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PROFESSOR CHARLES H. HASKINS.

After more than a decade of service at the University of Wisconsin, Charles Homer Haskins, professor of European history, has resigned to accept a chair in Harvard University. In this decade, when the University changed from a college to one of the half dozen greatest universities of the country, Professor Haskins has been a very effective force in shaping the transformation and in giving to the history department its prominent position.

He was born in Meadville, Pennsylvania, December 21, 1870. At the time that most young men are preparing to enter college, Professor Haskins took the A. B. degree at Johns Hopkins University. For a time he was assistant in chemistry and had some thought of devoting himself to science; but history proved the stronger attraction, and he took his Ph. D. in history, economics and politics in 1890, at an age when the average student is a sophomore. This precocity implied no unsteadiness of balance or lack of force, as may be seen by the fact that during most of his graduate study he also served as an instructor, conducting classes in Greek and Roman history (the latter in part from Latin authors, studied in the original), and lecturing on the relation of physical geography and history to large classes of undergraduates.

The death of Professor Allen in the fall of 1889 having left the department of European history unprovided for, Dr. Haskins was called to the University of Wisconsin as instructor, and he began his teaching in the fall of 1890. The work of Professor Allen in building up the study of institutional history and in developing advanced work from the sources, had already made Wisconsin one of the pioneers in the modern methods of historical study in the United States. It was no easy task to take up the work in ancient and mediæval history of so ripe and acute a scholar; but Professor Haskins was the man for the place. He brought not only the enthusiasm of a young man, but ideals of accurate and conscientious scholarship, a thorough classical training, and a devotion to institutional history that enabled him to carry on this work in full connection with the rapid advancement of historical scholarship in his field. There was no break in the scholarly methods and purposes of the department, and higher praise could hardly be given a young man than the statement that he was a worthy successor to so acute a student of institutions as Professor Allen. By steady and concentrated study he added the knowledge essential for handling his rich and complex subject.

The advancement of Professor Haskins was rapid. He was made assistant professor at the end of his first year, and professor in 1892. In 1895-6 he was absent on leave, studying in Paris, Rome and Germany. His work was done especially in Paris under Langlois and Seignobos, in the field of bibliography and diplomatics. In Rome he carried on bibliographical studies, which fruited in a paper on the Vatican archives, published in the *American Historical Review* for October, 1896, and re-published in the *Catholic University Bulletin*. This article won the praise of the authorities of the Vatican library and gave him a reputation in the field of historical bibliography. His studies in diplomatics led him into an interesting investigation of me-

diæval student life through the sermons to students and through the collections of student letters scattered in mediæval libraries about Europe, and largely unused by previous investigators. His article on "Mediæval student life" in the *American Historical Review* for January, 1898, presented some of the results of his studies in this field. In the same year he gave to the American Historical Association a paper on the opportunities for Americans to study history at Paris. The critical, exact and systematic scholarship of the modern French historians appealed strongly to his own tastes and did much to shape his methods. He continued his researches abroad at vacation periods in 1898, and again in 1901. This spring he is once more in Europe with the particular desire to study Italy. In the April number of the *American Historical Review* he has a study of the work of the inquisition on heresy in northern France, based on unused material and on the more critical study of material handled by other scholars.

In 1896, Professor Haskins was chosen a member of the committee of seven of the American Historical Association to prepare a report on history teaching in the high schools. This report, issued in 1899, marks a distinct epoch in the history teaching of this country, and it bears marks of Professor Haskins' judgment and experience throughout. In 1900 he was chosen corresponding secretary of the association, to succeed Professor Herbert B. Adams, of Johns Hopkins, on the latter's resignation; this important position he still holds, and he is also a member of the executive committee of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin.

In the course of his connection with Wisconsin, several other important institutions tried to secure his services, among them Stanford, Princeton and Chicago; but he preferred to remain at Wisconsin. In the second semester of 1899-1900, he received leave of absence to lecture at Harvard during the absence of two

of the professors of European history there. This was followed in the winter of the present year by a call to Harvard, which he has accepted. The libraries of Harvard, and the large allied departments, were important elements in influencing his choice.

Acting-President Birge aptly put Professor Haskins' traits when he applied to him Chaucer's praise of the scholar:

"Gladly wolde he learn, and gladly teach."

Professor Haskins has the equipment and the critical skill of an acute investigator. He prefers to do a little so well that it needs not to be done again, rather than to publish voluminously. But while his investigations were in progress his classes never suffered. Rather they felt, even down to the lower classmen, the stimulus that can be given only by the man who really knows his subject thoroughly, and who comes to the class room directly from the historical workshop with the enthusiasm of the truth-seeker fresh upon him.

In his seminary work Professor Haskins penetrated quickly to the heart of his subject, and applied to the problems the abundant and exact resources of his knowledge, and the trained skill of the keen master of research. He was helpful, moreover, not only because of his lively sympathy, but also because of his kindly but searching criticism of the student's work. He had a good cutting edge on his historical tools and he did not waste timber.

In the class room his remarkable memory, for student characteristics as well as for historical facts, placed him quickly in personal relations even with his large classes, and many a student remembers with gratitude now the quick and accurate penetration of the professor into the shortcomings as well as the excellencies of the student's work. He is as conscientious and clear a teacher as he is an investigator. One of his old students delights in telling how at one time Professor Haskins assigned to his class for collateral reading Maine's "Ancient law," with

the caution that the introductory pages would not be worth their attention. The student, finding in these introductory pages a summary of the entire book, and being of an economical turn of mind in the matter of study, devoted his attention exclusively to the abstract. After the examination he had the curiosity to ask a friend who was then an assistant in the department what Professor Haskins said of his paper, and was assured that the professor had declared it a very satisfactory production for a man who had read only the abstract!

In faculty meetings and class officer discussions Professor Haskins showed his solidity of judgment and his skill in fixing attention directly on the essential points in the discussion. In brief and telling sentences he struck for the heart of the subject. These qualities of judgment, practical common sense and executive skill led to his appointment on such important committees as the accredited school committee, to which he gave peculiarly valuable service, and the committee on advanced standing. As class officer he had to deal with many delicate cases of discipline, and to give advice to special students whose studies needed direction. His firmness and adherence to a high standard of duty were not less apparent than the decisiveness, fullness of information, keen insight into character, justice and kindly sympathy which made his decisions respected.

On the occasion of his taking leave of the University this spring, his colleagues in the faculty of letters and science tendered him a farewell dinner in which cordial recognition was paid to his services to the University. No one who has known him will fail to watch his future career with a warm personal interest, and the confidence that his solid and brilliant scholarship will continue to increase his reputation.

FREDERICK J. TURNER. „

### CLASS REUNIONS.

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No classes have as yet sent us notices of reunions. It is hardly probable that the only living member of '57, or the two of '62, or the three of '67, will be here in June, but the class of '72 will without doubt celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of their graduation. Fourteen members of '77 are living within the state, and a number of others just on the borders, and the remarkably successful reunion of '75 two years ago ought to be an inspiration to all the classes of the '70s. The class of 1882 is about as well scattered as possible, but eighteen are still in Wisconsin, and with Dr. Head, Professor Hillyer and Dr. Harrison in Madison, some informal gathering ought to be arranged. The later classes—'87, '92 and '97—will need no suggestion, even, that this is the year for them to gather. The *MAGAZINE* will welcome any and all communications on the subjects of these reunions for its next issue.

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### THE NEW REGENTS.

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It is interesting to alumni to note that of the four new University regents lately appointed by Governor La Follette, three—Hon. M. C. Mead, of Plymouth, Judge J. M. Peres, of Milwaukee, and Dr. Arthur J. Puls, also of Milwaukee, are themselves graduates of the University. Hon. B. J. Stevens, of Madison, who has served on the board since 1891, and, as a member of the executive committee, has devoted a large part of his time to the interests of the University, was reappointed





JAMES M. PERELES

as the regent from the second congressional district. Ex-Governor George W. Peck, one of the regents from the state-at-large, resigned on account of the pressure of other business interests, and Dr. Almah J. Frisby, '78, of Milwaukee, who was already a member of the board, was appointed in his place. Judge J. M. Pereles, '74l, of Milwaukee, was appointed to succeed Dr. Frisby from the fourth district. Dr. Arthur J. Puls, '79, of Milwaukee, succeeds Judge George H. Noyes, '73, as regent from the fifth district; from the sixth, ex-Senator Major C. Mead, '81l, of Plymouth, succeeds John R. Riess, of Sheboygan; and from the seventh, Dr. Edward Evans, of La Crosse, succeeds Byron A. Buffington, of Eau Claire. A brief sketch of each of the new regents follows. A portrait of Dr. Frisby appeared in the March issue of this magazine.

James Madison Pereles was born at Milwaukee, April 27, 1852. He attended the fourth ward school and the German-American Academy of Milwaukee, then entered the University of Wisconsin, graduating from the College of Law in 1874. A month later the firm of Nathan Pereles & Son was formed; this became Nathan Pereles & Sons by the admission of Thomas J. Pereles, '76l, and this title has been retained, although the senior member of the firm has been dead for many years. Mr. Pereles was married September 6, 1874, to Miss Jennie Weil.

In March, 1893, Mr. Pereles was appointed to his first public office, that of school commissioner. During his first term in that position he was elected president of the school board. In January, 1897, he was appointed to the board of trustees of the Milwaukee public library, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. George Koeppe. In May of the following year he was re-appointed, and was chosen president of the board for the ensuing term, being re-elected several times. On May 12, 1899, he was appointed by Governor Scofield probate judge of Milwau-



DR. ARTHUR J. PULS

kee county, which office he occupied for a year. At the expiration of the term he was not a candidate for re-election. Judge Pereles is now serving in his second year as president of the Old Settlers' Club of Milwaukee; he is president of the Milwaukee Alumni Association of the University of Wisconsin; and is a member of the American Bar Association. He will take the place of Mr. Noyes on the committee of the regents appointed to recommend a successor to President Adams.

Arthur John Puls was born at Mayville, Wisconsin, August 10, 1857. He received his preliminary education in the German and public schools of that village. In the spring term of 1872 he was admitted to the preparatory department of the University of Wisconsin and studied there three terms. He then served as an apprentice in a drug store for two years in his native town. In 1875 he returned to the University of Wisconsin, entered the freshman class and was graduated from the modern classical course with the degree of bachelor of letters in 1879. While in the University he was a member of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity. After graduation he went abroad to study medicine, attending the University of Berlin for one semester and Heidelberg University for seven semesters. In 1883 he passed the required examinations and received the degree of doctor of medicine; his thesis was published in the *Virchow Archives*. Dr. Puls then went to Vienna, where he took courses in various medical specialties. In 1884 he returned to Mayville and started the practice of medicine. In 1886 he was married to Miss Rahte and left for Berlin to do further special work at that university. He returned to this country and opened an office in Milwaukee in March, 1887.

Dr. Puls is at present a member of the University board of visitors. He is a member of several learned societies, including the American Academy of Medicine, the American Medical As-

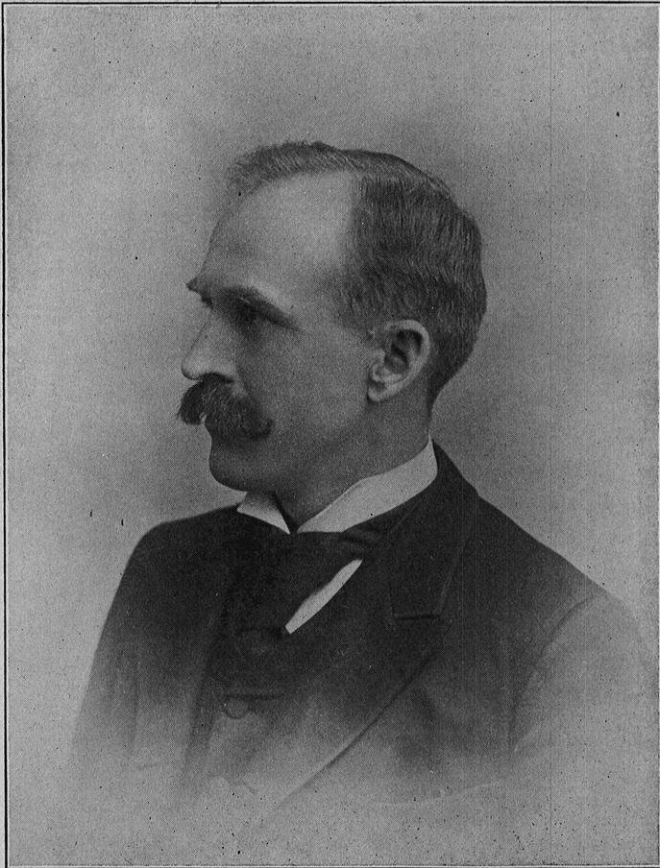


MAJOR C. MEAD

sociation, the Wisconsin State Medical Society, the Milwaukee Medical Society and the Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters.

Major C. Mead was born in the town of Lyndon, Sheboygan county, Wisconsin, June 26, 1858. He received a common and high school education, being a member of the first class graduated from the Plymouth high school, then entered the College of Law of the University of Wisconsin, graduating therefrom in 1881. After completing the law course in the University, he formed a partnership with Louis A. Pradt, also '81, at present assistant attorney-general of the United States, and for a short time was located at the city of Wausau, Wis. In October, 1881, this partnership was dissolved, and he returned to Sheboygan county and opened an office at the city of Plymouth, where he has since resided, engaged in the practice of his profession.

In politics Mr. Mead has always been a democrat. He was elected to the state senate in 1888 from the twentieth senatorial district, then consisting of Sheboygan county and eight towns of Fond du Lac county. In the legislative session of 1891 he was chairman of the joint committee on charitable and penal institutions and was the author of the law abolishing the State Board of Charities and Reform and the State Board of Supervision and creating in their stead the State Board of Control. He was city attorney of the city of Plymouth for twelve years, and president of the Business Men's Association of that city for six years. He was a delegate to the Chicago national democratic convention in 1896, and was chosen honorary vice-president from Wisconsin in that convention; was one of the "bolters" on the silver issue, and was in the same year a delegate to the national democratic convention at Indianapolis that nominated Palmer and Buckner.



DR. EDWARD EVANS

Mr. Mead was married June 29, 1881, to Miss Rose Robinson. They have two sons, nineteen and fifteen years of age respectively, and one daughter, aged twelve years.

Dr. Edward Evans was born at Seaforth, Ontario, Canada, March 7, 1860. He received a liberal education in the schools of Canada, matriculated at the University of Toronto, and later taught school for five years. He then entered the medical college of McGill University, at Montreal, and graduated in 1887, being gold medalist of his class.

After practicing a year at Seaforth, he moved to La Crosse and opened an office in that city in July, 1888. He has remained there ever since, being recognized as one of the leading physicians of that city. In 1896 he spent six months in the study of surgery in Europe, dividing his time between Paris, London, Vienna and Berlin. He has also devoted two months annually to similar work in the eastern hospitals and colleges of the United States.

Dr. Evans is a member of the Wisconsin State Medical Society, and during the year 1901 he was its vice-president. At present he is secretary of the La Crosse county medical society and a member of the La Crosse city board of education. He is head surgeon of St. Francis hospital.

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#### WASHINGTON ALUMNI.

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The annual banquet of the Wisconsin University Alumni Association of Washington, D. C., was held at the Hotel Dewey March 24th. President A. C. Botkin, '59, presided at the banquet board. Toasts were responded to as follows:



"The President of the United States," Hon. Louis A. Pradt, '81*l*, assistant attorney-general of the United States.

"The University of Wisconsin," Representative John J. Esch, '82.

"The State of Wisconsin," Representative Webster E. Brown, '74.

"The University in the Twentieth Century," George B. Nelson, '98.

"The Ladies," Representative Herman B. Dahle, ('77).

Previous to the banquet the election of officers was held, resulting as follows: President, Gov. Alexander C. Botkin, '59; first vice-president, Senator John C. Spooner, '64; second vice-president, Representative John J. Esch, '82; secretary and treasurer, George S. Wilson, '94; executive committee, Representative Webster E. Brown, '74, G. W. Esterly and T. L. Cole, '71.

Those present besides the speakers and officers, were: Messrs. Frank W. Holt, '85, Alfred C. Parkinson, '70, Vernon E. Albertie, '89*l*, Edward C. Bebb, '96, Henry A. Gunderson, ('00), J. D. Irving, T. W. Brahany, D. L. Reaburn, William F. Adams, '00, Arthur M. Churchill, '99, Wayne T. Moseley, '00.

T. L. COLE, *Secretary.*

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## THE HOSPITAL FUND.

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We acknowledge with gratitude the gift of ten dollars for the free bed for students in the Madison hospital, from Mr. Arthur H. Ford, '95, formerly a student in the College of Engineering of the University, and now a professor in the Georgia School of Technology at Atlanta, Ga. We are especially glad

to receive this indorsement of our enterprise, from one who has led the life of a student here, and therefore realizes the student's needs.

We also acknowledge gratefully the sum of two dollars from a friend of the students, a well-wisher for our enterprise.

MRS. WILLIAM F. ALLEN,  
*For the Hospital Committee.*

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## PROGRESS OF THE UNIVERSITY.

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### NEW REGENTS.

The following appointments to the University Board of Regents have recently been announced by Governor La Follette:

State at large—Dr Almah J. Frisby, '78, of Milwaukee, to succeed ex-Gov. George W. Peck, resigned.

Second congressional district—Breese J. Stevens, of Madison, re-appointed.

Fourth district—Judge James Madison Pereles, '74 l, of Milwaukee, to succeed Dr. Almah J. Frisby, resigned.

Fifth district—Dr. Arthur J. Puls, '79, of Milwaukee, to succeed Judge George H. Noyes, '73, whose term expired.

Sixth district—Ex-Senator Major C. Mead, '81 l, of Plymouth, to succeed John R. Riess, whose term expired.

Seventh district—Dr. Edward Evans, of La Crosse, to succeed Byron A. Buffington, whose term expired.

### NEW EQUIPMENT IN THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING.

The last legislature made a special appropriation for new equipment in the College of Engineering of \$30,000, to be spent in two years. To this sum the Board of Regents appropriated \$5,000 for the current year from the fixed income of the college, so that \$20,000 is being spent this year and presumably the same amount will be spent next year for increasing the permanent equipment of the college.

Among the more important pieces of apparatus which have been added to the equipment during the current year are: five lathes and one milling machine in the machine shop; twelve new wood-turning lathes; a complete equipment for the mechanic now employed by the department; a new 100 horse-power engine for the electrical laboratory; an equalizing generator of 40 horse-power capacity; a large amount of small electrical testing apparatus in

the fields of constant and alternating currents and electro-chemistry; a 50 horse-power compound air compressor, a 50 horse-power high-speed engine, a refrigerating plant, and a steam superheating plant of 50 horse-power capacity for the steam laboratory; several new machines in the testing laboratory; about \$2,000 worth of new surveying instruments, and many new permanent fixtures in the Engineering Building.

The next legislature will be asked to extend the new building on the east facade, as provided for in the original plan, the present building being already overcrowded. With the expenditure of a like sum, \$30,000, next year for permanent equipment, this college will be fairly well supplied with apparatus, but this will have to be extended by duplication constantly to accommodate the increasing numbers. It now seems probable that the attendance in the College of Engineering will increase about one hundred a year for some years, the enrollment for the current year being something over five hundred.

The field from which this college draws its students is constantly enlarging; even now students are coming in considerable numbers from both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. It is commonly recognized that at least two of the courses in this college are superior to the corresponding ones in any other engineering school in the country, and in the other courses the work will stand comparison with that of any other technical school.

#### CONVOCATION SUBJECTS.

The following have been the speakers and their subjects at the weekly convocations during March:

March 7th—Improvements on lower Mississippi—Dean J. B. Johnson.

March 14th—College life—Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews.

March 21st—Life in our western cities—Prof. Paul S. Reinsch.

#### SUMMER SESSION LECTURERS.

In the lectures in the next summer session special emphasis will be laid upon educational subjects. Professor O'Shea announces the following list of special lecturers, each of whom is a recognized authority in his department:

Charles F. Thwing, D.D., LL. D., president of Western Reserve University; Albert E. Winship, Ph. D., editor of the *Journal of Education*, Boston, Mass.; E. Benjamin Andrews, D.D., LL. D., Chancellor of the University of Nebraska; Thomas M. Balliet, Ph. D., superintendent of schools, Springfield, Mass.; G. Stanley Hall, Ph. D., LL. D., president of Clark University; James L. Hughes, A. M., inspector of schools, Toronto, Ont.; James E. Russell, Ph. D., dean of the Teachers' College, Columbia University; Edward R. Shaw, Ph. D., professor of educational theory, University of the City of New York.

#### AN EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

At the recent educational convention at Chicago an organization of university professors of education was formed. Thirty-five institutions in different parts of the country were represented. The purpose of the organization is to study the relation of the educational to other departments of the university, and to make investigations regarding the teaching of educational subjects. The affairs of the organization are in

the hands of an executive committee, consisting of Professor John Dewey of the University of Chicago, chairman; Professor M. V. O'Shea of Wisconsin, secretary; Dean James E. Russell of Columbia, Professor Hanus of Harvard, and Professor Brown of the University of California.

#### RESEARCH IN PSYCHOLOGY.

The departments of psychology and pedagogy are carrying on a number of studies on the school children of Madison, and investigations are being made also upon University students. One study relates to the learning of language, including reading, writing and spelling. A number of students are studying especially the relation between physical conditions and mental activity.

#### PROFESSOR HASKINS GOES TO HARVARD.

Harvard University has just extended a formal call to Professor Charles H. Haskins, of the University of Wisconsin, to become professor of history at Harvard. The call has been accepted with the understanding that his duties begin next September. Professor Haskins is regarded as one of the most brilliant authorities on history in America. In 1899 and 1900 he substituted for Professor Emerton of Harvard, and his services were so much appreciated that the Harvard authorities determined to secure him at the first opportunity. He will partially take Professor Blaatner's place in mediaeval history and will have regular work in Roman history, in both of which lines he is an authority.

#### PROFESSOR VAN HISE HONORED.

Professor Charles R. Van Hise has been invited by President D. C. Gil-

man, of the Carnegie Institution to become one of the counsellors of the new institution. Professor Van Hise has accepted the position. The council or advisory board, of which he becomes a member, will be the authoritative body of the institution and will determine its policy and the scope of its labors. Ex-President T. C. Chamberlin, now of the University of Chicago, will also be one of the counsellors.

A special resolution of Congress, recently passed by unanimous vote, provides for the republication of a large edition of Professor Van Hise's monograph on the Lake Superior iron mines. He is just now engaged in completing a most important monograph on the metamorphosis of rocks, which will contain a general *resume* of the work that he has been carrying on for many years.

#### A WISCONSIN METEORITE.

A stone which Prof. W. H. Hobbs has found upon examination to be a meteoric fragment was recently obtained by Mr. Richard Runke, '00, and presented to the University. It was discovered some years ago on a farm near Algoma, Wis., is ten inches in length, six inches wide, and not over an inch thick. This is the second meteoric stone known to have been found in Wisconsin, and so forms a very valuable acquisition to the University mineralogical museum. Supposed meteorites are frequently sent to the University from all parts of the state, but these almost invariably fail on examination to show the structure of a genuine meteorite.

#### ART EXHIBIT.

At the recent art exhibit of the Madison Art Association the following lectures were given:

March 6th—Professor Joseph Jastrow—Dutch life as a background for art.

March 8th—Mr. R. E. N. Dodge—The art of Rembrandt.

March 13th—Miss Florence E. Baker—Dutch genre painters.

March 15th—Mr. W. H. Dudley—Dutch landscape painters.

March 20th—Mr. W. H. French—The value of the line in art.

Mr. French is the director of the Art Institute, Chicago, the most important art institution in the west.

#### RECENT LECTURES.

Edwin Hale Abbott delivered three lectures before the School of Commerce, March 4th, 5th and 6th, on the general subject of railway history and finance. The lectures were open to the public and were largely attended.

On March 11th, Mr. W. H. Mylrea, formerly attorney-general of the state, lectured before the School of Commerce on the subject of fire insurance.

Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews, chancellor of the University of Nebraska, lectured at the University, March 13th, on "Kant and Koenigsberg." The talk was illustrated by lantern slides. Dr. Andrews dwelt more particularly upon the personality of Kant and the parts of the city of Koenigsberg which were most intimately connected with the life of the philosopher.

Mr. Ernst Bruncken, of Milwaukee, gave three lectures before the School of History on the subject of "German political exiles in America," March 19th, 20th and 21st.

#### ENGINEERING SOCIAL.

The fourth in the series of socials given by the College of Engineering

was held on the evening of March 1st. The program included a vocal solo by Mrs. Victor Lenher, the general singing of college songs, led by Mr. E. A. Bredin, and a talk by Dr. O. G. Libby, illustrated by lantern slides, on the "Birds of America." Dancing occupied the rest of the evening, the hallways and classrooms being used for this purpose. Music was furnished by Peterson's orchestra.

#### SHORT COURSE CLOSSES.

The work in the short course in agriculture has closed for the year. On March 14th the graduates left for a week's trip of inspection of farms and judging of stock. On the trip they visited Waukesha, Pewaukee, Milwaukee, Elkhorn, Janesville, Orfordville, Sun Prairie, Fox Lake and Rosendale.

#### DAIRY COURSE.

During the past winter 312 students were given instruction in the Dairy Building; 130 of these were factory operators and 182 were in the farm dairy department, coming from the short course in agriculture. This is the largest attendance ever registered, and about 30 students were refused admission to the regular Dairy School when the term began, the 12th of November last. The equipment and accommodations are intended for 120 students, but 130 were cared for this year. Of these 130 dairy students proper, 102 took all the examinations. This is a remarkably good showing, as some students are late in entering and others are obliged to leave before the close of the term every year. Nearly all of the students who attended during the winter are now at work, either making butter or

cheese in factories in the state or employed in some other branch of dairy work.

The artificial refrigerating plant which has been added to the equipment of the Dairy Building is now in working order and is very useful both in experimental work and for instruction. The new department of foreign cheese-making was well attended, about a dozen students taking this work.

#### SUMMER DAIRY SCHOOL.

A summer term has been added to the instruction given at the Wisconsin Dairy School. Students are admitted to this course at any time during the spring and summer after March 1st, 1902. They are expected to remain at least ten weeks, although they may continue the work longer if desired. No previous experience in dairy work is required for admission to this course, which is intended for beginners or for persons with little practical knowledge of creamery or dairy work. While some lectures will be given, nearly all of the students' time will be occupied in the work of the various departments under the supervision of the instructors. Quizzes and examinations will be held to determine the progress being made.

From seven to ten thousand pounds of milk are received daily at the Dairy School. This is used for making creamery butter and for pasteurizing milk and cream sold to consumers.

Students will assist in the different factory operations and will learn to operate the various machines used in the manufacturing processes. They are first taught to receive, inspect and sample the daily supply of milk delivered from the one hun-

dred or more farms of the creamery patrons. A part of this milk is then run through the milk heaters to the power cream separators, the cream is ripened and churned and the butter made and packed by modern processes and machinery. Another portion of the milk and cream is taken to the pasteurizing room, where the modern methods of pasteurizing and bottling these products for consumers are taught. The shop for dairy machinery instruction is also opened to summer dairy students; here they are taught the construction of common creamery engines, the fitting and cutting of iron pipe, belt lacing, tin soldering, boiler firing, etc. A ten-ton artificial refrigerating plant has recently been added to the equipment of the Dairy School, and this will be in operation during the summer.

#### FACULTY NOTES.

W. D. Taylor, professor of railway engineering, has been offered the position of civil engineer of a new branch of the Louisville and Nashville Railway in the mountainous region of Tennessee, which involves many difficulties of location and construction. Although this offer was a very attractive one he has declined it, preferring to retain his connection with the College of Engineering. His services are much in demand by railroad companies in many directions. Last summer he was called upon by the railroad commission of Minnesota to appraise for rating purposes two railroads of that state. He will also be asked by the railroad commissioner of Wisconsin to serve as his expert assistant in the inspection of railway structures in the state of Wisconsin.

Professor F. J. Turner, director of the School of History, read his paper on "The diplomatic prelude to the Louisiana purchase" at the fourth annual meeting of the North Central History Teachers' Association, held at Chicago, March 28th and 29th.

Prof. E. S. Goff of the College of Agriculture spent two weeks, March 24th to April 7th, lecturing at the industrial school for negroes and Indians at Tuskegee, Ala.

Professor Joseph Jastrow presided at the meeting of the Northwestern Association of Johns Hopkins Alumni in Chicago on February 28th. The guest of honor was President Remsen of the Johns Hopkins University.

At the meeting of the Language and Literature Club on March 7th, Professors Slaughter and Voss and Mr. Miller presented papers for discussion by members of the club.

The Historical and Political Science Association held an informal social on March 22nd at the home of Professor and Mrs. J. B. Parkinson.

Mrs. J. H. Carpenter, wife of Judge J. H. Carpenter, Jackson professor in the College of Law, died at their home in Madison, March 13th.

Dean E. E. Bryant has gone to Hot Springs, Ark., where he will remain some time for the benefit of his health.

Miss Marion Lamont has succeeded Miss Jennie Butt, who recently joined the Otis Skinner company, as assistant in elocution. Miss Lamont is a graduate of the normal school at Lincoln, Neb., and of the Cumnoek School of Oratory at Evanston, Ill., and has been teaching elocution in the Madison high school.

Dean J. B. Johnson and Prof. W. D. Taylor attended the meeting of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association held in Chicago March 18th to 20th. This association is made up of railway engineers, superintendents and managers in charge of railways and railway structures. Both Dean Johnson and Professor Taylor took an active part in the discussions, the former reading a paper on "The new education," which will be published in the next number of the *Engineering Magazine*.

Prof. J. C. Monaghan delivered three lectures at the Iowa State College, at Ames, Iowa, April 23d, 24th and 25th. His subjects were: "The diplomatic service and its relation to commerce;" "The consular service and its relation to commerce;" and "The industrial and technical art education and its relation to commerce."

Prof. and Mrs. R. W. Wood, of Johns Hopkins University, spent a week in Madison at Easter time. While here Professor Wood lectured to Professor Snow's physics classes on "Recent developments in color photography," and on April 1st he addressed the Science Club on "A suspected case of resonance of light waves."

Prof. J. W. Stearns has returned to the University after several months spent on his orange ranch in southern California. On his way back he called upon ex-President Adams, at Redlands, and found him occupied in the building of an attractive house.

Prof. M. V. O'Shea recently delivered two addresses before the Illinois State Teachers' Association at Pe-

oria, Ill., and three addresses before the teachers and citizens of Quincy, Illinois.

Prof. R. M. Bashford spent the latter half of March in a trip to Virginia and the Carolinas.

Dr. J. C. Elsom is absent on a two weeks' trip in the eastern states.

Prof. L. W. Dowling read a paper March 28th before the University West End Club, entitled, "Some eminent mathematicians."

Mr. George R. Laird acted as judge in an inter-high-school declamatory contest at Poynette, March 28th.

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## ON THE HILL.

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### GERMANISTISCHE GESELLSCHAFT.

Two meetings were held during the month, on March 4th and 18th respectively. At the former meeting, the feature of the evening was a one act German farce, "Als Verlobte empfehlen sich." The cast included students in the German department who had been trained by Dr. O. E. Lessing. Parts were taken by Reginald O. Schoen, '02, Harry Sauthoff, '02, Bertha Riesel, '03, Anna Helmholz, '05, and Minna Weber, '03.

The second meeting of the Gesellschaft was devoted to a discussion of the German drama, "Flachsmann als Erzieher," to be presented in Madison April 8th by the Pabst Theater company of Milwaukee. Dr. Lessing spoke of the author of the play, Otto Ernst, and read extracts from his works. Professor Hohlfeld spoke of the play itself, outlining the plot and reading some of the stronger passages.

### SELF-GOVERNMENT RECEPTION.

The women's gymnasium in Chadbourne Hall was the scene of a reception on Friday evening, March 7th, to the women of the University under the management of the Self-Government Association. The re-

ception committee consisted of Misses Pickford, Post, Elliott and Kellogg. The latter part of the evening was spent in dancing.

### GRADUATE CLUB.

At the meeting of the Graduate Club on March 7th, the German farce, "Als Verlobte empfelen sich," was presented by the same cast that had given it a few days previously before the Germanistische Gesellschaft. Refreshments were served, and the rest of the evening was spent in singing popular songs.

On March 21st, the club listened to a talk by Dr. O. G. Libby on the "Birds of Wisconsin," illustrated by about a hundred of the lantern slides belonging to the Wisconsin Audubon Society. An unusually large number of visitors was present.

### SMALLPOX AGAIN.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority house, opposite Chadbourne Hall, was quarantined for the two weeks beginning March 8th, on account of a case of smallpox. The patient, Miss Guinevieve Mihills, '03, of Fond du Lac, has now entirely recovered. Twenty-two members of the sorority were in the house at the time quarantine was declared.



DRAMATIC RECITAL.

On Tuesday evening, March 18th, Music Hall was filled with a large audience assembled to hear Miss Marion Jean Craig in a varied program of elocution and reading numbers. Mrs. W. D. Hiestand also assisted, rendering several solos which received hearty applause. The entertainment was under the auspices of the University Y. W. C. A., for whose benefit the proceeds will be used.

A LECTURE ON CHINA.

A talk on "China as it was, as it is, and as it may be," was given Thursday evening, March 20th, by Dr. F. Howard Taylor, of the China inland mission, under the auspices of the University Y. M. C. A. The speaker is a graduate of London University, the founder of the student volunteer movement in England, and has spent nine years in China as a medical missionary. He sees a bright future for China, and he speaks hopefully of the economic, social and religious aspects of the Chinese question.

DR. IYENAGA LECTURES.

Under the auspices of the University Oratorical Association, Dr. Toyokichi Iyenaga delivered a lecture on his travels in Persia and neighboring countries on Friday evening, March 21st, in University Hall. An attentive and appreciative audience listened to the speaker.

CLASS OF '02 MEMORIAL.

The senior class has accepted the report of a committee on class memorial proposing that a drinking fountain be placed on the terrace at the foot of the upper campus, a space being dug into the bank and

walled up on three sides for that purpose. A senior party will probably be given immediately after Easter in the Gymnasium, to raise funds for the memorial.

PHI DELTA PHI INITIATES.

The following members have recently been initiated into Phi Delta Phi, the law fraternity: Chauncey G. Austin, '02 I, St. Albans, Vt.; Tore Teigen, '03 I, Sioux Falls, S. D.

ORATORICAL CONTESTS.

The month of March has seen the greater part of the yearly oratorical and forensic events successfully held, and the various persons to appear in the final contest, in April, have been selected. The results of the preliminary contests were as follows:

The Junior Ex was won by Harry C. Johnson of Athenae; second place was awarded to Miss Julia M. Anderson of Castalia, and third to Louis F. Rahr of Hesperia. The judges on thought and style were Rev. F. A. Gilmore, Justice J. B. Winslow and Prof. P. S. Reinsch; on delivery, Rev. E. G. Updike, Prof. J. C. Monaghan and R. G. Thwaites.

The sophomore open was won by Clifford C. Pease of Hesperia over three representatives of Athenae.

The result of the senior open was to give first place to Michael Olbrich, with Frank W. Bucklin and T. P. Abel tied for second place and John V. Brennan third. This decision gives Athenae, Hesperia, Forum and Philomathia each a senior on the final contest, as the four leading orators in the senior open are allowed to enter that event.

In the junior open, Stephen McMahon, of Milwaukee, representing Philomathia, won first place. This

gives the three older hill societies two representatives each in the final contest.

#### SEMI-PUBLICS.

The sophomore semi-publics of the three older hill societies were held just before the Easter recess; those of Hesperia and Athenae on Monday evening, March 24th, and Philomathia's on the following evening. The Hesperian debaters discussed this question:

"Resolved, That the state of Wisconsin should adopt an *ad valorem* system of taxing railway corporations, it being mutually conceded that all constitutional questions shall be eliminated."

The debate was won by the affirmative, represented by Ole Eggum, Clifford C. Pease and Frank B. Sargent; the speakers on the negative side were James G. Fuller, Roland C. Allen and Morris E. Yager. The judges were Justice C. V. Lardden, Dean J. B. Johnson and Richard Runke. The president of the evening was Leslie F. Van Hagan.

The Athenæan sophomores discussed the following question:

"Would it be sound public policy to allow national banks to establish branches under adequate supervision of the government?"

The winning debaters were those supporting the negative, Victor G. Marquissee, Arthur E. Thiede and Edgar J. McEachron. The affirmative debaters were Gaius S. Woledge, who presented also the arguments of Leo de R. Ludlow, who was unable to appear because of illness, and Loren D. Blackman. The judges were Burr W. Jones, Professor T. S. Adams and Professor B. H. Meyer. Ransom D. Bernard presided.

The Philomathian semi-public was presided over by Walter C. Reineking. An oration was delivered by Julius H. Warner, on "Our future national policy," and one by John G. Hayden, on "City government." The debate was on the question:

"Resolved, That the jury system should be abolished throughout the United States in all civil actions which involve dealings of a commercial and industrial nature except suits for wages."

It was decided in favor of the affirmative, supported by Benjamin A. Paust, Charles A. Lyman and David G. Milbrath. On the negative side the speakers were Charles W. Meisnest, William A. Cowell and Arthur Breslau. The judges were Dean J. B. Johnson, Rev. E. G. Urdike and Professor Paul S. Reinsch.

#### INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATES.

After considerable bickering, the following judges have been chosen for the debate with the University of Iowa: Lyman J. Gage, ex-secretary of the treasury; E. S. Lacey, formerly comptroller of the currency; and Congressman McCleary, of Minnesota. The debate will be held at Iowa City on either the 10th, 11th or 12th of April.

The Minnesota debate will be held at Madison on May 2nd. It has been agreed that each speaker is to be allowed twenty-three minutes, eighteen minutes to be taken up in the first presentation and five in rebuttal.

#### NEXT YEAR'S JOINT DEBATE.

According to custom Philomathia has challenged Athenae, the winner of this year's joint debate, for a debate to be held in December next, and the challenge has been formally

accepted. Athenae has chosen, as members of her debate team, William G. Hamilton, '03, of Marinette, Loren D. Blackman, '04, of Neenah, and Ira O. Hubbard, '03, of Westfield. Philomathia will be represented by Paul A. Schuette, '03, of Manitowoc, Eben R. Minahan, '03, of Green Bay, and Voyta Wrabetz, '03, of Kewaunee.

Relay race: Won by Wisconsin; Poage, Schoephoester, Hayden and Moffatt.

In the first running of the half-mile Breikreutz won, with Daniells of Wisconsin second, but owing to the starter's failure to fire the gun on the last lap, the Chicago men protested and the referee ordered the race run over with the above result.

**ATHLETICS.**

The second dual meet with Chicago, at Madison, March 15th, ended with an even more decisive victory than the meet at the Midway gymnasium a month before. The final score was 46½ points to 25½ points. No records were broken, although Blair of Chicago equalled the 35-yard record of 4 seconds and Magee of Chicago did 11 feet in the vault. The detailed summary was as follows:

35-yard dash: Blair, C., first; Hayden, W., second. Time, 4 seconds.

40-yard high hurdles: Maloney, C., first; Saridakis, W., second. Time, 5½ seconds.

880-yard run: Breikreutz, W., first; Horton, C., second. Time, 2 minutes, 8½ seconds.

Mile run: Broomell, W., first; Hahn and Keachie, tied for second. Time, 4 minutes, 59 seconds.

2-mile run: Smith, W., first; McEachern, W., second. Time, 10 minutes, 42½ seconds.

Putting 16-pound shot: Cochems, W., first; Perkins, C., second. Distance, 37 feet, 8 inches.

High jump: Abbott, W., and Schule, W., tied for first. Height, 5 feet, 7½ inches.

Pole vault: Magee, C., first; Granberg, C., and Muckleston, W., tied for second. Height, 11 feet.

The meet developed considerable ill-feeling as a result of several misunderstandings between coaches Kilpatrick and Stagg, and this undoubtedly had much to do with their failure later to agree upon a date for the out-door dual meet. The gentlemen met at Chicago to confer regarding the matter and failed to come to terms, as a result of which there will be no Wisconsin-Chicago out-door meet next month. The original agreement was for May 24th or 31st, and as the latter date was selected for the conference meet, Coach Kilpatrick naturally assumed that the event would take place May 24th. To this Mr. Stagg refused to assent on the ground that he did not wish to put his men through a hard meet within a week of the conference event, proposing June 7th or 14th instead. Inasmuch as the interest in track work ceases with the conference meet and a post conference affair would be more or less a fiasco, Coach Kilpatrick dissented, and as neither side was disposed to yield, the meet which has been the most important track fixture for Wisconsin, aside from the intercollegiates, for two years past, will not take place.

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The relay team which will compete in the four-mile championship

event at Philadelphia April 26th is making very satisfactory progress, and while the chances for a victory are only fair, Wisconsin will certainly be well represented. Captain Hahn, with a record of 4:33 1-5, Keachie, 4:34 3-5, and Breikreutz, 4:42 2-5, are practically sure of places, and the fourth place seems to lie between Broomell, a new man, and Smith and McEachron, the two-milers. The men got out of doors the latter part of March and for a few days were able to work on the track, and March 26th Hahn ran a mile, unpaced, in 4:53, Breikreutz in 4:52 and Keachie in 4:48, after but two days' work. Later, as the weather turned cold, they gave up the track work and put in their training 'cross country.

The same day of these trials, Long, the freshman sub-full-back of last fall's eleven, threw the hammer 220 feet. If he continues to improve he should be a point winner this year, and he is certain to be, before he graduates, the best man in the event that Wisconsin has ever had. He is also improving with the shot.

Breikreutz's work in the half in the indoor meets gives promise of points in that event, in which Wisconsin has not been able to show in the intercollegiates since 1894, when "Indian" Copeland won Wisconsin's first intercollegiate championship. If Notre Dame is admitted to the conference, Uffendall, the old C. A. A. and First Regiment runner, who represents about the same element in collegiate sport as Bernie Wefers used to at Georgetown, and as Duffy, the amateur printer, and Blewett, the baseball pitcher, now do at the same institution, will

probably win the event, although there is no certainty that Breikreutz might not beat him, even so. It is to be hoped, however, that the men who control the destinies of the conference meet will forget the Indiana institution when it comes to issuing the invitations. If the larger universities of the West had not been so apprehensive of hearing the word "afraid," they would long ago have given Notre Dame the cold shoulder. There is no institution in this portion of the West that has so completely disregarded the ethics of sport. The mere presence of a man like Uffendall upon the team is an insult to the dignity of college sport. The presence of the Notre Dame team in the meet will make no material difference so far as Wisconsin's place in the meet is concerned, for they will cut into the scores of each of the big teams about equally, and in no case very heavily, but the point is that they have no place in the meet. Their athletics are not at all on the same plane with those of the other members of the association.

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The 'Varsity baseball team is showing the usual ante-season strength and will probably develop into about as formidable an aggregation as in past years, though there really seems to be somewhat more ground this year for hope. It is a fact, lamentable but nevertheless true, that Wisconsin is not, and has not been for many years, a baseball university. This year the material looks good—some of it is—beyond question, but it is hard to see where it is much better than that of 1901. Captain Ware at first is easily the best first baseman in

the West in all 'round ability, and Erickson is a hard hitting out-fielder. Cochems has a "get-there" style and is a fairly good hitter, so that he will probably get an out-field position on his speed and hitting, if he sticks to the game. Brobst, Harkin and Berg are the remaining old men, other than the pitchers, and none of them is anything remarkable either in fielding or hitting ability. Brobst is a fair fielder but a wofully weak hitter, Harkin is a steady fielder and a fair batter, while Berg, who played in 1900, is a fair fielder and the best batter of the three. In the college arena the pitcher comes pretty near to being the whole team, and consequently much of Wisconsin's success depends upon whether Mathews and Richardson improve, stand still or go back in their twirling. Both are men who seem always on the point of developing into great pitchers, yet thus far neither one has fulfilled this promise. If either or both of them should "come on" this year, Wisconsin would be dangerous. For the rest, the success of the team depends upon the work of the new men, of whom little can be predicted until their work in a few games shows their real mettle. They look like the best lot of new men since 1898, but we shall wait until after seeing them under fire before rendering an opinion. For catcher, Keith, a new man, has the lead, the other candidates being Lusk, Riedelbach, Muckleston and Fries. At short, Johnston, Bray, Anderson and Merrill are after Brobst's job and are liable to keep him busy. At third, a vacant place, will be one of the following: Broughton, Bandelin,

brother of the coach, Abercrombie, the sub-full-back, Muir or Brush. For the outfield, besides the men already mentioned are Persons, Gates, Purves, Chase, Bray and Haggerty. Except where otherwise indicated these are all new men, good, bad and indifferent. Broughton and Muir have good reputations and are showing up very well.

Coach Bandelin is working hard with the men and certainly deserves success. He announces that Wisconsin will play "the hit-and-run game" this year, which will probably be all right if the right men happen to be up at the plate, but they may not all be free hitters. His effort, however, will be to develop the batting, and the outfield will be filled by heavy batters if possible. The men are working enthusiastically, but they will open the season at Beloit, April 19th, rather short of work. The schedule of eighteen games is a good one except for the five games with Beloit, which were clearly put in because they promised good financial returns. Three or two would have been better for the record of the team, and Wisconsin students cannot be blamed for not liking to see a succession of dreary drubbings at the hands of Beloit. For the first time in many years there will be no games with Michigan, which is to be lamented, for although these games never yield much of a profit, Wisconsin does well against Michigan in baseball, and closer athletic relations with the Wolverines are to be desired.

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The work of the crews is farther advanced than at this date in almost any previous year, which is very encouraging. The lake opened April

4th, nine days earlier than last year, while the men were able to get out in the pair oars as early as March 27th.

The first weeding out of the freshman squad, March 21st, left the following men: Schumacher, Coonen, Miller, Shepard, Sinclair, Lindsay, Perry, Roberts, Thon, Weld, Schuette, Dean, Long, Orbert, Schreiber, Dorner, Ames, Jones, Forrester, Hudson, Stack, Mills, Bartlett, Jaeger, Tarrell, Berto, Darling, Green, Whinery, Krape, Reed. There will be another cut to about sixteen men, or possibly twenty, as soon as the men have been on the water a few days.

The 'Varsity candidates were on the water April 3rd, the men in the first boat rowing as follows: stroke, Stevenson; No. 7, Gaffin; No. 6, McComb; No. 5, Gibson; No. 4, Jordan; No. 3, Mather; No. 2, Lounsbury; bow, Trevarthen. Every one of these men is an old 'Varsity oar, all on last year's crew except Mather, who rowed in McConville's eight.

The new Pabst shell, by Ruddick, is finished and will be shipped in a few days.

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The gymnastic meet, March 22nd, was a decided success and resulted in the formation of a Western Intercollegiate Gymnastic Association, with Wisconsin, Illinois, Grinnell, Beloit and Chicago as members. The annual competition will be held at Champaign in 1903. Wisconsin, Illinois and Grinnell entered the contests at Madison, and Wisconsin won with 32 points to Illinois' second with 12 points, Grinnell being third with 11. The judges were Professor Jack Hollister of Beloit, Professor

Judin, of Milwaukee, and Professor Meinert, of Sheboygon.

The summary follows: Horizontal bar: Braun, W., first; Walleser, G., second; Draper, I., third.

Tumbling: Pugh, W., first; Walleser, G., second; Draper, I., third.

Side horse: Persons, W., first; Leuka, I., second; Braun, W., third.

Long horse: Pugh, W., first; Leuka, I., second; Persons, W., third.

Parallel bars: Braun, W., first; Draper, I., second; Funk and Deutschmar, I., tied for third.

Flying rings: Walleser, G., first; McGills, W., second; Braun, W., third.

Coach Kilpatrick made a very clever move when he secured Alvin Kraenzlein to spend some time in coaching Wisconsin's hurdlers and jumpers this spring. Kraenzlein's record is familiar the world over, but it is sometimes forgotten that he made his *debut* and his first records as a member of Wisconsin's 1897 track team. The world's record in the 300-yard low hurdle which he made that year in Chicago still stands. He will spend some little time in Madison and should be able to help out very materially the men who are training for his specialties.

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The election of Arthur Curtis to Phi Beta Kappa is certainly a fitting termination to a most remarkable student career. Throughout his college course he has been one of the finest athletes Wisconsin ever had and quite the best tackle the West has yet produced. Yet he has found time with his four years of football and his work on the base-

ball team to maintain the highest standard of scholarship and to win the coveted key that is awarded solely on that basis. Curtis' record, while not by any means the first in- stance of a 'Varsity athlete winning Phi Beta Kappa, is a splendid one, and the best possible reputation of the claim, that scholarship and athletics are incompatible.

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## NEWS FROM THE ALUMNI.

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### A SUGGESTION.

Is there a better way for an institution of learning to provide means to care for its sick, than to assess each student a small sum each term? This method has become quite common and it is just. It seems to give satisfaction. Each one then is obliged to bear his share of responsibility. This makes a certainty of what is needed for the present, and does not preclude donations for the same cause.

J. M. JONES, '65,  
Cedar Falls, Iowa.

### PERSONAL NOTES.

Items of personal news may be sent to Florence E. Baker, 135 W. Gilman st., Madison, Wis.

In response to their "Tale of woe" the personal editors wish to acknowledge the receipt of a half-dozen letters, a "plainly marked paper" and two articles. We are deeply grateful, and hope to hear from several hundred other readers before the end of the year.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles R. Barnes sailed for Europe March 22nd, to remain until September.

Dr. James Davie Butler celebrated his 87th birthday on March 15th by the usual all-day reception at his home.

Captain Edward Chynoweth, of Columbus, Ohio, has been detailed by the War Department to inspect the state national guard during the encampment at Camp Douglas next August. Two recommendations for the promotion of Captain Chynoweth are contained in a list sent to the Senate by President Roosevelt. One is for his promotion to brevet major for gallant and distinguished services at the battle of Santiago, the other for promotion to a brevet lieutenant colonelcy for meritorious services in the Philip-

'57.

Frank A. Ogden, ('57), has offered to the city of Madison the choice of several sites for the Carnegie library building, soon to be erected.

'62.

W. W. Chadwick, ('62), and Miss Harriet V. Stout were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. John H. Coale, in Washington, D. C., March 13th. Miss Stout has been for a number of years the stenog-

rapher in the office of Mr. George McKerrow, superintendent of farmers' institutes. Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick will live at Monroe.‡

'67.

William A. Truesdell, one of the civil engineers of the Great Northern railroad, is superintending the building of the company's new shops at St. Paul.

'73.

James Quirk, '73, and wife (Lillian D. Park, '74) have returned from an extensive trip through the southern states.

'80.

D. W. Smith of Milwaukee will leave about April 1st for a three months' European trip.

'81.

William H. Goodall is now an editor, having purchased a paper at Wauwatosa, Wis.

'82.

Anna Butler, ('82), who has been abroad for some months, sailed for home March 16th.

Dr. Louis R. Head has purchased the residence of Mrs. John McMynn, in Madison, and will take up his residence there May 1st.

'83.

Prof. Florian Cajori gave the address in behalf of the science department at the laying of the corner stone of the new science and administration building of Colorado College.

Martha Dodge, accompanied by her nieces Martha and Helen Fay, will spend the coming six months in Europe.

Mrs. David Simpson (Josephine Sarles, '83) has spent the winter in the South.

'85.

The entire legal force of the office of the general attorney of the Chicago Great Western railway is made up of Wisconsin men. Asa G. Briggs, '85, is general attorney of the road, and John L. Erdall, '85, and Thomas A. Polleys, '87, are assistant general attorneys.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Oakes at New Richmond, Wis., in March, a son.

'85.

William E. Bainbridge, second secretary of the American legation at Peking, is one of the committee appointed by Minister Conger to adjust the indemnity claims of American citizens.

'87.

Mrs. W. F. Allen and Miss Katherine Allen will spend the coming summer in Europe.

Edward F. Dwight and family have spent the past few months at Phoenix, Arizona.

Albert E. Mieding, '87 *p*, was recently elected secretary of the Milwaukee Pharmaceutical Society.

'89.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parsons (Cora Clements, ('89)) at Duluth, in February, a daughter.

A. T. Schroeder, '89 *l*, issued during the fall a book entitled, "Origin of the Book of Mormon re-examined in its relation to Spaulding's 'Manuscript found.'"

'90.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boller (Daisy Chadwick, '93) in March, at Monroe, a son.

Henry Gray Parkinson, '90, principal of the Darlington high school, and Miss Laura Thorhaug were



married at the residence of the bride's parents, in the village of Blue Mounds, Wis., March 31st.

Mary A. Smith is to be the librarian in the Rhinelander public library when it is re-opened.

The Arctic Gold Mining company has been organized with headquarters at Madison. George W. Borchsenius, '96 *l*, is president, Frank M. Wootton, '90 *l*, secretary, and George W. Levis, '93 *l*, treasurer. The company will be incorporated under the laws of Arizona with capital stock of \$1,250,000.

'91.

Florence E. Baker spoke at the exhibit of the Madison Art Association, March 13th, on "Dutch genre painters."

Ella Gernon, ('91), will spend the summer in England, sailing April 10th on one of the American line steamships.

'92.

Clara Mae Abbott, '92 *p*, was married August 28, 1901, to Charles R. Folsom. They are living at 565 Prospect ave., Milwaukee.

Edwin H. Ahara has recently taken the position of superintendent of the plant of the Dodge Manufacturing Co., engineers, founders and machinists, at Mishawaka, Ind.

George T. Atwood is practicing law at Gays Mill, Wis.

F. A. Bartlett is bookkeeper for the Rust-Owen Lumber Co., at Drummond, Wis.

James H. Prace is chief assistant engineer for the Michigan Lake Superior Power company at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

Herman A. Brennecke, '92 *p*, is a physician and surgeon at 15 S. Broadway, Aurora, Ill.

J. L. Carswell, '92 *l*, is attorney for the Buffalo-Pitts Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

T. P. Carter is treasurer of the Force Feed Lubricating Company of Milwaukee.

John Chloupek, '92 *l*, is the present county judge of Manitowoc county.

William H. Coyne, '92 *l*, is the present city attorney of Dodgeville, Wis.

Earl W. Demoe, '92 *l*, is practicing law at 378 Dearborn ave., Chicago.

Charles J. Fenner is professor of mathematics at the state normal school, Dillon, Montana.

Albert C. Finn is principal of the public school at Burns, Oregon.

Henry Fox, who is U. S. inspector of the Illinois and Mississippi canal, has been on furlough until March 1st to serve as locating engineer for the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railway.

H. B. Gregg is located at San Bernardino, Cal., and is engineer of tests on the lines west of Albuquerque for the Santa Fe railroad.

H. F. Hamilton is engineer in charge, at Great Falls, Mont., of the Great Northern railway.

The engagement is announced of Elbert B. Hand, '92, and Miss Ada Simpkins of Jersey City.

John C. Healy is practicing law at Beaver Dam, Wis.

Francis W. Jenkins, '92 *l*, was elected municipal judge of Chippewa county for the term beginning January 1st, 1902.

George W. Lane is a member of the senior class in the Denver law school.

Grace E. Lee is teaching at Pueblo, Colo.

Walter A. Marling, '92 *l*, is with the Hatteberg Veneer and Panel company, Milwaukee, Wis.

Olin A. Mead is assistant treasurer of Lawrence University.

Rudolph H. Mieding, '92 *p*, is a druggist with H. F. Dugan, San Francisco, Cal.

Frank F. Morrow is structural draftsman for the Wisconsin Bridge and Iron Co., North Milwaukee, Wis.

E. T. Munger is general superintendent of the Green Bay and Lake Michigan Telephone company, at Green Bay, Wis.

John A. Musser is a divinity student at the University of Chicago.

Charles E. Peet has been a teacher in the Lewis Institute, Chicago, since 1899.

Carl Hall Potter has been at Beeville, Texas, since October, 1901, on account of his health.

Edward O. Rice is a farmer near Portage, Wis.

Albert L. Sawyer is in the U. S. railway mail service. His address is 10 Florence court, S. E., Minneapolis, Minn.

Edward P. Sherry is secretary of the Wisconsin Realty company, 610 Germania building, Milwaukee.

George M. Shontz, '92 *l*, is the present district attorney for Richland county, Wis.

Joseph K. Stephany, '92 *p*, is a druggist, under the firm name of Wilterding & Stephany, at Wausau, Wis.

Homer Sylvester is professor of physiology in the Wisconsin College of Physicians and Surgeons, at Milwaukee.

Charles F. Tomkins is a druggist at 152 Broadway, New York City.

The address of Mrs. John H. Nicholson (Helen G. Thorp) is 250 Bellefield ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

'93.

Franklin Everett, ('93), is an architect at Butte, Montana.

N. P. Stenjem, '93 *l*, will deliver the speech in the Sogning dialect, one of the numerous vernaculars of Norway, at the celebration of May 17th, held at Aurora Hall, Chicago, by the Sleipner athletic society.

'94.

David W. Agnew, '94 *l*, is practicing law at Oconomowoc, Wis.

George K. Anderson is U. S. gauger for the second district of Wisconsin.

Otto Anderson is pastor of the Congregational church of Jerome, Arizona.

Charles W. Austin, '94 *l*, is superintendent of the Inter-State Electric Co., at Oak Park, Ill.

Roy H. Beebe and Herbert S. Blake are connected with the Racine Knitting company.

Bertha Bleedorn is teaching at Janesville.

Francis J. Bold takes his M. D. degree at the Northwestern University medical school, Chicago, in June next.

Mrs. Charles E. Salisbury (Sadie M. Bold) is now living at Riverside, Cal.

Martin O. Braaten, '94 *p*, is the proprietor of a drug store at White-water, Wis.

William M. Brennan is a civil engineer, with offices at the Colby & Abbott building, Milwaukee.

Arthur T. Browne, '94 *l*, is practicing law at Boone, Iowa.

Mary A. Bulfinch is teaching at Monroe, Wis.

Edward P. Carlton graduated from the Northwestern University medical school in 1899 and is now practicing medicine at Keyeser, Wis.

Robert S. Cowie, '94 l, of Whitehall, Wis., has been district attorney of Trempealeau county since 1898.

Florence A. Dennett is teaching in the Park River, N. D., high school.

Edward F. Dithmar is practicing law at Baraboo.

Robert N. Dow is cashier of the Bank of Cambridge, Cambridge, Wis.

Charles A. Engelbracht, '94 l, is practicing law at Seattle, Wash.

Andrew Engeset, '94 l, is a member of the Madison law firm of Wootton & Engeset.

Minnie M. Enteman is teaching biology in the University Secondary School of the University of Chicago.

Edward M. Evans is an inspector for the American Bridge company, at 2277 N. Paulina st., Chicago.

George B. Evans is a draftsman with the American Bridge Co., at 348 Atlantic ave., Pittsburg.

John H. Francis is a physician and surgeon at Medford, Wis. He graduated from the Milwaukee Medical College in 1900.

Dr. John D. Freeman is surgeon in charge of the A., T. & S. F. railway hospital at Topeka, Kan.

John T. Gittings, '94 l, is a lawyer, member of the firm of Waller & Gittings, at Union Grove, Wis.

Charles W. Hebing, '94 p, of Beaver Dam, Wis., is president of the Dodge County Retail Druggists' Association.

Thomas B. Hill, '94 l, is city editor of the *Daily Republican and Herald*, of Winona, Minn.

E. W. Howland is bookkeeper for the Wisconsin Fidelity, Trust & Safe Deposit Co., of Milwaukee.

Lars H. Johnson, '94 l, is on the editorial staff of the West Publishing Co., of St. Paul.

Mrs. D. G. Ristad (Sarah M. Johnson) is teaching literature and English grammar in the H. A. Preus Lutheran academy at Albion, Wis.

J. B. E. Jonas is assistant professor of German at Brown University.

Adolph Kanneberg is the senior member of the law firm of Kanneberg, McGee & Cochems, of Milwaukee. The other members are C. A. McGee, '99 l, and Henry F. Cochems, '97.

Edward F. Kileen, '94 l, of Wautoma, Wis., is now in his third term as district attorney of Waushara county, and is also president of the village of Wautoma.

Knox Kinney is a newspaper writer and correspondent at Pueblo, Colo.

Louis J. Lefebvre, '94 l, is practicing law at Fond du Lac, Wis., a member of the firm of Garding & Lefebvre.

Gertrude U. Light took the degree of M. D. in 1898 at Johns Hopkins University and is now practicing medicine at 137 W. 45th st., New York City.

A. T. Lincoln is instructor in chemistry in the University of Illinois.

T. U. Lyman, '94 l, is attorney for the Travelers' Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn.

John W. Macauley, '94 l, is city editor of the *Menomonie Times*.

Arthur W. McLeod, '94 l, is district attorney of Bayfield county, Wis.

George W. Mead is a member of the firm of Mead Bros., merchants, at 831 N. Church st., Rockford, Ill.

The present address of Albert B. Moses is 4915 Champlain ave., Chicago.

Charles Mulberger, '94 l, is manager of the Globe Milling Co., of Watertown, Wis.

Thomas P. Nelson is practicing law at Madison.

William O. Newhouse is practicing law at Janesville.

Charles J. O'Connor is instructor in Latin at Iowa College, Grinnell, Iowa.

Rudolph J. Ochsner is a draftsman with the Brown Hoisting Machine Co., of Cleveland.

Willard B. Overson is a member of the law firm of Copeland & Overson, at Williston, N. D., editor of the Williston *Graphic*, and state's attorney of Williams county.

Samuel M. Pedrick, '94 l, is a member of the law firm of Carter & Pedrick, of Ripon, and is secretary and treasurer of Ripon College.

Mrs. W. J. Richards (Annie Pelow) is living at 501 Oakland ave., Milwaukee.

Edmund Pendleton is practicing law at Sioux City, Iowa.

John A. Pratt is connected with the Bank of Menominee Falls, Wis.

William B. Quinlan, '94 l, in January began his term of office as county judge of Marinette county, Wis.

Clarence B. Raymond, '94 p, is a member of the drug firm of Clifton & Raymond, at Smyrna, Del.

Michael L. Reilly is a member of the law firm of Reilly, Williams & Reilly, at Fond du Lac, Wis.

Rudolph Rosenstengel is a draftsman with the Christensen Engineering Co., of Milwaukee.

Ellen J. Rountree is teaching at Platteville, Wis.

\* Patrick Rowan is a lawyer at Ashland, Wis.

Ward B. Short is a physician at 101 Fourth ave., Peoria, Ill. He graduated from the Chicago Homeopathic Medical College in 1898.

Willis V. Silverthorn, '94 l, is practicing law at Tomahawk, Wis.

Charles H. Slama, '94 l, is practicing law at Wahoo, Nebraska, and is county judge of his home county.

Edward M. Smart, '91 l, is district attorney of Lincoln county, Wis.

Bartley Stanchfield is a mechanical engineer with the Fred Rueping Leather Co. of Fond du Lac.

Minnie M. Stiles is teaching at Columbus, Wis.

Ada E. Taylor is teaching in Milwaukee. Her address is 673 First st.

Heber L. Tibbits is connected with the Yawkey Lumber Co., of Hazelhurst, Wis.

John E. Webster is an electrical engineer, with offices at 910 Majestic building, Detroit, Mich.

Leo A. Williams, '94 l, is a member of the law firm of Williams & Griswold, of Fond du Lac.

Robert T. Williams, '94 p, is with the Kradwell-Thiesen Drug Company, of Racine.

Mrs. A. C. Kempton (Anna I. Wyman) is living at 912 Third ave., Eau Claire, Wis.

'95

Dr. George P. Barth, who is practicing medicine at the Goldsmith building, Milwaukee, is collecting information on the history of medicine in Wisconsin.

Samuel H. Cady is a candidate for the nomination for congress in the ninth Wisconsin district.

Edwin B. Copeland, ('95), has been appointed instructor in botany at

Stanford University. His duties will begin in September.

'96

The engagement has been announced of Dr. Ralph Peabody Daniels, of Chicago, and Miss Helen West Kitchel, of Milwaukee.

'98

Caroline W. Riley, School of Music '97-8, has joined the "Messenger Boy" company, playing at St. Louis.

H. J. Thorkelson is assistant superintendent of the J. I. Case Plow works, at Racine.

*The Electric World* for July, 1901, contains a description of a patent on a two-party line ringing system, issued to Oscar M. Leich, '98, and Max W. Zabel, '98.

'99

William V. Bryant, ('99), is practicing medicine at Madison.

Orsamus Cole, Jr., '99, and Miss Susan Regina Walker, both of Milwaukee, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, on Seventeenth street, March 8th, Rev. A. A. Kiehle officiating. Harry W. Cole, '02, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Cole will be at home after April 15th at 8123 Wells st.

Charles W. Gorr, '99 p, is attending Rush Medical College.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laube, at Superior, Wis., March 15th, a daughter. Mr. Laube is teaching history and politics in the Superior high school.

Martin C. Olson is employed in the designing office of the General Electric company.

William A. Richards has resigned his position in the East Division high school, Milwaukee, to take one with the Pressed Steel Car Co., of Alleghany, Pa.

'00

Earl F. Hensel, '00 l, and Miss Eunice Owen were married March 19th, at Arcadia, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. Hensel will make their home at Bleyer, Wis., where Mr. Hensel is proprietor of the Bleyer Press.

Earl E. Hunner has been appointed engineer in the Tom Thumb mine, one of the largest gold mines in the state of Washington.

B. J. Husting, '00 l, has signed with the Boston American league baseball team.

Herman E. Wolf is attending Rush Medical College.

'01

Louis H. Barkhausen is superintendent of the branch shop of the J. I. Case Plow works at Lynn, Mass.

Bertha M. Brown, ('01), librarian of the Madison city library, spoke before the Madison Contemporary Club, March 7th, on "The modern library."

Paul F. Chamberlain, ('01), is now located at London, Minn., as mining surveyor for the United States Steel Corporation mines at that place.

William R. Downer, '01 p, is with Frank X. Nilhoff, a druggist of West Superior.

Myron M. Fowler has entered the engineering department of the Western Electric company.

Henry I. Hart is spending the year in London, England.

The engagement of John M. Kelley, '01 l, and Miss Mira Litta Andrews, of Baraboo, is announced. Mr. Kelley is practicing law at Baraboo.

Frank H. Lacey is pursuing graduate work in electrical engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Merritt N. Murphy is a draftsman with the George A. Fuller Co., New York City. His address is 75 Washington place.

Richard Williamson is secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at the University of Kansas.

(02.)

O. J. Marston, '99-'02 *grad*, has accepted the position of instructor in history, psychology and economics at Ripon College recently made vacant by the illness of Professor George R. Kirkpatrick.

John O. Maxey, ('02 D), has been appointed by Governor La Follette state factory inspector.

Herbert L. Whittemore has left the University to take a position with the Steam Pipe Covering works, of Milwaukee.

(04.)

Philip G. Epstein has left the University on account of the death of his brother, who was recently killed by a locomotive at Portage.

(05.)

Glenn B. Chadwick has left the University to take a position in the Citizens' bank, of Monroe, Wis.

Rebecca W. King, ('05), was married March 7th at Madison to M. B. Barlow. Margaret M. Knox, '05, acted as bridesmaid and Ransom D. Bernard, '04, as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Barlow will make their home at Fort Dodge, Iowa.

#### PUBLICATIONS.

Notes of publications by or about University men or women, and books and pamphlets for review, may be sent to Florence E. Baker, 135 W. Gilman st., Madison, Wis.

TRANSLATION OF "THE REPUBLIC."  
THE REPUBLIC OF PLATO. Book II.  
Translated by Alexander Kerr,

professor of Greek in the University of Wisconsin. Chicago. Charles H. Kerr & Co., 1902. Pp. 54.

Professor Kerr's translation of the first book of "The Republic," published last year, has just been followed by Book II, published in the same convenient and tasteful form as the first part. Professor Kerr is doing valuable work in placing at the command of the general reader, in readable and graceful form, an English version of this great contribution to statecraft.

#### THE MUNICIPALITY.

The January *Municipality* contains the following general articles: Sewage disposal for small cities—Prof. F. E. Turneure.

Smallpox again—Dr. U. O. B. Wingate.

Functions of the state board of control—Judge W. P. Lyon.

Care of libraries—F. A. Hutchins.  
Cases on tax limitations—E. Ray Stevens, '93, Emerson Ela, '99.

The following articles are in the February issue:

The city of Beloit—Prof. R. C. Chapin.

Interurban railways—W. E. Clinton.

Vaccination and tetanus—Dr. U. O. B. Wingate.

Official instructions—Judge W. P. Lyon.

Library report—F. A. Hutchins.  
Municipal liabilities—E. Ray Stevens, Emerson Ela.

Two years for mayors.

#### NOTES.

Two forthcoming volumes of the "Citizens' library of economics, politics and sociology" are by University men. Prof. Paul S. Reinsch

writes of "Colonial government," and Prof. R. T. Ely of "Custom and competition."

The MacMillan company has recently published "An elementary book on electricity and magnetism and their applications," by Dugald Caleb Jackson, professor of electrical engineering in the University of Wisconsin, and John Price Jackson, professor of electrical engineering in the Pennsylvania State College.

Prof. Joseph Jastrow contributes to *The Dial* for February 16th a discussion of the nature, prospects and possibilities for good of "The Carnegie foundation."

Prof. William Trelease is chairman of the American board of editors of the *Botanisches Centralblatt*.

Milton Updegraff, '84, writes "On the measurement of time" in *Science*, February 7th.

The last report of the Missouri botanical garden contains papers by Prof. William Trelease on "A cristate Pellaea," and "A Pacific slope palmetto."

Prof. J. C. Monaghan writes in the *Wisconsin Journal of Education* for February on "Commercial Education."

*The World's Work* for February contains an article by Mr. M. G. Cunniff entitled "Increasing railroad consolidation."

*The Botanical Gazette* for January contains an article by Prof. R. A. Harper on "Binucleate cells in certain Hymenomycetes," and a review by Mr. H. G. Timberlake of a recent paper by Miehle on nuclear migrations.

*Mind* for February, 1902, contains "Some life thoughts" by Ralph Waldo Trine, ('91), and an appreciative sketch of him by Charles Brodie

Patterson. An excellent likeness of Mr. Trine forms the frontispiece of the number.

In the *Philosophical Review* for January, Prof. F. C. Sharp reviews "Lettres inedites de John Stuart Mill a Auguste Comte."

Captain C. A. Curtis has an article entitled "Coues at his first army post" in *Bird Lore* for February.

J. M. Jones, of Cedar Falls, Iowa, writes in *The Farmer's Call* for February 6th on "Barbarous teaching."

The *Zoologischer Anzeiger* for March 10th contains an article by Prof. W. S. Marshall on "The genital pores of the male *Antedon rosacea*."

A book by Ernst C. Meyer, '01, entitled "Nominating systems," has just been published at Madison.

Prof. W. S. Miller is one of the collaborators for the new *American Journal of Anatomy*, published at Baltimore, Maryland.

The March *Forum* contains a paper by Prof. A. A. Bruce on "Employers' liability in the United States."

A recent issue of the *Delavan Republican* contains a sketch of Dr. Fred Byron Robinson, '78.

Howard H. Hoyt, '81-4, writes on "Life insurance as an opening for young men seeking a career," in the *Milwaukee Sentinel* for March 16th.

Thos. Y. Crowell & Co., of New York, announce among the forthcoming books in their "What is worth while" series, one by H. J. Desmond, '80, entitled "Ways of well doing."

Ernest B. Smith, '98, who is with a surveying party about twenty miles from Prescott, Arizona, writes of that state in the *Wisconsin State Journal*, March 18th.

The *Marinette Student*, published by the Marinette high school, for

February, 1902, contains a portrait of Katherine Swain, '00, and an appreciative notice of her work as a teacher.

Prof. Joseph Schafer, '94, writes of "Graduate instruction at the University of Wisconsin," in the *University of Oregon Monthly*, for January, 1902. He also had an article on Ledyard and Jefferson in the *Oregonian* for February 16th.

The *Pharmaceutical Archives* for January, 1902, contains a paper by Mr. Oswald Schreiner, "On the specific gravity of volatile oils," and the first installment of one by Mr. W.

O. Richtmann on "The crude drugs and chemicals of the United States Pharmacopoeia (1890) and the preparations into which they enter."

The February *Pharmaceutical Review* contains "Pyrocain or brencain," by Frederick G. Ehlert, '01, "Acetanilid," by Charles W. Gorr, '99 p, and "Sixteenth century treatises on distillation," by Prof. Edward Kremers. In the March issue are: "A Michigan peppermint still," by R. H. Denniston, '99; "Guaiacol phosphate," by F. G. Ehlert; and "The volatile oils of the U. S. P. 1900," by Professor Kremers.