THE NEW S. U. I. COLLEGIATE BUILDING.

In September, 1898, Collegiate Hall will be occupied by the Chairs of English, French, German, Greek, Latin, History, Political Sciences, Pedagogy, Government and Administration, Psychology and Philosophy, and Mathematics. The building will cost $150,000.

The architects were Preston & Bird, Des Moines, Iowa. Ground was broken in September, 1898, and the foundation completed in December. The main west of the basement will be completed about May 1, 1899. The contract for the erection of the building will be let March 29, to be completed September 1, 1900.

ATHLETIC MEETING.

FOOT BALL MANAGER ELECTED—COMMITTEE TO REVISE CONSTITUTION.

The Athletic Union held its regular monthly meeting at Chase Hall last night. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The amendment to the Constitution, proposed last term, was taken up, and on motion the entire matter of revising the Constitution was referred to a committee of five to be appointed by the president. This committee is to correspond with Athletic Associations elsewhere, and to report on the revision of our Constitution at its conven­ence.

A communication from Professor Sims, of the Faculty Athletic Com­mittee, stating his objections to the proposed amendment, was read, and referred to the committee.

There being no other communications for foot ball manager, on motion the election of F. C. McCutcheon was made unanimous. At once of "speech," he promptly responded.

The outgoing foot ball manager, Mr. Monger, submitted his final report, which shows a profit on the last season's games of $4,075, excluding dividends from sale of season tickets. The report being approved Mr. Monger addressed the meeting, expressing his gratification at the united effort given the foot ball department by the Union and by the Advisory Board. Mr. Holstein submitted his report, showing the progress made in organiz­ing the base ball schedule, which was approved. He also rendered his resignation as manager, which was ac­cepted, to date from the election of a successor.

On motion the meeting was adjourned to a meeting on Saturday, January 20th.

IOWA ENGINEERS MEET.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Iowa Engineers convened yesterday morning in the rooms of the Engineer department of the University. About thirty-five prominent engineers from over the State are in attendance. The officers of the Society are: President, Chas. F. Chase, of Clinton; Vice-President, Garret Davis, of Cedar Rapids; Secretary, E. P. Boy­ton, of Cedar Rapids.

Yesterday speeches were made by Professor A. X. Currier, Mayor Schub­lin, and President Chase. Professors Marston and Wykoff, of Ames, gave some valuable experiences relative to the standard methods of testing paving brick.

This morning speeches and papers on interesting topics were given by B. Schneider, of Des Moines, Professor Rawson, F. G. White, 99, Professor Sims and President Chase.

This afternoon, Professors Calvin, Macbride and Nutting gave talks on subjects relative to their respective departments.

ENGLISH CATHEDRALS.

DR. J. G. GILCHRIST LECTURES ON THEIR CONSTRUCTION.

An appreciative audience listened to an exceedingly interesting lecture on "The Construction of English Cathedrals," at Trinity Church, Tuesday evening. This was the second num­ber of a course of entertainments, consisting of two lectures and two muscular recitations, given by Dr. J. G. Gilchrist, the Registrar of the Householder depart­ment.

The speaker spoke first of the value and interest of the English cathedrals to Americans, as they are portions of our history preserved to us through the ages. Some of these cathedrals have been the seat of important his­torical controversies, as St. Paul's, and York; others, notably Canterbury Cathedral, have been embalmed in the literature of our race.

The cathedral is the seat of a bishop. In the olden times the bishops were princes palatine, having their own armies, courts, and empire. The Bishop of Durham, as late as 1846, enjoyed such feudalistic su­reignty. The bishops in those times were not only as places of worship, but as fortresses, providing them against long sieges, etc. In later times, when the bishop's temporal power had been largely taken away, the cathedral had been in the hands of the dean of the canonic chapter, the bishop making only stated visits to the cathedral.

Many cathedrals during the feudal­istic times accumulated great proper­ties, through endowment, gifts of bishops, etc. The salary of the dean of St. Paul's is £1,200, and even the organist re­ceives some £400 for his services. The unfortunate cathedral of Chester suffers from the rental of its lands on a 160 years lease, at a nominal rate, by its last abbot, when he saw that he would be deposed by Henry VIII.

Besides maintaining two daily and four Sunday services in the cathedral, many schools and universities are sup­ported by them.

The cathedrals all face toward the east, whereas is expected the second coming of the Lord. The entrances are from the north. Their size is im­mensely; most of them accommodating 7,000 worshippers with ease.

A large number of characteristic views were shown, illustrating the size of the cathedrals, their structures, the different parts, and the decorations of the columns, screens triflora, ceilings, perfect, and crypts.

The scenes of the cathedrals of Wells, Canterbury, Ely, Southwark, were delightful and impressive. The whole tone of the lecture was pleasing and instructive, marking it as one of the best which it is the rare good fortune of the people of Iowa City to have the opportunity of hearing.

To-I Benefit.

Tomorrow evening our U. St. Iowa, is to present an exhibition at the Opera House, which is to consist of four weeks of musical numbers and kineograph scenes of actual incidents in the army and navy, at Annapolis and Jacksonville, Fla. This exhibition has never before been given in Iowa City before. It is under the di­rect control of Mr. Fred Hobbs, a pro­fessional kineograph artist, who manip­ulates a $1,000 machine.

This exhibition is given for the purpose of defraying the funeral expenses of W. B. VanAlstine, who died of typhoid fever at the 2nd Division hospital in Jacksonville, Fla. He was a bright, noble fellow, and a fine soldier. The company will also erect a monument to his memory. On the I contained about 25 students of S. J. Will the University do her part to aid this noble cause?
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