.
57	Mahala G. Henderson	19	Madison county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
58	Elizabeth Whitmer	19	McLean county	Cold in the head at twenty months	Hears loud sounds.
59	Jacob A. Rennecker	12	Harrison county	Congenital	Probably totally deaf.
60	James D. Duvall	15	Henry county	Fever at one year old	Totally deaf.
61	Sterry Fletcher	10	Paducah	Not ascertained	Totally deaf.
62	Napoleon A. Meunier	19	Hardin county	A stroke of lightning at two years of age	Hears and speaks partially.
63	Edward Meunier	11	Hardin county	Congenital; brother to the above; had a sister older than both deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
64	Elizabeth Line	17	Grayson county	Congenital	Probably totally deaf.
65	Sarah J. Gatliff	12	Knox county	Had risings in the ears when an infant, but may have been born deaf; has a brother deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
66	Mary Ann Elkins	11	Madison county	Congenital; has a sister deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
67	Thomas Birch	18	Henry county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
68	Mary Garnett	17	Adair county	Congenital	Hears well but cannot speak.
69	Margaretta Cablish	21	Maysville	Subject to fits till four years old; whether born deaf not certainly known	Hears loud and shrill sounds.
70	Sarah J. Comley	13	Garrard county	Congenital, and has a brother, and sister, and cousin, deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
71	Wm. D. Comley	10	Garrard county	Congenital, and brother to the preceding	Totally deaf.
72	Henrietta Sypert	----	Christian county	Scarlet fever at two or three years old	Hears a little in one ear, and [speaks some.
73	John H. Yeager	19	Louisville	Measles at four years old	Totally deaf.
74	Stephen B. Wilson	14	Kenton county	Unknown; has an older brother deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds and speaks [a little.
75	Adaline Arrasmith	----	Gallatin county	Congenital	Probably totally deaf.
76	James Hoagland	21	Gallatin county	Congenital; father, two brothers, two sisters, three cousins, eight second cousins, and one third cousin deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
77	Sarah J Hoagland	----	Gallatin county	Congenital; sister to the preceding	Totally deaf.
78	Jane Perry	----	Carroll county	Congenital; has three sisters and two cousins deaf and dumb	Hears a little in one ear.
79	Mary Perry	----	Carroll county	Congenital, and sister to the preceding	Totally deaf.
80	William Whitton	19	Campbell county	Fever and fits from overloading his stomach with green walnuts	Hears loud sounds.
81	John Kinslear	11	Grant county	Probably whooping cough at one year old	Hears a little.
82	Zerilda Kinslear	9	Grant county	Not ascertained	Hears a little.
83	Jacob Seibert	12	Louisville	Spasms at six months old	Hears loud sounds.
84	Peter Jung	12	Louisville	Spasms at two years old	Totally deaf.
85	James G. Gardner	18	Henry county	Inflammation of the brain at eight years old	Hears and speaks some.

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86	Ann E. Hall	12	Bourbon county	Risings in the ears in infancy	Hears a little.
87	Julia Ann Wiser	14	Jefferson county	Sickness, not specified, at three months old; has a brother deaf and dumb	Hears some.
88	Ann E. Neff	13	Larue county	Fever at three years old	Not ascertained.
89	George W Adams	14	Garrard county	Probably by disease at six weeks old	Hears loud sounds.
90	Alice Ann Mezoe		Logan county	Not ascertained	Hears loud sounds.
91	Mary Isabella Brown	13	Meade county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
92	Louisa Comly	8	Garrard county	Congenital, and has three cousins deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
93	Cornelius Shuck	18	Henry county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
94	Middleton L. Thomas	15	Nelson county	Scarlet fever at twelve years of age	Totally deaf.
95	Charles H. Thomas	8	Louisville	Scarlet fever at seven years of age	Hears loud sounds.
96	Margaret A. Quinn	14	Webster county	Probably born deaf	Hears loud and shrill sounds.
97	Amelia A. Spencer	10	Fayette county	Perhaps born deaf	Hears and speaks a little.
98	Marion A. Rose	23	Marshall county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
99	Andrew J. Rose	18	Marshall county	Congenital, and brother to the preceding	Totally deaf.
100	Martha A. Rose	13	Marshall county	Congenital, and sister to the two preceding	Totally deaf.
101	Wiley H. Rose	11	Marshall county	Congenital, and brother to the three preceding. In this family there are three brothers and two sisters who can hear and speak	Totally deaf.
102	Jane Whitteker	11	Pendleton county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
103	Martha A. Stephens	12	Garrard county	Cold	Hears and speaks partially.
104	John Riordan	17	Bourbon county	A fit at two and a half years of age. Has a second cousin deaf and dumb	[speaks a little. Hears some in one ear and
105	Louisa Mann	9	Louisville	Scarlet fever at one and a half years old	Totally deaf. [a little.
106	Mollie L. Church	14	Memphis, Tenn.	Scarlet fever	Hears shrill sounds and speaks
107	Samuel Flint	10	Lincoln county	Inflammation of the brain at eighteen months old	Totally deaf.
108	John T. Cox	11	Meade county	Cold and running at the ears between three and nine months of age	Totally deaf. [perfectly.
109	Churchwell Moore	15	Woodford county	Congenital	Hears perfectly, but speaks im-
110	Sarah N. Collins	13	Russell county	Risings in the head at fifteen months	Hears loud sounds.
111	Henry M. Lusher	18	Memphis, Tenn.	Not ascertained	Hears loud sounds.
112	Mary J. Moore	19	Laurel county	Congenital	Hears loud sounds.
113	Alfred P. Moore	16	Laurel county	Congenital, and brother to the preceding	Hears loud sounds.
114	Cynthian Ball	10	Lincoln county	Scarlet fever, between five and six years old	Totally deaf. [speaks a little.
115	George W. Rubarts	18	Adair county	Lost hearing at three years old; cause unknown	Hears ordinary sounds and

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SUMMARY.

Males 60; females 55—total 115; 49 totally deaf; 62 hear more or less—some considerably, some very slightly; 4 hear well—these are more or less imbecile, but susceptible of improvement; 19 speak more or less; 47 congenitally deaf; 51 deaf by known disease; 10 cause not ascertained; 7 cause or disease unknown by parents; 4 doubtful whether congenital or acquired. The following are the diseases to which the above cases of acquired deafness are ascribed: dropsy in the head 1; measles 1; cold 4; fits 5; fever 7; pains in the ears 1; over-dose of morphine 1; risings in the ears, in some instances with cold, 11; a fall or worms 1; sore head 1; stroke of lightning 1; whooping cough 1; spasms 2; inflammation of the brain 2; and scarlet fever 12.

All parents would do well to examine carefully this list of diseases producing deafness. It will be seen that more than one half become deaf from disease. In by far the most of these cases, strict, intelligent, and proper care would have prevented the calamity. Too much care cannot be bestowed upon young children, suffering under any of the above or similar diseases. It is believed also that in some, if not many, cases, the child becomes deaf, previously to birth, by the sickness and exposure, and want of proper comfort of, and medical attention to, the mother. The number of hereditary cases is comparatively few; the number of congenital cases could probably be considerably diminished by increasing the comfort and care of the mother during pregnancy; and from ten to twenty per cent. of deaf mutes are the children of first cousins.* From this exhibition, it is evident that by proper and universal care of mothers and children, and by a law prohibiting the marriage of first cousins, the number of deaf-mutes might be greatly diminished, probably one half—possibly three fourths. This great affliction is not a necessary and unavoidable one; it is within the power of society to avert it in large part, by strict and proper efforts. The same remarks will apply with full force to blindness, and with greater force still to idiocy. Idiots and imbeciles are, to a great extent, the children of drunkards and near relations, generally first cousins. What a vast amount of private suffering and public expenditure might be saved by observing the physical and moral laws of our being! In general, only where deafness has been hereditary in a family, for two or more generations, are the children of deaf-mutes deaf. In a hundred marriages among the former pupils of the Hartford Institution, Conn., the oldest and one of the largest in the country, in a few instances only have the offspring been deaf-mutes. Such has been the fact also, in the intermarriages of the former pupils of this Institution—whether married to deaf-mutes or speaking persons.

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* The law of nature forbids the marriage of persons so related, and human laws ought to do so also. The Legislature has the unquestionable moral and legal right, and it is its bounden duty, to protect the community from the multitude of helpless and unfortunate children, the fruit of such marriages, whom the Commonwealth has, in part or in whole, to support for life, or, at least, to educate.

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* Deafness is not ordinarily hereditary. The children of deaf persons, even where the parents are both deaf, ordinarily hear and speak. There are a few families, however, in which deafness is hereditary, and descends through several generations, and appears in several branches. There are two or three notable instances in this State.

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Catalogue of Pupils from November 15, 1860, to August 1, 1861—Eight and a half months.

No	Names.	Age	Residence.	Cause of Deafness.	State of Hearing.
1	Eleanora Malone	18	Harrison county	Not ascertained	Totally deaf.
2	Arabella Jones	20	Union county	Scarlet fever	Totally deaf.
3	Thomas P. Dorsey	21	Fleming county	Dropsy in the head; had a cousin deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
4	Benna Sinn	19	Louisville	Not ascertained	Hears loud sounds. [speaks some
5	Wm. G. Reynolds	19	Mason county	Congenital	Hears partially in one ear and
6	Susan F. Smith	19	Grant county	Scarlet fever at eighteen months of age	Totally deaf.
7	Mary Ann Knoth	18	Louisville	A fit at five years of age	Hears loud sounds.
8	Joshua Hadley	20	Texas	Mother believed not born deaf; had pains in his ears till five years old	Hears loud sounds.
9	Rufus K. Thompson	18	Alabama	Lost his hearing, speech, and sight, at two years of age, from an over-dose of morphine, administered by a quack doctor; recovered sight and hearing gradually; mind also injured, but now recovering itself, also, gradually. This lad, when brought to the Institution, was an imbecile. His improvement has been about one half that of one of the same age of ordinary mind. He is very ambitious to learn. Has great energy of character, and will ultimately obtain an education that will place him nearly on a level with ordinary educated deaf mutes	Hears well, but can speak only [a few words.
10	Nancy E. Hambleton	----	Breckinridge county	Doubtful whether congenital or from scarlet fever	Hears loud sounds in one ear.
11	Mary E. Hambleton	16	Breckinridge county	Congenital; sister to the above; and has four cousins deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
12	Sophia Staib	17	Jefferson county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
13	Ann M. Langsford	19	Spencer county	Unknown	Hears sharp and loud sounds.
14	Wm. H. Sparks	22	Jessamine county	By a fall or from worms; had a younger sister deaf and dumb; and another hard of hearing	Hears loud sounds and speaks [a few words.
15	James H. Reed	16	Frankfort	Congenital; father, brother, sister, and uncle deaf and dumb; also many second and third cousins; deaf-dumbness hereditary in all collateral branches of family through several generations*	Hears loud sounds.
16	Mary Ann Reed	14	Frankfort	Congenital; and sister to the preceding	Hears loud sounds.
17	Charles Richey	19	Hancock county	Congenital	Hears loud sounds.
18	Thos. J. Willhite	16	Oldham county	Risings in the ears and cold	Probably hears loud sounds.
19	John Lane	23	Covington	Scarlet fever between four and five years of age	Hears slightly.
20	Sarah D. Johnson	17	Bourbon county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
21	Innis Harris	17	Frankfort	Probably from gatherings in the head and cold	Totally deaf.

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22	Alex. Adams	17	Pulaski county	Scarlet fever	Totally deaf.
23	Geo. T. Schoolfield	20	Bracken county	Probably not congenital; cause of deafness not known	Hears in one ear and speaks some words.
24	Alice D. Riggen	16	Mason county	Whether born deaf or caused by whooping cough at one year old not certain	Perhaps hears loud sounds.
25	Greenfield A. Gatliff	16	Knox county	Risings in the ears; has a sister deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
26	Ann M. Bradley	15	Lincoln county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
27	William Reed	13	Frankfort	Congenital; and brother to James and Mary Reed	Hears loud sounds.
28	Amelia J. Kavanaugh	19	Garrard county	Fever at two or three years old; has a cousin deaf and dumb	Hears and speaks some.
29	Mary C. Moorman	16	Hardin county	Not known whether born deaf or not; deafness discovered at two years of age; had risings in the ears in the interval; has a cousin deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
30	Malsenia McCauley	15	Jessamine county	Cold and risings in the ears at four years of age	Totally deaf.
31	Jos. M. T. Davis	13	Mason county	Hearing acute till February, 1856; first noticed he was becoming deaf in the left ear; speech always imperfect	Totally deaf.
32	Ellen Merrifield	13	Lyon county	By disease, not ascertained, at eighteen months old	Hears loud sounds.
33	Martha A. Edwards	----	Hancock county	Congenital; has three sisters deaf and dumb; also two aunts and some cousins	Totally deaf.
34	Mary M. Edwards	----	Hancock county	Congenital; sister to the preceding	Totally deaf.
35	Catharine E. Edwards	----	Hancock county	Congenital; sister to the two preceding	Totally deaf.
36	Celia A. Edwards	14	Hancock county	Congenital; sister to the three preceding	Totally deaf.
37	Jesse T. Hoagland	12	Lexington	Congenital; father, mother, a sister, nephew, and a large number of relations deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
38	Ada Perry	13	Campbell county	Risings in the head and ears at one year old	Probably hears loud sounds.
39	William Thompson	19	Butler county	A fit at about three years old	Hears loud sounds.
40	Thos. H. Spencer	27	Trigg county	Congenital	Hears loud sounds.
41	Elizabeth Whitmer	20	McLean county	Cold in the head at twenty months	Hears loud sounds.
42	Jacob A. Renneckar	13	Harrison county	Congenital	Probably totally deaf.
43	James D. Duvall	16	Henry county	Fever at one year old	Totally deaf.
44	Sterry Fletcher	11	Paducah	Not ascertained	Totally deaf.
45	Napoleon A. Meunier	20	Hardin county	A stroke of lightning at two years of age	Hears and speaks partially.
46	Edward Meunier	12	Hardin county	Congenital; brother to the above; had a sister older than both deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds.
47	Elizabeth Line	18	Grayson county	Congenital	Probably totally deaf.
48	Sarah J. Gatliff	13	Knox county	Had risings in the ears when an infant, but may have been born deaf; has a brother deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
49	Thomas Birch	19	Henry county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
50	Mary Garnett	18	Adair county	Congenital	Hears well but cannot speak.
51	Margaretta Cablish	22	Maysville	Subject to fits till four years old; whether born deaf not certainly known	Hears loud and shrill sounds.
52	Sarah J. Comley	14	Garrard county	Congenital, and has a brother, and sister, and cousin, deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
53	Wm. D. Comley	11	Garrard county	Congenital, and brother to the preceding	Totally deaf.

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Catalogue of Pupils from November 15, 1860, *to August* 1, 1861—Continued.

No.	Names.	Age.	Residence.	Cause of Deafness.	State of Hearing.
54	John H. Yeager	20	Louisville	Measles at four years old	Totally deaf.
55	Stephen B. Wilson	15	Kenton county	Unknown; has an older brother deaf and dumb	Hears loud sounds and speaks a little.
56	James Hoagland	22	Gallatin county	Congenital; father, two brothers, two sisters, three cousins, eight second cousins, and one third cousin deaf and dumb	Totally deaf.
57	Jane Perry	----	Carroll county	Congenital; has three sisters and two cousins deaf and dumb	Hears a little in one ear.
58	Mary Perry	----	Carroll county	Congenital, and sister to the preceding	Totally deaf.
59	William Whitton	20	Campbell county	Fever and fits from overloading his stomach with green walnuts	Hears loud sounds.
60	John Kinslear	12	Grant county	Probably whooping cough at one year old	Hears a little.
61	Zerilda Kinslear	10	Grant county	Not ascertained	Hears a little.
62	Jacob Seibert	13	Louisville	Spasms at six months old	Hears loud sounds.
63	Peter Jung	13	Louisville	Spasms at two years old	Totally deaf.
64	James G. Gardner	19	Henry county	Inflammation of the brain at eight years old	Hears and speaks some.
65	Ann E. Hall	13	Bourbon county	Risings in the ears in infancy	Hears a little.
66	Julia Ann Wiser	15	Jefferson county	Sickness, not specified, at three months old; has a brother deaf and dumb	Hears some.
67	Ann E. Neff	14	Larue county	Fever at three years old	Not ascertained.
68	George W. Adams	15	Garrard county	Probably by disease at six weeks old	Hears loud sounds.
69	Alice Ann Mezoe	----	Logan county	Not ascertained	Hears loud sounds.
70	Mary Isabella Brown	14	Meade county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
71	Cornelius Shuck	19	Henry county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
72	Middleton L. Thomas	16	Nelson county	Scarlet fever at twelve years of age	Totally deaf.
73	Charles H. Thomas	9	Louisville	Scarlet fever at seven years of age	Hears loud sounds.
74	Margaret A. Quinn	15	Webster county	Probably born deaf	Hears loud and shrill sounds.
75	Amelia A. Spencer	11	Fayette county	Perhaps born deaf	Hears and speaks a little.
76	Marion A. Rose	24	Marshall county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
77	Andrew J. Rose	19	Marshall county	Congenital, and brother to the preceding	Totally deaf.
78	Martha A. Rose	14	Marshall county	Congenital, and sister to the two preceding	Totally deaf.
79	Wiley H. Rose	12	Marshall county	Congenital, and brother to the three preceding. In this family there are three brothers and two sisters who can hear and speak	Totally deaf.
80	Jane Whitteker	12	Pendleton county	Congenital	Totally deaf.
81	Martha A. Stephens	13	Garrard county	Cold	Hears and speaks partially.
82	John Riordan	18	Bourbon county	A fit at two and a half years of age. Has a second cousin deaf and dumb	Hears some in one ear and speaks a little.
83	Louisa Mann	10	Louisville	Scarlet fever at one and a half years old	Totally deaf.
84	Mollie L. Church	15	Memphis, Tenn.	Scarlet fever	Hears shrill sounds and speaks a little.

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Catalogue of Pupils from November 15, 1860, *to August* 1, 1861—Continued.

No.	Names.	Age.	Residence.	Cause of Deafness.	State of Hearing.
85	Samuel Flint	11	Lincoln county	Inflammation of the brain at eighteen months old	Totally deaf.
86	John T. Cox	12	Meade county	Cold and running at the ears between three and nine months of age	Totally deaf.
87	Churchwell Moore	16	Woodford county	Congenital	Hears perfectly, but speaks imperfectly.
88	Sarah N. Collins	14	Russell county	Risings in the head at fifteen months	Hears loud sounds.
89	Henry M. Lusher	10	Memphis, Tenn.	Not ascertained	Hears loud sounds.
90	Alfred P. Moore	17	Laurel county	Congenital, and brother to the preceding	Hears loud sounds.
91	Mary J. Moore	20	Laurel county	Congenital	Hears loud sounds.
92	Cynthian Ball	11	Lincoln county	Scarlet fever, between five and six years old	Totally deaf.
93	George W. Rubarts	19	Adair county	Lost hearing at three years old; cause unknown	Hears ordinary sounds and speaks a little.
94	Lewis C. Johnson	11	Warren county	Brain fever at three years of age	Hears loud sounds.

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Catalogue of Pupils from the commencement of the Institution to the present time—Continued from the last Report.

No.	Names.	Time of admission.	Residence.
400	Louisa Comly	January 8, 1860	Garrard county.
401	Cornelius Shuck	March 6, 1860	Henry county.
402	Middleton L. Thomas	March 27, 1860	Nelson county.
403	Charles H. Thomas	September 18, 1860	Louisville.
404	Margaret A. Quinn	September 22, 1860	Webster county.
405	Amelia A. Spencer	September 28, 1860	Fayette county.
406	Francis M. Rose	September 29, 1860	Marshall county.
407	Andrew J. Rose	September 29, 1860	Marshall county.
408	Martha A. Rose	September 29, 1860	Marshall county.
409	Wiley H. Rose	September 29, 1860	Marshall county.
410	Jane Whitteker	September 29, 1860	Pendleton county.
411	Martha A. Stephens	October 1, 1860	Garrard county.
412	John Riordan	October 1, 1860	Bourbon county.
413	Louisa Mann	October 1, 1860	Louisville.
414	Mollie L. Church	October 2, 1860	Memphis, Tenn.
415	Samuel Flint	October 3, 1860	Lincoln county.
416	John T. Cox	October 8, 1860	Meade county.
417	Churchwell Moore	October 13, 1860	Woodford county.
418	Sarah N. Collins	October 16, 1860	Russell county.
419	Henry M. Lusher	November 1, 1860	Memphis, Tenn.
420	Cynthian Ball	November 9, 1860	Lincoln county.
421	Lewis C. Johnson	April 30, 1861	Warren county.

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CLASSES AND STUDIES FOR THE SESSION OF 1859-60.

[The figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, in the three columns headed *Application*, *Improvement*, *Behavior*, indicate the standing or grade of each pupil in these several respects. Under the term "Behavior" is comprehended the general conduct of the pupil in every regard, in and out of the school-room. The Nos. 1, 1, 1, would indicate that the name opposite has the highest standing for "Application," "Improvement," and "Behavior." The Nos. 2, 3, 1, would designate that he was in the second grade in "Application," third in "Improvement," but the first in "Behavior," &c. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, indicate the various grades of good standing—No. 5 being moderate. All the numbers below 5 indicate bad or low standing—6 being indifferent, and 10 worthless, or equal to 0. Thus, Nos. 5, 6, and 1 would indicate that the pupil was moderate in application, indifferent in improvement, but unexceptionable in his general behavior.]

FIRST CLASS—No. 21.

Instructor, Rev. S. B. Cheek.

Names, and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Mary Babcock, 7 years	5	4	2
Nancy E. Hambleton, 6 years	2	3	1
Arabella Jones, 8 years	1	2	1
Ann M. Langsford, 6 years	1	2	1
Mary Ann Reed, 5 years	5	3	4
Benna Sinn, 7 years	3	4	2
Susan F. Smith, 7 years	3	4	1
Thomas P. Dorsey, 8 years	2	2	1
Cortez S. Fitch, 7 years	1	3	1
Henry L. Jones, 6 years	1	3	1
John Lane, 5 years	1	3	1
Morris Long, 4 years	3	2	1
Benj. E. Oney, 7 years	4	3	8
Lamanthus Rusk, 7 years	2	2	1
Will. G. Reynolds, 7 years	5	4	1
William Sparks, 6 years	2	3	1
Daniel Stewart, 8 years	2	3	1
Thomas Schoolfield, 6 years	1	2	1
Lewis H. Van Hook, 7 years	2	1	1
John H. Yeager, 6 years	1	1	1
James H. Reed, 6 years	3	3	4

Studies.—Goodrich's History of the United States, accompanied with illustrations on all difficult words and phrases, and occasional Lectures by the Teacher; Morse's Geography; weekly exercises in Composition and Arithmetic. The Bible: Extracts from the Books of Genesis, Exodus, and Numbers, have been taught on the Sabbath, and shorter passages from the Epistles of Peter, James, and the Book of Revelation, at the morning and evening exercises of the Chapel. These extracts are taught in regular order, and embrace the substance of each book. The Biblical lessons are enforced by practical instruction, admonition, and exhortation.

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The following members of the class—Benjamin E. Oney, Lewis H. Van Hook, John H. Yeager, Thomas P. Dorsey, and Geo. T. Schoolfield—have been studying Natural Philosophy in addition to the regular studies of the class. In the education of deaf mutes, the primary and constant object is their improvement in the knowledge and use of written language. All their studies are made subservient to this object. At the same time, all the language taught is made the vehicle, as far as possible, of useful information on every subject.

Besides their regular studies, our pupils have access to a library of over six hundred volumes, historical, moral, religious, and miscellaneous, *suitable to their mental and literary progress*, the volumes of which are regularly distributed among them. They are also supplied with the newspapers of the day. They have among themselves, also, a society, which meets, under the superintendence of one of the Instructors, every Saturday afternoon, regularly organized, in which they discuss subjects, deliver lectures, and tell stories and anecdotes, and which is a source of great instruction and interest to them. In it lectures are occasionally delivered, at their special written request through their Secretary, by the Instructors. The daily exercises of the Institution are opened and closed with instruction from the Scriptures and prayer, in the language of signs. Two religious services, embracing all the usual parts of divine service, except singing, are held on the Sabbath. The moral and religious instruction of our pupils, free from sectarian influence, is an object of constant and assiduous attention, and is the chief means of discipline. To enable them to read the Bible is the leading object of our efforts.

SECOND CLASS—No. 18.

Instructor, Charles H. Talbot.

Names, and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Adaline Arrasmith, 4 years	1	3	1
Celia A. Edwards, 3 years	2	3	2
Mary E. Hambleton, 6 years	2	2	1
Mary J. Kavanaugh, nearly 4 years	3	3	6
Mary A. Knoth, 6 years	3	4	1
Pattie A. Lipscomb, 5 years	1	2	1
Mary C. Moorman, 3 years and 6 months	4	4	6
Sophia Staib, 6 years	1	3	1
Alexander Adams, 4 years	2	3	4
Joseph T. Davis, 3 years and 4 months	4	2	6
*James G. Gardner, 1 year	1	2	2
Joshua H. Hadley, 6 years and 6 months	2	2	1
Innis Harris, 4 years and 6 months	6	6	6
Jesse T. Hoagland, 3 years	2	2	3
William Reed, 3 years and 8 months	4	3	5
George W. Rubarts, 6 years	2	5	1
James Tewel, 4 years	1	3	1
Jacob D. Wilson, 5 years	1	2	1

*Semi-mute.

Studies—Monteith's Youth's History of the United States, with illustrative examples on difficult words and idioms, and amplified by written

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lectures; Cornell's Intermediate Geography, with illustrative examples and *oral lectures, and reviewed by questions. COLLATERAL STUDIES—Abbott's Common Things finished, and Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes, Part II, begun; Smith's Arithmetic; the Bible in common with the first class; original Composition twice a week.

* This, of course, means lectures by signs. We must apply to Deaf Mutes, and they have to adopt, the language used by speaking persons. The blind man speaks of having *seen* a person when he has had a conversation with him; so the Deaf Mute speaks in reference to himself of having *heard* so and so, of having *told*, *said*, and *spoken* such and such things, and of making a speech or oration.

THIRD CLASS—No. 15.

Instructor, EDWARD B. MILES.

Names and length of time in the Institution	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Anna E. Higdon, 3 years and 6 months	2	3	1
Ann M. Bradley, 3 years and 8 months	3	3	2
Alice D. Riggen, 4 years	4	4	4
Ellen Merrifield, 3 years	3	3	6
Sarah Johnson, 4 years	5	3	2
Martha A. Edwards, 3 years	4	5	1
Mary M. Edwards, 3 years	2	4	2
Eleanora Malone	5	5	2
Malsenia McCauley, 3 years and six months	5	5	1
Charles Richey, 5 years	1	6	1
William J. Norton, 7 years	7	6	2
G. A. Gatliff, 4 years	2	2	2
Thomas J. Willhite, 5 years	5	5	2
Rufus K. Thompson, 6 years	2	2	2
*Milton L. Thomas, 4 months	2	1	1

* Semi-mute.

STUDIES—Part of Goodrich's Second Reader, accompanied with previous illustrative examples on all difficult words and idioms, and reviewed by questions; Primary Lessons for Deaf-Mutes, Part II; Dr. Peet's Scripture Lessons and the Bible; Regular Exercises in Composition and Letter Writing; Arithmetic.

FOURTH CLASS—FIRST DIVISION, No. 11.

Instructor, JOHN BLOUNT.

Names and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Sarah J. Hoagland, 3 years	4	4	1
Elizabeth Whitmer, 2 years	3	3	2
Catharine E. Edwards, 3 years	2	5	2
Henrietta Sypert, 1 year and 6 months	4	5	2
Ada Perry, 2 years	3	2	2
Sarah J. Gatliff, 2 years	3	2	2
James R. Hoagland, 2 years	3	2	3
William Thompson, 2 years	3	2	2
Napoleon A. Meunier, 2 years	2	2	2
Sterry Fletcher, 2 years	3	3	4
James D. Duvall, 2 years	2	2	2

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STUDIES.—Dr. Peet's Course of Instruction, Part I; Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes, Part II; Dr. Peet's Scripture Lessons; Exercises in Composition and Letter Writing; Arithmetic.

SECOND DIVISION, No. 9.

Names, and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Mary Isabella Brown, 1 year	3	3	3
Ann E. Hall, 1 year	3	2	2
Zerilda Kinslear, 1 year	3	3	2
Ann E. Neff, 1 year	3	4	3
Sarah J. Comley, 1 year and 6 months	3	3	3
John Kinslear, 1 year	3	2	2
Peter Jung, 1 year	3	2	4
Stephen B. Wilson, 1 year	3	2	2
George W. Adams, 1 year	3	3	4

STUDIES.—Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes, Part I; Dr. Peet's Scripture Lessons.

FIFTH CLASS—No. 14.

[This class is in advance of the Second Division of the Fourth Class.]

Instructor, J. W. JACOBS.

Names, and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Margaret Cablish, 1 year and 6 months	2	2	2
Elizabeth Line, 2 years	1	3	2
Jane Perry, 1 year	5	5	1
Mary Perry, 1 year	5	5	1
Alice Ann Mezoe, 1 year	3	4	2
Thomas Birch, 1 year and 8 months	3	3	2
Thomas H. Spencer, 2 years	6	7	2
Jacob Renneckar, 2 years	2	4	2
Jacob Seibert, 1 year	1	2	1
William Parks, 3 years	5	5	2
William Whitton, 1 year	2	3	1
Edward Meunier, 2 years	3	3	7
William D. Comley, 1 year and 6 months	4	4	2
Mahala G. Henderson, 2 years	5	5	6

STUDIES.—Dr. Peet's Course of Instruction, Part I; Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes, Part I; Dr. Peet's Scripture Lessons; Arithmetic begun.

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CLASSES OF THE SESSION 1860--61.

FIRST CLASS—No. of Pupils, 20.

Instructor, Rev. S. B. Cheek.

Names and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Mary E. Hambelton, 7 years	2	2	2
Nancy E. Hambleton, 7 years	1	3	1
Arabella Jones	1	2	3
Amelia J. Kavanaugh, 5 years	3	4	3
Mary A. Knoth, 7 years	2	4	1
Ann M. Langsford, 7 years	1	2	1
Mary Ann Reed, 6 years	3	2	3
Benna Sinn	2	2	2
Susan F. Smith	3	4	1
Sophia Staib, 7 years	2	3	1
Porter Dorsey	1	1	1
James G. Gardner, 2 years	1	2	2
Joshua H. Hadley, 7 years	2	3	2
Jesse T. Hoagland, 4 years	2	2	2
John Lane, 6 years	1	2	1
James H. Reed, 6 years and 6 months	2	2	2
William G. Reynolds	3	5	3
George T. Schoolfield, 4 years in this Institution, and 3 years in the Indiana Institution	1	1	3
William Sparks, 6 years	2	3	1
John H. Yeager, 7 years	1	1	1

Studies.—The principal study of this class during the session has been Grecian History, as preparatory and auxiliary to which they were taught Ancient Geography and Grecian Mythology, together with brief lectures by their instructor on the literature and philosophy of the Greeks. They have also had a course of brief lectures on Chemistry, accompanied with experiments by Mr. Charles H. Talbot. Arithmetic and frequent exercises in composition have been practiced throughout the whole term. They have been taught, on the Sabbath, lessons selected from the four gospels, and on every morning, shorter selections from the books of the Old Testament, Job, the Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Isaiah, Hosea, &c. Our selections from the Scriptures are usually made alternately from the Old and New Testaments. For example, last session our lessons for the Sabbath were from the Old Testament, while the verses for the daily morning service of the Chapel were from the books of the New. During the present session, our lessons for the Sabbath have been from the gospels, while the daily morning selections have been made from the books of the Old Testament.

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SECOND CLASS—No. of Pupils, 18.

Instructor, Charles H. Talbott.

Names and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Ann M. Bradley, 4½ years	2	4	2
Mollie L. Church, 1 year at this Institution, and 3 years elsewhere	2	2	3
Celia A. Edwards, 4 years	1	2	3
Sarah D. Johnson, 5 years	2	4	1
Mary J. Moore, about 3 years at this Institution and 1 in Missouri	2	4	1
Mary C. Moorman, 4½ years	2	3	3
Alice D. Riggen, 5 years	3	3	6
Alexander Adams, 5 years	1	2	3
J. M. T. Davis, 4 years and 4 months	2	2	3
G. A. Gatliff, 5 years	2	3	3
Innis Harris, 5½ years	1	3	1
H. M. Lusher, 1 year in this Institution and 2 or 3 years elsewhere	1	2	1
Alfred P. Moore, about 3 years at this Institution and 1 in Missouri	1	2	1
William Reed, 4 years and 8 months	3	3	3
G. W. Rubarts, 7 years	1	4	1
*Middleton L. Thomas, 1 year and 4 months	1	2	1
Rufus K. Thompson	1	2	1
Thomas J. Willhite	4	4	2

*Semi-mute.

Studies.—Monteith's First Lessons in Geography finished and reviewed, accompanied with illustrative examples. "Near Home, or Description of the Countries of Europe," with examples and oral lectures, begun; Scripture Lessons the same as the first class; semi-weekly exercises in original Composition; Arithmetic.

THIRD CLASS—No. of Pupils, 19.

Instructor, Edward B. Miles.

Names and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Margaretta Cablish, 2 years and 6 months	2	3	1
Catharine E. Edwards, 3 years	2	5	2
Martha A. Edwards, 3 years	1	3	1
Mary M. Edwards, 3 years	2	3	3
Sarah J. Gatliff, 3 years	2	2	1
Eleanora Malone	3	5	1
Malsenia McCauley, 4½ years	3	4	1
Ellen Merrifield, 4 years	1	2	6
Ada Perry, 3 years	1	1	1
Elizabeth Whitmer, 3 years	1	2	1
Thomas Birch, 2 years and 8 months	1	3	1
James D. Duvall, 3 years	2	2	1
Sterry Fletcher, 3 years	3	3	3
James R. Hoagland, 3 years	3	3	1
Napoleon A. Meunier, 3 years	2	2	3
Charles Richey, 6 years	1	5	1
Jacob Seibert, 2 years	2	2	2
William Thompson, 3 years	2	2	1
William Whilton, 2 years	2	3	1

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Studies.—Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes, Part II, finished and reviewed, with additional original descriptions and stories after each Lesson. Scripture Question Book; exercises in Composition and Arithmetic.

FOURTH CLASS—No. of Pupils, 18.

Instructor, John Blount.

Names and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Isabella F. Brown, 2 years	3	3	2
Sarah Jane Comly, 3 years	4	4	3
Ann E. Hall, 2 years	2	2	2
Zerilda Kinslear, 2 years	2	3	2
Elizabeth Line, 3 years	2	3	2
Ann Neff, 2 years	3	3	2
Alice Ann Mezoe, 2 years	5	5	2
Jane Perry, 2 years	5	5	1
Mary Perry, 2 years	4	4	1
Martha Ann Stephens, 1 year	2	2	1
George W. Adams, 2 years	4	4	3
William D. Comly, 3 years	3	3	3
Peter Jung, 2 years	3	3	3
John L. Kinslear, 2 years	2	3	2
Edward Meunier, 3 years	2	3	3
Thomas H. Spencer, 3 years	5	5	1
Jacob A. Renekar, 3 years	2	2	2
Stephen B. Wilson, 2 years	3	3	2

Studies.—Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes, Parts I and II; Dr. Peet's Scripture Lessons; Exercises in Composition and Letter-Writing; Arithmetic.

FIFTH CLASS—No. of Pupils 17. (Commenced the present session.)

Instructor, J. W. Jacobs.

Names, and length of time in the Institution.	Application.	Improvement.	Behavior.
Cynthian Ball	3	4	3
Sarah N. Collins	2	3	1
Louisa Mann	1	3	2
Martha A. Rose	4	5	3
Margaret A. Quinn	2	3	1
Amelia A. Spencer	3	4	1
Jane Whitteker	1	2	1
John Cox	4	5	4
Samuel Flint	4	5	3
Lewis C. Johnson	4	4	2
Churchwell Moore	6	7	3
John Riordon	4	5	2
*Andrew J. Rose			
Marion A. Rose	4	5	2
Wiley H. Rose	4	4	2
Cornelius Shuck, 2 years	4	4	3
Charles H. Thomas, 1 year	2	3	2

*Died, April 4, 1861.

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STUDIES.—Picture Cards; Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes, Part I; Dr. Peet's Scripture Lessons commenced.

The figures above correctly designate the application, improvement, and behavior of the pupils for the last two years. It will be noticed that while only a few have reached the highest excellence, very few also have fallen below 5, the limit of good standing. The general conduct and character of most of them are good; while their application and improvement vary from 1 to 5.

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A List of the Deaf Mutes in the State of Kentucky, as reported by the Commissioners of Tax, from 1856 *to* 1858, *inclusive.*

The commissioners, in many counties, have been so careless that it is necessary to combine different years, to obtain anything like a complete return of the deaf mutes of the State. Many are unreturned every year; in some counties the returns are very imperfect; in some, none at all are made; in some, the names of the children; in some, the names of the parents are given. Those marked with an asterisk (*) have been, or now are, in the Institution.

To those commissioners who have performed the duty required by law—particularly to those who have returned the nearest post-offices, as well as the names of the mutes in their counties—we return our sincerest thanks. It is an important service they render to benevolence by this slight and easy labor, thus enabling us to place our reports at once in the hands of their parents, bringing them to a full knowledge of the advantages of the Institution, and the terms of admission.

We earnestly ask the commissioners to attend to these returns, and fill up, in every case, the *nearest post-office*, as the mere name without the office is comparatively useless.

List of Deaf Mutes in the several counties of Kentucky.

COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
ADAIR.	
J. C. Dunbar	
Mary Dice	Columbia.
R. C Neal	
William Grissom*	
John Harvey, jr.*	
William Harvey*	
Matilda Hill*	
Matthew T. Squires*	Columbia.
Frances M. Stotts	
Frances M. Lisk	
Sam. C. Rubarts*	Neatsville.
Daniel Monroe*	Cane Valley.
Elizabeth Squires*	Columbia.
Lucy J. Fitzpatrick*	Neatsville.
ALLEN.	
Jesse Wight	
James K. Wight	
William Taylor	
Mary W. Wight	
Milly Ann Cooksey	Buttersville.
Thomas W. Cooksey, 2	Buttersville.
ANDERSON.	
Berry Bailey*	
Jos. W. Fletcher	
BOONE.	
Omar Thomas*	Burlington.
Mary Thomas	Burlington.
George W. Allen	Florence.
Den Calvert	
BOONE—Continued.	
Charles Harrison	
Maria McNeal	Florence.
Polly McNeal	
Elizabeth Ryle*	Rising Sun, Ind.
John Ryle*	Rising Sun, Ind.
Mrs. A. Fullilove*	
John Fowler*	
Lucy S. Ryle*	Rising Sun, Ind.
R. C. Tracy	Hamilton, or Rising Sun, Ind.
Abram Bills	Florence.
BUTLER.	
George B. Jenkins	
Nicholas Phelps, 3	
Amanda J. Hill*	
BOURBON.	
G. W. Hamilton	
John H. Hamilton	Jacksonville, 2.
Henry Hall	Paris.
J. Johnson	
Mrs. Sarah S. Wasson	
Hester Rivins	
BRACKEN.	
Joshua Johnson	
John Pearl	
Geo. T. Schoolfield*	Foster.
Sarah J. Pearl	
James Hampton, 2	

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List of Deaf Mutes in the several counties of Kentucky—Continued.

COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
BARREN.	
Peter Cassadey, 2	
Isaac Smith, jr.	
BRECKINRIDGE.	
Tucker Hansey	
Nancy Hambleton*	Cloverport.
Mary Hambleton*	Cloverport.
BREATHITT.	
Sarah Jones	Jackson.
Wiley Jones	
William Lovely, 2	Jackson.
Elizabeth McDaniel	Jackson.
Ursula McDaniel	Jackson.
Cornelius Wombles	Jackson.
Nancy Ann Jones	Jackson.
BALLARD.	
A. M. Shelby	
BATH.	
John Buchanan	Owingsville.
BULLITT.	
Francis Barkman or Buckman	
Jonathan Baxter	
CAMPBELL.	
Sarah M. Morin*	Flagg Spring.
J. C. Perry	
Christian Pheander	
S. G. Tarvin	Carthage.
William Whitten	Newport.
Catharine April	Newport.
Thomas B. Lawson*	Flagg Spring.
Margaret Lawson*	Flagg Spring.
Caroline F. Pheander	Alexandria.
Charles Binnin	Alexandria.
CALDWELL.	
Maston Gore*	
James Kirkpatrick, 2*	
CHRISTIAN.	
Sarah White	Fairview, Todd co.
John J. Reynolds	Wooldridge's.
William G. Butcher	Newstead.
Madison Kelly	Millspoint.
George G. Yancey	Wooldridge's.
CARTER.	
Thomas Gallion	
Joseph Jordon	
Elizabeth Jackson	
James Williams	
Julia Jackson	Grayson.
CARROLL.	
John W. Wiley	
CARROLL—Continued.	
John Perry, sr., 4	
James Craig	
L. W. Ross	
CLARKE.	
Letitia Allen	Winchester.
Phebe Allen	Kiddville.
Sarah M. Nelson	
William J. Stephen, deaf, dumb, and blind	
Pattie Lipscomb*	Winchester.
Catharine Morrow	Clintonville, Bourbon co.
Datney Sharpe	Athens, Fayette co
CLINTON.	
Nathaniel Gentle	Green Grove.
Margaret Grider*	Seventy Six.
Joshua Hudson*	Albany.
CALLOWAY.	
Margaret J. Hawley, or Hawey	Cook's valley.
William Marion Hawey	Cook's valley.
Mary A. N. K. Fulton	Clark's river.
E. S. Ligon	New Concord.
Samuel McKinsey or McKinney	New Concord.
Thomas Daniel	Cook's valley.
George Cooper	Murray.
CLAY.	
Henry Smith, 2	
Dorcas Jones	
Jos. Hobbs	
Thos. Henson	
Harrison Smith	
DAVIESS.	
William W. Parks*	Owensboro.
H. Smeather	
Susan Kellam*	Knottsville.
Anna Higdon*	Owensboro.
Edward Monarch	Knottsville.
EDMONSON.	
Lewis F. Clark	Brownsville.
John J. Durbin	Brownsville.
Miles Allen	
ESTILL.	
John Snowdon	Irvine.
FRANKLIN.	
Edward Carr*	North Elkhorn.
James H. Reed*	Frankfort.
Mary Ann Reed*	Frankfort.
William Reed*	Frankfort.
Innis Harris	Frankfort.
William B. Shaw	Frankfort.

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List of Deaf Mutes in the several counties in Kentucky—Continued.

COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
FLEMING.	
John S. Hammond	Elizaville.
Henry Morgantha, 2	Flemingsburg.
William Prater	Elizaville.
Ephemia Perine, 2	Elizaville.
FAYETTE.	
Robert H. King*	Lexington.
Hanna Thwaits	
August Hall	
Oyro Johnson*	Lexington.
Richard Johnson*	Lexington.
John M. Garth*	Lexington.
William Hoagland*	Lexington.
Zulema Hoagland*	Lexington.
Jesse Hoagland*	Lexington.
Waller J. Rodes*	Lexington.
FLOYD.	
Eva Risner	
Isabella Hoffman	Prestonsburg.
Miles Hall	Prestonsburg.
GALLATIN.	
Johnson Hoagland	
James R. Hoagland*	
Theophilus J. Hoagland	
Joseph R. Hoagland*	
Mary E. Hoagland	
Sarah J. Hoagland*	
Benjamin Hance	
Sarah Hurst	
Adaline Arrasmith	
GRAVES.	
Charles H. Tensley	
Gilbert P. Eades	
J. W. Edds	
Jacob Myers, 2	
Nancy Edds	Mayfield.
Joseph Edds	Mayfield.
GREENUP.	
Turner Martin	Catlettsburg.
Daniel Riffe	
GRANT.	
B. T. Green, guardian	
Susan F. Smith*	
John Stone	
F. Stone	
John L. Kinslear*	Williamstown.
Louisa Kinslear*	Williamstown.
GRAYSON.	
John Collard	
Elizabeth Line*	
Mahala Kincade	Millerstown.
Leah Davis	
James Lunstall	
Samuel Harris*	Millerstown.
GRAYSON—Continued.	
Andrew J. Daviess	Caneyville
Mrs. Nancy Hart	Millerstown
GARRARD.	
James H. Comley,* 3	Lancaster.
Alex. B. Brown	Lancaster.
R. M. Argo	
Wm. Lane*	
Joseph Snell	Bryantsville.
GREEN.	
H. L. Jones*	Clover Hill.
HOPKINS.	
James Utley	Madisonville.
S. B. Knight	
Elizabeth Howton	Chalk Level.
HARDIN.	
Mary C. Moorman	Big Spring.
Daniel Johnson	
Wm. H. Phillips*	
M. C. Phillips*	
Napoleon Meunier*	
Edward Meunier*	
HANCOCK.	
Martha A. Edwards*	Lewisport.
Catharine E. Edwards*	Lewisport.
Mary M Edwards*	Lewisport.
Celia A. Edwards*	Lewisport.
Robert Powers	Hawesville.
Charles Richey*	Hawesville.
HENRY.	
Thomas Birch*	
Burkett Dowdell	
William Kelly, (child)	Lockport.
James Shuck	Franklinton.
Martin Duvall*	Jericho.
Elias Clark	Port Royal.
HARLAN.	
Jesse Bailey	
HART.	
William Jaggers	
Richard Vance	
David A. Jaggers	Bacon Creek.
—— Hardin	Chalk Ridge.
HARRISON.	
Green White*	Oddville.
Mary Boyd*	Boyd's Station.
Jacob A. Rennecker*	
Samuel P. Peterson*	Irvinsville.
Lewis Van Hook*	Cynthiana.
HICKMAN.	
John A. Everett	

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COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
JEFFERSON.	
Levi Arterburn,* 2	Middletown.
Peter Arterburn	Middletown.
Henry Banton	
Lemanthus Rusk*	Louisville.
John Hoke*	Jeffersontown.
Sarah Arterburn	Middletown.
Rachel Arterburn	Middletown.
James H. Arterburn, 2	Middletown.
George Arterburn	Middletown.
Edward Brown	
JESSAMINE.	
William H. Sparks*	
Jacob Todhunter*	
JOHNSON.	
Joseph Tarchild	
John McCarty	Paintsville.
Phœbe Anns	Paintsville.
William Chaffin	Paintsville.
KENTON.	
Jacob D. Wilson*	Piner's ⋈ Roads.
Zach. Christopher	
P. B. Winslow	
Henry Bromleigh	
Laura B. Northcut	Covington.
KNOX.	
William Frederick	
G. A. Gatliff*	Barboursville.
Sarah J. Gatliff*	Barboursville.
Wm. Gilbert	
Major Gibson	
Nancy Tuttle, 2	Barboursville.
Martin Black, 2	
LAUREL.	
Benjamin Harrison	
Mary J. Jones, 2	London.
LAWRENCE.	
Wallace Borders	Peach Orchard.
Landram Moore	Falls of Blain.
Sarah McHenry	Louisa.
M. Keechen	Falls of Blain.
Sarah Triplett	Falls of Blain.
George Clay	Sand's Furnace.
Thomas Luster	Blain.
LEWIS.	
Josh. Ferguser, or Ferguson	
Cortez S. Fitch*	
LINCOLN.	
Ann Maria Bradley	
Maria Gilbert	
LIVINGSTON.	
James Burgers	
G. P. Clay	Falls of Blain.
LOGAN.	
I. T. Proctor*	
M. H. Doors	
John Cashland	
W. H. Oglesby	
William Thompson*	
Sarah Terry*	Russellville.
Patsy S. Terry*	Russellville.
MADISON.	
John Ballard*	
W. B. Embry	
Silas Ford*	
Malvina Elkins*	Kirksville.
Mary Ann Elkins*	Kirksville.
MARION.	
James D. Ferrill	
H. Caho	
Susan Spalding	
Austin A. Thomas*	
Jas C. Whitehouse, sr.	
James B. Wathen*	Lebanon.
MARSHALL.	
Elizabeth York	Benton.
Marion Rose*	Benton.
Wiley Rose*	Benton.
Martha A. Rose*	Benton.
MASON.	
Andrew Owens*	Lewisburg.
Alice D. Riggen*	Orangeburg.
Thomas Farrow	Orangeburg.
Edward L. Bullock	Orangeburg.
Peter Haws	
W. D. Aot	Mayslick.
Joseph Gibson	Maysville.
Abraham Gooden	
P. C. Farrar	Orangeburg.
McCRACKEN.	
James Gamblin	Paducah.
Archy Lovelace	
David Waltman	Paducah.
David Walterman	Lovelaceville, in Ballard county.
MEADE.	
Mary Isabella Brown*	
Samuel Berger	
Joseph T. Yeager	
R. Long	
MERCER.	
Thomas Atchison	Duncansville.
Eliza H. Adkins	McAfee.

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COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
MONROE.	
Armsted O. Furgerson	
Geo. W. Huffman	
Amon, or Aaron Jobe	
Wm. Wright	
Sam. S. Speakman, 2	
M. S. Hodges	
MONTGOMERY.	
Dillard Duncan	
MORGAN.	
Wiliam Adkins, jr.	
Drury Evans	Sandy.
S. D. Hunter	
Catharine Posterling	West Liberty.
Lucinda Adams	Adamsville.
Elizabeth Adkins	Triplett creek.
John Adkins	Horton.
Anna Adkins	Woodlawn.
Wm. Easterling	West Liberty.
Sarah Easterling	West Liberty.
Pricey Adkins	Woodlawn.
Frederick Adkins	Horton.
Matilda Adkins	Woodlawn.
Elizabeth Adkins	Woodlawn.
MUHLENBURG.	
William Buchannan	Greenville.
Amos Bennett	Carrollton.
Michael Rose	
NELSON.	
Stephen Smith	
William Knott, 2	
NICHOLAS.	
Reuben Walls	
OHIO.	
Rice Black	
J. C. P. Porter*	
OLDHAM.	
Robert Sandifer*	
OWEN.	
G. A. Sharp	
A. J. King*	
OWSLEY.	
D. S. Hammonds	
Lewis Marcum	Green Hall.
J. Haironamus	Grey Hawk
PENDLETON.	
James Keith*	
POWELL.	
Wm. Yocum	
Jacob Larrison	
Wm. Youcum	
PERRY.	
Thos. Hue	
Polly C. Ortree, jr.	
Thos. Hall	
Polly Wootan	
PIKE.	
Andrew Adkins	Hamilton's store.
PULASKI.	
Hiram Tarter	Waterloo.
Abraham Jasper*	Waterloo.
Hudson Newby	Somerset.
Abel McDaniel	Somerset.
John S. Langdon*	
ROCKCASTLE.	
Holbert Southard*	
Elizabeth Adams*	
RUSSELL.	
James Collins	Jamestown.
Thos. S. Wilson	Jamestown.
George L. Dickerson	Neatsville, Adair county.
Robert Irvine	Jamestown.
ROWAN.	
James B. Patterson	
SCOTT.	
Alexander Kelly*	Georgetown.
Thos. J. Holdird	
Samuel McDonalds	
Thos. N. Jewett	Oxford or Newtown.
SHELBY.	
Josiah Edington	Clay Village.
Wm. L. Edwards	Clay Village.
James Etherton	Clay Village.
P. Young	Shelbyville.
James Miles*, 2	Christiansburg.
SIMPSON.	
Solomon Caldwell	Franklin.
Jackson Horn	Franklin.
Charity Skeen	Franklin.
SPENCER.	
Jesse Crum	
Emma Beard	Wilsonville.
Bell Beard	Wilsonville.
Ann M. Langsford*	Taylorsville.
M. T. Jones	Shortsville, Bullitt county.
TAYLOR.	
Caleb Cox	Manslick.
Elijah Spires	Campbellsville.
John Spurling	
Samuel Moppin	Saloma.
Sarah E. Spires	Mannsville.
Elizabeth Francis	Campbellsville.

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COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
TODD.	
Gilford Berry	
Lucy Stinnett	Lynchburg.
Toabiline Woods	Fairview.
Andrew Moore*	Trenton.
Ann Moore	Fairview.
Samuel Gilford	
Sarah White	Fairview.
TRIGG.	
Jane Reynolds	Lindsey Mills.
A. Reynolds	Roaring Springs.
M. J. Reynolds	Roaring Springs.
Thos. H. Spencer*	Cadiz.
Martha Alice Shaw	Laura Furnace.
W. C. Reynolds	Lineport, Stewart co., Tenn.
Wilson Stewart	Belview.
WARREN.	
James D. Matlock*	
Stephen Lonny	
WARREN—Continued.	
Rebecca Denny, 2	
Hetty L. Kerby	Bowling-green.
WASHINGTON.	
Nicholas Burns	
Lythe Kay	
Thomas Key, 2	
WAYNE.	
Wm. Gibson, sr.	Monticello.
Wm. L. Gadberry	Clio.
John Asberry	
John C. Hurst	
WHITLEY.	
John Bodkins	Williamsburg.
John Bennett, 2	
WOODFORD.	
Peter Harmond	
Joseph Frazer	

Additional list of Deaf Mutes in the State of Kentucky, being those reported by the Commissioners of Tax for 1859–60.

COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
ADAIR.	
Susan F. Grissom	Gradyville.
Kitty A. Grissom	Gradyville.
Samuel E. Grissom	Gradyville.
James O. Grissom	Gradyville.
Mary A. Dahoney	Milltown.
Donalson Squires	Columbia.
ALLEN.	
Simon Gibbs	
Levi Gammon,* 2	
Wm. Johnson	
Henry Kilman	
ANDERSON.	
Burrell Gowens	
Littleberry Bailey*	
A. F. Moore	
BALLARD.	
Ann E. Haden	
BATH.	
Abe Sears	
BRACKEN.	
Cassander Whipps	
Daniel McDowell	
BARREN.	
Daniel Butler	
James Famster	
Henry T. Grissom*	
Ann E. Haiden	Three Forks.
Rachel Huffman	
W. C. Lewis	R. Hill
BREATHITT.	
George King	
CALDWELL.	
Samuel Holeman	
CALLOWAY.	
Lucy Harvey, 2	
CAMPBELL.	
Elizabeth Decker, 2	
Nathan Laycock, 3	

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COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
CARROLL.	
J. G. O'Neil	Ghent.
CARTER.	
Abraham Smith	
CASEY.	
C. F. Coffey	
CHRISTIAN.	
John West	Pleasant Hill.
CLARKE.	
James Carey*	
James A. Edmonson	Winchester.
CLAY.	
Henry Smith, 2	
Harrison Smith	
CLINTON.	
Jesse P. Flowers	Albany.
Isaac W. Hudson, *	
J. L. M. Swan	
Wesley Jones	Albany.
G. R McCluskey	
David Savage	Albany.
DAVIESS.	
Eilbeck Barron	Owensboro.
J. H. Richmond	
ESTILL.	
Hiram Stevens	Irvine.
George Wade	Irvine.
Polly Birk	
FAYETTE.	
George Tankersley	Lexington.
FLEMING.	
Jonathan Plummer	Poplar Plains.
Nancy Kessick	Hillsborough.
FLOYD.	
William Hunter	
Mary Ann Meade	Prestonsburg.
Thomas G. Layne	Prestonsburg.
GARRARD.	
Martha Ann Stephens	Lancaster.
John Adams	Crab Orchard.
GRAVES.	
E. C. Tucker	
Dublin Jackson	
T. D. Meadows	
W. Riley	
James Croley	
Allen Seriatt	
A. G. McFadden	
GRAYSON.	
Michael Harrell*	
GREENUP.	
Thomas Laughlin	Springville.
Mary Burton	Oldtown.
HANCOCK.	
Ann Reed	
Giles Chambers, 4	
HARLAN.	
Rollin Eversole	
HARRISON.	
James Jewett	Leesburg.
Francis Jewett	Leesburg.
Joseph A. McAdams	Broadwell.
James Grey	Broadwell.
H. Roberts	Cynthiana.
HART.	
Alexander Gardner	
HICKMAN.	
John Haynes	
John Pool	
HOPKINS.	
W. Parsons	
Levi A. Dorris	
Joseph Veech, sr.	
JACKSON.	
Harrison Atlish	
JEFFERSON.	
H. L. Gaunt	
Raleigh Kendall	
JESSAMINE.	
John S. Cosby	
David Owens	
Sally Sagesser*	
David Smith	Nicholasville.
Samuel Grow	Nicholasville.
KENTON.	
Frank Bambage	
Hez. Durr	
Elijah Denny	
Joseph Rich	
Johnson Peobles*	
Harmon Brings	
KNOX.	
Cornelius Gillum	Bush's, Laurel
LARUE.	
Johnson Stillwell	
LAUREL.	
Susan E. Black	
Nancy Gilbert	Bush's Store.

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COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
LINCOLN.	
S. Middleton	
LIVINGSTON.	
Peter Owens	
LOGAN.	
John Adams, 2	
W. F. Hardy	
LYON.	
Henry Fulks	
George West	
LEWIS.	
Alex. Monarch	
Mary West	
MADISON.	
Levi Elliott*	
Perry Long*	
MASON.	
Araminta Bramble	Maysville.
Joseph T. Davis	Maysville.
Elizabeth Myers	Maysville.
George W. Grigsby	Germantown.
Henry Harwood	
Virgil Grant	Orangeburg.
Anderson Owens*	North Fork.
McCRACKEN.	
Wright Bonds	Paducah.
William Hughes	Woodville.
David Waltman	Paducah.
MEADE.	
James S. Cox*	
S. S. Richardson	
T. A. Brown	
MONROE.	
James F. Grimsby, 3	
MORGAN.	
Corilla Adkins	Daniel Horton's.
Armilda Adkins	Woodlawn.
Elenora Lockhart	Blackwater.
MUHLENBURG.	
S. M. Reed	
MARION.	
Constantine Cecil, 5	
Harrison Cox	
Elizabeth Shockeney	
NELSON.	
Elizabeth Cooper*	Fredericksburg, Washington co.
Sarah Cooper	Fredericksburg, Washington co.
NELSON—Continued.	
Wilford Wimsett	New Haven.
William Gardner	Fairfield.
Joseph Davis	Deatville.
Ralph Cotton	Boston.
OHIO.	
John Clark	Whitesville.
Samuel Parks	Briggs' Mill.
Edgar G. Phelps	Carrollton.
OWEN.	
Jacob Maddox	
OWSLEY.	
John Marcum	Traveler's Rest.
PENDLETON.	
John Clinkenbeard	Aspen Grove.
James Whitteker	Harlandsville, Harrison co.
PERRY.	
Ceely Woaton	
Solomon Hampton	
Wilson Morgan	
PIKE.	
Isaac Taylor	Hamilton's store.
Mary McCoy	Piketon.
Joseph R. Anier	Breckinridge.
Mary J. Jewett	Lonville.
Lewis B. Stotridge	Lonville.
Alfred Estess or Estep	Piketon.
Susan Prater	Hamilton's store.
Isaac Taylor	Hamilton's store.
PULASKI.	
Charity Vaught	
ROWAN.	
John A. Cross	
RUSSELL.	
John Cope	
John Odle	
SCOTT.	
B. F. Finley	
Hollint Southard	
SIMPSON.	
Jackson Hann	
SPENCER.	
Benj. Cotrell	
TAYLOR.	
Joshua Cox, sr.	Mannsville.
Elijah Speers	Mannsville.
Richard Wright	

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COUNTIES.	POST-OFFICE.
TODD.	
B. B. Wilson	
TRIGG.	
Mastin Gore*	
W. E. Reynolds	Roaring Spring.
J. M. Reynolds	Roaring Spring.
John Lacy	Roaring Spring.
John A. Holt	Lindsey's Mills.
Eustacia A. Stewart	Belview, Christian county.
Mary J. Puckett	Canton.
Nancy M. Puckett	Canton.
TRIMBLE.	
William Drake	
TRIMBLE—Continued.	
Jesse Hood	
William G. Luckett, sr.	
WARREN.	
John T. Johnson	
WASHINGTON.	
Richard Keen	
John Dillin	
WAYNE.	
Nancy Hurst	Monticello.
WOODFORD.	
Sebastian Stone	

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Directions for teaching and training deaf and dumb children at home, previously to their being brought to the Institution, and for their future instruction after they have left it.

Much may, and ought to be done, by the parents of deaf and dumb children, from infancy, for their improvement, previously to their entrance into the Institution, and we are not without strong hope, now that the returns made yearly by the assessors of tax will place us in possession of the names and the post-offices of the mutes in the State, we may be able, by some plain and simple directions, to influence the parents of these children, by a course of home education, to prepare them to enter the Institution with a vantage ground equal at least to one year's instruction in it. Indeed, an intelligent parent might profit his child perhaps even to a greater degree than this. For this home education and training would prevent the mental faculties from sinking into that wretched state of ignorance, inactivity, and imbecility, from which it is so difficult to arouse many of them. It has been observed, that where a child has received any instruction, if only to write mechanically, and to write his name and the names of his friends, and a few simple objects around him, his mental condition is generally far superior to that of ordinary deaf and dumb children. A proper moral training of deaf mute children, which is almost universally neglected, would prevent the growth and development of their passions, which are often enormous, sometimes difficult to repress, and always a certain source of misery to themselves and family.

Do not yield to a false and morbid sympathy and affection for your child; do not indulge its wayward passions. Such morbid affection and indulgence are a bane to the unfortunate child's welfare and happiness. Treat it as you do your other children; check and restrain its passions, and bring it up to regular habits of industry; teach and require it to do something.

As soon as it is old enough, teach it the manual alphabet, and make yourself familiar with its use. Teach it to write a fair and legible hand, first on a slate, and then on paper. Present the objects around, and teach it to write their names on a slate and spell them on the hand, until they are fixed in the memory. It is not necessary that the child should know anything of the sounds of the letters of the alphabet, or of the words taught. There is no mystery nor any great difficulty in beginning the education of deaf mutes, as is commonly supposed; the difficulty lies in the after progress. The first steps are simple and easy enough, and within the ability of any person who will attempt to master them.

There is no more difficulty or mystery in a deaf mute learning to distinguish the letter *a* from the letter *b*, (teach the small letters first, the capitals they will learn of themselves,) by the two positions of the hand made for these two letters, than for a speaking child to learn to distinguish them by their names or sounds. The mute child as readily learns that the three written letters *h-a-t* (hat) represent, or are the name of the object *hat*, when it is shown to him in connection with the written name, as an ordinary child learns to associate the spoken name with the same object. The cases are precisely analogous, and the

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mystery or difficulty is no greater in the one than the other. Repeat the presentation of the object, if necessary, until the association becomes fixed and permanent. The object seen recalls to the mute the written name, and the written name recalls the object. That is all the spoken name does; neither more nor less. So of any other object. Get picture books, and extend the child's knowledge of words by them from year to year.

The names of sensible actions are also easily taught; as for instance, to *walk*. Write the word *walk*, and at the same time make a movement with the hand, imitating the action of the feet. This movement of the hand becomes the significant and permanent *sign* for the word. All similar words may be as readily taught; as run, swim, cut, eat, stand, lie, sleep, awake, &c Sensible qualities may be communicated in the same manner; *hard*, for example, by striking the knuckles of the clenched fist on the back of the left hand, with a suitable and natural expression of countenance accompanying the action; *soft*, by pressing the fingers of the right hand into the fleshy palm of the left. And so of many others, which any person who will watch the signs of the child, may learn from him. As his age and intelligence increase, he will invent, or rather use, such gesticulations as nature prompts. Observe and adopt these to instruct him; they are precisely those which are used in all institutions. The language of signs is the language of nature; in institutions for the deaf and dumb, extended and systematized upon natural and philosophical principles.

Enlarge his vocabulary of words from year to year. Your ability to teach will increase with the efforts made. Make it your business to teach and develop the mind of your child. Moral and religious ideas may be communicated within a limited, but very useful degree. Express abhorrence of wrong doing by an appropriate frown of the countenance, and gesticulation of the hands, and turning away with disapprobation, and by discipline, if necessary. *Good* is expressed by kissing the hand with an expression of pleasure and approbation; *bad* by throwing the hand thus laid on the mouth, from it, with the palm downwards, with an expression, in the manner of the gesticulation and in the face, of disapprobation. *Right* is expressed by moving the lower edge of the right hand, erected and pointing forwards, over the extended palm of the left, in a straight or right line, accompanied by the sign for *good*, and an approving expression of countenance. *Wrong* by a crooked and zigzag course of the hand, with the sign for *bad* added, with an expression of disapproval. The sign for *God* is simply pointing and looking upward in a reverential manner. His attributes of goodness, wisdom, and power may be easily taught by pointing upward for God, with the signs for good, wise, and strong—signs which the child, by this time, will himself have acquired—made in connection.

Some ideas of future rewards and punishments, the ingenious and diligent mother, who, perhaps, will alone have the patience to pursue, for a series of years, the directions here laid down, would easily enough teach by the time the child has reached the stage of progress and age now contemplated.

At twelve years of age, a deaf mute child thus taught and trained,

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would enter the Institution with an immense advantage over those neglected children now brought to us; ignorant, stupid, and bad as they commonly are. We entreat every parent into whose hands these directions may fall, if his or her child is under twelve, to commence following them immediately. But if he has arrived at the age of twelve, to send him (or her) at once to the Institution. The longer you delay the worse.

After a pupil has finished his course at the Institution, whether he shall continue to make advancement in knowledge, and the use of language, will depend very greatly upon the course his friends pursue towards him. He should be supplied with suitable books, simple and easy in style; and if illustrated with pictures, the better, and encouraged to read them. His friends should communicate with him chiefly by writing, or by using the alphabet on the hand. His errors should be corrected, and it would often be easy, by signs or definitions, to make him understand words or phrases, with which he may not be acquainted. If such a course is patiently pursued, his further progress, in a few years, will be considerable. In communicating with mutes by writing, it must be remembered that words erroneously spelled are no longer to the eye the same, however identical in sounds. They often fail to understand a communication on this account. The fault is in the ignorance and bad spelling of their friends.

ACTS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

An Act authorizing certain county courts to appoint Commissioners of Tax at the December term, and prescribing their further duties.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Commissioners of Tax in each county of this Commonwealth, for the year 1849, and for every year thereafter, to ascertain and report the number of free whites that are blind, and the deaf and dumb, in their respective districts.

Approved March 1, 1848. (Session Acts, 1847–8, p. 76.)

An Act requiring Assessors of Tax to return the name and post-offices of the deaf and dumb children in the several counties.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, That from and after the present year, it shall be the duty of the several Assessors of Tax within this Commonwealth to return on the back of their books, respectively, the names of each of the deaf and dumb children, between the ages of seven and twenty-one years, inclusive, in their said several counties, together with the name of the post-office nearest the place of residence of each mute.

Approved Feb. 17, 1851. (Session Acts, 1850–51, p. 26.)

NOTE.—The attention of the Assessors of Tax is particularly directed to the preceding acts, and they are respectfully and earnestly requested to make full returns of the deaf and dumb in their respecsive counties, *with the nearest post-office.*

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TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1859–60.

KENTUCKY INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB,

In account with T. Mitchell, Treasurer.

1859.	DEBITS.	
Nov. 10.	To cash, monthly family expenses to November 1	$502 79
Nov. 12.	To cash paid John Blount, salary to November 6	200 00
Nov. 18.	To cash paid D Scott, salary to October 1	62 50
Nov. 19.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, salary to October 1	250 00
Nov. 19.	To cash paid S. B. Cheek, salary to October 1	225 00
Nov. 19.	To cash paid Mrs. A. F Cheek, salary to October 1	50 00
Nov. 23.	To cash paid R J. Waggoner, jr., insurance	37 50
Nov. 26.	To cash paid C. H. Talbot, salary to October 1	100 00
Nov. 26.	To cash paid J. W. Jacobs, salary to October 1	175 00
Dec. 10.	To cash paid J. F. Trow, for printing 1,000 copies "Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes"	319 79
1860.		
Jan. 7.	To cash paid Ritchie & Co. for 1,000 copies likeness of Dr. Gallaudet for "Primary Lessons"	18 92
Jan. 9.	To cash paid monthly family expenses to January 1	1,085 19
Jan. 9.	To cash paid monthly expenses to December 1, 1859, (omitted in proper place)	291 75
Jan. 18.	To cash paid R. P. West for lumber	104 16
Jan. 20.	To cash paid D. A. Gliddon for plumbing	104 83
Feb. 6.	To cash paid John Blount, salary to February 6	2[illegible]5 00
Feb. 7.	To cash paid J. W. Jacobs, salary to January 1	175 00
Feb. 8.	To cash paid monthly family expenses to February 1	1,178 87
Feb. 17.	To cash paid D. Scott, salary to January 1	62 50
Feb. 17.	To cash paid S. B. Cheek, salary to January 1	225 00
Feb. 17.	To cash paid Mrs. A. F. Cheek, salary to January 1	50 00
Feb. 18.	To cash paid C. H. Talbot, salary to January 1	150 00
Feb. 22.	To cash paid J. A Jacobs, salary to January 1	250 00
Mar. 6.	To cash paid A. S. McGrorty, for insurance	130 50
Mar. 21.	To cash paid family monthly expenses to March 1	634 55
April 7.	To cash paid E. B. Miles, salary to April 1	100 00
April 10.	To cash paid J. W. Jacobs, salary to April 1	175 00
April 10.	To cash paid family monthly expenses to April 1	887 72
May 5.	To cash paid John Blount, salary to May 6	225 00
May 10.	To cash paid monthly family expenses to May 1	775 06
June 1.	To cash paid D. Scott, salary to April 1	62 50
June 2.	To cash paid S. B. Cheek, salary to April 1	225 00
June 2.	To cash paid Mrs. A. F. Cheek, salary to April 1	50 00
June 2.	To cash paid C. H. Talbot, salary to April 1	150 00
June 2.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, salary to April 1	250 00
June 13.	To cash paid family expenses to June 1	906 50
July 6.	To cash paid Edward B. Miles, salary to July 1	50 00
July 9.	To cash paid family monthly expenses to July 1	890 13
July 31.	To cash paid W. M. Stout, for insurance	75 00
Aug. 6.	To cash paid John Blount, salary to August 6	225 00
Aug. 11.	To cash paid monthly family expenses to Aug 1	344 97
Aug. 11.	To cash paid J. W. Jacobs, salary to July 1	175 00
Aug. 13.	To cash paid C. H. Talbot, salary to July 1	150 00
Aug. 16.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, salary to July 1	250 00
Aug. 16.	To cash paid S. B. Cheek, salary to July 1	225 00
Aug. 16.	To cash paid Mrs. A. F. Cheek, salary to July 1	50 00
Aug. 17.	To cash paid D. Scott, salary to July 1	62 50
Aug. 17.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, secretary, salary to January 1, 1860	25 00
	Amount carried forward	$12,986 73

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	Amount brought forward	$12,986 73
Aug. 28.	To cash paid J. F. Zimmerman, for insurance	25 00
Sept. 17.	To cash paid monthly family expenses to September 1	680 60
Oct. 3.	To cash paid E. B Miles, salary to October 1	50 00
Oct. 10.	To cash paid monthly family expenses to October 1	315 15
Oct. 17.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, salary to October 1	250 00
Oct. 20.	To cash paid C. H. Talbot, salary to October 1	150 00
		$14,457 48
Nov. 1.	To cash balance	1,616 22
		$16,073 70

CREDITS.

1859.		
Nov. 1.	By cash balance	$1,717 48
Nov. 5.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of pupils	114 00
Nov. 10.	By cash of State	2,982 52
1860.		
Jan. 28.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of pupils, and sale of "Primary Lessons"	183 50
Feb. 8.	By cash of State	3,138 32
March 21.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of pupils	90 00
March 31.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of pupils	80 00
April 23.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of pupils	150 00
May 10.	By cash of State	3,150 00
June 7.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of pupils	165 00
June 15.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, board of Sam'l and Julia Herron, and J. A. Jacobs, jr.	150 00
Aug. 4.	By cash of State	3,173 32
Aug. 6.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, collected of pupils, sale of "Primary Lessons," &c.	227 25
Oct. 5.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, collected of pupils, sale of "Primary Lessons," &c.	394 81
Oct. 13.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, collected of pupils	159 00
Oct. 17.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs for board of Samuel and Julia Heron and J. A. Jacobs, jr.	150 00
		$16,073 70

DEBITS.

NOTE.—In the hands of the Secretary as treasurer of the building fund.

1859.		
Nov. 21.	To cash balance	$2,485 81
1860.		
Feb. 6.	To cash received of Hon. C. H. DuPont, agent, Florida	187 06
Feb. 22.	To cash received of Hon. C. H. DuPont, agent, Florida	199 00
Feb. 22.	To cash premium on bill sold	50
March 14.	To cash eight coupons, $30 each, Louisville and Missouri bonds	240 00
April 3.	To cash balance, principal and interest, of Mayson's debt, Arkansas, for land sold	575 43
April 3.	To cash annual State appropriation	3,000 00
April 16.	To cash special appropriation by Legislature of 1859-60, for building and improvement purposes	10,000 00
May 1.	To cash received of C. H. DuPont, agent, Florida	1,384 83
May 11.	To cash interest on deposit in Central Bank	80 00
May 11.	To cash dividend on stock in Central Bank	155 00
May 11.	To cash exchange on bill from C. H. DuPont	46
May 11.	To cash exchange on bill from C. H. DuPont	4 46
May 2.	To cash contributed by J. A. Jacobs, in aid of printing "Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes"	500 00
June 18.	To cash received of C. H. DuPont, agent, Florida	79 60
June 30.	To cash seven coupons of State bonds	210 00
July 16.	To cash received of C. H. DuPont, agent, Florida	320 00
June 27.	To cash interest on deposit in Central Bank	60 00
July 3.	To cash dividend on stock in Central Bank	155 00
July 16.	To cash exchange on bill received of C. H. DuPont	80
		$19,637 95

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CREDITS.

1860.		
April 3.	By cash paid J. F. Trow, for printing 1,000 copies "Primary Lessons" in full	$401 84
April 5.	By cash paid R. P. West, for lumber	73 40
May 1.	By cash paid W. M. Stout, for bill of paints	84 95
May 2.	By cash paid for lands purchased	1,870 00
May 22.	By cash paid Welsh & Metcalfe, for 11 barrels cement	41 40
May 24.	By cash paid for 5 Tennessee State bonds	4,603 02
May 24.	By cash paid for 6 bonds city of Louisville	4,500 00
June 11.	By cash paid balance on same	60 00
June 16.	By cash paid R. P. West, bill of lumber	195 00
June 16.	By cash paid S. & E. S. Messick, for 44½ yards carpeting	40 05
June 16.	By cash paid Welsh & Metcalfe, for 85 yards carpeting	80 75
June 21.	By cash paid ——— Weihl, for bill of furniture	70 50
June 26.	By cash paid Michael Coughlin, for 7 days' labor	8 75
June 29.	By cash paid Welsh & Metcalfe, for 47 yards carpeting	29 10
July 5.	By cash paid Williams & Co., bill for plumbing work	31 95
July 17.	By cash paid Edmund Blount, for repairs to range	12 50
July 18.	By cash paid J. A. Jacobs, for traveling expenses, on business of the Institution	65 00
June 13.	By cash paid Malcolm Ayres, for papering room, (omitted in proper place)	4 50
Aug. 7.	By cash paid John McMahon, for 40 days' work	50 31
Aug. 15.	By cash paid Sam. Green, brick-mason, for 15 days' work	30 00
Aug. 16.	By cash paid R. P. West, for lumber	79 91
Aug. 28.	By cash paid John Wedgewood, for 2,500 shingles	12 50
Aug. 28.	By cash paid Joshua W. Jacobs, for 18 days' work	13 50
Sept. 3.	By cash paid Isaac Braxdall, in part for painting	20 00
Sept. 3.	By cash paid N. C. & C. B. Cosby, for plastering	84 85
Sept. 12.	By cash paid Willis Davis, for painting	52 50
Sept. 12.	By cash paid W. M. Stout, for paints	38 70
		$12,554 98
	Cash balance	7,082 97
		$19,637 95

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1860–61.

KENTUCKY INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB,

In account with T. Mitchell, Treasurer.

DEBITS.

1860.		
Nov. 8.	To cash paid Jno. Blount, for salary	$225 00
Nov. 8.	To cash paid Jno. W. Jacobs, for salary	175 00
Nov. 8.	To cash paid for monthly family expenses to November 1	696 98
Nov. 17.	To cash paid R. J. Waggoner, jr., for insurance	37 50
Nov. 23.	To cash paid S. B. Cheek, for salary	225 00
Nov. 23.	To cash paid Mrs. A. F. Cheek, for salary	50 00
Dec. 6.	To cash paid R. J. Waggoner, for insurance	37 50
1861.		
Jan. 1.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, secretary, to Jan. 1, (salary for one year)	25 00
Jan 7.	To cash paid for family expenses from November 1 to January 1	1,456 03
Jan. 7.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, for salary	250 00
Feb. 14.	To cash paid Jno. W. Jacobs, for salary	200 00
	Amount carried forward	$3,378 01

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	Amount brought forward	$3,378 01
Feb. 14.	To cash paid Jno. Blount, for salary	225 00
Feb. 14.	To cash paid S. B. Cheek, for salary	225 00
Feb. 14.	To cash paid Mrs. A. F. Cheek, for salary	50 00
Feb. 14.	To cash paid C. H. Talbot, for salary	200 00
Feb. 14.	To cash paid E. B. Miles, for salary	75 00
Feb. 34.	To cash paid D. Scott, for salary	62 50
Feb. 23.	To cash paid A. S. McGrorty, for insurance	127 50
April 5.	To cash paid for monthly family expenses for January and March	2,697 75
May 8.	To cash paid J. A. Jacobs, salary	250 00
May 8.	To cash paid S. B. Cheek, salary	225 00
May 8.	To cash paid C. H. Talbot, salary	200 00
May 8.	To cash paid Jno. W. Jacobs, salary	200 00
May 8.	To cash paid Mrs. A. F. Cheek, salary	50 00
May 8.	To cash paid E. B. Miles, salary	75 00
May 8.	To cash paid D. Scott, salary	62 50
May 13.	To cash paid John Blount, salary	225 00
June 9.	To cash paid for family expenses for April and May	1,408 34
July 1.	To cash balance	2,157 37
		$11,843 97

CREDITS.

1860.		
Nov. 1.	By cash balance	$1,616 22
Nov. 10.	By cash of State	3,102 94
Nov. 13.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of a pupil	80 00
1861.		
Jan. 7.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected from pupils and from sale of "Primary Lessons," &c.	279 40
Jan. 8.	By cash of J. A. Jacobs, for sale of 6 head of cattle	98 00
Feb. 4.	By cash of State	3,091 66
Feb. 4.	By cash paid by J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of R. K. Thompson	150 75
April 25.	By cash of J A. Jacobs, received of pupils and sale of "Primary Lessons"	118 00
April 25.	By cash of State	3,115 00
June 13.	By cash paid by J. A. Jacobs, principal, collected of pupils	192 00
		$11,843 97

DEBITS.

NOTE.—In the hands of the secretary, as treasurer of the building fund.

1860.		
Dec. 2.	To cash balance on hand	$7,082 97
Dec. 19	To interest on deposits in Central Bank	58 00
Dec. 26.	To coupons on State and city bonds	210 00
1861.		
Jan. 2.	To dividend on bank stock in Central Bank	124 00
Mar. 30.	To twenty-four State and city coupons	720 00
April 9.	Annual appropriation from the State	3,000 00
June 1.	To cash of C. H. Dupont, agent in Florida	48 50
June 28.	To interest on ordinary deposits	33 00
July 1.	To Central Bank dividend on stock	124 00
July 3.	To interest on special deposit of $4,000	286 00
		$11,686 47

CREDITS.

1860.		
Nov. 1.	By cash paid Isaac Braxdall, balance for 139 days' work at painting	$101 25
Nov. 20.	By cash paid B. B. Harris, for pointing stone-work	22 00
Nov. 21.	By cash paid Welsh & Metcalfe, for paints, oil, and wall-paper	123 55
Nov. 22.	By cash paid Hobbs, Walker & Co., for 107 apple and pear trees	25 70
Nov. 28.	By cash paid Moses Barbee, for twenty-three and a half days' work	17 62
Dec. 5.	By cash paid Jordan Doneghy, for twelve and a half days' work	9 37
Dec. 14.	By cash paid G. W. Collins, for stoves, grates, pumps, &c.	78 25
Dec. 18.	By cash paid R. West, for lumber	123 07
	Amount carried forward	$500 81

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		Amount brought forward	$500 8
Dec.	18.	By cash paid Jas. H. Pritchard, for 30 cedar posts	15 00
Dec	25.	By cash paid R. & E. Russel, for 5,328 bricks	42 62
Dec.	26.	By cash paid S. & C. F. Duncan, for grape-vines	22 75
1861.			
Jan.	1.	By cash paid S. P. Barbee, for chemical instruments, and freight on same	76 55
Jan.	7.	By cash paid S. J. Armstrong, for building ice-house	102 50
Jan.	7.	By cash paid W. M. Stout, for 8 barrels water-lime	27 20
Jan.	8.	By cash paid Jno. Tompkins, for stone-work on ice-house, 7 loads stone, and 100 bushels lime	98 00
Jan.	9.	By cash paid S. P. Barbee, for hydro-pult, and freight on same	13 00
Feb.	14.	By cash paid Ball & Co., for work done on ice-house and for grates	39 35
Feb.	22.	By cash paid N. C. Cosby, for work and materials on cisterns	59 00
Mar.	4.	By cash paid Malcolm Ayres, for painting	42 00
Mar.	6.	By cash paid Jno. Stodghill, for 460 feet plank	9 60
Mar.	24.	By cash paid Adam Withers, for 20 days' work	15 00
April	9.	By cash paid R. P. West, for lumber	13 37
April	20.	By cash paid Adam Withers, for six and a half days' work	4 87
June	5.	By cash paid W. M. Stout, for paints	41 50
June	7.	By cash paid Rob. Owsley, for work on cistern, in part	5 00
June	13.	By cash paid Rob. Owsley, balance seven and a half days' work on same	10 00
June	27.	By cash paid Rob. Owsley, for walling cess-pool	25 00
June	29.	By cash paid Henry Smith, for 51 days' work	38 25
June	29.	By cash paid Jno. Shilletto & Co., for 60 yards coir-carpeting	33 00
July	1.	By error in amount over-paid Moses Barbee	6 00
July	1.	By cash balance	10,446 10
			$11,686 47

FAMILY AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES FOR THE YEARS 1859–60.

1859.			
Oct.	1.	A. Swope, for 26 pounds butter	$4 34
Oct.	1.	C. H. Talbot, for traveling expenses on business of Institution	15 10
Oct.	11.	Monroe Mitchell, for plastering	25 50
Oct.	11.	Thos. Burnett, 423 pounds mutton	25 38
Oct.	12.	David Knox, for 2 cows and calves	90 00
Oct.	14.	Jefferson Rorer, for 19 bushels sweet potatoes	11 40
Oct.	16.	Thomas Stephenson, for hire of servant	7 00
Oct.	21.	W. F. G. Shanks, for advertising	20 00
Oct.	21.	John A. Heron, for a beef	20 00
Oct.	21.	Adam Withers, for 18 days' labor	13 50
Oct.	24.	Miss Mazoe's traveling expenses to Institution	10 75
Oct.	24.	Messick's bill for clothing and goods	91 32
Oct.	24.	Marketing and sundries	30 00
Oct.	26.	E. J. Heron, for a beef	15 50
Oct.	26.	Hire of servant two years	120 00
Oct.	26.	Thos. Hutchison, hire of servant	3 00
			$502 79

I have examined and approve the above account.

CHARLES HENDERSON, *Auditor.*

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Nov.	1.	Marketing and sundries	$40 00
Nov.	1.	John B. Akin, for spoons	4 00
Nov.	3.	Felix Fisher, for 20 cords wood	50 00
Nov.	5.	——— Springer, for tolls for wood hauled	5 40
Nov.	14.	Ball & Co.'s account for tin, hardware, &c.	42 02
Nov.	15.	Harvey Weathers, for dried apples	6 00
Nov.	17.	W. B. Ellis, for mattresses	28 48
Nov.	18.	Mrs. Eliza Kinnaird, 10½ pounds lard, 10 days' work of servant, butter and chickens	20 35
Nov.	19.	Marketing and sundries	30 00
Nov.	22.	Thos. Williams & Co., for a pump	15 00
Nov.	26.	John Tompkins, for walling pit, &c.	48 50
			$291 75

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CHARLES HENDERSON, *Auditor.*

Dec.	2.	John Springer, for toll on wood hauled	$7 25
Dec.	5.	J. H. Sellers, for 60 bushels sand	9 00
Dec.	6.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Dec.	8	E. B. Blunt, for grates and flue brushes	5 75
Dec.	8.	Thomas Kelsall, for table stools	11 45
Dec.	9.	G. W. Welsh, in part, for groceries, pork, clothing, iron, &c.	500 00
Dec.	19.	A. G. Hodges, for engraving manual alphabet for reports	28 35
Dec.	19.	J. H. Sellers, for 820 bushels coal	188 50
Dec.	20.	J. H. Williamson, for 50 cords of wood of A. Rice	125 00
Dec.	23.	Porter Barbee, express charges on books, castings, &c.	7 95
Dec.	27.	David Langford, for ice, in part	20 00
Dec.	28.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Dec.	31.	Morton Crow, for manure	10 00
Dec.	31.	Thomas Robinson, for 80 dozen eggs and 320 pounds butter	48 00
Dec.	31.	Dr. C. Graham, for 11 barrels corn and hire of servant	43 94
			$1,085 19

I have examined and approve the above account.

CHARLES HENDERSON, *Auditor.*

1860.

Jan.	8	Hire of three women and a man	$270 00
Jan.	9.	George C. Spears, for 40 cords wood	100 00
Jan.	10.	John H. Weihl's account for furniture	32 50
Jan.	12.	David Langford, for balance on ice	8 00
Jan.	12.	R. J. Breckinridge, for hire of servant	50 00
Jan.	12.	Jona Nichols, for hearse	5 00
Jan.	13.	Welch & Co.'s account, balance on hogs, groceries, corn, clothing, &c.	589 00
Jan.	15.	73½ pounds butter, John Caldwell	12 25
Jan.	15.	395 pounds shoat	19 75
Jan	15.	12 barrels corn of James McWilliams	30 00
Jan.	21.	Postage stamps for reports, Wesley Orear	22 37
Jan.	28.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
			$1,178 87

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Feb.	1.	S. S. Moore, for leather	$8 90
Feb.	3.	James Garrett's account for blacksmithing	52 39
Feb.	3.	Rochester & McNeal's account for meal, flour, and sugar	74 88
Feb.	3.	Expenses of pupils to Frankfort	69 15
Feb.	9.	Thomas Barnett's account, balance for beef and mutton	27 61
Feb.	9.	83 pounds butter of A. Simms	13 83
Feb.	10.	—— Bonta, for plastering cistern	7 00
Feb.	17.	Town tax on servants	8 00
Feb.	17.	R P. West for lumber	52 56
Feb	17.	G. W. Collins & Co. for cider mill, stove pipe, &c., &c.	104 83
Feb	17.	W. M. Stout's account for books, medicines, glass, &c., &c.	179 57
Feb.	20.	R. & E. Russell for 4,475 bricks	35 80
			$634 55

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Mar.	1.	George Doneghy, for hauling wood and stone	$8 25
Mar.	2.	David Langford, for hauling wood	
Mar.	3.	Sam. Green, for putting up fire-grates	5 00
Mar.	7.	Thomas Barnett, for 1,122 pounds beef and mutton	70 12
Mar.	7.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Mar.	11.	210 pounds beef, of John G. Talbot	10 60
Mar.	13.	Miss Hale's salary to Feb. 1	25 00
Mar.	14.	15 loads coal, of Z. C. Merritt	360 00
Mar.	20.	Welch & Metcalfe's account for groceries, butter, clothing, &c.	268 91
Mar.	21.	4 barrels sugar of Welch & Metcalfe	88 34
			$887 72

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April	1.	W. J. Moore's bill for clothing for pupils	$184 10
April	3.	John Gore's wages to April 1, 1861	100 00
April	3.	Hire of servant	147 50
April	4.	Daniel Yeiser, for two stacks clover hay	40 00
April	5.	Thomas Barnett, for 1,143 pounds beef	71 13
April	6.	Weatherford & Lee's account for groceries, &c.	165 00
April	10.	A. S. McGrorty's account for books, paints, stationery, &c.	44 13
April	18.	19 bushels seed oats, of James McWilliams	12 35
April	19.	Porter Barbee, express carriage on books	4 75
April	20.	H. Hamilton's account, tea, &c.	5 75
			$775 06

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May	1.	G. W. Weathers, for evergreens and fruit trees	$6 20
May	3.	John Yeiser, for 70 barrels corn	175 00
May	4.	H. Kenley, for two cords wood	5 00
May	10.	Worcester's dictionary	7 50
May	10.	Dr. Joseph Smith, medical bill	7 00
May	10.	Thos. Barnett, for 1,055 pounds beef	75 45
May	10.	Rochester & McNeil's account for groceries, &c.	89 60
May	10.	W. R. Orear, for postage and 7 pounds tea	12 59
May	10.	W. B. Morrow, for groceries, &c.	68 20
May	10.	Jackson Davis, for 211½ bushels wheat	232 65
May	10.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
May	10.	Miss Hale's salary to June 1	16 54
May	17.	112 pounds butter, Henry Hamilton	17 17
May	18.	24 bushels hominy, of Mrs. Nancy Spears	36 00
May	20.	8 head of beef cattle, of W. C. Keas	117 60
			$906 50

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June	6.	1,140 pounds mutton of Thomas Barnett, 7 cents	$82 50
June	7.	Lossing's Pictorial History of the United States	10 00
June	15.	Porter Barbee, express on box of books	5 15
June	15.	—— Wheeler, daguerreotype of Institution	5 00
June	15.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
June	15.	Lewis Street, for 65 cords of wood	152 60
June	17.	Welsh & Metcalfe, for groceries, clothing, &c.	408 66
June	18.	William Pritchard, for three beef cattle	64 37
June	20.	Abraham Clem, for 20 sheep	44 40
June	23.	S. & E. S. Merrick's account for clothing, &c.	71 28
June	30.	43 pounds of butter of John Caldwell	6 17
			$890 13

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July 4.	—— Scott, for sweet potatoe plants	$4 80
July 13.	Z. C. Merritt & Bro., for 5 loads coal and 200 bushels of sand	148 00
July 16.	John Akin, for 2½ dozen chickens	5 00
July 17.	J. F. Barnett's bill for medicines and books	23 70
July 18.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
July 26.	Dr. Samuel Ayres, bill for dentistry	10 50
July 28.	G. Rice, for bill of exchange for payment of bill of J. B. Chandler, engraving, printing ,and framing 200 advertisements	94 47
July 28.	Porter Barbee, for express charges on two boxes framed advertisements	18 50
		$344 97

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Aug. 4.	268 pounds butter, 199 dozen eggs, &c., of Thos. Robinson	$54 40
Aug. 13.	C. H. Talbott, traveling expenses on business of Institution	15 10
Aug. 15.	44 pounds butter, of John Caldwell	7 31
Aug. 16.	C. P. Ball & Co., bill for tin and hardware	38 90
Aug. 16.	W. J. Moore's bill for clothing for pupils	209 65
Aug. 20.	John Yeiser, for 10 barrels corn	25 00
Aug. 20.	J. L. & W. H. Waggoner's account for goods and clothing	32 31
Aug. 21.	J. B. Chandler, for engraving and for 2,000 engraved envelopes	25 00
Aug. 27.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Aug. 28.	Welch & Metcalfe's account for groceries, &c.	232 93
		$680 60

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Sept. 11.	Drs. Pawling & Cowan's bill for one year's medical attendance	$165 00
Sept. 11.	G. W Collins' account for grates, pump, tin-ware, repairs, &c.	103 65
Sept. 22.	John Caldwell, 39 pounds butter	6 50
Sept. 25.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
		$315 15

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SUMMARY.

1859.	
Expenses for October	$502 79
Expenses for November	291 75
Expenses for December	1,085 19
1860.	
Expenses for January	1,178 87
Expenses for February	634 55
Expenses for March	887 72
Expenses for April	775 06
Expenses for May	906 50
Expenses for June	890 13
Expenses for July	344 97
Expenses for August	680 60
Expenses for September	315 15
	$8,493 28
To be deducted for books, clothing, lumber, work, &c.	1,699 00
Net family expenses	$6,794 28

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FAMILY AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR 1860-61, TO JULY 1.

Oct.	2.	Rochester & McNeil's account, for groceries, &c.	$30 99
Oct.	2.	W. S. Morrow's account, for groceries, &c	17 39
Oct.	3.	Adam Withers, for 14 days' work	10 50
Oct.	4.	Wm. Stewart, 200 bushels 39 pounds wheat	200 39
Oct.	5.	John H. Weihl's account for furniture	26 40
Oct.	6.	Wm. Pritchard, 259 feet plank	5 18
Oct	11.	Welsh & Metcalfe, for butter	50 00
Oct.	11.	W. S. Morrow, for butter	10 00
Oct.	11.	Rochester & McNeil, for butter	20 00
Oct.	12.	Thos. Barnett, for 668 pounds mutton	41 76
Oct.	13.	Robert Grey, for hauling 2½ days	6 25
Oct.	14.	Z. C. Merritt & Bro., for 5 loads coal	120 00
Oct.	15.	W. M. Stout's account for books, medicines, &c.	89 27
Oct.	18.	Porter Barbee, for 100 pounds butter	17 00
Oct.	18.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Oct.	25.	50 copies Peet's Scripture Lessons	7 50
Oct.	27.	Mrs. Cram, for weaving carpeting	4 55
			$696 98

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Nov.	3.	Three loads coal, Merritt & Bro.	$72 00
Nov.	3.	Richard Moore, for 351 cabbages	9 88
Nov.	8.	106 pounds butter, Porter Barbee	17 90
Nov.	9.	Sam. Porter, Annals for Deaf and Dumb	25 00
Nov.	14.	Zimmerman & Son, for advertising	3 50
Nov.	16.	John G. Chiles, for 2 barrels butter	34 50
Nov.	16.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Nov.	21.	Welsh & Metcalfe, for groceries, oats, clothing, &c.	513 66
Nov.	21.	Lewis Street, for four cords of wood	10 00
Nov.	26.	Porter Barbee's express on fruit-trees	8 50
Nov.	28.	Joshua W. Jacobs, for 194 pounds pork	8 94
Nov.	29.	Two barrels butter, John G. Chiles	36 37
			$780 25

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Dec.	4.	F. J. Cheek, for 286 pounds beef	$15 00
Dec.	5.	Welsh & Metcalfe, for 3,737 pounds pork, &c.	200 60
Dec.	8.	2¾ dozen chickens	5 50
Dec.	10.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Dec.	14.	G. W. Collins' account for sundries	25 35
Dec.	18.	H. Mitchell, for turkeys and chickens	9 10
Dec.	18.	John Craig, for 24 barrels corn	60 00
Dec.	22.	Merritt & Bro., for 6 loads coal	134 88
Dec.	22.	J. R. Price, for 34 pounds butter	5 66
Dec.	22.	17 loads of wood of John McClane	51 00
Dec.	24.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Dec.	26.	S. I. M. Major, for printing 1,000 copies Annual Catalogue	40 00
Dec.	26.	223 pounds butter and 61 dozen eggs of Thos. Robinson	33 44
Dec.	26.	Adam Withers, for 11 days' work	8 25
Dec.	26.	W. R. Orear, for postage stamps	7 60
			$675 78

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Jan.	2.	S. S. Moore, for leather	$8 52
Jan.	2.	Mary Elder, for 50½ pounds butter	8 42
Jan.	2.	28 cords wood of Lewis Street	84 00
Jan.	3.	Dennis & Walton, repairs to range, &c.	9 00
Jan.	5.	Mrs. Martha Bell, for hire of servant	50 00
Jan.	5.	J. B. Akin, for 3 clocks and a dozen spoons	22 50
Jan.	5.	Moreton Crow, for manure	12 00
Jan.	5.	21 pounds sole leather	6 30
Jan.	5.	7 bushels salt of Merritt	3 85
Jan.	5.	Henry Baughman, for a beef cow	55 00
Jan.	7.	Marketing and sundries	40 00
Jan.	8.	Hire of 3 servant women and a man for 1860	300 00
Jan.	8.	J. B. Peck, for 3 bushels water lime	12 00
Jan.	8.	740 pounds beef of Isham Coulter	29 60
Jan.	10.	J. F. Barnett's account for pencils, books, medicines, &c.	2 30
Jan.	10.	Wm. Richards, for 25¼ pounds butter and 2 bushels apples	5 20
Jan.	11.	50 cords wood of Wm. Reed	150 00
Jan.	11.	Wm. Walker, for washing machine and sundries	11 00
Jan.	14.	39½ gallons whisky, for medical use	45 42
Jan.	14.	Part of Welch & Metcalfe's ac't for groceries, pork, wood, clothing, &c.	220 00
Jan.	14.	Sam. Green, for putting up grates, &c.	4 00
Jan.	18.	S. P. Barbee's account for saddlery	9 80
Jan.	18.	Welsh & Metcalfe, hire of servant of Dr. R. J. Breckinridge	50 00
Jan.	18.	Henry Hamilton's account for sundries	16 08
Jan.	18.	Dr. Scott's account for sundries	9 55
Jan.	26.	J. Lee, for 5 turkeys and 22 chickens	6 16
Jan.	26.	Joseph Davis, for 12 barrels corn	30 00
Jan.	28.	Welsh & Metcalfe, in part for wood, pork, groceries, goods, &c.	200 00
Jan.	30.	Mary Elder, for 27 pounds butter	4 50
Jan.	31.	——— Johnson, for 17 bushels meal	8 50
			$1,393 70

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Feb.	4.	Marketing and sundries	$40 00
Feb.	6.	Town tax on servants	5 60
Feb.	8.	Welsh & Metcalfe's account for pork, groceries, clothing, &c.	343 03
Feb.	14.	Ball & Co.'s account for tin work and ware	30 32
Feb.	16.	J. L. & W. H. Waggoner's account for clothing, &c.	40 40
Feb.	21.	Rochester & McNeil's account for groceries, &c.	62 88
Feb.	22.	595 bushels coal, 25 cents	148 75
Feb.	22.	Jas. Garrett's blacksmith's account	60 80
Feb.	24.	Nichols & Hannaford, for a lounge and mattress	10 00
Feb.	24.	Balance on Barnett's account for beef	38 06
Feb.	28.	7 barrels corn, of Mrs. L. Crawford	21 00
			$800 84

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Mar.	4.	A. S. McGrorty's account for medicines, oils, &c.	$46 36
Mar.	4.	W. S. Morrow's account for candles, potatoes, &c.	77 81
Mar.	4.	Welsh & Metcalfe, account in part for groceries, &c.	300 00
Mar.	5.	Thos. Barnett, for 1,219 pounds beef	54 04
Mar.	26.	Jas. H. Garrard, for copying reports of treasurer for 17 years	25 00
			$503 21

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April	6.	W. J. Moore's account for clothing	$167 00
April	10.	Marketing, &c.	40 00
April	10.	Miss Sallie Innis, for services to April 13	18 75
April	10.	Z. C. Merritt & Bro., for 232 feet plank and 16½ bushels sand	7 94
April	12.	Lewis Street, for 6 cords wood	18 00
April	15.	Mrs. Spears, for 27 bushels hominy	40 50
April	30.	Z. C. Merritt, for 100 bushels sand	16 00
			$308 19

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May	2.	Thos. Barnett's account for beef for March and April	$32 64
May	11.	596 pounds beef and mutton, of D. B. Royalty	42 78
May	11.	Welsh & Metcalfe's account for groceries, goods, clothing, &c.	426 19
May	13.	Account of W. B. Edelen, for medicine, paper, &c.	32 73
May	13.	Waggoner's account for goods, clothing, &c.	27 97
May	15.	P. E. Sullivan, for digging grave	3 00
May	15.	Marketing	40 00
May	15.	J. E. Cogar, for 1,685 bushels coal	421 25
May	17.	2,000 sweet potatoe plants, of P. Barbee	4 50
May	19.	12 cords of wood, of J. L. Harlan	30 00
May	20.	D. B. Royalty, for 277 pounds beef and mutton	18 70
May	27.	D. B. Royalty, for 282 pounds mutton	20 44
			$1,100 15

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June	3.	D. B. Royalty, for 285 pounds mutton	$19 85
June	5.	Thos. Robinson, for 263¼ pounds of butter, &c.	52 90
June	5.	W. M. Stout, for books, medicines, paper, groceries, &c.	204 13
June	6.	Sam. Gordon, for hauling 18 loads wood	18 00
June	6.	Geo. W. Webb, for repairs	4 40
June	7	Lewis Street, for 6 cords of wood	15 00
June	8.	239 pounds mutton, D. B. Royalty	14 34
June	12.	G. W. Collins, for 2 pumps, &c.	44 60
June	12.	Rochester & McNeil, for groceries to April 18	11 16
June	12.	Miss Sallie Innis, for services to June 13	12 00
June	14.	W. S. Morrow's account for candles, apples, butter, &c.	33 45
June	15.	Dan. Yeiser, for 102 bushels wheat	92 30
June	16.	Marketing, &c.	40 00
			$562 13

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RECAPITULATION FOR THE YEAR 1860–61, TO JULY 1.

Expenses for October	$696 98
Expenses for November	780 25
Expenses for December	675 78
Expenses for January	1,393 70
Expenses for February	800 84
Expenses for March	503 21
Expenses for April	308 19
Expenses for May	1,100 15
Expenses for June	562 13
	$6,821 23
To be deducted for clothing, books, lumber, work, &c.	638 36
Net family expenses	$6,182 87

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RULES AND TERMS OF ADMISSION, &c.

1. Provision has been made by the State of Kentucky for the board and instruction of all the deaf mutes of the State. No charge for board and tuition is made; no certificate of indigency is necessary. Every mute in Kentucky will be received who is of proper age, of good character, and in good health; and their parents and friends are earnestly invited to avail themselves of the advantages of the Institution for their unfortunate children.

Entrance and return at the commencement of the session are of the highest importance. The progress of a pupil for the whole session often depends upon his punctual return at the beginning of it. Sometimes the whole course of his education is injuriously affected by tardiness in returning.

It is important that new pupils should enter at the beginning, that they may be able to join the new class of the session; otherwise they may ultimately have to fall into the class of the next year, and thus lose the advantages of a whole year's education by a few weeks' delay.

2. Cost of boarding for pupils from other States, including washing, lights, &c., *one hundred and five dollars* per session of ten months. Tuition gratis. No charge for vacation, if the pupil remains. No deduction for absence at the beginning or end of the session, after the pupil has entered, unless from sickness.

3. The best age for entrance is twelve. Pupils will be admitted between ten and thirty; but parents should not delay the education of their children after twelve. They seldom learn as well after twenty as before. By neglecting and delaying their education, you are criminally compromising their temporal and eternal welfare.

4. Bring or send with the pupil his or her name in full; birth-day; cause of deafness, if not born deaf; at what age it occurred; whether total or partial; whether he or she has or has had any deaf mute relatives near or remote; and whether there is any relationship between the parents. Semi-mutes, who hear and speak partially, but cannot be taught in common schools, will be admitted. Children of this description are sometimes not sent to the Institution, under the impression that teaching them with totally deaf mutes will lead or cause them, somehow, to disuse their speech. This is a great mistake. By learning to use *written* language their speech is improved. Where practicable, special efforts are also made to improve their speech.

5. Pupils supported by the State are considered under obligation to remain five years; if of good talent and industry, they may be continued seven.

6. The pupil must be plainly, but well and comfortably clothed, and furnished with a trunk of sufficient size, with a substantial lock, and each session with three handkerchiefs, and two coarse and two fine combs. *Every article of clothing requiring to be washed, should be plainly marked;* if not, they are liable to be lost. No clothing can be furnished unless money be advanced for the purpose. *A small sum of*

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money should be deposited each session to meet the wants of the pupil. In general, it is expected that the parents and friends will furnish sufficient clothing; but, in extreme cases, assistance will be given by the Institution. No pocket money should be supplied beyond a very small sum.

7. Vacation takes place in August and September, when the pupils are permitted, and those who live near are required, to return home. No pupil will be permitted to leave at Christmas, or at any time during the session, but for a special and satisfactory reason, nor until the session fully ends. It is important the pupil should remain until the last day of the session.

8. Any cause of complaint that a parent or guardian may have, is requested to be made known frankly and at once to the Principal, when it will be either satisfactorily explained or removed.

9. *The pupils must be furnished with letter stamps.* Those who neglect this cannot expect to receive letters from their children. Letters, to insure their being received, should be addressed to "——— ———, Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Danville, Ky."

10. To preserve health and promote habits of industry, the pupils are employed in manual labor as far as we can find them employment —the boys in learning trades and in gardening, and the girls in sewing and housekeeping; in which they often make great improvement. This is a most important part of their education, and will be enforced on all alike. No wise parent will object to it.

11. *The services of the physician of the Institution may be secured at three dollars per annum.* They are given to those unable to pay at the charge of the Institution; but all able to meet this small charge, together with two dollars yearly for books, are expected to do so. The payment of twenty-five dollars a year, by pupils from Kentucky, will cover all contingent expenses—physician's bill, books, stationery, &c., &c., *and this amount is required of those able to pay it;* where not able, it will not be expected; but every one should conscientiously pay whatever part of this sum he is able, as the support of the Institution absolutely requires it. A small sum from each will make a considerable aggregate, and materially aid in sustaining the Institution. We wish it distinctly understood, that while board, tuition, and even clothing, books, and everything, will be furnished in every necessary case gratuitously, yet we earnestly wish all who are able to pay any sum, from one to twenty five dollars, to do so.

12. The applicant must be in good health, of sound mind, and good moral character, and free from chronic, cutaneous, or other contagious diseases. It is advised, where it is practicable, to have the pupil vaccinated before being brought to the Institution.

13. The parents and friends of pupils, coming with or for them, or on a visit, cannot, as a general thing, be entertained at the Institution, and should not expect it—it is sometimes a matter of great inconvenience. But, in cases of real inability to go to a public house, they will be cheerfully entertained.

For any further information, address J. A. Jacobs, Principal, Kentucky Institution for Deaf Mutes, Danville.

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INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB,
Danville, Ky., November 1, 1860.

To the Commissioners of Tax:

You are aware that the law makes it your duty to return the names on your books of all the deaf mutes of your several counties, *with their nearest post-offices.* Permit me to hope that you will faithfully perform this benevolent duty, and that you will be particular in attaching the name of the post-office in every case. This puts us at once in communication with the deaf mutes of the State, enables us to send to them our Reports, and leads to their being brought to the Institution. Your performance of the duty in full will, probably, be the means of the education of all the mutes in your county; while its neglect may lose them this precious boon with all its invaluable benefits. May we not also ask that you will, in every instance, take the trouble of informing parents of the existence and terms of the Institution, which is open for the reception of all the deaf mutes of the State free of charge, and urge upon them to send their unfortunate children to us. Such effort on your part will insure the education of many, who will otherwise live and die in their misfortune and ignorance.

To those Assessors who have heretofore performed their legal duty, we return our sincere thanks.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
J. A. JACOBS, *Principal.*

To the Clerks of the County Courts:

The Clerks of the County Courts are respectfully requested to copy and send up to the Auditor the names of the deaf mutes of their counties, *together with their post-offices*, where entered by the Assessors on *the backs of their books.* We have reason to believe that, in many instances, where the returns have been made on the back of their books by the Assessors, according to law, they have been overlooked or neglected by the Clerks.

APPENDIX.

Report of the Principal of the Kentucky Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

To Messrs. Whitaker, Fisk, and Rust, Committee Senate of Kentucky:

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with the resolution of the Senate of Kentucky, February 9, 1861, we have the honor to present to you the accompanying documents, containing the receipts, expenditures, &c., &c., of the Kentucky Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

Paper marked (A) contains the receipts of the Institution from 1823,

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the period of its first report, to 1838, inclusive, according to the reports of the treasurer to the Legislature, copied from the public documents. [Omitted by order of Committee—PUB. PR.]

The bound manuscript book, from page 40 to 96, inclusive, contains the account of the secretary against the treasurer from January 2, 1839, to October 19, 1860, the end of the last fiscal year, and is a correct record of all the receipts and disbursements of the treasurer during that period, having been at regular rests compared with the treasurer's book.

From page 100 to 118, inclusive, of the same book, is contained the account of the secretary as treasurer of the building, improvement, and investment fund, from January 25, 1851, to September 12, 1860, end of the last fiscal year.

These three papers, to-wit: the paper marked (A) and the two accounts contained in the bound manuscript above stated, embrace a detailed record of all the receipts and expenditures of the Institution of every kind from the beginning to the end of the last fiscal year. [For consolidated tabular statement of receipts of money and expenditures, see appendix.]

The appropriation made by the Legislature at its last session for building and improvement purposes, of ten thousand dollars, has only been in part expended. From prudential considerations the larger part of the improvements has been deferred to the approaching summer season.

The *per capita* expense of the pupils of the Institution to the State is about one hundred and seventy-five dollars per annum. This includes board and tuition, and also the clothing, in part or in whole, of many of the pupils; the annual expense for the wear and tear of furniture; the annual expense in keeping up the condition and the repairs of nearly seventy thousand dollars worth of property, including four large buildings, besides out-buildings, and the fencing around nearly fifty acres of ground; the premiums of insurance on the buildings to the amount of thirty-six thousand dollars, and the medical bill of the attending physicians; these incidentals, altogether, requiring a sum of not less than fifteen hundred dollars per annum.

It is only twenty five dollars more than was allowed to each pupil for board and tuition alone, as far back as 1824 or '25, when the cost of provisions and all kind of supplies was more than 100 per cent. less than it is now.

The number of deaths among the pupils from 1823 to 1835 was four; from 1835 to the present time four; eight in thirty-seven years, not quite two per cent. for the whole time, or about one twentieth of one per cent. per annum, showing a most remarkable and extraordinary state of health, certainly.

The paper marked (B) contains the sums received from the pupils. From 1823 to 1854, the pupils were boarded by the Superintendent or steward per head, and the board of the pay pupils was received by him, and not of course placed in the treasury at all. The tuition fees only appear between these years. From 1854 to the present time, the pupils have been boarded by the Institution itself, and all the profits of

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the boarding department have accrued to it. This change was urged upon the board of trustees by the principal, who was also the steward, and by it a large annual saving has been effected of from one to two thousand dollars.

From 1854, when this important and economical change occurred, small sums have been collected also from a portion of the State pupils who are able to pay something, making in the aggregate a considerable sum, and materially aiding in the support of the Institution. The number of the pay pupils for each year cannot be given unless we had at hand copies of our annual reports for thirty odd years, which we have not. Neither can the amount received from each be stated, as the books contain only a record of aggregate sums. All the sums received from the pupils, as contained in paper marked (B), appear in their proper place in the accounts of the treasurer and secretary, and formed a part of the ordinary and regular disbursements of the Institution.

All the receipts and expenses have from the beginning been regularly and annually reported to the Legislature, and are to be found in the printed public documents of each session. In our biennial reports will also be found a detailed statement of the monthly expense for supplies, audited by the auditor of the Institution. All the original accounts, receipts and vouchers, with an account current, are sent up to the Auditor of State three times a year, and examined and filed in his office.

Paper marked (C) contains a list of the donations made by individuals to the Institution. The chief are $1,000 by Capt. Magowan, of Bath county, in 1850, and the sum of $2,287 93, contributed by the Principal of the Institution, at various times, to aid in improving the buildings, to print a book of "Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes," &c. The donation of Capt. Magowan has been invested, and the proceeds devoted to the purchase of books, maps, &c., for the pupils.

Paper marked (D) contains the proceeds of the sale of a township of land granted to the Institution in 1826 by the Congress of the United States. This statement, though not called for by the resolution of the Senate, is given in full. About the year 1832, a return of sales was made by our agent in Florida, where the lands were chiefly located, so favorable, that the Board of Trustees were induced to believe that the annual allowance of $150 made to each pupil of the State might be reduced to $120, and voluntarily suggested to the Legislature to make such a reduction, which was done. This favorable promise of a permanent fund from this donation proved fallacious. Such was from the first, and has continued to be to the present time, the unfavorable pecuniary condition of things in Florida, that it has never been possible to derive from the sales more than a comparatively small annual return. From 1832, when the annual allowance to each pupil was voluntarily reduced as above stated, to 1853, the sums received from the sales of the congressional donation were necessarily consumed, in consequence of that reduction, in the support from year to year of the Institution, and no permanent fund was realized, as we confidently expected when we unfortunately advised the Legislature to made the reduction.

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About the latter period, the Legislature again increased the annual allowance made to the Institution, and we have since been able to form a permanent fund of $22,100. The remainder of the proceeds of this donation has been used to aid in buying the grounds and erecting the buildings of the Institution, which have cost about $66,000. While we have not been able, from the causes stated, to realize a large permanent fund, yet the Institution has been greatly benefited, and the State relieved a large amount of expense, as explained above. The very best has been made out of the donation that, under the circumstances, could be made.

It may be proper to add, that the expenses of the Institution have always been, and still are, upon the most economical basis. Every effort has been made to keep them down to the smallest sum at all consistent with the interest and welfare of the Institution. If we have erred at all, it has been on the side of too rigid an economy. There have no doubt been times when a more liberal expenditure would have been advisable and proper.

The salaries of our instructors have been moderate—several of them have received invitations to other institutions with the offer of much larger salaries. Educated men competently trained in the science of deaf mute instruction are not numerous. It is difficult to find well qualified men who are willing to devote themselves to this department of instruction. To insure the permanent retention of our instructors, it will become necessary to pay salaries at least approaching equality to those given by other institutions; of which there are now over twenty in the United States.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the Board of Trustees. J. A. JACOBS, *Secretary.*

MARCH 23, 1861.

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Showing the amounts received from pupils for tuition, &c., &c.

FROM TUITIONS.

1824	$155 00	1838	$35 00
1825	157 60	1839	47 50
1827	180 71	1840	41 58
1828	238 14	1842	79 98
1830	18 00	1843	58 50
1831	191 00	1845	55 50
1832	244 11	1847	69 30
1833	126 00	1849	64 30
1834	121 97	1851	125 00
1835	97 00	1852	62 50
1836	35 00	1853	140 82
1837	25 00		

FOR TUITION, CLOTHING, &C.

1854, Nov. 6	$712 67	1859, Feb. 27	$85 00
1855, Feb. 14	316 50	Mar. 24	82 00
Oct. 17	750 00	Mar. 28	100 25
1856, Feb. 16	250 00	April 28	99 00
July 8	500 00	April 30	90 00
1857, Jan. 13	1000 00	June 20	151 89
May 8	500 00	Aug. 30	373 00

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	Oct. 7	$271 00	
	Oct. 27	400 00	
	Nov. 12	166 00	
	Dec. 16	55 00	
1858,	Jan. 4	135 50	
	Mar. 30	174 00	
	May 1	106 50	
	June 1	96 00	
	July 8	154 00	
	Aug. 13	174 00	
	Oct. 17	437 16	
	Nov. 18	176 00	
	Dec. 1	55 00	
1859,	Jan. 10	110 25	
	Oct. 3	$310 00	
	Oct. 8	130 00	
	Oct 27	125 00	
	Nov. 15	114 00	
1860,	Jan. 28	183 50	
	Feb. 20	90 00	
	Feb. 31	80 00	
	April 22	150 00	
	June 7	165 00	
	Aug. 6	227 25	
	Oct. 3	394 81	
	Oct. 12	159 00	
	Nov. 13	80 00	

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Donations from Individuals.

1825,		From citizens of New Orleans, by Rev. S. K. Nelson	$427 50
		From Rev. S. Finley	30 00
		From C. Henderson	50 00
1846,	Dec. 14.	Contributed by J. A. Jacobs, Principal, to building wash-house	41 75
1847,	Feb. 8.	Contributed by same to same	54 20
	Dec. 30.	Contributed by same to raising female department additional story	541 88
1850,	Sept. 9.	Donation by Capt. Magowan	1,000 00
1852,	Feb. 4.	Contributed by J. A. Jacobs, Principal, for payment of salary of S. B. Cheek, Instructor	125 00
1853,	Oct. 27.	Contributed by same to building chapel	500 00
		By same for S. B. Cheek's salary	125 00
1851,	Jan 25.	By same to improvement of school-house	500 00
1860,	May 2.	By same for printing "Primary Lessons for Deaf Mutes"	500 00

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Amount received from sale of Congressional donation of a township of land in Florida and Arkansas.

1827.		Month not stated	$2,000 00
1830			3,962 50
1831			1,000 00
1832			1,009 17
1833			1,000 00
1834			1,000 00
1835			8,000 00
1837			2,000 00
1840,	June 6.	In Florida post notes	4,000 00
		Interest due on same	640 00
	July 6.	In Florida post notes	2,320 00
1845,	May 22		1,000 00
1846,	April 11		1,000 00
1847,	Sept. 7		2,000 00
	Nov. 6		1,000 00
1848,	Feb. 29		1,000 00
1849,	Mar. 3		675 00
	June 3		300 00
	June 3		700 00
1850,	Feb. 7		664 50
1850,	Feb. 15		400 00
	Mar. 14		400 00
	July 13		700 00
1851,	Jan. 29		700 00
		Amount carried forward	$37,471 17

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	Amount brought forward	$37,471 17
Feb.	8	1,230 52
Feb.	8	661 18
April	8	800 00
1852, Feb.	10	528 32
May	30	500 00
Nov.	30	1,000 00
1853, April	6	1,400 00
May	31	1,100 00
Nov.	20	1,200 00
1854, April	20	297 03
Dec.	23	1,200 00
May	24	1,000 00
1856, May	9	500 00
1857, Mar.	16	580 00
June	22	150 00
Nov.	18	158 65
1859, Jan.	1	173 25
Feb.	17	990 05
May	19	1,154 98
June	18	1,000 00
1859, June	18	170 30
July	8	200 00
Aug.	23	200 00
1860, Feb.	6	187 06
Feb.	22	199 50
May	1	1,384 83
June	18	79 60
July	16	320 00
		$55,835 94
To be deducted, being Florida post notes returned to the agent as unavailable		6,240 00
		$49,595 94

FROM SALES OF LAND IN ARKANSAS.

1854, April	25	$2,672 98
Feb.	15	680 00
Feb.	15. Interest on same	45 56
1856, Mar.	13	612 00
Mar.	13	761 61
1857, Jan.	6	680 00
Jan.	6. Interest on same	122 40
July	3	400 00
1858, July	12	500 00
Nov.	5	500 00
1860, April	3	575 43
	Total amount	$56,545 92

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Table of Receipts and Expenditures, from the establishment of the Institution down to the present time.

Years.	Receipts from State for stated expenses.	Special appropri-at'ns from State for land, buildings, and improvements.	Receipts from pupils.	Miscellaneous receipts from interest, divid'ds, &c., &c.	Receipts from sale of Congressional donation of land.	No. of pupils.
1823	$3,000 00					14
1824	3,000 00		$155 00			26
1825	2,667 62		157 60			28
1826	2,496 46	$3,000 00				28
1827	3,101 30		180 71		$2,000 00	24
1828	1,858 00		238 14			18
1829	1,779 87					20
1830	2,050 12½		18 00		3,962 50	24
1831	2,809 37		191 00		1,000 00	27
1832	3,117 62		244 11		1,009 17	30
1833	3,087 80		126 00		1,000 00	21
1834	2,153 84		121 97		1,000 00	17
1835	1,361 54		97 00		8,000 00	16
1836	1,375 32		35 00			24
1837	2,089 66		25 00		2,000 00	25
1838	1,636 73		35 00			22
1839	1,969 91		47 50			33
1840	2,287 65		41 58		6,960 00	28
1841	1,855 19			$58 50		23
1842	1,883 84		79 58	1,169 45		30
1843	2,442 33		58 50			24
1844	2,374 14					37
1845	2,616 34		55 50	1,367 60	1,000 00	41
1846	3,567 35				1,000 00	53
1847	3,955 81		69 30	149 61	3,000 00	50
1848	3,549 31				1,000 00	50
1849	3,170 15		64 30		1,675 00	48
1850	3,650 61			10 41	2,164 50	60
1851	4,618 98		125 00	37 50	3,391 70	67
1852	4,777 36		62 50	75 00	2,028 32	70
1853	5,878 33	1,500 00	140 82	106 41	3,700 00	87
1854	7,790 78	7,500 00	712 67	637 01	5,895 57	84
1855	9,190 14		1,066 50	333 63		81
1856	9,568 15	10,000 00	750 00	479 50	1,873 61	88
1857	9,373 19		2,392 00	503 00	2,091 05	86
1858	9,463 08		1,507 66	535 00	1,000 00	90
1859	11,568 26		1,060 14	652 00	2,888 58	109
1860	12,564 68	10,000 00	1,529 56	1,110 00	2,746 51	115
Total	$155,200 83	$32,000 00	$13,046 64	$8,124 62	$56,545 92	1,718

The expenditures are represented by the above receipts minus the cost of the buildings, $66,000, the permanent fund of $22,100, and $6,000* of the last appropriation for building and improvements, unexpended.

*Now reduced under five thousand dollars.

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SUMMARY.

Receipts from the State for ordinary expenses		$155,200 83
Receipts, special appropriations, for building		32,000 00
Receipts from pupils		13,046 64
Receipts, miscellaneous, interest, dividends, &c		8,124 62
Receipts, sale of Congressional donation of lands		56,545 92
Receipts, estimated, of Superintendent for board of pay pupils previous to 1854,		33,000 00
Total receipts		$297,918 01
To be deducted for cost of grounds and buildings	$66,000 00	
Permanent fund	22,100 00	
Balance of last special appropriation for buildings and improvements, unexpended	6,000 00	
		94,100 00
Total ordinary expenditure from 1823 to 1860, inclusive		$203,818 01
Whole number pupils, counting from year to year	1,718)	$203,818 01
Average cost of each pupil, from 1823 to 1860, estimated in this manner,		$118 63

We do not, however, esteem this the correct mode of ascertaining the *per capita* cost of pupils, because it supposes the number reported each year to have been in the Institution the whole year, whereas some of them may have been in it only a few months, and others only a few weeks or days, of the year. The correct *per capita* cost to the State is to be obtained by dividing the appropriations for the year by the number of pupils. The gross cost *per capita* is given in the report above, and the net cost in the table following.

Table showing the number of pupils and amount of expenditure in each of the Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb in the United States for the year 1860.

Name of Institution.	No. pupils.	Current expenses
American Asylum for Deaf and Dumb	226	$38,288 00
New York Institution for Deaf and Dumb	303	48,659 00
Pennsylvania Institution for Deaf and Dumb	218	25,000 00
Kentucky Institution for Deaf and Dumb	93	14,658 00
Ohio Institution for Deaf and Dumb	159	20,000 00
Virginia Institution for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind	75	25,000 00
Indiana Institution for Deaf and Dumb	182	30,000 00
Tennessee Institution for Deaf and Dumb	61	15,000 00
North Carolina Institution for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind	68	.....
Illinois Institution for Deaf and Dumb	205	27,000 00
Georgia Asylum for Deaf and Dumb	29	8,500 00
South Carolina Asylum for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind	16	7,728 00
Missouri Institution for Deaf and Dumb	80	11,750 00
Louisiana Institution for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind	56	14,590 00
Wisconsin Institution for Deaf and Dumb	70	11,2 0 00
Michigan Asylum for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind	70	7,000 00
Iowa Institution for Deaf and Dumb	50	4,500 00
Mississippi Institution for Deaf and Dumb	49	8,272 00
Texas Institution for Deaf and Dumb	30	.....
Columbian Institution for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind	27	6,896 00
Alabama Institution for Deaf and Dumb	24	5,000 00

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According to the above table, obtained from an authentic source, the highest cost per pupil in any of the Institutions of this country for the year 1860, was $483, and the lowest $90. The cost per pupil in the Kentucky Institution for *ordinary expenses*, including board and tuition, was $157, and nearly corresponds in amount with that of the principal schools, both east and west. The cost per pupil at the Hartford Institution was $169; New York, $160; Indiana, $164; Tennessee, $213; and Wisconsin, $160. Thirteen of the Institutions, out of twenty, exceed ours in the annual cost per pupil, some of them very much, and six only are below it. In Kentucky the cost cannot be made less, *only at the sacrifice of employing incompetent and unqualified instructors*. No speaking person is well qualified to instruct deaf mutes, who has not at least good ordinary abilities and a classical and general education. A well educated deaf mute, under the careful supervision and training of the Principal for several years, will become qualified for teaching a younger class. Out of five we employ two deaf mute instructors, as large a proportionate number as we think advisable.

The "mode" of conducting institutions for the deaf and dumb is nearly uniform throughout the United States. Public provision is generally made by the State in which each is situated for its support; a Principal or Superintendent is placed at its head, with as many assistant instructors as may be necessary, together with a steward and matron. The pupils are boarded under the care of the Principal, steward, and matron, and an instructor is assigned to each class of from 15 to 20 pupils. This system is, in this country, perhaps, without any variation or exception.

In our last report we recorded the marriage of Miss Elizabeth A. Young, one of our deaf mute instructors. We are deeply pained in this to have to record her death. The following obituary is taken from the *American Annals of the Deaf and Dumb:*

OBITUARY.

Died, in Mercer county, Ky., on the 7th of October, 1860, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Cozatt, of consumption, after an illness of nearly a year, in the 27th year of her age. Her maiden name was Young. She lost her hearing at eighteen months of age, from salivation and cold, and from the same cause lost the sight of one eye. She had afterwards—an occurrence quite common—two sisters born deaf. One of these died at five or six years old, and the other in her fifteenth year. The subject of this notice entered the Kentucky Institution for the Deaf and Dumb in her fourteenth year, and was under instruction seven years. She then became an instructor, and continued in that capacity until her marriage, July 27, 1858. She was in perfectly good health at that time, and it was in connection with the birth of a daughter, which died in a few months, that she contracted, from imprudent and too early activity, the disease of which she died.

Few persons of her unfortunate class have ever more deserved a public memorial and record. I have never known a person possessed of greater capacity of combined activity of mind and body. She sustained for several years a course of unwearied and cheerful labor as an instructor, monitress, and assistant housekeeper. She possessed a good mind, of great quickness and sprightliness. In person she was handsome, in manners graceful, with a pleasant countenance, indicative of uncommon intelligence. In character and temper she was cheerful, uniform, and firm. Her influence and example for many years, both as pupil and a teacher, were highly beneficial. She had been a professor of religion for a number of years. Her piety was deep and unquestionable. It sustained her in her long sickness, and was her great consolation in death. It is with melancholy pleasure that the writer renders this testimony to the character and merits of one who rendered him great service in his arduous labors, with affectionate and untiring zeal. Her pleasant and beautiful, intelligent and happy countenance will linger in his memory while life endures. J.

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