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BASKET BALL TEAM LEAVES AT TWELVE FOR CHICAGO GAME

LAST YEAR'S VICTORY MAKES THE OUT-COME OF THE GAME A TOSS-UP

Chicago Has One of the Strongest Teams That Has Represented the Midway Institution in Years According to Reports of Their Prowess

The Iowa basket ball squad, accompanied by Coach Kent and Trainer Watson, will leave tonight at 12 o'clock for Chicago where they will meet Chicago tomorrow night in the first conference game of the season.

Because of the two Hawkeye victories over the Maroons last year by a one-point margin, and because both teams will have practically the same lineup that they had last year, the outcome of the game is a toss-up. With the exception of George, the all-conference guard of last year, the Maroons will present the same lineup as last year's.

The four veteran players of the Iowa five, Dutton, center, Schiff and Von Lackum, guards, and Bannick, forward, will probably start the game, with Laun taking the place made vacant by the graduation of "Cap" Von Lackum. Olsen, Byers and Jenkins are the substitutes to be carried on this trip.

Although not in quite as good condition as they were at the corresponding time a year ago, on account of being handicapped by lack of training facilities during the holiday practices, the Iowa team is working fairly well. This will be the first real test of the year for the Hawkeyes, as the teams played thus far have been too weak to show the true strength of this year's combination.

In this respect the Chicago team will have a little the edge as a result of a trip during the holiday recess, when they met half a dozen of the strongest teams in Iowa, Michigan, and Illinois. On this tour they showed such strength as to be pronounced one of the strongest teams that has represented the Midway institution in recent years.

Iowa's next game will be played next Wednesday with Cornell, who are expected to furnish good, stiff opposition. Indiana will perform on the local floor on the following aturday night. During the next week the Hawkeyes will invade Indiana, meeting Purdue and Indiana on their home floors. The defeat of Ames by Simpson came as a surprise to Iowa sports lovers. They are at a loss to know whether it indicates a special weakness on the part of the State College quinten or an unusual strength on the part of Simpson.

MISS SKEELS MARRIES NORTHWESTERN SENIOR

The marriage of Miss Marguerite Skeels of Iowa City and Merrill Stevens of Sioux City occurred in Sioux City December 23. Blanche Gross, a pledge of the Alpha Chi Omega sorority,to which Miss Skeels was also a pledge, was bridesmaid.

Mr. Stevens is a senior at Northwestern and attended the summer school here last summer. He is a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity. Miss Skeels was a freshman in the liberal arts college here last year.

WISCONSIN CAPTAIN TRYS S. U. I. GYM.

Work in preparation for the big gymnastic meet here in March is going forward rapidly. Iowa men are preparing daily and reports from competing institutions indicate that men there are doing the same. Ames and Northwestern have already sent in their entries. The captain of the Wisconsin gym team spent Wednesday in Iowa City looking over the gymnasium, trying out the apparatus, and making other preparations for the invasion by his team.

WRESTLING TRYOUTS TO BE HELD JAN. 17

The first wrestling tryouts of the year will be held on January 17. All places on the team will be filled at this time.

The entire schedule has not been made out as yet, but according to Director Kellogg the first meet will be at Ames on February 9. At the same time as the varsity tryouts the freshmen who have ben working with the team will be given a chance to contest for places on what will be known as the freshman wrestling team.

"This is the beginning of a new custom" says Mr. Schroeder, "and we hope that the freshmen will take advantage of the opportunity.

IOWA GIRLS HEAVY BLUE EYES FAVORED

READ THIS OVER CAREFULLY FELLOWS—IT TELLS ALL ABOUT THEM

That the Iowa girl is heavier than the eastern girl is proved by the physical examinations of the girls who entered the University of Iowa this year. By tests of 292 freshman girls it was found that the average weight is 120 pounds. In eastern colleges, girls are considerably lighter.

The average first year girl at Iowa is 19 years old, 5 feet 4 inches high, and has a lung capacity of 164 cubic inches. The youngest freshman girl is 16 years old and the oldest is 42; the heaviest weighs 176 pounds and the lightest 80 pounds; the tallest is 5 feet 9½ inches and the shortest is 4 feet 8½ inches.

Blue Eyes Win

Almost half of the first year girls have blue eyes, yet 60 per cent of them are brunettes, otherwise. Brown eyes follow next with a percentage of 33, hazel with 13 per cent, and gray last with 10 per cent. Blondes form 34 per cent of the girls' enrollment, and red haired girls and girls with jet black hair make only 3 per cent each.

That there is a tendency for a girl to resemble her father rather than her mother is shown absolutely by statistics for the past ten years. This year a third of the girls declared that they resembled neither father nor mother, but of the rest, 36 per cent claimed a likeness to father and 30 per cent to mother. These percentages have remained practically constant for the past ten years. Sixty per cent of the first year girls come from farm homes.

1,000 Girls Training

One thousand girls are now taking work in physical education. Six hundred of this number are freshmen and sophomores, for whom physical training is compulsory, and the re-

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MILITARY BALL TO PRESENT SPLENDID FUNCTION TONIGHT

CAPTAIN AND MRS. MORTON C. MUMMA TO LEAD THE OPENING MARCH

"Punch" Dunkel's Orchestra Will be Concealed in the center of the Decorations Behind a Minature Fortress—Old Glory to Wave

Henry Ford and other pacifists would not rest easy today, were they to become acquainted with the details of the arrangements which have been made to entertain the large number of Hawkeyes and their friends who are expected to attend the military ball in the armory at 8:15 this evening. Yes, and West Point and Annapolis would become verdant with envy could they but peep into the armory.

This year's Military Ball is not merely a formal party with a military name—it is an occasion which will be military from the "reveille" to the last echo of "taps," and it will be patterned largely after the balls which are given at the famous Carvel Hall of Annapolis, and at Westpoint. In fact, this year's S. U. I. Military Ball is said to be in a class that will rival the most ambitious designs of the eastern institutions.

Promptly at 8:15 o'clock a real bugler, formerly of the navy and now a student at Iowa, will sound reveille in the manner in which it should be sounded. The call will be the signal for the assembly to begin the grand march. Captain and Mrs. Morton C. Mumma will lead the march, which marks the opening of the evening's festivities.

Behind a miniature fortress, which will serve for the center of the decorations, "Punch" Dunkel's orchestra will be concealed. After the reveille, "colors" will be sounded and Old Glory will rise proudly on a staff over the little fortress.

Serving will be carried out in true military spirit, the four supper extras of the evening being designated on the program as "messes." A number of surprises during the evening have been promised, including an impressive ceremony which has been arranged to accompany the playing of the Star Spangled Banner.

A "retreat", sounded by a bugler from behind the fortress, will warn the assemblage that the evening"s entertainment is nearing an end. After the final strains of the last dance have died away "taps" will be sounded.

As is the usual custom with University formal parties, the wearing or bringing of flowers upon the floor will be forbidden.

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL BASKETBALL BEGINS

The first inter-department basketball game will be played on Saturday, Jan. 13. Many of the teams have been working out for some time, so the contests are expected to be fast and furious.

It was intended to play the first game on Jan. 5, but because of the military ball the game was postponed till the following week. A charge of ten cents will be levied on the spectators at the final championship game. Money so obtained will be used to buy sweaters for the wining team.

FORMER IOWA MAN OUT MAKING GOOD

Dr. Clifford H. Farr, who has taken both a B. A. and an M. A. degree from the University, will have charge of the botany department of Rutgers college during the summer of 1917. Since taking his last degree from the university he has visited the West Indian Islands on a traveling fellowship from Columbia university to study the flora there and obtain specimens. He is now a member of the faculty in the department of botany at the Texas State college.

OFFICE CHANGES DUE TO SHORTAGE OF HEAT

On account of the lack of heat in most of the University buildings during the recent recess several offices were changed temporarily to the medical laboratories and the hospital.

Secretary W. H. Bates had his office in the hospital. Registrar H. C. Dorcas was in the pharmacological laboratories. President W. A. Jessup and his secretary worked before a fire of logs in the fireplace of the president's private office. The mimeograph department and the University of Iowa association were in the medical building.

Several professors worked at the Triangle club, while others worked at home.

FRESHMAN PARTY NEXT BIG EVENT

YEARLINGS WILL DANCE ON JANUARY 26—PLANS WELL UNDER WAY

With the Military Ball a thing of the past by tomorrow morning, S. U. I. society will turn its eyes toward the next of the class occasions, the freshman party. January 26 has been set as the date for the University's only informal class party and, at this early date it may be prophesied that the party will be well attended and a complete success.

The committee for the party was appointed last November by Glenn Beers, president of the freshmen class, Robert Aurner being selected chairman. Several meetings of the committee have been held and the work of arranging the details of the party has progressed rapidly.

Although it has not been definitely decided, the color scheme will probably be in red and white. Music will be furnished by "Punch" Dunkel's orchestra. In accordance with the usual custom, no flowers will be permitted at the party.

The tickets will be placed on sale within the next ten days and may be secured at Whetstone's or from the members of the committee.

CALIFORNIA MAN TALKS NITROGEN

"The multiple states of nitrogen as indicated by its spectra" were discused by Prof. E. P. Lewis of the University of California yesterday afternoon in a lecture before some of the more advanced physics students. He illustrated his talk with slides and experiments.

He showed how complicated nitrogen is when studied intensively, although commonly not regarded so

Professor Lewis addresses the Baconian club this evening and speaks Saturday morning at 10:30 in the Physics lecture room upon "The Electrical Properties of Flames."

S. U. I. GLEE CLUB RETURNS AFTER SUCCESSFUL XMAS TRIP

GOES ON LONGEST HIKE EVER TAKEN BY LOCAL MUSICAL ORGANIZATION

One Man in Club Declares that "Bob" Aurner Averaged Seven and Three-fourths Letters a day—Knudson Has Next Highest Average

The University Men's Gle club returned Wednesday from their annual tour which extended to Minneapolis and St. Paul. Press comments from points where the club appeared indicate that the trip was an unqualified success.

It commenced with a sacred concert at Cedar Rapids Sunday morning, December 24, in the second Presbyterian church. In the afternoon enroute to Vinton where a concert was given in the evening the club appeared at Laporte City.

From Vinton the men went to Waverly where they presented their first regular program Christmas night. Because of inclement weather the audience was not large, although the quality of the entertainment was very high according to the Waverly Independent. Students and alumni of the University entertained the club while they were in Waverly.

The next appearance was made in Shell Rock before a fair sized house. At no place on the tour was the music more enthusiastically received. It was at this point where mail from the home folk and others began to rain in and the post office took precedence even over cafes and restaurants for whole-hearted popularity. One man on the club declares that "Bob" Aurner averaged seven and three-fourths letters a day, and Irving Knudson followed next with an average of six, or thereabouts.

The concert on Wednesday night at Clarksville was given before only a fair-sized crowd. At Greene on the following night a banquet was given in honor of the club by the alumni and students there. The banquet was attended by fifteen besides the members of the Glee club. The largest audience since the Vinton concert heard them at Northwood on Friday night. Here also the members of the club found themselves in the hands of alumni and students of the University, and as a consequence have nothing but good things to tell of the Northwood engagement.

On the next day the club dropped back to Rockford for a concert in the Methodist church there. The contract for this engagement had been secured only a few days before the night of the appearance. The intention had been to sing in Albert Lea instead but the plans fell through. After the concert a party was given for the singers by Gertrude Lorenz, a junior in the liberal arts college.

The train which was to take the members of the club to Minneapolis was to leave at 4 o'clock a. m. It left at 4 a. m. and in addition to this it left one of the members of the club who has prevailed upon the reporter with pitiful wails to refrain from mentioning his name.

Three concerts were given in the Twin cities within three and a half hours Sunday evening. The first appearance was in the Plymouth Congregational church of St. Paul. Following this taxicabs hurried the

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VACATION HAS PASSED

For some there is nothing harder than to get down to work after a period of rest and relaxation. This morning there are still some people about the University who are putting off getting down to business after the holidays. Although yesterday was the second day of school, there was not the attendance at the library that was usual before Christmas.

Ther is no time during the semester when the student should study as he should study this month. Four weeks from tomorrow will be the final day of the semester. In four weeks the student body will be suffering the agonies and suspenses of final examinations.

It is possible that you are one of those whose work has been kept up throughout the term; if so, you are fortunate. You are one of the minority. The majority of us must suffer for the rest of the semester the penalty of studying not always thoroughly done. We must review, we must hand in back papers, we must study hard to prepare for the day of reckoning. In a month we shall have won or lost, depending on whether we have improved the time which we now have. In four weeks we may make up for some of the deficiencies of the months which have gone by.

This is the last lap of the race. The steady runner almost always finishes "in the money," but a winner may sometimes be the one who spurts at the last, and who spurts strongly and finishes well. The man who sprints the last ten yards will never win a race. The time to begin to work is now, while there is yet a considerable distance in which to catch up with the field.

If your work has been well done since September, now is your chance to make the effort count. If you have occasionally neglected an assignment partially or entirely, this is your opportunity to bring your work up to the point of safety.

There is still time. The holidays are over. Show your appreciation of the fact that school has begun again by doing your work well for the rest of the semester and for the rest of the year. Your vacation should have given you added power and incentive. The coming weeks are an opportunity not to be neglected.

MORE PRAISE FOR BECKER

Some notable surgical operations have resulted from the present war over the sea, such as placing an eye where one had been shot out by one of Mr. Krupp's guns; another, tho less wonderful, is that of taking an arm off of a dead man and substituting it on another man's body, who had been so fortunate as to have been standing on top of the trenches when the enemy made a surprise air raid. But all of these wonderful feats in surgery pale into insignificance when compared to the operation which was performed upon Fred Becker, of Waterloo, at Washington, D. C., the other day.

Each year after the gridiron season closes, E. C. Patterson picks an All-Western football team for Collier's Weekly. Mr. Patterson selected his all-stars, and Becker was among them, but when it came to putting Freddy's picture in his magazine, the gentleman was up a stump, for the sole picture he possessed of "the greatest tackle in the west" was one which showed only Smiling Fred's countenance and he must have a picture which showed his whole form. Now here's where he performed the most wonderful surgical operation known in the annals of surgery. He dug deep into the "cut-file" of Collier's picture department and found a very good looking picture of a gridiron hero. Going into the composing room he deliberately decapitated the gentleman's head and stuck thereon Freddy's likeness. The world do move, does it not? That was certainly a wonderful surgical feat.

But anyway, Mr. Patterson recognized the kind of football players that Black Hawk county, Iowa, turns out and placed Becker of Iowa and Hauser of Minnesota on his team as tackles. Becker, as has been written before, is a graduate of East High, and Hauser, captain-elect of the Gophers, is from Cedar Fall—'ray for Black Hawk county. —Waterloo Times Tribune.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY HAS NEW MEMBERS

The following persons were elected to membership in the State Historical Society of Iowa at the regular monthly meeting of the board of curators in the rooms of the society on Wednesday afternon:

The Hon. J. R. Frailey, Fort Madison; Dr. John Wallace Cooper, Davenport; William R. Daum, Ottumwa; The Hon. Ben Edwards, Ames; The Hon. T. P. Harrinton, Algona; The Hon. A. W. Jackson, Stanwood; L. W. Mansfield, Cedar Rapids; Mrs. H. L. Monty, North McGregor; Dr. R. C. Norman, Lawler; W. C. Shepard, Allison; W. H. Stowe, Fort Dodge.

President W. A. Jessup went to Des Moines last night to attend a meeting of the state board of education.

WHAT MEN LIVE BY

There Will Appear in This Column from Day to Day, Quotations from Modern Writers and Speakers, Letters from Alumni and Friends of the University, and Statistics Relative to Men and Institutions:

Dr. Henry Churchill King, president of Oberlin College, says: "I am entirely clear in my own mind that the use of tobacco, at least by men under twenty-five, is to be vigorously opposed, partly in consideration of health, partly on consideration of intellectual development, and partly on moral considerations. Upon all of these points, so far as concerns especially the young, both expert authority and statistical evidence seems to me to be pretty decisive. And it has seemed to me especially unfortunate that the situation in many of our colleges is such as to show that the practice of smoking tends to become tyrannical as concerns even those who do not themselves wish to smoke, since it is plain that they are often made to feel that they are not coming up to what is expected of them, or that they are unsocial if they do not share the smoking habit."

The visit at home is the safety-valve of the college student: it reduces the steam pressure of his inflation, lets the air out of some of his new foibles gained (since the last vacation) under the enthusiasm of some foolish moment, and brings his habits of thought back to the safety level of sanity. All this is achieved automatically and frequently so quietly that the benefitee hardly realizes it.—Daily Kansan

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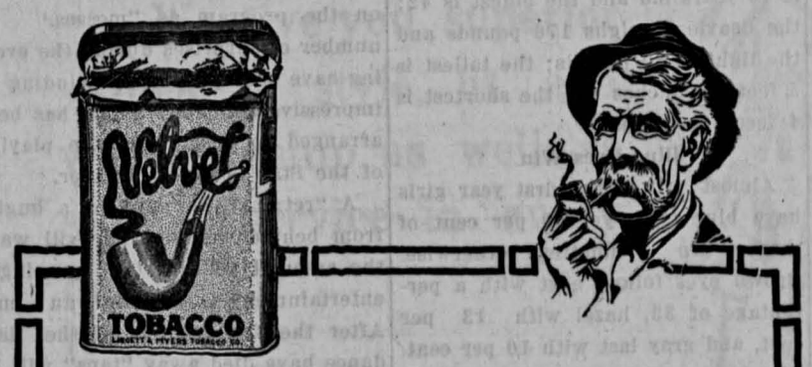

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Permanent Organization of Burlington Alumni is Affected with Carl C. Riepe as President and Jeanette Jamison as Secretary

University alumni, former students,, and present students held an informal luncheon Friday, December 29, at the Hotel Burlington, city of the same name. Thirty-five persons attended.

Theodore Wanerus, secretary of the University of Iowa associatin, gave the address of the evening, telling of the University and its work, its rapid growth, and some of its needs. D. C. Clarke, law '86, presided.

A permanent organization of the Burlington alumni was affected with Carl C. Riepe, liberal arts '10, and law '12, as president. Jeanette Jamison, liberal arts '06, was elected secretary.

The organization hopes to have various members of the faculty meet with it at selected times.

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SHROEDER WANTS MEN FOR FENCING CLASS

The fencing class will meet for the first time on January 6 in Director E. G. Schroeder's office. Ten men are wanted to begin the work but all men who apply will be welcome.

The class has been unable to begin work earlier this year, and the University will, consequently, not be represented in the big meet in March, unless someone appears who has had previous work in fencing.

REED PRESIDENT COUNTY MEDICS

Dr. Paul Reed was elected president of the Johnson County Medical society at its meeting held in the University hospital Wednesday evening. Other officers chosen were: Dr. Zella White Stewart, vice president; Dr. E. E. Hobby, secretary; and Dr. J. C. Kessler, censor.

The program was a symposium on infantile paralysis and included papers by Drs. C. P. Howard, Mark F. Boyd, and Arthur Steindler.

The next meeting will be on February 7, at which Dr. H. J. Prentiss will read a paper on the development of the human heart.

Prof. Irving King of the education department could not meet his classes at their recitations this morning, due to illness.

G. W. Whitney, senior in dentistry, returned from his vacation Wednesday only to be called back the same day to Eldora by the death of an uncle who has resided in that city.

Miss Edna Smiley, teacher in the schools at Center Point, came up yesterday for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Green here. Mr. Green is a graduate of Coe and is working for his M. A. here.

The Pilgrim chapter of the D. A. R. will meet with Dr. Mable C. Williams at Currier hall, Saturday at 2:30. Mrs Williams and Miss Zada Cooper will be the joint hostesses.

Cora Fabricius, a graduate of 1914, who is now teaching in the Vinton schools, has been visiting in Iowa City over the holidays.

Agnes Horning, who was graduated from the University in 1916, is visiting in Iowa City. Miss Horning is now teaching in Flandreau, S. D.

R. A. Rutenbeck, pharmacy '14, who has been employed at Marion, has purchased a drug store at Lost Nation.

D. H. Schalekamp, a former pharmacy student, has disposed of his interests in the Sutherland Drug company of Sutherland, Iowa, and has accepted a position at Fort Dodge.

L. C. Woodford, pharmacy '13, has recently passed the South Dakota state board examinations and is now running a store in Gregory.

F. P. Hess, pharmacy '14, who has been manager of the Dauquard store at Davenport, has accepted a position with the W. S. Merrill company of Cincinnatti.

Lois Vandivert, a former student in the University, is visiting her mother and sister in Iowa City. She is now teaching in Sheldon.

Ernest Simpson, pharmacy '11, has sold his store in Waterloo.

CANE-TWIRLING BECOMES AN ART

That neither pride nor the interest of the senior laws in their new canes has abated one whit, is evident.

Cane-twirling, as an art, has been developed to a high degree. Bill Becher, hitherto regarded by his classmates as the personification of all that is graceful and dignified, in whom it has ever been graciously conceded that there was no room for improvement, has really flowered since getting the hang of his cane. Floyd Philbrick also deserves mention for his prowers in the art. Harold Thurnen sighs for a club of the same aesthetic proportions as his colorral frame, while Bruce Snell makes trips three times a week to a furniture store where he is having his cane amputated—an inch at a time so that it won't hurt so much.

Seriously, the fad seems to be a pleasing one to the law students. The juniors have taken class action upon the matter, and have decided to help perpetuate the custom by adopting the innovation next year.

ADVANCED SWIMMING CLASS TO COMMENCE

The advanced class in swimming for men will begin work next Monday at 3:30. From then on the class will meet on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 3:30 and on Saturday morning at 10:30.

Mr. Wheeler will have charge of the class on Saturday morning, and Mr. Armbruster will oversee the work on the other days. The men in charge are corresponding with Ames, and a meet may be held with a team from Ames. Other meets are being planned.

DR. PRENTISS TO DAVENPORT

Dr. H. J. Prentiss of the college of medicine will go to Davenport Jan. 11 where he will speak before the Scott County Medical society on "Sacro-iliac Articulation." On Jan. 17 he will address the Black Hawk County Medical society at Waterloo on "The Adult Heart from the Embryological Point of View" and "Clinical Sounds Based on the Location of the Bronchial Tree."

Fred Binnall, B. S. in chemistry, 1915, who was recently associated with the Gulf Oil and Refining company of Texas, is visiting in Iowa City. Mr. Binnall at present holds a graduate fellowship in the University of Michigan. His home is in Woodbine.

Miss Ruth Tharps, '16, of Clarinda, is a guest at the Delta Delta Delta house. Miss Tharp has been teaching music in Afton.

Wayne Hagan, who is now teaching in Clinton, is spending a few days in Iowa City. He was graduated from the University in 1913.

U. B. Hughes of the geology department has returned from his home in Kentucky, where he spent the vacation.

Dr. V. H. Young of the botany department visited in Madison, Wis., over the holidays.

W. D. Shipton, assistant in the geology department, spent his vacation in Hanover, Ill.

Adie Harris, who was graduated from the University in 1916, has been elected to the work in botany and general science in the high school at Coalharbor, N. D.

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maining 400 are taking the course on their own initiative. The growth of the department is shown by a comparison of the enrollment in 1905 when 103 freshman girls were enrolled and this year with a freshman enrollment of 292.

Out of the 592 girls examined only two were found to have conditions which made it advisable for them to take no gymnasium work. Four hundred and seventy-four were organically perfect and were enrolled in regular classes. Seventy-one were found to be below par in vitality, either by reason of aenemia or some physical defects, and were put into classes in which special corrective exercises are given. Thirty-two with organic lesions and other serious defects were turned over to the medical gymnasts who are provided with special remedial auuaratus.

Have Best Facilities

Facilities for physical education of the girls at the University of Iowa are probably better than at any other college in the United States. The gymnasium, which was completed last year, was declared by the Iowa Survey commission to be the best that they had ever seen.

The gymnasium comprises all possible conveniences, among which are the eighty-foot swimming pool, forty-four shower baths of the latest type, a drawing room, a rest room, two floors for basketball and calisthenics, a mirrored room for aesthetic and folks dancing, six hundred lockers, and four large offices.

The instructional corps under Mrs. W. H. Bates consists of five women, each of whom specializes in one or two kinds of physical training. The methods of the department have become so noted that instructors from other colleges often come to Iowa City to examine the system.

Stephen Van Cott, who attended the University law colulege in the '70's, died in Columbus Junction Friday, December 22. Since he left the University he has practiced in Iowa and Missouri.

S. U. I. GLEE CLUB RETURNS AFTER SUCCESSFUL XMAS TRIP

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singers across to Minneapolis where the second concert was given in the Temple Baptist church. It was at this place that Professor Hays declares the men produced the best music of the whole trip. The third concert of the evening was given at a "Watch Party" in the Westminster Presbyterian church before two thousand persons.

At noon on New Year's Day a short concert was given at the University Club of Minneapolis which is made up of graduates from colleges and universities. A special dinner was served to the club before the entertainment and immediately following the concert they left for Mason City on the Rock Island.

A concert was given Monday night in the Elks hall before a convention of that lodge. At a dance after the short concert the members of the club were guests. They state that if there is any town in the state that is fundamentally a University of Iowa town, it is Mason City.

The final concert of the tour was given Tuesday night in the Congregational church in Mason City. The club was without the services of Professor Hays who had returned to Iowa City to meet his classes Wednesday morning, but in spite of this one of the most successful concerts of the trip was given.

In the several newspaper accounts of the concerts the work of Kroppach and Morasco in their special cartooning feature is given special praise. George Emerson Davis' readings were invariably received with much applause and in some of the places Professor Hays was referred to as Iowa's premier tenor. The solos of L. E. Dodd were well received in every concert as were also the violin solos by Brian Condit.

The trip extended over eight hundred miles, it being the longest ever taken by a University musical organization. George E. Davis, manager of the club, has not balanced his books yet but he believes that the club has come close to making expenses.

After so successful a trip music lovers of Iowa City will look forward to the appearance of the club in the home concert, the date of which has not yet been set.

The men who made the trip are as follows:

First tenors—G. E. Davis, Iowa City; Harold Thomas, Corning; Horace Hinkley, Keokuk; Frank Marasco, Des Moines; 2nd tenors—Stanley Newell, Wapello; Glen Kaufmann, Iowa City; James L. Doornink, Sioux Center; Robert Aurner, Iowa City; first basses—Roy Mayne, Iowa City; Brian Condit, Cedar Falls; Irving Knudson, Jewell; Vernon Cone, Iowa City; second basses—A. M. McMahon, Marshalltown; W. Earl Hall, Jefferson; L. E. Dodd, Iowa City; Arthur Kroppach, Burlington. ,

LATEST ADDITION TO S. U. I. NOW HERE

A little daughter, Helen Louise, was born at the University hospital last Saturday, December 30, to Mr. George Byron Gunderson, liberal arts '10 and Mrs. Grace Farrell Gunderson, liberal arts '09, daughter of Dr. J. S. Farrell, medicine '77.

Baby Gunderson's S. U. I. numerals will doubtless appear in some future edition of the daily Iowan.

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Ruth Melzian '15, v Thursday.