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## UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.

## "The Sacrifice of Hastings."

Slumnus of our University f away back in the nine ies the question "who was ity in your day," he woul the University in your day, he would answer you with a broad, congenial
smile, and tell you the story of little "Limpy" and Hastings
Little "Limpy" was one of the first mascots of the Wisconsin team. With a pinched, chalky face, short of
statue and minus a leg, he was indeed an object of pity. So thought the great heart of the captain of the team. He needed a mascot, and al-
though the appearance of "Limpy" though the appearance of "Limpy" did not augur happy victories, the
little cripple was offered the position little cripple was offer and readily accepted.
He recognized at once that his honorable position was due to the captain, and all the love of an unfortuthe captain's feet
The team, as well as the captain soon learned to love the little mascot. His face, though often bearing the marks of suffering, always wore a welcome smile when a gridiron hero ap-
peared in sight. When he was too ill to take his accustomed place and "root" on the side-lines, the team missed him more, perhaps, than they were willing to admit. His high-pitched childish voice was often heard leading the enthusiastic cheering and whether the players were losing or gaining, little "Limpy's" voice was
sure to be doing its cardinal duty. sure to be doing its cardinal duty. next to Captain Hasting's was the idol of the University, you would have received but one answer, "Limpy, the mascot." And when later in the season his testimony acquitted the capsionalism, the love for the little crip ple knew no bounds. The captain's halo was in danger of being dimmed by the devotion of the students to the mascot. To all this hero-worship lit tle "Limpy" was indifferent. All he asked for was the captain's love and friendship, and the captain playing a great game.
It was the day of the deciding game ings was just getting into his bis ulster ready to go to the "gym" big don his suit of armor, when the door was suddenly burst open and a doctor entered the room. He spoke excited ly. "Mr. Hastings, the mascot of your team has suddenly become seriously ill, one of his regular spells, only severer. He has a high feve and is continually calling for you. I tried to quiet him, but could not do so. At last I yielded to his demand and told him I would get you," and the doctor glanced uneasily at the captain. Hastings was silent. The doctor spoke again, I see that you will on your way to the game, but it succeed in quieting him. He is var ill. You know how he worships you and what he once did for you""
"Yes, I know once did for you."
Hastings, "but what good can I said "But he cries continually for you," was the doctor's reply, "you must come, it will take only a minute," and he pushed the big captain through the door.
"Limpy" was very ill, Hastings saw a glance. The thin face seemed still thinner, and his eyes burned

## with an unhealthful fire. He was rying "Captain Hastings, Captain Hastings, Captain Hastings, Captain Hastings, Captain Hastings,", when Hastings . entered the room. His Hastings entered the room. His mother was weeping over him unable to quiet him. When at last the feverthat it was indeed his beloved captain that was near him, his joy was pa- thetic. He seized Hasting's hand and thetic. He seized Hasting's hand and you would come, captain, I knew you would come; the "doc" said you wouldn't, but I told him he didn't know my captain," and then overcome with the excitement he sank back on the bed. Hastings looked down at him tenderly, but in a moment glanced at the can go now, doctor, he seems to be sleeping, and I've got to dress for the game." Before the doctor could reply, the little invalid moved and whis-

 But when the cheering graduallyubsided it was noticed by all that subsided it was noticed by all that
Captain Hastings was not to be seen. The rooters could not understand it and nervously looked around the big field to catch a glimpse of the familiar figure. He was nowhere in sight. The hopes of the cardinal sunk low, when after a little preliminary punting the teams prepared for the kickoff and the captain was not in his ac customed place. Surprise at first was written on the faces of all that crowd,
soon giving way to a look of shame soon giving way to a look of shame when rumor had it that their captain had broken training the night before,
and was unable to appear. Deep and was unable to appear. Deep
gloom settled over all. The absence floom settled over all. The absence
f the little mascot too, was noticed, but as his sick spells were well known, no one wondered at his failure o appear It was soon apparent to the cardi nal supporters that with the captain

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render were ontreaties from the boy's with one great no avail and Hastings himself.
But suddenly he felt the tightened grasp weaken and glancing down at he boy he saw gentle sleep closing ne tired eye-lids. The doctor at a sign from Hastings glanced intently at the boy's face. It seemed years to Hastings before the doctor stood erect and whispered, "Thank God, he ficed , Mr. Hastags you have sacri ced play. Hasting a human life
Hastings quietly arose, but before him by the arm, and whispered, "By him by the arm, and whispered, "By
the eternal, my boy, you have a fighting chance still. It is only fifteen minutes past four. The boy will sleep,


The Gymnasium.
pered "stay with me, captain, oh please stay with me.
"But Limpy ny boy," cried the anguished captain, day, got to play the great game tolead the yelling; come, my boy, brace and let's be off."
The sick boy smiled faintly and amy attempted to rise. "Yes, the yell;" but murmured, "and I've got to able to obey theakened body was unoyal heart, and little Limpy" sank back, totally exhausted, still grasping he hand of the captain.
Camp Randall was * * mass of rooters. It was howling he greatest game of the year and every student in the University was one long string of victories to With age them, the team was to encour age them, the team was expected to
win this game, and float the championship pennant to the sky. When the teams came onto the field it seemed as if the former cheerings were but sighs compared to the noise that folatisfi. Plainly, the rooters would be satisfied
cardinal.
out of the game, the team could not rest of the game." he size of the score. But even in the ace of these odds, the Wisconsin pirit did not abate, and although but score was ten to six against the score was ten to six against them,
the cheering of the loyal rooters still continued. But a note of dwindling hope was in their cheers, and they were beginning to lose heart.

Hastings still sat near the bed of the invalid boy. His face was pale and haggard. The great, manly cap tain had had a severe struggle, but finally sympathy and love prevailed over ambition, and little "Limpy" kept by his side the man that five The doctor recognized clamoring for The doctor recognized the nobility of the sacrifice and worked as he had But the sick boy still tossed in his pain and mumbled, "I knew you would ome to 'Limpl',' I knew you would glorious tribute to triumphant more ome because you knew you would than did the cardinal to Captain Hastonce the captain spoke, "Dood." Only ings when the nobiltiy of his sacrifice you get him to sloep, "Doctor, can't was told to the world by an admiring you get him to sleep, so I can play
just the second half?" "I'll try, my
doctor, a happy mother and an ador-
ing cripple.

## University Men in Politics.

ATIME goes on and graduates of the University have
had time and opportunity to had time and opportunity to
mingle in the affairs of the mingle in the affairs of the
world, it becomes more and worrd, it becomes more and tor they are to become in our social structure. One index of this de-
velopment is the ever-increasing velopment is the ever-increasing pro-
portion of University men either portion of University men either
directly ${ }_{\text {or }}$ indirectly concerned with the political struggles the various campaigns. As complete a list of successful candidates as it was possible to secure at this writing has been prepared. It includes two governors, an attorney-general, assistan six state senators, and eight assembly men.
In addition to this an almost endless procession of county, city and village officers presents itself. We find
especially the graduates of the law especially the graduates of the law
school occupying positions as district and city attorneys all over the state. Among the speakers of the campaign are large numbers of old University men, some of whom are still students in the University
The interest of students in these questions is manifested by the flourish ing condition of the two student po
litical clubs, namely, the U. W. Demlitical clubs, namely, the U. W. Democratic Club and the U. W. Republi can Club. Joseph E. Davies, law 01, is president of the former, and Emerclubs put forth unusual efforts this fat in the securing and entertainment of prominent speakers.
Besides the successful candidates we must count as part of the University influence in politics a considerable number of unelected candidates who
nevertheless represent a large amount nevertheless
of influence
As might be expected, a large proportion of these men were orators and debaters while in the University.
The most noticeable figure is naturM1y that of governor-eiect Robert $M$ La Fonlette. Throughout his Universidebating society and literary work He debating society and literary work. He versity Press, then the only student publication. He was a member of the thenaean society, which he represent ed in the Junior Exhibition. In his senior year, as every one knows, Mr La Follette won the home oratorical contest, the state contest, and the interstate contest at "lowa City with an oration on "Iago." Graduating from the scientific course in 1879, he entered the coliege of Law the following fall. His require discussion.
Charles Nelson Herreid, ' 82 law, the newly-elected governor of South Dakota, was born October 20, 1857. He spent three years at Gale College, read aw in an office for one year, and then sity, graduating in 1882. He was elected governor this fall by a majority of about 18,000
Herman Bjorn Dahle, member of con gress from the second district, born March 30, 1855, in the town o Perly , Ducation in the district sed his of his native town, and from 1870 to 1874 attended the University of Wisconsin, part of the time in tne preparatory department. Mr. Dahle was first elected to Congress in 1898, and this year was re-elected by a largely increased majority.
John Jacob Esch, 82 , re-elected to born March 20, 1861. He entered the University in 1878 and graduated from the modern classical course in 1882 . Mr. Esch was a member of the Athenaean society and of its joint debate team of 1882 . He was one of the founding editor of the Badger a weekly cos lege paper At graduation he was class-day prophet and appeared on the class-day prophet, and appeared on the tion on "The Jews."
Webster Everett Brown, '74, the new-ly-elected congressman from the ninth district was born near Peterboro, N. Y., July 16, 1851. Mr. Brown attended the country schools of Portage University; and in the spring of 1870

## took a course at the Spenceria

 business co.lege, Milwaukee. That fal entered the University, from which He was president of the Alumni asso ciation of the University of Wisconsin or the year 1899-1900Emmet Reuben Hic
attorney-general
cks, '76 Marn at Waukau, Winnebago county March 7, 1854. He graduated from the University in 1876 with the degree of B. S. 'He took the law course at the University, finishing in 1880 . He ais year. Since graduation, until his elecion as attorney-general in 1898, Mr Hicks has practiced law at Oshkosh. Ernest N. Warner, assistant attor versity in 1889, and has since practice aw in Madison. He was a member o the Philomathian society.
Julius Edward Roehr, '81 law, senator from the eighth district, was born at Brooklyn, N. Y., March 6, 1860; edu cated at the public schools of that city and of Milwaukee, and took the law course at the University of Wi.
graduating therefrom in 1881.
Edward Eugene Burns, '87 law, sena-

tor from the sixteenth district, attended the Platteville normal school and graduated from the University College of Law in 1887. During the Spanish wa Mr. Burns served as captain of Com pany C, 4th Wisconsin. He has serve as a member of the county board of supervisors of Grant county, and as city Henry Chapman Martin, 79 , from the seventeenth district, was bor at Darlington, December 15, 1854; was educated in the schools of that city, en tered the University in 1876, and graduated in 1879. For five years he was a member of Co. K, 1st regiment, W. N. G. He served during the riots in Mil waukee, when the state troops were called out by Governor Rusk. He was
elected to the assembly in 1895, and to the senate in 1898
Andrew Lawren. Andrew Lawrence Kreutzer ('90 law) senator from the twenty-fifth district, was born in Marathon county August class of the University in the fall of
1889, took the state board examination in January, 1890, and was admitted to the bar. He was elected alderman in 1893; district attorney in 1894, and reelected in 1896; was appointed by Govennor Upham in 1895 commissioner to the Atlanta exposition; appointed by Governor Scofield in 1896 judge advocate general and member of his staff with the rank of colonel; and was elected to the senate in 1898 .

James Huff Stout, senator from the
twenty-ninth district, was born at wenty-ninth district, was born at
Dubuque, Iowa, September 25, 1848 was educated in the public schools of that city, and in the University of Chieago. Senator Stout has devoted much of his time and means to the advance and equipped the Stout Manual Train ing School at Menomonie at his own expense in 1893, greatly enlarged it in 1894, and rebuilt it after its destruction by fire in 1897. He started the travel ng library system of Wisconsin bying about five hundred books whic were divided into traveling libraries and distributed about Dunn county Although not a graduate he has
been a regent of the University John Comstock Gaveney '85, senting the thirty-second senatorial district in the new legislature, was born at Arcadia June 30, 1863; was educated in the public schools of that own; graduated from the University in 1885 and from the College of Law in 1888. He was a member of Hesperia, semi-public debater, and was on the fesperian joint debate team of 1884; while in the law course he was a mem Char'es W. Gilman '85, assemblyman

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representing Buffalo and Pepin coun
ties, was born in the town of wlman ties, was born in the town of wilman
ton, Buffalo county, in 1862. He grad uated from the scientific course in 1880 and from the law course in 1886. While at the University he was a mem-
ber of Hesperia, and represented that society in the joint debate of 1885 . He has served three terms as district at orney of Buffalo county, and is a E. Ray Stevens, '93, assemblyman from the first Dane county district en tered the University in 1889, graduat ing with the degree of B. L. in 1893 with special honors in economics, an graduating from the College of Law in 1895. He was a member of Athena and of the Forum; was a semi-public debater in his sophomore year, a mem ber of the victorious Athenaean join debate team of 1893 , and a member o the Forum team which debated the Mil waukee Forum society in 1894. He wa man of the '93 Badger bord' was gaged in newspaper work throughout his university course, reported two ses sions of the legis'ature, and contribut ed to numerous newspapers and magazines; and spent one summer in Europe in the study of municipal problems and is special correspondent of the MilwauJones An 1896 the partnership as since continued
Maurice Aloysius McCabe, '96 law
of Milwaukee county, attended Marof Milwaukee county, attended Mar-
quette College, Milwaukee, from which he graduated in 1890, and received the honorary degree of A. M. two years later; entered the law course of the University in 1894, and graduated
therefrom in 1896. While in the University he was a member of the Forum society, and was one of the victorious teams which debated with the Milwaukee Florum society in 1896. In his seand was one of the commencement day orators.
John Colonel Karel, '95 law, fondly known to fame as "Ikey," after graduating from the law course, took two years' work on the Hill, and then beHe soon removed to Milwaukee, where he is now practicing. "Ikey" was perhaps the best known football man of his time, and his famous run which won the Minnesota game in 1894, the first big game ever played in Madison, will long be remembered.
William Francis Collins, '94 law, representing the first district of Portage
county in the assembly, was born at Stevens Point in 1869. During the legislative session of 1891 he was the legis ing clerk of the assembly, and, in the session of 1893, clerk of the judiciary from the College of Law with the class of '94. During his junior year he was president of his class.
John Wesley Owen, who will repre-
sent the first district sent the first district of Racine county in the assembly, was born at Racine
January 17, 1862. In 1886 he entered January 17, 1862. In 1886 he entered
the College of Law. After his graduation in 1888, he began the practice of law at Racine.
George Ela, '94 law, representing the second assembly district of Racine county, was born October 11, 1868, in always resided. In the fall of 1892 he entered the College of Law, from which he graduated in 1894. Since gradua-
tion he was engaged in farming and tion he was engaged
dairying. Frank Alward Cady, '83 law, memty, was born December 31, 1858, in the town of Newport, Columbia county; at-
tended the district schools and the Kiltended the district schools and the Kil-
bourn high school, taught for four years, and in 1878 entered the modern classical course at the University. He did not complete his academic course on account of lack of means, but in 1881 began the law course, from
he graduated in 1883 . (The Cardinal owes to the courtesy of the Alumni Magazine the use of
much of the data for this article as much of the as the

Tennis.
The tennis season of 1901 will open with brighter prospects for a championship team than we have had for
several years. With most of the old men back, abundant new material and a revived enthusiasm in this sport, there is no reason why Wisconsin years.
During the past summer Seaman and Helmholz won the Wisconsin stat championship at Milwaukee and with heir consequent improvement in form winners in the woon as sure point next spring John Sanborn, coilegiat pion, has returned to college cham hough he has played four and, al has kindly consented to do everything in his power to further the tennis in erests in the University
Last spring the number of men on the team was reduced from six to four radical departure from the custom of ormer seasons. This change will make competition between the players ercer and tend toward greater im Unfortunt in form
f athletics in thens, of all branches the slowest to develop. as added to the interest and support given it, and from the present outlook 1901 will be no exception will be a great disappointment to all interested in the game if next season is not the most successful we have ever had.

## The School of Commerce.

By Professor William A. Scott, Head of the Department.


Director Wm . A. Scott.
and persistent efforts during the
terest and persistent efforts during the
intervening years have been a large
factor in the movement of which the outcome is the present institution. The
promotion and popularization of the
study of the various social sciences and history through the establishment of the School of Economics, Political
Science and History in 1892, the recommendations of the Board of Visitors,
of which Mr. Hanks was Chairman, in its report for 1898-99, and President
Adams' strong presentation of the subAdams strong presentation of the sub-
ject in his report to the Regents in in this movement, and in each one Mr. Hanks' influence counted for much. The inaugural address of Dean John
son of our Engineering School, em phasizing as it did the need for commercial education, doubtless also contributed towards the more speedy real
ization of the ideal which Mr. Hanks and others had cherished.
The motive back of this movement
was the desire that the University was the desire that the University
should furnish a more adequate prepration for business life. Valuable as of study which it has offered in its dif. ferent departments, the legitimate de have not been fully met. The prose cution of any great industrial enterprise at the present time demands great ability and the best training
which can be afforded makes greater demands upon its members. This fact is well understood by business men, but nevertheless large numbers of young men who are per fectly competent to pursue success-
fully a University course, and who need as much training as four years of hard University work could give, go nto business directly from the high by the poverty of these young men for many of them are rich, nor by their lack of ambition or unwilling ness to do hard work, for as a rule they are full of ambition and energy It is due in some cases, doubtless, to lack of appreciation of the value of a liberal course of study and in some ly independent at the earliest pos ly independent at the earliest pos-
sible moment; but, when one listens to the experiences of college-bred men who have gone into business and to the criticisms of the so-called selfmade veterans, and then analyzes the needs of the modern business man, he will be convinced that the ordinary
 needs of such highly specialized
branches of commerce as is represent.
ed by the banker, the consul, the
wholesale dealer the commission mer. wholesale dealer, the commission mer-
chant, the stock broker, etc.
The School of Commerce of the University of Wisconsin has been estab
lished for the purpose of remedying this deficieney in our educetional ap-
paratus, and its course of study is our solution of the comparatively new edu cational problem. Two principles
have guided the faculty in the selection and combination of the subjects
for study. The first is, that the man ho is to succeed in the great indus解 ord, and the second is, that he musi echnical knowledge. The problem therefore, has been to so utilize the various branches of human knowledge as to secure both of these ends
Our scheme may be briefly describ ed as follows: may be briefly describ
I. It includes a group of courses dethe nature and workings of the in ustrial organism of which he is to be
a part, and through the manipulation of which he must accomplish his ends. (1) His head belong
raphy, which deal with the sources nd distribution of the raw materials present location of the commerce, the ant branches of manufacturing indusy, the chief routes of commerce and nd from time to time modify, their ocalization.
hich the student studies the portation systems of the most im. ortant countries of the world, includg their railroads, canals, and ocean steamship lines, and in particular the
characteristic features of the transprtation system of the United States (3) Courses in Money and Banking, student with the nature and func tions of money and banks, the monetary systems of the great commercial foreign exchange, the various kinds of securities which are used in internaonal and domestc commerce, stock markets, bimetallism and monometallism, and the history of the currency systems of the chief commercial na(4)
tions.
(4) A course in Business Organiza tion and Management, which might course in private administriation as
tinguish it from the courses in public department of political science
(5) Courses in Economics and Economic History, which are designed to familiarize the student with the actual growth and development of industry, and with the forces which determine and from time to time modify rin of the industrial world. II. The plan also includes courses in
Materials of Commerce. These will consist of a study of the history marious commodities, from the rail cluding the the completed article, in which they pass, forms of through ion, cost of manufacture, of adultera III. A knowledge of certain branches of law is now a desideratum for the business man. The course, therefore,
includes a study of various branches of law, such as the law of commercial paper, corporations and partnerships, ontracts, police powers, agencies, as signments, etc
IV. Courses in the Modern Lang uages. The man who expects to rep a foreign country should be familiar with the language which his customers speak. In many parts of the
world American firms are now at a great disadvantage. Their agents lack a knowledge of the language and are
obliged to deal with their customers through interpreters or by means of printed circulars and announcement translated from English. This disad tent that foreign agents are employed in large numbers to transact business for American houses. In view of these
facts, we have made the acquisition of a reading, writing and speaking knowledge of French, German or Spanish a requirement in our School of Commerce. In addition, instruction is offered during the present year in
Italian and Russian, and our courses are so arranged that it is possible for a student to acquire a second language a student to acquire a second language
if he so desires. In the instruction
ganization of groups of lectives designed to furnish preparador particular lines of business. group is in operation, leading to the onsular service. For the coming ear a group of courses designed for he preparation of young men who wish to enter the banking business will be organized; also one preparacory to the prosecution of commercial pursuits in South America and the West Indies and in the Orient. Other courses of this general characyears, as the demand for them appears nd the resources of the School in crease. At this early date it is impossible to test the plan we have adopted by results achieved. It seems to us to be weil adapted to accomplish the ends in view, and it has the merit of being susceptible of easy modification as experience reveals its defects. Many indications, however, seem to point to a successful future for the new School. The attendance is very gratifying. is 84 , have transferred from freshmen. 19 while 65 have come to the University for the first time. The fact that more than 40 per cent. of these new students report that they would not have entered this or any other University had not the School of Commerce been established is evidence that it is attracting a constituency which has not before availed itself of the advantages of the University, and the fact that those who would have come here in any case and entered other tion seeking a reparation excep ness is evidence that the wants of the University's regular constituents are being better met as a result of the tablishment of the new School It certainly augurs well for the future of this enterprise that such Vogel Jr., and Mr. Charles Pfister Vogel Jr., and Mr. Charles Pfister of
Milwaukee have sufficient confidence


[^0]given in all these languages special in its usefulness to contribute a liberal attention is devoted to commercial sum of money for the purchase of orms.
V. Courses in Physics and Chemis These sciences ustry in such a variety of forms inat least an elementary knowledge of them is necessary for the well equipped business man.
VI. In addition to the courses de cribed above, which are courses deall students, which are required of

The fact that these gifts came without solicitation of any sort, not only indicates the liberality and public spirit these gentlemen, but also shows tate appresiate the efforts men of our versity to supply the of the Unineeds of the rising generation, and are ready and willing to render assistance of the most substantial sort.

## Changes in the Faculty.

Complete Record of Deaths and Resignations and a List of New Members.

Sour iast Christmas number many changes have occurred in the faculty and the staff of instruction. ans year have been numer ous and very important. It is our
sad duty to record first of all the sad duty to record first of all the
deaths of three members of the facdeaths of three members of the fac-
ulty, the late Professors Davies, Sober and Rosenstengel. They were all of and Rosenstengel. in the faculty and high consequencely felt. Short sketch es of each are here given.
John Eugene Davies
John Eugene Davies was born at His parents having moved to the me tropolis, his early education was received at the public schools and the college of the City of New York. In ' 55 , the family moved west to Wisconsin and he entered Lawrence University (Appleton) from which he was
graduated in '63 with the degree of graduated in ' 63 with the degree of
A. B. Immediately upon graduation he enlisted as a private in the twentyfirst Wisconsin regiment and served under Bragg and Shermati finishing as a first lieutenant. Upon returning o Wisconsin, he was given the degre the chair of chemistry and physics in that institution, but could not ac cept, as he wished to enter the Chicago Medical School, now attached to Northwestern. He graduated with honor in 1868 with the degree M. D. and in the fall of the same year be came attached to the University of Wisconsin as professor of natural history and chemistry. In addition he soon taught astronomy also, and in
75 he became professor of astronomy and physics. In 78 his chair was changed to the professorship of physics; and in pr it was further changed to professor of electricity and magnetism and mathematical physics. During ' 84 and 85 Dr. Davies studied John Hopkins and the second at Glas gow University, Scotland. He receiv ed the degree of L. L. D. from North western University in '87. From 1874 until his death he was an active as-
sistant of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, being in charge of the work done in Wisconsin. Dr. Davies was a great contributor to scientific knowleny an the leasing contificed soietie of the United States.
5, 1863, near Ypsilanti, Michigan He was prepared for college at the Ann was prepared for college at the Ann
Arbor High School, entered the Ancient Classical course at the University of Michigan and was graduated in ' 86 with the degree of A. B. His next four years were equally divided as principal of the High Schools at Coldwater and at Michigan City, Ind-
diana. In ' 90 , he again entered the diana. In '90, he again entered the
University as a postgraduate student University as a postgraduate student
in Latin, Greek and Sanskrit. The folin Latin, Greek and Sanskrit. The fol-
lowing year he was made instructor lowing year he was made instructor
in Latin. In, 92 he married Miss Gertude Clark, a graduate of that $y \sim a r$ at Ann Arbor and a former as sociate teacher at Coldwater, Who
with one little daughter survives him In the fall of ' 93 Professor Sober became attached to the University of Wisconsin as instructor in Latin and two years later was promoted to an assistant professorhip. Having been granted a leave of absence in June, '99, he, with his wife and child, left for a year of study and travel in Eu rope. The summer was spent in the German University town of Marburg and in the fall Professor Sober entered the American School of Classical Studies at Rome. Here he applied himself to research work to fit himself chosen university, Aster a years at his study he returned to America, hara directly to his father's home at Mo line, Illinois, for a brief rest and visit after the fatigues of travel. Appendicitis here developed and he was removed to a Davenport hospital for treatment. A skillful operation came too late for recovery, and he passed away the same day, Sept. 10, 1900. The remains were brought to Madison and near the scene of the labors of his more mature years were peaceful 1y laid away

## William Henry Rosenstengel was orn in Barmen, Prussia, Sept.

 842. His early education eived at the Barmen Realschule ftter graduating, he taught at Elber eld and Rade-vorm-wald, while yet in Germany. He came to America in structor in the Central High School of St. Louis. This position, with sev eral promotions during his twelve years continuance, he held until ${ }^{7} 79$ when he became a member of the fac nity of the University of Wisconsin Williams College. He held the chai of German Language and Literature o the day of his death. Professor Rosenstengel was ever active in edu ational and philanthropic affairs an was especiaty enthusiastic in matters literature. He delivered lectures on German subjects in various parts of of the United States, and did much iterary work in connection with Ger ides he was the author of many text books and books of general literary value. Professor Rosenstengel was
married to Miss Lena Wirth who, with $\mid$ ants in chemistry
five children, yet survives him. His death occurred in faculty meeting, Onday, November 12, 1900.
The following The following additions have
made to the University faculty: nade to the University faculty:
Richard Fischer, Ph. D. has Richard Fischer, Ph. D. has been pharmacy.
Victor Lenher, Ph. D. has been made assistant professor of general and theoretical chemistry.
James Charles Monaghan, been made professor of theory ha practice of domestic and foreign com-

George Rapall Noyes, Ph. D. has been made assistant professor of Eng$\underset{\text { Ho }}{\substack{\text { lish. } \\ \text { Ho }}}$

Howard Leslie Smith, A B., LL. B. Albert willis professor of law.
Albert Willis Tressler, A. B., has eegy ade assistant professor of ped Augustus Trowbridge, Ph. D., has een made assistant professor athematical physics.
The corp of instructors and assist ants has been added to as follows:
Grant Showerman, Ph D has bee made an instructor in Latin.
George C. Fiske has been a
an instructorship in Latin.
Wilard Grosvenor Bleyer, M. made instructors in English
Otto Edward Lessing, A. B., and Edwin Carl Lothar Clemens Roedder, Ph. D., have been made instructors in German.
assistant in French.
Carl Russell Fish, Ph. D., and Asa instructors in history the foen made nstructors in history, the former in Amerizan and the latter in European.
Arthur Robert Crathorne, B. S., Ed ard Lee Hancock, B. S., and Henry Charles Wolff, M. S., have been made assistants in mathematics. Boyd Henry Bode, Ph. D.,
made assistant in philosophy Gustavus Adolphus Kleene has been made assistant in economics Deane Bret Swingle, B. S., has been made assistant in biology.
Rollin Henry Denniston, B. S., has been made assistant in pharma-
cognosy and curator of the drug Edsoum. Winam Eastman, B. S., and George Winam Eastman, B. S., and George
Walker Wiider have become attached to the physics department, the first two as assistants and the last as in-

Roy Dykes Hall, B. S., Arthur Alex ander Koch, B. S., Miss Winifred Titus, B. .., and Albert Henry Wolters-
dorf, Ph. G., have been made assist-
rench department; and Miss Susan Idelaide Sterling. M. L., a like promotion in the German department Dr. Haskins has been changed from the chair of Institutional to that of uropean history.
Dean Henry of the Agricultural Colperiment station
Dr. Hobbs has been made editor of University publications.
Dr. Jones has been promoted from instructor in economics and statistics to assistant professor of economics and commercial geography
Dr. Kahlenberg has been raised from instructor to ass organic chemistry.
Miss Ladies' hall, has also become assistant professor of physical culture.

## ew school of commerce.

 Dr. Turner was made director of the school of history.Katharine Allen, Ph. D., was raised rom assistant to instructor in Latin. ceived a similar promotion in politiWilliam Oscar Richtman, Ph. G., B. S., was raised from instructor in
practical pharmacy to instructor in pharmacognosy
Besides these a considerable number have resigned for various reasons, mostly to seek private life or to accept
higher positions in other institutions of learning. The faculty has lost two: Miss Annie Crosby Emery, Ph. Domen and assistant professor of classical philology; and Caleb former acting professor of machine

Others who resigned are as follows: Miss Harriet Trayne Remington, M. , former instructor in German. Wilmon Henry Sheldon, Ph. D., Miss assistant in philosophy. Miss Louise Phelps Kellogg, M. L.
cormer assistant in ancient and mediformer assistant in ancient and mediThomas Kli Thomas Klingenberg Urdahl, Ph. D., former assistant in economics and
statistics. William Stewart Ferris, B. S., former assistant in pharmacognosy. former instructor in applied mathe-

The physics department has lost John Cutler Shedd, Ph. D., Charles Marquis Smith, B. S., George Stangel, the last an assistant. The chemistry department has lost M. A., and Alfred Tingle, Ph. D. There are furthermore the following five on leave of absence.
President Adams, who is taking a Mediterranean tour for the benefit o is health, and who is now in Italy. Professor Turner,
land, for recreation.
Professor Freeman, who has become U. S. Consul at Copenhagen. Assistant Professor Knowlton, now of work and for a rest from his labors at the University. who will make a tour of Central and South America.
Assistant Professor Woll, now studying at the University of Leipzig, Germany. In addition to his advanced research work there, he will make a
tour of inspection of many European tour of inspection of
As a matter of general interest w may note that Professor Fischer received the degree of Ph. D. from a German University and that the same degree was granted to Professor Owen by Yale.
As a summary we observe that there have been three deaths, thirtynine additions, seventeen promotions and fifteen resignations. Six of the leave of absences, making in all some twenty-four more members of the faculty and corps of instructors and assistants than there were last year which is decidedly in line with the ncreasing size and importance of our University.


THERE has been during the past year a great increase
in the interest felt in dra matics at the University of
Wisconsin. It is of course Wisconsin. It is of course
natural that in an institution entirely natural that in an institution
like this, bringing together so much diversified talent, there should always be present many who are interested in the effect of the rare courses offere by Prof. Frankenburger in dramatic interpretation, with the coasequent higher appreciation they induce of the classics of expression, the reason why the order of dramatic ability here is
to see.

## The Haresfoot Club.

There are at present two student organizations devoted to amateur
theatricals. The Haresfoot Club and the Young Ladies' Red Domino Club The Haresfoot was organized some three years ago. Its growth has ter of the annual plays presented has been uniformly high, and at present the Haresfoot Club is an institution much more stable and sucsessful than any similar clud in the history of the institution. The members of the club now in the city
Professors D. B. Frankenburger, C. Nonovan, C. C. Chittenden, Henry Morgan.
Active members: Charles A. Vilas Walton Pyre, E. T. Fox, Edward Jen rick, Edwin Snow and Gray Montgomery
The club is at present actively en-
gaged in preparations for its annual gaged in preparations for its annual play, the "Colonial Girl" which will be
produced at the Opera House Friday February 8.

Red Domino Club
The young ladies Red Domino Club was organized last year. The debut of the Club was made in the clever adoption called the "Cure for Crushes"
which was given in Library hall early in March. The founders and early members of the Club were as follows Honorary- Mrs. Frank G. Edsall. Act-ive-Misses Jennie Butt, Anna Scrib-
ner, Jessica Davis, Nora Johnson, ner, Jessica Davis, Nora Johnson, Hinckley, Lillian Gamble, Bessie Throne.
The two clubs have worked together ous co-operation promises much in the way of progress.

Glee Cl:b Play.
The last year has been espesially which is in some degree a manifesta tion of the increased interest mentioned. It was recognized early last year when the Glee Club was planning its tour and arranging its programmes that it would be unwise to neglect the
literary side of the entertainment. and a short play was decided upon. Prof J. F. A. Pyre was prevailed upon to write the two-act college farce "The Professor's Daughter," which was given as a curtain raiser to the regu-
lar musical program and whish proved so popular a feature of all the Glee so popular a feature of all the Glee
Club appearances. The little play was brimful of college expression and college situations and gave opportunity for some exceedingly clever work. Messrs Pyre, Patrick, Snow, Ireland, Crosby, Blake and the others who took lesser parts, all scored distinct sucsesses in their respective roles. In all the newspapers notices of the Clubs' entertainments, the enjoyability and excellence of the play were particularly mentioned. It is
unfortunate that the musical unfortunate that the musical clubs play as part of their not to give a though the unusually good musical
material will permit a musical pro-
gram perhaps better than ever before. Dramatic Contest.
One of the most efficient of the encuraging influences toward dramatic which last year occurred in the early part of May. As was the case with early all the work attempted, the pieces ran along the line of modern peting comedy. There "Mr wree "ompeting casts, namely: "Mr. X" Mon, The program included what was un. doubtedly the cleverest dramatic work of the year. The ability evinced by several members of the winning cast was high indeed. Mr. Joseph Davies, as "Monsieur" in the winning iece, although of course his oppor unities were greater than the others, riends an evening's entertainment consisting of a short aramatic and musical program, followed by a receptio and dancing party. The program wa tette and by Miss Scribner, Messrs Snow, Jenner and Pyre.
The class play was the last produc
tion of the year. The audience was, as usual, very large and enthusiastic "Between the Acts" was the play taker and it pleased the audience. Mr. Wil liams had the leading part in the play
Other parts were taken by Mr. Edwin A. Snow, Mr. Francis Crosby, Miss Sessica Davis, Miss Johnson, Miss Jessica Davis, Miss
King and Mr. Esterly.
The season for dramatics is just at hand and on:y a prospective view can The Red Domino has given with much success the one-act play, "Loan

## LADIES' HALL

## By Mary B. Swain

Lades Hall is soon to be a name of the past if the girls have their way,解 Hall," as it is always called, mave a distunctive title of its own. o name has been decided on as yet, but just as soon as one can be agree pon, an attempt wis be made to carry through the legislature
There are eighty-six giris rooming at twenty-five are boarding there. The officers of the Ha:l are Abby S. Mayhew, mistress, and Mrs. Comly, matron. Miss Nellie Fisher acts as Miss Mayhew's assistant. Self-government has taken the place of Regents' rules at the Hall, and the representative members chosen from the of seven The present ler, chairman, Fern Hackett, Kliza Bartlett, Ruth 'Heaton, Ada Lloyld, Ma el O'Dell and Lucy Case Standing nd special committees are appointed by the chairman of the house-commit

The Hail is too young to have any raditions, but many customs have when instituted in the past few year will there is every reason to believe mportant into traditions. The mos mport Hall "Log Book," which past yea gun with a history of the year 1899 . This book is a large ledger, with an unsuspicious looking cover in which a record is kept of a:l the parties, class doings, pranks and funny happening of the year. Souvenirs, sketches an kodak pictures are scattered through it. A committee of five, one membe being elected from each class, and a chairman from the Hall has charge a he book.
It has become a Hall custom to give mal party during the year. A fancydress party is given to all the giris of dress party is given to all the giris of $e$ 'en and some entertainment is gen erally given to celebrate Washingtons birthday.
Among the girls themselves some well established castoms are the week ly news meeting on Friday evening, when a reporter is appointed to give a news of the week and the dancing in the gym for the girls and callers on Saturday evening A tifeen-minut service is held on Sunday morning at $9: 15$, after which there is a pretty custom of singing in the rotunda, which the music-ioving girls have kept up. Miss Mayhew is at home to all the girls, every Friday and Satu:day even
Each class has its annual affairs, some of which are handed down to th class below, and some kept by the ington's birthday breakfast and the Initiation ceremony of the new the into the class belongs to 1902 . Cus toms that have been passed on to the sophomores are the annual banquet the freshman hazing at Hallowe'en and the Christmas entertainment for th ireshmen just before the holidays, also the class party of the sophomore giris in the spring.
The rules are rather for convenience than restriction, most important among them being the observance of study afternoon and from 7:30 to $9: 30$ in the evening, during which hours absolute quiet is expected.
With the coming of the new mis tress iaree years ago, the change which have made the Hall life more and more homelike and the 'Hail giris more one family, began. Self-govern ment has made good order a simple mat times and sool feeling the mos conpicuous elements of Hall life.

Officers and Board of Directors of Ath. letic Association.
President-A. A. Chamberlain.
Vice-President-W. C. Sutherland Secretary-Phil King.
Student Members of the Board
Arthur Curtis, A. F. Larson, J. P. Ri-
rdan, E. B. Cochems, H. J. Peele, A Anderson, Paul Tratt, M. J. Cleary Thos. Leahy, F. C. McGowan
R. M, B Mro
ruce, Prof. C. R. Van Hise
Regent Member
B. J. Stevens.
A. S. Almi Member.

ASIDE from the Minnesota
game on Nov. 3 , the season game on Nov. 3, the season petted considering the amount of good material on hand at the beginning of the season The first call in the middle of Septemper brought together the best bunch of material that ever came to Wisconsin. Besides the nine old men there came an unusual lot of new men, who toward the close of united into a second eleven that was but little inferior to the 'Varsity With such a uniformly good lot o new men, Wisconsin need have little fear for her team during the next few years. The training began light and continued so for a month, everyone expecting to reach the climax of th season for the Chicago game on 17. However, two weeks before our Minnesota game, we awakened to the fact that Minnesota was unusually strong and every effort was bent to
prepare for the game. But, like the prepare for the game. But, like the
Hare in the fable, we awoke too late and went into the game in fairly good physical condition but with our team work not yet complete. While I be lieve we could have won with on team at its best, yet as the team wa on that day, the result would be dour ful if another game was played.
After that game the work became and reached its highest mark in the much improved, the team developed Chicago game; and while there wa not much glory in defeating Chicago as she was this year there was a
great deal of satisfaction, especially great deal of satisfaction, especially defeated by Chicago, the last two seasons.
Individually, the team, though light In weight was composed light heady players, whose knowledge of football, thanks to Coach King, ceeded that of most of our opponents. The fact that not one serious accdent occurred during the season speaks well for trainers O'Dea and Temple.
On the whole the season of 1900 was satisfactory and it is to be hoped that the motto "There are no quitter in Wisconsin," will be adopted by


Capt. Arthur H. Curtis.
every eligible first and second eleven man in the University next year, and of 1900 and land an undisputed title to the western championship.

## REVIEW OF THE SEAS

The past season has been disappointing to the majority of the students. With a schedule which seemed of victories ending in the defeat of our old rival, Chicago, no one could be found who would be rash enough to predict a possible defeat for the Cardihal, while some were sanguinary enough to give the western pennant to Wisconsin. Such hopes were not altoether as unfounded as they may seem. abundance of fast, heavy material as
were expected to prove one oi the with credit. This the members of the hardest propositions of the season. team resolved to do. Notre Dame was Wisconsin's team work at this stage met and at the close of the game Pat's was woefully poor. Owing to the sur- protegees were left with a goose egg fit of backfield material, Coach King had great difficulty in picking the reg-
uar backs, and this slowness in choosalar backs, and this slowness in choos-1
ing the team accounted to a great extent for the raggedness of the team work. The game resulted as expected. Combined with Wisconsin's poor showing the unexpected strength of the Be0; but kept the score down to 11 , that it The team took a decided brace the What had at first been considered e culminating game of the season was now at hand. Chicago was to be met and downed. The memory of the th of December of last year was to be wiped out. The team went to Chiago with the determination of at least equaling the seventeen points that were scored against them last year. In this they succeeded. In fact after
equaling the five points that the ma-


The 1900 Football Team.
gathered on the field at the start of the next few days and on Saturday ran mons made against them they exactly season's training. Many of these were $\begin{aligned} & \text { away with the team from Upper Iowa. } \\ & \text { doubled the score of last year. The }\end{aligned}$ had had some preliminary coaching in 0 . better the score of 57 to 0 made best of the year. Their line was the the rudiments of the game. Of the against the same team by the Iowa traditional stone wall while their oflast year's team there were nine back State University. This was done, six and in addition to these "Jerry" Ri- points being added to the Hawkeyes' team, was back in the 'Varsity and mark. It was about this time that would play his last year. Everything $\quad \begin{gathered}\text { allege feeding. During the early part }\end{gathered}$ seemed to point to the best team that of the season Minnesota had been Wisconsin had ever had. Coked upon as not being especially Early training began in answer to strong, and no great fear was felt for Coach King's call on the 15 th of Sep- the result of the game scheduled with temper. A week later the team went the Gophers. Their unexpected showagainst the Madison High School who ing against Cincago caused around. Conger than the University squad. The began to dawn upon the students that best that the regulars could do was to Wisconsin was not to have such easy score one touchdown while the high running during her entire schedule school boys were shut out entirely. and as the days went by this realizaThis game, while hardy satisfactory, ion was strengthened by the report demonstrated that there was a wealth from the Gopher camp. The game with of good material, especially in the Grinnell was anxiously awaited. Min backfield where there were several nesota had made but 26 points against candidates between the merits of he puck iowans and it was plainly whom it was almost impossible to This she aid, rolling up a total of 45
The next week saw the opening of school and as a result several pronising candidates were added to one bunch already at work on the lower campus, 1 he game this week was against Ripon College which was overwhelmed by a score of fifty to nothing, their light line proving scarcely an obstacie to the fast backs of the Badger. It was in this game that twelve different candidates were tried in the backfield, over enough for 'Varsity company

## Cardinal supporters company

Cardinal supporters were treated to a scare on the next Saturday. The
game regular:y schedued with Lake Forest had been cancelled and in or der to give the team the necessary practice previous to the Beloit game arrangements were made to play the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Chicago. The doctors were unusually strong, being composed mainly of exhad had no hard work in anticipation of such a contest, the best that they Beloit was to be met the following veek and with the poor showing made in the game against the doctors they


Ex-Captain Lon Chamberlain.

But one game was now left schedule, that with Illinois on Thanks giving day. This by mutual agreement was played one week earlier than was originally expected. The Llini played harder game than was expected, while the Badgers showed a lamentaole slump. Despite this, the score made by Minnesota against the same team Whinois though a single touchdown

| and it was only through sheer luck that they were kept from it. <br> This game practically ended the season. An attempt was made to secure a post-season game with Iowa, but all overtures in this direction were "turned down" by the Hawkeye management. A challenge was received from Brown University for a Thanksgiving game but the players decided that they had had enough for one season and the offer was declined. Although defeated in the race for the western pennant, the exceptional strength of the team was established as an undisputed fact and the '00 eleven will go down in college history as one of the strongest teams that ever represented the institution. <br> Personnel of Team. <br> The following are the statistics of the regular team which will undoubtedly be of interest to all the followers of the team. The weights are those taken at the time of the Minnesota game. <br> Captain A. A. Chamberlain comes from Darlington, Wis., and is eligible | to but one more year of 'Varsity football. His position is tackle, he is 25 years old and weighs 173 pounds. <br> Arthur Curtis is a Madison boy. He has played three years on the 'Varsity and four years on the Mauiison High. His position is right tackle, his age 19 , and his playing weight 175 pounds. He is captain of next year's team. <br> Jerry Riordan played his last year at the University this year. His position is right guard, his age 25 years. and he weighs 187 pounds. He was on the '95, '96 and '97 teams. <br> Eddie Cochems has played on the 'Varsity for three years at end and half. He is 23 years old and weighs 160 pounds. <br> William Juneau is a graduate of the South Side High School of Milwaukee where he played for two years. This is his second year on the 'Varsity. His position is right end, his age 21 and he weighs 158 pounds. <br> Emil Skow was on last year's scrubs and on this year's regulars. His position is center. He weighs 199 pounds, and is 23 years of age. |
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'96 and ' 97 teams and on last year'
Varsity. He plays quarter, weigh
Varsity. He plays quarter, weigh
136 pounds, and is 23 years old Earl Driver is also from Darlington. He played half back and substitute full back on last year's team and was full back this year. He is 21 years old and weighs 171 pounds.
Where E. Schreiber is a Madison boy team. He played full back this year He is 19 years old and weighs 182 pounds.
Albert
Albert Marshall was substitute half of this year. He is 23 years old and weighs 160 pounds.
A. C. Lerum plays
is 21 years old and guard. He is 21 years old and weighs 191
pounds. This is his second year on pounds. This is his second year on
the team. the team.
A. F. L
A. F. Larson was on the '97 and '9
'Varsity teams as half back. He 22 years old and weighs 165 pounds. A. C. Abbott played his first year on the regulars this year. He plays end, his age is 19 and he weighs 169 pounds. J. L. Doar played in one champion-

Track Team Prospects.
By Fred C. McGowan, Captain 1901 Track Team.



The 1900 Track Team.
team is not to his discredit; star ath
letes, like poets, are born, not made and under his term there were no stars in the men sent down to Chicago to go against the pick of the whole
middle West. Wisconsin captured less middle West. Wisconsin captured less
points than ever before in her history and fourteen remains the low water mark in track competition for Badger historians
Another thing that became evident as a result of the ' 99 meet is the necessity that the coach of a track team, as well as the coach of the foo tained from year to year or good re sults cannot be expected. If Wiscon sin expects to return to the position of leader in this department of college activity it is essential that a perma-
was a unanimous endorsement of Kilpatrick's work and a request that he be retained at Wisconsin if pos-
ible. His greatest success as a coach was marked in those events in which
water uccess would be looked for if it were come at all, namely in the distance
runs. The fact that Hahn in the mile and Burdick in the half were both enabled to lower the 'Varsity records is proof positive of what our coach has he mile is $4-322-5$ and for the half $1-5$.
So many differing accounts as to the orrect Wisconsin resords have been published from time to time that a list would probably not be out of place
here.

220 yard hurdles-A. C. Kraenzlein Mile walk-Jos. Bredsteen, '99, 1 mile bicycle-J. C. Taylor, '98 -30 1-4. 2 mile bicycle-J. C. Taylor, '97, 5-1-3 mile bicycle-C. C. Allen, '99

High jump-E. C. Waller, '97, 511 Broad jump-F. W. Schule, '99, 22 16 ID. shot-H. F. Cochems, '95, Hammer throw-C. G. Stangel, '9

Discus throw-C. G. Stangel, '9

Wisconsin's track team for the sea son of 1901 will not be materially weakened by the loss of graduates in were in class. The only men who inter-collegiate meet at June at the Park in Chicago who will not be elig. ble in the 1901 meet are I F. Granke and G. Cassells. Of the balance of the team every man has returned and the reshmen class has material that will considerably strengthen Wisconsin in the field events.
Among these H. B. Webster stands out most prominently as a man -ho has a previous record, and consequ ntone to whom Wisconsin will look off next spring. His Interscholastic


Capt. Fred C. McGowan. in. made at the Illinois meet last spring will probably stand as the U S. record for some time. D. B. Cropp is another good man entering Wisconsin this fall, his events being the ashes and the 440 . A. C. Abbott, ommercial school student, who played end when the Badger boys wiped that pected to do something in the hurdles and in the high jump. There are undoubtedly other good men in the reshman class who will be brought out by Coach Kilpatrick's system of indoor work this winter. The early meet to be held in Milwaukee under the auspices of the Milwaukee Athletic Association will probably be atilized to "try out" all of the new men who do conssientious work during the winter months. It is unnecessary to more than men
von the members of last year's team ton the members of last year's team who will train again this spring for their respective events. Of those who
took part in the Chicago meet on June took part in the Chicago meet on June
2, there remains as a nucleus Schule, Bredsteen, Wheeler, Juneau, Cochems Hahn, Burdick, Lerum, Bishop, Mc Farland, Helmholz, Young and Senn. The throwing out of the walk and substituting the two-mile run has made it necessary for ex-Capt. Bredsteen to enter in a new event in his fourth year of college athletics, but the determination that has character-
ized his work throughout will certainlzed his work throughout will certain-
ly make him a formidable contestant to make him a formidable contestant And now just a word in regard to the success or failure of the 1901 track eam. It is not the policy of Wiscon the coaches to say if such and such a thing had not happened we would have won. So in the meet last spring when injuries prevented some of the men entering, there were no excuses to b offered for defeat. Michigan, Chicago and California all beat us out fairly and squarely besause they had bet ter men in competition, and points are
won by competition and not by men won by competition and not by men in the respective institutions who are spring, some of the colleges will have men who are unable to enter perhaps Wisconsin will be among that number but if we are, and victory is not ours, let all Wisconsin students be united in the statement that "Wisconsin is beaten," and leave it there. Don't apologize, don't try to hedge. If this is the traditional Badger policy, and it is, may it be one that will go down through the years to come as long as .
The more prominent alumni o for the purpose of collecting and suriety lishing all available data bearing on the early history of the nation, and more particularly on the part which Princeton took in the making of that history.
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## A FEW FACTS.

The newspaper is one of the most significant developments of our modmental life. Into its making go the best ness methods that its publishers are capable of. It reflects more or less community upon which it depends for its existence. It is the great medium or communication and information be tween different communities.
The college paper is a humble imitator of its more "really, truly" proto-
type. The regular magazine has its type. The regular magazine has its
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publication that almost every institupublication that almost every institu-
tion of learning, from the smallest tion of learning, from the smallest
High School up to the largest university, manages to support. This is perhaps the primary form which college journalism (if we can so dignify it) takes. From this to the weekly, which is apt to present a combination of the literary and news-offering functions, the transition is an easy one. such enterprise takes is naturally the daily paper. The daily is a comparatively recent product of collegiate activity. It is part of the modern rush in educational as well as business lines. It is a significant fact that the most progressive dailies, bulletin-board type are the stilted West.
est.
The making of such a paper in-
volves the expenditure of more time and energy than the average reader has any idea of. The primary requirement is, of course, the covering and gathering of all news. This means that every department of the Univer-
sity has to be specially assigned and sity has to be specially assigned and
watched. Besides this regular duty the reportorial force is subject to assignments of news items in the same manner that a city newspaper partitions its work among the staff of rethese writeups is often greater than one would imagine to be the case in so compact a community as a college appears to be.
The news having been gathered there remains a large amount of office work before the paper is ready to be be carefully edited and at least two sets of proof sheets read. The "making up," or distribution of the material as it is to appear in the printed paper, is another important item of laaim to reflect as intelligently as must sible the general student sentiment The smallness of the field places serious limitations upon this work.
It is often difficult to determin how far to imitate the city dailies in methods and mechanical make-up of
the paper without becoming ridicul
thereby. The Cardinal makes it principle to do this so principle to do this so far as is con
sistent with good taste. It is not a literary magazine or a bulletin-board but makes an endeavor to give its ton, such as faculty and student noti ces, as quickly as it is possible to se cure them and in as readable a condi tion as it is possible to put them. Much of the work is done between classes and in the first part of the af ternoon and naturally suffers from hasty manner of its prepas would most reputable any tremendous differences in this regard. Only the most painstakcomparison with the work upon our most reputable newspapers would not reveal any tremendous differences in this disregard. Only the most painstak sue out of the limited character of the field, and to make it anything more han a mere chronicle.
The criticism is sometimes made that the college daily lacks literary dignity. This is no doubt true and indeed, we could expect nothing else in a publication of such a character
The nature of the subjects and the The nature of the subjects and the preclude any but an occasional at tempt to put them into lasting literary form. Then, too, many an apparently grievous offense against the English language is due to the vagaries of the compositor. Not long ago one of these typographical errors caused much perturbation in the mind of a gentleman who searched vainly
through the entire English classics for through the entire English classics for the word which was causing the
trouble and finally succeeded in unearthing it in Edmund Spenser. It seems sad that someone's failure to insert that extra syllable should have tissue that might have been better tissue that might have been better
employed in more profitable pursuits. The Cardinal does •its best to subThe Cardinal does its best to subthose to whom it owes its support, and to present, to as great an extent as the nature of the field will allow, a daily newspaper of the best type.
With this object in view, it is now in the tenth year of its existence an has became an integral part of Uni-
versity life. Its career bids fair to versity life. Its career bids fair to

continue prosperously. And so in the spirit of the time it extends to its eaders, through this Christmas edion, its heartiest wishes for continued | succes |
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Following its regular custom, the Cardinal presents herewith the annual tended to be more This issue is invenir edition such as will be repreentative of the University and its ife. In a year many changes oceur in uch a complex body as a great university. If they have succeeded in making some record, however in-
sufficient, of the marvelous growth sufficient, of the marvelous growth Wisconsin, the members of the Cardiamply repaid for the time and labo amply repaid for the time and labor the preparation of this number.
A large number of new cuts and pecial articles have been introduced into this number in the expectation that they will make it valuable for purposes of reference. New buildings and departments have been exhaustvely written up and illustrated, as well as the standard organizations of the University. No trouble or expense as been spared to make this edition as complete as possible. It is hoped
that it will be of permanent value.

## Fcotball Men Entitled to W

 The following men payed in the entitled to wear the official W: Captain Lon Chamberlain, Arthur Curtis, Terry Riordan, Ed Cochems, William uneau, Emil Skow, Paul Tratt, Earl Driver, W. E. Schreiber, Albert Marhall, A. C. Lerum, A. F. Larson, A. C., J. L. Doar.
Johns Hopkins University ha signed from the Intercollegiate Lacosse Association at America on aclast spring.

The freshman class at Cornell Unirersity proposes to exclude
rom the class organization

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we desire to coll therire these pages appreciation to those who make it possib
kind.
The business men of Madison and others outside the city have most heartily contributed their support to our advertising columns. The subscriptions to the Cardinal little way toward paying the running expenses of the paper and it would in fact be an utter impossibility to run a college daily if it was not for
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cturn from the student body. It is showing the true college spirit to paWe hope that the oming year will se We hope that the coming year will see
a movement in this direction. If a student is in need of anything, let him consult the columns of the Cardinal before purchasing. We wish to express our most sinchants may receive the patronage they deserve.
We wish further to extend our es pecial thanks to our Milwaukee friends who have generously advertised in this issue. They do not come into direct contact with the student body, and their advertising patronage ought to be taken as a compliment to the Miland as a mark of their appreciation and as a mark of their appreciation of
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At the International Live Stock ex position at Dexter Park Pavilion Chicago, this year, the exhibitions of the agricultural colleges of Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota and Iowa were re-
garded with great interest by stock garded with great interest by stock
raisers. In a number of classes they raisers. In a number of classes they
received, first and third prizes, someeceived, first and third prizes, some-
hing never before attained by agrithing never befo

Minnesota won the prize for the best collective exhibit of livestock at the cago last week.

## "Aunt Elizabeth's Christmas Present."

Second Prize Story, by Harvey O. Sargeant.

II
Eb bought every momber华e tamilya Christmas rese It y you had a a maiden aunt
Mary , what would you get seyond $m y$ vainin poover. So spoke Alice Haringt
lege chum, Mary Reed. Hiset me see, o, I have just the things Youn kiow the Browns or
Wasbington avenues
Well, they have Washington avenue; Well, they have
a whole family of Angora cats and I think you can get one."
"That's iust what she would like "Alright," said Mary. So away they went in search of the cat. The bargain proved easy, and they pur-
chased what Mary thought the sweetest, dearest. little white kitten she ever saw. Alice did not like cats.
She had not yet reached the age when women are supposed to dote on th feline kind.
It was the day before departure for It was the day before departure for
the holidays. Gown after gown went into the trunk, and all was ready for "What am I going to do with th cat?" said Alice, as she gazed rue-
fully at the trunk, which was already too full for closing the lid. "I can't take it." will fix him up nicely in a box and you can carry it in your hand. ing a cat! They would takin carrythe advance agent of a menagerie, "O! I have an idea," said Mary. "You remember the box which our
silver tea kettle came in. It has a big lobel marked 'solid silver.' We will think you have been buying present for your mother." "O anything. Aren't you?" small holes punched in the a fe preparatory to pussy's departure. The following day, the girls kisse each other good-bye,
their respective trains.
Alice Harrington took the only
silver box beside her. Now Alice was
not ill favored. She had been blessed with wh:t the world calls beauty. And a little expression
lurked about her mouth which said, "Admire me if you want to; I don't mind.'
soon Mr. Stoughton came down the soon Mr. Stoughton came down the
aisle. Alice had met Mr. Stoughton dancer! It was just like a dream to waltz with him. He was coming "How do you do, Miss Harrington," he began. "I suppose you are glad to be going home. You don't mind if I share this seat with you, do you?",
"Certainly not, Mr. Stoughton. "Certainly not, Mr. Stoughton.
shall be glad to have some one talk
Things had become settled in the car and the train was uader way.
Not a few people looked around to see the pretty girl and the interesting young man Alice's lap.

Some one must be going to have marked Mr. Stoughton. "Silver seems about the only thing you can get for mothers anyway. I suppose you did not dare put it in your trunk." "No," replied Alice, hesitating, "it
jams so easily," already wishing the box in the bottom of Lake Mendota. crowded you think it was awfully crowded at the hop the other night:
Mr. Stoughton," she continued. Mr. Stoughton," she continued. on my feet most of the evening. on my feet most of the evening.
Can't I put your box upon the rack for you?" "No thank you, Mr. Stoughton, I'm so afraid it will get jammed."
Just then there was a stir in the
box and a wail. Miss Harrington box and a wail. Miss Harrington
turned may colors. The people turned may colors. The people
smiled very much, and one freshman in the seat behind smiled. out loud. Mr. Stoughton seemed to have a very
hunt up the news agent and see if he
could not get some cough drops. He was evidently so afraid of taking
more cold that he pulled up his collar more cold that he pulled up his collar
very high as he went down the aisle. very high as he went down the aisle.
Poor Alice still blushed and looked Poor Alice still blushed and looked
put of the window. She wished the out of the window. She
cat would die in the box.
The train sped on. It seemed to Alice as if she had travelled hours
Everyone in the car was looking at Everyone in the car was looking at
her, she knew. Would they never get to Chicago!
They did get there finally and Alice lost no time in leaving the car. Sh must wait an hour before she could get her train. She went within the depot, set down her burden on a seat and then went to see about vechecking her baggage. She was gone but a few
minutes and was just reentering the minutes and was just reenterins the room again when she saw a man gaz-
ing at the label oa the box. Hen ing at the label on the box. H picked it un and started for the door.
Although poor Alice wished the Although poor Alice wished the cat first impluse made her cry out, "My
other John bought Aunt Elizaberh black and $\tan$ terrier yesterday "m afraid there's trouble ahead." I hope he tears the miserable cat to pieces, I do!" ejaculated Alice. They soon drove home, and $O$ what kissing, and welcoming there was. Jamma and John and sister May and errier at her heels.

Aunt Elizabeth
O, Aunt Elizabeth," cried Auce,
ve brought you a present, buit I hope that dog will kill it dead!" Amid the sorrowful tale of Alice and the exclamations of the rest of the household Aunt Elizabeth opened the "O you dear little fluffy thing!" said unt Elizabeth
Just then the terrier jumped up into Then there was a swelled double. Then there was a commingling oi
black yellow and white. It ended up however by the terrier taking refuge And who shall say that Aunt Elizabeth did not spend a pleasant Christmas in teaching peace and good will to her new family. $\qquad$

, Stiman, Carl F. Stilman, Pat rick J. Kelley, John V. Brennan, Michael B. Olbrich, Milan R. Bump, Henry L. Janes, Sanford P. Starks, Rober M. Davis.

Since bull fighting was stopped, the Cubans have taken kindly to American of baseball at Santiago between Cuban and American players and although the Americans had several ex-League players on their team, their winning score was only 8 to 4 .-Brown Daily Herald.

A silver loving cup has been pre sented to the University of Pennsyl vania by the students of West Point and Annapolis to show their apprecia in obtaing permissin emies to resume athletic relations.

Supt. Bell of the Racine schools, has placed himself on record as being ercise and is opposed to the elimination of football from the list of ahtletics.


The University from the City

A policeman just coming up took in the situation at once and made a
run for the man. The thief in his haste to get away, dropped the box on the stone floor. It cracked open and ped and the cat. The policeman stopall the poople laughed.
Alice looked the image of woe. The woeful expression was becoming to Alice. Who would not help a pretty
woman in trouble?
A nice young man, the policeman and a messenger boy united in their efforts to recapture the cat, which
they finally did. The box was tied togetker again and restored to its blushing owner, who thanked them all, but who could have slapped everyone of hem for grinning if she had only been man.
in time for the train and the unhappy girl again went aboard but this time she covered up And, O the her jacket and collarette when the brakeman called out he home station.
Papa of course met her at the depot Why Alice, what's the matter," he be gan as he saw the tears in his daugh
ter's eyes. "Here
would take this she said, "I wish you would take this box and throw it in
the river. I bought Aunt Elizabeth an Angora cat for Christmas, and it has made people laugh at me, and I lied, and everyone has eyed me all the way
from Madison.
The father took the box and then he troub a more detailed account of augh.

## The Badger.

The Badger has a distinct place in he life of the University. It is an annual published by a board elected matter of a statistical character con ists of literary matter of various inds, mainly humorous, illustrated opiously with photographs and drawngs. It ranks high among the publi cations of a similar character among the colleges of the country. The pres ent board, from the class of 1902, conists of:
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This opportunity is taken by those who have had the matter in charge to gladly responded to the first suggestion and made possible the purchase

Minnesota held her annual banquet to the football team of 1900 at the

## "Our Sturdy Wisconsin Crews," And Their Invasion

By Ex=Capt. Andrew R. Anderson and Coach Andy O'Dea.


view the boat races that took place on the Hudson last June, but the accounts
then printed were for the then printed were for the
so inaccurate and uneliable, and betrayed such a lamentable lack of kioowledge of the
most elementary principles of rowing that a few words now may not be amiss.
The Varsity crew that represented Wisconsin on this occasion was unquestionably the most experienced that ever represented the institution, every man, with but one exce
rowed on former Varsity crews. rowed on former Varsity crews.
In the bow was Alexander, elected
captain of the ' 98 crew, who resigned captain of the ' 98 crew, who resigned
that position to enter the war, now that position to enter the war, now
rowing for his fourth year, and un-

questionably the best bow our Wiscon-
$\sin$ ever had.
At No. 2 was Street, who served in
the navy on the "Castine" during the the navy on the "Castine" during the war, also a veteran.
tinguished himself by winning a distinguished himself by winning a seat
in the boat without having had prein the boat with
vious experience.
At No. 4 was Welsh, the biggest man that rowed in any of the crews, New York papers as the "Colossus of the West."
At No. 5 was Gibson, who has rowed longer and in more races than any man in the boat, and whom the Miiwaukee Sentinel discov
promising youngster."
fourth season, who captained the 99 dourth season, who captained the '99
crew, and whose rare good judgment guided the department through that trying year.
At No. 7 was Capt. Anderson, hold-
ing down that position for the fourth ing down that position for the fourth
year. whose unequaled grit, coolness and general head work marks him as the best stroke o

Along witn this Varsity crew came a
eshman crew that was even more refreshman crew that was even more re-
markabie, and that outclassed all its competitors, and that can be justly compared only to the freshman crew that represented Yale in 1897. To
those who were on the "inside," the those who were on the "inside," the
outcome of the freshman race was never in doubt.
Not so the Varsity race. For al-
though Georgetown and though Georgetown and Columbia were never seriousiy considered, it
was on every hand agreed that in the contest between Pennsylvania, Wisbe given. A comparison of the three, therefore, may be helpful.
Cornell's form was by far the best, in fact it was well-nigh perfect, and with good endurance ought to win.
In endurance, Pennsylvania and WisIn endurance, Pennsylvania and Wis-
consin were practically equal, and both consin were practically equal, and both were physically superior to Cornell. Yet in form tney were both inferior to the Ithacan, and then, too, Pennsyl gument, as the rough weather had prevented Wisconsin's form from becoming finished.
On the day of the race, June 30, the wind was blowing harder than ever but towards evening it quieted down and finally preparation was made to start the Varsity race as the water along the west shore war well pro-

Georgetown was the first to smooth. Georgetown was the first to appear first shall be last." Then in quick succession came Columbia, Wisconsin Pennsylvania and Cornell, and whe the referee had shouted his brief instructions, all was ready. When shortly before seven o'clock the pistol was fired, the crews jumped away, Pennsylvania catching the water first, then Cornell, then Wisconsin. At the half-
mile Cornell by a superb exhibition of watermanship, had captured the lead from Pennsylvania, and shortly vania from second place Pennsyl town was still a good fourth, but Columbia was hopelessly in the rear While the others were rowing not less consin had dropped the stroke to
han thirty-four to the minute, Wis-thirty-two, that slow but powerfu? stroke which had proved so effective a
year ago, and when the mile post was year ago, and when the mile post was
reached, Wisconsin was tied for first with Cornell. Pennsylvania, however hung gamey on half a length behind the leaders. From the shore it looke
as if they were tied together by an as if they were tied together by a
electric cable, which rcfused to let electric cable, which rcfused to let
them get as much as a length apart. The story of the race for the next two miles is one of tremendous effort clear water and kill off their competitors. In the third half miie Wiscon$\sin$ captured the lead, but Pennsyl-
vania by spurting "twenty" every ha:f mile was beginning to overhaul Cor-
nell. While these three were racing nell. While these three were racing,
the other two were rowing. It did not the other two were rowing. It did not
seem possible that the three leaders could remain bunched much longer, but at the two mile mark their great
aquatic puzz'e was no nearer a so'u tion than it had been at the beginning At two and a half miles a change was noticed. Pennsylvnia had captured the lead,, but Cornell, rowing magnificently was threatening to overhaul them,
and at this point looked sure winners,
her No. 3 caught a crab, and before from which to draw, especially last
hey had gotten together again, Wis- year's freshmen crew intact, to whom they had gotten together again, Wis- year's freshmen crew intact, to whom consin had passed them and was a we look to uphold Wisconsin's pres-
quarter length to the good. The con- tige, and complete the work tney have test now began in earnest, and it so auspiciously begun. seemed that up to this point the work had all been child's play. Both captains gasped their orders for a spurt. Wisconsin raised the stroke from thirty-two to thirty-five and Pennsyl vania from thirty-five to thirty-eight. Ordinarily spurts last only for ten or wenty strokes, but this was a spurt end. Inch by inch Pennsylvania re overed the lost quarter length and the race was becoming more desperate than ever. The seconds began to seem like hours. Neck and neck the two came down the stretch and when they servation train like a dead heat This view however was misleading, nd it proved that Pennsylvania had half a length to spare. Thus ended What was undoubtedly the hardest finish ever seen in America. Meanwhile, as Comell
Meanwhile, as Cornell struck the
wells, there was a catastrophe. It was as if their shell which had been running so smooth:y all the way had suddenly run into a sandbank. Their troke waved his oar wildly in the air,
hen No. 7 caught several crabs, and in a few seconds they were out of it, and saved third place for themsel lumbia rowed the last two miles better han the first two, and accordingly took fo
town.
Officia
Official time: Pennsylvania, 19$20: 04$ 1-5; Columbia, 20:08 1-5; Georgetown, 20:19 1-5.
It is here to be noted against all accounts given at the time, that Wisconsin rowed a much lower stroke than any of the others, rowing thirtytwo except at the start and the spurt
at the finish. This fact so deceived

ANDY'S CRITICISM A review of the boating season of
1900 cannot fail to be a source of pride and pleasure to any Wisconsin man worthy of the name. Marking as it does Wisconsin's accomplishment of the highest effort known to the college boating world, viz.: the training and equipment of University and ing those crews the longest distance ever traveled in this country, to do batthe for old Wisconsin against admitedly the strongest aggregation of col ege crews ever collected. The result is ancient history, but not so ancient that it has been forgotten by Wiscon$\sin$ men. That magnificent but unsuccessful effort of the 'Varsity in the hardest fought eight oar race over four miles ever rowed, will long remain to be spoken of with pride by those who were privileged to witness it. As one
very excited Pennsylvania man said to very excited Pennsylvania man said to
me just after the race, his face still me just after the race, his face still
pale, and his color sowly returning, paie, and his color s'owly returning
"I want to say, Mr. O'Dea, that Wisconsin crew is just as good as ours It was any one's race right to the fin-
ish. Allow me to congratulate you, The Freshmen, after witnessing the defeat of their elders, went out an made one of the very best races I have ever seen. They had not much to
cheer them on, but they had a grim cheer them on, but they had a grim
determination to do or die, and their efforts have gone to mark a very bright page in Wisconsin's boating history These are the kind of boys we want and so long as more of that calibre come to Wisconsin there need be no fear that Wisconsin will be disgraced She may be defeated in time; one col lege has no monopoly on events like
these. At any rate we can trust Wis-

'Varsity Crew 1900.
as they were gliding along without ap- ${ }^{-}$the writer in Collier's Weekly, that he consin's honor in their hands and abide parent effort, with perfect rythm and said that Wisconsin did not use up by the result. So much for a little form, while Wisconsin, apparent:y their strength as they should have hero worship. The boys deserved it.
 place. The Westerners, however, low stroke is also mentioned in it is a fact nevertheless, that the entire were not whipped yet, but as they the statement of Pennsylvania's student subscription amounted to less went under the sky-scrapinng canti- coxswain, who says: I thought than $\$ 200.00$. This in a college of two ever bridge, which marks the third we were whipped sure. We thousand students is little short of disthey had rallied to such an extent as were rowing nearly forty, and our they had rallied to such an extent as a quarter length behind the Quakers In the meantime a large steamer had come up the river, unhindered by any of the revenue cutters and throwing a series of tremendous swells straight athwart the course. Wisconsin was the first to encounter them, and passed was less fort a hitch, but Pennsylvania bright, for although most of the old was less fortunate or less skillful, as men are gone, there are other sources
rowing colleges woud only be tco glad necessary to weed out the material.
to support handsomely such crews as seems that there is just a little selfreproach coming to those who neglected to do their duty by the crew.
There was a time, not so cong distant when the student subscription furnished almost the entire fund for the crew. Now it seems when outside he:p
is increasing, home contributions are is increasing, home contributions are
sadly diminishing. Th:s is a matter sadly diminishing. Th:s is a matter
of sincere regret, and we hope to see a of sincere regret, and we hope to see a
change during the ensuing season. We cannct expect the alumni to help us when we fail to help ourselves. If
we do the best we can, the alumni will surely and gladly do their part. One loyal alumnus to whom we owe much is Mr. Cole of Miiwaukee. He certainly is deserving of the best that
Wisconsin men can say of him. He Wisconsin men can say of him. He
contrinuted largely and worked herocontriuted largely and worked hero-
ically, and we pay him this small tribute which seems to be woefully inade quate.

Our prospects for next season if we judged them by the number of men
missing from their accustomed places in the boat, would be blue indeed.
necessary to wecd out the material.
The work will be started on the machine, and finished in the rowing $\operatorname{tank}$ Just a word of advice to Fresnmen before I close. Conditioned students are not allowed to compete as members of either crew. So in your anxicty to make the craw, don't neglect your studies. That operates just as po werfuliy against you as unsuitability
in the bcat. in the bcat.

## Coach Andrew M. O wea

Comments on the Race Oating: Such a ding-dong finish consin has never been witnessed a four-mile course in America-it doubted if it was ever dupricated anywhere.
N. Y. World: The most desperate battie that rowing men ever saw on his side cf the worid.
New York Herald: Five crews
rowed; three crews raced. That is the owed; three crews raced. That is the
tory of the competition in a nutshell the story of the contest is quite difThe story of the contest is quite dif-
ferent. As Yale and Harvard surpassed a:l other regattas on the
rhames in their recent great struggle
S. C. Lounsbury, '01, sub 216.00160 Averages.

## Wisconsin Freshmen.

Bow-H. W. Werner.. $21 \quad 5.09150$ 2-W. K. Murphy... $19 \quad 19.00 \quad 142$ -D. Trevarthen .... $18 \quad \overline{1} \quad 5.08 \quad 156$ 4-R. G. Stevensoa b-C. H. Gaffin $\begin{array}{lllll}\text { 6-L. H. Levisee } & \text {.... } & \text { zo } & 6.00 & 5.11 \\ 161\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llll} & 5.09 & 152\end{array}$ Stroke-A. J. Quigley. $23 \quad 5.08 \quad 142$ Averages .......... $203 / 45.095 / 81545 /$ Coxswain-T. F. Saw rer $20 \quad 5.09 \quad 12$ of the 1901 'Varsity soon after the of the 1901 'Varsity soon after the sity for the last two years. He row ed No. 2 on the ' 98 'Varsity eight.

## Record of the Crews

University race, four miles, coates ants, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, nell, Columbia and Georgetown. erly wind, fairly strong ebb tide rowed at 6:55. Pennsylvania won Time 19:44 $3-5$; Wisconsin second, 19:46 2-5; Cornell third, 20:04 $1-5$; Columbia fourth, 20:08.

that compels us to look for new material, still it is not without hope that we look to the aspirants cor places in the 1901 boat. We lose Sutherland 6, Anderson 7, Alexander B, and Herrick
3 by graduation. Welsh 4 has taken 3 by graduation. Welsh 4 has taken
up his studies at Northwestern Dental priol and Street 2 has not returned chool and Street 2 has not returned lated. Gibson 5 and Williams, stroke are the only old men left. To fill hese p'aces we have the entire Freshman (1903) crew, together with Varsity substitutes, Lounsbury and Moffatt. The crew promises to be lighter but that will be no detriment. The men were gotten out in the fall
and tried out for the 'Varsity posiand tried out for the Varsity posi-
tions. Some good work was accompished, and the crew certainly was fast for a distance. If they can go the entire course as satisfactorily as Wisconsin will certainly have a crew quite up to her average.
The Freshmen, 1904, are not a big lot in comparison with 1903, although there are some big men among them. right spirit, and that reinforced with the usual complement of arms and legs should produce a good average crew. There is a disposition to keep the 1904 crew in Madison for their race against St. Johns, for the reason that Madison s entitied to any race wiich it is in our power to the Freshmen prove ood cmourh, they may be taken with the , Varsity crew. And too many rips are ant to interfere with their tudies.
Freshmen, who have not up to date tried for the crew, will be called out immediately after the holidays, and started in to work in the gymnasium under the candidates for coxswains as squad leaders. Two weeks later the entire squad will be called out. Then
at New London, so Pennsylvania, Cor-
nell and Wisconsin made new history nell and Wisconsin made new history
for racing on the Hudson. Chicago Times-Gerald: race was certainiy the hottest and nost exciting ever seen on the Hud-
soa River, with a quarter-mile finish that was fairly hair-rising. For fully that was fairly hair-rising. For fully
three-quarters of the long four-mile three-quarters of the long four-mile
stretch on the Hudson, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin and Corne: were practically on even terms. When these three grcat crews passed beneath the bridge the Quakers were slightly in the lead, but either of the other two were within struggle had been so heart-breaking that no one would have been surprised tibly on the home stret.
New York Journal, before the race: The easte men are all at sea about Wisconsin. Their tumultuous work of last year gave the easterners a wholesome respect for the kind of muscle that develops in the lumber country and though they stand around the hotel lobjies and declare that the lum bermen do not keep their boat steady that their body swing and wate stroke are too long, and that their
progress is a successon of jerks and progress is a succession of jerks an bo focussed on the cardinal of Wiscon n when the gun goes off tomorrow

## STATISTICS OF THE CREWS.

Wisconsin Varsit
Age Height Weight
P. Alexander, '00, bow 245.08152 L. C. Street, '01, 2 ...... 235.11156 W. K. Herrick, '00, $3 \ldots$ 225.1115
W. J. Welsh, '02, 4
$\begin{array}{lll}20 & 6.02 & 182 \\ 20 & 6\end{array}$
C. Sutherland, '00, 6 $\begin{array}{ll}22 & 6.02176 \\ 20 & 5.0\end{array}$
R. Anderson, '00, cap. 726.00
A. Williams, ' $00, \ldots .22 \quad 5.11 \quad 152$
G. Dillon, '00, coy

Tau Bet PAU BETA PI.
University in was founded at Lehigh tered Min 1885, and has since en College Purdue Ste Agricultura the University of Illinois, and in 1899, he University of Wisconsin.
Like Phi Beta Kappa, it is a fraternity of brains, the qualifications for membership requiring high scholar hhip as well as good fellowship. The some distinction upon those who have done good work in their collegiate course.
The contingent of regular members from any class is elected in two in stallments; the first one-eighth of the flass is eligible after completing the first semester of their junior year; the senior year In addition, the of the who led his class during the first two years is eligible at the beginning of the junior year.
The present membership is as fol lows: Faculty,-Storm Bull, Freder ick E. Turneaure, Bernard V. Swen son, Dugald C. Jackson, Nelson O Whitney, Edward R. Maurer, Charles F. Burgess, John G. D. Mack, Budd Frankenfield. Graduates: Myron M. Fowler, Lynn A. Williams, Carl Ham buechen.
Seniors; Arthur C. King, Nathaniel L. Hurd, Russell J. Hawn, Lewis D. Severson, Le Roy Salsich, Frank E Washburn, Fritchjof Vea Henry H Wood. Junior: Carl F. Stillman.

## BASKET BALL.

Basket ball as an indoor sport is be coming more important each year in the various colleges. Nearly all of the eastern institutions are represented by such teams and the western college first basket ball team at Wisconsin wa
organized three years ago, Walter $P$ Hirschberg being captain. Several the team meeting with for and played, cess. Last year two games were played, ane with two games were and one with Minnesota. In the former game the Badgers were successful but went down in defeat before the University of Minnesota.
This year games will probably be ar anged with Wayland Academy, Lawronce University, West wuperior Nor nal, Armour Institute and University Practices
Practices are heid on Wednesday Friday and Saturday of each week un Captain Hirschberg. The prospects for a good team this year are especially bright, all of last year's team being back together with many new men. The ladies basket ball teams are again at work. Last year teams, rep resenting the freshmen and sophomore lasses, met in a game at the ladies ymnasium, which resulted in a vicyear an effort will be made to organ ze teams representing each of the classes and to have games between thom in order to establish a class championship. No ladies' team representing the University will be organzed, owing to we restrictions of the faculty.

The Military Band.
The organization is this year composed as follows: Officers: Leader, L. D. Williams, '01, solo cornet; President, A. C. Ehlman, drum major; Secretary, W. H. R. Bump, '02, first tenor. Other members-J. B
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { law, } 02 \text {, second alto: } & \text { T. W W }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llll}\text { law, } & \text { second alto; T. W. } \\ \text { Andersen, } & 04, \text { third alto; C. }\end{array}$ Q. Austin, law ' 02 , tuba; J. man, law '01, second tenor; M. Cleveland, law '03, tuba; H. E. Clausen, 04, cymbals; C. O. Dawson, sp., clarinet; H. W. Dow, '02, first cornet; R. C. Fairbank, law '01, clarinet; G. O. ortney, 02, solo cornet; R. N. Foster, 03, baritone; R. H. Gilfillan, 04, net: C Cl, Kusting, haw 03, first cor Kasberg, '03, solo cornet; L. H Kasberg,
Lathrop, 03 , socond cornet; L. H.
cornet; F. C. Marvin, '03, clarinet; H. S. Peterson, '01, solo cornet; W. B. Philbrick, '04 snare drum; A. W. Quan, '04, first
 03, piccolo; Harvey Sniveley, '04, picsolo; R. Sharpe, '03, bass drum; H. L. Dessert, ' 03 , first cornet; W. M. Baxter, '04, saxaphone or clarinet; J. ibert Hinn, '04, solo cornet: clarinet; Jackson ' 04 , first solo cornet; R. T. 03 , second cornet iccolo: R C Disque ' 03 , slide trom one; Robert Ewald, '04, clarinet. Louis A. Burns, '04, slide trombone; . W. Van Doren, acad., baritone: E Darling, M. H. S., solo cornet; O. B Dahle, 02, saxaphone; G. A. Scott '02, clarinet.
The Co-onerative Association.
The Uníversity Co-operative Comany, which was founded in 1892. is When year more prosperous than ever. When the original articles of incorporation were filed there were 200 hip has steadily grown memberyear there were 1294 members last year, however, there are over 1700 stockholders. The sales for 1897 were $\$ 8,000$; for $1898, \$ 13,000$; for 899, $\$ 16,200$; and last vear the sales mounted to $\$ 29,303.78$. This year the business bids foir to increase even During lost year.
During the last year the Co-op paid 1602.33 in rebates to the active mem$121 / 2$ per cent. and in cash 10 being T. S. Morris, the present maner cent. hom the success of the husiness is lagely due, has resigned to take up other business interests. His succes or is not yet known.

Several changes have been made in the college buildings at Harvard Over a thousand electric lights have been fitted at Austin Hall, to replace he Welsbach gas lights which have proved unsatisfactory

Dr. Lyman Abbott has been chosen preacher another term as University
"Dowager Empress of the Seas." ERHAPS the only really
complete write-up of the tial trip of the new battle ber 15, in San Francisco ber 15, in San Francisco bay, appeared in the Sunday Sentinel Oct. number contributes an articl which certainly deserves the kindest comment from the severest critic-inspiring, graphically told, it is sure to instill into the hearts of the people of the "Badger" state a love for the Wisconsin," that skill and labor. "To realize the wonderful trip, one must be in the fighting top, at 18.54 knots an hour and see the wall of milky, beady water twenty-five feet
high and sixty broad hurled from either bow or in the engine room to either bow or in the engine room to
watch the pistons beat through the fine mist of flying oil and water that hides the glistening bodies of the en-
was not until the tumultuous welcome in San Francisco harbor broke upon world's record was apparent
"The day was lowering with a dash of rain on the south-west swell, and a thirty-mile wind. Admiral Kautz and the Trial Board stepped on deck. The Wisconsin" then spun out ten miles to make sure that all the shore bea-
cons could be sighted, and then twenty cons could be sighted, and then twenty
or thirty miles more to get every gear in trim. The clouds were breaking now. The hoarse port whistle sound the first attempt.
Irving Scott and his assistants wer bsorbed in observations of the bridge. The naval officers on board were gathered in groups in low consultation as she hurried westward with that vast measured throb of the ngines hardly sounding. She surged
past the Philadelphia, the last stake

## Phi Beta Kappa. By PROF. M. s. SLAUGHTER.

The first chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa society in this state was es in in the fall of 1898. The charter or the chapter was granted at the triennial meeting of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa on the request of certain members of the Faculty who had been members of the society in their own colleges. These men thought it was time that the graduates our University should have an opcortunity to win memberships in a mission is a reputation for high scholarship during the undergraduate course. Wisconsin Alpha was, however, not held until the second of February 1899. At this meeting it was found
that there were fifteen members of Phi Beta Kappa in the University faculty - President Adams, Dean

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Of this number about half are teachng in the High Schools of the state; three are in the Law School, thirteen are doing graduate work at the University, two as Fellows, four as istants; still others have gone else where for graduate or professional

The Society holds no meetings dur ng the year for its undergraduate and alumni members. Perhaps when the members of alumni in the Univer sity and city becomes larger, an at gether for regular meetings. The University has reason to expect from this chosen body of her alumni a substantial return in scholarly work an a new impetus toward the intellectual iife. Endowment for a Phi Beta Kappa fellowship ought to be an early instance of this be forthcoming.
The annual receptions given by Dean Birge, the president of the society, to the newly elected members are very may come the impulse to the alumn members resident in Madison for forming some sort of a ciub to enlarge and deepen their interest in the Phi Beta Kappa. In addition to the president's reception, a banquet is annually ten dered the newly elected members and an annual address is given before the chapter and invited guests. On thes has been invited to give the address has been invited to ghve the address. versity of Chicago spoke to the new members; last year Prof. Burton, of the University of Minnesota, addressed the society, and as speaker for next June ex-President Bascom has already been secured.

## HANDBALL.

Probably no indoor sport has made the development during the past years at Wisconsin that has been made by handball. From an insignificant sport has grown to be one of the athletics. At first but few courts were in constant use, but now not oaly is the full complement of courts on the third floor kept busy at nearly all hours of the day but the two new courts on the main floor of the gymnasium are also filled with the p.ayers. Although the handball playpublic as are the football, baseball and erew men they fill a recognized pos.ticn in interco:legiate athletics.
No better evidence of this increase in interest in the sport can be cited
than the enthusiasm exhibited in the recent tournament. The number of entries made and the grade of sport furnished augur that the game has come to stay and that it will maintain a con stant but consistent development. The development in methods of playing has been especially marked. From
a crude system of play embodying sima crude system of play embodying sim-
piy the rudiments of the game the difpiy the rudiments of the game the different players have made a careful study of the sport resulting in indieach other and showing a marked adeach other and showing a marked ad-
vance in proficiency and knowledge of the game. They have arrived at a better conception of the game and no ionger bat the ball around at random but attempt more scientific placing. The statement of Andy O'Dea will be of peculiar interest in regard to the popularity of the sport. Mr. O'Dea says, "Wisconsin has reason to be proud of her handball p.ayers, and althougn not as prominently before the branches of athletics still I th:nk that in this department Wisconsin can ho'd her own among the colleges of the country where handball is practiced. I will go further and state that I think that Wisconsin can defeat any coliege in the country where handball is played.
Handball has this in its favor. It is a purely voluntary form of exercise, and as a popular, beneficial indoor exercise few equal it, and there are none recreation in the game that makes it particularly in favor with college men and those pursuing a sedentary life. I do not look for a decay in its popularity so long as the excellent spirit that now pervades the game pervails."


#### Abstract

gine men like rising steam. Larger ships with greater horsepower have gone at greater speed over trial method, engineers carefully examining the vessel to discover weak spots and then bringing them up to the standard of the rest of the ship. But to send a newly-built battleship on high seas for a 1,000 -mile trip and to dpeed than any vessel of average of attained and then without a moment's delay, without a cent's worth of repairs, sweep her 00 miles homeward, without break of record and without break of record and calmly proceed to clean her up for presentation to the government, is a proceeding that would make the European experts stand aghast and de- clare impossible. That is why German, Russian and Japanese builders heard of the "Wisconsin" before she got back to San Francisco, why every government on earth with naval pretentions is commenting on Yankee battleships and more particularly why a prominent naval officer on the WisconEmpress of the Seas." It is to Robert Forsythe that the state of Wisconsin owes gratitude for Europe. "The t"p was the smoothest ever carried oui by a vessel of Mr. Scott's building. Nothing exciting, not a man hurt, nothing broken except the record. She got away on the day intended and back the next day, and it


boat, with the astounding time of 18.54 knots,-azcording to Mr. Scott's measin the world for time. The Alabama was beaten! And when on the return dash, during the last rocking stretch,
and when the battleship swept past the last beacon, past the Iowa,-and when the deep whistle announced the proarous demonstration there was an Hats, caps and shovels were thrown in the air,-cheers for Admiral Kautz, Scott, Captain Reiter, the happiest man on board, and Lieut-Commander J. B. Milton. "She's a marvel," they said
"Nothing can equal her." "Magnificent." These cries came from the hearts of men gray in service and not The evening following. hampagnes of France, and the best wines of California, toasts were drunk press of the Sea;", Wisconsin, the Emhess of the Sea;" to the man who glory to her; to Admiral Melville, who designed her engines; to the com manding oflers, to Badger There were toasts and speeches and songs. Lieut. Vogelgesang proposed the last toast amid the uproar that when all join in
Here's to the Battleship Wisconsin The Alabama they say is fast
But my lads she's not our class.
Boom Ta-ra-ra, Wis-con-sin.

Birge, Professors Flint. Giese, Hasins, Hubbard, Olin, Owen, Russell, and Messrs. Dodge nnd Priest. Or this number Harvard, Johns Hopkins and Williams had each furnished three, mherst, De Pauw, Northwestern, Rochester and Yale one each. white resident Adams had been elected ersity of Vermont.
Since the organization of the chap other members have been added the list. Professor Turner was Minnesota, when he delivered the an nual address before that chapter are Phi Beta Kana men: Professo Noyes (Harvard), Des. Fish (Brown) Fiske (Harvard), and Tilton (Yale) Mr. Breese J. Stevens, of the board Regents, is a member of the society The
The selection of undergraduates for membership is made by the Faculty is mars of the society. This choice year, at which time end of the college ourteen Seniors may be elected, if so Sany seem worthy of the honor lege of Letters and Science are eligible to membershin. In the selections made from the classes of 1899 and 1900 , eleven were from the General Science Course. nine from the Ancient Classical, seven from the English course, six from the Civic Historical, six from the Modern Classica!

## Oratory and Debate.

THE debating society, that
valuable adjunct of the col-
lege curriculum, made its
appearnce early in the his-
tory of the University and Wisconsin vs. Georgetown.
The most important of these debates and the one which attracted the most
attention was that between the team attontion was that between the team
chosen from the Forum society and the Georgetown Law School team, elopment of the institution itself. A half century ago, six men or-
ganized Athenae and started to disganized Athenae and started to fiery questions of those old days in old North Dormitory.
Since that time fully a dozen other societies have been organized, some of which live toda At the present time there are six


thriving literary societies in the Uni- corporate ownership. Three United | versity. Athenæ, after fifty years of | States senators acted as judges-Sen |
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| uninterrupted prosperity, still enjoys | ators Pettus of Alabama, Perkins o | uninterrupted prosperity, still enjoys

the vigor of youth and boasts that she has won more joint debates than als her existing rivals combined. Hes-
peria, organized in 1853, is "still in the ring" and on Friday nights her elo-
quent sons may be heard discussing
the issues of the day in their room on the fourth floor of Main Hall. Philomathia, born in 1886, has made
marvelous strides and now rivals her marvelous strides and now rivals her three societies comprise the Joint De-
bate League. In the law school Forum and Columforensic training so vaiuable to them and yet not obtainable in the regular
class room work. Forum was or-
ganized in 1889 while Columbia is ganized in 1889 while Columbia is of society, Castalia, founded in 1864, still
lives and prospers, supported by the talkative co-eds. It may be truthfulıy said that Casalia is the most genuinely literary society in the University.
The men's societies have gone to the extreme in investigation and argument inal literary productions such as short stories, poems, humorous papers and character sketches. During the continuance of the Short
Course in Agriculture and the Dairy


[^1]best of feeling prevailed between the two teams. The Wisconsin debaters
were royally entertained at dinner were royally entertained at dinne after t
men.

## Castalia vs. Milwaukee-Downer.

A team of young women representing Castalia met the Milwaukee Downer College team in Milwaukee The Varsity gir:s were put to the dis-
advantage of advocating the Harvard elective system against the system in vogue here at home. Castalia's team was Miss Louise Loeb, Miss Bessie

## Wisconsin vs. lowa.

Wisconsin's debaters were defeated by the Iowa University team at Iowa City on May 11. The question debat ed was the shipping subsidy proposi-
tion, practically the same as that dis tion, practically the same as that dis
cussed here in the joint debate las cussed here in the joint debate las
winter. Wisconsin's team, compose winter. Fisconsin's team, compose of W. F. Adams, H. W. Adams and
M. J. Cleary, had the affirmative side which favored the subsidy. Great dis satisfaction was expressed by our rep resentatives both in regard to th treatment they received at the hands of their opponents and upon the de cision which was two to one in favo

## of Iowa.

$\qquad$
Oratory
At a recent meeting of the Oratorica Association some important changes were made in the old constitution. Under the old constitution, the Oratorical Association which consists of
the six different literary societies had the six different literary societies had
no direct connection with inter-collegiate debates. The main object of the oratory in the University. Whenever any oratorical contest was to be heid, a meeting of the association was called and the necessary arrangements were
made; no trouble or confusion what made; no trouble or confusion whatever was experienced in
these oratorical contests. But the association neither directly nor indirectly had power to manage intercoliegiate debates or procure noted lecturers. Whenever such an
event was desired, the matter had to be brought up in each of the different literary societies. A committee from each society was then appointed, the six committees met, did a little preliminary work, and reported to tne so-
cieties. Then generally a new comcieties. Then generally a new committee was appointed to make all nec-
essary arrangements for the debates


Clarence E. Macartney

## or lectures. The weakness of such a

 system is at once apparent to all With numerous, changing committeesno one regular system could result, no one regular system could result,
and confusion and delays were the conand confusion and delays were the con-
sequence. While of course we never sequence. procure a lecturer or an intercollegiate debate on account of ese always prevalent because o. e delays and unnecessary work. Sometimes, too, an inexperienced committee would cause fatal results to our success, as for example making arrangements for only two judges for a debate instead
of three. The recent changes to the constitution, it is believed, will eradicate th-s tion has been changed to that of "The Oratorical and Debaung League of Wisconsin." The power of arranging for all oratorical contests, incercollegiate debates and lectures is in tue hands of one committee, the executive
committee. This committee consists of the officers of the league, six in number, one from each of the
literary societies. It is believed that hiterary societies. It is believed that bates will be managed in as systematic and simple a manner as have veen our oratorical contests. There are many details to be learned in managing an intercollegiate debate and experience as in other pursuits is the best teacher. This executive committee, elected for the year, is thus able to profit by its own mistakes and soon ${ }^{\text {matter in hand. In the past new com- }}$
mittees made the same errors as did their predecessors.
While the objection may be made hat this is giving too much power to one committee, the fact must be reeague delegate particular authority in the beginning or sanction the arrangements in the end. The executive committee is not "The League;" it is simply the working agent of the league. Mistakes will of course happen; no
system is free from them, but it is beieved that as compared to the former ystem, the tendency to the forme duced to a minimum, and that the old, regular criticisms will no longer be advanced.
The other changes were of minor mportance, the chief of these being he change n the dates of we oratorial contests, the "Junior Ex," etc. taking place earlier in the year, it being believed that the winner of the time as possible to train for the bis final contest.

## GOLF.

The past year has been a most prosperous one for the University Goif been secured but the roster of mem bers has been increased from sixty-six to over a hundred. The membership now includes within its names some of he most prominent people connected with the University as well as a goodfair day groups of enthusiastic players air day groups of enthusiastic players greens. Nor is the play confined to air weather only, for the bad weather of the past fall has been unable to keep the golfers from the links, while some of the more enthusiastic, play luring the entire winter by means of the red ball. During $t$ a latter part of the summer an open tournament was heid for men which was won by Max Mason (ournament for ladies Miss Orr in the ournament for ladies, Miss Orr, niece competitors. The club commenced its exister Park course known as the Wingra street car line. Here was laid out a nine-hole course. Later the club moved its greens to the Adams property west of Wingra Park, where a six-hole course was platted. Tnis ar rangement proved unsatisfactory, a the nine-hole course is the standar naments. Consequently the tour of holes has now been increased to the above number. Although little has as yet been done to improve the grounlds still the links are in excellent condition, owing to the natural adaptability of the site to the game. In playing the course one encounters two very "sporty" hazards in the way of driving over a deep railroad cut bounded by a fence and lofting over .ue high emThe Wingra Park record for the nine The Wingra Park record for the nine
holes is held by C. C. Allen, who made holes is held by C. C. Allen, who made
the rounds with 42 strokes. The record for the new nine-hole course is 43 strokes, which was made by F. R. Pettit. Among the experts at the game Barnes, Kimbal Ven, Redman, Pettit, Barnes, Kimbal, Vogel, Clarence TayProf Py Nacobs, and club to select a team next spring from among their best players and if possible to arrange matches with clubs of other universities. Among those con-
sidered are the University of Michigan, University of Uhicago, and the Northwestern University
The present officers of the club are Stanley 'Hanks, president; Phil King, vice-president; T. S. Morris, secretary; P. S. Warner, treasurer; directors, Prof. Victor Coffin, Fred Vogel, larence Taylor, Edwarit Gernon, Car cobs, Fred Vogel Dr A. Trowbridge Cobs, Fre W Dres D. A. Trowbridg The annual banquet of the club will e held on Washington's birthday.
There are over 100,000 students enrolled in the colleges of the United tates, besides more than 50,000 in Comparing this showing with the resent population of the United tates, one American in about 500 reeives a college education.
Mr. Andrew Carnegie proposes to erect and furnish buildings for a polytechnic school at Pittsburg, with is to furnish the site. is to furnish the site.


THE charms of music oscupy a peculiar position in college life. In fact the idea of the demonstrative college
spirit is incomplete withspirit is incomplete with out the music that touches a chord
in every heart that has throbbed in every heart that has throbbed with the sentiment of having an Alma and Mandolin Clubs are entitled to a prominent consideration at the hands of all.
Last year the University was again represented by a splendid aggregation of musicians who went out through the state and "sang the old songs" and played the old airs that make the out side public look curiously and envious ly upon student life. In every city hey visited they covere most cordial y received and people everywhere en tered with them into the proverbial spirit of fraternity.

UNIVERSITY GLEE CLUB.
By A. C. Ehlman, Leader.
The Glee Club laid its foundation in the year 1878, with a membership of but four, constituting a quartette o Smith, Otto J. Scorell and J. B. Simpson were members. College songs soon became so popular and so eage were the ambitious to gain a place on this quartette that it was found neces sary to double the number. On ac count of the close competition it was thougat best to form two organizations; this created some animosity between the two clubs, and in order to avid the it was deemed advisable to 1881 and gave the then organized Uni versity Glee Club a total of sixteen members, four for each voice, and up to last year this number has prevailed. The object of the Glee Club has been to promote a greater interest in music of both a light and heavy order and to give those who possess musical ability an opportunity co exercise their talent profitably. Owing to the limited numer alowed in the club, a selection from erum. This is done by markings, tated. This is done by markings, quality and control of voice, and ability to read at sight. The olub as a whole vote upon the names recommended and those having tne highest standing are selected providing their moral standing entitles them to consideration.
Contrary to the method pursued last year, the club has no substitutes, but twenty; thus in case a member sees to to withdraw on a other reasons there will be a sufficient number to carry on the work without delay. This is a result of the fact that last year the substitutes did not take the interest in the work as it was thought they would.
The prospects for the Glee Club this year are unusually bright. The new years and withe club is the best for cf last year with us the pest tatent that could be desired. The program for this reason's concerts have not been decided upon as yet, but it can be said that besides the numbers by the Glee and Mandolin Clubs (which will be largely popular music this year) there will be many new features. The organization is particularly for tunate in having all the members of last year's quartette back this year. received last was exceptionally well mented for their creditable compliIt was decided at a reent meet.
the Glee Club to give a momic which is now being written by Univer sity talent. This will be rendered entirely by male talent of the combined Glee and Mandolin Clubs, and ought to appeal to the enthusiasm of the public as all attempts of a dramatic order in which college talent has participated has invariably been successful and enThe sche
me schedule of a trip has not been completed at the present time, but one of ' 97 is anticipated.
The officers of the Glee Club are C. Ehlman leader; C. C. Ireland man ager; E. D. Jenner, assistant manager;

Hamilton, librarian
Follow, librarian
Following is the personnel of the club

First Tenor.
H. T. Meinert comes from WaterGlee Club for three years. Edward L. McGillis, of Marinette as had his voice trained under the direction of A. R. Wiley of Chicago. John V. Brennan, of Tomah, re-
eived training under the able direc ion of Miss Foresman of the Univer ity School of Music.
A. C. Ehiman leader, comes from Milwaukee, has had vocal training under several teachers of national rebyterian church, Madisom, and has had nuch previous experience in quartette work.

Second Tenor
F. P. Bowen, Jr., of Richland Center had instruction under the direction of Miss German. Mr. Bowen has had three years experience in church
choirs.
P. L. Spooner, who resides in Madi-

Second Bass
C. C. Ireland, manager, has been
dentified with the Glee Club for two years past. Mr. Ireland previously attended Knox college and hails from Washburn, Ill. L. P. Rosenheimer received his musical education under Prof. Burch ard of Milwaukee
had much vocal experience sung in the Presbyterian church choir of his city for five years. nstruction Janesvirle, and has sumg in the Beloit Quarical Association and High Schoo R. T. Conger is an Illinois man, coming from Elgin. He has a credit able record as a singer, and has held a previous to comng here

The Mandolin Club.
This year the students may compli clubs which wiil again reflect credit
upon the institution. The Glee Club

Ladies Glee Club
Until the spring of ' 97 there had been no Girl's Glee Club, although the men's organization had been in existence for some time. In that spring the young women had planned to en
tertain in Ladies' Hall and it was hought Ladies Hall and it was irls would be appropriate. With this dea in mind ten girls were chosen to he function and on the evening of were so well received that one enter prising member suggested that they call themselves the Girls Glee Club and continue practising. Since that pring the club has been one of the musical organizations of the Univer-

Their initial appearance in public was made in the spring of ' 98 where Since then they have been kept busy preparing selections for various social affairs besides the annual home conert. They have not been allowed, men's club.


University Glee Club.
son, has been heard with much pleas ure in public and the Glee Club an fortunate in having his services.
C. O. Dawson hails from Mason City Iowa. Besides qualifying for the Gle Club he is a member of the University band.
W. J. Murrish rejoined the Giee Club this year having been a membe the years 96 and 97
J. B. Patrick, of Oak Park, Ill., was member of the chab last year. He ins, of Chicago.

## First Bass.

A. T. Pray, of Stevens Point, re ceived instruction under Daniel Protheroe, of Milwaukee, and under Miss E R Williams of Whool of Music. E. R Wrlfan, or waicha, comes charge of the music in Carroll He had and was director of a large chorus as well as many minor organizations. H. L. Peterson registers from Dela feld and is well known in Madison musical circles. Mr. Peterson is accompanist of the Glee Club as well as vocalist.
S. E. Washburn is a Racine man, and has demonstrated his musica ability in various ways. He is an exellent performer on the flute, and is pianist
C. R. Rounds is possessor of a rich under the direction of Miss Foresman of the University School of Music.
has always had an excellent reputation and it was for the Mandolin Club come forth and place itself on a organized last year the club was re son, and it was hoped that at last it had come to remain and become a permanent feature. That hope was realized and the Mandolin Club came to the front with every compliment to its excellence, and the assurance that it as here to stay. The members took p this work in earnest and with painsworthy regularity. The result was that the young men did them-
selves proud. elves proua.
This fall the old members began early to follow the plans which had Neen crowned with success last year.
New players were admitted exacting qualifications and the re hearsals began and continued with zeal and persistency. The present enrollment is as fol

First mandolin,-R. T. Smith, Edard Jenner, Fred Landeck, Sidney iles, George Gove, Ernest Tomlinson. Second mandolin,-Claude Beebe, Stephen Phipps, Chauncey Blake, Paul Bennett, Webber Russeli, Arthur mern.
Guitars,-Beach Maguire, Osmund Jorstad, Frank Sheldon, Charles Thompson, Alfred Rhodes, Geo. Mark Cello
Cello,-Albert Ehlman. Flute,Stuart Washburn. Violin,-William
Brown.

Last spring, after the joint home
concert, the members decided that it concert, the members decided that it
would be a novelty to give a concert alone in which no men were to be allowed to take part. The leader, Prof. Parker, was banished from the scene for that evening. An audience of about five hundred students, besides the faculty, who had all received invitations was entertained by the selections given by the Glee Club followed a a Domino presented which the mers of the tion to sing at commencement invitabe declined as many of the members could not stay through commence This fall, the third year of its exstence, the club has started in with exceptional enthusiasm to prepare for the several occasions on which they will appear. The outlook seems very good and before Christmas they will probably have been heard three times. Definite plans have not been made as yet for a concert but there will probThe present members
First soprano-Anna Gapen, Daisy Wentworth, Edith Balsey, Edith RumSecon
Second soprano-Blanche Clark, Harriet Sawyer, Edna Zinn, Laura age.
Second alto-Ethel Moore, Grace Goddard, Louise Foote, Esther ConckFirst alto-
First alto-Elsa Sawyer, Esther Don-
nelly, Jeania Patton, Avis Hughes.

## Changes on the Campus.

## Describing the New Buildings

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not only
of this institution, but of any educational institution in the Northwest. In the palatial State Lisin State Historical society and the University, we have a library building which in completeness of detail, thoroughness of equipment, and archi tectural magnificence rank far and braries of the world. The Congres sional library at Washington is large and more costly than ours, but no col lege York City, approaches the Wisconsin building in size, beauty, or general excellence.

New Building at Farm. A new building for the making and on the University farm.
The School of Agriculture has more than kept pace with the other departments of the University and is now so
crowded that many applications for admission to the Short Course are necessity refused. Plans have been
prepared for a new building for the prepared for a new building for the
School of Agriculture which will cost when completed about $\$ 150,000$. An
appropriation for this purpose will be appropriation for this purpose
asked of the state at the coming session of the legislature
n Science Hall.
The rooms vacated in Science Hall by the engineering department are
divided among the departments of Physics, Psychology and Geology. The large mechanica to a physical laboratory for use by Professor Snow's classes, The department of Psychology is having a new experimental room equippe for use by Professor Jastrow's re
search and undergraduate classes. The department of Geology has a new lab oratory and reading room for Profesmental room for blowpipe analysis be used by students under Dr. Hobbs.

New Home for School of Music. now has been confined into cramped quarters in a portion of Ladies' Hall, Hall vacated by the University library. The west end of the building fices, recitation rooms and studios

and the large auditorium is at the dis posal of the department of musc for recitals and concerts. The remark able growth of this department in the past few years rendy this change of work will be oreatly facilitated by the nork wirl be great

Library Building.
This magnificent structure, which now stands complete on the west end of the lower campus, has been the
dream of the State Historical and University libraries for fully and UniEver since the growth of the University overcrowded the narrow quarter in Library Hall and the influx o pelled the State Historical Society to utilize the dark, damp basement and dusty attic of the Capitol building for storage room, the need of a commodious and well appointed library building had been felt and urged. The need was so pressing and the good results state resolved to provide our libraries with an habitation complete in the minutest detail, thoroughly up-to-date
and commensurate in size and richess with the dignity
ealth of Wisconsin. Ground was broken for the building in the summer of 1896 . More than a ollege generation had come and gone berore the libraries moved into their ew home during the months of Augst and September of this year. In he fullness of time the dream has longer cramped for space, and students are no longer compelled to take the long trip to the Capitol.
A visitor may enter the building from any one of the four points of the compass and, passing through vestibules, find himself in the spacious corridors of the first floor; or, if mounted on a bicycle, he may, on the State street side, wheel down the run
way to the basement. Entering and way to the basement. Entering and
turning to the left, the visitor may pass through a door at the right and ascend the grand staircase to the cor
ridors on the first floor, finding himself at the head of this flight of stairs just opposite the entrance of the
passenger elevator. In addition to this elevator, an electric service ele vator in the stack wing runs from the basement to all floors of the building.

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 on sloping ground, so that the stands sloping ground, so that there is sub-basement under the east end Here the basement story proper is omitted, the space being divided be we laboratory below. ing The below.\$100000 appos made possible by pose made by the last for that pur ture. The great increase in the popularity of the courses during the last few years clearly demonstrated that a $\$ 100,000$ building would be out grown in a very few years and thus the plans adopted were such as to ad mit of additions from time to time which will not mar the architectural symmetry of the building
The erection of this building is said to have marked a new epoch in in as much as it is perhaps the first edifice of large dimensions that has been completed within the time speci fied in the contract. Some of the University buildings were from one to two years longer in process of con struction than the time called for. In deed when the conditions attending the development of this building ar


The Historical Library Building.
the northeast corner of the stack In the northeast corner of the stack
an electric book lift to all stories. The building is connected by a tunnel with the central heating plant of the
University, from which steam for heating is obtained. The heating the building is by both direct and indirect radiation
To the north of the west or Park
street entrance is the women's cloak room opening on the north grand staircase; to the south of this en-
trance is the trance is the men's cloak room open-
ing on the south grand staircase. ing on the south grand staircase. The
visitor who has ascended the south staircase finds ahead of him to the right the offices and cataloguing
room of the Historical Society; at the head of the north staircase at the similar ond this floor are found the brary. From either corridor the visitor may pass through double-swing doors into the delivery room, room 216. At the south end of this room is the delivery counter of the Historical library; at the north end is the
livery counter of the University brary. The west end of this north brary. The west end of this north
counter is especially arranged as a desk for the circulating department of the University library, and here books will be loaned and received when returned. Behind this north counter in room 218 are cases for the current numbers of the several hundred periodicals taken by the University library. At the north and south counters are found the reference asical libraries respectively
Separated from the delivery room y four columns only is the large genthe most beautiful room in purposely ing. This room, 48 feet by 118 feet and about 30 feet in height, is treated entirely in white, which makes a fine

The fourth floor of the building is largely given up to the museum and portrait gallery of the Historical So
ciety. Both grand staircases lead to his floor. and the passenger elevato

New Engineering Building.
The new College of Mechanics and Engineering is situated on the slope of Hall and campus between Science Law building. It is a four-story struc ture with a depth including the base ment, and has a frontage of one hundred and seventy feet. It ir
built of gray brick and Bedford stone with terra cotta trimmings The brick is laid up with a pink mortar which gives an appearance of
granite to the entire exterior. The roof is of slate. Plate glass is used in the basement and first and second tories, on the three fronts
The interior is of mill construction with fire proof plaster on metal lath ing. The walls are suitably tinted finished in the antique.
The building is heated and vent ated by the fan system with auto matic regulation. The system of lighting which has been installed in this building is the most perfect pos rooms, no shadexperimented with. This system was in the electrical the past summer vacation, direction of Prof. Swenson.
The basement is wholly occupied ond floors by officers and recitation rooms, and the third story and attic by draughting rooms.
In the rear, occupying what will building is extended around it, is
considered, its rapidity of construction is remarkable and testifies to the push and energy of the architects and contractors.
Plans were submitted by four different firms but none of them were found at all suitable because they not only exceeded the amount of the appropriation but failed to take into account the site or the prospective exJ. B. Johnson and Architect Jennings were authorized in Noyember, '99, to draw up a set of plans and specifications. The building was completed in the time contracted for and was ready for use at the opening of the University. The Board of Regents tendered Dean Johnson and Architect ennings a vote of thanks for their plendid achievement.
Twelve names of great engineers apwoar on the outside of the building, re cut on the capstones surmounting the two sides of the portal. The other ten are moulded in the terra cotta cartouches between the windows ver the second story. Immediately afer the holiday vacation a series of bisraphical lectures on these men will given members of the engineeroons at 3 on successive rriday afterhe new buld ock in the auditorium of ures is scheduled as fories
Jan. 11, Stephenson, by Dean JohnJan. 25, Telford by Prof Turneaure Feb 1, Henry by Prof Jackson. Feb 5, Ranke, by Prof. Maurer; Feb. 22 Ericsson, by Prof. Mack; March 1, Kelvin, by Prof. Trowbridge; March 8 ramme, by Prof. Swenson; March 15, Bessemer, by Mr. Robert W. Hunt, o Chicago; March 29, Corliss and Reynolds, by Prof. Richter

## The Young Men's Christian Association. <br> By General Secretary G. S. Phelps.

THE beginnings of the Young Men's Christian Association
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sin date back to the earliest
days of the University itself days of the University itself
rt Weidensall, the pioneer student secretary of the International Committee, first entered the state in 1870 when he attended the first state convention of Wisconsin held at
Janesville. Soon after the convenJanesville. Soon after the conven-
tion he made a tour of the colleges of the state during which he organized an association in Lawrence Univer-
sity. This was the first college asSity. This was the first college as-
sociation in the world. A month afterwards Mr. Weindensall visited in our own University, Like all prehistoric institutions more mystery than certainty enshrouds its early days. Tradition tells of victories and
defeats, of days of plenty and days of defeats, of days of plenty and days ot
famine. It seems that after a few famine. It seems that after a few
years the days of famine so nearly years the days of famine so nearly
sapped the life of the once vigorous infant that resuscitation was necessary. Accordingly June 9th, 1881, a
reorganization was effected. The minutes of the first meeting read. "B. ${ }_{\text {m. Rose ele eted president, C. C. Todd, }}$ minutes of the firl vice-president, E. W. Pryor, secretary and B. B. Burr treasurer. Moved and
carried that the organize under the International Committee constitution. C. C. Todd appointed as a committe on by-laws. After some general discussion adiourned to meet at the Methodist church on the 12 inst. for
the first religious meeting.," There the first religious meeting." There
was some difficulty in finding a place for holding the meetings. Under date of Nov. 10, 1881 the minutes read, Committee on room reported against
Ladies'
Hall
but offered his room in the Main building. The offer was accepted."
For nearly eight years the young
women of the University were ad women of the University were ad-
mitted to both active and associate membership. The minutes for Feb. 26, 1882 read, "Miss Greenbank took the oath of active membership."
Among the first Lewis, of Minneapolis, Prof Van Lewis, of Minneapolis, Pror. Van Hicks, now one of the International Secretaries of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. Since this reorganization the life of In the course of time the young women resigned and formed the Young Women's Christian Association. In 1888 the two orgaizations filed articles as one corporation known as "The Young Men's and Young Women's
Christian Association sity of Wisconsin." It was this corporation that began the movement for a new building. It raised by popular owned by the Association. During lapsed. succeeding years the movement poration decided that it would simplify matters of it were to turn the property over to the Y. M. C. A. and dissolve. It was stipulated that the Y. M. C. A. should duly incorporate under the state laws and that it should also guarantee adequate protian Association in the new building Preliminary to the incorporation of the Y. M. C. A. there were organized the Advisory Committee and the Board of Directors, the former to have general oversight of the activities of the Association and to select and provide for the salary of a general secretary, the latter to act as trustees of the property of the Association and to
have charge of the building campa have charge of the building campaign.
For the Advisory Committee For the Advisory Committee were Slichter and W. A. Scott Judea, C. S Winslow, Col. W. J. Anderson J. B Hon. J. M. Whitehead. For the Board of Directors were chosen Judge J. B. Winslow, president, Mr. E. F Riley, treasurer, Prof. W. A. Scott, secretary, Mrs. C. K. Adams, Mr. W W. Cooper and Prof. W. W. Williams. "The Young Men's Christian Association of the University of Wiscon-
sin" was duly in sin" was duly incorporated Nov. 14th,
1899. Plans were imped for the securing of the new buitian After months of the new building. presented by architect Allen D were over and the project was formally launched at a great banquet at which

125 guests were present including
arge number of distinguished gentle men from out the city and state. Bui before saying more about the building project let us take a glance at the
work of the Association with a view to work of the Association with a view to
learning its present scope and its future needs. And first of all let us understand that the object of the As sociation work is "to promote growth in grace and Christian fellowship
among its members and aggressive among its members and aggressive
Christian work, especially for and by students, to train them for Christian service." And to this end the A sociation undertakes "to elevate the condition spiritually, morally, socialiy and physicially of the members oit the University of Wisconsin." It is
inclusive not exclusive, it seeks to unite all classes of men on a democratic, christian platform of mutual Dene tha sortice.
One of the most helpful phases of dents. These are met at the trains and invited to the Y. M. C. A. house where they find lists of rooms, room mates and boarding places. Infor
mation and directions are gladly give and everything is done to assist the
new men in getting well started in
national
to China.
Social calls were mado upon 75 per cent. of the Freshmen in their rooms. The general secretary made 400 personal calls during the year
Such is a general survey of the work. Statistics do not tell all. The intold subtle influences, the quiet cannot be written. Said one of the leading men in the University not leadng men in the University not the Association has done for me. I would not take $\$ 1,000$ for what it has done for me during the past year."
The great need of the Association and the University is a suitable building for the Christian work. A building that would be adecuate to the needs of the Association and at the same
time would be a credit to the campus The would be a credit to the campus. The present plans of the building are
merely tentative and will be much changed. But they represent the idea of what is needed. The main features are adequate provision for religious meetings, facilities for a large social work, and
student dormitories. The first is important because at present there is
absolutely no place within half a mile

The $\$ 135,000$ spent finest in the land. the solicitude of the people of Wiscos sin for the body. Ought not the spiritual life to be represented by at least $\$ 75,000$ ? Across the street stands the palatial $\$ 750,000$ Library building, but President Adams said. "As the library is the head of the University, so I conciation its heart," Is it asking tsso much to plead for the heart one-tenth of the amount spent for the head? The Canvass.
The canvass has already been begun. The Board of Directors has put General Secretary Phelps in charge. Mr. Phelps spends two-thirds of his the on the road. Several cities have arready been visited. No one has yet been solicited for a subscription, al-
though several small amounts hat been volunteered. The policy is to carefully and thoroughly cultivate the ground. It must be a campaign of education. A man that will give $\$ 25$ at the first presentation, ought to give four times that amount when he fully grasps the strategic value of the investment. Persistent work on the
part of all friends of the University


Sketch of Proposed Building.
this strange world. Two thousand handbooks of general information were given away. As soon as the ad-
dresses of the Freshmen can be obtained they are called upon in their rooms and invited to make use of the house and other Association privi-
The
The employment bureau has enjoyed marked growth. Whereas last furnished dur entire nine months it tudents. This year jobs to needy three months it has furnished over 160 jobs, about half of which are permanFive
Five men's socials were given in the ouse at whcih about four hundred men and women at four "joint" affairs.
Four Bible study courses are offered the Association, one in each of the ife of Paul," "Old Testament Charac ters" and a course in special Bible tudy in personal work. One hundred nd ten men were enrolled in these classes last year.
Two religious
ach week of the college are held Sunday afternoon meetings are ad Sunday afternoon meetings are ad-
dressed by strong men from the University, Madison and from other ities. The average attendance at these meetings was 123 . The mideek prayer-meetings are held in the ssociation parlors. The attendance was forty-three. One sacred concert was given last year. This year it is A mission class
A mission class in the study of modern missionary problems enrolls eighty dollars was raised last year and was sent to Mr. Brockman, the Inter-
of the campus where a large gospel will bring the money. One of our meeting may be held. The building most prominent alumni recently ex200 and an auditorium room seating claimed: "That is the greatest thing 800. Facilities for a larger social work are needed because the social department is to the University Asso-
ciation what the gymnasium is to the ciation what the gymnasium is to the city Association. The social problem is the key to the lives of many college men and women. The receptions and parties of the two associa
tions have been brilliant successes although held in small rooms and subject to every hindrance imaginable The great reception hall on the main floor is designed to have a cheery, informal inviting effect that will appeal to the social part of a man. The par will be a little more elegant.

The Dormitory Feature.
The dormitory feature is somewhat new in college Association buildings, though long tried in city Associations. for hard has decided to introduce here are no dormitories, or anythins to take their place, for men in the University. (2) The Association for two years has maintained a house
upon the same principle with signal success in same principle with signa success in that it has centralized the vided a home life for many of the men, and has been a social headquarters for many homeless students. (3) Because the income from the dormitories will take the place of an en dowment which would otherwise be large a building
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he hand, can went for the head and sands for the heart? On few thou-
the proposed building will be side of
ver undertaken for the University." uccess of the all realize this fact, the Every professor student alumnus and friend of the University and of the young men of the state must get unler it Give to it talk about it, enlist others in it, pray for it.

> Some Recent Publications.

Among recent publications by alumi and students are the following:
Socialism and Farmers: By A. M. imons, '95.
Stories of the Badger State: By Reuen G. Thwaites. Illustrated. The "International Socialist Review" nade its initial appearance July 1, with "The Predestination of Pr he title of a pamphlet issued recently by D. K 'Tenney, '58. er of volumes in the series of "Eng ish Classics for Home and School,' published by Heath \& Co.
Prof. Joseph Jastrow is publishing a olume of essays in psychology under the ti
ogy."

An Experimental Study of the Corro ion of Iron Under Different Condiions: By Carl Hambuechen, '99. Buletin of the University of Wisconsin, The Anomalous, II., 3. July, 1900. ni: By Carl Edward Magnusson. Buletin of the University of Wisconsin, cience Series, II., 4. July, 1900. The Childhood of Ji-Shib, the Ojibwa: By Albert Ernest Jenks, Ph. D., American Thresherman Publish-

## The Department of Military Science.

By Harry G. Kemp.


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Universty, the military rill Univeristy, the military drin
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nitend drill twice
$a$ But in fact the importance of the work an not be fully estimated. At the time this matter of organizing and maintaining military instruction in the colleges and universities of the country, was first taken up by the United
States government, there was a great deal of discussion about the advisability of such a move. But to one who pects there can be no doubt of the benefit of such a course. It is a continuance of the policy of the United of companies of well drilled citizen soldiery and its efficiency was well shown in the recent war with Spain were formed of students at the various institutions in the country, and moreover these same regiments were
found to be composed of as good soldiers as those comprising the N tional Guan of the
University since the first drill in the 1868
is as follows. Pease, retired, '68:69.
Col. Wm. R.
Lieut.-Col. Walter S. Franklin, citi-
zen, 69.70 .
Wm. J. L. Nicodemus, citizen, 70
${ }^{7} 79$. Died Jan. 6, 79
Capt. Charles King, '80-83. ${ }^{6}$ Lieut.
Lieut. Lingi Lornia, 5th Art., '85-88
Lieut. Hugh I. McGrath, 4th Cav.
Lieut. Edward Chynoweth, 17th inf.,
Lieut. Carroll A. Devol, 25th inf.,
Lieut. John C. W. Brooks, 4th Art.,
Capt. Charies A. Curtis, retired, '98
present time
The first equipment, to quote the
words of Capt. Charles King, "was a words of Capt. Charles King, "was a nants of uniforms discarded by the
war department after the Civil war They had no armory as n
drilled on the upper campus."
From the crude equipments and awkward drill of those days, the milpresent efficient state and not a little of the credit belongs to the present commandant Captain Charles A. Curtis, who has handled this depart-
ment since 1898. Captain Curtis has conducted this work for the past
thirty years and has, in that time, thirty years and has, in that time, had charge of schools in Vermont, MinneSota (Shattucrnia, Missouri, Indiana and Wis California, Missouri, Indiana and Wis-
consin. consists of the infantry regiment, and the signal corps. The signal corps maintains a very high standard and
at the inspection last year, the inspector Major Huggins mentioned in a special report, the fine work of Captain N. L. Hurd, who had charge of
this work. this work.
This year the Signal Corps consists of twenty-four men, two freshcompany. The Myers sional each the United States Army signal code of used. It comprises signals made by the use of flags and torches, the heliograph and signaling by means of steam whistles.
The winter months are spent in learning the code and the spring work comprises out door practice in signaling from one point to another. The corps is commanded this year by Major Allan S. Neilson.
The infantry regiment comprises six companies of about sixty men each and although not as efficient as could be wished for, is improving every year and received hearty commendation from Major Huggins at the anficers this year are as follows: ficers this year are as follo
Colonel, Lynn H. Tracy.
Lieut-Colonel, Paul Stover

try in the important matter of mili tary instruction as a preparation for the enlargement of the militia system already in operation in several of the states. Many inquiries have been sent to Washington in relation to this matter and the impression gains ground daily that the time is ripe for a complete modification of present ideas in regard to including a military drill with the other portions of It is believed the larger number it is believed the larger numbers will college professors and teachers wil
favor this idea when properly present ed and there will, it is hoped, be no great difficulty in the institution of a genuine military curriculum among the numerous institutions of learning throughout the length and breadth of this country. Indirectly the Army will be a gainer by some such definite method of military instruction in the colleges and the impression is abroad that the standard for entry to West Point should be raised as soon as the new idea has had a chance or action
among the students of the country.
A careful study of the matter will vince any one of the importance of

The
The representatives of the "Big condemned the playing of profession als on the smaller colleges and will do their best to make these institutions live up to the rules. This action aids Wisconsin, as well as other institutions and our players will no longer feel the chagrin of being trounced by professional representat
Just because Wisconsin was unsuc cessful last spring many students say, "We never have a good team and never will have." Now, anyone who
sits down and reasons it out will rec ognize the folly of such a statement First, and most important of all, we will have a better coach than any other college team, East or West. The team will be one of veterans, reinforc d by a number of new players of ex eptional ability. The infield will be n especially strong one as there are candidates who are able to hit the
ball when called upon, as well as field cleverly when the opponents are at bat. The competition for positions the be keen, and every member of the team will have to work hard to


Officers of the University Regiment.
be done as soon as the necessary equipment can be secured. The com- nation and the sooner this is obmandant has several times made a served by the students of Wisconsin equisition for a breech loading field and other universities, the sooner will nounces that at present the arsenals their efficiency and effectivness be and are barely supplying the needs of the army and therefore no artillery can e sent.
One of the features of the drill is the competitive drill held each year for prize medals. In the preliminary
drills one company is selected from each battalion and these two com panies compete in the final drill. Last year Company H, commanded by Captain Lynn Tracy won first place with Company E, commanded by Captain Burton Bridge second. Silver medals winning company and gold man in the winning company and gold medals to
the commissioned officers. This year the commissioned officers. This year
the competitive drill will be held in June near the close of the drills. One question which will intere University students everywhere is the rumor from Washington to the effect that the War Department will in the course of a few weeks, formulate a method and system for a comprehen-
sive curriculum to be carried out in all of the colleges of the country where a military officer has been detailed for instructor and tactical of-
ficer. The intention is to bring these ficer. The intention is to bring these the existing state of affairs at West Point in order that a definite method

## BASE BALL. <br> By Arthur H. Curtis.

Base ball has had a revival in other niversities during the last two years, and, in the natural course of events, revival is about due here. By their art d that they still feel a great interest in base ball.
Although our last year's record is not one to be proud of, it has some edeeming features. For instance, we efeated Michigan here in a well playeated the trick at Detroit Two teams of the "Big Nine"' defeated us in the majority of games we played with hem last year. One of them, Illihois, was composed entirely of veter ans, and it was only natural that they should win. The other team, Minnesota, was composed of players, who, it tanding mateur both from scholarly and ation standpoints. With an aggreope to be men we could scarcely pponents successfur against such Chicago, we won one and lost the
get his position.
Other members of the "Big Nine" will lose many of their star players.
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