

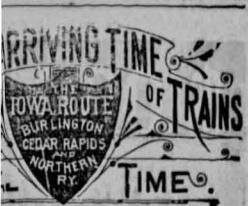
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The committee who had in charge the management of the Kirkwood Memorial Building, met in Des Moines, last Wednesday afternoon. The members present were Judge George Wright, Chairman, Judge L. G. Kinne, James G. Berryhill, Col. Peter A. Dey, President Chas. A. Schaeffer, S. D. Cook, Secretary of the Committee, Judge G. S. Robinson, Isaac Brandt, Chas. Aldrich, R. F. Gue, and others. Col. P. A. Dey recommended that the building be placed east of the Medical Building, in the south end of the campus. S. D. Cook, editor of the Iowa City Republican, gave his ideas as to how the money should be raised, which were as follows: He recommended the organization of a general University Association, with branches in every county in the state. These organizations should be broader than the Alumni Association, and should include not only the graduates of the University, but all who have been students there, because all felt an interest in the work. A vice-president should be appointed from each county to work it up. Then there should be a vice-president from each congressional district who was a personal friend to Kirkwood, to secure contributions through the G. A. R. posts. As another means of raising money he suggested that the State Superintendent of Public Instruction be asked to suggest to the 150 high schools of the state that each one give an entertainment for the benefit of the fund. The old personal friends of Kirkwood will be called upon for personal contributions, and this will result in securing a considerable sum.

President Schaeffer spoke concerning the needs of the University. After some discussion the whole matter was left with the executive committee, which consists of the following gentlemen: Judge Wright, Col. Dey and Messrs. Cook, Schaeffer, Berryhill, Pickard and Swisher. Plans will be adopted and put into execution at once by the committee.

Freshman Sociable.

The long looked for Freshman Banquet developed in the form of a sociable in the Society halls last Thursday evening. Although the affair took the name of a sociable it was lacking in none of those pleasant features which usually attend the Freshman Banquet. The majority of the Freshmen were present, and as usual the majority of everybody else was also present. The Freshmen, accompanied by their ladies, began to arrive about eight o'clock and were promptly met at the entrance to the building by a committee of students from all classes and departments who had voluntarily offered to act in this capacity. The young ladies were escorted by the committee to the halls, and the young men, after partaking of a snow bath, were allowed to pass "down the line," and receive the "students' blessing," after which they joined the ladies in the halls. Some of the members were taken down town and shorn of their small change by being compelled to treat their accompanying friends before they were

allowed to return. As to the propriety of the other students voluntarily offering to participate in Freshmen festivities we have but the one criticism to offer, and that is that their actions should be kept within the limits of decency and gentlemanliness. A practical joke, if well carried out, and is not materially injurious to any one, is not objectionable, but such actions as those which took place Thursday evening are entirely out of place and only lead to something worse.

The Freshmen enjoyed themselves in the halls until a late hour, after which they betook themselves to Burke's restaurant, where the banquet tables were set. The event was brought to a close by the excellent responses to the following toasts:

The president of the class, John Hanks, acted as toastmaster. Louise A. Boesche, "The Freshman Banquet;" J. R. Frailey, "Girls of '98;" Kathleen Connor, "Boys of '98;" W. M. Plum, "The Sophomores;" Nellie E. Bowen, "S. U. I. From a Freshman Standpoint;" W. H. Keeler, "The Future of the Class of '93;" L. A. Swisher, "The Class of '98 from a Pugilistic Standpoint;" J. B. Shorett, "The Executive Committee."

Baconian.

The paper was read by Mr. Ende on "Some Physical Methods in Chemistry."

The methods to which the essayist referred belong to physical chemistry, which is the borderland between physics and chemistry.

The underlying principles of osmotic pressure and vapor tension, upon which these methods depend, have been extensively discussed of late. Osmotic pressure is the force which causes two liquids of different character, as, for example, water and a solution of sugar, to interpenetrate when placed in contact. The cause is not understood, but it is believed that the cause of osmotic pressure and of vapor tension is the same.

The laws of Avogadro, of Gay Lussac and Boyles' law, regarding the constitution and behavior of gasses can, therefore, be applied to liquids; for example, Avogadro's law, becomes "Equal volumes of solutions having the same osmotic pressure and the same temperature contain an equal number of molecules."

The methods under discussion depend upon changes in the boiling and freezing points of solvents by substances in solution, brought about by changes in the osmotic and vapor pressures.

By means of diagrams the essayist explained the construction of the forms of apparatus by which these methods can be applied to the convenient determination of molecular weights, by observing the change in freezing and boiling point of the solvent best adapted to the given substance. The constants for various solvents are determined by experimentation with substances of known molecular weight. Tabulated results of actual experiments were exhibited, showing the close agreement with the theoretically computed molecular weights.

The methods are applicable especially to substances which cannot be obtained in the form of a vapor.

In the discussion, Dr. Andrews called attention to the fact that one of the most important results of experiments of this sort is that they demonstrate the fact that even the most stable salts, when in solution, are, in reality, disassociated into their electrolytic elements. In other words, the process of solution is not a physical, but a very fundamental chemical change.

Dr. Biering's paper of the previous meeting, on "The Sewers of Paris," was then brought before the Club for discussion.

Dr. Hutchinson made some observations upon the inadequacy of the Paris sewers; less than one fifth of the city, according to his statements, being supplied with sewers.

Mr. Shimek then presented a voluntary report on the so-called Russian thistle, which in reality belongs to the genus *Salsola*, of the Goosefoot Family. The plant was first introduced into South Dakota, from Russia, in 1873, with flax seed. The plant is at first succulent, and is greedily eaten by cattle, but as the dry season of August comes on, it develops very numerous branches, bearing scale-like leaves with hard, sharp, spiny points, which are so irritating that it is a great hardship to work in fields infested with it. It is said to hinder and even prevent the operation of farm machinery, as it injures both horses and men. It is sometimes necessary to put heavy leggings on the horses to protect them against its spines. A single plant with its crowded branches often attains a diameter of six feet, and, becoming detached from the soil at the first frost, goes rolling over the country, tumble-weed fashion, scattering the seeds, of which each plant of this size is estimated to produce 200,000. The plant is an annual and could be exterminated by concentrated efforts on the part of the farmers. It is cut for hay while in the succulent state. It is found in eight counties of northwestern Iowa, having been introduced in 1839.

Professor Patrick described some experiments which had been reported at the recent meeting of the American Psychological Association, at Princeton, upon the relative sensibility of various classes of people to pain. The instrument used is called an algometer, and consists of a needle which is pressed upon the palm of the hand, a graduated spring being arranged to record the pressure endured or felt by the subject. The results of experiments in this country and in France show that the class least sensitive to pain of those experimented upon, are the slum men of Paris. The Boston army of unemployed rank next. The members of the Salvation Army of London are fourth in insensibility of pain and the women of the demi-monde of Paris, fifth. Professional men show greater sensitiveness than business men, and American professional men more than those of Germany and England. The American women of the non-laboring class show the greatest sensitiveness. It was found that the criminal classes

show but little sensibility to pain. The conclusions from the experiments are that sensibility to pain increases with the complexity of the nervous organization, and that, in general, women show greater sensitiveness than men. The latter conclusion is not in harmony with other experiments, however, and the difference in women is probably due, in some measure, to the fact that a woman's hand is delicate and usually not calloused.

Mr. Russell exhibited a pair of Eskimo boots, such as are worn winter and summer by those people. They are made of sealskin with the hair removed. The sole is made of the skin of the white whale, chewed into shape by the women, and kept to the shape of the foot by ankle strings. The boots are sewed with sinew and small needles, and are waterproof.

Dr. Andrews suggested, as a topic for the discussion of the club, the effect of the more or less complete subversion, by the conditions of civilization, of the natural law of the survival of the fittest, the question being, whether to this is due the fact that the civilized race has invariably succumbed, in the end, to the savage race.

Mr. Doolittle called attention to some interesting facts concerning the fifth satellite of Jupiter, which was first seen by the aid of the Lick telescope. The motions of this satellite prove that the planet itself is a molten mass, having no surface liquid, this being shown by the absence of tidal retardation, and that the cloud belts surrounding the planet are masses of vapor.

Inter-Society Debate.

On next Friday evening will occur the joint debate between the Irving and Zetagathian Literary Societies. The question that will be discussed is as follows: "Resolved, That Taxation of Incomes is a wise, equitable, desirable and practicable method for raising a portion of the governmental revenue; and that it is expedient at the present time in most of the great nations of the world."

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Messrs. Pratt, Moon and Beckman will affirm this question in behalf of the Zetagathians, and Messrs. Dewei, Whiting and Allen will uphold the negative for the Irvings.

A good sized audience should surely attend this annual event. The result of this debate determines the representation of the two societies in the Inter-State Debate with Minnesota, and the speakers may be expected to put forth their best efforts. Moreover, the question for discussion should have an active interest for all intelligent citizens.

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In the issue of this paper which appeared one week ago to-day we stated some of the reasons why we thought the managers of this year's Junior Annual were justified in letting the work to a firm outside of this city. Since that time the *State Press* has appeared with a lengthy article presumably meant to be a true statement of the case. It is not our purpose, nor has it been at any time, to enter into a lengthy controversy with the *Press* concerning this matter, but when the editor proceeds to stimulate the columns of his paper with such a jumbled mass of meaningless and contradictory statements, we believe that they should not pass unnoticed. We are free to admit that we were "inspired by the atmosphere in which we dwell," and if the article which the *Press* contains is any criterion for judging the condition of the atmosphere in which its author circulated, we would urge him to seek a more inspiring altitude at his earliest opportunity. It is true that we are "young," both in years and experience, but we propose to profit by the examples of those who have taken advantage of the opportunities which years and experience have afforded them. Had the author of the article in the *Press* practiced some of the "gentlemanly and fair treatment" which he preached in his article, he would have at least read, with some degree of care, the statements which the VIDETTE made, before attempting to reply to them. It was never stated through these columns that the Annual would cost \$1,500, nor did we say what the bid was of the firm doing the work. We learned from the managers of the Annual that after the contract had been closed it was decided to increase the number of books to be published and make some material change in the book, which

would necessarily increase the cost. What the original bid of the firm was we do not know, nor do we believe the editor of the *Press* knows, and what is more, he has no right to know. If the editor of the *Press* is so ignorant of where the work is being done, where did he get his information that the managers were furnished with "free transportation?" We are all perfectly willing to accept his ignorance on most every subject, but this seems rather absurd. If the editor of the *Press* did not solicit this work and did not expect it, why did he allow his bid to be considered in the first place? Did he think that by some means it might drop into his hands regardless of other considerations, or did he feel duty bound to make a bid which he had no hopes of being accepted?

The editor of the *Press* seems to be laboring under the delusion that the article which appeared in the VIDETTE of last Saturday was written by one of the managers of the Annual. We will say, however, that the managers were in no way responsible for the article, but we will say that if the *Press* has any right to become the ostentatious mouthpiece for Iowa City citizens, which it claims to be, the VIDETTE can claim an equal right to defend the students in any fair and honorable undertaking. The editor of the *Press* has very kindly offered the columns of his paper for any statement of the case which might be made, but, as he has so aptly quoted, "A little learning is a dangerous thing," and certainly no one proposes to expose himself by associating with a case so critical as the editor of the *State Press*.

The faculty of the U. of P. has recently adopted a new set of regulations to govern the grading and discipline of students as regards exams. In reporting the standing of each student in college, d (distinguished), p w (passed well), p (passed), and n (not passed), will supplant the old numerical reports. All receiving p or above, in any topic, pass, while any student falling in one-third of his work is dropped. But one examination will be allowed in any one subject except on recommendation of the academic council.

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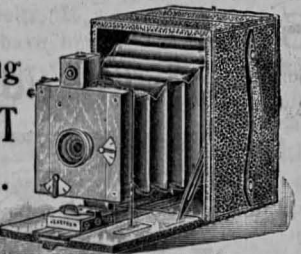
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"Pompeii."

B. Lindeman & Company's scenic and dramatic spectacle, "Pompeii," an adaptation of Bulwer Lytton's famous historical novel, that is to be presented at the Opera House Monday evening, February 4th, is an attraction of unusual merit, as it would seem from the press notices throughout the country. A special feature of the production is the beautifully arranged Nauche dance, executed by a bevy of pretty girl, and many musical and grotesque specialties.

Fact and Rumor.

- Isaac Van Nice, '98, was quite sick Thursday.
- G. G. Davis is at home at Green Island on business.
- J. C. Calhoun, Law '93, has located permanently at Keosauqua.
- I. Petersberger is spending a few days at his home in Davenport.
- Co's "A" and "B" went through the ceremony of guard mount Friday.
- Roy Emry attended a meeting of the base ball managers at Grinnell, Friday.

LATEST STYLE HATS AND FURNISHING GOODS AT BLOOM & MAYERS.

J. F. Hutchinson, '95, has been unable to attend classes for several days on account of illness.

A party of Sigma Nu's and their lady friends attended a lecture at Mt. Vernon last evening.

Miss Mae Taylor, '97, gave a progressive whist party in honor of Miss Baker, of Cedar Rapids.

The dancing class will be held in the new Armory, Lovelace building, this afternoon and evening.

Dr. Andrews is delivering a course of five lectures to the Law students on Medical Jurisprudence.

The members of Germania were wearing their colors yesterday in honor of their first anniversary.

If the party who lost a comb in Irving hall will apply to John V. Litig, she will be able to secure the same.

Miss Bertha Wilson, '93, has presented the Library with Werner's Magazine. Students of Elocution will find this profitable reading.

The Delta Tau Delta fraternity gave a delightful party in their halls last evening. Schillinger's orchestra, of Davenport, furnished music for the dance.

A committee consisting of members of the different Faculties of the University will investigate the disturbance which occurred on Thursday evening.

L. J. Rowell went to his home in Tipton last evening. He has been granted a leave of absence for one week to attend a National Guard meeting at Ames.

Wednesday night at the Germania papers were read by Messrs. Page and Radasci on "Goethe's Public Life in Wermar," and "His Relations to His Contemporaries."

Miss Julia C. Crawford, C. '93, who has been occupying the position of one of the literary editors of the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat*, has recently been promoted and now has entire charge of the Religious Department.

Base Ball Practice.

In an interview with Manager Emry, of the base ball team, we learn that excellent work is being done in the practice. There are thirty-eight men in practice at the present time. There are seven candidates for pitcher. Lindsay and Brownlie are doing good work and promise to make a strong pair for this position. There are also seven candidates for the catcher's position. Ingham, Wilson, Arey and Connor are all doing excellent work. The three most promising candidates for first base are Clarkson, Gaines and Eby, and Bailey and Hess are doing good work on second base. There are three candidates for third base, and the same for short stop. Larrabee, Lamb and Curtis are doing good work on third base, and Bevin, Hopkins and Peck are playing short stop well. Of the ten candidates for positions in the out-field, all are very promising. Taken as a whole the outlook for a strong base ball team next spring is very promising and we predict them a successful season.

Columbia College, New York, has just issued the twelfth number of the general sexennial catalogue of the officers and graduates of the college. The first catalogue of the kind was published in 1774, and a fac simile of the first edition in reduced form is prefixed to the present volume. The catalogue is handsomely bound in cloth and contains over 600 pages. It shows the total number of graduates to have been 11,669, of which number 9,082 are now living.—Ex.



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A suggestion to ou -securing its next wint we have as good mate go to Illinois.—Mason -ald.

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Irving was greeted -audience last Friday was opened by Mrs. piano solo, which was l

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