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## SPANGLER WINS SWORD

### NUGENT WITH COMPANY "A" SECOND

Competitive Drill and Inspection Held Tuesday Afternoon—Major Brush Inspects and Judges Competition

In the annual competitive drill yesterday Captain H. E. Spangler of company "C" was awarded the Coast Sword, which goes annually to the captain of the best drilled company. Company "A," commanded by Captain Francis Nugent was awarded second place and the Wieneke medal.

The third and fourth companies were, "B," Captain M. R. Charlton; "D," Captain H. C. Watson.

The drill differed somewhat from those of previous years in that the markings were only on the company officers, mistakes of the companies or men not being counted. The commands and movements of the captain counted fifty per cent and those of the two lieutenants half as much. Each company was given ten minutes to go through the movements, which were mainly by platoons.

The competitive drill followed the annual inspection by the regular army officers. Major Brush of the 25th Infantry, U. S. A., was the inspector this time.

In speaking of the merits of the battalion. Major Brush stated that the battalion drill was of high order and would be marked three, the highest attainable marking. He said that the drill would have been an honor to a battalion of the regular army. He complimented Colonel Burnett on the excellence of the drill and discipline of his command.

### Junior Medics Entertained

The junior class of the college of medicine were given a dinner at the Burkley Imperial by Dean Guthrie last evening. President MacLean was present and was called upon by the guests and the host for a short talk. Short speeches were delivered by several members of the class, followed by several of the class songs. C. H. Swift, president of the class, thanked Dean Guthrie in behalf of the class for the banquet, the first ever given to a junior class of the college of medicine.

Miss Elizabeth Carroll, L. A. '01, is visiting in the city.

J. J. Louis, L. A. '99, of the Harlan schools is in the city. He is accompanied by Mrs. Louis nee Erza Owen, L. A. '00.

All seniors are requested to fill out alumni cards at the registrar's office. These are for the convenience of the committee on the alumni catalogue.

J. B. Keaster, H. M. '03, and C. A. Beatle, ex H. M. '03, a graduate of the Hahneman Medical College of Chicago, will open their offices in Creston, Ia., in July.

## LAST ASSEMBLY

Professor T. H. Macbride Gives Closing Address to Students

The last weekly university assembly of the year was held this morning. The hall was crowded even more than usual, standing room even being at a premium.

After the doxology, invocation, scripture reading, and hymn, President MacLean read several important announcements concerning commencement and summer session. In introducing Professor T. H. McBride as a speaker of the morning, President MacLean said, "In the address this morning, we have followed the Scripture, keeping the best wine to the last."

Professor Macbride spoke for a few moments in that pleasing manner which has made him so popular throughout the state. He told quite touchingly of the chapel services when he was in college, at the time of the civil war. He said that not the words of the professor in the class room but the other things which remain in one's memory. The professor does his part in the instilling the love of learning as the chaplain instills the love of God.

After the address, which was received with hearty applause, Pres. MacLean announced that the next assembly aside from the commencement exercises, will be during the first week of the summer session. He mentioned the fact that Sir Fredrick Pollock, one of the most prominent barristers of England, will lecture in the college of law next year and deliver the address at the opening convocation of the fall quarter.

### State College Schedule

Manager Pielstickler of the Iowa State College has announced the following football schedule for next fall:

October 3—S. U. I. at Ames.

October 10—Minnesota University at Minneapolis.

October 17—Coe College at Ames.

October 24—Open date.

October 31—University of South Dakota at Ames.

November 7—Grinnell at Grinnell.

November 14—Simpson at Indianole.

November 20—Cornell at Ames.

November 26—Drake University at Des Moines.

Yesterday the Hubinger company of Davenport exhibited their views of the university in the presidents office. The exhibitions consisted of groupings of 22 photographs of the exterior of the several buildings and the campas and 21 interior views, composing a very excellent collection. The views will be used as illustrations for the atlas of Iowa which the Hubinger Co. is publishing and will be on exhibition at the Louisiana Purchase exposition in St Louis in 1904.

## ENTERS NEW LEAGUE

### ORATORICAL ASSOCIATION ADOPTS CONSTITUTION

New Association with Nebraska, Missouri, Kansas, Illinois and Indiana New Provisions for Home Contest

At the meeting of the home oratorical association last night it was decided to enter a league composed of Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Iowa State Universities. This league is as yet in the embryo state, the final compact or agreement not having been drawn up as yet. In case the plans are carried out, Iowa will send the winner of second place in the home contest to the meeting of the new league, the first place winner going to the N.O.L. Contest as usual.

A new constitution for the home league was adopted. The principal differences from old constitution are such as were made to conform to the new constitution of the Northern Oratorical League. One provision is that thought and composition, as well as delivery, shall be judged on the night of the contest, instead of previously as was the old system. A second provision necessitated by the other, is that, in case there are more than six contestants, a preliminary contest will be held to reduce the number to six, when the home contest will be between these. The provisions are made to conform to the modern system of judging as proposed by the N.O.L. for next year.

A. O. Thomas of Philomathean was elected president for next year. When it came to the election of secretary a dispute arose as to which was entitled to the office so the other officers were not elected.

### Senior Class Breakfast

The committee having in charge the breakfast of the senior class announces that the function will be held at the Burkley Imperial on Tuesday, June 16th at 8 a. m. The early hour was necessitated to avoid conflict with the Phi Beta Kappa address at ten o'clock.

Tickets may be secured from the members of the committee, Misses Whitley and Padmore and Messrs West, Keck, and McClain. It is desired that all members of the class procure tickets as soon as possible, so that the committee may make more positive arrangements than would otherwise be the case.

### RATE FOR COMMENCEMENT

A rate of one fare and one third has been secured for the commencement exercises on all railroads. A certificate must be obtained at the time the ticket is purchased and filed later at Iowa City to entitle the holder to the reduced rate.

## Summer Session English

In view of the increased attention given to the subject of English in the high schools, the State University is making special endeavor to give instruction which will aid teachers in the high schools in this work. Two specialists in high school English have been secured to give courses in the summer session. Professor Huber Gray Buehler, English master in the famous Hotchkiss school of Lakeville, Connecticut, will give two courses daily during the last three weeks of the session. Professor Buehler has gained great distinction among the eastern colleges and universities through the students and is prepared in English. He is also an author of wide reputation and a pleasing public speaker. He will be secured for one public address during the summer session. Miss Ida M. Street, of the East Division High School, Milwaukee Wis., a former teacher in Oskaloosa, and at one time head of the department of English in the Ann Arbor, Michigan, high school, will offer two courses daily during the first three weeks. Miss Street is also an author who has published many articles in important magazines and has one book. The courses offered by these two instructors are as follows.

Professor Buehler 1. English grammar. 2. Methods in high school English.

Miss Street 1. Some principals of literary criticism as applied to the drama and the novel. 2. Methods of teaching masterpieces in the high schools.

### Tournament Off

Mr. H. E. Burton who had the handicap tennis tournament in charge announces that it has been called off on account of the weather and the shortness of time remaining in which to play it out.

Lorin J. Roach, L. A. '00, is in the city visiting his sister, Lena Roach, L. A. '03.

Professor W. C. Wilcox leaves tonight for several University Extension lectures.

President MacLean has returned from a tour of the state, during which he spoke at high school commencements at Grundy Center, Eldora, Tama and Denison.

Die Germania elected the following as officers of the society for the next year: president, Edna Boerner; vice president, H. W. Gregory; secretary, Nelle Showalter; treasurer, Guy Drake.

The second joint program between the Erodolphian and Hesperian societies was given Saturday evening in Erodolphian hall, being an unusually interesting program. It was followed by an informal reception given by the Erodolphians to the Hesperians, Zetagathians, and Irvings.

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Calendar for the Week.

June 11—Inter-Collegiate Rifle Shoot at Rifle Range.

Delinquent Iowan Subscribers should pay their subscriptions at Once.

The Cause of Brant's Attacks

About April fifteenth, Hon. Joe R. Lane of Davenport was appointed, member of the board of regents of the university and since that time the Iowa City Republican edited by DAVID BRANT has been the bitter enemy of the institution.

MR. BRANT'S enmity for Mr. Lane is of political origin and of long-standing, arising from the latter's being influential in defeating the then-Clinton-editor for the nomination for Lieut. Gov. During March, at the time of the Davenport postoffice scandal, BRANT attacked Mr. Lane personally, accusing him of deserting Postmaster Metzger when in trouble. This was an entirely unfounded charge as Mr. Metzger was well treated, but it showed that the old grudge still rankled in Brant's heart.

When Mr. Lane became a regent of the university BRANT became an enemy of the University and has since

tried in every imaginable way to force his enemy from the board. First, he thought out his educational board of control scheme, thinking that would terminate the board of regents entirely and leave Mr. Lane out. Then he began attacking the board of regents as a whole, criticising their acts and impugning their intentions. And this was only the beginning. He turned his personal spite against the whole institution and the columns of his paper have of late been filled with articles directed against students and faculty alike and displaying the meanest and most contemptible of carping, petty-fault-finding spirits. Every infraction of staid and sedate decorum committed by students he takes delight in magnifying and painting up into an outrage and a crime. The actions of students toward the Odd-Fellows were a "crying shame" and the acts of the elephant which nearly escaped from its drunken driver became in his hands "Another Student Outrage".

Now he announces his intention to carry on the war indefinitely and to cut off all appropriations for the university by the next legislature. Such are his wishes. It is good that his influence and power does not equal the volume of his malice.

The assemblies of the year are over. They have filled a long-felt want and should in the future be a permanent feature.

Eight students of mathematics took the examination for the Lowden mathematic prize, Saturday. The winners will be announced from the commencement stage.

In the Yale-Harvard dual games McLanahan and Behr both of Harvard vaulted 11ft. 6 in. making a new record.

The Y. W. C. A. have issued invitations for a farewell reception to its senior members at the home of Mrs. W. C. Wilcox, 629 N. Dubuque St. tonight.

The sixth annual contest of the central oratorical league was held with the University of West Virginia this year. Indiana won first, Illinois second and Ohio state third.

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seniors of the fraternities tonight  
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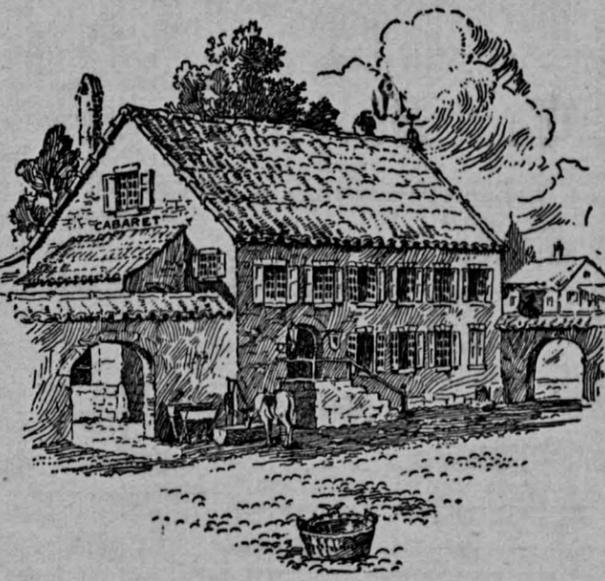
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S. O. } Hdqs. U. of I. Battalion  
 No. 28 } May 25, 1903  
 The battalion will participate in the Inter-collegiate Rifle Shoot again this year.

The final contest will take place Thursday, June 11, at 2:00 p. m. on the University Range under the supervision of the commandant.

The conditions governing are: team of ten men; ten shots each off hand; two hundred yards; man target "A"; Springfield rifle with regulation trigger pull; no sighting shots or other preliminary firing on day of contests; match to be shot on home range and results, (original score sheet and bulletin) certified by commandant. Attention is called to paragraphs 436 & 535 in firing regulations for the U. S. army.

The competition is open to all members of the battalion and Commandant's medal will be awarded for one year to the man making the highest score. All cadets desiring to take part should report at once to Major H. E. Hadley, Inspector of rifle practice.

By order of Col. Geo. R. Burnett, Commandant.

REDUCED RATE FOR SUMMER SESSION

A rate of one and one-third fare has been granted on all roads for the summer session provided one hundred tickets are sold. A certificate must be obtained at the time the ticket is purchased and filed later at Iowa City to entitle the holder to reduced rate.

SUMMER SCHOOL

All students in the college of liberal arts who find it necessary or desirable to shorten the time for completing their course in the interest of an entrance upon professional courses, or for other reasons, or who must do extra work to graduate with their class, are advised and strongly urged to take advantage of the summer session for this purpose. There is reason to believe that the faculty will in the future, more narrowly restrict the allowance of extra hours, especially in view of the opportunities offered by the summer session.

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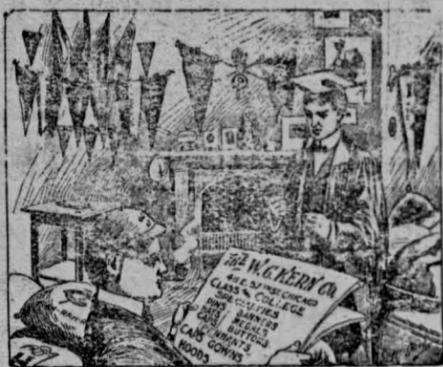
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