Bible Study. The class in Bible Study conducted by D. H. Bacon will meet Thursday at 7 p.m., and the one conducted by Rev. Bullock on Thursday at 8 p.m.

Baconian. The next regular meeting of the Baconian Club will be held on October 6th, at 7 p.m. The paper of the evening will be presented by Dr. Gilchrist on "Reminiscences of Travel in Venezuela."

Bible Study. All men who wish to join groups for the devotional study of the Bible will meet at Clow Hall, 7 p.m. - Thursday.

H. P. WILLIAMS, Chairman Bible Study Comm.

Junior Annual. Let all persons who have ordered slips fill out for the Junior Annual, as we close in on it, in time.

J. H. ALLEN, Editor-in-Chief

Bible Study. The class in Bible study meets in Professor Loso's recitation room last Monday evening and discussed the first chapters or the Political Science Seminary. The speaker was introduced by Rev. C. E. Zerfas; and, coming forward began his lecture with a story that illustrated the breadth and depth and height of Emersonism in our life of today.

W. E. SEXTON.

Political Science Seminary. The next meeting of the Seminary will be held Monday afternoon, in the Iowa Historical room.

The work of the year will consist of four principle features:

1. A study of current events and reviews of recent political and economic magazine literature.

2. Preparations of briefs on some one phase of the early political or economic history of Iowa by each member of the Seminary.

Medical Department. Professor Loso on Thursday failed to make his appearance on Thursday and Friday, and consequently there have been no lectures of interest in the Medical Department. One of the most notable changes in the Medical Course this year is the additional number of lectures of Interest Pathology. Therefore there has been laboratory work in Pathology, but no regular course of lectures.

The "scrap" and the pernicious habit of "passing for" which the class has been noted have entirely disappeared and the class has been a topic of conversation in the amphitheatre. It is sincerely hoped that the good work may continue.

"Personal Reminiscences of Ralph Waldo Emerson."

The audience that greeted the noted lecturer, Edward Everett Hale, at the Opera House Monday evening, was large and appreciative. The speaker was introduced by Rev. C. E. Zerfas; and, coming forward began his lecture with a story that illustrated the breadth and depth and height of Emersonism in our life of today.

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teenth centuries, of the American people have never heard of the great

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fluenced by the teachings and philo

sophy of this prophet among men, Emerson, who is rejected from all pol

piles. No matter who the prophet is, it does not make him less Emerson.

We will soon be celebrating the cen

tenial of Emerson's birth, and, about him, as about all great men, myths and legends come into being, and a shadow is cast upon the realities of his life.

But to correct these myths and show what is not true in them was the purpose of the "Personal Reminiscences." That Emerson was not a mere dreamer, a rainbow philosopher, is shown by a knowledge of the princi

tical and economical side of his life. Emerson's father died when he was but eight years old and through his boyhood and youth he had not only to support himself, but to assist his mother also. It was the know

ledge of the strength and power gained through that condition of his early life that made him answer when confronted with the tempest of life. He was a college honor student, and a member of his class and he sent to Congress—all will well be, all will be well.

This leader of the Idealists was a practical, faithful, and kindly friend. He was a human man. But he saw God in everything. Whatever his work was he looked upon it as the Father's business, and he taught men to live.

In his life and in his writing he never found fault. He always looked upon every action and policy of that day. Such was the depth and breadth of his philosophy that he could take the petition of the name of his common life and never uttered a complaint.

But if he did live above it, still he was part of the everyday life around him in a very practical part. He was his own business manager always, and often the true business advisor of men. In a trip he made to find "Lawn and Country Club" in Bos

ton, Emerson was the acknowledged leader of the party of men of business for practical comforts and accommodations in the establishment of the club. When on occasion demanded, he could turn his powers of entertain

ment to the amusements of children and brighten the moments for them with beautifully told fairy tales.

Just this win ran through all his life, this quality of practical helpfulness and kindliness toward all people. His idea of philanthropy, was shown in the story of the Irish famine. When told that the Irish did not like the Indian meal sent them he replied, "You should not send them Indian meal, you should send them hot cakes."

There has been much discussion about the origin of Emerson's philo

sophy. Many believe he derived much from the German philosophy but the truth is, he never took any fancy to it or to the German speculation. He was not very interested enough in that direction to go to Ger

many during his first visit to Europe. Emerson was greatly impressed by Channing but from no man or number of men did he get his philosophy. He was one of the great prophets of the century and began to prophesy with

out going in to any human source for inspiration. He was a man of God and took his command from Him.

We will always remember the words of the Father.

There are initiators that prophesy and the world never acquires but always recognises the true prophet who has taken words at head

quarters. The best it can say for the initiators is that they have made a great effort.

The prophet does not explain how God works. Why should he explain? He feels and knows and lives in the full sunlight of God. And so this idealism came and went as the living child of the living god, as a god came down to live among men and, by live

ing, taught others to live. We will live like him by drinking of the fountain from which he drank. "From Thee, Great God, we spring; to Thee we tend." This prophet of God thus wants us to live. And he so impressed himself, and his philosophy, open our life that all teachers now preach this divinity of man and im

pose to us to live true to it.

Homoeopathic Department. The Junior class in the Homoeopathic Medical Department numbers fifteen; four women and eleven men. Two of the young women were stu

dents last year at the Chicago Hahnme

mann Medical College. This speaks well for the Faculty, and well for the young women. The Juniors are here in fact, numbering as they did last year, twenty-one.

Geo. M. Reeves, H. M. '94, has been unable to return this year.

Horton, H. M. '94, has succeeded Quiring as house physician, at the Homoeopathic Hospital.

We are glad to welcome among us once more, Mrs. Alice Humphreys. H. M. '95, who returned Monday.

Vint, H. M. '94, of Illinois, has re

turned to graduate with the class of '96. Mr. Vint was a student here two years ago, and after a year's trial elsewhere, has returned to his first love. We congratulate him.

R. H. Gray, H. M. '95, rather star

ted his Iowa City friends by intro

duction of the "miss Nettie Goodlove, of Marion. Mr. Gray has been a feature of late in the Homoeopathic Department.

The Johnson County Homoeopathic Medical Society meets together every Thursday, in the lecture room of the Homoeopathic building. Dr. J. G. Gilchrist is the presiding officer and will welcome any student or friends of Homoeopathy who may choose to attend.

A Press Association. Last year something was said about the formation of a Press Association at this University. If we are not mis

taken, it was to include all the editors of the various papers of this institu

tion and all who were connected in a practical way with any outside papers. The idea is a most excellent one. Such an association would be of no inconsiderable benefit to all its mem

ers. A society in which those inter

ested and engaged in newspaper work might discuss questions relative to improvement of our college papers. These associations are being formed in other schools and why can one not be formed here?

We have five Literary Societies, those besides carrying on their own individual work, come together in what is known as the Oratorical Association. Two of these societies have formed a Lecture Bureau, The Base Ball and Foot Ball Association, Tennis Club, and kindred organizations have been formed into an "Ath

letic Association." The object of these organizations is apparent. Everything to-day is organized, and it certainly seems that those engaged in newspaper work should form a Press Association.

College Notes. Yale's Freshman class numbers about two hundred.

Arthur Krue, a millionaire who died in Berlin, left $1,500,000 for a home for old teachers.

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laws demand that the principles of temperance shall be impressed upon the student mind, total abstinence must be required, and the principles of political economy in regard to the use of, and the traffic in liquor set forth.

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In speaking of the coming game of football between our university team and the Cornell College eleven, the writer of the Cornell news in a recent number of the Oder Rapidas Grante says: "Though part of the S. T. I. team are imported professionals, Cornell will make as firm a stand as possible with its home team."

"Of the writer of the above line it can be said, "He knows not whereof he speaks." Every man who is training for our university eleven, is a keen student and strictly an amateur athlete."

"Our Athletic Association stands for the promotion of another athletics and the development of professionalism. Consequently it does not fill out its teams with Howes Keefe and Swallowmen."

Our literary societies are organized and conducted for the avowed purpose of giving to the students belonging to them, beneficial drill in various lines of literary work. But there is one feature of their programs which usually dwells more upon the benefit of the drill for the benefit of the individual members. Time after time does the same student appear on the program for the same kind of a performance, or these performances differ so little in kind that the drill received from them is the same. This may help the general appearance of the programs, for the performers are generally given that thing to do which they can do best. But so far as the students are concerned they receive drill in one direction only. The man who can debate well very seldom appears for anything but a debate, and the same is true of the man who declaims well."

"We would suggest that this order of things be changed and all members be given an opportunity to appear on program from time to time in all kinds of public work that come within the scope of the literary programs."

"The Review of Reviews."

"For the busy student who has but little time to spend in general reading the Review of Reviews is undoubtedly the best magazine published. Its articles on "Progress of the World," "Science of Current Events," and "Leading Articles of the month" constitute a complete compendium of current history. The October number is not one which will be lost its usual high standard. "Underhill's Character Sketch of Walter Besant, and Steads," "Revival of the Pilgrimage in England," are interesting articles while in the "Progress of the World" articles, students of Political Science will be interested in the account of the first trial of the "Initiative" in Switzerland, and the progress of Republican sentiment in France."

"Accompanying a review of an article in McClung's magazine is an excellent portrait of "Doctor Hale in his study," which may interest many of our students. Among the review of new books, Smith's "Outline of our Political History" is given most prominent notice."

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students by telling them of the uniform success of the many graduates of U. I. now located in Denver. He stated that the laws of Colorado were very similar to those of Iowa, this being due to the fact that Joseph C. Helm, 79, for many years Chief Justice of Colorado had probably done more than any other one man in shaping the laws of that State.

Foot-ball Notes.

The U of Penn. and Harvard have signed an agreement binding them to meet in the foot-ball field for two successive years.

With two exceptions all of Harvard team are from Massachusetts, the Yale not a single New England man.

The Boston Athletic Association will place another strong team in the field. Last Fall they defeated the eleven sent out by the Athletic Club of Chicago and New York, and were defeated by a Harvard only, and then after a fierce fight by a score of 18 to 12.

Waite Camp, who for years has coached the Yale team will be unable to do so this year, owing to the pressure of business affairs.

Yale foot-ball players have been testing the new invention of rubber spikes, which are meant to take the place of the leather ones, used for the last three years. The team, so far, is much pleased with the change, and will make further test during the coming season.

Chicago Day.

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