Prof. Houser's Lecture.

First of Series of Zoology Lectures.

Last night at seven o'clock, the first one of the course of ten lectures to be given, before the department of Zoology was delivered, by Prof. Gilbert S. Houser. These lectures are to be given on successive Wednesdays signified in this way: Prof. Houser, the first four by Prof. Norwood, and the last two by Prof. Wickersham. They are open to the public, and if one has not an appointment for a seat on the remaining ones will be they should not be missed by anyone who possesses a love for these subjects.

The subject of Prof. Houser's lecture was "Animal Life and Its Powers." The audience number a few who the major points touching upon.

The increased general interest in animal life, towards a higher biological understanding, number of animal stories, books, periodical treatments, etc. The fundamental question is in animal life, what is "Animal Life," a category of matter—a unique form of matter—a fusty, valuable substance it represents. It is composed of an absolutely chemical element, characterised by its low atomic weight, and by its extreme malleability, traversing the animal kingdom, from the simplest, a gnat, to the most complex, a human being.

Within the universe is a substance which is called life.

There is a common removal of the particles constituting any living substance. The material built in comes from food. There are three phases of food substances: viz., proteins, carbohydrates, fats, mineral matter and water. All foods must come into a condition of suspension in water before they can be utilised. Where added by means of the enzymes. The enzymes prepared food is brought into and made a part of the cells. Part of this food becomes protein, but most of it becomes living matter. Living matter has the capacity of changing lifeless matter into living substance. Such changes in institutes with the aid of enzymes.

Activities of animals must be explained, on the basis of conservation of energy. Although the energy come from chemical energy in foods. The animals store energy in a limited amount and is measurable by heating. Living being has under different conditions. Energy of four kinds called one as chemical energy, the heat, the mechanical energy, light, and electrical energy. The general situation in nature is that the fundamental energy cannot be increased and is conserved. This energy is stored in the living substances.

The next lecture in this series will be by Prof. Houser, next Wednesday evening at seven o'clock, lasting just one hour. His subject will be, "The Basis for the Behavior of Animals."
FOOTBALL MUST GO.

By Denny E. Barger, Staff Writer

Seems to us that the athletic committee of the University of Wisconsin has reported to the faculty that all intercollegiate football should be stopped.

This means practically the stopping of all intercollegiate athletics as football furnishes the funds which will enable the faculty to carry on the rest of the games. The faculty has been discussing the report of the committee and has deferred final action until later.

The students and many alumnae will commence a campaign at once to have the report turned down by the faculty.

If football methods do not stand investigation and the game is full of evil let it be given its just due the same as any other sport.

CUNNINGHAM'S REHEARSAL.

Fred J. Cunningham gave a public rehearsal of his oration last evening in the assembly room. The oration is a strong production and is one of the most original in thought in the entire number. Mr. Cunningham made it clear and pleasing to the audience, but he lacked the strength that would make it the most effective. He left today at eleven, and will give his oration before the Hamilton club this Thursday evening.

FROM THE MESSAGE OF GOV. CUMMINS.

In view of the fact that the Thirtieth general assembly appointed a joint committee to examine into the methods of management of state educational institutions, and knowing how patiently and carefully the committee has investigated the subject, shall not at this time present my views upon the controversy that has changed the best thought of the people of the state.

There is one phase of the matter, however, to which I can refer with entire propriety. The university, colleges of agriculture and mechanical arts, and the normal school were never so prosperous and efficient as they are at this time.

The university, notwithstanding the unhappy incidents of nearly two years ago, has grown as it never grew before. Its enrollment is now so substantial as to meet the requirements of the first of January, 1904. It has taken on new life and has expanded the scope of instruction so that they measure up to university standards, and it is now firmly established in the confidence of the people.

It is plain that the generous appropriation for these institutions, which began a few years ago are beginning to bear fruit, and I bespeak for all of them a continuation of the liberal policy under which they have come from obscurity into prominence.

There is no state that has a better constituency of boys and girls than Iowa. They are so born and bred in the best schools that they are ready to become leaders in all the fields of human activity. We owe to them a profound and continuing duty.

They are entitled to all the advantages that the best schools can confer upon them. While it is not to be expected that all the boys and girls of the state will take on all their education in our own schools, not a single one of them should leave the state because there is a better school elsewhere.

To keep these boys and girls at home and to attract others from neighboring states we must keep pace with the times. We must increase the support to meet the growing demand, and we have a demand which is sure to come from greater numbers but from more complete and varied instruction. We have not a penny for useless expenditure, but we have millions for the perfect training of our boys and girls.

Chicago Plays Socker Foot Ball All Winter.

The soccer team is still in the field, and Coach Perceull has forty men trying for the various positions. They will practice all during the winter, and as the weather permits sleep in doors and when the weather permits sleep in doors and when it is stormy. At the indoor practice a small ball will be used and the men will be placed in the art of passing.

It has been decided to make out a spring schedule for ten Saturday afternoons. They expect to arrange a game with Elmhurst college, the Wanderers, Western Electric, and the Nelson Morris teams. Tomorrows afternoon an election will be hold for university captain - Daily Maroon, Chicago.

A FIRE.

Jordan and Rhysberge Lose Their Clothes.

The Delta Tau Delta had a fire in one of the rooms yesterday. While the boys were at dinner a fire was discovered. The alarm was quickly turned in to the central station and before the fire company arrived the fire had been put out by the good work of the fraternity boys. They kept a small hand fire extinguisher and this did the work. Jordan and Rhysberge lost about all of their clothes in the fire.

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NOTICE.

Any student in any college of the University expecting to take one or more entrance examinations at the close of the present semester should notify the University examiner as soon as possible, January 29th. Please leave the name of each subject in which you expect to be examined.

This is a good opportunity to satisfy entrance condition, since on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 1 to 3, these examinations will be given without charge.

R. C. DORRIS, University Examiner.
PERSONAL, LOCAL AND GENERAL

Miss Lora Moing has returned to her school at Jewett, Iowa.

Mr. Arthur Gordon has resumed his work in Cherokee, Iowa.

Arthur J. Cox is in Des Moines attending the Iowa Engineers’ Society.

The Iowa Woman’s Club meets today with Mrs. Carney on Iowa Ave.

Dr. Gay Ramsey is improving after his operation.

Dr. Noltecky of Western, Iowa, is shaking hands with old friends at the S. U. L.

Dr. Herring, of the medical department, had the misfortune to fall and break a finger on his right hand.

There is a rumor afoot in Des Moines that Judge Emlyn McClain of this city may be made chief justice.

The engineering building was inspected yesterday by Prof. Robison, Sec. McChesney and Capt. Ellisworth.

Lawrence Mayer was very painfully injured while skating on the Des Moines street hill.

Iowa may have a track team in spite of the fact that no Jerry Delaney is to be with them.

The Collegian Reporter of Morrisville, Iowa college, came agley, dated Jan. 4. It is a bright, scowy college paper.

The Minnesota Freshmen have just organized a Greek society. It has 60 members.

The Register and Leader has almost an editorial column, urging legislators to unite and pass Senator Crossley’s primary bill.

The orators and debaters of Northwestern are to organize, in order to promote the best interests of oratory and debate in that institution.

We have foot ball coaches, base ball coaches, athletic directors, etc., etc. How what is the reason we don’t have a debating coach?

There is no burden that I bear, I’m neither overworked or unhinged but let me cling to my despair. It’s such a sweet relief to kick.

Prof. W. C. Streub last evening opened his series of lectures at Burlington, Iowa, upon “Six Critical Points in American History.”

This evening at Chicago Fred J. Cunningham will represent B. U. L. in the Hamilton Club contest. Prof. Gordon will also be present.

Sunday the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. members of the city will meet and consider the quadriennial convention with the Student Volunteer movement to be held in Nashville, Feb. 26 to March 1.

Thomas has the finest line of Solei- in the City—Betts-bob—Poc- st—Lace point—Macarol—Embroid- dry, etc.,

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The Blasfield picture in the capital at Des Moines has given a lot of editors an opportunity to pretend to a knowledge of driving oxen, while the fact is that half the fellows so git in altering their prosperity never saw an ox team breaking prairie.—West Union Gazette.

No waiting for your photos at Town Hall.

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**UNIVERSITY CALENDAR**

- **January 15, Monday**: Illustrated lecture, M. O. Lightfoot, L. A. auditorium, evening, open to public.
- **January 15, Tuesday**: Lecture, Liberal Arts auditorium, 7 p.m., B. L. J. Eaton, "The Care of Our Nations, Pictures of leading athletes, American and foreign."
- **February 24, Saturday**: Annual lecture of the Silver Key society.
- **February 25, University conservatory in celebration of Washington's birthday, 10:30 a.m.**
- **March 21, Wednesday**: S. U. I. before courses-J. J. B. Siell, "The Humanistic Philosopher."
- **March 22, Friday**: First annual Sophomore week, "The University Life."".
- **April 11**: Third-quarter exams, 10 a.m. All enrolled students can expect to receive their grades on or about April 17. Fourth-quarter begins, 8 a.m.
- **April 30**: Second annual freshmen banquet, contest in content for prize of $50, to all freshmen in 40 colleges. May 29, Friday: Fourth annual Hamline class, open to all undergraduates, prizes for best work. Best work, S. James barber shop, "The Physics of the whole pull out left over."

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- **HAWKEYE.**
  - All competing for the prizes offered by the literary department should band in two typewriters copies of their production, together with the sealed envelopes of letters, pictures of the production, number of words and their own name. Everyone is urged to hand in work as soon as possible.
  - Ten dollars for the best collection of drawings, three of which are to be full-page drawings for any of the following categories: law, medicine, homeopathic medicine, liberal arts, dentistry, pharmacy, literary, fraternity, sorority, University publications, athletics, military, etc. Two prizes of $5.00 for the best set of drawings of any size. These may also be in the nature of cartoons. Come holds society headings and the like. A second prize of $2.00 for the second set, same subject as No. 1. All drawings should be made on white paper with black ink—no wash drawings. Pen and ink entrance for prize of $50, open to all sophomores in the college. Two prizes of $10.00 for the best essays, 500 words or less. A prize of $7.50 for the best essay on any subject, 1000 words or less.

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- 7:30 a.m.
- 10:00 a.m.
- 11:30 a.m.
- 1:00 p.m.
- 4:00 p.m.
- 5:00 p.m.
- 6:00 p.m.
- 7:00 p.m.

**Iowa City**
- 2:00 a.m.
- 8:00 a.m.
- 11:00 a.m.
- 2:30 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m.
- 7:30 p.m.
- 8:30 p.m.

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