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ATHLETIC PARTY

\$150 VERY NEARLY TELLS RESULTS

Socially and Financially the Athletic Ball Goes Down on Record as a Success

The committee having the party in charge in an approximate report today state that the net proceeds are \$150. Owing to the fact that it takes some time to settle all bills and get all things down to an accurate basis a full report cannot be made today but a detailed statement of receipts and expenditures will be ready and will be published in the IOWAN in next Tuesday's issue. Financially it was only a partial success comparatively, for a party of its kind where, as someone said we could just dance the athletic debt down, the profits should at least have been \$300 instead of \$150. Such a profit was the hope of the committee. Speaking from the former athletic ball, however, which was given a few years ago with the record of \$50 deficit, it was a financial success.

From the social standpoint we can best judge the party from the many and often repeated, remarks made by those present, that it easily outranked any general university function of its kind ever given here and rivaled even the best of the fraternity parties. The words "beautiful" and "dandy" seemed to have a very large element of sincerity. About two hundred people were present and they made a true Iowa crowd.

The decorations following the Washington birthday idea, were made up mostly of the patriotic red white, and blue, overhead while around the balcony old gold of the university was draped appropriately.

The orchestra, Myers of Cedar Rapids, which furnished almost perfect music was not stationed on the stage as usual but were placed on a platform in the northeast part of the hall. The stage which many called the "throne room" was decorated and furnished into a pleasant place for those who did not dance. The steps leading up to it were a popular place between dances. The trophy corner in the northeast corner of the room was the most interesting and attractive part of the hall. Trophies and medals collected for years were there on exhibition.

The patronesses of the evening were Mesdames George E. MacLean, Emlin McClain, William S. Hosford, James R. Guthrie, Arthur G. Smith and Miss Gregory.

The committee of the athletic union were Joe W. Brown, Adam K. Hess, Donald McClain, Edwin C. Arthur, Will M. Hiett, John F. Kunz, William F. Bushnell, Carl W. Ross, Clarence A. Dykstra, Robert J. Bannister, Harrison E. Spangler.

MICHIGAN'S BABY

A Wonder In the Way of Early Development Has Entered Michigan

The presence of a 15-year old boy in the literary department of the university is so usual an occurrence that Lawrence C. Hull, Jr., of Indianapolis, Ind., has attracted not a little attention in University circles, though he has only been here since the first of the year. He could not enter on account of the age limit which is 16 years, but insisted that he be given examinations. It was finally decided to give him a trial as his phenomenal record as a student had preceded him. After the examinations were completed he had not only succeeded in entering but had 32 hours advance credit, which is equivalent to one years work. A university official of the literary department said that it was the second case ever known in the university where a person had entered under age, and decidedly the most noticeable from the fact that he has received so much advance credit.

Mr. Hull was born in Detroit and lived there until four years ago, when he went to Brooklyn with his father and mother. While there he attended the Polytechnic Preparatory school and graduated the youngest in his class. During the course in the Polytechnic school he won so many prizes he was selected "Head Boy of the School" in his senior year. He won the first prize in French as well as Latin, Greek and essay writing. He was secretary and treasurer of the debating society for two years was a member of the championship debating team of Brooklyn and won first place in the oratorical contest there. The only second prize he ever received was in debating and he considers that the one great failure of his life.

Lawrence Hull has not alone been successful in the pursuit of his studies but has won medals repeatedly in athletics. In the championship meets of the state he was one of the largest point winners for his school. His specialty is the 100-yard dash, which he has made in 10.4. In the 220-yard dash, pole vault, high jump and hurdles he has very good high school records. Mr. Hull intends entering the competition for a place on the track team here this year. Both his parents are graduates from Michigan, which, according to his story, had considerable to do with his getting in when under the age limit of 16.—Michigan Daily.

All Souls' Church

Topic at 10.45: "The Ills of Our Nation, and the things that counteract." At 6:30 Miss Joanna Strange will speak on "The Man with a Country." At 7:30: "The City of Washington," with 50 stereopticon views. Collection at the door. An excursion to be remembered.

THE CONVOCATION

UNIVERSITY WILL CELEBRATE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

The Father of our Country's Birthday and our Fifty-sixth Anniversary will be Celebrated Monday

The convocation which will be held at the armory on Monday at 10.30 will serve a double purpose, that of doing honor to George Washington's memory and also that of celebrating the university's fifty-sixth anniversary. The university was founded February 25, 1847.

The address of the day will be given by the Hon. Scott M. Ladd LL. B. '81, now justice on our supreme bench.

The university sextette will render music.

MILITARY BALL

The Proceeds of The Military Party Will go to The Athletic Union

Col. Geo. R. Burnett said last night the idea of turning the profits of the university parties over to the athletic union was a good one and that the annual military party would take the lead in establishing a precedent to that end. "We will donate our profits to the good cause," said Col. Burnett "and will defer the matter of getting permanent medals for the military department for a while." "Athletics go a long way in making a university," continued the Colonel, "they give us a union in spirit and gave us a chance to show our loyalty. They aid the university in many ways and when they need support every department should drop personal matters and help the whole. Every university party among the classes should put the party profits into the athletic instead of the individual fund."

Bryan Here March 13

Prof. Gordon has just closed by telegraph negotiations with Wm. J. Bryan, for the date on Friday, March 13. Mr. Bryan will speak in the armory on the subject of "The Conquering Nation."

L. M. Butler Lit. '02 is in the city.

Trinity Episcopal Church, Rev. Dr. Geo. H. Cornell, rector in charge. Services tomorrow. Holy communion 8 a. m. Sunday School 9.30. Morning prayer sermon 10.45. Lenten announcements. Vespers 5 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Congregational Church, George Luther Cady, pastor. Morning service at 11 with an address by Dr. Pauline Root from India. Young People's meeting at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject "The Idylls of the King—Gareth and Lynette or the Battles of Manhood."

THE DE BARRIE GILLS

Concert Number of Y. M. C. A. Course Last Night

A fair sized audience, considering other attractions, greeted the De Barrie Gills last night in their reading and harp music program. Mrs. De Barrie Gill is the harp soloist and reader, while Miss Johnston assists in the harp duets.

The company belongs to the class of attractions which visit the smaller town, and are leading attractions of smaller high school lecture course. Well enough in its way, it has no place in a presumed university lecture course. Mrs. De Barrie Gill is a fairly good interpreter of child life, but her attempt of the arena scene from Quo Vadis was beyond her powers. Their most classical and best rendered musical number was "A Hot Time." The musical numbers were neither new, catchy, difficult, or classical. From the standpoint of the professional it was a failure, but judged as amateur work it was average.

Co-Education at Michigan

During the 31 years that women have received degrees from the University of Michigan one out of eight of the graduates of the university have been women. The first women graduated from the university received their degrees in 1871. During the thirty-one years, 1871-1901 (inclusive) 1,968 of the 15,802 degrees conferred were granted to 1,835 women—some receiving more than one degree. Among the degrees conferred on women were 152 higher degrees and four honorary degrees.

These degrees have been granted in the various departments as follows:

Literary department.....	1,350
Medical department.....	398
Homeopathic department...	86
Dental department.....	46
Law department.....	43
Pharmaceutical department...	40
Engineering department...	1
Honorary degrees.....	4

The Princess Chic which will be given here Monday night, is a beautiful comique, the universal success of which must be somewhat accredited to the four clever comedians, Miron, Tuff, Mahar, and Bailey. These singers without any slap-stick or horse play, bring out in the most laughable fashion the fun which Kirk La Shelle has written in his libretto. Veaa Michelena is the prima donna of the company, and the shapely and colorful chorus adds much to the attractiveness of the play.

Junior Prom

The date for the Junior prom has been set for April 24. The committee in charge is J. G. Berryhill, W. F. Hellberge, H. D. Willis, R. Edgerton, H. G. Walker, H. L. Dye and W. Ball.

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Calendar for the Week.

Feb. 21—Sigma Xi Lecture, Prof. R. W. Wood.
Feb. 23—Washington's birthday convocation.
Feb. 25—Commerce and Education, Prof. I. A. Loos, Auditorium 7 p. m.
Feb. 26—Lecture, Analogy in Language, S. N. Hagen

For the Common Good

The attitude of the military department in declaring that the money made at the annual military party in the spring will be turned over to the athletic union is a very laudable one and speaks very highly for the public spirit-edness of the department. This party, judging from its standard last year will be a good one, and it had been intended to use its profits for the purpose of getting some permanent medal to be given for high proficiency in the department. The financial condition in athletics however leads the military authorities to leave the needs of their own department and come forward for the common cause. The military certainly have the proper spirit.

When it comes to speaking about the rugged sports of boyhood, Walter Camp has just about the right theories, whatever his practical knowledge of sports may be. It seems ridiculous that the state legislatures should try to pass bills against football playing whereas everyone who thinks and knows must be well aware of the

fact that a boy's life is more or less in danger in every sport of boyhood from the time he gets his first jack-knife till he stops playing football.—Minnesota Daily.

Minnesota is to have a University Circus and Menagerie February 28th.

The Franco-American committee has decided upon Chicago as the most advantageous place for the establishment of a French industrial school.

Yale has received recently a bequest of \$172,000 half of which is to be devoted to the purchase of books for the library of the class of belles lettres and half to the Universities general library.

The Glee Club of the University of California recently gave a concert at the state asylum for the insane. The strange lack of emotion and general indifference of the audience was said to be something appalling.

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So far all the entertainments presented by the Y. M. C. A. have given splendid satisfaction but the one to be given Friday evening in the liberal arts auditorium by the De Barrie Gill Company promises to eclipse them all. If the number of dates booked is an index of popularity they are probably the most popular attraction on the lyceum platform, as they have 272 dates for the season of 1902-3 which is more than any similar attraction on the road. Those who have reserved seats for Germaine will occupy the same ones for this number. General admission 35 cents.

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Members of the senior class and those intending to make application for appointment to fellowships or scholarships should give the matter immediate attention. The latest date at which such applications may be submitted, if action upon the same is desired at the April meeting of the Board of Regents, is Monday, March 2. If submitted later, final action cannot be taken before Commencement.

After Saturday, February 21, students who have not paid their tuition, and completed registration are not entitled to be in attendance upon classes.

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