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## Labor and the Higher Education.

The university extension movement made a decided advance in the right direction when it secured the co-operation of organized labor. The Chicago Trade and Labor Assembly, one of the strongest and most representative labor organizations in the world, has engaged Professor Bemis, of the University of Chicago, to give a course of six lectures on the labor question, certainly an appropriate topic to be discussed in this parliament of labor.

The inauguration of this popular method of acquiring a liberal education opens up fascinating possibilities in the field of practical and technical learning. The university extension movement was born of the desire of earnest and disinterested men to carry the university to those who could not go to the university. Working people cannot attend lectures at the University of Chicago nor the Northwestern University; but both of these finely equipped institutions can come to the working people, and the bread-winners can eat of the fruit of the tree of knowledge by lifting their hands.

The Union Electrical Works, of New York, for example, have organized under the name of the Electrical Workers' University Extension Club, with 400 members. This club, with the co-operation of Columbia College and President Seth Low, is giving a course of ten lectures on electricity and its practical uses. Local Union No. 3 of the Brotherhood of Inside Electrical Workers took the lead in organizing this club, and one of its prominent officers said: "It is the ambition of local union No. 3 to rise above strikes and boycotts, and to educate its members for their own good."

The Chicago Trade and Labor Assembly has been a power in keeping down strikes and boycotts. It has many times upheld the dignity of labor, and it is but carrying out one of its principles in embracing the university extension movement. It remains now for the various trades and crafts which are represented in the assembly to emulate the example of the New York electrical workers and apply university extension to their own particular requirements. They have two great universities at their command; they have two magnificent libraries open to them, and others are coming; they have a grand museum at their doors, and they have hundreds of men with latent ideas which need but the warmth of a practical and technical education to expand into inventions that will make the world better and brighter.—*Chicago News Record.*

## Walter Camp Favors New Rules.

Walter Camp, of New Haven, Conn., who is known to all foot-ball players as the father of the American game, is at the Auditorium Annex. Mr. Camp was one of the leading players in Yale's first team, and since leaving college has exercised a sort of fatherly supervision of Yale's foot-ball. "I am an earnest advocate of a change in the foot-ball rules," he said yesterday. "There is no doubt that

the game as played the last year or two has been attended with a great deal of danger to the players. The danger is not so great in the regular play, but when it is considered that the same tactics had to be met with day after day in the regular practice, one can realize what a strain it has been on the players. In improving from the old Rugby game we have admitted the interference, which is the element of danger in the game. The Englishmen look upon our style of playing with a great deal of abhorrence. Yet it is just that style that has commended the game to the American people and aroused such a great interest in it. The protest against the flying wedge and the interference with tackling now being made by the faculties of a large number of colleges, is having its effect, and I expect to see the rules modified before next season. In fact, the University Athletic Club, of New York City, has intimated to the college boys that it will arrange, if its services are required, for a convention of the foot-ball teams to bring about the needed changes in the rules that will remove the so-called brutalizing character of the game. I think the club's offer will be taken up, and I shall do all in my power to bring about the needed change."—*Cardinal.*

## Our Friends, the Bacteria.

A fair sized audience assembled at Close Hall, Thursday evening, to hear the second lecture in the Y. M. C. A. Course. Chancellor McClain introduced Dr. Woods Hutchinson, who commenced his lecture by alluding to the fact that cold weather is dangerous to bacteria, and hence, according to the opinion held by the majority of people, should be classed as a blessing. He, however, informed the audience that it was his purpose to take the part of the much aligned bacteria. The discovery of bacteria was brought about by a search for the cause for some of the numerous diseases which afflict mankind. Bacteria having been discovered in the diseased tissues, the physicians naturally drew the inference that bacteria was the cause, and it has been developed until it is a proper science. He described the uses of bacteria as essential to life, and enumerated them as follows: First the fermentation of liquors, which power, however, they do not abuse, for they know when to quit, and do not produce the evil of the drink habit. Bread, one of the elements of life, is made light and digestible through the agency of these small plants. As scavengers they purify the atmosphere, consuming the decayed animal and vegetable life. Without this process the world would become a mass of rubbish, all vegetable life would cease to exist, and without vegetable life animal life could not continue.

He discussed from a scientific standpoint the purification of water, claiming that without the cleansing process to which it is subjected by bacteria it would become stagnant. People denounce bacteria; but 99 per cent of them are useful; only 12 forms are pathogenic, and they are the weakest. If we happen to get the bacteria in

our flesh it is our own fault. It may be through drinking impure water or eating decomposed meat.

## Irving.

The program was opened with a violin solo by Mr. J. Unash. This was followed by Mr. J. W. Reynolds, with an oration, "Columbus." The oration was delivered in a clear and forcible manner, well suited to the theme. Still it was much impaired by the hesitation of the speaker. The usual debate was on the question, "Resolved, that the liberty of the press should be legally restricted." Mr. Smith, the first speaker for the affirmative, clearly showed how our laws, although so made as to restrain many, did not strike at the root of the evil. That the liberties of the press, that is, the abused liberties, were the cause of much crime and breaking of laws. In that people were led into the path of crime by the voluminousness of the infamous literature published and then sold so very cheaply. It is only by uplifting society that we are able to lessen crime, and this, in his opinion, was the only sure way of bringing that about. The negative was opened by Mr. Seaman. The speaker spoke rather illogically, yet some of his arguments were good. That we have to-day more laws on our statute books than necessary, yet we have not enough. Mr. Tompkins called attention to the fact that everything must have its bounds, from which the press was no exception, and that the only true liberty was that which did not interfere with the individual rights of our fellow men. The debate was closed and won for the negative by R. J. Amlie. Mr. Amlie talked to the point. Restriction of the liberties in any form would be unconstitutional both by state and national laws. The speaker gave a careful and interesting history of laws on the subject. How the question had been thoroughly considered by our forefathers, and what folly it would be should we attempt to contradict their opinions. The poor working of the "sedition laws," which were so emphatically downed by public sentiment; these latter being, as he thought, the true judges of right and wrong. The declamation by Mr. Graves showed much improvement over his former appearances. His gestures might still be somewhat improved, especially if the speaker would try to make them convey a true feeling of the mind and not use them mechanically. A speech, "Our Literature as Effected by Immigration," by G. W. Johnson, followed. Mr. Johnson, although a new man, shows much originality of thought and a good delivery. His preparation, however, was none of the best. The closing number of the program was a vocal solo by Mr. Wilson.

## Zetagathian.

A fair sized audience gathered in Zet Hall last night, occupying the new chairs with which the hall was this last week finally furnished. The program was good, and was somewhat shorter than usual. Thomas, '97, was fortunate in selecting an interesting story for declamation, and delivered

it in good narrative style. The debate was on the question "That independent action in politics is preferable to party affiliation." Brockway, '95, opened the affirmative with a good argument against ring rule in politics. Davis, '95, argued the negative, with an able speech, maintaining that rule by majorities necessitates party action. He rather eluded the real question by a too strict interpretation of the phrase "independent action in politics." Kinmonth, '95, showed the evil results of hide-bound party action; he presented too many arguments to be developed sufficiently. Plum, '94, held that independent political action would be futile, and therefore not advisable. The debate was decided in the affirmative. After the debate the chairman announced three three-minute speeches. Keefe, '95, thereupon spoke on "The Recent Prize Fight," one minute for each round. Treimer, '95, took the floor in a discussion of "Queen Lil and the Hawaii Question." Cunningham, '95, followed with a speech on "The Southern Elections." These speeches offered a very pleasant variation from the usual order, and were well received. Dunlap, '96, closed the session with rendering "Thanatopsis." The music for the evening was furnished by Messrs. Wilson and Unash.

## Track Athletics at the University of Pennsylvania.

The Committee on Track Athletics at the University of Pennsylvania have adopted regulations for the foundation of the track team of 1894, which, if carried out successfully, will undoubtedly secure them a strong team.

During the track athletics season three meets are to be held: in March, April and May. At these three meets different standards of qualifications are set, and any man who qualifies in any one of these meets, according to the standard set for that meet, is eligible to the team, provided he trains consistently afterwards. The standards adopted for the three meets are as follows, the three records in each event are for March, April and May respectively:

100 yard dash—11 sec., 10½ sec., 10¼ sec.  
220 yard dash—24½ sec., 24 sec., 23¾ sec.  
440 yard dash—56 sec., 53½ sec., 53 sec.  
Half mile run—2:08, 2:04, 2:03.  
Mile run—5:00, 4:49, 4:40.  
120 yard hurdle—19 sec., 17½ sec., 17 sec.  
220 yards hurdle—29½ sec., 28 sec., 27 sec.  
Mile walk—7:55, 7:40, 7:30.  
2 mile bicycle—6:00, 5:45, 5:40.

## FIELD EVENTS.

Hammer throw—80 ft., 90 ft., 95 ft.  
Shot put—33 ft., 35 ft., 37 ft.  
Pole vault—9 ft., 9 ft. 6 in., 10 ft.  
High jump—5 ft. 4 in., 5 ft. 6 in., 5 ft. 7 in.  
Broad jump—19 ft., 20 ft. 6 in., 20 ft.  
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Apparently no thought has yet been given to the declamatory contests for this year, and no interest is manifested in them. With the spring term comes the time for these contests, and surely if they are to be a success, work and thought upon them should begin now. The lack of interest which is displayed by the majority of students in this direction is to be deplored. These contests are considered of secondary importance, and it has become an established custom for only members of the Freshman classes to enter them. Although these Freshman contests are commendable, they are not sufficient. Even in these the preparation is often not what it should be, and this is especially so if they are to be the only contests of the kind. Why cannot there be a local declamatory association by which some organized work in this line can be done? The declamatory contests could become the training school, as it were, for that part of the oratorical contests in which so many students fail—that is, in delivery.

Let declamatory contests be held in the different literary societies, and then between them. Let them be held in the Sophomore and Junior classes, as well as in the Freshman classes, and after these there could be inter-class contests.

We have no chair of oratory in the University, a want greatly felt, but if proper attention were paid to the declamatory talent of the students, the declamatory drill would be a stepping stone to oratorical drill and there is no doubt but that the grade of our oratorical contests would be raised.

The Pi Beta Phi fraternity entertained about twenty of their gentlemen friends at the home of one of their members, Miss Norah Allin, on Kirkwood Avenue. The ladies sustained their reputation as royal entertainers. The evening was spent in solving the significance of the hobbies

worn by the guests, music, and various other original and interesting amusements. Elegant refreshments were served during the evening.

**College Notes.**

Michigan University has the largest number of living alumni in the United States. Yale ranks second.

Pennsylvania has just received a gift of \$75,000 from Mr. Joseph Wharton, founder of the Wharton school of finance.

Beloit college trustees are considering the advisability of engaging a trainer to superintend the athletics at that institution.

There are sixty candidates for the University of Pennsylvania base-ball team.

Mackie, the Harvard foot-ball player, who has been ill with diphtheria, is recovering.

Of the five Yale-Harvard debates held thus far, Harvard has won three, and two have been left undecided.

The Legislature of Wisconsin has appropriated \$85,000 for athletic grounds and buildings for the State University.

President Andrews, of Brown, has declined the offer of Chancellor of Chicago University, and head Professor of Philosophy, with a salary of \$10,000, and six months' leave of absence, and intends to remain at Brown.

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F. W. Myers, '92, was in Iowa City, Wednesday.

Tillson, L. '94, spent Wednesday, in Cedar Rapids.

Professor calvin is confined to his house by illness.

A. B. Noble, '87, is spending a few days in Iowa City.

Mrs. Gray, of Tipton, is visiting her daughter, Maud Gray, '97.

The Senior Laws enjoyed a talk from "Bob" Burdett, Thursday morning.

Professor Patrick's series of memory lectures was completed last Thursday.

Bollinger, '87, came up from Davenport, to attend the "Guild" dance.

Professor Weld did not meet his class in modern geometry Friday morning.

The Executive Committee of the Board of Regents have been in session the latter part of this week.

The Law Literary society will not give a program to-night, but will prepare a special program for next Saturday.

Williams, '97, Anderson, '95, and Miss Remley, '95, have been absent from classes for the last two days on account of sickness.

The Iowa Historical Record for January, contains a biographical sketch written by J. W. Rich, on John S. Tilford, an Iowa Pioneer.

Misses Louise Middleton, sister of Middleton, '97; Rey Chambers, sister of Chambers, '97, and Annette Berry hill, with Mrs. Robt Swiney, as chaperon, came from Davenport, yesterday, to attend the "Guild" dance.

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**Notice!**

All are cordially invited to attend the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Good music and short addresses.

The faculty of the Law Department at Cornell are discussing the advisability of extending the law course to three years.

The *Normal Eye* has an excellent article on the benefit of military drill to our youth in schools and colleges. It is written by Benjamin Harrison.

The heirs of Senator Jacob Mole-schoot, the famous explorer, teacher and physician, have given his valuable library, containing over 40,000 volumes of medical, philosophical and scientific works, to the Academy of Turin, where the dead man began his labors.

When people of the same name honor a class with their presence, the name of the smallest is placed first, and then the names are called with varying degrees of emphasis corresponding to the size of the student. Thus: Smith, *Smith*, SMITH!—*Normal Eye*.

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