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Editorial Notes

The opening of the new year finds the University completely under the Board of Control system of government. Naturally the new system is not working as smoothly as it may be expected to work later, but up to date everything has gone as well as could be expected. The Weekly so far has seen no cause to change the opinion often expressed last year that such control can not be for the best interest of the University, but since the University is to continue under the system for two years, it is to be hoped that everything will go along as harmoniously as possible.

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able goods at reasonable prices. It would help the Weekly a great deal, and cost you nothing, to let it be known that you saw their advertisement in the Weekly when you are making a purchase from an advertiser.

THE ATTENDANCE.

Another University year has begun which promises to break the record for numbers in attendance. Although work has been going on for only one week, the number in attendance in the college of science, literature and the arts has already reached the total number enrolled in the same college last year, a total of about twelve hundred. This means a very substantial increase in the attendance in that college for the year. The only noticeable feature in the enrollment in the college is the increased preponderance of women. Figures are not yet available, but it is safe to say that the tendency which has been so marked during the past ten years has increased rather than diminished. The women enrolled certainly outnumber the men three hundred in this college. In view of the increased fees it would not have been surprising had the attendance shown a decided falling off all along the line, but it is to be doubted whether, even in the engineering colleges, where the increase in fees was most pronounced there will be an actual falling off in attendance.

Certain it is that the old timers about the University remark that never in their experience have they seen so many students about at one time.

The increase in the registration fee will make a very material difference

in the income of the University for the year and may help to wipe out the annual deficiency which confronts the Regents.

FIGURES.

The number of students actually at work in the academic and engineering departments exceeds the total registration for those departments last year.

The following figures give an approximate idea of the enrollment and its distribution, but do not purport to be exact:

College of Science, Literature and the Arts, 1200.

College of Engineering, 330.

School of Mines, 30.

College of Medicine, 380.

College of Law, 370.

In the Academic and Engineering departments there are 680 new applicants.

AT THE AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

(From the "Farm Students' Review.")

The New Preceptress

The election of Miss Catherine Comfort, '90, as Preceptress will meet with unanimous approval from those who learned to know Miss Comfort in her work in the school during the past year. What she may lack in knowledge of agriculture will be made up through her knowledge of the world and the ways of life, and most of all through her sympathy and kindness of heart. She will not only make a safe guardian, but a wise and good companion for the young girls who seek to improve their lives in the School of Agriculture.

Principal Tucker Goes to Iowa.

The friends of Professor and Mrs. Tucker are pleased to learn of Professor Tucker's appointment to the presidency of Memorial College at Mason City, Iowa. Memorial College is a

young institution and founded with a purpose that is most admirable, and will undoubtedly win wide recognition. Its purpose is not to prepare men and women for special professions and lines of work, but to educate for the sake of education; education which results in higher and nobler citizenship.

If Professor Tucker has one quality that excels another it is his sincere regard and love of righteousness in all things, and righteousness is the foundation of good citizenship. Professor Tucker always looks upon every phase of right education as tending toward better citizenship and greater happiness in life. From every task and duty, from every good book, every poem, even from the flower and tree he interprets some lesson that points to high and noble life.

Few men have greater qualifications for guiding such an institution as Memorial College than has Professor Tucker and we congratulate the state of Iowa upon securing his service.

The "Farm Students' Review" extends to Professor and Mrs. Tucker the most kindly regard and best wishes for their future success and happiness.

The New Principal

At the meeting of the Board of Regents, Aug. 19th, Prof. D. D. Mayne of Madison, Wis., was elected to the Principalship of the School of Agriculture.

Mr. Mayne has been a successful teacher in the public schools of Wisconsin for nearly twenty years, beginning when but a youth and making his way successfully through the various grades to the superintendency of some of the best schools in the state. He is a student of agriculture, having in connection with the late Prof. E. S. Goff of the Madison, Wis., Experiment Station, written a book on Rural School Agriculture. He is at present engaged in writing for the government of Argentina a book of agriculture for use in the public schools.

PRESIDENT BABCOCK

From a Berkeley Paper.

Dr. Kendrick Charles Babcock, assistant professor of American history in the University of California, has received a call to the presidency of the University of Arizona and has written his acceptance. His election has not yet taken place, but this will be a mere matter of form when the Board of Regents meets officially on August 5. In that case Professor Babcock will not resume his work at Berkeley, although a most attractive course has been arranged for the coming semester. He will proceed, as soon as his own affairs are closed up here, to the scene of his new duties.

Professor Babcock has made a rapid climb up the academic ladder. He has had experience in three institutions of higher learning, Minnesota, Harvard and California. The University of Minnesota was his alma mater, giving him his degree of B.L. in 1899 and making him an instructor in history and old English for the next four years. He then won the Goodwin memorial fellowship at Harvard University and spent the years of 1895 and 1896 studying there for higher degrees, earning first his A.M. and later his Ph.D. Immediately on the receipt of his doctor's degree he was invited to the University of California and given the post of instructor in history and political science, which position he held until 1899, when he was made assistant professor. He had, meantime, made a specialty of American history, and his brilliant original work in the field warranted the University in making him assistant professor of American history and allowing him to devote his entire time in the classroom to this particular subject.

Dr. Babcock has been one of the most popular of the younger professors and has taken enthusiastic part in the student activities. He has been

a director of the Young Men's Christian Association for a number of years and has assisted at several summer schools at Pacific Grove. He was one of the founders of the local chapter of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity, and he is one of the new faculty members of the Senior Honor Society of the Golden Bear.

KENNEDY ADVANCED.

Arthur H. Kennedy, '00, has just been appointed disbursing officer of the customs department in the Philippines. His promotion has been unusually rapid. He is in his twenty-fifth year. It was but seventeen months ago that he passed a civil service examination. Two months later he was sent to Manila, where he was assigned to the health department. Last March he was transferred to the customs department, and one month afterward he was informed that he could choose either of two promotions. He could become deputy collector for the district of Capiz or disbursing officer of Manila.

MISS SANFORD A DELEGATE

Governor Van Sant has appointed Professor Maria L. Sanford as delegate to the congress of the National Prison Association which will be held at Louisville, Kentucky, from October 2 to 8.

CHASE TO TEACH DEBATE.

Mr. Raymond P. Chase, '03, of debating fame, has been engaged as an assistant in the department of Rhetoric for the coming year. He will also pursue his law studies at the same time.

HALF RATES TO CHICAGO

For the Centennial Celebration to be held in Chicago, Ill., Sept. 26 to Oct. 1, the Minneapolis & St. Louis will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale Sept. 26, 27 and 28; limit for return, Oct. 5, 1903. See ticket agents for particulars.

MISS COUNTRYMAN HONORED

Miss Gratia Countryman, assistant librarian of the Minneapolis Public library, has been elected a member of the council of the American Library association. The term of the councillors is five years and there are but five elected each year, therefore, a position in the council is one of the highest library association honors, as the association has 1,250 members to choose from.

ZINTHEO GOES TO IOWA.

The career of a former student at the state university is sketched instructively in a telegram from Ames, Iowa, announcing that Professor C. J. Zintheo, formerly of North Dakota, was elected recently to the chair of farm mechanics in the Iowa state college.

Professor Zintheo, born in France, of French and Swedish parentage, thirty-four years ago, was taken to Sweden at the age of five. There he worked on a farm, secured an elementary education, and was apprenticed to a blacksmith. When seventeen years old he emigrated to the United States. He passed one summer on a North Dakota wheat farm, and then, at the age of eighteen, entered the public schools in Fargo, laboring part of each year at the Northern Pacific railroad shops. He graduated from the Fargo high school and became a student at the Minnesota University. Six years ago he completed a course in modern languages, electrical engineering, and general science. During the next four years he represented abroad certain manufacturers of American farm machinery. He was then chosen professor of farm mechanics in the North Dakota agricultural college. The course of study that he organized proved notably successful.

STRONG MEN'S PLANS.

Preparations are being made at the gymnasium to have the strong men brought together this year earlier than usual. The squad was very prominent last year not only at the circus but also gained the honor of being the strongest college fifty in the United States.

The Championship must be defended. Special work will be required of the squad as it is to be one of the features in the many physical and gymnastic entertainments that will take place.

The girls' glee club will meet for practice as soon as the girls are settled, probably in a week. Voices of new applicants for membership will be tried by Miss Ednah Hall who has charge of the club again this year.

Walter Wesley Todd, Law '00, and Miss Clara Miller of this city were united in marriage last Tuesday at the Olivet Baptist Church. They will make their home in Detroit, Minn.

E. E. Creelman, Dent., '01, and Miss Alma Schutt, a former student here were married last Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents in this city. They left immediately for Bremerton, Washington, where they will make their home.

LOW ONE WAY RATES TO COAST

The Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. has placed on sale daily special one way colonists excursion tickets to California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana at very reduced rates. Tourist cars through without change every Wednesday and Thursday via the popular Santa Fe System and "Scenic Route" through Colorado. Call on agents for particulars or address, A. B. Cutts, G. P. & T. A., Minneapolis, Minn.

TIES THAT BIND

Miss Sadie A. McGregor, '97, was married to Mr. G. C. Landis, June 17.

Ernest Avery Wright, Dent. '98, was married to Miss Elizabeth Parr, of this city, June 24th.

Orrin Nelson, Dent. '01, of Morris, Minn., was married in June to Miss Millie Staunton, Manannah.

Miss Adelaide Robbins and Ralph P. Gillette, both of the class of '02, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Robbinsdale, June 25th.

Fred W. Smith, '00, who is teaching in the Normal and Industrial School at Aberdeen, S. D., was married Aug. 27th, to Miss Lillian Nettleton, of this city.

Judge Stephen Mahoney, '77, member of the Board of Regents, was married during the summer to Miss Clara Lisk, well known as a former teacher in the city schools.

Miss Winnifred Grace Bradford, '00, and Harry H. Miller of St. Paul, were married early in August. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will reside at 681 Oakland Ave. St. Paul.

Arthur E. Huntington, '93, was married June 25th to Mrs. Hattie Chittenden of Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Chittenden will make their home in Merriam Park.

Miss Olga B. Forsyth, '99, was married August 26th to Mr. Emil C. Loetscher. Mr. and Mrs. Loetscher will be at home, after October 1st, at 3223 5th Ave. South.

John William Erf, Eng. '93, and Miss Olds were married June 14th. Mr. and Mrs. Erf will make their home in New York City, where Mr. Erf is engaged in work for the city engineering department.

David E. Cloyd, '01, superintendent of schools, Wheeling, W. Va., and Miss

Susanne R. Miller, connected with the Teachers' College of Columbia University, were married September 2nd, at Mansfield, Ohio.

Miss Clara E. Steward and Frank F. Jewett, both of '01, were married in August, at the home of the bride's parents in Minneapolis. Lieutenant and Mrs. Jewett will be at home to their friends at Fort Porter, Buffalo, N. Y.

Frederick W. Sardeson, Ph.D., '91, instructor in paleontology, was married June 16th to Miss Edna A. Mitchell of this city. Dr. and Mrs. Sardeson will make their home at 206 Pleasant street southeast, where they are at home to their friends.

Miss Annabel W. Beagh and Bertram G. Knight, both of the class of '98, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Faribault, Minn., August 26th. Mr. and Mrs. Knight will be at home to their friends in New York City.

The Weekly has received an announcement of the wedding of Miss Sidonie Matzner and Benjamin C. Gruenberg, '96, of New York City. The wedding took place on the 30th of June. Mr. and Mrs. Gruenberg will make their home in New York.

Herman A. Danelz, '02, and Miss Helen Munson of Minneapolis were married August 26th. Mr. and Mrs. Danelz will be at home to their friends at Swift Falls, Minn. Mr. Danelz is a member of the Danelz Mercantile Company at that place.

Miss Hannah Kjosness and Olaf A. Lende, popular members of the class of '01, were married at Madison, Minn., June 8th. Mr. and Mrs. Lende left for an extended trip west and will be at home after Sept. 1 at Moscow, Idaho, where Mr. Lende is engaged in the practice of law.

Miss Margaret Hanson and Orson M. Washburn, '97, were married Aug. 18th, at Owatonna, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. Washburn went immediately after their wedding to Mr. Washburn's brother Robert M. Washburn, Agr. '01, who was married to Miss Alice Wiltse. Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Washburn will be at home to their friends at Caledonia, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Washburn will be at home at Woodbridge, N. J.

WITH THE DEAD

Rev. Norman Bartlett.

Rev. Norman Bartlett, who year before last gave lessons in oratory at the University law school and last year was instructor in oratory at Luther Seminary at Hamline, died in Montreal in the latter part of July. He was on his way to Ellenburg, N. Y., and was waiting for his train when he died. He had been ill for more than a year from nervous exhaustion with complications. He was an ordained Methodist minister and had had a charge at Winslow, Arizona.

Laurence Booth, '97.

Rev. Laurence N. Booth, formerly of Willmar, this state, died at Denver, Col., last July. He was the son of Rev. D. T. Booth, for twenty-eight years rector of the Episcopal church at Willmar. While a student at the state university in the class of '97, Laurence Booth attained much prominence. He was editor-in-chief of the "Minnesota Magazine." As representative of the University in the interstate oratorical contest, he secured for Minnesota a high place. He went from the University to Seabury divinity school at Faribault. When about to graduate at the divinity school in 1900, he was prostrated by a pulmonary hemorrhage. From that time until a short time ago he lived in California, endeavoring to regain his health.

Hon. W. W. Pendergast.

William W. Pendergast, formerly state superintendent of public instruction, died at his home in Hutchinson, Minn., July 17th, after an illness of some time. His death did not come as a surprise, as his condition had been considered very grave for days.

Mr. Pendergast was born in Maine in 1832 and came to Minnesota at the age of 23. His whole life has been given to the cause of education. From 1882 to 1889 he was assistant superintendent of public instruction, and was then made principal of the state agricultural school. In 1893 he became state superintendent and worked many reforms. After six years of service he retired to his Hutchinson farm. He gave the village land for a park.

Mr. Pendergast was an earnest worker and a most lovable man and his death was a distinct loss to the state.

Mary Smith Rist

Mary Comstock Smith was born to Capt. L. M. B. and Mrs. Emily C. Smith at Summit, Waukesha county, Wisconsin, March 13, 1869. The family removed in 1872 to Algona, which thereafter was her home. Her early education was received in the town schools, from which she graduated in 1885, when but sixteen years of age. She entered the Northern Iowa Normal School, of which the late Prof. J. C. Gilchrist was the head, and graduated therefrom three years later. She then entered the University of Minnesota, from which institution she graduated in 1893. She was a natural student and pursued her studies in the love of them, and her powers of reasoning were especially marked. She was married in December, 1893, in fulfilment of vows assumed during her school life to Dr. Alfred L. Rist, who with three children survives her. Her married life was ideally happy.

Mrs. Rist was at her death and had been for some years a member of the

board of trustees of the Algona Public Library. She served as secretary of the board the most of the present year, resigning that position but a few weeks since. Her service on the board was a labor of love as she was zealous in the cause of public education.

Mrs. Rist's illness was only for about twenty-four hours. Her malady was uremic poisoning, attended by convulsions. She had seemed in perfect health and few outside of her family, until they received the news of her death, were aware of her illness. No woman in the community ever stood higher in the general affection and admiration than she. She was distinguished intellectually and was possessed of a liberal education and culture, and as a wife and mother, and in the varied relations of an active life she combined the qualities which make the highest type of womanhood. A very sad thing in connection with her untimely death is that she leaves three young children who peculiarly needed a mother's care.

Miss Florence Weston, '97, will spend the year at the University doing graduate work along the line of her specialty.

August F. Stockman.

The class of '03, has been peculiarly afflicted by losing two of its members by sudden and violent deaths within a week during the summer. On the 7th of July, August Stockman was killed in a mine accident at the Bully Hill Mine, Delamar, Calif. Mr. Stockman was working on his fifth shift. The mine was caving in at various points and in the ledge next below him the men were working for their lives though where he was it was comparatively safe. He had finished his own work and knowing that his help was needed below he did not wait for orders, but went down and took a hand in helping to get the timbers to the men who were engaged in bracing up

the caving walls. The car which he and another man were pushing, loaded with timbers, was stopped by some obstruction and Stockman, with characteristic push immediately went ahead to see what was the matter and then the cave-in came and he was instantly killed. Killed in trying to help others and in doing something which was entirely outside of his duties. The record is a memorial far better than any that his friends can make for him.

Mr. Stockman was planning to return to the University and complete the course in mining engineering and was taking the practical work in the mines to further his plans. His parents live at Plato, Minn.

Thorwald Ross Johnson.

Just five days later Thorwald Ross Johnson was drowned while bathing in Pickerel Lake, near St. Paul. Mr. Johnson was diving in about twenty-five feet of water and went down and failed to come to the surface. His companions made desperate efforts to rescue him and dived repeatedly to try to bring him up, but all to no avail. The body was not recovered for some hours. Mr. Johnson took the freshman medical work as a senior last year and was spending his summer as an orderly in a hospital in St. Paul. The future was particularly bright before him and he was thoroughly in love with his work and had great plans for the future. His home was at Hampton, Ia.

The *Weekly*, on behalf of the alumni, extends to the bereaved relatives of these two young men, cut off just as life was opening before them and beckoning them on with promises of unusually brilliant careers, most hearty sympathy.

Arthur H. Kennedy writes from the Philippines, "I can not tell you what satisfaction the paper has given me and I hope you will continue to champion the cause of the University in all matters as you have done in the past."

PERSONAL

Miss Ursula M. James is teaching at Eyota, Minn.

R. O. Lunke, '93, located at Browns Valley, Minn.

Edward S. Gillilan, '02, is teaching at Reynolds, N. D.

Miss Agnes Glasoe, '03, is teaching at Mapleton, Minn.

Miss Emma Truax will teach in her home school at Hastings, Minn.

Miss Alice E. Thompson, '03, is teaching at Appleton, Minnesota.

Miss Evelyn Kaspar, '03, is teaching Latin in the Buffalo High School.

Edwin F. Glenn, Law '91, is major of the 5th Infantry, U. S. A., Manila, P. I.

Mr. Irwin A. Churchill has been appointed assistant in Political Economy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hoverstad, Tuesday, August 10th, twin girls.

Miss Nellie Cashman, ex-'05, is principal of schools at Kerkhoven this year.

Percival Hale Bennion, Med. '02, is practicing his profession at Windom, Minn.

Miss Louise Peck has been engaged to teach in the High school at Fergus Falls.

Miss Martha Kjosness is assistant principal of the high school at Moscow, Idaho.

Jes P. Jensen, '03, is engaged as science teacher in the Crookston high school.

Miss Ethelyn F. Wilcox, '98, is living at 1727 Atlantic street, Spokane, Washington.

Daniel J. Lothrop, '99, has been elected superintendent of schools at Mapleton, Minn.

Robert E. Manley, Law '96, is practicing law at Neuva Caceres, Camarines Sur, P. I.

Romane C. Flanders '98, is now at Portland, Oregon. His address is 384 Eugene street.

John P. Scholten, Phm. C., '99, has removed from Delevan and located at Easton, Minn.

Clara Hillesheim, '02, M.A., '03, is to teach in the high school at Cannon Falls this year.

Alfred Teisberg, Law '01, has removed to 309 German American Bank Building, St. Paul.

S. Sigvaldson, '93, is to remain as superintendent of schools at Buffalo Lake another year.

Miss Augusta Baker, '03, has been engaged as an assistant in the high school at Wheaton.

Chris W. Ney, Law '94, is practicing law at Iollo, P. I., he is with the firm of Early and Levering.

Alfred W. Uhl, '96, superintendent of schools at Detroit, Minn., was a recent visitor at the University.

Miss Catherine Hillesheim of the department of chemistry is teaching at Cannon Falls this year.

George N. Northrop, '01, has been elected to teach English in the East High School of this city.

J. Frank Garrison, Med. '00, who has been practicing at Oldham, S. D., has removed to Butte, Mont.

William W. Taylor, Med. '00, has removed from Minneapolis and is now practicing at Butte, Mont.

Ingraham Kjosness, Eng. '03, is associated with his father in the lumber business at Moscow, Idaho.

Frank J. Rose, '01, has left Minneapolis and settled in Spokane, Wash., for the practice of his profession.

Paul E. Potter, Law '02, is located in the Drummond Block, Toledo, Ohio, for the practice of his profession.

Dr. E. W. Spottswood has recently been made chief surgeon of the N. P. Ry. hospital at Missoula, Mont.

Dr. Carl E. Johnson, '00, has just finished his medical course at Rush and has located at Clinton, Minn.

E. E. Bushnell, Eng. '85, has opened an optical and instrument store at 125 San Pablo avenue, Oakland, Calif.

Nathan A. Goddard, Med. '97, has moved from Reardon, Wash., and now is practicing at Sand Point, Idaho.

Mrs. Jean Rankin's book on "Every-day English" has been adopted for use in the schools of New York City.

Miss Helen Currer, '01, who last year was assistant principal at Glencoe is teaching at Two Harbors this year.

Miss Mary A. Daniels, '96, spent the summer traveling in Europe, spending considerable time in Sweden and Paris.

Dr. O. M. Haugan, '96, who is practicing his profession at Fergus Falls was a visitor at the University recently.

Miss Lillian Nixon, '03, and Miss Gertrude Ballard, '03, are assisting Prof. Sanford in the department of rhetoric.

William C. Gerdson, '98, is in the office of the Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D. C., as assistant examiner.

Miss Sarah Lewis, '02, who has been teaching at Biwabik the past year is to teach at Lake Benton the coming year.

H. B. Smith, '97, wished the University during August, he expects to give up teaching and to go into some business.

Miss Florence Weston, '97, will spend the year at the University doing graduate work along the line of her specialty.

Albert Schneider, '94, is now connected with the California College of Pharmacy, Parnassus avenue, San Francisco, Calif.

Among the October weddings will be that of Miss Benedicta Solberg and Dr. Finn Koren, '98, Med. '01, of Ap-

pleton, Minn., whose engagement was recently announced.

Franklin W. Smith, '03, writes from Bisbee, A. T., "Best wishes for the Ma-
roon and gold.

Dr. E. A. Peterson, '95, of Seattle, Wash., writes to wish us success upon the football field as well as in all other lines of endeavor.

Dr. Leonard H. Bussen, Med. '02, who has been in the hospital at Fargo has located for the practice of his profession at Valley City, N. D.

Dr. John C. Koch, '02, who has been interne in St. Luke's Hospital, St. Paul, has located at Beltrami, Minn., for the practice of his profession.

Rev. Ernest E. Day, '95, is in charge of the First Congregational church of Spencer, Iowa, though out of the state is still loyal to the University.

Miss Nellie Thompson, '03, is to be principal of the schools at Milaca, Minn., and Miss Olive Marshall, '03, will teach in the same school.

W. B. Stewart, '00, who last year was superintendent of schools at Bemidji, holds a similar position in the schools of Grand Rapids, Minn.

Louise Diesem, '02, who has been teaching at LaMoure, N. D., is to be assistant principal of the high school at Fort Benton, Mont., this year.

James W. George, '96, Med. '02, located at Hibbing, Minn., for the practice of medicine, was married last June to Miss Etta Luella Nye of this city.

Miss Cornish is critic in the Grammar department at River Falls, Normal, Wis., this year. Miss McDonough expects to resume her studies in music.

Robert W. Wetmore, '02, has changed his business address to care of Shevlin-Carpenter Company and his home address to 2706 W. 44th St., Minneapolis.

Olaf, A. Olson, Med. '02, who located after graduating at Dassell, Minn., has located at Missoula, Mont., and is fighting the tick which brings the spotted fever.

Miss Katherine Jacobson, '02, is teaching in the high school at Steven's Point, Wis. She is teaching German, French and history and finds her work very congenial.

Mr. E. B. Pierce, acad. '04, who has been absent from college during the past year has returned to finish with his class. He is employed in Registrar Johnson's office.

Miss Ella Hanson, acad. '03, visited friends on the campus yesterday on her way to Montgomery, where she will teach Latin in the high school during the coming year.

N. B. Hanson and Charlie A. Lyons, both '03 Laws, have associated themselves under the firm name of Hanson & Lyche for the practice of law at Barnesville, Minn.

Frank F. Jewett, '01, who has been in the Philippines during the past year with his regiment has returned to America and will be stationed at Fort Porter, Buffalo, N. Y.

Edith M. Patch, '01, has been called to help re-establish the entomological department of the school of agriculture of the University of Maine. Her address is Orono, Maine.

A. O. Eliason, '96, Ph.D. '01, has just issued through Elder & Shepard, of San Francisco, a brochure entitled "The Rise of Commercial Banking Institutions in the United States."

Charles Albert Savage, instructor in Latin, was given his degree of doctor of philosophy from Johns Hopkins last June. He spent a part of his summer on an inlet of Chesapeake bay.

Charles J. Brand, '02, who has been employed since graduation in the Field Columbian Museum, was promoted July 1st to the position of assistant curator of the department of botany.

The Executive Committee met last Thursday and elected Mr. Arthur Parsons, instructor in geology. Mr. Parsons is to take the place left vacant by the resignation of Dr. Berkey.

Professor West's history still continues popular and has recently been adopted for use in the schools of San Francisco, Omaha, Providence, Colorado Springs, Fall River, and Lawrence.

Arthur A. McBride, '00, who has been a member of the civil service board in the Philippines has returned to his home and expects to take up his law studies at the University this year.

Willis R. Morton, '02, who has been in the State Bank at Slayton, is to teach in the high school at Madison, Wis., this year. He will be on hand to cheer the Minnesota crowd on to victory this fall.

F. B. Guthrie, '03, leaves early in October for Africa where he is to take up the industrial work in one of the mission schools. His address will be Balanga, Kamerunes, West Africa, care of the Presbyterian mission.

Perry O. Hanson, '99, leaves this week with his wife and little daughter for the orient. He holds an appointment under the Methodist Church as a missionary to China. The best wishes of a host of friends go with them.

It was reported last June that Victor G. Pickett of the class of '96, was suffering from a nervous collapse brought on by over work. A later report says that Mr. Pickett is much improved and has resumed his work in the Janesville schools.

Rockwell C. Osborne, Law '97, who has been for twelve years with the Osborne-McMillan Elevator company, has gone to Winnipeg, where he will have an important position with a new grain concern, the Colonial Elevator Company.

Dr. H. W. Allen, '35, Med. '00, has located at Seattle, Wash. He holds appointment as surgeon for the season on the steamship Roanoke, running from Seattle to Nome and St. Nicholas, Alaska. This is the celebrated treasure ship of '98.

J. A. Thaler, '00, who has been spending the summer in Europe returns this fall as professor of electrical engineering in the Engineering and Agricultural College at Bozeman, Mont. Last year he was at the U. of M. and Purdue.

Francis M. Madden, Law '03, is employed in the reclamation department of the U. S. Geological Survey organized for the purpose of the reclamation of arid lands. He will have no permanent address, but can always be reached by addressing him care of the department.

Miss Nellie A. Whitney, '00, was elected to a position in the University of Montana, Missoula, Mont., and takes up her duties there this month. Miss Whitney has been teaching English in the East High school of this city and has made a reputation as an unusually strong teacher.

Frank A. Zimmerman, ex-'96, graduate of the theological department of Chicago University, was married last June to Miss Allis, a sister of Roy W. Allis, of strong man fame. Mr. Zimmerman came to this city last July, with his bride, to take charge of three mission churches.

Rupert C. Dewey, Captain and Assistant Quartermaster of the U. S. Navy, has been promoted to have charge of building construction. He has been promised a year's work at some college in preparation for this particular work and is looking around to find the best place for his purposes.

David E. Cloyd, '01, has been elected superintendent of the Wheeling, W. Va., schools, a very desirable position.

The election was most hotly contested and was only decided after twenty-one ballots. The election was afterward made unanimous and Mr. Cloyd will enter upon his duties with a friendly board back of him.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Humphrey, '99, who have been teaching in an academy at Warren, Ill., during the past two years have gone to Leland Stanford Junior University. They expect to spend two years at that institution studying botany, zoology and possibly chemistry. Mrs. Humphrey was graduated from the University as Olive Mealey.

The University Council of Columbia University, New York, has just awarded a scholarship of the value of \$150 to Mr. Raymond C. Benner, a resident of Sauk Centre, Minn., and a graduate of the University of Minnesota of the class of '02. The selection of the Columbia University scholarships, of which forty-two are awarded each year, is made from among a large number of graduates from the best colleges and universities in the country.

Dr. Charles Nelson Spratt, '97, has begun his duties as house officer at the Massachusetts eye and ear hospital. After being graduated with the class of '97 of the University, Dr. Spratt attended the Johns Hopkins medical school, being graduated from that institution two years ago. Since then he has occupied the position of resident house officer at the Johns Hopkins hospital and resident surgeon at the New York Eye and Ear infirmary.

James H. Gill, '92, who has been in the engineering department of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, Bozeman, Mont., for the past five years, is to have charge of the departments of electrical and mechanical engineering, as full professor, in the James Millikin University, Decatur, Ill. This is a University which has just been

started and Mr. Gill is given full swing in organizing and equipping the department and he expects to be able to organize a department just as he wants it.

The following named graduates of the College of Medicine and Surgery have changed their addresses since the issue of the last Alumni Directory.

Alfred E. Ahlstrom, '00, to Cokato, Minn.; S. J. Brimhall, '02, to Cass Lake, Minn.; C. F. Coutler, '02, to Wadena, Minn.; L. A. Davis, '01, to Dalton, Minn.; E. Haugseth, '02, to Lake Park, Minn.; Theo Kittleson, '02, Fergus Falls, Minn.; F. E. Larson, '02, to Parker's Prairie, Minn.; C. W. Meckstroth, '95, Brandon, Minn.; J. A. Regner, '89, Alexandria, Minn.; Peter Vistaunet, '02, Thief River Falls, Minn.

SEASIDE STATION WORK

The most successful expedition since the establishment of the Biological and geological station at Vancouver, B. C., was that of the past summer.

More advanced students made the trip, more original research was done; greater results followed.

Four experienced teachers from Minnesota had charge of the work and about thirty students received instruction. The student body was made up mainly of college and high school instructors and advanced students of biology and geology. They came from all the western states and from the Canadian provinces to partake of this instruction which our professors were there to give. This fact speaks volumes for the efficiency of Minnesota's instructors in science and is further evidence of the fact that they are second to none in the country.

Prof. Conway McMillan of the department of botany was in charge of all the work and personally directed the botanical work. He was assist-

ed by Miss Tilden and Mr. Butters, two more of the very able staff of his department.

Prof. Hall had charge of the work in geology and reports much progress in the line of research, supplying himself with some interesting specimens for the work of his classes.

The two biological sciences of botany and zoology, and the science of geology were those pursued by the classes. The botanists paid particular attention to the study of sea-weeds and brought back a large number of specimens of these as well as of other plants for the use of the University classes this year.

The explorers were gone six weeks, and returned feeling physical recuperation as well as mental growth.

FACULTY VACATIONS

Nearly all of the instructors in the various departments have been in town for a week past. The most striking fact in connection with their vacation is that a very large number of them have been at work on the preparation of books. Both text books and fiction have claimed the attention of leading faculty members and important surprises are in store for the college world in this direction.

President Northrop has spent the summer mainly in rest though he consented to give a few addresses at various important functions.

Professor McVey early in the summer labored on the paternal farm. Later he made a vacation trip to the eastern states.

Professor Downey taught in the University summer school. The remainder of his time was spent at his summer home on lake Minnetonka.

Professors White and Schaper both spent the vacation in town conducting original investigation.

Dr. McClumpha has just arrived from his European trip. It is rumored that he wrote poetry and fiction amid the sunny vales of southern France, where he traveled for ten weeks.

Dr. Sigerfoos taught in the summer school at Cold Springs Harbor, Long Island.

Dr. Folwell put the final touches on his new book and it is expected that the evidence of his labors during the vacation will soon appear in the form of a choice volume written in the Doctor's own delightful style.

So far as seen all the faculty members seem to have improved the summer and look singularly well fitted for the hardships of the coming year.

DEBATE PLANS

The contests for places on the Sophomore-Freshman and Inter-Sophomore debating teams will soon take place.

Each class will have a "free for all" debate. The freshmen, the third week in September and the Sophomores the fourth week. From these, twelve men from each class will be pitted against each other three and three.

Each of the six Freshmen who win, will receive a handsome set of Shakespeare's works and the Sophomores a set of George Elliot's works.

From these contests, three Freshmen and three Sophomores will be chosen who will contest in the second week of January for the Peavey prizes and the supremacy of the Freshman or Sophomore classes in debate.

The Peavey prizes are \$35 to each member of the winning team.

In the first week of November, there will be another Sophomore "free-for-all" from which will be chosen six men who are to constitute the Inter-Sophomore teams to contest for the Dunwoody prizes of \$25 each.

INTER-COLLEGIATE DEBATE

Two important debates will take place at the University during the coming year.

In the Central Debating League Minnesota is to meet Michigan and the contest will be held here some time in January. The winner of this contest will fight for the championship with the winner of the Chicago-Northwestern debate.

The Iowa debate will take place some time in April.

The preliminary debates for the selection of the Minnesota teams will be held as soon as possible in order to allow the men to secure plenty of preparation.

Last year Minnesota was defeated both by Northwestern in the Central League and by Iowa. In each instance the decision of the judges was two to one in favor of our opponents.

The material for winning teams will be even better this year than last and it is thought by the debaters that the fact that both debates are to be held on the home grounds will be enough to secure for Minnesota two glorious for-ensic victories.

The following are the intercollegiate debate questions.

For the Central League, "Resolved, That the adjudication of disputes between employers and their employees should be made a part of the administration of justice."

Interpretation.—Granted, that special courts with appropriate rules of procedure may be established, if desirable. Granted, that labor unions may be allowed to incorporate if necessary.

Michigan has the affirmative.

The Iowa question is, "Resolved, That the United States should now abandon the protective tariff policy.

Minnesota has the affirmative.

NORTHROP FIELD

The new Northrop Field, conceded by experts to be the finest athletic field in the West, is now very near completion and will be ready for use by the time of the first scheduled game this fall.

The field when completed will include baseball and football fields, tennis courts, a fine quarter mile track and an excellent club house for the use of U. athletes.

The football gridiron was sodded early in July and aside from its beautiful appearance will give Minnesota a field that will be fast and firm in any kind of weather.

Work on the brick wall presented by Alf. Pillsbury, which will enclose the entire field has been seriously retarded by the brick layers strike, but now that the strike has been settled the work will be rapidly pushed to completion.

The grand stand and bleachers, when completed will accommodate 15,000 people.

September nineteenth will mark an epoch in the athletic history of Minnesota for on that day the best and largest Athletic play ground in the West will be thrown open for inspection.

The dedicatory exercises will be in keeping with the importance of the event. Prominent men from all over the West will be present. Invitations have been sent to the state officials,—the members of the state legislature, the members of the Board of Regents and the Board of Control, to the heads of the different departments in the University and prominent football enthusiasts of the twin cities.

Western athletics will be represented by coaches and managers of the western teams.

Ex-State Senator Fred B. Snyder is in charge of the dedicatory exercises which will precede the first football game of the season, the University

playing one half each with the team of the Minneapolis and St. Paul Central High schools.

Among the speakers who have accepted invitations to address the gathering are President Northrop, Governor Van Sant and Mayor Haynes.

Admission to the grounds for the ceremonies of the afternoon has been fixed at twenty cents, reserved seats fifty cents and the first foot ball game of the season will be witnessed by thousands of people.

Greater Northrop Field has not been the result of the work of one year.

The history of the evolution of the field is interesting and the beginning dates back as far as 1897. In the spring of that year the feeling that an athletic field was absolutely necessary evidenced itself in the laying out of a gridiron south of the Armory. The ground was levelled and marked out. Chairs around the sidelines furnished the only accommodations for the spectators.

In the spring of '98 a diamond of clay and gravel improved the field. At this time the football games of the season were played in the down town park back of the West Hotel. The rate for the rent of the park became so exorbitant that it was finally realized that an enclosed gridiron on or near the University campus was an absolute necessity.

The finances of the athletic treasury in the fall of '99 was not in such condition as to warrant the construction of a fence and the students' demand finally found expression in the erection of a board fence around the field put up by the students themselves. The task was stupendous but the fence was completed with little hired labor.

On November 10, '99, Northrop Field was formally dedicated in a game with Northwestern University. Minnesota was defeated by a score of 11 to 5 but notwithstanding, the field had a good influence, for in 1900 Minnesota

stood at the head of Western colleges with a championship team.

Northrop Field as it appears today is not recognizable as the Northrop Field of the last three years. It is more than twice as large, more land having been acquired by the authorities last year. It is surrounded by a nine foot brick wall which is to be capped with sandstone, above which there will be iron work, two feet high. A quarter mile track surrounds the sod gridiron and in front of the south grandstand is a straightaway stretch of 220 yards. This south grandstand is an immense structure, over forty rows high with accommodations for 8,000 people.

In Northrop Field the University has property conservatively valued at \$60,000.

CHANGES AND IMPROVEMENTS

A large number of very important improvements have been made on the campus during the past vacation. The beautiful campus fence built through the generosity of Mrs. Gale was completed late in June. The fence with its massive entrances gives the campus a truly classic appearance and will probably more than anything else impress the new comer with the fact that this is the home of a great educational institution. More than this, everyone must be struck with the beauty of the campus occasioned by the planting of shrubbery and vines in appropriate places. An expert gardener from Boston was employed to plant the shrubbery. For this work the University is also indebted to Mrs. Gale.

Of the improvements done by the authority of the regents the most important are the constructing of several new walks and changes in the heating of the buildings. New walks were built from the library building to 15th Avenue. The much needed walk diag-

onally from 14th Avenue to 15th avenue has at last been built and the campus will never more be marred by unsightly paths.

New tunnels containing pipes from the heating plant have been dug to all the buildings. New pipes were put in where needed. The cost for heating improvements amounts to \$20,000. A

THE LIBRARY

The Independent Order of B'nai Brith, a Jewish brotherhood, has presented the University with a Jewish encyclopedia, in twelve volumes. Of these, four only are as yet published. This series of encyclopedias contains full information on the literature, religion, customs, and other matters pertaining to the Jewish people. Over four hundred prominent writers and scholars have been engaged in collecting and preparing the material.

The German department has been generously provided for in ordering the new books. Five volumes of "Allgemeine Geschichte," a general history, have just been received. Several other German histories, both religious and political, have also been added to the collection.

Among the English encyclopedias may be noted the New International encyclopedia, which is now nearing completion.

Another book, which should be of interest to every English student, and, indeed, to every University student, whether he be specializing in the language or not, is Francis A. March's Thesaurus of the English Language. This is one of the most complete works of its kind. It is to be placed on the shelves with the various encyclopedias and dictionaries, and doubtless will be fully appreciated.

The library attendants are the same as last year, and the plans in operation will be the same, save that concerning the drawing of books.

PSYCHOLOGIC REORGANIZATION

In consequence of the action of the Regents at their June meeting the department of philosophy and psychology has been reorganized.

All Mr. Gale's courses will be discontinued with the possible exception of that in the psychology of childhood, which may be given by Mr. Swenson in the second semester.

Mr. Johnston will offer his laboratory course as before, the work running throughout the year.

Mr. Swenson, who has been absent on sick leave since last February, has returned and will take up full work again.

Prof. Wilde, in addition to his undergraduate work will offer a new course for graduates in the philosophy of Hegel. During the summer an article of his on the "Limits of Ethical Inquiry," was published in the "International Journal of Ethics."

In consequence of the over crowded condition of the psychology classes last year, the records showing an increase of about 30 per cent over the preceding year, arrangements have been made to offer three sections instead of two in the first semester, and two instead of one in the second.

LAW OPENING

Dean Patee delivered his opening address to the day law classes Tuesday afternoon. All the available space in the law lecture hall was filled with students anxious to hear the greetings of their dean.

The Dean's address dwelt upon the practical requirements of success.

He emphasized the advantages of the beginner. All his mistakes are before him and he still has the opportunity to avoid them, while the man who has completed his course in school or in life has, as a rule, many follies to repent.

To those who would reach the end

of their career without committing grave errors the Dean gave this advice.

Let every man whose fixed ideal it was to succeed in law, in business and in life, do each duty as it presented itself, neglecting nothing and delaying nothing.

Let him avoid the superficial and seek to gain the broadest possible conception of the great fundamental principles underlying jurisprudence.

Let him cultivate a mind logical enough to comprehend and classify his knowledge and common sense sufficient to see them and beyond the trivial and technical.

The Dean said further, that the Law School was no place for the idler and pleasure seeker and that all such had best call at the office where their fees would be refunded and they could then return to their homes.

The new addition to the Law building will be the same size as the front part of the present building. This much needed improvement when completed will make the form of the entire building that of the letter H.

The lower story which is to be used as a lecture room will be large and commodious. The upper story will be devoted to office rooms and a library. The building itself is to be fireproof.

MEDIC OPENING

The Medics assembled in the Amphitheatre of the medical building Tuesday evening and began proceedings with a lively rough house.

Before the many freshmen knew what was doing they were seized and given a practical demonstration of the traditional Medic exercise known as putting up. The entire freshmen contingent was removed from its modest position at the back of the hall to the front rows. They went by the air route over the heads of the upper class men.

The arrival of Dean Richie with the speakers of the evening finally put an end to the sport.

The Dean introduced Dr. Stone of St. Paul who welcomed the students new and old on behalf of the profession.

President Northrop spoke to the classes of their duties and opportunities as students of the University and in alluding to the rush which began the evening recommended the freshmen to the mercy of the old students.

Dean Dickinson is too busy to make any statement regarding the progress of the repairs going on at the building, but from reliable sources the reporter learned that everything will be ready for work in a few days. The infirmary will soon be opened, even though the basement laboratories may not be quite in shape. The damage from the recent fire was mainly to the furnishings and as a result everything will look new and neat when the department opens up.

SELF-SUPPORTING STUDENTS.

Minnesota still keeps up her admirable record for being a splendid place to earn one's way through college.

It is estimated that fully half of the young men in college earn their way wholly or in part, and this year a greater number of the young women are finding ways of earning their board and room than ever before.

Probably the most unique work done by a woman is that of filling teeth. There is one dentist among the young ladies in the academic department and she is doing a thriving business, and going to school at the same time.

There are, it is estimated, 800 men and women making part of their expenses at least. Of these 400 are on their own resources.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION DOINGS

The Christian Associations have been working over time during registration week in order to meet the many demands made by the new students.

At the Y. M. C. A. a list of five hundred rooming places has been at the disposal of room hunters, about half of the places listed are still unengaged. About forty men have been supplied with permanent employment and several positions are still open.

The Association has made a considerable gain in membership, the number of applicants is twenty-five or thirty more than the number for the same period last year.

The work of the Y. W. C. A. has been badly handicapped by the loss of its room in the library building. The officers of the Association have secured temporary possession of the room formerly occupied by the accountant.

The problem of finding suitable rooms for the three or four hundred freshmen girls has been a very difficult one. Of the list of thirty places about half are still open.

NEW RHETORIC INSTRUCTOR

H. B. Gislason, B.A., '00, has been appointed instructor in the rhetorical department.

Since graduating from the University law college, and one year in teaching as principal of schools at Lake Benton, Minn., and during the past year he has studied at the Emerson School of Oratory, Boston. Mr. Gislason will devote his time to work with the debaters during the coming year.

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THE FIRST CHAPEL TALK

Long before chapel time Tuesday the hall was filled with upper classmen and those of the freshmen who were not turned away by the reserved seat hoax.

President Northrop was greeted on his appearance with hearty applause and after the usual devotional exercises and reading of announcements he made a short address in his usual happy manner.

He said in part:

"The thing that impresses me most this morning is that life is just what we make it. We cannot make our environment, but we can adapt ourselves to it.

"In walking about the beautiful campus we cannot help but have a sense of loyalty to what is best in life. Our environment here is everything that can be desired."

President Northrop advised the students to set their marks high and get all they can out of the university, that they may be better able to do the work which they will find to do in the world.

He welcomed the freshman class, which he said is the largest ever registered at the University. Speaking of the better educational facilities of the state, he hoped and believed the present freshman class would be full of ability and that the scholarship of the University could not help but be raised by the higher standard throughout the state.

The president requested that all friendly contests be confined to the

athletic and military fields, and that the new class refrain from organizing until later in the year, saying:

"For the present the faculty will constitute a governing board which will be sufficient for the class."

Never before have the freshmen been subjected to so many hoax schemes.

FOOTBALL MELANGE.

The following schedule shows a very hard season for Minnesota.

Sept. 26, Carleton, at Minneapolis.
 Oct. 3, Grinnell, " "
 Oct. 10, Ames, " "
 Oct. 17, Iowa, " "
 Oct. 24, Beloit, " "
 Oct. 31, Michigan, " "
 Nov. 7, Lawrence, " "
 Nov. 14, Illinois, at Champaign.
 Nov. 21, Open.
 Nov. 26, Wisconsin, at Madison.

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The old men who will be missed this year are Flynn at guard, Grey at end, Smith at guard, and Warren at tackle.

This will leave five vacancies in the line. Knowlton and Van Valkenberg will also be missing. While these losses are very great, yet the abundance of new material and of experienced subs assures a strong team before the big games of the season.

The heavy backs will not be missed as much as was first expected owing to the changed rules.

The new rules provide for open playing except within the twenty-five yard lines so the light backs will be more effective than the heavier ones could be.

The boys are in excellent shape and are fast in getting into the game.

1st Team

Gans, l. e.; Webster, l. t.; Russell, l. g.; Brown, c.; Burdick, r. g.; Schacht, r. t.; Marshall, r. e.; Bergen, l. h.; Weisel, r. h.; Harris, q.; Thorpe, f.

2nd Team

Nelson, l. e.; Sager, l. t.; Ricker, l. g.; Smith, c.; Pattee, r. g.; Benson, r. t.; Tuck, r. e.; Nye, q.; Luce, l. h.; Neussler, r. h.; Kremer, f.

The new material is very promising. Smith, a 200 pounder from Caledonia high school, is trying for center; Beacon, of Iowa, equally weighty, for tackle; Oech, of Winona, for guard; Neussler, formerly tackle on Beloit college team will try for same position here; Marshall and Luce, both of the Minneapolis Central high are out for end and half respectively, while Kraemer is aspiring to the position of fullback.

Strathern, the center of the last two years, will be back in the game.

The first game of the season comes off Sept. 19, when the teams of the city high schools will line up against the Varsity.

ELIGIBILITY OF ATHLETES

Scholarship should be the basis for deciding the eligibility of a football player. An iron clad rule should be adopted by all universities which would prohibit any man from playing on any athletic team who is not a bona fide student, or whose record for scholarship is poor.

In this way and in no other way can the great question of eligibility be settled.

The rule concerning professionals should be altered so as to allow any man to represent his university in athletics even if he had at some time used his ability in that line for gain.

A man who is a student in good and regular standing should not be debarred for the simple reason that during the summer he played a game of baseball in some bush town for a dollar or two, or run in a fat man's race on the fourth of July.

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This class of men are far more dangerous to the welfare of clean athletics than a few of the so called professional.

Make the athlete a student and there is on need for the restrictions regarding professionalism.

PIG SKIN GOSSIP

To the old students at the University there seems to be a great similarity between the football outlook at the present time and the early prospects of the fall of 1900.

As everybody knows, that year Minnesota held the Western championship, and although Iowa laid a similar claim to Western gridiron honors the fact that her schedule was not difficult enough to substantiate her claims put Minnesota undisputedly at the top.

In these particulars the present situation is the same as three years ago, with the exception that twice as many men are now available. The men now under Dr. Williams tutorship are somewhat slow and very green. A comparatively few of last year's stars are back, and much drilling will be needed to get into the men the necessary speed. The greatest difficulty however will be found in securing suitable men for some of the most important places on the team. As yet no man can be pointed to on the whole squad who can take care of Knowlton's position at fullback. Whether Dr. Williams

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WHAT WE ARE UP AGAINST.

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NORTHWESTERN.

Northwestern will probably have the lightest team of any of the Western colleges this year. They will probably not average over 155 pounds. Several old men are back, but it is not thought that the Methodist school will cut very much of a figure in Western football this year.

CHICAGO.

There is no use denying the fact that Chicago will have a good team this year.

Last year Stagg started out with a bunch of green material which he gradually rounded into shape and at the close of the season had a team which would have done credit to any University.

This year all these men will return, and he will have an abundance of new material.

There is no better coach in the west than this same Alonzo A. Stagg and his team will make a very strong bid for the premier honors.

ILLINOIS.

Dissensions have arisen in the ranks of the football squad at Illinois University. It is the same old story, fraternities fighting to put their men on the team and trying to oust men who are more capable. It is not thought that

their team this year will compare with that of last, as they lose Jake Stahl and Cook the famous guards who were the backbone of the team for many seasons.

WISCONSIN.

At Wisconsin the prospects are none too bright, although Coach Curtiss is very hopeful.

So far only sixteen men have shown up to practice at the Badger institution and it seems impossible to create sufficient enthusiasm on account of the miserable showing last year.

King will be sadly missed, for although the students feel Curtiss is a good man, yet they do not place the confidence in him that they did in the veteran King.

Minnesota should easily defeat the Badgers on Thanksgiving day.

MICHIGAN.

Michigan will have a strong team. Although they lose several of their stars such as Weeks, Heston, Hirstein, Maddock and Carter, yet Yost can be depended upon to fill these places in an acceptable manner. The only question is whether he can keep up his record and whether his plans may not miscarry and the team go to pieces as was prophesied so many times last year.

But if nothing unlooked for occurs it will probably be the game at Minneapolis on Oct. 31 which will decide whether Minnesota or Michigan shall be champions of the West.

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FAST PRACTICE

An unusually large crowd of rooters turned out to see football practice Thursday afternoon. About forty men appeared in uniform and went in to the game with a vengeance.

Two of the old men, Strathern, whose touchdown in last year's Wisconsin game is still fresh in the minds of all, and Warren, the well-known tackle of 1902, were both out much to the delight of the rooters.

Doctor Williams wore a bright smile that refused to come off as the men went through the various stunts assigned them. Shevlin was also on hand as were Dobie, Bernhagen and Capt. Cole of the '98 team.

Harris, Thorpe and Gleason did the practice punting in a creditable way. Gleason is the man who, last spring attracted attention by his pitching on the academic baseball team.

The practice on the whole was very encouraging and everything seems to point to a championship team.

WOMEN NEED A BUILDING

Of the many changes recently made around the campus none is more striking than the removal of the Y. W. C. A. room from the Library to the girls' parlor of the Main building.

The absence of this familiar place of welcome to registering freshmen girls brings up forcibly the need of a women's building at Minnesota University.

The freshman class is larger and the number of girl students earning their way is greater than ever before.

The sympathy and help so much needed would gladly be given by many if the cases of need were known. The agency of a women's building would make these cases known, take care of the girls interests and supply the home atmosphere so essential to happiness and comfort.

Since its organization the Y. W. C. A. has assumed the work of affording something of this home life. Recently the Women's League has supplemented the work of the Y. W. C. A. and has adopted as its object the securing of a women's building. It is hoped that these organizations will this year receive earnest support and co-operation of all the girls. In this way may in the future be realized the hope of having an exclusive resting place where home life and a democratic spirit may round the Minnesota girls education.

THE MAGAZINE OF 1903-04

It is no idle rumor that the "Minnesota Magazine" which for the past few years has compared very favorably with American college monthlies will appear stronger in literary merits and general excellence during the coming year. A member on the Magazine board recently, stated that the management had been at work for weeks past hustling material and preparing for the first issue of the Magazine. The mem-

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ber on the board said, "We shall have a better magazine with higher literary merits and a broader general scope than ever before. Our subscription list is already large and the way subscriptions are coming in we are justified to expect that nearly every student in college will sign him or herself a subscriber for Magazine."

Miss Ada Comstock of the Rhetoric department, who was granted a leave of absence last spring, is now in England and will spend the winter in France and Germany.

MUSICAL ACTIVITY.

As soon as Professor Oberhoffer returns, definite plans will be made in regard to the musical programs in chapel for the coming year.

Those interested in music at the University are anxious to have a greater number of programs rendered than in any previous year.

A symphony club has been organized at Minneapolis in which the best talent of the country will be represented.

Considering the fact that there are only two other similar organizations in the country, namely at Boston and Chicago, Minneapolis should justly feel proud. It is hoped that the University students will have special opportunities for hearing the symphony club during the coming year.

SORORITY RUSHING.

The activity of the sororities has never been so pronounced as this fall. It was a common thing to see one poor little freshman coming up along the line to register, with representatives of half a dozen different sororities hanging about, trying to get in the first word after the magic scratch of of the pen had converted the applicant into a bona fide University student. If the sight had not been so exasperating it would have been more amusing.

S. De Witt Adams, '03, visited the University to-day. His address is Oakes, N. Dak.

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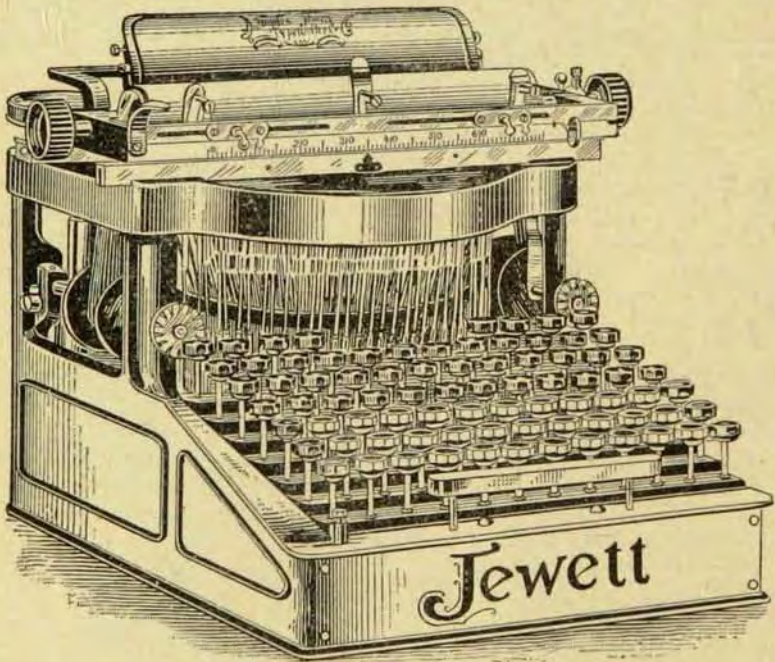
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## Editorial Notes

There have been a number of changes made in the teaching force at the University. Lieutenant Cole resigned last spring and Major Morgan, formerly military instructor in the University, has come back, much to the delight of his old friends.

Mr. Gale, of the department of psychology is gone and no one has been secured to fill his place, most of his work being dropped from the curriculum.

Misses Trufant and Norris are gone, the work of the drawing department having been largely cut out by the action of the Regents last spring.

Madam Waters, of the French department has dropped out and Mr. Azemar comes into that department as assistant professor.

Dr. Brooks has given up part of his work in the Greek department, and Mr. Savage, of the department of Latin, has taken some classes in the Greek department.

Dr. Berkey has gone to the Columbian School of Mines and Mr. Arthur Parsons has been elected to the place thus vacated.

No one has been chosen to succeed Dr. Bell, of the department of medical chemistry, and Mr. Carel has charge of the department. This plan is likely to continue indefinitely.

Dean A. P. Williamson, who for so many years, has served so acceptably as dean of the college of homeopathic medicine and surgery, is succeeded by Dean Eugene D. Mann.

A new officer, the purchasing agent, shares Mr. Sprague's new quarters in the room formerly occupied by the Y. W. C. A. girls. Mr. J. D. Mills was elected to that position and held it for about two months, resigning last week; a new purchasing agent will have to be appointed, according to the law, by the Board of Control.

At the School of Agriculture, Principal Frederick D. Tucker has gone to Iowa, to become president of the Memorial College at Mason City. Mr. D. D. Mayne, of Madison, Wis., has been elected to that position.

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Mrs. Meredith, preceptress of the school of agriculture, resigned and Miss Catherine Comfort has been put in charge of the young women of the school, as preceptress.

There have been numerous changes in scholars, fellows and assistants which will be noted from time to time as they are called up by circumstances.

#### WORDS OF WISDOM

In his labor day address, President Northrop went right to the heart of the labor troubles in the following words—

"Any man who can work and will work has a right to work and to earn his living. We cannot be divided into two parties fighting against each other in the right to labor. It would be absurd to have republican workmen quit a building because a democrat workman was employed, or a Catholic workman quit a building because a Protestant workman was employed, and it is equally absurd for a labor organization to quit a building because somebody who is not in their organization is employed."

Last spring Professor MacMillan, in the course of a commencement address before one of the high schools of the state, made a strong point against those who criticize the inefficiency of the high schools. The newspapers were full of such criticism about that time. Referring to the matter, Professor MacMillan said, in substance—I can tell you one of the troubles. Taking from one of his pockets a letter which he had received, asking him to recommend a teacher for a high school position, he proceeded to enumerate the things expected. The applicant must be a man, a graduate of the University, of strong scholarship, of great promise, able to teach four sciences, and about ten classes in addition to being a shining example to the boys of the school

and able to assist them in their athletic sports, etc., and all for the princely sum of fifty dollars per month for nine months in the year. Then he drew out from another pocket a placard which he had taken from an employment agency bulletin board, asking for one hundred men to work on railroad construction, shoveling dirt, for \$2 per day, fifty-two dollars per month, for twelve months. No wonder that the schools are poor when those who are charged with the administration of their affairs think to secure so much for such a beggarly pittance.

#### A CHARITABLE INSTITUTION

The humor of the following ought to cause the present Board of Control act, so far as it relates to the University, to be laughed out of existence.

President Cyrus Northrop,

President of the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

We send you to-day, as head of the University, some prairie chickens which have been seized by this department under law. As you perhaps know, our law provides that all game confiscated shall be turned over to the charitable institutions of the state and on looking up the decisions of our highest tribunal we find that the state university is classed as such. So we take great pleasure in sending you these chickens for the benefit of your valuable institution.

Very truly yours,

Sam F. Fullerton,

Ex. Agt.

S. F. Fullerton, Esq.

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of some prairie chickens seized by your department under the law and most felicitously turned over to the University as one of

the charitable institutions of the state. I have already made provisions for the proper distribution of these chickens among the inmates of the institution. I beg to say to you that much as I shall enjoy eating my portion of these condemned chickens, my pleasure in the eating will not be one-half so great, as that derived from the delightful humor of your communication.

Very truly yours,  
Cyrus Northrop.

The way in which debate enthusiasm is manifesting itself is full of promise for the year which has just opened. This is not likely to be overdone and so we say "God-speed."

#### FAREWELL TO MISS HILLMAN

Tuesday Evening, Miss Mable Bryden entertained the General Secretary and Cabinet of the Y. W. C. A. in honor of Miss Hillman who left last week for Chicago.

Miss Hillman has been Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. for the past four years and resigned to accept a similar position at Chicago University. She will be greatly missed here where she has done such excellent work and the best wishes of a host of friends will follow her.

#### LOW ONE WAY RATES TO COAST

The Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. has placed on sale daily special one way colonists excursion tickets to California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana at very reduced rates. Tourist cars through without change every Wednesday and Thursday via the popular Santa Fe System and "Scenic Route" through Colorado. Call on agents for particulars or address, A. B. Cutts, G. P. & T. A., Minneapolis.

The University Dramatic Club held its first meeting of the year last week and Pres. Keyes outlined the policy of the Club for this year which promises to be the most successful in the Club's history.

The announcement has been made of the subject of the Schurmeier prize. Any undergraduate student taking any work in the Sociological department is eligible. The subject is "Social Forces in the Making of Emerson." The prize is \$20 and the contestants will be allowed until after Christmas to get their essays in.

John A. Cull, '03, has been appointed one of the government clerks in the Customs department at Manila, Philippine Islands. Mr. Cull received his appointment about the first of July and started immediately for the Islands. The position is a lucrative one and his many friends wish him unbounded success in that far away land.

Will L. Ricks, Academic, '03, has been made a handsome offer by the Tuskegee Institute where his high scholarship and ability while student here have been recognized. Since his graduation, Ricks has been employed with the H. W. Wilson Co.

It is stated on good authority that he will not accept the offer of instructorship in Booker T. Washington's school.

Mr. Ricks is the first colored student to graduate from the Academic department. He specialized in history and economics.

Mr. Ricks's popularity at the University and high class standing make his offer from Tuskegee a subject of joy to his numerous friends among the students and faculty.

Mr. E. M. Jones, '03, has gone as a missionary to the Island of Borneo.

Mr. Jules Leslaby has been secured as instructor in fencing at the university by Dr. Cooke, and will organize classes of both men and women at the Armory.

Mr. Leslaby comes highly recommended, and is without doubt one of the best masters and teachers of the art.

One of this summers weddings which should be of especial interest to the University was that of Miss Lottie O'Brien of Amiret, and Willis I. Norton of Minneapolis. Mr. Norton is a member of the Castalian literary society. He is especially noted for his debating work, having been on several inter-collegiate teams.

Work has begun in the Rhetoric department with large classes and more earnest enthusiasm than ever. This speaks well for those who have charge of the department. The number registering for work in Debate increases each year, and never before has the University had such good material to sustain her reputation as at the present time.

Will the basket ball championship of the United States be decided this year? Minnesota, the undisputed champion of the West last year is willing. It's up to Yale to say whether the East and the West shall meet to decide the matter. The management of the local team is beginning thus early to plan for a game and it is to be hoped that they will be successful.

All the basket ball men of last year's championship team will be back, and all will play with the possible exception of Captain Deering. The team will begin work as soon as Dr. Cooke can give time to coaching.

A good schedule is being arranged and the prospects are bright for another championship team.

While much enthusiasm has been exhibited by those entering for honors in Debate as well as all those interested in this line of work, there are a number of men who have been putting in earnest work in Oratory, preparatory to the Pillsbury Oratorical Contest.

Some of the men have been working all summer and have their orations practically completed, only needing the finishing touches in the preparation. Others have their orations partly completed and many have been doing extensive reading with this purpose in view.

Several inquiries have been made lately as to a bowling alley being constructed in the Armory and we wonder why the plan should not be a feasible one. There are several reasons why it should meet the approval of students.

University students have always been enthusiastic bowlers. On this account it seems that the construction of several alleys in the basement of the armory would be a very happy idea.

The armory is the logical place for all athletic exercises and since the armory is to be open evenings during the coming year, we see no reason why such a move would not be a wise one.

The plan has the approval of those in authority in the armory, who claim that it would not only be possible, but very beneficial to "U" students.

Freshman Co-ed. "Where do the cane rushes grow?"

#### HALF RATES TO CHICAGO

For the Centennial Celebration to be held in Chicago, Ill., Sept. 26 to Oct. 1, the Minneapolis & St. Louis will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale Sept. 26, 27 and 28; limit for return, Oct. 5, 1903. See ticket agents for particulars.

## THE NAUGHTY THREES

The following report is complete for the class of 1903, so far as they have reported to date. The Weekly will report new names and addresses as fast as they are turned in and will endeavor to keep the alumni directory up-to-date at all times.

Winnifred H. Ackerson, teaching at Sandstone, Minn.

Joseph T. Ahlstrom, practicing dentistry at Cokato.

Bessie E. Ainsworth, teaching at Medford, Wisconsin.

Charles L. Alexander, lawyer, Pelican Rapids, Minnesota.

William E. Albee, abstractor of titles, 608 Phoenix Bldg., city.

William S. Anderson, practicing medicine at Houston.

Bonnie F. Andrews, teaching at Bird Island.

Caroline A. Arndt, teaching, 564 Winslow av., St. Paul.

Ruth Babcock, teaching at Rushford.  
Seavey M. Bailey, 84 Willow St., city.

William F. Baillie, house physician, St. John's Hospital, Fargo, N. D.

Augusta E. Baker, teaching at Wheaton.

O. M. Bakke, chemist, Mountain Iron.  
Mathias Baldwin, lawyer, 936 Guaranty Loan Building, City.

Gertrude Ballard, holder of the Howard Scholarship, and assistant in the department of Rhetoric.

Harry E. Barlow, assistant engineer C., St. P., M. & O. Ry., 1000 Hague av., St. Paul.

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N. J. Bothne, lawyer, Herman.

Madison C. Bowler, lawyer, 619 9th Ave., S. E.

W. F. Braasch, physician, City hospital, City.

Oscar C. Brohough, 298 Williams St., St. Paul.

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C. J. Buell, R. R. clerk, North Hudson, Wis.

S. J. Burchard, lawyer, Marshall.

May D. Burnham, teaching, Cokato.

J. H. Burns, practicing medicine, Hutchinson.

Adrian E. Buttz, lawyer, Leeds, N. D.

John J. Catlin, practicing medicine, Delano.

Grace Chadwick, teaching, Bird Island.

Sam Chernausek, teaching, Hutchinson.

C. W. Colby, teaching, Delano.

S. L. Conley, practicing dentistry, Kasson.

C. C. Conser, teaching, Windom.

M. F. Cooke, practicing dentistry, Faribault.

John Copeland, minister, 399 Eichenwald street, St. Paul.

Mary Cressey, teaching, Sioux Falls, S. D.

Avery F. Crouse, teaching, 3840 Richfield ave, City.

Joseph H. Davidson, draughtsman, 650 Portland ave., St. Paul.

Barry Dibble, inspector on electrical work, with the Cincinnati-Columbus Traction Co., Cincinnati, O.

A. A. Deslauriers, practicing medicine, 204 A. X. A. Building, Duluth.

Raymond L. Dillman, lawyer, Verdale.

Alice E. Dyer, at home at Winona.

Burr K. Ellis, physician, C. & C. Hospital, St. Paul.

Byron T. Emerson, teaching, Wabasha, Minn.

Theodore D. Erickson, lawyer, Aberdeen, S. D.

Helmer M. Feroe, teacher, Ortonville,

Thomas Ferry, law, '03, is practicing law at Eveleth, Minn.

Blanding Fisher, With Ramsey County National Bank, Devils Lake, N. D.

Don F. Fitzgerald, physician, 128 5th Street So., City.

Maude R. Fletcher, teacher, Worthington.

John G. Flynn, mining, Butte, Mont.

A. R. Foster, practicing dentistry, Bowbells, N. D.

Edith Foulke, teaching, 558 Lincoln ave., St. Paul.

Ernest A. French, physician, city.

William Furst, Lawyer, City.

George A. Gallagher, lawyer, 510 13th Ave., S. E., City.

Lewis R. Gholz, practicing dentistry, Worthington.

Agnes M. Glasoe, '02, Teaching at Worthington.

Eugene K. Green, physician, 228 Plymouth Ave., Minneapolis.

H. A. Grow, draughtsman, Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Co., 2621 Grand Ave., So.

A. B. Gunderson, lawyer, Aberdeen, S. D.

Francis B. Guthrie, missionary, Balanga, Kamarunes, West Africa.

Ethel C. Hall, teaching, St. Paul, 981 Bayless Ave.

Gurinne A. Halvorson, teaching, at Prescott, Wis.

Nicholas Hansen, Student, State Library School, Albany, New York.<sup>6</sup>

Ella C. Hanson, teaching, Montgomery.

George E. Hanson, lawyer, Sleepy Eye.

Henry G. Hanson, student, Auburn, N. Y.

Nels B. Hanson, lawyer, Barnesville.

Kate C. Harden, physician, 1511 University Av., S. E.

Susan E. Hannemann, teaching, Granite Falls.

A. B. Hart, Med., '03, is practicing at Canton, Minn.

Samuel A. Hatch, teaching.

Newton Hegel, teaching, Bellingham.

H. C. Hektner, practicing dentistry, Battle Lake.

Harold J. Hoard, mining engineer and assayer, Whitehall, Mont.

Magda Hoff, teaching, Lake City.

Frank H. Hopkins, lawyer, Fairfax.

Ruth Houlton, attending nurse training school, C. and C. hospital, St. Paul.

Anders G. Hovde, physician, Biwabik.

Frederick C. Hubbard, physician, C. and C. Hospital, St. Paul.

Frank Hughes, '03, writes from Glendive, Montana, where he has charge of an electric light plant.

Ray Humiston, physician, Worthington.

Edward F. Humphreys, teaching.

Harry G. Irvine, 54 S. 3d St., City.

H. S. Ives, telegraph editor for the Minneapolis Daily News.

Martin L. Jacobson, teaching, Atwater.

J. C. Jensen, physician, Hendricks.

J. P. F. Jensen, teaching, Crookston.

A. Einar Johnson, physician, Roland, Iowa.

I. T. Johnsrud, teaching, St. Cloud, Normal School.

Leulah J. Judson, Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.

R. O. Juliar, physician, Alice, N. D.

Andrew J. Kaess, physician, Ortonville.

Sadie L. Keatley, teaching, Elk River.

Catherine Kerr, teaching, Long Prairie.

Charles P. Kleinmann, lawyer, 801 3d ave, So., City.

Arthur L. Knauf, lawyer, Jamestown, N. D.

J. B. Ladd, '03, spent last week at the "U."

Harold G. Lains, with West Publishing Company, St. Paul.

Lee R. Laird, electrical engineer, Wilmot, S. D.

Grace W. Lavayea, graduate student, Stanford University, California.

William F. Lasby, dentist, Fairmont.

Grace I. Liddell, teaching, Wadena.

Alma M. Lundgren, '01, teaching, Fosston.

Charles A. Lyche, lawyer, Barnesville.

Hugh J. McClearn, lawyer, 604 Torrey Bldg., Duluth.

Lorena MacFarlane, teaching, Biwabik.

Malcolm MacLean is at Montague, Mich.

Annie McGillis, teaching, 1904 Lynsdale ave., N., City.

Irene P. McKeehan, teaching, Chaska.

James J. McManamy, lawyer, 801 N. Y. Life Bldg., City.

Francis M. Madden, engineering, U. S. Geological Survey, Belle Fourche, S. Dak.

Herman V. Magnusson, physician, at Cannon Falls.

Herbert A. Mackinson, physician, Manhattan, Kan.

George D. Mann, reporter, Pioneer Press, St. Paul.

Leonora C. Mann, 728 4th st. S. E. W. C. Margeson, lawyer, East Grand Forks.

Olive Marshall, teaching, Milaca.

F. C. Miller, teaching, 1509 Laurel ave., St. Paul.

L. W. Miller, with Western Electric Co., 531 W. Adams St., Chicago.

William A. Monten, ex-'03, visited the University last week. He returns to Harvard again this year and is doing all he can to get a basket ball game between Harvard and Minnesota.

John F. Munns, physician, 519 11th ave., S. E., Minneapolis.

Louis Nash, manager for Nicol the Taylor, 649 Holly ave., St. Paul.

Alice M. Nelson, teaching, Herman.  
Arthur H. Nelson, teaching, Hibbing.  
Sadie H. Nelson, teaching, Humboldt, Iowa.

Bertha G. Newkirk, medical student, 1016 29th ave. N. E., City.

Julia O. Newton, teaching, Fairmont.

J. L. Shellman, physician, Hibbing.

E. H. Nicholas, '02, teaching, Worthington.

Bernard S. Nickerson, interne, St. Luke's Hospital, St. Paul.

Lillian E. Nixon, assisting in department of Rhetoric, U. of M.

Henry W. Noth, physician, 422 Newton Ave., City.

Herbert W. Old, pathologist, C. and C. Hospital, St. Paul.

Myrtle Oliver, '03, Garden City, Minnesota.

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George E. Page, physician, Nickerson.

M. L. Page, with Western Electric Co., 531 W. Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

Edith Peck, teaching, Buffalo.

George G. Pinney, teaching Roseau.

Frances E. Pond, 1527 N. Emerson Ave., City.

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George D. Rice, physician, St. Mary's Hospital, Duluth.

Percy E. Riley, interne, C. & C. Hospital, St. Paul.

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Ingvold A. Rosok, with General Electrical Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

J. Edward Rostad, lawyer, Walnut Grove.

Olin W. Rowe, physician, Towner, N. D.

John H. Santee, teaching, Hastings.

F. E. Schacht, resident physician, City Hospital, Minneapolis.

Gottfried Schmidt, physician, New Ulm.

W. R. Schmidt, physician, Hibbing.

Peter Schonarth, lawyer, 702 Globe Bldg., St. Paul.

Fred. C. Schuldt, interne, St. Joseph's Hospital, St. Paul.

J. H. Schumacher, electrical draughtsman, 206 2nd St. S. E., Minneapolis.

Gilbert P. Skartum, druggist, Lake Benton.

Grace Simis, teaching, Luverne.

Elliott Smith, assistant, Lick Observatory, Mt. Hamilton, Calif.

Mary Donovan Smith, teacher, 93 Sycamore St., St. Paul.

Dan P. Smythe, lawyer, Pendleton, Oregon.

V. Ormsby Soule, lawyer, Harvey, N. D.

L. K. Sowle, miner, Denver, Colo.

Mildred Spencer, teaching, Harmony.

Katherine D. Steele, teaching, Red Wing.

O. W. Sterner, physician, Cambridge.

Maud H. Steward, student, 812 Delaware St. S. E., City.

Alice E. Thompson, teaching, Appleton, Minn.

David L. Tilderquist, interne, Swedish Hospital, Minneapolis.

Emma L. Truax, teacher, Hastings.

L. E. Tuck, dentist, Melrose.

Paul E. Von Kuster, with D. C. Bell Investment Co., 635 Marshall St., N. E., City.

Jessie I. Weaver, teaching, Perham.

Hattie Wentworth, traveling, Wheaton.

E. O. Wergedahl, 201 Newspaper Row, St. Paul.

Cleora C. Wheeler, 301 Pioneer Press Bldg., St. Paul.

Josie M. Whittemore, teacher, Henderson.

Clyde R. White, teacher, Grand Rapids.

Eugene E. Whiteley, miner, Dalton's Lark Mines, Bingham Canyon, Utah.

Stella L. Wilkinson, physician, Newport.

E. A. Williams, lawyer, Dodge Center.

E. H. Williams, 317 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis.

Fred S. Yeager, dentist, 403 Germania Life Bldg., St. Paul.

Alice Lamborn, '00, is teaching at Hastings.

B. B. Gislason, '01, visited the "U" last Saturday. He is practicing law at Minneota.

James McGinnis, '99, is superintendent of schools at Thief River Falls this year.

James McIntyre, law, '01, of Thief River Falls, visited friends on the campus recently.

Lee Kellogg, valedictorian of '01, spent a few hours at the U. recently. He leaves at once for Columbian mining college.

George Mueller, the famous guard of the Minnesota, Champion 1900 team, will coach the Macalester College squad this fall.

Ralph Wedge, '02, of debating fame, and formerly Associate editor of the Daily, was seen on the campus last week. Ralph is banking near Minot, S. Dak.

J. J. Thornton, jr., Law, '02, is visiting at the Kappa Sigma House on his way to his home at St. James from a trip to New York in connection with his legal business.

W. L. McBride, Law, '02, is visiting fraternity brothers for a few days. "Mac" is located at Dickinson, N. D. where he is doing a thriving law business and is interested in lignite coal mines.

Miss Guthrie, the assistant librarian has just been granted a leave of absence till January 1st, 1904: Her position is now filled by Miss Hawley, while the latter's place is taken by Mrs. Agden.

Prof. Hoag spent the summer in the northern part of the state engaged in drainage work in the Rainy Lake country. While there he also had charge of considerable hydrographic surveying.

Sidney Adams, '01, was renewing acquaintances about the campus last week. He was on his way to Washington, D. C., where he combines the



functions of a senior in the Columbian College of Law with his duties as private secretary to Congressman Marshall of N. Dakota.

A. W. Rankin, '80, state inspector of graded schools, was very seriously injured in a run-away a week ago Saturday. He was driving when his carriage was run into by a heavily loaded run-away team and he was thrown from the vehicle and struck on the pavement crushing his shoulder and several ribs. The accident was very painful but he is getting along as well as could be expected. It was a marvel that he escaped with his life. Mr. Rankin had just recovered from a long and serious illness and his friends hope that this may be the end of his chapter of "ungluck."

H. H. Chapman, '96, B. Ag., '99, who is in charge of the sub-station at Grand Rapids, was at the University last week. He is having troubles of his own. He shows in some of his reports that there is considerable land in that vicinity which is not good farming land and has thus aroused the ire of the residents of that neighborhood, who are out looking for his scalp. However, he still wears that useful head covering and is likely to continue to wear it when his detractors are mourning their foolishness.

Maria R. McColloch, '00, is teaching at Fullerton, California.

E. K. Wennerlund, Eng. '99, is located at Newton, Kansas.

Miss Alice Dougan, '02, is teaching in the high school at Crookston.

John M. Armstrong, Med. '02, has an office at "The Albion," St. Paul.

Cleona Case, '01, has given up teaching and is at her home this year, 3010 Garfield Ave.

H. O. Sorkness, '99, is located at Fort Totten, N. D. He is managing an Indian farm.

Charles E. Stangeland, '01, holder of the Class of '90 Fellowship, who has

been studying in Germany during the past year, is at home again, at Marathon, Ia.

The Alumni Weekly,

U. of M., Mpls, Minn.

Please change my address from Crookston to Staples, and be sure to send me the first issue of the Weekly. It is a pleasure to receive the Weekly each week and I for one, feel that the Weekly is of growing value to the alumni, and the University.

I think it is a common experience with graduates of our University to gradually lose sight of University affairs in the rush and work of business or profession, and we all need something to make us think of our Alma Mater once in a while. The Weekly is supplying that need and I think it is one of the best things ever started at the University.

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It might be a news item to know that Miss Mary Louise Thornton, '03, is to teach English and History in our High School this year.

Very truly yours,  
J. A. Burger, '01.

Captain W. B. Folwell, is assigned to duty with his regiment, the 17th U. S. Infantry, in the Philippines.

#### IN OPEN COURT.

The Weekly desires to open a new department, to be called "In Open Court." This department to be open to communications from graduates, and other friends of the University, who may have anything to say that will be of interest or help, to the alumni and other friends of the University. The alumni certainly have the interests of the University at heart and it may well be that they can now and then say something that will be of great help and value to the University. The Weekly extends a hearty invitation to the alumni to make use of the department. A judicious use of this department will do more to add interest to the Weekly than any other one thing.

#### PHARMACY OPENING

Registration in the College of Pharmacy at the University of Minnesota which began September the first closed last week and the regular class work commenced Tuesday morning. The new class is larger than that of last year.

Dean Wulling delivered the opening address to the several classes, speak-

ing on the subject of "The Necessity of High Ideals."

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#### DR. COOK TO STAY.

Great consternation was caused about the campus last week by the report that Dr. L. J. Cooke had resigned his position as Physical Director at the University.

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in stating that Dr. Cooke has not resigned.

The facts in the case are these:

Dr. Cooke was recently made a very tempting offer by one of the leading insurance companies doing business in this city, but after mature consideration declined the offer.

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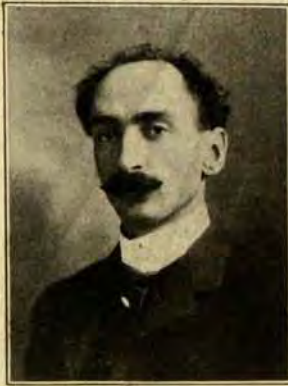
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The whole University is glad that Dr. Cooke is to stay with us and we are to be congratulated for our good fortune.

Myrtle Oliver, '03, has been compelled to give up the idea of teaching on account of ill health. She will spend the year in rest and trying to regain her strength.

Miss Leulah J. Judson, '03, visited the University last week. She is to do graduate work in the department of History at Columbia University this year.

Although nothing definite has yet been heard from the Women's League, preparations are quietly going on which point to a year much more successful than formerly.

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MINNESOTA 21, MINNEAPOLIS,  
CENTRAL 6; MINNESOTA 36  
ST. PAUL, CENTRAL, 0.

It has rained practically every Saturday during the last part of the summer, and so it was with joy that football enthusiasts hailed Saturday's perfect weather. It was a gala occasion, and the grand stand and bleachers were packed with those who had come to witness the opening of the new field.

After the speechmaking, which was all good, came the annual double header which old timers have come to look upon as no cinch for the University. At the start, Minnesota played in a listless manner, and the high school, though unable to make consistent gains, succeeded in keeping the University from getting within striking distance for long time. When the first touch down did come, a goal was missed. Then the high school boys got desperate, and by some good luck, and a great deal more of good playing, managed to let Hunter loose with the ball on their own twenty-five yard line; he went around and through the whole Minnesota team, and ran away down the field, like the traditional "streak of greased lightning" and planted the ball fairly behind the goal posts, and then an easy goal was kicked, which gave the high school team the lead by one point. It was a magnificent run and we are not likely to see its equal again this season. It

was not a fluke; it was good football, and the Minnesota men were caught napping.

Minnesota then waked up, and played such ball as they ought to have played from the first kick off, and the score tells with what effect their playing was done. Of course the team work was in no sense finished, but it was remarkably good for so early in the season.

In the second half, in the game with the St. Paul team, the Minnesota men started out to play football, and they played the game from start to finish, and the story is one of repeated marches down the field by a series of long rushes and longer runs and the final score tells the story.

The new formations were in evidence and the crowd had a chance to get a line of the sort of playing to be expected this season. It is a kind of playing that delights the spectator, for he can see what is being done.

As a whole the dedication exercises were an unqualified success, and may Northrop Field see many glorious victories won for the maroon and gold, both this year and in the years to come, is the wish of every loyal Minnesotan.

#### Line Up

##### First Half

| Minnesota | Position | Mpls. Cent. |
|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Rogers    | L. E.    | Castor      |
| Webster   | L. T.    | Morse       |
| Russell   | L. G.    | Lavayea     |
| Strathern | C.       | McCarthy    |

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Irsfield ..... R. H. Hunter-Griebler  
Current ..... F. .... Thayer  
Score—Minnesota 21, Minneapolis  
Central, 6.

Touch-downs—Davies (2); Irsfield,  
Current, Hunter. Goals—Current,  
Thayer.

#### Second Half

| Minnesota | Position | St. P. Cent. |
|-----------|----------|--------------|
| Rogers    | L. E.    | McGregor     |
| Warren    | L. T.    | Liggett      |
| Burdick   | L. G.    | Bunker       |
| Strathern | C.       | Byer         |
| Pattee    | R. G.    | Clark        |
| Schacht   | R. T.    | Ellison      |
| Marshall  | R. E.    | Pettijohn    |
| O'Brien   | Q.       | Cudworth     |
| Bergen    | L. H.    | Woods        |
| Neussle   | R. H.    | Connolly     |
| Current   | F.       | Hanson       |

Score—Minnesota 36, St. Paul Central 0. Time of Halves—20 minutes.  
Touch-Downs—Bergen (2); Neussle (3); Burdick. Goals—Rogers (6). Umpire—Jones. Referee—Belden. Time-keeper—Harding.

#### 'SIG HARRIS INJURED

Shortly before the close of the first half of Saturday's game "Sig" Harris, after making a splendid run around

left end for 23 yards, suffered a dislocation of an elbow and had to be carried from the field. The injury was a painful one and may keep him out of the game for a couple of weeks. The rooters hope that he will not be kept out for a longer time, for there is no one man on the team who would be more sorely missed.

#### The Past Week.

The practice of the past week has been of a fairly satisfactory nature. The new material which is being developed is very promising for the fall's showing. It is very much doubted whether there is a finer bunch of raw material out of which to build a team, anywhere in the West. The spirit is good, and if we do not have a winning team, or at least one that does not give up until they have met their betters, we shall be very much surprised.

The Y. W. C. A. gave a delightful tea for new students Saturday afternoon. Miss Milham, the new state secretary, was present.

The combined Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. reception, last Saturday evening, was a huge success. This annual reception is the big social event of the year, and is always enjoyed by the large crowd present.

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The University has on its campus a large commodious building, of noble proportions. It is the pride of the "U" and an honor to the state, ranking high among its class.

The structure cost in the neighborhood of \$200,000 and yet it is only stocked with some 60,000 volumes.

The University owns in the various buildings some 40,000 more volumes.

\$50,000 is needed to stock up the library with authors, the conspicuous absence of which deprives it of that sense of respectability that its high standing requires.

The \$7,500 annual appropriation which was voted by past legislatures and considered about sufficient to withstand all the financial drain in keeping the library in running conditions and in making necessary additions was cut down last year by the legislature to \$5000.

This has all been used up, and now the situation is:— what is the library going to do until the legislature meets in January, 1905?

## PROMINENT EDUCATOR

## PASSES AWAY.

Professor C. M. Boutelle, superintendent of schools at Marshall and one of the best known educators in the state of Minnesota, died suddenly last Wednesday evening of paralysis. Professor Boutelle was formerly an instructor in the Mankato Normal and was widely known and highly esteemed in educational circles. His daughters Anna and Louisa are students in the University.

## FRATS AND THEIR HOMES.

With a few exceptions there has been little change in the location of the fraternities since last year. A number of fraternities now own their houses, and the majority of the others rent houses or rooms in the vicinity of the university.

Among the first are the Chi Psi's with their handsome new lodge on University Avenue. The Betas, Phi Psi's, Delta U's, S. A. Es', Zeta Psi's, Kappa Sigma's and Psi U's are situated as last year. The D. K. E's have moved to the corner of 11 and 6th and the Alpha Deltas are located just below the armory on University avenue and 18th avenue. Phi Gamma Delta still remains on 4th street in the house they have occupied since 1892.

## SORORITIES PROGRESSIVE.

Among the changes and improvements at and around the university this year, is the Delta Gamma house. It is a new thing to have the sororities in houses, and if the practice continues and increases, a great deal of pleasure for "eds" and "co-eds" may be expected.

The Delta Gamma Lodge is on Tenth avenue between Fourth and University. It is splendidly furnished and is very attractive both inside and out.

There are whispers that Alpha Phi will before long have a home, and that the other sororities will soon follow their example. It is to be hoped so, at least, for sorority houses at other colleges are centres of very pleasant social attractions.

Debaters have announced their intentions for the coming year and the promising material which will constitute the Inter-collegiate teams promises a higher standard of excellence than that of any previous year.



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## Editorial Notes

The students held a mass meeting Saturday morning, President Northrop being absent by special request. This taken together with the fact that the President's birthday comes next Wednesday, is taken to mean something in the way of a surprise.

During the past week President Northrop received an anonymous letter, signed by "An Alumnus," in which accusation was made that a certain member of the football squad was not prepared for admission to the University and that it was a disgrace to the University to have admitted such a man.

Although the writer of an anonymous letter deserves nothing but contempt, only a coward will hide behind an anonymous letter, the matter was thoroughly investigated and it proved that

the man had not been admitted to the University, nor was he registered, nor had he attended classes in the department in which he was supposed to be registered, but it was alas too true, he was playing in the squad.

It is to be said that those having football matters in charge, had no idea that such was the case, and supposed that the man was a bona fide student.

However, the event has served a good purpose and a very thorough investigation is being made of the record of every man who has tried for the team, and if it proves that there are men who are not attending to their University work, they will be dropped from the squad.

Last spring, President Northrop notified the faculty that football men must be held to do work of a passing grade, just as though they were not members of the team.

Some of the strongest football men, Minnesota ever produced, have been good students, and a great many more have been fair students, that is, keeping along with their class and graduating at the end of the four years. But there have been a great many, too many, who have come to the University for nothing but football and have done little or nothing else outside of football. We hope their day has passed.

There is just one rule that will place football upon its proper footing and rid it of all its evils, and that is an absolute requirement of maintaining a passing grade in class work during the football season. And enforcing the iron clad rule that no one who is below grade in any subject shall be allowed a place in the football squad.

This one rule would do away with the necessity for any other rules of eligibility. The present rules are cumbersome and are fitted rather to cover up and hide irregularities under technicalities, rather than to promote clean athletics. We hope to live to see the day when sane rules will be enforced and petty technicalities will be thrown overboard.

The action of the high school authorities, in enforcing rules to bar some of their best players, which resulted in the disbanding of the Central high school team, was a most healthful sign. Rules, for the keeping of athletics clean, and free from objectionable features, should be enforced, even to the degree of no team, as in the case of the Central high school. The effect cannot be otherwise than salutary and we admire the backbone of those who insisted that the men drop out, even at a cost so great.

#### OCTOBER SONG.

If this be October 'tis the maid I've  
sought so long!  
I have traced her through the dying  
Summer with a song;  
I have seen her garments flying  
Nights in June  
Down in the crimson West beneath the  
moon!

If this be October, then, this dark-eyed  
ruddy maid,  
With the amber in her tresses,  
All in gold arrayed,  
Let me sing yet while she aresses  
The still woods  
And the scarlet sumach solitudes!

Let me sing, nor think of gloom, the  
while she crowns her brow  
With the woodbine reddening  
Round the yellow bough!  
Nothing sorrowful or saddening  
Brings she here,  
Only ripe fulfilments of the year!

The foregoing poem is taken from "Westward Songs," by Arthur Upson, formerly a student at the University. The book abounds in gems of the first water, and is worth having for its own intrinsic worth, as well as on account of the fact that it is really a product of our own University. Carmen Sylva, Queen of Roumania, has written the introduction and the book is published by Edmund D. Brooks, of Minneapolis, in a very artistic and attractive form.

#### MAJOR MORGAN.

The students have discovered that with Major Morgan in command, military drill means strict military discipline. In a recent interview Major Morgan said—"I intend to arrange the appointments so that all the commissioned officers will be seniors, all the sergeants will be juniors, and all corporals, sophomores. If those appointed do not do good work, and at least make a conscientious effort, I retain the right to cancel the appointment. It is my experience that no man who is a man will take any interest in an organization which is inefficient. I never saw a man too strict in military affairs to suit me. My policy during the year will be to try to discover the most capable men for the positions."

"In regard to the competitive drills, I thoroughly believe in a spirit of emulation if not carried too far. Excellence in the mechanical duties is not however of the first importance. Any thing which tends to develop gentlemanly forbearance and charity is always good, I have not thought much however in regard to the matter of competitive drills. In the matter of the target practice, it will be continued as last year."

Freshman girl (watching surveying class in the rain)—"I don't see how they can take pictures in such miserable weather."

**SOCIOLOGY STUDENTS.**

Prof. Smith is planning some original research work for his advanced class in Pathology of Sociology. The whole class are to enter into this practical work. Each member is to be assigned an institution as his particular theme to work upon.

The institutions which will be studied in this way are the Associated Charities, the Work Houses, of the two cities, Insane asylums at Anoka and at Hastings, the Hospitals of St. Paul and Minneapolis, the Soldiers' Home, the Home for Aged Women and some others.

Each person is to find out the size of the institution, the nationalities represented and the ratio which they bear toward one another; what is the cause of the occupants' being there and questions of a similar nature. The cost of running the institution will be reckoned as a whole and as per-individual. Moreover they will find out the character of the amusements and the reading which is deemed fit for the various institutions and also how the religious services are conducted.

**LOOKING FOR A PASCAL.**

The mathematical department is very much over crowded this year and to make it worse they are shy one instructor, Dr. Bliss having taken a position at the University of Chicago and Prof. Downey is now on the look out for a man to fill the place.

There are several new features in the department this year, one of which is an advanced class in differential equations for graduates. Another is a class in the theory of equations made up entirely of seniors. Heretofore the seniors and juniors have been studying together. A class of 20 juniors are taking Integral calculus. There are two large sophomore sections and nine sections of Freshies ranging in size from 45 to 55.

**\$60,000.**

Sixty thousand dollars is the total amount that the University is now prepared to pay into the state treasury in fees, according to Accountant Sprague.

The total amount received up to Saturday was nearly \$60,000. This exceeds the fees of last year, at the same date, by \$10,000.

In spite of the fact that the requirements have been raised in the medical and dental departments, registration is some larger than that of last year. In the latter department a number were refused registration. The freshman classes in the academic, engineering, dental and law departments, show a large increase in numbers.

**DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.**

Thursday the University was honored by a visit from Prof. Victor Goldschmidt of the University of Heidelberg. The gentleman most immediately favored was Dr. Harding of the department of chemistry who studied for two years in Heidelberg and was a close friend of Prof. Goldschmidt.

He is making a tour of the United States, visiting the leading educational institutions.

Prof. Goldschmidt is at the head of the department of Mineralogy at Heidelberg. He is regarded as one of the leading authorities on his subject in the world and has written many scholarly works. He comes of a family of celebrated scientists. His brother is professor of Physiological Chemistry and is regarded as one of the best lecturers in any university.

There will be a new departure in the Freshman-Sophomore debate this year.

Instead of simply the usual debate, there will be in addition an oratorical contest, for which preliminaries will be held to pick out speakers for the finals.

**CHAPEL SPEAKER.**

Miss Gale Laughlin, of New York City, a graduate of Wellesley and also of the law school of Cornell, and now practicing law in New York, spoke to the students after chapel Friday.

The address was interesting and the speaker gained the good will of her audience at the beginning by a very delightful thrust of humor. She is a very strong advocate of suffrage for women and asked all to look at the movement with an open mind and a student's spirit. Although the ideas of women, may, to a small degree, affect public policy, yet if their ideas count for anything, they should have direct power in legislation. Women must obey the laws made by others and in so doing are political servants.

For this reason women should be allowed some voice in the government of the country.

Miss Laughlin's delivery is powerful and her voice is admirable in its depth and strength. She is a delightful speaker and made an excellent impression.

**DESIRABLE RIVALRY.**

Already the various literaries have their eyes centered on that little silver cup which gleams and shines forth with tantalizing effect upon the would be possessors.

Even the Minerva's in their quiet way are casting longing glances in that direction and though they sigh when they think of past experiences, yet they look forward to the future with hope and determination.

With a strong force of old men back and about twenty new men of considerable promise the Tennis Club has started its fall campaign.

During the summer the club made a fine showing in this sport, about five men entering the Northwestern tournament and twice that number participating in the state contest.

The Shaks are boasting that they alone are the true and rightful owners of that mystic cup and say that they cannot permit the honor which fell to their lot last year to slip away so soon.

On the other hand, the Forums, who so gracefully accepted defeat at the hands of the terrible Shaks have blood in their eyes, and are only waiting a chance to prove their ability.

Nor are the Castilians to be put out of consideration. They are taking a remarkable brace this year and are apt to surprise a few who are so confident of victory.

**MINING HEADQUARTERS.**

The School of mines is now comfortably at home in its handsome new building recently erected. All the work pertaining to mining engineering is done in the new quarters. Last Spring the classes in mathematics and mining only were called there since a removal of laboratories and furnaces had not then been made.

The faculty this year is the same as heretofore. Under the new conditions the same excellent quality of work will continue.

A course in mining or any other course in engineering may be considered the most strenuous life at the university. An example of this is shown in the fact that the present junior class began with a membership of 62. Of the original number only nine are now members of the class.

**LITTLE JOKES AND JESTS.**

Herr B-r-h-r-t (in German class)—  
"Wo liegt die Stadt Cincinnati?"

Sophomore Co-ed—"Die Stadt Cincinnati liegt in Indiana."

Freshman co-ed—"What is the campus for? (seeing couples trotting across) "O, excuse me, I see!"

Sofs. after Cane Rush—"They were counting hands before we were ready."

Eng. Weber—Sof.—Well, he could n't have throw me if I had had a little more science.

**WILL KEEP WARM.**

The students of the University will not have to freeze during the coming winter, if they remain inside the buildings. There are thousands of tons of coal piled up behind the mechanics arts buildings and more is being unloaded there every day.

The amount of fuel needed to keep all the buildings heated can be imagined when fifteen to eighteen tons of coal are burned up during the school hours of each day.

Part of the old heating system has been in use for about thirteen years and is being replaced by a new one. The work is not yet completed and as a result, Pillsbury Hall and the Engineering foundry and workshops, together with the Armory are out in the cold for a time.

The work will be completed within a week or ten days, however, and if the expected cold weather does not set in too early the damage done will be very slight.

**NORMAN LIND SAYS:**

There are a great many college fellows out here and you run across men from Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota in almost every corner of this state. The Michigan boys go around yelping like young puppies, telling about the glories of their team. We have but one word for them and that is "WAIT."

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**BIBLE STUDY AT THE "U."**

One of the most important branches of the work of the Y. M. C. A. is the Bible study department.

This year there will be thirty classes under the leadership of students, who will be especially prepared for the work in a normal class under the instruction of Professor Hutchinson.

This department aims to bring to the earnest attention of every man, the value of systematic Bible study. Every one needs to know the Bible and if he does not form the habit of Bible study in college he is not likely to after he leaves.

So far this year ninety-seven men are enrolled in classes. Last year for the entire year there were ninety-four enrolled as compared with three hundred and fifty-six in the "U" of Illinois.

Every thing bids fair to a prosperous year and those who have the matter in charge hope to treble the present enrollement by October 15th.

**GIRLS SHOULD DEBATE.**

There is no reason why the girls of the University should not take a more active interest in debate. If girls were not competent to carry off the honors of debate, there might be some excuse but they are and it is only a sense of feminine shyness or the non-appreciation of their own abilities which tends keep them back.

There are at present but three girls in the University who are taking part in the debating work in class, one in junior debate class and two in the sophomore debate class. This number seems ridiculous, when we consider the fact that there are girls in every high school who are taking active parts in the inter-high school contests.

Let us hope that the freshmen girls may see the value of this training and begin next year with a large delegation for sophomore debate.

## PERSONALS

E. B. Bothe, '99, is teaching at Bathgate, N. D.

Mr. H. J. Penfield is located at Hudson, Wis.

H. M. Feroe, Acad, '03, is teaching at Ortonville.

Miss Flora M. Koch, '03, is teaching at Elk Point, S. D.

Harry Goodwin, '03, is with Dyer Brothers, St. Paul.

Dr. James Nicholson, '03, is practicing medicine at Brainerd.

Edith Snell, '02, is teaching mathematics in the School of Agriculture this year.

Miss Elizabeth D. Barstow, '02, is attending the Woman's College, Baltimore, Md.

Axel C. Baker, '97, has located at Fergus Falls for the practice of his profession.

Dr. R. E. Mitchell, '01, is physician to the State Hospital for the Insane, Middletown, N. Y.

Avery F. Crounse, '03, is instructor in manual training at the Humboldt high school, St. Paul.

Miss Louise Ray, '03, is pursuing a course in domestic science at the school of Agriculture.

Robert W. Putnam, '03, is pursuing a course in banking in the Swedish American Bank, Minneapolis.

Roe Giddings Chase visited friends at the University on the day of the opening of Northrop Field.

Frank G. Sasse, '99, law, '00, is practicing law at Fairmont, Minn. He visited the University last week.

Wm. B. McCreery, '03, is practicing medicine at Tacoma, Wash., his office is located at 5237½ Union ave south.

Chas. R. McCreery, '03, is practicing medicine at Tacoma, Wash., his office is located at 1101½ Tacoma ave., South.

F. Amos Johnson, '86, who has spent the summer in London, on business, is now travelling in Germany and France.

Mr. Hoval A. Smith, Min. '02, is located at Bisbee, Arizona, with the Copper Queen Consolidated Mining Company.

Lee O. Kellogg, '02, is back at the school of mines, Columbia University, his address, in New York, is 430 West 118th street.

W. B. McPherson, Eng. '02, is employed with the Stillwater Gas and Electric Light Company and his address is 218 S 3d Street.

Roy Y. Ferner, '97, is now computer for the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C., having transferred from the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

A. B. Allen, Dent. '02, of St. Paul, was at college recently shaking hands with the boys. Dr. Allen is enjoying a fine practice over in our little suburb.

Willard B. Dye is assistant physical director of the Chicago central Y. M. C. A., his special line of work is with the working boy's classes. His address is 153 La Salle St.

Samuel A. Hatch, '03, is teaching at Royalton, Minn. He is no doubt making music where he is located, but the University will miss his activities in musical and literary lines.

Born to C. A. Chapman, Law '98, and wife (E. Blanche Smith, '96,) at Minneapolis, September 29th, a son, Malcolm Seagrave. The young man resides with his parents at Chester, Iowa.

Dr. W. J. Works, Dent. '01, and Miss Marie Chilton, were married at Frazee, Minn., September 21st. Dr. and Mrs. Works reside in Detroit, Minn., where the doctor is practicing his profession.

W. D. Galvin, '02, has headquarters at Kensal, N. D. He is auditor for the

Rogers Lumber Company, and spends a large share of his time in traveling over the state in the interests of that company.

E. S. Gilfillan, '02, he of freshman-sophomore-hair-clipping fame, was at the University last week. Mr. Gilfillan enters Seabury Divinity school, at Faribault, this fall, to study for the ministry.

Barry Dibble, Eng. '03, is with the Cincinnati & Columbus Traction Company and is the inspector of electrical work for about fifty miles of electric road that the company has in the process of construction.

Seymour E. Moon, '00, visited friends at the University last Friday. Mr. Moon is to finish his theological course at Chicago University, the coming quarter and then expects to go into the foreign field as a missionary.

C. A. Chapman, Law, '98, formerly member of Chapman & Chapman, practicing attorneys at Lanesboro, Minnesota, has taken the management of the German Savings Bank at Chester, Iowa, and has removed to that point.

Will Bean, Eng. '02, spent a day at the University recently. He is in the employ of the Northern Pacific Railway company in the capacity of a traveling inspector in the mechanical department. His headquarters are at So. Tacoma, Wash.

Dr. H. W. Whitcomb, '03, is in the City and put in a day visiting his alma mater. Harry has spent the summer on his ranch in the northern part of the state and has new stories to tell. This fall will find the Doctor located at East Grand Forks, Minn.

George B. Haverson, '03, says his name was omitted from the list of naughty threes in last week's issue. We are glad to have our attention called

to the fact and make haste to correct the oversight. Mr. Haverson is superintendent of schools at Granite Falls, Minn.

Miss Cara May Adams, '02, writes from Fargo, N. D. "I am very happy in my work in the Fargo high school, being fortunate in securing the English work as I desired. Miss Frances Fritzsche, of the "U." is the German teacher and Mr. Wetzel, science teacher, in the same high school, making a trio to recall old campus days."

Walter L. Stockwell, '89, and wife nee Beulah McHenry), visited the University last Thursday for the first time, while school was in session, since their graduation. They expressed themselves as delighted with the improved appearance of the University grounds and buildings. Mr. Stockwell is state superintendent of public instruction in North Dakota.

Many will be delighted to hear the announcement of the marriage of Lieut. John Robt. Rigly Hannay to the daughter of Lieut.-General Young, to occur October the 7th at Washington, D. C.

Lieut. Hannay is the son of Captain Hannay, formerly of Minneapolis and was an engineering student at the beginning of the Spanish war and well-known to many alumni.

#### U. C. A. BEGINS WORK.

The University Catholic Association began its regular course of lectures last Sunday. The opening lecture was given by the Rev. H. Moynihan, the former director of the Association. These lectures have been well attended during former years as they are on subjects of interest to every student and are open to all whether members of the association or not.

The director for the coming year will be Fr. Dolphin of St. Lawrence Catholic church of this city. Saturday evening the association held its annual opening reception. A large crowd was out and a good time enjoyed by those present.

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#### Y. M. C. A.

Saturday afternoon the Y. M. C. A. held a meeting of unusual interest. Dr. Hutsinpillar spoke upon the Bible and its authority. President Northrop presided, Professor McDermott made a short address and Miss Riggs sang.

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#### RUSHES.

There have been rushes galore, this fall, and so far no broken heads have resulted. In the above we refer to class rushes—there have been many rushes of another kind which have not been so harmless or so free from broken hearts if not broken heads and torn clothing.

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#### MAKE-UP CLASSES AT WORK.

The Y. M. C. A. classes are hard at work making up entrance conditions and their zeal promises to put them on a firm footing in a short time.

The number of students in the classes this year is over eighty, being nearly twice as many as any year heretofore, and if any more apply for admission new classes will have to be organized, and more room arranged for in the old Main Building, where the present sessions are being held.

The young women seem to have trouble with their mathematics, and are accommodated by classes in solid and in plane geometry and higher algebra.

The young men have, in the majority of cases, forgotten to keep up in the study of their own language and so are working overtime in the study of English.

These classes are doing a good work at the University and are a boon to the freshmen with conditions.

#### THE REIGN OF THE CO-ED.

It has been the occasion of remark many times during the school year that the number of young women taking work at the University had very largely increased, and possibly only a little more pronounced this year than in any previous year. One reason that the preponderance of the co-ed is noticeable is that her brothers are deserting the academic department in favor of the other departments.

The school of mines; all the different courses of engineering; the law school and the medical school show large increase of registration.

The new rules regarding the medical course helps somewhat to keep up the percentage of young men in the lower classes of the academic courses.

The minority of the young men is especially noticeable in the language classes, especially in Greek and Latin. History, mathematics and economics claim the largest percentage, even the history classes show a decided preponderance of the feminine element.

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#### WOMAN'S LEAGUE.

As the college year opens and the various organizations are beginning their work, the thoughts of the college girls naturally turn to the Woman's League which is now entering upon its third year. This is a purely social organization to which a large proportion of the University girls belong and which brings them in personal contact with the ladies of the faculty.

The members of the league will be entertained this year at four large receptions to be held in the armory.

In addition to its social side the League cherishes a more practical ambition to start a fund for a Woman's Building on the Campus which is so badly needed at the present time.



## BOOKS NOTICED.

"The Wings of the Morning," from the press of E. J. Clode, New York, and from the pen of a new author, Louis Tracy, is a story with a plot in general similar to that of Charles Reade's "Foul Play." The incidents of the book are well wrought out, and the book possesses undoubted dramatic power and is of absorbing interest.

The story deals most exclusively with two characters, who are thrown upon an uninhabited island in the south seas the sole survivors of a magnificent ship, wrecked on a sunken reef near the island. For a time the man and woman lead an almost ideal sort of a life and of course become very much in love with each other, though each for good reasons tries to hide that love from the other until a moment of supreme terror and peril, the declaration of love is made and their troth is plighted, and with death staring them in the face they are the happiest mortals living. It is useless to try to tell the story, you must read it and enjoy it, and if you begin to read it you will find it hard to drop the book until the story is finished. It is, every word, interesting.

## STUDENTS AND STRIKERS.

The millers' strike which is now on is likely to be interesting from a University standpoint.

The mill owners want help and University students have been asked to take the places of the strikers.

Several have already taken advantage of the opportunity to make a few odd dollars and have donned the white raiment of the millers and are busily at work on six hour shifts.

All meals are furnished by the mill owners and hacks are used to convey the new men to and from work.

Chicago University students, it will be remembered not very long ago took the place of striking stokers and fire-

men on some of the lake steamboats.

The Unions at that time entered protests and condemned President Harper, Rockefeller and everybody else connected with the University.

It remains to be seen what will be done if Minnesota students take any active part in the present strike.

## CASTALIANS HAVE GOOD TIME.

Few occasions have been more enjoyed by those participating in them, than was the Castalian "blow-out," of last Thursday evening. The order of work before play was reversed in this case, and incidental to the beginning of this year's work, the members of this society in goodly numbers, gathered around the festal board to partake of the good things set before them to enjoy the entertainment of the evening.

President Youngquist acted as toastmaster and called upon several old

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members to show what they could do and set a pace for future meetings.

Though these worthies responded in grand style to the call, yet a glance down the roll of membership justifies the conclusion that that pace will not only be reached and maintained but will be considerably excelled.

#### LIBRARY.

Regarding an article on the University Library fund being all gone a few more facts might be added.

The \$5000 per annum which was apportioned by the legislature for the year 1903, has practically all been apportioned out, a good portion, of course being set aside for periodicals and bindings. The next year's \$5,000 has not been touched, and will be ready for use at the time for which it was appropriated.

The main regret for the smallness of the sum was the failure on the part of the library to get an additional sum of \$2,500 for cataloguing books—a very important feature.

The only existing catalogue is one of authors. Catalogues of subjects, titles, form, etc., are greatly needed. In fact the librarian has suggested suspending further purchase of books until those now owned can be catalogued.

A library without a catalogue is like a book without an index.

The fact that the library fund has always been small has made it necessary to buy with care. The collection accordingly is small as far as it goes, yet the proportion of books which are of little or no value is very small indeed.

Still the suggestion that the sum of \$50,000 or more in a lump to stock up the library with material of permanent value is judicious. Now that the "U." is so well equipped with buildings it will not be out of the way for the regents to ask the next legislature for a handsome appropriation to make the library what it ought to be. In a university the library stands next to the teaching force; first men, then the books in which the learning of the world is stored.

#### DYE TO TEACH FARMERS.

John W. Dye, champion all around athlete and gymnast of the university has been chosen as director of the gymnasium at the agricultural college. He will also be superintendent of the boy's dormitory.

Mr. Dye will begin his duties next month when the Agricultural school opens for the coming year. The farmers expect to turn out a foot-ball team this year and Mr. Dye will assist in the coaching.

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**HIGH SCHOOL DEBATING LEAGUE.**

The second annual report of the bibliography of the coming year of the Minnesota State High School Debating League is now out. It is a concise pamphlet of some forty odd pages. The text was prepared by Prof. E. E. McDermott, president of the league and Miss Flora A. Edwards, secretary of the Political Science Club.

The report contains the proposition for debate for 1903-04, the bibliography, suggestions by the president, and suggestions by a number of district superintendents.

The League is doing wonders for debate in the University.

**AMERICANS ARE BEST**

Sir Norman Lackrey, in an address before the British Educational Association said that American Universities are far superior in every respect to those of England.

England's educational system was characterized by him as rotten to the core and he expressed the wish that Parliament would introduce American methods.

Phi Delta Theta fraternity gave an informal dancing party at their house on University avenue Wednesday evening.

A great deal of interest is being taken in the Freshman free-for-all and entries for the same are about all in.

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**THE BAND.**

Director B. F. Rose says that this year's band is to be the best that the University has had and B. F. Rose is in a position to know.

The boys met Wednesday night and after a short practice, the officers for the year were announced.

Two very competent musicians received the appointments and the entire University public is familiar with their abilities and will approve.

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The band this year will be limited, owing to the military regulations, to 42 members. It goes without saying,—

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**SIG HARRIS WILL PLAY**

It is authoritatively announced that the injuries Sig Harris received on last Saturday will not keep him out of the game for the season. A dislocation of the elbow and a strain of the muscles were sustained but Sig will be able to use his arm inside of a week and should be able to play football inside of three weeks or a month. In the meantime it is probable that O'Brien will be played at quarter.

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## MINNESOTA 29—CARLETON 0.

The game was in many senses a disappointment to Minnesota's supporters. The playing at times was listless and slow in getting off. At other times the defense was strong and the interference all that could be asked. When O'Brien was given the ball for his long run for a touchdown, the interference which he was given was faultless.

There were a number of individual plays worthy of special mention. O'Brien, who took "Sig" Harris' place at quarter, was the star of the day in the back field. He played football through the contest. Early in the game he broke through the right tackle for a run of 30 yards; later he skirted right end for 20 yards and gamely fighting off the interference made 20 yards for a touchdown. At another time he evaded the left end for 25 yards and brought the ball to Carleton's 10-yard line.

But these runs were incidents of O'Brien's play during the afternoon. In the second half he electrified the crowd. Shortly before the fourth touchdown had been scored, Carleton lost the ball on a fumble on Minnesota's 30-yd. line. On the very next line-up O'Brien was given the ball and aided by that faultless interference, he sprinted around right end. Carleton tried in vain to get at the runner but a perfect wall protected O'Brien and one after another of the husky Carleton players were put out of the play. O'Brien went like the wind and

was soon across Carleton's goal line, having covered 80 yards on the run.

The second half brought out the feature of the game. Rogers started out with a kick to Carleton's 20-yard line. Carleton, was downed without gain, and was unable to make distance. Cundy was called upon to kick and sent the ball 40 yards. O'Brien fumbled in trying to make the return. There was another fumble and Carleton had the ball on Minnesota's 50-yard line.

Cundy was then given the ball and, on a brilliant end run around Tuck gave promise of getting over the field for a touchdown. With O'Brien the only man in his way, Cundy tried to hurdle, but as he leaped over O'Brien, he fell, and was promptly tackled by the Minnesota quarterback. Cundy had made 25 yards on the run, and the ball was now on Minnesota's 20-yard line. Minnesota was off-side on the next line-up, and was penalized 5 yds.

With the ball within striking distance the Carleton boys worked like Trojans. A few smasher against the line brought the ball to Minnesota's 7-yard line.

The ball was passed to left half and on two attempts Carleton had brought the pigskin to Minnesota's 3-yard line.

Excitement ran high. Carleton was playing an aggressive game and had a fighting chance to carry the ball over. Mass plays against left guard and left tackle had advanced the ball to Minnesota's 3-yard line.

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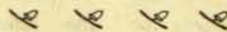
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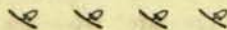
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smashed through Pattee and while the gain brought them but two yards, it enabled Carleton to place the ball on the Maroon and Gold one yard line. Smash went the Carleton boys against the Gopher line on an old-fashioned mass play. It was a fierce onslaught, but it brought Carleton nothing.

Making a supreme effort Carleton again smashed the Gopher line. It was a terrific charge, but Minnesota was equal to the occasion and Carleton was not only held, but lost 1 yard on the play, bringing the ball back to the 2-yard line.

Forced to kick, Carleton tried for a place kick. The pass was poor and Cundy kicked the oval against one of his own men. Chaney's poor pass probably cost Carleton a place kick for Cundy, with a good pass, undoubtedly would have put the ball between the posts. The ball hit a Carleton man, however, and was lost, after Carleton had been pushed back 7 yards.

This was the only period of the game during which Carleton put Minnesota's line to test. After this stage the Gophers were always on the aggressive.

Carleton, undoubtedly, put up a stronger game than any team that ever came to Minneapolis from that institution in previous years. Coach Baird has done wonders for his men and they put up a game fight. It was unfortunate that a dispute should have arisen over a rule but the interpreta-

tion was undoubtedly a fair one and the ball fairly belonged to Minnesota.

Minnesota fought desperately at the last ditch and saved the day. What the team needs is a little more of the "last ditch" spirit, no matter what part of the field the playing may be in.

#### The Line-up.

|                |                   |             |
|----------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Minnesota—     | Position.         | Carleton—   |
| Rogers.....    | left end.....     | Lee         |
| Warren.....    | left tackle...    | E.M.Hayes   |
| Strathern..... | centre.....       | Chaney      |
| Benson.....    | left guard..      | E.W.Hayes   |
| Burdick.....   | right guard....   | Swanson     |
| Webster.....   | right tackle..... | Payne       |
| Marshall.....  | right end.....    | Freer       |
| O'Brien... ..  | quarter... ..     | Hendrickson |
| Nuessle.....   | right half.....   | Cundy       |
| Bergen.....    | left half.....    | Cundy       |
| Current.....   | full back.....    | Rose        |

Referee, Harding; Umpire, Force; linemen, Colburn and James.

Minnesota made several changes in her line-up in the second half. Pattee went in at right guard and Buck at right end. Thorpe was put in at full-back and Davies and Irsfield at halves.

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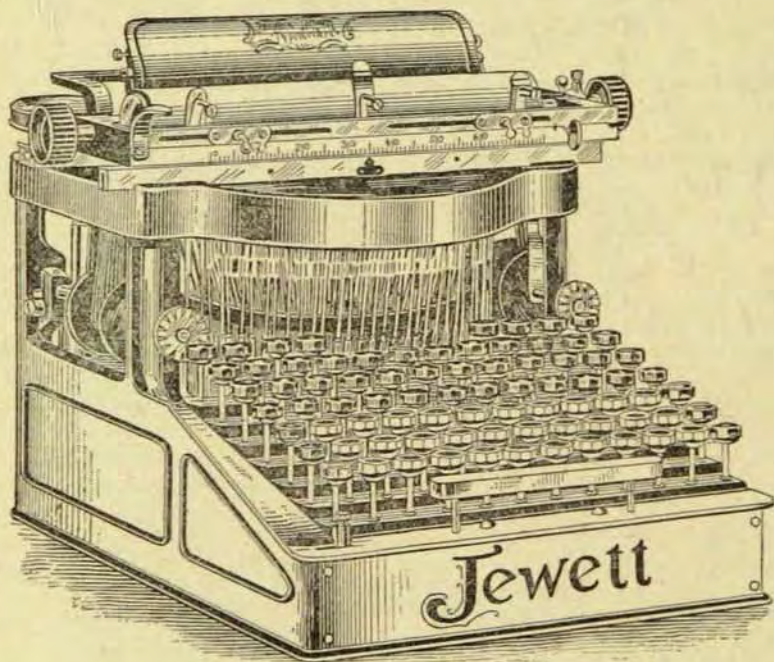
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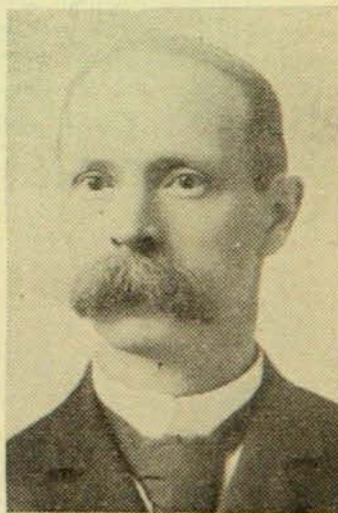
## Editorial Notes

The action of the student body in celebrating President Northrop's sixty-ninth birthday and forty-first wedding anniversary was a very graceful and heartfelt tribute to the worth of a man so well-beloved by the student and alumni body generally. The exercises were unusually appropriate for such an occasion. The speaker, for the students, Benjamin Drake, put the feeling of the student body for President Northrop in a few well-chosen, heartfelt, manly words, that left nothing to be added.

The President was very much overcome, and in beginning his response he was several times obliged to hesitate until he could gain command of his voice. Never, since he came to the University, has President

Northrop received a token of respect and affection which meant quite so much to him as did the meeting of last Wednesday morning.

Few men are privileged to be blessed with such a degree of love, from such a body of young men and women, and long may he live to enjoy it.



DEAN DOWNEY

The action of the Regents in making Professor John F. Downey dean of the college of science, literature and the arts will meet with universal approval. Professor Downey is not only an ideal instructor but he possesses to an unusual degree the love and respect of the student body and the faculty. The Weekly believes that the appointing of a dean for that college is a good move. It will remove to some

degree the burdens of President Northrop.

Professor John F. Downey is a graduate of Hillsdale College B. S. '70, M. S. '73, M. A. '78, and is a graduate of the Pennsylvania State College, C. E. '77. He served as a soldier in the Civil War.

Professor Downey taught in Hillsdale College for one year, was principal of the high school at Cassopolis, Mich., for one year and professor of mathematics and astronomy in the Pennsylvania State College for seven years. He was called to the chair of mathematics and astronomy in the University of Minnesota in 1880, holding the same position until Professor Leavenworth was elected professor of astronomy, and since then professor of mathematics.

#### UNIVERSITY AND THE STRIKE

The attempt which has been made to bring the University into the discussion of the labor troubles, which are vexing the milling interests of the city at the present time, are all out of place. The University can take no stand on the question, either for or against either side. That certain students, anxious to make money, do work outside of the University, is not a matter that the University can take cognizance of in any way, so long as such students do their work in the University. While attending the University classes, and upon the University grounds, the University has jurisdiction; but when a student leaves the University grounds, he has the same rights and privileges that belong to any other citizen, and the University is not to be held responsible for what students may do as citizens. If they break the laws, let the law deal with them; but if they are engaged in honest work, why criticise them or the University, more than anyone else for doing that which the law allows them to do?

#### THE TRAINER TROUBLE

The employment of Sakagami, as trainer of the football squad for the season was believed by many to be a good move. Sakagami was known to be a trainer of unusual merit. But the fact that he had been connected with Wisconsin was too much for some of the disaffected, and an agitation was begun which resulted in Sakagami's being asked to resign. Dr Williams giving him a letter stating that he was the best trainer Minnesota ever had. No one who knows Sakagami can imagine for an instant that he would prove disloyal to this University, and it is greatly to be regretted that he was driven from the University by ugly and we believe baseless suspicions. His friends at Wisconsin were indignant at the treatment accorded him in Minnesota, and at once took him back giving him his old position. Sakagami himself, says—

"In reply to the many inquiries regarding my position in Minnesota I wish to say that I was treated most cordially by the athletic management and by Dr. Williams, the coach. Through the many criticisms from outside parties, who believed me to be indirectly connected with Wisconsin, I was requested to resign. I did not feel as though I could remain and pursue my studies at Minnesota on account of the embarrassing position in which I was placed.

"I cannot, however, say too much in praise of the treatment I received at the hands of Dr. Williams and his subordinates, and I wish it distinctly understood that they in no way believed me to be a spy and seemed to sympathize with me in my predicament.—Y. Sakagami."

#### UNIVERSITY AND HIGH SCHOOLS

W. F. Kunze, '97, superintendent of the Red Wing schools, has an article in the last number of School Education upon "The University entrance re-

quirements and the high school course," in which he deplores the influence of the University, on the high schools, in certain directions. He says—

"The University of Minnesota has of late years been quite liberal in its range of entrance requirements, and there is only one thing which I have to criticise and that is its strict adherence to higher algebra and solid geometry as requisites for admission. A half year is to be spent upon each of these subjects, and no substitutes are accepted. In higher algebra it is not expected that the subject shall be completed in the high school, for it is again taken up at the university. I notice that most of the high schools now place these subjects in the last year of the course so that, as one superintendent expressed it, as few as possible need take them. Aside from the preparation it affords for the study of higher mathematics, the value of this year of advanced mathematics in the high schools is a very doubtful quantity. I am fully convinced that most pupils could spend their time to better advantage in the study of history, the elements of political economy, or in review of some of the common branches."

The Weekly is inclined to agree with Supt. Kunze in so far as higher algebra is concerned; the argument for the cutting out of solid geometry is not so strong. But it should be remembered, that the higher algebra is included in the University entrance requirements, as one of the specified subjects, with the approval of the high school men, as expressed on at least two separate occasions, by a committee of the high school men appointed to investigate and recommend action in regard to the matter. The high school representatives based their recommendation upon the fact that the smaller schools could teach the higher

algebra better than a great many other subjects, and that until the high schools generally were better prepared to do work in other lines no change was desirable. Only last winter, in the state teachers meeting in St. Paul, a representative of the University, told the association, that when the association would put itself on record as favoring, by any considerable majority, the removal of the higher algebra from the University entrance requirements, the University would undoubtedly comply with such request. But the association failed to put itself on record as in favor of such removal.

#### FOOTBALL IN THE HIGH SCHOOLS

Alfred W. Uhl, '98, superintendent of the Detroit, Minn., city schools, has an article in the October number of *School Education* upon "Football in School Economy." He says that the conditions and tendencies which exist establish a presumption that football has enough of good in it to make it worth preserving. He finds that while there are demoralizing tendencies in football there is also a strong tendency to unify the student body that meets a real need. That until some one is prepared to name a substitute for it it will continue to hold its present place. "A team may win. It may lose. But the good will of the school is with it. The players know it. The school knows they will do their best. They win and all rejoice together. They lose and all are sad together. Win or lose, all will work the harder for the general good of the school."

#### A CORRECTION

The Weekly made a serious blunder last week in one of the news items. In speaking of the visit of Mr. and Mrs. Stockwell to the University, Mrs. Stockwell was spoken of as (nee Beulah McHenry) instead of (nee Helen Tombs.)

## IN OPEN COURT

Edgar R. Barton, ex-'98, voices the general sentiment that the *Weekly* would be much more interesting if it contained more personal items concerning the older alumni. Dr. Barton not only calls attention to the lack, but he does what he can to supply that lack, and the *Weekly* is indebted to him for many items of news. If others were as thoughtful there would be news and to spare. However, the *Weekly* is going to start on a new campaign to get news concerning older alumni, and with the cooperation of the alumni hopes to have more of such news in the future than in the past.

## PERSONALS

Louise Peck, '03, is teaching at Fergus Falls.

Dora M. Parker, '03, is teaching at Minto, N. D.

Felicitas Mareck, '03, is teaching at Hartford, Wis.

Wm. Alexander, '02, is teaching at Hendrun, Minn.

Miss Jeanie M. Jackson, '99, is teaching at Sparta, Minn.

Magda Hoff, '03, is teaching in the high school at Lake City.

Gladys I. Thompson, '03, is teaching in the St. Paul schools.

C. W. Russell, Med. '03, is practicing medicine at Elysian, Minn.

George B. Otte, '01, is superintendent of schools at Jordan, Minn.

Miss Gertrude Baker, '01, was seen around the campus Saturday.

Ellen C. Fullerton, '01, Med. '03, has an office 3010 Nicollet avenue, city.

Gertrude Woodcock, '01, is living at the St. Paul Hotel, Seattle, Wash.

Dr. Lars P. Solsness, '95, has located at Carver, Minn, for the practice of his profession.

T. Robert Elwell, '95, is pastor of the Congregational church at Harwood, N. D.

Reinhard Wetzel, '01, is teaching in the high school at Fargo and his address is 32 North 11th street.

Marie Johnson, '00, who last year taught at Red Wing, Minnesota, is now at home in Minneapolis.

Louis Rask, Eng. '03, is engaged in electrical work at Schenectady, N. Y. His address is 514 Smith street.

Olaf Halvorson, '02, who was at Tombstone, Arizona, last year, is now located at Reef in the same state.

A. C. Whitney, Eng. '03, is in the employ of the G. N. Ry. Co., and is stationed at Everett, Wash.

Miss Julia Mc Donough, '03, has accepted a position in the Normal department of the Tracy high school.

Miss H. E. Dunton, '00, now high school instructor at Red Wing renewed old time acquaintances at the "U" recently.

Thomas Geramo, of Red Lake Falls, Minn., and of the class of '00, called at the "U" recently, while on a honeymoon trip.

Clara E. Morley, '01, is pursuing a course in graduate work at Radcliffe College, Boston, Mass. Her address is 130 Bowdoin street.

H. S. Lamberton, Min ex-'03, is secretary and treasurer of the B. L. & B. Mining and Milling Company, located at Alma, Colorado.

Mrs. Mabel E. Hodder, '99, is planning to do graduate work at Radcliffe College. Her address is 10 Kirkland Road, Cambridge, Mass.

Dr. Ahlstrom, '03, now located at Co-kato with his brother who is a physician and surgeon at that place, visited friends at the "U" recently.

Nicholas Hanson, '03, is visiting at the "U." He is on his way to Albany, N. Y. where he intends to pursue a

two year's course in the Albany Library School.

Homer W. Stevens, '02, who taught last year, has returned to the University, and is pursuing his second year in law and assisting in the law library at the same time.

C. O. Rosendahl, '01, who since his graduation has been assisting in the department of botany, is studying in Germany, at the University of Berlin, and his address is 36 Froben strasse, Berlin, W., Germany.

C. Edward Magnusson, '96, who has been professor of Physics in the University of New Mexico, at Albuquerque, N. M., is now professor of physics and electrical engineering in the State School of Mines, at Socorro, N. M.

Louis D. Davis and Thomas P. Ferry, both '03 laws, are practicing together at Eveleth, Minn., under the firm name of Davis & Ferry. They write to subscribe for the Weekly and say they cannot conduct their business without it.

Myrtle M. Thayer, '98, who has been teaching at LaCrosse, Wis., has decided to enter the University to do work for her master's degree. She is planning to take up her work at the University about the middle of October.

Miss Ivy Wagner, '03, a member of last year's basket ball team, is acting as librarian of the normal school at her home city of Moorehead. Miss Wagner will be missed not only by those interested in basket ball, but in the art circles of the University.

Lewis Schwager, '95, law '96, president of the Schwager & Nettleton Company, lumber dealers in Seattle, Wash., writes to have the address of his Weekly changed to 216 12th avenue north, Seattle. He says that the "Weekly is always a welcome visitor."

Cards have been issued for the marriage of Miss Helen Louise Ozias, '02, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Ozias, and Davis Lewis Fairchild, Chicago, to take place Wednesday, Oct. 14, at the home of the bride's parents, 2516 Colfax avenue south. A reception will follow the ceremony.

Mrs. Manly F. Gates, (Helen Waters, '89) visited the University last Thursday. Mrs. Gates is back in Minneapolis again, and is at 2615 Clinton ave., after a long trip along the coast of Africa, with her husband, who is a surgeon in the United States navy. Her many friends will welcome her back.

James H. Gill, Eng. '92, who is professor of electrical engineering in the new James Milliken University, Decatur, Ill., sends the Weekly a copy of a local paper, with an account of the opening exercises of that University. The number of students that the new university starts out with is 562, far surpassing the expectations of the founders.

Wellesley College offers a fellowship the income of \$25,000, to some woman who is a graduate of a reputable American university. The applicant must be unmarried, of good health, not more than twenty-six years of age. Particulars may be learned by addressing the President of Wellesley College.

#### LOW ONE WAY RATES TO COAST.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. has placed on sale daily special one-way colonists excursion tickets to California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana at very reduced rates. Tourist cars through without change every Wednesday and Thursday via the popular Santa Fe System and "Scenic Route" through Colorado. Call on agents for particulars or address, A. B. Cutts, G. P. & T. A., Minneapolis.

### IN HONOR OF OUR PRESIDENT

Packed to its utmost capacity, even the windows filled with students, the chapel presented an impressive appearance Wednesday morning.

The faculty were all on the platform.

The President was the last to come and as he entered, the entire gathering rose to its feet in token of respect.

As soon as the opening exercises were concluded, half a dozen students hurried upon the platform bearing a large Oriental rug and threw it over the lectern, at the same time Miss De-Hass, '05, presented the President a glorious bunch of red roses.

Cyrus Barnum, president of the senior class then introduced Mr. Benjamin Drake, '03, who in a few well chosen words presented the offering to President Northrop and begged him to accept the gift as a token of the love and loyalty of the students.

Amidst the tumult of applause the President arose. It was a picture—the gray haired man standing beside the magnificent rug—the radiant folds of which disclosed the rare texture of its make, while before were the upturned faces of hundreds who love him with a love which no other man in Minnesota can claim.

The President spoke, his voice was low with feeling and at times broken. He had known that something was in the air but he did not know what.

For nineteen years he had served here and during that time he had coveted no man's favor or gold, his greatest joy was that as a reward he had the love and respect of the students.

He thanked them from the depths of his heart for this unexpected token of their love.

Then the students spoke, and a rousing Ski-U-Mah shook the hall and ended with a "What's the matter with President Northrop?"

After the meeting the faculty swarmed around the President offering him their congratulations. The flowers President Northrop presented to his wife.

The rug is a Bohkaro Turkish of the highest grade containing about seventy square feet.

The committee of students which had charge of the affair consisted of Truman Ricard, Robert Keyes, Benj. Drake, Jr., Edgar L. Noyes, Virginia de Haas, Laura Gould.

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### REGENTS MEETING

Thursday the regents held an important session.

Dr. Fulton, of Medical College, presented his resignation which was accepted.

R. R. Shumway was elected instructor in mathematics.

Regent Clark was authorized to confer with the Minnesota commissioners as to the exhibit at St. Louis.

Requirements for admission to the homeopathic college were decided upon. For the next two years graduates from high schools will be admitted.

Resolutions were adopted by which the University assumes full charge of work of the dental infirmary.

President Northrop was given leave of absence for vacation to be taken at his pleasure during the winter, and Professor Downey was made Dean of the College of Science, Literature and Arts.

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On Monday afternoon, October 12, the Woman's League gives its first reception which will be in the nature of a welcome to the girls of the Fresh-class.

An attractive program is being prepared and the University Band will be in attendance.



ALOIS F. KOVARIK.  
President of the Senior Class.

### IN LITERARY LINES.

Scribner's for October contains two articles of great interest to the University.

The first is a short story, "Jim's Second Forgery," by Miss Jessie Schulten, of the English Department. The plot deals with certain phases of prison life. Jim, the hero, (if he be one) being released after an imprisonment for forgery, is unable to find employment. Returning to the prison he obtained a position as clerk, his duty being to examine all letters to and from the convicts. Among these there often came letters from a young girl to her fiance, whom she encourages as best she can. The man never takes the trouble to answer them, until he finally receives a letter asking that she be released. The answer is a selfish denial. Jim in looking over the letter, is so disgusted at the selfishness, that he forges a second letter, in which he releases the girl. The story is rather an unusual one and very interestingly told.

Another is an article on State Universities which contains a picture of our library building, and a very happy tribute to the late Governor Pillsbury.

The October American Monthly Review of Reviews has an unusually interesting and instructive article by

Professor Willet M. Hays, of the Department of Agriculture. The artistic includes a thorough discussion of the plans of combining rural schools for the purpose of securing better equipment and better facilities for instruction for those who attend and also includes a thorough discussion of the agricultural high school idea.

### ENGLISH PREPARATION

The recent furore in the papers of the state regarding the poor preparation of students in the English language in the high schools is not borne out by the reports from the rhetoric department. The instructors say that the students of recent years show steady improvement in all lines of English work. Especially is this evident in this year's class.

The debating classes are larger than ever before, and thanks to the interest aroused by the high school debating league, those classes are not filled with raw material that will require a couple of years training to bring out whatever merit there may be, but of students already well accustomed to public speaking and with minds capable of taking up hard questions and of handling them in a skillful manner.

This change will soon make itself felt in debating circles. The older debaters must put forth their best efforts to keep ahead of those ambitious youths that come in with the advantage of a couple of years training.

### OCTOBER MAGAZINE

The magazine for October is going to be bigger than any issue of last year with the exception of the June number. It will contain the usual number of interesting short stories and sketches and in addition a criticism of a recent play, which is exceptionally well done. This feature will be carried on through the year, each number containing a criticism of some recent book or drama.

The cover is going to be unusually artistic and unique. The issue will come out Tuesday or Wednesday surely and hereafter it will regularly make its appearance the first of the month.

#### FRESHMAN FREE-FOR-ALL

The Freshman free-for-all is over and out of nearly 30 men, 12 men, by their skill in thought and delivery have been chosen as winners and now have the opportunity to enter the preliminaries and try for a place on the Freshman-Sophomore debating team.

The winners are as follows: Messrs. Arntson, Badger, Clark, Dowdall, Frye, Hamlin, Houck, Huntington, McManigal, Michener, Schwartz and Sweet.

The members of the faculty who have charge of debate are pleased beyond all measure at the results. Such good work has never been shown before, in any class. The work was excellent in every respect, both in the thought and power of delivery. The names of the winners are names which will probably become well known to University people in the next four years and if they continue with their excellent work, other colleges will need, in the future, to look to their laurels.

The inter-high school debates have worked wonders in stirring up enthusiasm in debaters and the unusual excellence of the work now being done in college is due in a very great measure to this preliminary training.

#### CENTRAL LEAGUE FREE-FOR-ALL

Keen competition will be descriptive of the Central League free-for-all contests. Every man is working with untiring zeal to reach the goal of victory, and it will certainly be a neck and neck strife. The Free-For-All will be held Oct. 5th and the doors will be closed to all except the judges in the debate.

The time given for each contestant will be eight minutes for constructive

argument and three minutes for rebuttal. Those who will enter the free-for-all are L. H. Joss, Aff.; J. G. Steenson, Neg.; E. C. O'Brien, Aff.; W. H. McGrath, Neg.; G. Loevinger, Aff.; R. G. Weiskoff, Neg.; Allison McManigal, Aff.; Bernard Robinson, Neg.

The preliminary for the Central league team will be held on Oct. 19th. Ten men will enter this contest and three will be chosen. Those who, by their work in Intercollegiate teams or Inter-society work are entitled to enter the preliminary are Phillip Carlson, I. W. Choate, Irwin Churchill, H. Leslie Wildey, R. H. Pratt and C. R. Thompson. It is very likely also that Jones of Rock, the man of oratorical fame will enter the race.

The seven men who must be necessarily left after the three have been chosen for the Central League team, will also be counted in choosing the men for the Iowa team. Those who will enter the Iowa preliminary only are J. P. DeVaney, R. P. Chase, C. E. Drake, E. C. A. Lundeen, H. T. Madison, H. Peterson, Albert H. Klasen and Zielkey.

There is not a weak man in the entire lot and it is impossible to guess the result. They are men who have done excellent class work, who have upheld the honor of their societies in inter-society work and who have won glory for their college in debate abroad.

#### WILL MORE GIRLS DEBATE?

There is a rumor of a new girl's literary society along the lines of original research and debate. There is ample field for such a society. The only one at present is the Minerva which has shown that such a society can be carried on with success. While they have never won the cup, they have many times entered and acquitted themselves well in the semi-finals.

A debate between two girl societies would be pitting Greek against Greek and would be free of any charge of prejudice.



### OPENING LECTURE BEFORE THE U. C. A.

The University Catholic Association opened the year's work Sunday with an introductory lecture on religion by Dr. Moynihan, the former director.

Religion was discussed from the view point of the artist, the historian, the sociologist, the philosopher, and of humanity. Briefly passing over the characteristics of religion the lecturer pointed out that it is not feeling, it is not knowledge, it is not morality, but that each of these is an essential element of religion which he defined as the communion of the human soul with God. He then dwelt upon the necessity of the study of religion and its interest to man.

The pressure of Father Moynihan's duties as president of the College of St. Thomas forbids his assuming the direction of the U. C. A. during the coming year. However the Association may well be congratulated on receiving his promise to give a series of lectures under its auspices. It is impossible to estimate the value of Father Moynihan's guidance to the Association during the past two years, but the members as well as all who have enjoyed the privilege of listening to his scholarly and sympathetic discussions give testimony of their appreciation in glowing tributes to his essential manhood which make him an invaluable friend and guide.

### LECTURE BY WILLIS.

Hugh E. Willis, Quiz Master of the law department delivered a lecture on the Science of Jurisprudence to the junior law class Tuesday morning, and continued with a series of lectures throughout the week.

This week Prof. Willis intends to divide the junior class into three sections. Each section to hold one session a week for the regular quiz which

he will conduct. The fact that Dean Pattee will give his course of lectures on equity to the juniors commencing today, Monday, makes it necessary for the quiz classes to meet in the afternoon which is a change from the former system.

### AT THE LIBRARY ART EXHIBIT

University alumni will find a familiar face in the portrait by Koehler of Dean W. J. Wulling of the department of Pharmacy.

Miss Clopath has an interior with an effect of artificial light. It is a beautiful picture of her mother in their home.

Washington "U" which has lately constructed a campus and some new buildings has leased its grounds and buildings to the St. Louis Exposition.

Stanford limits the number of coeds to five hundred.

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#### NEW SEMINAR.

Mrs. Potter is offering a seminar in Continental drama and its relation to English drama. This will be given fourth hour Saturdays and is open to Juniors and Seniors.

#### DR. WILLIAMS INJURED.

Dr. Williams, last week, while demonstrating to the squad how the line should be hurdled, fell and aggravated an old strain to such an extent that he left the field quite lame. It is understood, however, that the accident is not very serious and will not keep him from his work.

#### PROFESSOR JOHN G. FLYNN

"Little Johnnie" Flynn, of football fame is professor of chemistry in the Montana University. He coaches the girls' basket ball team at this place. He also assists in coaching the football team.

These are a few of the interesting statements which were contained in a letter written to one of his intimate friends here.

Johnnie says that when he first appeared he was rushed by a crowd of Freshmen who made him deliver a speech.

"When at my first lecture," he says, a girl addressed me as 'professor' I nearly fell into the waste basket."

#### READY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

The girls' basket ball team is getting into shape again, and bids fair to rival last year's team, and prove to be of champion caliber.

Most of the old basket-ball players will be back, save those who graduated last June.

Among those who are well known to enthusiasts are: Emily Johnston, Bessie Cox, Isabelle Dunn, Mabel Smith, Jessie Boyce, Hattie Van Berger, Antoinette Belden and Kowena Harding.

Many new girls are going to enter the field from the Minneapolis and the St. Paul high schools. Among them will be Nell Stanford, last year's captain of the Stanley Hall team and Julia Bearnese, a former high school player.

Rose Marie Schaller, Florence Hoffman and Madge Bogart may also play. Altogether the lineup is admirable, although three of last year's strong players are gone. Misses Wagner and Longbrake graduated last spring and Miss Frank does not intend to play on account of the press of work.

Dr. Cook is hard at work compiling the results of the physical tests. He has not yet figured out the average of the class, but from the general appearance of the records thus far examined he judges that the present class has a

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M. Leslabay teaches the same method as that taught in West Point, Annapolis, Yale, Harvard and Columbia. He has taught those schools in recent years.

When the boys get well started in the work, preparations will begin for contests with Chicago and Wisconsin Universities. The teams will consist of six men and be selected by competition.

A class of about fifteen young women will be organized and will begin work at once. The number of men who will take the work is not yet definitely known.

#### PHYSICAL CULTURE.

The Physical Culture department has begun its year's work with a larger number of girls and brighter prospects than ever before. There are about three hundred girls in the beginning classes and forty in the advanced class.

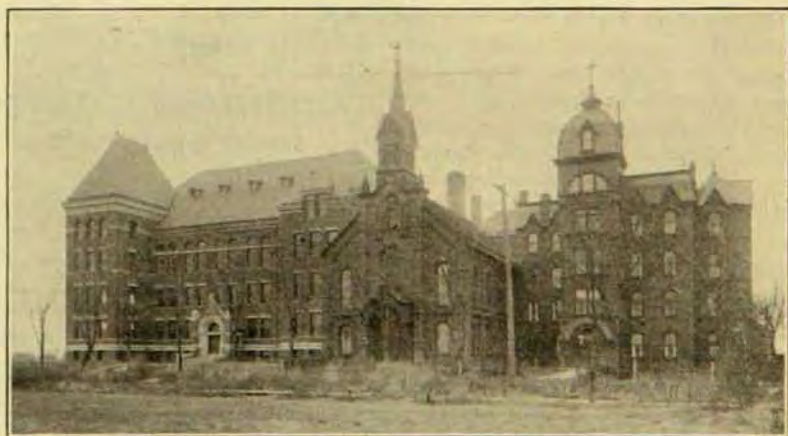
The rest rooms have been much improved in appearances, the couches having been recovered, the tables polished and new curtains provided.

The Physical Culture department will give at least one party during the winter and in the spring their friends will be given an opportunity of seeing the work done by the girls in gymnastic exercises.

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| * Nov. 14, Illinois at Champaign.             | * * * * * |
| * Nov. 21, Alumni at Minneapolis.             | * * * * * |
| * Nov. 26, Wisconsin at Madison or Milwaukee. | * * * * * |
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Minnesota has broken her record in the way of piling up scores. Her largest previous score was that of 102 to 0 against Grinnell last year.

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up. The boys of the blue and gold were very light, averaging hardly 140 pounds so they were no match for the Minnesota men, who swept their lighter opponents off their feet and scored almost at will.

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Much to the surprise of the rooters the lineup was greatly changed, Thorpe and Warren going in at guards, while Burdick was switched to right end. Owing to the weakness of their opponents, very little measure can be taken of their work in the new positions, but there are many who would like to see the change made permanent.

Dietz at right tackle and Flynn at quarter showed up best for the Presbyterians, the latter making several excellent tackles.

Minnesota's back field did most of the carrying of the ball but occasionally one of the line men would be called upon. Davies and Irsfield did most excellent work, while Roger's and O'Brien's performances were always on the sensational order.

Nineteen touchdowns were made in all. Of these Current made 2, Rogers, 4, Schacht 3, Davies 5, Irsfield 2, O'Brien 2 and Webster 1. Fifteen of these Rogers converted into goals, and a safety made the total 112.

## LINEUP.

|           |     |           |
|-----------|-----|-----------|
| Rogers    | l e | Tallock   |
| Webster   | l t | Voskuil   |
| Warren    | l g | McMartin  |
| Strathern | c   | Flannigan |
| Thorpe    | r g | McEmm     |
| Schacht   | r t | Dietz     |
| Burdick   | r e | Gelb      |
| O'Brien   | q   | Flynn     |
| Davies    | l h | Benson    |
| Irsfeld   | rh  | Guy       |
| Current   | f b | Richmond  |

## MINNESOTA, 39—GRINNELL, 0.

That is the way the tally sheet showed at the end of the game, but as often happens the score does not tell of the real merits of the game.

Though so far behind, at the end of the game, Grinnell put up a plucky fight and made the gophers earn their victory.

The day was far from ideal from any standpoint. The heavy rain a few hours previous had made the field soft, and, on anything but a sod field, would have made playing next to impossible. A strong cold wind swept down the field and made matters exceedingly disagreeable for the spectators, and made anything like consistent playing, out of the question.

The side that had the wind had all the advantage as they could punt more than twice as far as their opponents. The result of the game as a whole was satisfactory to the partisans of Minnesota. The men showed improvement, the individual star becoming subordinated to team work, the only thing that can make a star team. It is to be said that last Saturday, Grinnell gave Minnesota her first real try-out. The work in Saturday's game was of the old fashioned order of steady smashes against the line and few sensational end runs were attempted.

Of the men who played there is little but praise to record. Strathern held the center like the veteran he is. He never made but one sensational

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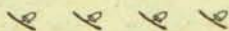
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play in his life and that was the Wisconsin game last year, but he is always where he is needed as steady as clock-work. Rogers and Burdick at the ends were simply invulnerable, nothing could get by either of them on defense and on offense they were a whirlwind. Roger's failure to kick goals was due to the elements and not to poor work on his part. All of the backs did good work, though Boeckmann, at fullback, during the first part of the first half, did not shine particularly. The other backs were all strong. Davies did the best ground gaining, but Jimmy Irsfield was the better in the interference, and did the best tackling of any man on the field with the exception of Burgan. Current is improving at fullback every time he plays, and was especially good in bucking the line. Gleason, who took Neussler's place, made good gains, and backed up the line well.

Henry O'Brien, at quarter, played a steadier and surer game than he has done before. There was no fumbling and he caught the punts in good shape.

Thorpe and Warren at guard in the first half played well on the defense, often breaking through the opposing line. Russell, at guard, in the second half, also did better than heretofore.

Germany Schacht and Punk Webster played at tackle the first half and both played hard ball. Schacht was the better at carrying the ball. Benson took

Punk's place in the second half, and several gains were made through him.

The team work generally showed improvement. Every man was in the play when Minnesota had the ball, and the line men played low. The tackling was much better than ever and the difficult high punts were handled in good shape.

Grinnell, outweighed, put up a creditable game. Coach Erickson's boys showed themselves to be stayers; and all of them are worthy of the honor to defend the red and black in her grid-iron battles, but against the sturdy Gophers, they were out of their class.

The team lined up as follows:

|                                                 |  |           |
|-------------------------------------------------|--|-----------|
| Minnesota.                                      |  | Grinnell. |
| Rogers (captain) l e                            |  | Carlson   |
| Webster, Benson l t                             |  | Dack      |
| Warren, Russell l g                             |  | Hayes     |
| Strathern, Pattee c                             |  | Shipman   |
| Thorpe r g                                      |  | Tool      |
| Schacht r t                                     |  | Auracher  |
| Burdick r e                                     |  | Barber    |
| O'Brien q (Capt)                                |  | VanLiew   |
| Davies, Burgan l h                              |  | Robinson  |
| Irsfield, Neussler,                             |  |           |
| Gleason r h                                     |  | Carson    |
| Boeckmann, Current f b                          |  | Fullar    |
| Referee, George Benden;                         |  | umpire    |
| "Pudge" Heffelfinger; linesman, Clyde Williams. |  |           |

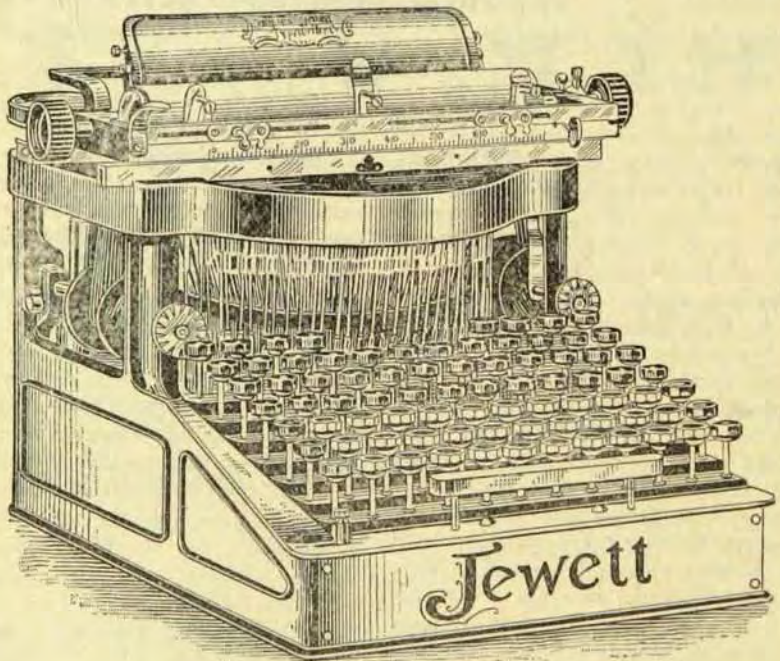
"Boss" Weeks is coaching Kansas, while McLean, the old Michigan half back has charge of Missouri.

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Editorial Notes

Next Sunday is the second anniversary of the death of Governor Pillsbury, "The Father of the University." Not a day has passed, during the two years, but his wise forethought and generous devotion has been missed. As time passes it becomes more and more evident how much the University owes to him.

Few reports of public officials have the significance of a report made by Dr. Jordan, superintendent of the schools of this city, to the board of education.

In order to test the oft-repeated statement that only the children of the rich attend the high schools, Dr. Jordan made a table of the occupations of the parents. It makes a highly inter-

esting table as will be seen from the following:

Mechanics	584
Salesmen and agents	561
Merchants and storekeepers	466
Laborers	418
Professional men	295
Clerks	259
Railway and street railway employees	228
Miscellaneous and self-supporting	184
Farmers	157
Manufacturers and wholesalers ..	146
Millers	115
Bankers and capitalists	63
Public officials and employes	45
Carpenters and builders (most of these are included under mechanics)	42

"Comment on this list is unnecessary," remarks Dr. Jordan, sententiously.

The general secretary of the alumni associations of the University of Chicago has been making investigations concerning the proportion of women graduates of the University who do not wed. Chicago is too young a University to make such figures of much real value as determining the average proportion of women who marry after graduation.

The figures do not include the women who have taken higher degrees, but only those who have completed the undergraduate courses.

The register contains the names of 598 women who have received bachelor degrees from 1893 to 1902 inclusive. The fate of these coeds is shown by the following percentage table: Percentage of women married, 18; percentage of teachers, 51; percentage of women "at home," 31.

OF GENERAL INTEREST

The date for the Michigan-Minnesota debate has been fixed for January 15th.

All Greeks are cordially invited to a meeting of the Greek Club to be held Monday evening October 19th at the home of Professor Hutchinson.

"The Morality of the Trades Union" was the subject of Rev. John A. Ryan's address before the University Catholic Association on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 11.

The school of agriculture is full to overflowing again. The prospects are bright for another successful and profitable year and a record-breaking attendance.

It is rumored that a new dental fraternity is to be organized at the college. The reporter however was unable to find out anything definite in regard to the matter.

The number of students taking music this year is not as large as last. In fact there is some fear that the chorus work will be dropped if more people do not take it up.

The voice of the rooster is heard again in the land. The first mass meeting of the year was held in chapel Friday morning, and the bottled enthusiasm of the past year was let loose.

Sherwin Cody, the author of a novel and of a score of books used in schools and colleges, will give a short talk on practical English at the University, Wednesday morning.

Music enthusiasts will be glad to know that plans for chapel music are under consideration, although the music season will probably not begin until after the foot fall season is over.

The artistically colored football posters adopted by the Board of Control to advertise the games have attracted much favorable comment, not only around the "U" but all over the town.

The Senior class has been very fortunate in having some exceptionally fine clinics in oral surgery this early in the year. Next Saturday another valuable clinic in this line will be given.

The young women have organized a rooting club, and promise to do something unique in the line of rooting. They may not be able to make so loud a noise as the boys, but their rooting is inspiring, and does less damage to the ears.

The Dental Infirmary never laid any claim to being a painless dental office but Tuesday afternoon a man having an L Filling put in actually went to sleep during the operation. He also claims that late hours was not the cause of his nap.

As has been customary in years gone by for a select few of the Senior girls to form a club, there is a movement among the present Senior girls to do likewise. This is always a very secret organization and no-one save the ones concerned will know much about it for some time.

At the girl's mass meeting held last Friday under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. the University girls were called upon to aid in the support of a Y. W. C. A. Secretary at Tokio, Japan. Miss Morrison, Acad., '02, will have the position. A liberal contribution is reported.

LOW ONE WAY RATES TO COAST.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. has placed on sale daily special one-way colonists excursion tickets to California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana at very reduced rates. Tourist cars through without change every Wednesday and Thursday via the popular Santa Fe System and "Scenic Route" through Colorado. Call on agents for particulars or address, A. B. Cutts, G. P. & T. A., Minneapolis.

In the last number of Munsey's magazine appears a poem by Chester Firkins, formerly a University student.

"Joe" Guthrie, '00, who is teaching zoology at Ames came up with the Ames crowd last Saturday. He is enthusiastic over his work at Ames and says that L. E. Ashbaugh, Eng. '00, and C. J. Zintheo, '97, are both teaching in that college.

The various labor organizations of the city have been resolving against the University, and the students, for the part which some students have taken in working in some of the mills. It is variously estimated that from seventy-five to one hundred twenty-five students have been at work during the strike. Several have received rough treatment at the hands of the strikers.

The preliminary for choosing the team to debate against Michigan University took place Monday night and the following were chosen: A. MacManigal, G. Levinger, E. C. O'Brien, B. Robinson, J. G. Steenson. There were nine contestants and the five who were chosen will be eligible to enter the final contest from which three men will be selected to represent Minnesota in the debate with Michigan, Jan. 15.

The department of Zoology is making many valuable additions and improvements this year.

The library is to occupy a separate room and will shortly be moved from the Laboratory where it has formerly been located to a room in the basement.

A large number of new cabinets and cases for models and skeletons have just arrived and when they are arranged will form a valuable addition to the Museum.

Mr. Wjota has resigned his position in connection with the Agricultural Department, where he has been employed during the past year in the interests of rural agriculture. The fail-

ure of the legislature to appropriate money for this work, left the department somewhat handicapped to carry out the work as it had formerly been done. Mr. Wjota was doing very conscientious work for the cause and the deficiency in funds to pay him a satisfactory salary is unfortunate.

A letter from Prof. Ely of Wisconsin University delayed by absence, deplors the recent action taken against Sakagami. He says:

"Sakagami was greatly liked in Madison and was one of our most popular students; I think everybody was sorry to see him go.

It is my belief that Sakagami is going to have an honorable career in Japan and that some day you will be sorry that you cannot claim him as one of your alumni."

Sakagami took both a bachelor's and master's degree here, '97 and '99.

The junior class meeting which was held Friday, last, was a fair sample of what one might expect in some of the worst wards in a large city, when the election is in doubt. Nearly three hundred ballots were cast by about half that number of voters. And when it was attempted to throw out the ballots and take another vote, the ones with the strongest lungs won the day and the vote was declared legal. The officers of the class, who were elected under the conditions which prevailed at the election, must feel proud of the distinction.

Trinity College, Dublin, has asked King Edward for permission to admit women to the university.

An alumnus passed by Greater Northrop field the other day. "Caesar's Ghost," he cried, "A'n't that a beauty."

PERSONAL ITEMS

Karl B. Kellogg, '02, is teaching at Sandstone, Minnesota, this year.

Ursula M. James, '03, is teaching in the high school at Eyota, Minn.

Dan P. Smythe, Law '03, is practicing his profession at Pendleton, Oregon.

Mrs. Fanny L. Clinton, '00, is living at 969 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Minot J. Brown, '99, is with the Hastings Milling Company, at Owatonna, Minn.

Dr. S. H. Baxter, Med '02, has an office at 215 Syndicate Arcade, Minneapolis.

Charles Frederic Carson, '99, is curate of the Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour, Faribault.

George E. Bray, Eng '94, is superintendent of Manual Training in the high school at Glencoe, Ill.

E. C. Ramstad, Eng. '02, is special apprentice of the C. G. W. Ry. and resides at 307 Walnut Street, St. Paul.

W. D. Frost, '03, now assistant professor of bacteriology at the University of Wisconsin was seen about the campus last week.

C. H. Christopherson, '98, is practicing law at Luverne, Minn. He is in partnership with E. H. Canfield under the firm name of Canfield and Christopherson.

Bert Russell, '02, who is holding a graduate fellowship from Columbia University, and is doing graduate work at that institution, lives at 439 W. 57th Street, New York City.

John Thompson, Agr. '95, former assistant in the agricultural department left Sept. 22, for Des Moines, Ia., to become assistant editor of the Successful Farmer, published at the place.

Dr. Fred S. Yeager, '03, one of the most popular men of last year's class has been appointed assistant to Dr. Wells in Crown and Bridge technique. Dr. Yeager is located in St. Paul at the present time.

Judson L. Day, '03, was at the college recently shaking hands with the boys. Dr. Day has bought the practice of Dr. J. B. Carey at LeRoy, and will take possession this week.

Dr. R. H. Gallagher, '99, of Plainview, Nebraska, was a visitor at the college during the first of the week. The Doctor is perfectly satisfied with Doc. Bixby's state but can't help visiting Minnesota once in a while.

William A. Wheeler, Agr. '00, has been appointed to the South Dakota Agricultural College as professor of botany and botanist of the experiment station of that state. He will take up his new position in October.

Mr. C. S. Scofield, Agr. '00, was married Sept. 8th to Miss Emma T. Scott, of Stillwater. They had a quiet home wedding with only near relatives present. Mr. and Mrs. Scofield left immediately for Washington, D. C., where they will make their home.

J. A. Burger, '02, at present City superintendent of the city schools at Staples, Minn., was brought to the city last week and placed in the St. Barnabas Hospital, suffering from an attack of typhoid fever. While his condition is not at present serious, it is giving his friends much anxiety.

Charles E. Stangeland, M. A., '01, who has been in Europe studying under the '90 fellowship, has returned to America and after a few weeks visit at his home, Marathon, Ia., has gone to Columbia University, where he has an appointment to a very desirable fellowship. His address is 416 West 118th street, New York City.

Frank Force, '00, has an interesting article in the Tribune of a week ago Sunday upon "Will Minnesota have a championship football team this year." The article is unusually judicial and weighs matters with an even hand. While not over confident he thinks that at this time Minnesota stands an even show with the other teams of the west.

Walter A. Chowen, Eng. '91, who spent last year in Seattle, Wash., in the interests of the Wade Company, has returned to New York. That company has been reorganized and George T. Plowman, Eng. '92, drops out of the presidency, Mr. Chowen still remaining secretary of the company. His address is now 79 East 130 street, New York City.

Mr. Charles Albert Savage, ex-'89, instructor in Latin and Greek, was granted his doctor's degree at Johns Hopkins University last summer, his work having been done along the lines of Greek, Latin and Sanskrit. His dissertation was upon the "Athenian Family: a legal and sociological study based chiefly on the orators with illustrations from other departments of Greek literature."

A double wedding took place Tuesday evening at the home of Amory Francis Gale on Third avenue South, when his daughters Caroline Huntington and Frances May, were married to George Henry Johnston, '97, instructor in psychology, and Cecil Bayless Chapman. About 100 guests witnessed the service, and the appointments were charming.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Chapman left that evening for short wedding trips. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston will be at home at 1620 Third Avenue South, after Dec. 1.

THE LAWS OF '03.

The Weekly has received from Jay A. Kennicott, Law '03, the promised letter. It will be remembered, that last spring the senior law class made a solemn pledge to write to some member of the class, who was to take all of the letters received and edit them, cutting out all matter duplicated, and have copies made and sent to the members of the class. Mr. Kennicott was elected editor and has done his work in a manner to delight the

members of the class. The letter contains much that will be of interest to the readers of the Weekly and we shall take occasion to deal it out along as we may find it most advantageous. No one but Kennicott could have done it so well and we want to congratulate the class on its wise choice and Mr. Kennicott on making such a success of the business.

BOOK BUSINESS BOOMING

At present it is known that at least thirty-six books are in course of preparation by various faculty members.

Professors McVey, Shaper and Folwell are preparing books on phases of political economy.

Professor White, of the history department will put forth a book showing the results of his latest historical research.

Professor John Downey is putting the last touches on a text-book on mathematics.

Dr. McClumpha has in manuscript a volume of poetry and another of prose sketches.

A number of these books will be issued during the present year.

COLTON HEARD IN CHAPEL.

Mr. E. T. Colton spoke to a large crowd of young men in chapel on Sunday. His theme was "Some Dominant Tendencies in American Student Life."

In handling his subject he showed a great familiarity of the life in the American colleges.

Mr. Colton is optimistic. He does not think the student body of the country is going to the dogs.

He believes that there is more morality among them than any other class of young men.

Nevertheless, he points out some dominant "tendencies" which are leading to immorality and asks for their correction.

Y. W. C. A. BUSINESS MEETING.

The first regular business meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held Thursday at the noon hour at which there was a large attendance.

The budget of \$1,000 was presented to the treasurer and accepted by the society. This sum includes pledges to local, state and national association work, \$250 towards expenses to Miss Theresa Morrison, '02, who goes to Tokio as secretary of the Y. W. C. A. in woman's university there; \$15 for support of Hindoo child in orphan asylum in India, and money for the Geneva endowment fund.

Very encouraging reports were read from the various chairmen, after which 57 new members, 40 active and 17 associate, were voted upon and accepted.

U. L. A. BEGINS WORK

Dr. M. D. Shutter, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, gave the first address of the year before the University Liberal Association. As was to be expected, the address was a masterly discussion of the topic, "Some phases of the labor problem."

The U. L. A. is, as its name implies, Liberal. It is open to all students and professors of the University and outsiders may become members.

The U. L. A. is in no way opposed to the Christian associations. Its object is to secure interesting speakers and valuable addresses and subjects of deep interest and importance.

For this year's course some of the lectures will be by Drs. McVey, Schapers, Mrs. Potter, Drs. Wilde, Swenson, Professors Nachtrieb, Sigerfoos and others.

During the year an address will be given by David P. Jones of this city on the question of Municipal reforms.

An informal dance will be given at the Armory on Friday evening, Oct. 16, of Miss Butner's physical culture classes.

PREXY TO SPEAK AT ANN ARBOR

President Northrop is to speak before the Student's Lecture association at Ann Arbor, Nov. 14th. The Student's Lecture Association is one of Michigan's most commendable features, as it brings the students in contact with the great thinkers of the age.

The lecture course this year includes President Elliot of Harvard, Sec. Cor-James Whitcomb Riley, Walter Wellman, Lyman Abbott, F. Hopkinson Smith, and Henry Van Dyke.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE RECEPTION

This afternoon, the Women's League gives its first reception to the girls of the University. The general reception which begins at 2:30 will be followed by a short program consisting of music, a farce, etc., and this by dancing, for which the University Band will furnish the music.

OCTOBER MAGAZINE

The October Magazine is out and contains much that is good. The prose contributions are not only the more numerous but also of superior order. Of the verse there are three contributions, "Hall-Dwellers," by Mrs. Potter, which is full of allusion to old library friends and is most enjoyable.

"Night" and Butterflies" two topics which E. H. Cressey and Max McConn have rendered into pleasing verse.

"A Reasonable Excuse" is a story pure and simple with some good Western scenery for a background. It is the work of Mildred A. Smith, '98, who lives in the county of which she writes.

M. LeRoy Arnold contributes a study of the Mary Shaw production of Ibsen's Ghosts in which he draws some comparisons with Mansfield's Julius Caesar not at all favorable to the later.

"The Joy of Hope" by Carlton Miles, '06, though long for the amount of ac-

tual story, is very strong in its character drawing and description and deserves high rank in its class. It is well calculated to impress any native of the prairie country.

A description of the Passion Play which is wonderfully vivid and good in that it is straight description and not an account of how the writer felt marks the entrance of Clara M. Oldberg '06, into Minnesota literature. If her next work is as good as her first we predict that she will stay.

William Dawson has a sketch which is not only good but short. It is to be regretted however that he allowed the conventional rustling of the brush to give warning of an otherwise sudden climax.

Fred H. Stevens is another man who has fully mastered the maxim "cut it short." His "A Matter of Business," is a good description of a bad situation.

In general makeup and typography the book is good.

KENNICOTT SEEIN' THINGS.

Jay Kennicott who is located at Laverne wrote recently to the Daily in this wise:

"Funnlest thing; can't explain it. Got news of the Grinnel game yesterday, and last night had the funniest dream ever heard of. It was about the Minn-Mich game. Such an unusual hunch too. The teams had played only ten minutes when that Irishman, O'Brien, got the ball and made sixty yards thru the whole bunch of Wolverines for a touchdown. That was the only score of the game. This is no ordinary hunch. On the square, I believe it myself. Wait and see if old Kennicott isn't right."

LIVELY LAWS

The freshman laws held a banquet at a down town cafe one night last week. The upper classmen attempted to interfere, but came out second best. The freshmen and their faculty guests had an enjoyable time.

NOTHING TO SUGGEST.

Ray Farrell Greene in September
"Success."

My Uncle Hi's mind has an equable
poise,

Through season's of drought and of
raining;

"In worry," he says, "we lose sight of
our joys,

And we spend too much time in com-
plaining.

If the Lord, in His wisdom, sends
blessing or blight,

I'll take what He sees fit to proffer,

For I'm firm in the faith that He's
runnin' things right,

An' I have no suggestions to offer.

"To the Lord, when in travail, no dol-
ourous plea

I make, for my creed's not so narrow

As to think for a moment He'll lose
sight of me,

When he notes e'en the fall of the
sparrow.

He is there on His throne, an' so just
is His rule,

Alike to the saint and the scoffer,

I sit here at home jes' a-takin' things
cool,

An' I have no suggestions to offer

"It's a mighty good world that we live
in today,

For the good's all the time growin'
better,

An'," my Uncle Hi adds, in his comical
way,

"It satisfies me to the letter!

So I jes' keep t' work in the shadow an'
shine,

Bit by bit addin' gold t' my coffer,

For the world's bein' steered by a
Hand that's divine,

An' I have no suggestions to offer."

The news that Professor Oberhoffer has returned will be heard with pleasure by every lover of music in the University. We may now look for some of those musical treats that were so much enjoyed last year.

BEST IN THE WEST.

Manager Baird of the Michigan football team was in Minneapolis last week arranging the details with Manager Barnard for the Minnesota-Michigan game on October 31st. All the preliminaries for the big contest were arranged satisfactorily and Mr. Baird returned home last night well pleased over the prospects for a record breaking crowd at the big game. He was especially elated over the facilities for accommodating the teams and crowd and said that, in his estimation, Minnesota had the best athletic field in the West.

TRUE SPORTSMANSHIP.

The Daily has some words of praise to bestow upon the Varsity students and others who witnessed the game of last Saturday for the sportsmanlike treatment accorded the visiting team.

The Grinnell team played hard, clean, straight foot-ball and the crowd appreciated it by cheering them on all proper occasions. It is a good spirit to keep throughout the season. Keen rivalry is natural and patriotism for the Gopher football team is right. A Varsity student who would like to see Minnesota beaten in any game in the season's schedule is not properly a Minnesotan, but that should not interfere with the exercise of the generous courtesy which should be accorded to every visiting team from Michigan to Carleton. The man who applauds a rough or unfair play of any member of nay team is not a true sport but the man who appreciates fast or plucky work in a member of the opposing team is the kind that the members of the football team like to have behind them when they go into a game.

—Minnesota Daily.

Freshman girl: Are not the seats in the library reading room really arranged in pairs on account of the lights.

MICHIGAN WORRIES.

Captain Redden, of Michigan does not believe Michigan will this year have the record breaking team of the last two years, unless some of the new material develops unusually quick. "If Michigan ever gets inside the twenty-five yard line she will score," he says. "I am not thinking about the Wisconsin and Chicago games yet. It keeps me busy all my time to figure out the Minnesota game. If we win that we will go out for the championship.

Gregory and Heston, who came to Michigan with Yost, believe he can win the championship again. Yost is not so sanguine, but he is good humored every minute of the play and keeps the men working desperately. Some of them can be overheard, just before they go to bed at night in the flimsy rooms of the summer hotel, saying over and over the signals of Yost's new plays.

The team's condition is nearly perfect. The men swim with relish twice a day in the icy water and wind of northern Lake Michigan.

LITTLE SIDE LIGHTS

Freshman law named Smith, drawing himself up proudly, "The Smith family is a great family in the United States. There are 60,000 of that name.

Paige: "They are not all coming to the University, are they.

ABOUT DOCTOR WILLIAMS.

Dr. Williams, coach of the Minnesota football team, seems to have a perennial grudge against the newspapers of the country. There is no other way to explain this penchant for digging up players with either jaw breaking or crazy names, the spelling of which is worse than the pronunciation. Think of memorizing a list like this, taken from his present squad: Oech, Neussle, Sakagami, Schacht, Strathern, Irsfield, etc.—Chicago Tribune.

BOOKS NOTICED.

"Zauberlinda," which is published by its author, Mrs. Eva K. Gibson of Chicago, is one of the most attractive of children's books. The story follows along the line of the fairy story which is so dear to the heart of the average child. The scene is located in the Black Hills of South Dakota. The illustrations are of a kind to delight the eye of any child and every page has its illustration, colored. The book is to be heartily commended.

"Such Things as Dreams Are Made Of," by Webb Rockfeller Miller. Published by C. J. Lawrence & Company, Chicago.

Unless an author can muse and put his musings in a form approaching the attractiveness of the musings of Ike Marvel, he would do better to cut out all musings and moralizing when telling a story. This remark applies to the book "Such Things as Dreams are Made Of." The author has an interesting story to tell, and he tells it in an interesting manner when he gets to the real story part. His moral observations are also very excellent but have no place in the story. The story is one of real ghosts, which turn out to be an old woman, a companion and a very charming daughter, and ends with an account of the beautiful love affair between the relator of the experiences and the daughter.

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* Since we first met you *
 * We've learned a thing or two *
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 * to dare and do; *
 * Just watch them how they score *
 * Just hear the rooters roar, *
 * We surely set the pace at the *
 * Minnesota "U." *
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FRIENDLY CRITICS

The following is the opinion of Fred Lowenthal of Chicago, concerning our team:

Lowenthal writes for the Chicago-American and will be remembered as the famous center and backbone of the Illinois team for four years.

"The Sultan of Turkey might with profit look up the news censor on Northrop field. There is about as much chance of news without the censor's stamp of approval percolating through the high board fence that surrounds the Gopher gridiron as there is of a Dowleit getting rebate of tithes at Zion city.

There are, however, a few points that are established, and first among them this may be put down—Minnesota will certainly have a fast team on the field this year.

It is true that the eleven that represents the Gopher institution this year

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will not be as heavy as those of the last two years, though at that it will not be light by any means, yet it is felt that Minnesota's success can only come with speed and if beef and speed conflict the latter must go. The large score rolled up in the Macalaster game, in a measure may be taken as a criterion as to whether Dr. Williams and his assistants have succeeded in infusing speed into the men.

What if the Macalester college eleven was a weak opponent! The Minnesota teams of former years could not have piled up 112 points if Dan Patch were setting pace on one side of the field and a Winton motor on the other.

Williams has good material.

Dr. Williams has a likely lot of men with whom to begin the season. Perhaps his greatest loss is Flynn, the giant guard of last year's team. There are left in the line: Strathern, center: Schacht, all-western tackle last year, and Captain Rogers, end. Pattee and Webster of the 1902 scrubs, both big men, seem to be in the line for the two open guard positions. This leaves to fill from the large squad two positions—end and tackles.

With the exception of Chicago, Minnesota is fixed better for the back field than any of the other western universities. With Irsfield, Davies, Thorpe, O'Brien and Harris, Dr. Williams has

a quintet of men both fast and heavy.

Determined to stop Yost.

I am told that each member of the squad has a placard at the foot of his bed on which is inscribed this significant sentence:

We must beat Michigan.

Whether this be true or not makes but little difference. I never before saw such a desire to win a football game as that which is manifested in regard to the Michigan game on October 31st.

There will certainly be something doing there on October 31st when the two teams clash. Somebody is going down and out with a thud. The championship aspirations of one university team will go up in smoke and the victor will be right in line to dispute the Western championship with Chicago. Which will it be? The student body think that on that day Yost will take his first bitter pill since he has been with the Michigan team."

THURSDAY NIGHT

The first team played rather slow and did not get into the game as fast as in former practice, but otherwise played well.

Harris was out on the field and went thro some light work in punting, but his arm will not permit him to get into the scrimmage. Rand, the strong man, was also out again. A good squad

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of alumni, consisting of Bernhagen, Page, Heffelfinger, helped in the coaching.

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The Score.

Minnesota 65, Hamline 0.

Touchdowns, Minnesota 11.

Goals Kicked, Minnesota 10.

Yards Gained by Hamline, 40.

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The Hamline team journeyed over from Midway Wednesday afternoon and lined up against the Varsity on Northrop Field.

The Hamline team was light, and did not present a very formidable front to their heavier opponents. Minnesota

did not have much chance to test her defense as she had possession of the ball almost entirely during the game, only once did Hamline succeed in making first down when Putz went around right end for thirty-five yards.

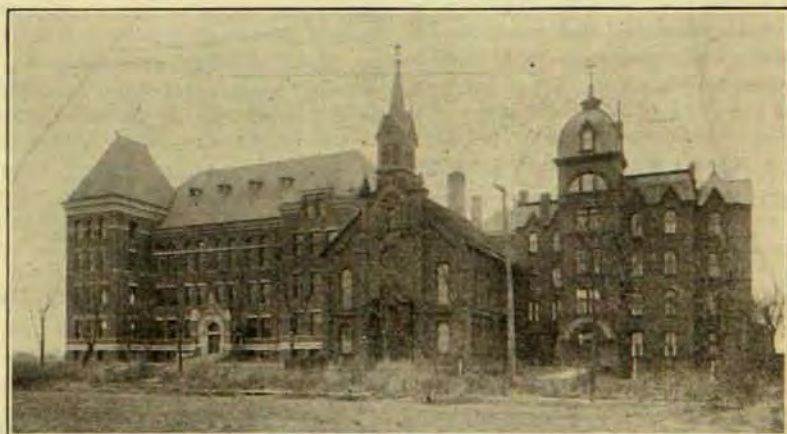
On the offense Minnesota played a good game during the first half. The second half the new men who went in for Minnesota did not show up to any great advantage.

In all Minnesota carried the ball over for eleven touchdowns. Warren, O'Brien, Schacht and Davies were good for one touchdown each in the first half, while Burdick and Rogers carried it over twice each. In the second half Marshall, Pattee and Current were

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pushed over for touchdowns. Ten of these were converted into goals.

The line-up:

MINNESOTA—	HAMLIN—
Luce, Rogers.....Left End.....	Manuel
Oech, Webster....Left Tackle.....	Levitt
Ricker, Strathern..Center.....	Stroberg
Pattee, Thorpe...Right Guard.....	Nelson
Schacht, Warren..Right Tackle...	Harrigan
Marshall, Burdick..Right End.....	King
O'Brien.....Quarter.....	Franklin
Burgan, Davies...Left Half.....	Gould
Neussle, Irsfield...Right End.....	Putz
Current.....Full back.....	Kennedy

Score: Minnesota, 65; Hamline 0.
Referee—Heflefinger.
Umpire—Force.

FRIDAY'S MASS MEETING

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o This is a critical period for the o
o football team," said Dr. Williams o
o chapel, yesterday, and much de- o
o pends upon the support of the o
o student body. o
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The Bleachers occupied by the Rooters' club will be nothing less than a booming Mount Pelee of encouragement to the team.

MINNESOTA, 46—Ames, 0

Few Minnesota men looked for so large a score, not that Ames was overestimated, but it turned out that Minnesota was underestimated. There is no question that Minnesota has a stronger team today than ever before at the same time of the season. The

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men played with a spirit and dash that carried everything before them, and there was no delay for getting in line or waiting for the signals, the men lined up, for the most part, like clock-work and the plays were off with a dash that was extremely gratifying. Of course, the work was far below what may be expected two weeks hence, but it was good, and there is no occasion to complain. The most distressing feature of the game was the fumbling, which cost Minnesota a number of touchdowns. It would seem to be almost inexcusable at this time of the season. The interference was superb, every man seemed to be in every play, and to be in his proper place, and though the Ames men were far from slow or light, they were often put completely out of the game.

O'Brien, the "artful dodger" was at his best and it generally took the third or fourth man to stop him and sometimes he eluded the whole bunch.

No new plays were used, the old formations being all that were needed to make good.

The Ames team was backed by a liberal contingent of rooters who cheered their champions on to victory, and as in past years the team proved itself a foeman worthy of our steel. The men never gave up, and played with dash and desperation, but they could not make headway against Minnesota. They made first down but very few times during the game and a good share of their gains were made by

grace of Minnesota's over-zealousness in getting into the game before the ball was put into play.

At the beginning luck was with the Gophers; they won the toss, choosing the east goal. Minnesota started with the ball, after the kick off by Ames, but fumbled near the center of the field. Ames could not gain at all, and kicked, and Minnesota again fumbled, and thus it went for the first few minutes of play. Finally, Minnesota got started and bucked the ball straight down the field, alternating with a few end runs, Schacht going over for the first touchdown after eight minutes of actual play.

After this touchdowns were cheaper and Minnesota laid in a good stock for a rainy day. O'Brien, Davies and Irsfield went in and out and around the ends for long gains and the ball was kept going, and when the first half was over the score was 29 to 0.

The play in the first half was remarkable for the speed shown by the Minnesota team and the beautiful defense which the same team put up against Ames' heavy rushes, when the latter had the ball. Only twice during the half did Ames make her first down, and these were on rushes through left tackle, the weakest spot in Minnesota's line.

Schacht, Burdick, Irsfield, Davies and O'Brien, Carrant, in fact the whole team were stars, with the ball. But the first five were used most and seemed to be able to run the Ames ends whenever

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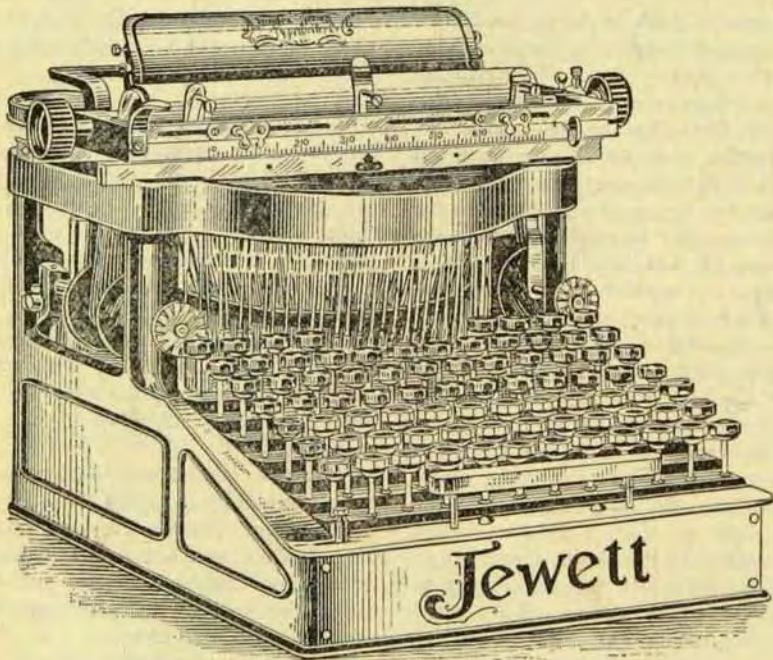
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they pleased. The interference, too, was the best that has been seen this year and far ahead of anything ever seen before at the same time of the year, and every man on the team exerted himself to help along the man with the ball.

One of the prettiest plays of the half was after Thorpe had kicked over Ames' goal line on the second kick off. Ames kicker out from her twenty-five-yard line to Minnesota's forty-five yard line. Henry O'Brien caught the ball on the run and dashed up the field for thirty yards before he was downed. Then, on the next play, a double pass was worked with Davies carrying the ball, and he shot around Ames' left end and, with three men with him for interference, scoring a touchdown after a run of thirty-five yards.

#### The second half.

The second half saw the same men in the line up and the play started fiercely. Minnesota played raggedly and kept on fumbling, and for a time it seemed as if the Gophers would not increase their score. They again got

their feet under them, however, and long end runs, interspersed judiciously with line bucks, sent the score up to the grand total of 46. In this half, too, Ames gained first down but twice, but field Minnesota more frequently for downs. As the half progressed the Ames men began to feel the effects of their hard play and numerous substitutes were sent in.

#### Schacht injured.

Minnesota kept her team intact till near the end of the half, when in one of the scrimmages, Schacht, was seriously injured. He was carried from the field and it was found that one of his ribs had been broken and some of the cartilages had been torn loose. The injuries will keep Schacht out of the game for two weeks at least, and his absence will endanger the championship chances of the Minnesota team. From the lines it appeared that one of the Ames players willfully kned Schacht in the scrimmage, and, in fact, throughout the game, the visitors were accused of unfair tactics. Several times the grandstand and bleachers

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were constrained to call "dirty work." Big Smith was sent in to fill Schacht's place and played well during the remainder of the contest. Burgan, too, was given a chance, taking Davies' place at left half and succeeded in making a touchdown before time was called. Boeckmann took Currant's place at fullback, but he has no license to hold down this position. Currant is by all odds the better man.

The crowd was very well satisfied and great surprise was evinced at the speedy style which has already been developed to such a degree. The defense was exceedingly strong. Burdick at end, showed himself able to hold his own on defense and strong when he was given the ball, making consistent gains at nearly every attempt.

Captain Rogers not only carried the ball well, but he was in the interference in every way. He seemed to be all over the field and went down the field in his own regular old-time way when the ball was punted.

Strathern, at center, had an easy time, although his opponent persisted in resorting to rough tactics whenever the umpire was not looking. Thorpe, at guard, broke through well and helped well on defense. Warren was a trifle slow, especially on the offense. Schacht, at tackle, played great ball; Webster played a fair game and showed improvement, but left tackle is the weak spot in the line.

The defensive work of the men back of the line was perfect, Jimmy Irsfield and Currant both filling up any holes that the Ames forwards were able to make. These men, too, did not fumble as did the other backs, and both made good ground whenever they had the ball.

Currant seems to have shown his right to play fullback; he is heady, fast and strong. Once, just before he left the field he saved a disastrous fumble

by O'Brien and made a beautiful gain.

The teams lined up as follows:

|                                     |                 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Minnesota.                          | Ames.           |
| Rogers (Capt.) . . . l e . . .      | Teller, Madison |
| Webster . . . . . l t . . . . .     | Williams        |
|                                     | Henninger       |
| Warren, Smith . . . . l g . . . . . | Ebersole        |
| Strathern . . . . . c . . . . .     | Dreher          |
| Thorpe . . . . . r g . . . . .      | Buckley         |
| Schacht, Warren . . . r g . . . . . | Jorgenson,      |
|                                     | Smith           |
| Burdick . . . . . r e . . . . .     | Warden, Stoffer |
| O'Brien . . . . . q . . . . .       | Daniels (Capt.) |
| Davies, Burgan . . . l h . . . .    | Eiler, Nickels  |
| Irsfield . . . . . r h . . . . .    | Tener, Mack     |
| Currant, Boeckmann f b . . . . .    | Scott           |

Referee, Heffelfinger, of Yale; umpire, Clark, of Iowa; linesman, Belden, of Minnesota; time of halves, twenty-five minutes; touchdowns, Schacht 3, Davies 2, O'Brien 2, Burgan 1; goals from touchdown, Rogers 6 out of 8 attempts.

#### LIBRARY NOTES.

The library has received three volumes of the Encyclopedia Americana.

The Librarian is somewhat disappointed in the work. There seems to be a modern fashion of making up such books out of old material and spicing them with a few first-class articles by the writers, and this fashion seems to have been followed by the makers of this work.

The maps are good but the illustrations are not so well chosen as might be, still the work deserves a place on the shelves.

The University of California is to give a French play this year. "Phedre" is the title and it is to be entirely in French.

Senior control has been instituted at California, whereby the graduating class will have charge of disputes that arise in the under classes.



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## Editorial Notes

The opportunity which the students enjoyed last Friday morning of seeing and hearing Joseph Jefferson is one that will not soon be forgotten by the student body. Such opportunities mean much to the students, and the welcome which the students give such visitors usually makes them willing to come again. As Mr. Mabie said to the students last winter he had acquired the "Minneapolis habit" and found it hard to break. Mr. Jefferson told a few humorous stories in his inimitable way and expressed his gratification at the opportunity to meet the students.

September salaries were paid last Thursday the delay being due to a combination of circumstances which it is hoped will not occur again this year.

The average University professor needs his salary when it is due and its payment ought not to be delayed on account of mere technicalities.

The board of control finds that the management of the University, in addition to the duties which they had previously on hand, and which were then really more than one board could comfortably handle; is no "idle pastime of a summer's day." They have been blamed for some things for which they are not to blame, but there have been some delays which it seems might have been avoided. Two years of such rule seems inevitable, but if we can read the signs aright, no one will be more relieved to have the law amended, so as to remove the University from the control of the board, than will the members of that board themselves.

Perhaps a few words concerning the method of procedure under the new system will be of interest to the alumni. Every three months the heads of departments are called upon to make out lists of the supplies needed for their departments for the following three months. These requisitions must be for specific items, each item must be listed with its estimated cost. A general requisition, for printing, for instance, will not be accepted, it must specify the exact nature of the printing wanted, the number of copies wanted and all details necessary to make it possible to secure bids for the same, must be given. The requisition goes to the Executive Committee of the Board of Regents, and, if approved by them, is sent to the Board of Control with the action of the Committee endorsed upon the same. The Board of

Control then takes up the requisition and either allows or disallows the requisition as a whole or as to particular items or makes an arbitrary reduction in the amount asked for and refers the matter back to the Executive Committee to say what items shall be omitted. This action of the Board of Control is final and the Executive Committee has no appeal except to the Board of Control. The contracts for the items allowed are then let by the Board of Control and the person who made the requisition is free to go ahead and place his order for the same, subject to the terms of the contract. Of course, in a complicated system like this there are bound to be many vexatious delays, but such delays are but a minor incident. The real danger in such control lies in the fact of dual control which is limited on both sides.

In most matters the Board of Control has not the initiative, but it has a final veto which it is not slow to use. The system puts the administration of the University into the hands of neither board, but ties the hands of both boards. The Regents may plan never so wisely, and the Board of Control may absolutely upset all such plans by their power of veto. There is only one item in which the Regents have absolute power and that is in the appointment of professors and instructors and the fixing of their salaries.

The Board of Control, with absolutely no knowledge of the needs of the University, is able to completely annul the best efforts of the Regents to provide for the needs of the University, as they see them, and in the manner which their long experience has taught them to be most effective. It is a bad state of affairs, due to the system not the personnel of the boards, but since the University is under the system, there is nothing to do but to make the best of a bad matter, and get

along with as little friction as possible, while the arrangement lasts.

It is to be hoped that the alumni will make it a personal matter to right this wrong and insist that every man who seeks their vote to the next legislature, make an absolute promise to vote to remove the University from the jurisdiction of the Board of Control. The alumni can accomplish this if they will, and it is not too early to begin now to work to that end.

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The Minnesota Daily calls for the organization of the lecture bureau at the University similar to the one at Michigan. In years past such attempts have been made and in the early days proved very successful, but of late years efforts in this line have looked so discouraging from the outset that no one has had the temerity to undertake to organize such a bureau.

It is to be said, in this connection, that Minnesota's position is radically different from that of Michigan. Michigan is a little city by itself and is "the whole thing" so to speak, while in the case of Minnesota, located in a large city where there are half a dozen first class lecture courses provided for the citizens, which are open to students as well as others, there is not the demand for such lecture courses. It frequently happens too, that some of the most noted of these lecturers come to the University and speak to the students in chapel, and it is a remark frequently heard, "the address was better than the one we paid fifty cents to hear last night."

Minnesota's location is, in this respect, exceedingly fortunate.

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The Weekly hopes that the story of this year's game with Wisconsin will be of such a nature as to make the alumni want to keep that particular copy of the Weekly handy and read the account every day for a week

at least. We have no reason to doubt that the result will be favorable to Minnesota, but we do not want to get overconfident. Nothing but overconfidence will defeat us. The pessimistic reports from Wisconsin are to be taken with a big grain of salt. Wisconsin is always in the reckoning until the game is over and this year will be no exception to the rule of past years. The Michigan game coming so early has almost completely overshadowed the Wisconsin game, but when Michigan is out of the way it will be Wisconsin then to the end of the season.

#### IN OPEN COURT

Dear Mr. Editor:

Is Supt. Kunze right, in the first place, in deploring the influence of the University upon the high schools?

In the particular matter of higher algebra, if Mr. Kunze is not sufficiently awed by the weight of philosophic opinion from Plato down, ought he not to make a new examination of the relation of mathematical studies to individual and social progress? Is there no relation between the large requirement of mathematics in an engineering course and the fact that the graduates of such courses are so often declared better fitted than "academics" for business responsibilities? Since the chemists and the biologists and the economists have followed the physicists in the employment of the calculus, there is probably no need of arguing the general utility of the "higher mathematics" as a means of investigation. If it is conceded that mathematical studies build up able men, and that the chief hope of scientific progress in America lies in the establishment of better mathematical foundation, is it not "up to" Mr. Kunze to show cause for his proposed change? A mention of the comparative ease of teaching higher algebra seems to me to leave the main issue untouched.

The registration statistics perhaps indicate that the U. of M. is to become

a "young ladies finishing school." If that is the case I withdraw my arguments; not otherwise.

And ought not somebody to point out to Mr. Kunze that the influence of the University has been the very making of the high schools; and that the best hope of the high schools lies in an extension of the influence of the University. If unifying management has accomplished great economy and improved efficiency in other lines,—why not in this? Let the people practice their "inalienable rights" on the primary schools; the intelligence of the average school board is not competent to the management of high school work. The state contributes to the support of the high schools; the curriculum, and often the choice of a superintendent, rests with the state high school board and the state inspector. Why should not the unifying influence of central authority be made much more complete, in this branch of education?

I should like to convert Mr. Kunze to the opinion that the work in botany throughout the state ought to come under the direct oversight of the department of botany at the U. of M., and so with all lines of high school work. I should like to convince him that there ought to be a more organic relationship between the department of pedagogy at the U. of M. and the inspection of high schools. But, for the immediate present, I should be content if I could convince him that he has been found echoing an old and unworthy prejudice which it would be more appropriate for him to oppose.

Respectfully,

Bert Russell.

#### FRIDAY'S MASS MEETING WAS A HUMMER

The extraordinarily optimistic reports sent out from Iowa City the day before made the Minnesota rooters think that maybe Iowa had been playing possum and that perhaps Minnesota had an unpleasant surprise in store.

## PERSONAL ITEMS

Dr. R. B. Lees, Med. '01, has removed from White, S. D., to Latah, Wash.

Elizabeth Browne, '03, is teaching in the Elmira Free Academy at Elmira, N. Y.

Raymond L. Dillman, Law '03, has moved from Verndale to Park Rapids, Minn.

Malcolm A. MacLean, '03, expects to take up newspaper work in Chicago, soon.

E. A. Meyerding, Med. '02, is practicing medicine at 405 Ernst building, St. Paul.

Julius G. Newgood, Med. '03, is interne in the N. P. Hospital at Missoula, Mont.

Eliza McGregor, '01, is teaching in the St. Paul schools, her address is 182 Goodrich avenue.

Dr. M. F. Cook, Dent. '03, has decided to settle down at St. Cloud for the practice of his profession.

Charles S. Hoff, Law '96, has removed from the New York Life Building to 345 Wabasha street, St. Paul.

Henry B. Hovland, '94, is with the Chemung Iron Company with an office in the Lonsdale Building, Duluth.

Thomas Davis, county attorney of Lyon county, formerly a law student here, was up Saturday for the game.

H. H. Aspden writes to say that he will be at the Michigan game and hopes that the championship will come our way.

Miss Cora E. Marlowe, '00, secretary and stenographer of the supreme court of Minnesota, was at the University last week.

Dr. J. J. Catlin, Med. '03, who is practicing at Delano, Minn., writes to hope that we may "scuttle Wisconsin and sink Michigan."

Mrs. L. O. Jorgenson (Lucy H. A. Blanchard, Pharm. '95) visited the University last Friday. She is living at Chatfield, Minn.

H. A. Danelz, '02, of Swift Falls, says "Don't disappoint the alumni by giving us anything but the very best in football with Wisconsin."

Pauline Field, '02, who last year taught at Sioux Falls, S. D., is living in the city this year. Her address is 1519 9th Ave. South.

G. Foster Smith, '39, has been visiting the University during the past week and took in the Iowa game. Mr. Smith is in a bank in New York City and is out here on a vacation.

Miss Harriet Wales, '93, was married last Wednesday evening to Elmore Clark Patterson, of Chicago. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will be at home at Western Springs, Ill.

Mrs. J. G. Woolley, (nee Lydia Plummer, '96,) is living at Buffalo, Minn., where her husband is judge of probate. Judge Woolley is seriously ill and has been compelled to give up the practice of law.

Dr. J. G. Cross, '92, and wife (Frances Montgomery, '91,) have come to Minneapolis to live. They are living at 2022 Second avenue south. Dr. Cross has an office in the Pillsbury building.

Miss Nellie A. Whitney, '01, writes that she has charge of the woman's Hall, University of Montana, with about twenty-five girls. She finds that her college work keeps her from getting homesick.

George E. Silloway, '02, who is preaching at Argyle, Minn., occupied the pulpit of the Simpson Methodist church in this city a week ago last Sunday and occupied that of the Fowler church last Sunday.

The Rev. James Steenson, '95, (McCormick Theological Seminary '02), was married, June 17th, to Miss Mary S. Brown, of Eden Prairie. Mr. Steenson has charge of the Presbyterian church at Princeton, Minn.

Helen L. Ozias, '02, was married last Wednesday evening to David Louis Fairchild, at the home of Miss Ozais' parents, in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild will be at home after November 1st, at Hyde Park, Chicago.

Miss Florence M. Perry, '03, is teaching English and Science in the Cleveland high school, St. Paul, and is enjoying her work very much. She visited the University Saturday, one week ago. Her address is 752 Laurel Ave.

J. Burt Miner, '97, Law '99, M.S. '01, received his degree of doctor of philosophy from Columbia University this last spring. His thesis was upon "Motor, Visual and Applied Rhythms: An experimental study and a revised explanation."

A wedding which will interest many University people took place Tuesday evening in the First Congregational church, when Myrtice Wilcox and Dr Joslin were married. Dr. Joslin graduated from the Dental College of the University and Miss Wilcox attended the Academic department for a short time.

Mrs. William Wallace (nee "Puss" McQuat, ex-'89) is home on a six months vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace have charge of a mission in Mexico, and are accomplishing great things by their noble efforts to carry the light of the Gospel to the benighted people of the district where they are working.

G. Sidney Phelps, '99, and wife (nee Mary Ward, '97) have just returned to their work in Kyoto, Japan. Mr. Phelps' health has not been good since going to the orient and they have been spending the summer in the cooler northern regions, Mr. Phelps' being much improved. They write to say that they are enjoying their work.

The Weekly has just received from A. O. Aaberg, '01, a catalog of

the Glenwood academy, of which he is the principal. The Academy enters upon its tenth year with exceedingly bright prospects. During the nine years of its existence the academy has enrolled something over eleven hundred students.

C. J. Zintheo, who is holding the chair of farm mechanics at Ames, writes to have the Weekly sent to him at that place. He says that the Ames boys are home again feeling like 20 cents. The department of which Mr. Zintheo is in charge is a new one for that college and one of the first of its kind in any college.

Fred L. Adair, '98, who was completed his medical course at Rush Medical College since graduation, has spent the last two years in a hospital in Chicago, has located in this city for the practice of his profession. He has an office at the corner of Lake street and Hennepin avenue. Dr Adair was at the University Saturday arranging for graduate work in medicine.

Max West, '90, of the Treasury Department of Porto Rico, writes concerning the class of '90 fellowship. Mr. Stangeland is to retain the title, without honorarium, until he shall have completed his thesis begun during the past year, as the holder of the '90 fellowship. The class is planning to make a special effort to raise additional funds, and are going to get after all who were ever identified with the class, even though they did not graduate.

Last Wednesday evening Mr. B. B. Gislason, '00 Law, and Miss Jean Peterson, academic '95, were married at the home of Dr. Frank E. Moody on Park Av., this city. Mr. Gislason has been well known in the recent past at the Varsity and was one of the "U" boys who served in Co. A, 13th regiment, in the Phillipines. Miss Peterson won high scholarship honors while at the University, being a member of the

Phi Beta Kappa. Mr. Gislason is at the head of the Globe Land and Loan Co., Minneota, Minn. The bride and bridegroom left the city Thursday morning for a trip to California.

M. D. Purdy, '90, who was appointed assistant attorney general at Mr. Knox's request, is to have a prominent part in the prosecution of these under indictment for postal frauds. Attorney General Knox, Mr. Purdy and Special Attorney Charles Bonaparte had a long conference with the president Thursday at which postoffice cases were discussed and a plan of prosecution outlined.

Purdy also has practical charge of the naturalization frauds developed by special agents recently and he also has a part in the prosecution of the government's side of the Northern Securities case.

The Weekly is in receipt of a letter from Miss Maria R. McCulloch, '00, of Fullerton, California. As usual she is enthusiastic over the football news and says that she hopes the good work will "continuer." Miss McCulloch is rejoicing over her new work. She has charge of the English in the high school, a union one, of five districts, and with one class in ancient history (they use Professor West's) she finds her hands full. She adds, "If President Northrop comes to California I want to hear of it as I should like to be at the station when he passes through Fullerton to give him the Ski-U-Mah. Tell the team to do everything to Wisconsin and Michigan."

Roy R. Ireland, '02, Eng. '03, writes from Chicago where he is employed with the Western Electric Company. There are five of the engineers of '03 boarding at the same place, four of them working for the Western Electric Company, Ireland, Laird, Miller and Page. Paul Smith is with the Illinois Steel Company. Urnl Duncan,

ex-'03, who is with the Y. M. C. A. of Chicago, made them a call not long since. Mr. Ireland says that all of the boys feel well satisfied with their work and progress.—"The company seems to try to do all they can for us and are willing to help us at any time. One who is not a college man though has almost no show. Outside of the college men the work is almost all piece-work... In another two weeks I may be glad to move back for I go into a place where there are about one thousand girls. They do the insulating and winding of induction coils." Ireland is likely to find this a worse place than umpring a girls' basket ball game.

The boys have one of "Sam's" cards pinned up on the wall and are watching the score grow in favor of Minnesota and hope that the other column will show nothing but zeros for the whole season. The crowd take the Weekly and the Daily and watch for the advent of each with great eagerness. Mr. Ireland expects to visit in the city a few days at Christmas time.

My Dear Mr. Johnson:—

For some time I have been trying to get a letter off to you, ordering a copy of the Alumni Weekly to be sent to me here. I miss the bulletin of Minnesota news as the friendships made in Gopherland have woven themselves intimately into my life.

Our prospects for honors in western football this fall seem to be almost beyond the limits of probable error. Michigan and Chicago are, at present writing, about the only teams that can claim to be in our class. Ann Arbor may learn what a strain it is to play a game a thousand miles away from home. Success to the maroon and gold!

You perhaps know that I am at Illinois this year supplying for Assistant Professor S. S. Colvin, who is away on a leave of absence. I have all of

the classes in psychology, including the laboratory and research work. The department here is included under Education, so that I am under Prof. E. G. Dexter, a former Columbia man, who is an exceedingly pleasant man to be with. My work is thoroughly enjoyable and quite satisfactory to myself. The students here are of the same earnest type, with which I was familiar at Minnesota.

I am sending you under separate cover a copy of my thesis, which is doubtless too technical to be of any interest except as a memento. Naturally I am very thankful to have completed my graduate work and to have my doctorate as baggage to start out with on sterner business.

It would be a pleasure to hear from you personally at any time, but I realize that the stress of your duties is such that you are well excused from such correspondence.

Very sincerely yours,

James Burt Miner.

University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

#### WARMS THE EDITOR'S HEART.

"No hour in the week brings back to me so many and pleasant associations as the one in which I read the Alumni Weekly. May it ever as ably represent University and alumni interests as it has done to the present.

Very cordially,

A. O. Aaberg.

Mr. E. O. Leubner, Pharm. '94, writes from 655 Monroe Avenue, Detroit, Mich. "Mrs. Leubner (Elizabeth Luce, '97.) and myself were both delighted to see the Weekly again, the first copy alone was worth the price to us. We thoroughly enjoyed President Northrop's charitable chicken episode."

The Phi Kappa Psi's and Phi Gamma Delta's gave an informal last Friday night.

#### MANY SWEET SINGERS.

The prospects of the Mandolin and Glee Club for the coming year are excellent and the organization will undoubtedly surpass any of former years.

A large number of old men are back and the ability and number of new applicants are far above those of previous trials. Trials for membership will soon be over and the results announced.

The trip of this year will be made in the Northern part of the state and will be made during the mid-winter vacation. Manager Hugo is busy at present in closing up deals with the various towns to be visited and the route will soon be known.

#### THE WYMAN PRIZE.

A prize of \$25 is offered by Hon. J. T. Wyman of Minneapolis, through the department of Political science, for the best essay of 5,000 words presented by an undergraduate student on the subject of "The Labor Question in Farming Communities."

The essays which should be signed by an assumed name and accompanied by a sealed envelope containing the writer's full name, will be due on May 1st, 1904.

Last Friday evening Theta Delta Chi entertained informally for Hugh Miller, a member of the "King Dodo" Company.

#### LOW ONE WAY RATES TO COAST.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. has placed on sale daily special one-way colonists excursion tickets to California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana at very reduced rates. Tourist cars through without change every Wednesday and Thursday via the popular Santa Fe System and "Scenic Route" through Colorado. Call on agents for particulars or address, A. B. Cutts, G. P. & T. A., Minneapolis.

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The Largest Score Ever Made Against a Member of the Big Nine.

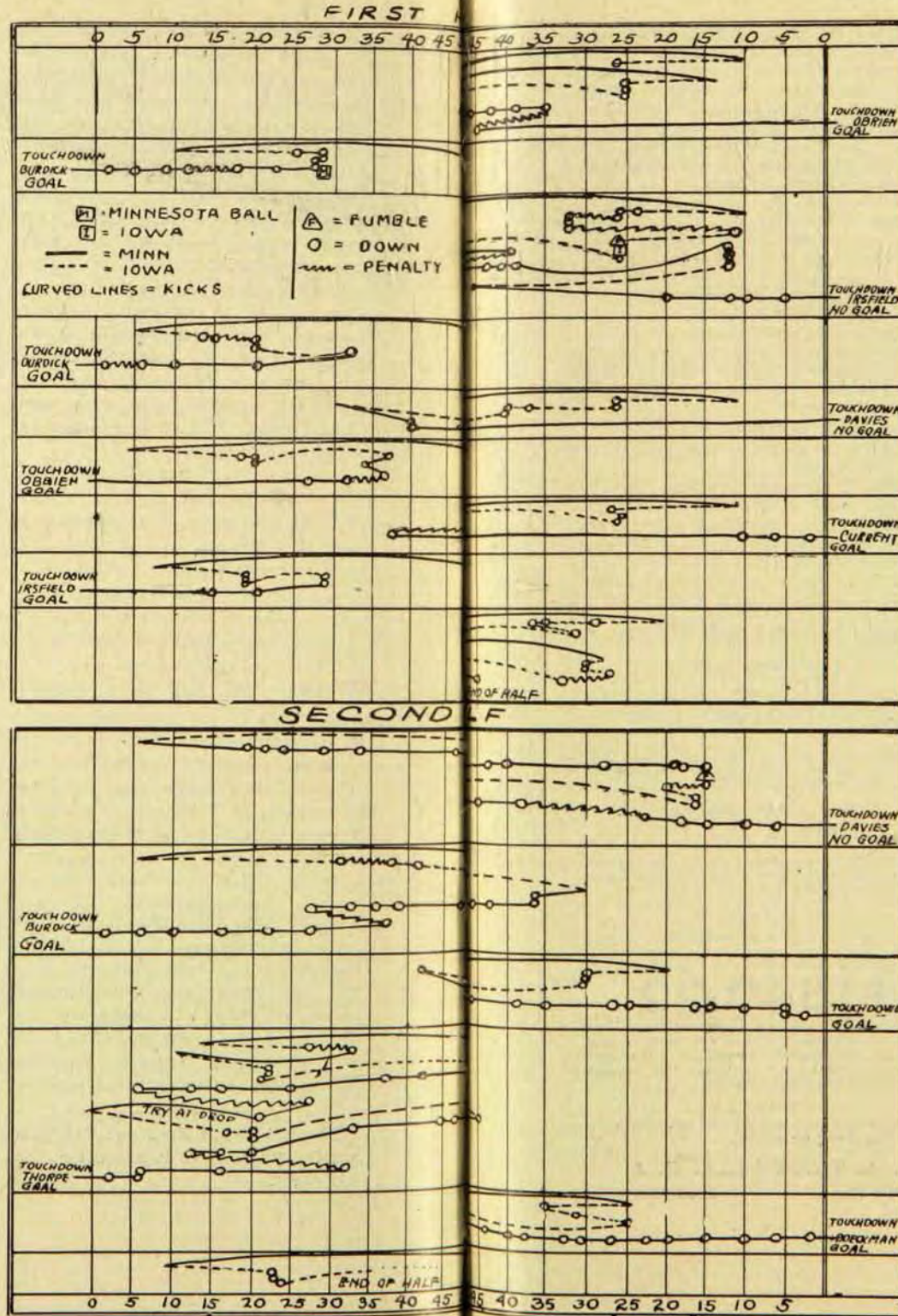
MINNESOTA, 75—IOWA, 0.

Minnesota Makes Magnificent Showing.

Through the courtesy of the Minneapolis Tribune, the Weekly is enabled to furnish its readers with a plat of Saturday's game. Frank Force, '00, writes the Tribune's football reports and they are the most satisfactory reports ever furnished by a Minneapolis paper.

Saturday was bitterly cold in Minneapolis, and the large crowd that turned out to see the game were frozen to the marrow. When the first two or three touchdowns were made the crowd livened up and rent the air with shouts, but when it was seen that Minnesota had a walk-away, it settled down to count the score, and only when some particularly brilliant play was made did it liven up enough to give a genuinely enthusiastic yell.

The wildest enthusiast, in his wildest dreams never imagined that Minnesota could roll up such a score. Before the game the man who fixed the score at thirty was thought to be overconfident. Iowa won the toss, and chose the west goal and the wind, and Minnesota kicked off. Within a minute of the opening of the game it was evident that Iowa was outclassed. They could make no impression on Minnesota's line, nor could they run the ends. Pattee, who was filling Schacht's place, played like a veteran, and not once did they make their distance through him. He smashed interference and got into every play in a manner to delight the hearts of the rooters. While he is not Schacht, he makes a most excellent substitute. Iowa, unable to gain after Minnesota's kick-off, was obliged to kick and the ball was Minnesota's on her own fifty-yard line. Rogers made nine yards, Warren made four, and four and five yards on three plays; then Davies took the ball four yards and then fourteen; Minnesota was penalized twenty yards for off-side, and then O'Brien, aided



by magnificent interference, made forty-five yards and a touchdown.

And the rest of the game was but a repetition of the first score. The plat of the game tells the story, and is well worth study. It was a series of processions to Iowa's goal. Only once or twice was Minnesota compelled to kick and only once did she lose the ball on downs. Minnesota used every style of play, end runs, line bucks, it was all one, the ball went steadily toward the enemy's goal.

No one man deserves special mention above others, each man was in every play, and every play went off like clock work. Rogers, Irsfield, Davies, O'Brien, Burdick, Burgan, Current and Thorpe were used most frequently to advance the ball, but every man on the team was given his chance, and every man made good. But the line men were not behind the back field in their work, even though their work was less spectacular.

Iowa fought for every inch, but she could not hold. The line men were bowled over as they tried to stop the plays, and her ends found themselves powerless to catch the fleet footed backs. In one department only did Iowa better Minnesota, and that was in catching and returning kick-offs and punts.

The Minnesota offense would not be stopped, and even when tackled, the men struggled on for a few feet more before going down. Iowa grew desperate as the score grew larger, but their desperation availed them nothing.

They saw their first one back and then another, all equally fast, take the ball, and when they tried to get the runner wer confronted by a wall of interference that was absolutely impenetrable. And then when the backs had done their share of the gaining, Rogers and Burdick and the big linemen were called in.

Iowa had the ball on nearly every kickoff, and gained first down but three times during the game. Once they managed to squeeze through the line for five, and twice they half circled the ends for short gains. They bucked at every spot of the Minnesota line and were piled up into a struggling heap without gaining an inch, most frequently being tackled for a loss.

And all of the men did well. They would not be budged, and all charged so hard that most of Iowa's attempted bucks resulted in losses of from one



to three yards. Behind the line the backs, too, did their work on the defense. When ever the ball came at the line they were at the point of attack and adding their strength to that of the giants forward formed an impenetrable wall that could not be pierced.

#### Plays Go Much Faster.

The team work showed great improvement. O'Brien showed the effects of his practice at catching punts, although he fumbled once or twice. The plays went much faster than last Saturday and time and again the Iowa men were swept off their feet before they had fairly resumed their positions in the line.

Toward the end of the game several substitutes were sent in, and these men worked as hard and well as the regulars. Burgan and Kremer at halfback were simply irresistible. Burgan is the best man in the bunch for getting through small holes in the line, and it takes the whole team to stop him, and he is never held until he has made his distance. His work was superb, and he has clearly demonstrated that he is of 'Varsity calibre.

Big Smith went in at guard after Webster had left the game, and the freshman again evinced a remarkable knowledge of football for the short time that he has been at the game.

For spectacular work O'Brien, Davies and Irsfield, and Burgan for the short time he was in, were the stars. All made great gains, and all did their part on the offense. But these men deserve no more credit than do the rest of the eleven. Webster at tackle broke through and made a bad mess of Iowa's plays back of the line, and Warren and Pattee did the same. "Sunny" Thorpe, on both defense and offense, did by far his best work of the year. His great strength and hard training stood out boldly in the second half, when he was called upon time and again to take the ball, and in every case made consistent gains.

Burdick was very fast at end, and when he had the ball used his hands to good advantage, a thing which he has persisted in refusing to do before. Marshall took Burdick's place at the last and not a gain was made through him.

Mose Strathern smiled throughout the game, for he had the opposing center on the run all of the time, and when the plays came through the cen-

ter of the line Mose did his share by grabbing all of the legs in sight.

Current at fullback was the steadiest man in the eleven. When called upon to carry the ball he always hit the line fiercely, and on the defense tackled low and hard. He seemed to pick the points of attack, and was always ready with his strength to back up the line.

Captain Roger's was again the life of the team. He carried the ball well, and in the interference hurled aside would-be tacklers of the backs in such a manner as to leave a clear field for the man with the ball. His defensive work was perfect, and there is absolutely nothing to criticize in his work. The fact that he missed two goals and a drop kick is due to the wind, which caught the ball and threw it wide of the mark.

#### In Detail.

The first touchdown has been described in another place.

Thorpe kicked off forty-five yards; Iowa could not gain and kicked. Minnesota's ball on Iowa's 25-yard line; Irsfield made 10 yards on end run; two smashes at line netted five; five came for off-side; Davies made one

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more and then Burdick was pushed over for touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked off 45 yards; Iowa returned ten; and then lost twenty yards for holding; then made five yards in two tries, fumbled and regained, after getting clear through Minnesota's whole line and giving the rooters the only scare of the whole game; failing to gain, Iowa kicked to Minnesota's 50-yard line; O'Brien makes 15 yards; Davies made 8; Irsfield ran end for 15 yards; Minnesota penalized for off-side; Davies makes 15 yards around end; Irsfield tackled for a loss of two yards; next play netted only two; Minnesota punted. Iowa stopped on her own ten-yard line; Iowa could not gain and kicked to her 50-yard line; O'Brien brought it back thirty yards; Irsfield made 10; Current another 10; Irsfield pushed over for touchdown. On the punt-out wind caught the ball and so attempt at goal was lost.

Thorpe kicked off fifty yards; Iowa returns ten yards and is penalized and is forced to kick. O'Brien made fifteen on quarterback play; Davies ten through the line; five was made on off-side and then Burdick went over for another touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked forty-five yards; Iowa returned fifteen yards; then made twenty around right end; then four around left end; then was forced to punt. O'Brien caught punt but could not return. Davies was then given perfect interference behind which he ran seventy yards for a touchdown. Rogers missed goal.

Thorpe kicked fifty yards; Iowa failed to gain and kicked; on double pass Davies made ten yards; and O'Brien made the remaining distance on quarterback play for touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked off forty yards; Iowa lost ground on two attempts, and kicked to center of field. Minnesota penalized twenty yards for off-side; O'Brien on quarterback play made seventy yards and Iowa saved touchdown by forcing him over the line; Irsfield made four and then Current carried the ball over the line for touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked off fifty yards; Iowa could not gain and punted; Minnesota's ball on Iowa's 30-yard line; Irs-

field made ten yards through the line; and then five yards; and again fifteen for another touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked off fifty yards; Iowa could not gain and punted; Minnesota's ball on Iowa's 30-yard line; Irsfield made ten yards through the line; and then five yards; and again fifteen for another touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked off forty yards; Iowa returned five; made ten around left end and lost five on fumble; Iowa punted to Rogers in middle of the field; Rogers and Irsfield failed to gain and O'Brien punted to Iowa, who returned ten yards; Iowa made five on off-side; but failed to gain and punted; Irsfield made ten yards and time was called for first half.

#### Second Half.

Iowa had her only kick-off, and O'Brien made ten yards before being tackled; Irsfield made twenty yards; Thorpe went through line for five and ten yards; line smashes carried ball to Iowa's 48-yard line; Burdick made five and then fifteen yards; Irsfield made ten yards; then Minnesota gave Iowa the ball on a fumble. Iowa could not gain and punted, but Minnesota was off-side and Iowa gained five yards and a first down; but could gain no more and punted to O'Brien. Irsfield made eight yards; Davies five; O'Brien ten, and Iowa gave five for off-side; Burdick added another ten and Davies was pushed over for touchdown. Rogers missed goal.

Thorpe sent the ball to Jones, who returned to Iowa's 35-yard line. Minnesota lost five for off side.

Iowa fumbled. Iowa's ball on her 50-yard line. Iowa was tackled for a five-yard loss, and punted to Rogers, who returned the ball eight yards to Minnesota's 37-yard line.

O'Brien made two yards, Current followed with two more through the line. Minnesota smashed the line and placed the ball on Iowa's 54-yard line.

Irsfield made eighteen yards around the end.

Minnesota lost ten yards on off-side; but O'Brien made it up with a quarterback play which placed the ball on the 28-yard line. Thorpe, Current and Rogers smashed the line to the 19-yard line. Thorpe placed it on the 3-

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yard line, and then Burdick was sent over for a touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked off to Iowa's 20-yard line. Iowa returned it 10 yards; Iowa was forced to punt; O'Brien was downed on Minnesota's 43-yard line. Davies made ten yards and then eight. Irsfield was good for ten, Current was hurt and Boeckmann took his place at full-back.

Boeckmann hit the line for eight and ten yards. Thorpe placed the pig-skin on Iowa's 5-yard line and Boeckman was shoved over for a touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe again kicked off to Iowa's 20-yard line. Minnesota was offside and it was called back. Thorpe then kicked off to Iowa's 10-yard line; Kremer and Burgan replaced Irsfield and Davies at this point.

Griffith returned the ball 20 yards. Iowa punted to O'Brien on Iowa's 50-yard line. Burgan made three long gains in rapid succession and Minnesota lost twenty yards for holding in the line. On the third down Rogers tried a drop-kick for goal from the 40-yard line. The ball fell short and Griffith returned to the 18-yard line.

Iowa punted to O'Brien on Minnesota's 45-yard line; Thorpe made 15 through center; and with good interference Burgan went around the end for eight and twelve yards.

Big Smith went in at left guard in place of Webster. Warren was switched over the left tackle.

Minnesota lost twenty yards for holding. Kremer went around the end

for twenty yards and Burgan followed for ten. With the ball on her 7-yard line Iowa held for one down, but on the next play Thorpe was sent over for touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Thorpe kicked off to Iowa's 20-yard line. Herbert returned it ten yards. Jones punted to O'Brien on Iowa's 50-yard line. O'Brien went fifteen yards on a quarter back play. Line bucks placed the ball on Iowa's 12-yard line.

Minnesota smashed the line for the remaining distance, and Boeckmann was sent over for Minnesota's thirteenth touchdown. Rogers kicked goal.

Time was called with the ball in Iowa's possession on her own 25-yard line.

The line-up:

|                                              |                 |
|----------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Minnesota                                    | Iowa            |
| Rogers (Capt.) . . . l. e. Coulthard (Capt.) |                 |
| Stollenberg                                  |                 |
| Webster, Warren l. t. . . . .                | Buckley         |
| Warren, Smith . . . l. g. . . . .            | Donovan         |
| Strathern . . . . . c. . . . .               | Johnston        |
| Thorpe . . . . . r. g. . . . .               | Schwin          |
| Pattee . . . . . r. t. . . . .               | Magowan         |
| Burdick . . . . . l. e. . . . .              | Watters         |
| O'Brien . . . . . q. . . . .                 | Griffith        |
| Davies, Burgan, l. h. . . . .                | Jones           |
| Irsfield, Kremer . . r. h. . . .             | Allen, Fritzell |
| Current, . . . . . f. . . . .                | Gibbs, Herbert  |
| Boeckmann, . . . . .                         |                 |

Time of halves, 35 minutes; touchdowns, O'Brien, 2; Davies, 3; Irsfield, 2; Burdick, 2; Current, 1; Boeckmann, 2; Thorpe, 1; goals kicked, Rogers, 10 out of 12 tried.

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## Saturday's Scores.

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|--------------------|----|
| Wisconsin .....    | 87 |
| Beloit .....       | 0  |
| Michigan .....     | 51 |
| Indiana .....      | 0  |
| Northwestern ..... | 0  |
| Chicago .....      | 0  |

F. H. Yost, Michigan coach: "Minnesota has a great team, and one that is far stronger than the yast year's team. Her backs are fast and her defense was perfect. You will see the greatest game of football ever played in the west when Minnesota and Michigan meet October 31, and the game as yet does not belong to either one of the two."

Burt Page, captain championship 1900 team: "I believe Minnesota has

developed very rapidly during the past week, especially in team work. There will be a great deal more development between now and October 31."

George Cole, captain 1898 team: "I believe that the big score surprised the most enthusiastic admirer of the Minnesota team. Minnesota is fast, and Mr. Yost may be surprised on October 31."

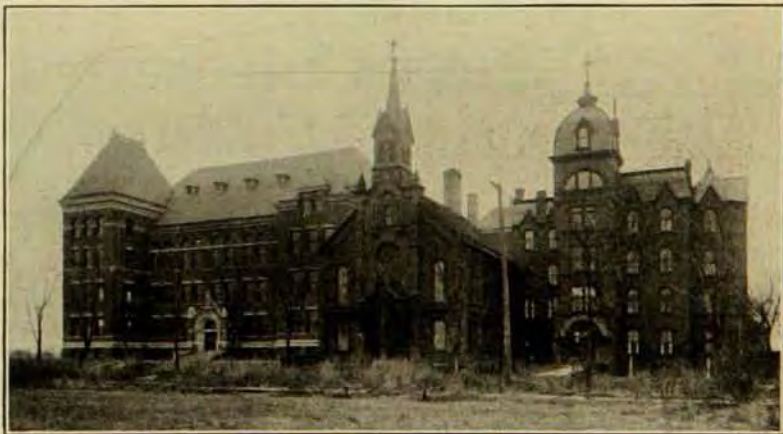
George Mueller, right guard, championship 1900 team: "A backfield as swift as that Minnesota had yesterday cannot help but gain. The line held well for the formation of the interference and every man was in the play."

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#### FENCE COMPLETED.

The athletic field has received its nameplate. A large stone slab has been hoisted into position, over the main entrance bearing the inscription:

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#### SPANISH VALUABLE.

Professor Beckman of the Spanish department has received a postal from George Stein, '02, who is now traveling in Europe with his parents. Mr. Stein is at present in Granada at the Washington Irving Hotel.

The Spanish which he learned at Minnesota has been invaluable to him during his stay in Spain.

#### WISE ONES JOLLIFY.

There will be a meeting of the Greek Club, Monday evening, October 19th, at the home of Prof. Hutchinson, 3806 Blaisdell avenue. All students of the Greek department, old and new, are invited, and those who have belonged to the club previously can vouch for the good time that there will be.

#### LEAVENWORTH GOES WEST.

Professor Leavenworth of the Astronomy department was called to Arizona by the serious illness of his brother, who has since died. Professor Leavenworth will probably be absent a week and in the meantime Prof. Downey will conduct his classes.

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## GRADUATE CLUB.

The executive committee of the Graduate Club met last Friday evening for the purpose of arranging a program for the coming year.

The opinion was expressed that the club should take a more active part in "U" affairs than has been customary in the past and that a great effort should be made to arrange for meetings which will be of interest to the general student, but which will also emphasize the importance of graduate work along special lines. It was decided that the best way to do this is to continue the department meetings which were so successful last year. At these meetings members of the departments concerned gave short talks of a popular nature on some subject in their special line, after which the department was thrown open to inspection by the students. The object of these meetings is not only to furnish entertainment and instruction, but also to show how well equipped the different departments are for advanced work.

The graduates believe that these meetings will gradually lead to a more advanced and higher grade of work at this University. These meetings have shown conclusively that many departments are well equipped for advanced work and, that despite the prevalent opinion to the contrary, students need not go to Eastern institutions for advanced work along these lines.

If the graduate Club is to do any important work it is absolutely essential that its members become acquainted with each other. For this reason it was decided to hold a social meeting for graduates only on Nov. 2d, and it is desired that all graduate students be present at this meeting. There will be several short talks of interest to graduates and the rest of the time will be spent in getting acquainted.

The first regular department meeting will be held with Dr. Westbrook of the Department of Bacteriology and Pathology. Dr. Westbrook and other members of his department will give short, popular, illustrated lectures, which will be of great interest to everyone who is at all interested in the latest scientific research, especially in Bacteriology and its relation to disease.

After the lectures the laboratories will be open to inspection by the graduates and others who are especially interested.

The meeting will be open to all, undergraduates as well as graduates, and will be held some time in November.

## COURSE IN CLUB SWINGING.

Miss Barbour, of the Physical Culture Department is preparing to give a special course in Club Swinging.

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**SCANDINAVIAN CLUB.**

Monday evening occurred the first meeting of the Scandinavian club, and as many as 125 were present.

A short but excellent program was rendered. Prof. Carlson made some appropriate remarks and Rev. Regin also spoke for a few moments.

Two solos were rendered by Miss Martin and Miss Gjertson.

Mr. Phillip Carlson is the newly elected president of the society and he gave an inaugural address in which he urged the members to stand by him better than the strikers stood by Finley.

The rest of the evening was spent in social time and refreshments were served.

**U. C. A. LECTURES.**

Rev. John A. Ryan opened the series of lectures yesterday afternoon before the University Catholic Association, speaking on the subject, "The Meaning of the Moral Life."

**CROSS COUNTRY CLUB CONTESTS.**

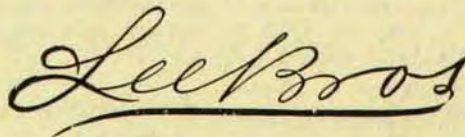
Thirty men followed Captain Haroldson over the three mile course Friday night in the third run of the cross-country club. The pace was not a slow one and many of the starters were missing at the finish but grit and determination were shown by every man of the club.

The cross country runs are growing more popular every day and new men are being added constantly. The training derived from the nightly runs is very valuable to any one who intends to enter for the spring track events.

**SIGHT READING CLASS IN LATIN.**

Dr. Savage is about to organize a class for the sight reading of Latin. The class will meet once a week. The author to be read will probably be Aulus Gellius.

The dramatic club has decided to put a play on the road during the mid-winter vacation.

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### Editorial Notes

The Board of Control, in a signed article in last Tuesday evening's Journal, disclaims all blame for the delay in the payment of salaries. The contention of the board, that it is entirely blameless in the matter is undoubtedly correct, but there is another statement which they made which is far more significant and more to the point. The following paragraph is taken from the board's answer to an editorial in the Journal, which severely criticised the board of control for delays in payment of salaries and certain other matters:

"In the editorial in question you say: In taking over the financial management of the university, the board had thrust upon it a responsibility it did not seek, and that was not included in the original scheme of the board of control system. You cannot satisfac-

torily separate the purely educational from the business side of such an institution as the university. To give one board the control of the business and another the control of the educational policy, is an annoying and dangerous division of authority.' We heartily concur in the above and thank you for so plain and accurate a statement of facts."

In relation to the article by Supt. Kunze, mentioned in the Weekly of two weeks ago, and Mr. Russell's letter of last week, the editor desires to offer a word of explanation. The position of the editor is that as matters now stand, higher algebra occupies an anomalous position. The same topics are included in elementary algebra, and are again reviewed in the freshman class in the University. Not a few high schools give but one year of algebra, and then have their students take the state examinations in higher algebra. When such students come to the University, the principal certifies to their elementary algebra and the student presents his state certificate for the higher algebra. If there could be a distinct division made in the subject, so that the higher algebra should be in reality what it is in name, a definite and well-defined division of algebra, then the argument for throwing it out of the list of the subjects required for admission would have no particular force. From the very nature of the case, the higher algebra must either be required or not accepted at all; there can be no middle course, so long as a year of mathematics is required in the University.



### THAT MICHIGAN GAME

The one topic of conversation from now until next Saturday night, after the result is known, will be what are we going to do with Michigan? and for the following week it will be how we did do, or how we failed to do them. At this distance it looks to be anybody's game. Michigan with the outsider, rules the favorite on account of the prestige of her past work. But Minnesota is not going to be counted out until the last whistle is blown and the score board tells the tale. Michigan is not over-confident; she expects to win, but not without the playing of the hardest game she has on her schedule this season. It is generally conceded that the Michigan team is no stronger than it was last year, while it is just as freely acknowledged that Minnesota has both a stronger and faster team than that of last year. Minnesota has moreover the advantage that comes from playing on her own grounds.

Minnesota has had hard luck and to spare this year—Harris was put out early in the season, and it is doubtful whether he will be able to get back into hard work again this season. Schacht has been out of the game for three weeks, and though he may be able to be back in line when the call for the Michigan game comes, he cannot be in the shape he would have been had he been practicing every day. To crown it all, last Thursday evening O'Brien hurt his knee and may be out of the game for the rest of the year. O'Brien is a man who cannot be spared, and though Minnesota has an abundance of good football material in the backfield, he will be most woefully missed if he is not in the game against Michigan.

Saturday's game showed absolutely nothing that has any bearing, in any way, upon next Saturday's game. The

team was made up of substitutes who were not trying to run up a score, and whose members either loafed or "played horse" most of the time.

No one who knows what the Minnesota team is capable of doing, will be deceived by the small score, least of all Michigan's coach. If the first team had been lined up, and played such ball as they played the day of the Iowa game, the score would not have been less than one hundred, and might easily have gone to one hundred and fifty.

Practice has been secret and will continue so, and what improvement the team has been making the past week, and what they will make the coming week, will not be known until next Saturday.

To sum up, Minnesota has just the chance that Michigan has, a fighting chance of winning the game next Saturday. May the best team win, and we all hope that the best team will wear Minnesota's colors.

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Dr. Soren P. Rees, '96, M.Éd. '98, addressed the men of the University in chapel Sunday afternoon. The address was a plain and helpful one and was directed especially to the new students, who will greatly profit, by heeding the advice given.

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From the beginning down to the present time the engineers and academics have united in one class organization, but of late years the interests of the two divisions of the class have grown so distinct, and to an extent so inharmonious, that it is more than probable that a final division will be effected this year, in most of the classes. The agitation seems to run through all classes from freshman to senior, and the results of the recent junior election have given force to the arguments of those who favor such division.

## PERSONAL ITEMS

Dr. Edwin Wanous, '02, visited college the first of the week.

Miss Kate Steele, '03, spent the last of the week at the University.

P. D. McMillan, Jr., '03, is in the grain elevator business at Cando, N. D.

Harriett Grace Mitchell, '99, is teaching in the high school at Davenport, Ia.

Dr. Fred S. Yeager, of St. Paul, began his duties as assistant demonstrator in the Infirmary Thursday.

Justin M. Smith, Law '03, is practicing his profession at Bozeman, Mont. He has an office in the Conner Block.

Louis G. Cook, '01, who is teaching in the high school at Lake City, visited the University the day of the Iowa game.

The Iowa game brought the alumni back home. Misses Magda Hoff, '03, Irene P. McKeehan, '03, and Harriet Dunton, '00, were counted among the number. All were rejoicing to see everything about the University in good running order.

Earl D. Pillsbury, ex-'00, was at the University last Thursday morning for a short visit. Mr. Pillsbury is associated in business with E. C. Brace, '99, of San Francisco, Calif., but spends most of his time travelling on business and for his health.

Dr. Finn Koren, '98, Med. '01, and Miss Benedicta Solberg were married last Wednesday afternoon, at the home of the bride's brother and sister. After a short wedding trip Dr. Koren and his bride will be at home to their friends at Appleton, Minn.

Henry H. Holden, Min. '02, visited the University last week and took in the game Saturday. He is on his way to Alma, Colorado. Mr. Holden will be best remembered on account of his brilliant work on the basket ball team of a few years back.

J. DeMott Guthrie, '93, Med. '97, who has been practicing his profession at Luverne, Minn., has decided to go west and will associate himself with his brother, Charles, at Columbia, Wash. Dr. Guthrie has been visiting his sister Anna in the city during the past week.

Earl McCulloch, Pharm. '96, was married Wednesday evening to Miss Grace Boothby, daughter of Dr. E. L. Boothby, of Hammond, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. McCulloch will be at home to friends at Wheaton, Minn., where Mr. McCulloch is engaged in the drug business.

Frank W. Emmons, Chem. '01, and Miss Myrtle Virginia Thompson were married at Immanuel Church last Tuesday. After a wedding trip of about three weeks Mr. and Mrs. Emmons will be at home to their friends in this city. Mr. Emmons is chemist for the Washburn-Crosby Company.

The note in the Weekly a short time since, concerning Walter A. Chowen, Eng. '91, is correct so far as it went. Mr. Chowen devotes his time to his duties as assistant examiner of the New Amsterdam Casualty Company, claim department, with an office at 74 William street, New York City. Before going west last year Mr. Chowen was the resident manager for the same company with an office in Chicago.

George H. Ellingson, '96, who is teaching in the Augustana College, Canton, S. D., was at the University last Monday. He is in the city looking up equipment for the new building which that college has just erected and are equipping. Mr. Ellingson expressed himself as delighted with the improvements of the past seven years. He is pleased with his work at Canton and says that there is strong talk of organizing a college course in the Augustana College. Up to the present time it has done nothing but preparatory work.

Charles Elise Guthrie, '91, Med., '02, writes from Columbia, Wash., "Was glad to see the U do Iowa in such good style yesterday. Let the good work go on against the other teams. Minnesota has the material, the enthusiasm, the resources and the coach for the best team in the west, and I believe that before the close of the season she will demonstrate that she really has the best team.

This is a great country, this Sound territory!

Minneapolis is a beautiful city, but I am glad to be in the most talked-of country in the world, the one with the greatest future of any. My practice is good and growing rapidly."

### '03 LAWS

The following items are gleaned from the report of Mr. Kennicott, and are concerning members of the '03 law class whose addresses have not been previously given in the Weekly:

Joseph Austin is practicing law at Gary, S. D., and says he is living in comfort.

H. L. Berry is located at Anamoose, N. D., and is enjoying a fair practice most of it in connection with land office.

Kelsey E. Chase is at his home in Faribault, he has been doing nothing in the way of practice, because he has been under the weather most of the time since graduation.

George E. Dyer is at present located at Slayton, but does not expect to stay there long.

R. L. Dillman located first at Verdale, but has recently changed to Pelican Rapids.

John I. Davis is associated with his brother at Marshall.

Edward (Brin) Freeman has been playing ball most of the summer and

says that his native modesty forbids his telling all about himself.

Ole J. Flinstad is at Ivanhoe, Minn., and says that, "When I find a good location I may 'yump my job,' but dint tell anybody."

A. B. Gunderson has been at Vermillion but has recently gone to Aberdeen, S. D. Mr. Gunderson says that he has bought a typewriter, but we dare not give away what Kennicott said about the complexion of the typewriter's hair.

Miss Alinda Hougan says that she did not take a law course with the intention of practicing. That at present she is just resting and expects to spend the winter in southern California.

Arthur E. Huntington, is in the First National bank in St. Paul and resides at Merriam Park.

J. B. Himsl has settled down at Albany, Minn., and is doing well.

M. J. Hegland is mixing his drinks and trying both law and newspaper work at the same time. He has about concluded that either one alone is enough for any one man, and so will stick to his stick and case, until law cases promise greater remuneration.

H. E. Johnson is at Velva, N. D. in partnership with J. L. Lee, and he says that they have one of the best practices in the western part of the state.

T. R. Johnson is at Clinton, Minn., and hopes to be able to make enough money so as to be able to stay there.

J. M. Johnson is at Shannon, N. D. and has charge of a lumber yard at that place for the Biddle-Robinson Lumber Company.

It is said that Lende's first case was for the plaintiff in a divorce suit. His heart could not have been in the case.

J. L. Murphy has an office in the Globe Building, "which is just as purty as any of them," in Minneapolis. He is on the road most of the time for the John Hancock Life Insurance Company.

Thomas D. Morrow is at Bowdon, N. D., and if his report is to be believed, he is making all sorts of money. He says he made \$4.75 one day, but it is just as well not to specify details.

Michael O'Donnell is at Glenwood, Minn., and says that prospects are bright for the future.

Gustave Scholle has been touring the state in an auto, and expects to go into partnership with Fitzhugh Burns, of St. Paul, and devote himself to corporation law.

James C. Scribner is practicing law at Oshkosh, Wis., and says that if he wins his horse case there will be an additional bunch of maroon and gold ribbon waving madly in the Madison air next Thanksgiving day.

T. S. Schacht has been on a farm all summer, and has recently opened an office at Rochester, Minn.

John P. Smith is at Granite Falls, Minn., and has managed to have a good time up to the present.

Peter F. Schroder is at Perham, Minn., but thinks that he may possibly remove to Detroit. He says that Michelet is at Detroit, not having yet decided where to locate.

O. W. Schulz writes that he and Bergendale have formed a partnership for the practice of law at Madison, Minn., under the firm name of Bergendale & Schulz.

George F. Shea, of baseball fame, has decided to try his fortunes with the natives of Parker's Prairie.

Charles P. Sterling is settled down at Mountain Lake, Minn., and says that if he can save enough to pay his car fare he will be at the Minnesota-Michigan game. If he is not there his friends will know the reason.

E. A. Williams is located at Dodge Center and says that he has been eating three square meals a day and has paid for them out of the profits of the business.

## DIED

Miss Hetty A. Smith, ex-'82, principal of the Sidney Pratt school, died Monday afternoon of typhoid fever at St. Barnabas hospital. Miss Smith's death will be a great shock to her friends, for she was ill but little over a week, and not until a few hours before her death was she thought to be in a dangerous condition.

Miss Smith was widely known in Southeast Minneapolis, where she has resided since 1876. Her mother, Mrs. Augusta N. Smith, for many years professor of history and English in the University, removed from St. Paul to this city in that year and continued to teach classes in history and English in the twin cities until her death in 1887. Through her mother, Miss Smith was closely related to Rufus Choate, and the family is well known in the east.

Miss Smith was a member of the class of '82 in the University. She began teaching in the public schools in 1881, and has been almost continuously employed ever since, having taught long terms in the Webster and Marcy schools. She has been the principal of the Sidney Pratt school since it was opened, and endeared herself to teachers and pupils by her kindly consideration for all and her bright, cheerful ways.

She was devoted to her profession, meeting with unusual success. There was no more faithful or conscientious member of the corps of teachers than she.

Miss Smith leaves as surviving relatives, her sister, Mrs. Thomas Peebles, of this city, and William J. Smith of Duluth.

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Franklin Fisk Andrews, who died as the result of injuries received moving lumber from the station at Napoleon, N. D., to his cattle ranch, was buried from the home of his mother, Mrs.

Thomas F. Andrews, 527 Fifth street S. E. Friday afternoon of last week. The pall bearers were A. F. Pillsbury, Archa Wilcox, James C. Andrews, Horace S. Andrews, Harry H. Andrews, Woodbury F. Andrews.

Mr. Andrews was superintending the replacing of a load of lumber that had become displaced when a portion of the load fell upon him. His brother George C. Andrews and Dr. Archa Wilcox and a nurse hastened to him, but nothing could be done to save his life.

Mr. Andrews was born in Minneapolis, May 7, 1876; graduated from the high school, attended the state university; was a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity and had a large circle of acquaintances and friends. For five years he was assistant manager of the Chicago office of the Pillsbury-Washburn company and severed his connection with that company to enter business for himself.

He is survived by a widow, formerly Miss Katherine Gerhard, who was a student of the University. He also leaves a mother, Mrs. Thomas F. Andrews; a brother, George C. Andrews, of the Andrews heating company; and a sister, Dolly S. Andrews.

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If you have an inclination

To be savage, cross and mean,

Careless in your conversation,

Full of bitterness and spleen,

Put aside this wicked habit;

Charge upon it with a shout!

Seize it—grab it! stick it—stab it!

Cut it out!

Four-Track News.

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Annet Mr. Russell's remark concerning a young ladies' fitting school, it is interesting to note that something over a year ago President Northrop received a letter addressed to "The President of the Northrop School for Girls."

#### DRAMATIC CLUB

The Dramatic club will put two plays on the boards this year.

"One Night Only," is the comedy in which John Drew scored such a tremendous success but a few years ago.

It is written by Augustin Daly and is pronounced to be one of the cleverest pieces from the pen of that author.

It is strong in action and dialogue, the interest is kept to a high pitch to the finish. The cast of characters contains five men and four women and it offers exceptional opportunity for clever comedy work.

The play will be taken en tour during New Year's week for six one-night stands thru southern Minnesota.

"Everyman," is the old morality play which caused such a sensation in London and New York last season. Nothing of this sort has ever been produced in the West and the Dramatic Club expects it to be a strong drawing card. It will be a mammoth production because of the large cast of characters and the difficult staging of a play of that nature.

The play will be put on locally some time in March and the Club intends to make it an artistic and financial success. The faculty of the department of English are very enthusiastic on the subject and the effort will have their earnest co-operation.

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#### LOW ONE WAY RATES TO COAST.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. has placed on sale daily special one-way colonists excursion tickets to California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana at very reduced rates. Tourist cars through without change every Wednesday and Thursday via the popular Santa Fe System and "Scenic Route" through Colorado. Call on agents for particulars or address, A. B. Cutts, G. P. & T. A., Minneapolis.

## OF GENERAL INTEREST

The Y. W. C. A. state convention was held Friday, Saturday and Sunday with the Minneapolis city association.

The Scandinavian literary club meets in the Y. W. C. A. parlors, Room 3, main building on Monday evening at 7:30.

A dancing club has been organized by members of the junior class, though others are eligible for membership. It is the intention to hold dances at regular intervals during the winter.

The young men of the University are enthusiastic over the chance to take boxing lessons. Mr. Frank Burns, the instructor, is an expert, and the boys are taking hold with a will and are making excellent progress.

Dr. Cooke is confined to his home as the result of an accident.

A few days ago, he hurt his hand and as a result blood poisoning has set in, which, although not very serious, will nevertheless keep him at home for at least a week.

A wrestling squad has been organized, and promises to furnish an exhibition of this fascinating sport some time during the year. Few forms of sport are of such general interest and it is strange that practice in this line has been neglected so long at this University.

Much excitement has been aroused among the students in the engineering department over the proposed segregation of the Academics and the Engineers. Many of the Engineers are opposed to this separation and think that it is unwise and will be injurious to both the Academics and Engineers.

A letter from W. B. Stout, ex-'04, reveals the fact that he is at present sojourning in Merry England. Mr. Stout was elected artist for the '04 Gopher but owing to his ill health had to resign. His artistic ability is aiding him

in travel. He made his way from Minnesota to New York by lightning execution of silhouettes.

The girls' rooter caps are a success! They will be worn officially at the Michigan game, for the first time. The expense of the caps has been reduced to a minimum by their being made by the girls themselves, instead of giving an order to a firm.

Dr. James, of the pedagogy department, is to deliver an address to the Southern Minnesota Teacher's Association, Friday, October the 30th. The phase of work to be discussed is "Industrial work in the public schools."

He will also give an address on the "Need of Men," at the meeting in Winona, November 20th, where preparation for citizenship will be discussed.

The Daily is having troubles of its own. Some viciously inclined person has evidently determined to bring it into a position where it will have to stand as defendant in a libel suit. Twice last week an objectionable paragraph got into its columns and was only discovered at the last minute. The Weekly hopes that the miscreant, whoever he is, may be caught and an example made of him.

The Engineers' Society has started in with renewed vigor this fall. They are already planning to make next year's year book the best ever published. The board of editors has been chosen as follows: Business manager, Will Adams; Assistant business manager, C. B. Roepke; editor-in-chief, E. J. Cheney. The department editors were chosen as follows: S. E. Stanton, Mechanical; V. E. Goodwin, Electrical, and J. C. Holland, Civil. The first lecture in this year's course will be announced soon.

College bred in some lines is a four four year's loaf.—Ex.

### MICHIGAN DEBATE

In the debate with Michigan in our University Chapel on January 15th, Minnesota will be represented by three exceptionally able men—Irwin Churchill, Phillip Carlson and J. G. Steenson.

Mr. Churchill, '04, is a member of the Shakopean literary society and was one of our last year's Intercollegiate debaters, representing us against Iowa. He is a powerful speaker and is exceedingly logical in his arguments.

Mr. Carlson is a Junior Academic and this is his first trial on an inter-collegiate team. He has done admirable work in class and in inter-society debates. He was on the Shakopean's team which won the cup last year.

Mr. Steenson is a member of the Forum literary society and distinguished himself by obtaining a high place in the last three Pillsbury oratorical contests.

Never in the history of the institution has a preliminary contest of such a high degree taken place.

The judges expressed these views when they declared they never had such difficulty in selecting the winners at any previous time. The work was uniformly excellent and every contestant was worthy to hold a place on the team.

Those who contested were: J. G. Steenson, G. Loevinger, Allison McManigal, Bernard Robinson, Phillip Carlson, J. W. Choate, Irwin Churchill, H. Leslie Wildey and Robert Pratt.

The judges were Professors Webster of the East Side high school, Mr. Merseur and Mr. Arthur Helliwell.

The first two have served as judges many time before and they are free in acknowledging that the standard of this contest is the highest yet reached.

### AN INVINCIBLE TRIO.

After the most spirited contest ever held for the choosing of inter-collegiate debaters a very able trio of men

was selected to represent us against Michigan. Three harder working, more conscientious debaters could not have been selected than Irwin Churchill, Phillip Carlson and J. G. Steenson.

To these three men the responsibility of bringing honor to their Alma Mater is entrusted. If they can defeat Michigan, as much glory will be theirs as we hope to give our foot-ball heroes next week.

Three long months of hard-work lay before them. Many pleasures must be sacrificed in order to give time to the preparation of their line of argument.

But they are fellows who are willing to make these sacrifices for they have made them before.

The Weekly extends congratulations to these men and hopes that when the decision is rendered on January 15th, we can call the team an invincible trio.

### IOWA DEBATE

Monday night the debating team which will represent Minnesota against Iowa will be chosen.

The six men who were not chosen on the Michigan team will hold an equal chance with those who are to contest in the preliminary Monday night.

The new men who will enter the race, are E. C. A. Lundeen, H. T. Madison, C. E. Drake, J. P. DeVaney, Horace Peterson, Albert J. Schmidt, John J. Zielke, George P. Jones, Robert Pratt and R. P. Chase.

Mr. Lundeen is a member of the Shakopean literary society and a middle-year night law student. He is eligible to the contest having been on the Central league team in inter-collegiate debate last year.

H. T. Madison is an experienced debater, although a new man to our university from Albion College, Michigan.

C. E. Drake, although he has not appeared much in public debate has done admirable work debating since in college, especially in class work.

J. P. DeVaney is a member of the Junior class, academic department. He is considered to be a very good debater. He debated on class teams when as a Freshman and a Sophomore winning out in both cases.

Horace Peterson is a member of the Arena literary society and has distinguished himself in class work.

Albert J. Schmidt comes from the St. Cloud Normal and is a new man here although he has an established record as a debater.

John J. Zielke is a good man in debate. He did good work in Junior debate last year.

George P. Jones is well known to all University people. He is the orator—"Jones of Rock" and won first place in the Pillsbury oratorical contest last year.

Robert Pratt, altho' a contestant for the Michigan team will be given another chance Monday night. He is a strong debater and his chances of winning out are good.

R. P. Chase is an old intercollegiate debater, serving on the Northwestern team and the Wisconsin team last of last year. He is one of the most effective and logical speakers this University has ever had.

#### GIRLS WANT MORE DEBATE.

The young women of the North Dakota "U" have asked the girls of our University to enter into a debate with them.

This is a new departure in debating lines and shows the enthusiasm which the girls are beginning to exhibit in this line of work.

Prof. Sanford is very enthusiastic over the prospects and in all probability we shall have a fierce contest in debate between the N. D. and U. of M. girls.

Previous to this there has really been no incentive to girls to work in debating but if they, as well as the boys,

may have inter-collegiate debates we may expect many more to specialize in this work.

One of the girls' literary societies has taken the matter up and it is likely that the matter will be carried to a successful end.

#### INTER-FRESHMAN DEBATES.

Wednesday evening a section of the Freshman debaters contended for the team prizes which are a set of Rolfe Shakespeare given by friends of the University.

The prizes won by the recently selected Michigan team were as follows: Mr. Churchill, \$75. Mr. Carlson, \$50. and an additional \$25 from inter-society debate of last year. Mr. Steenson, \$25.

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### PHYSICAL CULTURE

The department now occupies eight rooms on the first and second floors of the Armory, with an office on the third floor. Thus there is ample room for all their needs, and practically all of the north end of the building is reserved for their use.

On the first floor are the locker rooms and lavatory, also a commodious lecture room and a room for hand ball and various like games. These last are a recent addition, having been occupied last year by the Physics department.

On the second floor are the rest rooms and drill hall. The rest rooms have been kalsomined and the couches reupholstered this fall, so that the whole effect is very pleasant and home like, and offers the girls a quiet place to study and rest. New pictures have been hung on the walls, which brighten the rooms immensely.

As for new apparatus, little has been added, but the few new pieces are most excellent; chief among them is a rowing machine, the want of which has been long felt by the students in the department.

The basket ball work is progressing finely. Miss Butner reports that there will be at least two first class teams, able to represent the college.

More than thirty girls turn out every practice, which is very encouraging. The class tournament also promises to be of very great interest.

The department is still endeavoring to raise money for new and much needed apparatus, and for completing the furnishing of the rest rooms.

The U. L. A. was addressed Saturday evening by Dr. Wilde, professor of philosophy, who spoke upon "The Test of a Liberal Education."

Upon the recommendation of the committee on students' work, the Regents, at their last meeting, took action to abate the nuisance of constant requests for change in registration. The evil has been very pronounced both last year and the first semester of this year and it was voted to allow changes to be made upon request of the student, during the first week of the semester, but for every such change a fee of two dollars and fifty cents must be paid. After the first week of the semester, students must pay the said fee for each change, and, in addition, secure the permission of the committee on students' work. This action is likely to have a very salutary effect upon that class of students who never know what they want to take until the term is well started.

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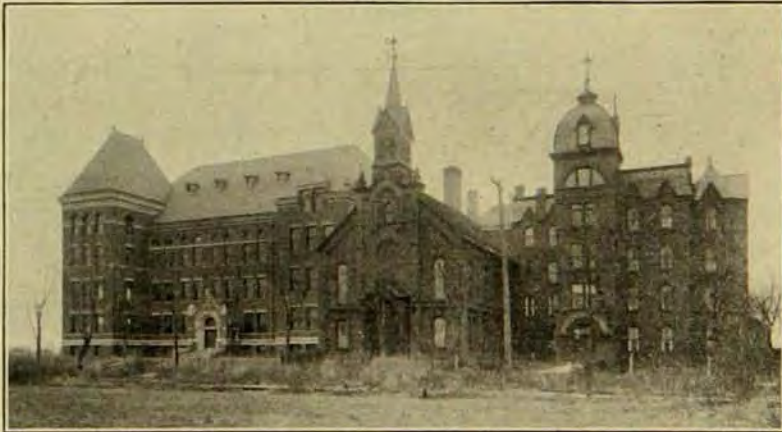
of unjust criticism. The demand for seats is almost-unprecedented. Of the 1700 seats on the south stand, a block of 500 of the choicest seats are held for the Michigan visitors. 400 more go in complimentaries to friends of the football team and to the press. 100 are reserved for the holders of season tickets, who have shown their loyalty to the team by being present at every game and therefore deserve a little courtesy now and then.

The scalper has been busy this past week laying in stores of tickets to sell at an advance the day of the game. It is to be regretted that the public cannot find some satisfactory way to deal with the scalper nuisance. The

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## PLAYED HORSE WITH BELOIT

Minnesota 46—Beloit 0.

This game does not deserve to be taken seriously. It was a most indifferent exhibition of football. The team was made up almost entirely of second or third team men, and the game was treated by the rooters as a huge joke. The boys seemed to fear that they would hurt Beloit, and so played easy ball, and if they were tackled hard looked for a soft spot on which to fall. Rogers was locked up with a jury on some petty case in the municipal court and did not get to the grounds until the game was nearly over.

A number of times the team worked the ball down within striking distance and then tried a place kick, and finally made five points in this way.

Once the team's loose playing came near resulting disastrously. Minnesota had been penalized and had the ball on her own ten-yard line, and attempted to make a kick which was blocked; a Minnesota man fell on the ball in time to barely save a touchdown. This gave Beloit the ball on Minnesota's five-yard line, and they were just about to make one mighty effort to carry it over when time was called for the first half. It was a close call and one that might easily have had some untoward results.

It frequently happened that Minnesota would fool along and take her three trials to make her five yards, and then all of a sudden some man

would seem to forget and really play ball, and make fifteen or twenty yards at a single rush and with little apparent effort. It simply showed what even such a team as Minnesota had on the field last Saturday could do when it tried. Of course the Beloit team has had an awful lot of pounding the last two weeks and was not in condition to stand up against even a scrub team.

The Beloit men did everything possible to kill time and to keep the score down. The length of time the team would wait after lining up before snapping the ball back, was very trying for the Minnesota team, and used up a great deal more time than an average down, each time.

One of the prettiest plays of the game was once when the ball was given to Burgan,—he went through the whole bunch of Beloit men and only the fullback stood between him and the goal line. Burgan went straight at the fullback and hurdled him, but fell after going clear over his man. He recovered himself and was sprinting for the goal when a Beloit man overtook him and saved a touchdown.

It was a nervy piece of work and one that brought forth hearty cheers from the grandstand.

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Before the game, the Beloit coach

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expressed himself as believing that both Michigan and Wisconsin would defeat Minnesota. What he thought after the game was of no more importance than what he thought before, for he did not see Minnesota's team play last Saturday.

#### OFFICIALS O. K.

Arrangements have been completed and officials chosen for the Michigan-Minnesota game.

For referee, Lieutenant Nelly, a former West Point star and at present stationed at Fort Sheridan, Chicago, has been chosen.

Nelly, while at West Point, played four years on the team and captained the team during the last year. As yet he has officiated at but few games but his work has been satisfactory so far.

Clark of Chicago, who has officiated at two Minnesota games this fall will be umpire and as his work has been first class so far it is thought that no better or fairer umpire could be obtained.

#### GREEKS ENJOY THEMSELVES.

Those who do their digging in the Language of the Greeks, held the first meeting of the Greek Club last Monday evening at the home of Professor Hutchinson. The young men were conspicuous by their absence and the freshmen took a dose of stage fright to the extent that only a very few were present.

But those who were present, and the number was not small, had a royal good time. Papers were read by students and Professor Hutchinson read a few selections of choice Greek. Refreshments were served and a social time was enjoyed by every one.

The purpose of the club is to bring the students of Greek into a relationship which cannot be attained in the class room. While pleasure is the main motive, the broadening of the mind is not forgotten. Papers will be read at the various meetings by both the professors and students. These will treat of the life, customs and history both of the ancient Greeks and the present dwellers on the Hellespont.

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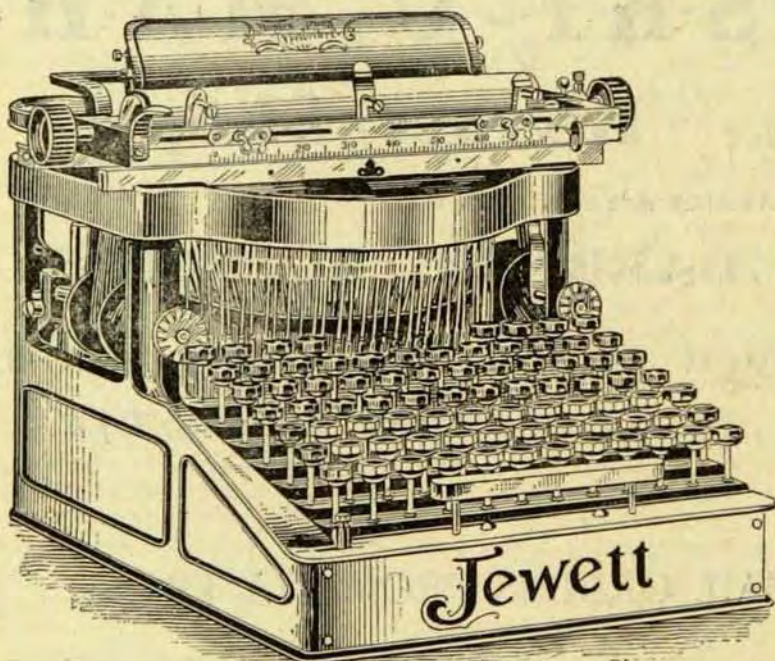
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