Choose the Affirmative.

Our Debaters with Michigan will advocate popular senatorial
relations.

Our debaters have chosen the affirmative of the question submitted to them by Minnesota for the annual joint debate. The question submitted was "shall the United States Senate be elected by direct vote of the people?" This is a live, up-to-date question, and its discussion here in Ann Arbor should arouse great interest in both literary and political circles. Our United States Congress has already seriously considered the question proposed by the affirmative, and it is not at all unlikely that our citizens will one day be called upon to express their opinions upon it. In making these the debate will afford an opportunity of securing a thorough and accurate knowledge of all that the affirmative involves.

Chicago's Claims Disputed.

The University of Michigan thus expresses her views of Chicago's claims to the championship: "In view of the early condition of foot ball matters it might have been considered
ridiculous. Chicago's claim is like an overburdened tract
which is about to fail. Following the line of thought of the writer of the Chicago University article, Wisconsin seems to have much better of the argument. "Chicago has her claim on the fact that the team that was beaten by Wisconsin was not the same team that beat Northwestern in 1893 and Indiana in Michigan to 18." If this is the only foundation
Chicago has for her claim she is fallacious. If she says his team was not the same that it was then, it was the one that represented the University of Chicago at the moment she could send. Chicago has also included Wisconsin since then and, there is a very strong reason for supposing that Wisconsin was not the same team that it was then. The only way of setting the matter would have been a game between Chicago, Wisconsin and
Indiana. So the championship question is still open. If such arguments as the above are to be allowed, all that a defeated team will have to do, in the future, will be to wait until a few good men come up and enter her ranks or until all the good men of other teams do. Then or two or three other teams can be defeated and the claim set up that this victorious team is not the one that was previously de
defeated. Chicago's arguments do not hold water."

In a review of the foot ball season the league of which Minnesota is a member, the Ariel said: "As to the western championship we cannot speak definitely. The season ended in Chicago on Thanksgiving day with two games to be played the following week. Before this day's game, Chi
cago Athletic Club's team, which had defeated Wisconsin were in the race for the pen
nant. The last two had won, the challenge of Wisconsin was the easiest settled; but when the games were re
decided as they did Wisconsin 6, North-

western 8, and Chicago 7, Michigan 6. It leaves the championship undecided, though the Buckeyes hold the better claim to the pennant. Wisconsin's prospects are fine for next year. Alt

ough, who played tackle this fall, is captain for '97, and most of the team will be back next year."

Phi Delta Phi Booster.

The fourth annual banquet of Mc
Clain College of the Phi Delta Phi
fraternity occurred at the New Saint James Inn last evening. The following discipline of Klorck were in atten
tett and W. A. Graham of the class of '97, and G. E. Hiltiner, of the class of '98.

After some time had been spent in listening to speeches, the annual banquet was given. The chapter is in the possession of every lawyer's fund of information, and was held to the banquet hall, which is one of the most beautiful in the city. It is furnished with fine pieces of furniture, potted plants, pots, flowers, and bunting. Everywhere the fraternities of colors, scarlet and blue, were conspicuous. Miso Hilt Little had prepared an elegant nine course repast, in which all the delicacies of the table were represented.

Toasts were responded for as follows:

Our Brothers in Practice,

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Our Standing in the Greek Word,

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Professor J. J. Hovick, L. L. '95,

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Our Standing in the Greek World,

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Professor J. D. Seasholtz, L. L. '97,

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The Chicago Philosophical Society;

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The University of Wisconsin;

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The Wisconsin Liberal Art;

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The University of Chicago;

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The University of Michigan;

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The University of Illinois;

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The Ill Exceller;

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Our Future in the World;

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Professor Samuel Hayes
The Recent Campaign.......

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D. H. Bryant
Thoughts Upon Phi Delta Phi;

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Professor A. E. Walsbe
Future of Phi Delta Phi;

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President J. B. E. Walsh
Honn M. J. Wade proved himself to be an ideal toastmaster.

The banquet was the finest and most elaborate affair of the kind ever given in Iowa City. Expense and labor had not been spared to make it the complete success which it was.

A member of the Missouri Legis
lature has drawn up a bill which will place foot ball on the same level as prize fighting. The bill is a money
law, makes it a misdemeanor or a felony to play the game any where in the state. Although the proposed legislation is severely criticized over the entire state, those who favor the bill are confident of its becoming a law. A bill was also introduced in the Illinois legislature last Monday prohibiting the playing of foot ball in that state.—Fl.

Many American women have matriculated for the new term of Ber
lin University.

Fair Iowa.

ARE: "FAIR HARCARD."

Fair Iowa, lift up thy banner so high. The banner of lady old gold, Make every man see it, whatever it is. At the banner of gentlemen bold—

Counselor: These had gold, the living old gold. The gold of the specie, corn? By men who have blood that are rather than good. Let the Iowa banner be borne. As the dew upon the garret of love, Al meritorous, make fourth least science and art. In a race great of heads and of brains!—Counselor.

Counsel: Fair Iowa, lift up the scale of thy youth. And fill them with sweetness and rest. In peace by they foremost be beauty and truth, in war by they courage to fight.

Contestants: OPERATIONS.

The above appropriate hymn is contributed by one of our readers, in response to our recent editorial the subject of selecting a University hymn.

Dental Departmen.

Dr. Fleener delivered two very interesting lectures last week on Ortho
dontia to the junior and senior classes. Dr. Leeman for S. W. White Dental Co., was in the city last Fri
day, shaking hands with the topic of the day. During last week the new Columbia chairs were set up in the north circle. It is a very interesting story that clinic where pleased smiles for a day or so. Downtown, and Weikert, Juniors, are among the mandible players in the S. U. I. Mandible club. H. D. Keeler, Jr., sprained his ankle while in the gymnastum, consequently he wears a cane at present.

The Seniors had the pleasure of hearing Dr. W. T. Clark, from Cedar Rapids. His lecture was on trans-
mitus Gum and Porcelain Work.

"Dad" Holebeck is enjoying a visit from his friend, Mr. Taylor, of Cedar Rapids.

About fifteen of the Juniors who have finished their laboratory and operative technic work had their tools "checked up" Wednesday and went to work in the clinic Thursday.

The following "In Memoriam," on the death of W. D. Osgood, who was shot while serving as a volunteer in the Cuban army, appeared in a re
cent issue of The Pennsylvaniaian, he being a graduate of the U. of P. "The Herald correspondent writes from the headquarters of the Cuban army at Guantnana, Camaguy, under date of Oct. 26th, that Winchester D. Osgood fell during the siege that preceded the capture of that place. On the second day of the siege, in Major Osgood, under heavy fire from the Span
iards, was taking one of his pieces on the forts, a Masser bullet struck him in the forehead. In the terror of his death he deeply impressed President Clemonts and the commanding officers all of whom paid great regard for a American officer. A few months after his graduation, in 1860, Osgood, whose sympathy had been excited by the news of the struggle in Cuba, made farewell to friends and family and

joined one of the expeditions from this city for the little island. His procured services were gratefully accepted by the leaders of the insurgents, to whom his knowl
dge and ability were of great value, not only less than his personal bravery and in
herent leadership, soon rendered him the most of the greatest. He served with distinction in many of the battles, and in the final battle he was killed, having attained the rank of major but a short time before his un

College Notes.

There are no members of the class to the University of Chicago and Mandolin Club. It is considered one of the smartest in the country.

Dr. Angell, of the University of Michigan, in an interview, said re
cently that he had never seen but one game of football, that of Princeton this fall, when they played Virginia, and that he thought foot ball both brutal and stupid.—Ez.

During the past few years the Uni
versity of Chicago has been given over $14,000.

Garrett Cooper, '97, has been re
elected captain of Princeton's foot ball eleven. He plays tackle and led the Princeton team to its splendid series of victories this year.

A very interesting game of football was played at Harvard last week be
tween teams composed of the editors of the various college papers. The game was won by the editors of the Harvard Crimson, who defeated a team made up of the editors of the Lampoon and the Advocate.

At the recent meeting of Chicago alumni of the various colleges and universities comprising the Western Inter-collegiate Athletic Association it was decided to take steps towards transferring the control of moral interests of the association from the Chi

icago Athletic Club to an annual com
mittee of ten men, the estimated number of the ten institutions scoring highest in the regular annual novel. Iowa was represented at this meeting by Harry Meyers, '96.

The Nebraska made the following comment on Holbrook's work in the Thanksgiving day game: "Holbrook, the colored half-back, did the best in

dividual work for Iowa. He is one of the quickest men in the west, and he starts so quickly that it is hard to bring him down before he has made his gain. He was frequently given the ball. In the third down he was given the ball as many as four yards to make, and he made them just as frequently." The Mandolin Club, under the ef

dor direction of Wm. A. Graham, is now doing hard and systematic work. There is excellent material for a good, and their work for the past few weeks has shown great improvement.

The Lock Club is doing good work getting together groups of the club in the near future, but it is not possible to report the excellence of the club. The men on the two clubs have not been definitively selected, but those that wish to try for places on them should make the leaders at once.
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Marcela Jacobs will head the Y. W. C. A. devotional meeting Sunday at 4 p.m. All University girls invited.

At the meeting of the foot ball team Monday night, "Dad" Walker was chosen for captain of the team next year.

Dr. Patrick will deliver a lecture Sunday evening at the Unitarian church on the subject of "Psychism."

Instructor Merrit gave a very interesting lecture on commercial arithmetic to Professor Love Economic class.

A. E. Walsh, '96, of Clinton, Ia., is visiting in the city, and was in attendance at the Phi Delta Phi annual banquet last evening.

Mr. Consiglio, '95, who was called home on account of the illness of his brother, will return Monday to take his examination.

Polygon elected the following new officers for the winter term: President, Martha Hurly; Vice-President, C. A. Goode; Secretary, Edna Page; Treasurer, E. W. Lancaster; Scrut Keeper, Daisy E. Hatch.

Mr. C. W. Buhl, the ex-champion cricket player of England, will address the young men and young women Tuesday evening from 6 to 7:30. This is a good opportunity to hear a good man.

Hospital elected the following officers for the winter term: President, Lillian Hulnes; Vice-President, Nannie Cappel; Sec., Sec., Georgia Adams Cor. Sec., Lillian Jones; Treas., Agnes Sadler; Critic, Jessie Colon.

During the winter term all afternoon recitations and lectures of the Collegiate department will begin one hour earlier than during the past term. This change is due to the change in the hour for military work from 1:30 to 4:30.

The Des Moines Leader says: Coach Bull, of the State University foot ball team, has returned to Pennsylvania.

Those who have studied Mr. Bull's career, will have little doubt that whenever he goes after a boot, a break in the rush line of the maulers will be certain.

The election of officers of Irving for the winter term took place last evening and is as stated follows: President, Geo. N. Briggs; Vice-President, Iver Ivesen; Secretary, M. L. Curt; Cor. Sec., Boy Monroe. After the election the new officers treated the society to a "A course in Burke."

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