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S. U. I. Reserves 0, Lenox 0.

The Reserves left Friday night for Monticello and played a close game on Saturday afternoon in which neither side was able to score. Our boys say they were well treated, and wish especially to thank the Masonic chapter of Monticello, who showed every favor possible, and allowed the use of their hall for the practice of signals. The ground was wet and soft and had been ploughed and harrowed, so the playing of our team was not up to its usual standard.

The game was called at 2:30. Lenox won the toss and chose the north goal, and Hetzel kicked off against a strong wind. Lenox brought the ball to the Reserve's 15 yard line when our men braced up and by line smashing and criss-cross plays carried the ball within 4 yards of the Lenox goal line, where the ball was lost on downs, and shortly after time was called for first half.

In the second half the only appreciable gain for either side was made by C. Capell on a criss-cross play. Time was called with the ball near the center of the field.

The Redpath Concert.

The popularity of this feature of the Lecture Bureau course was warmly attested to on last evening. The introduction of one musical program into the course of lectures was made for the first time last year, and the idea proved so successful a one that the plan was repeated in this year's course; with what success the enthusiastic audience can best testify. Each number was a gem, and each performer in their line an artist.

Mr. Von Scarpa, the piano soloist and accompanist, had a touch of great delicacy and beauty. His piano passages were particularly fine, though his performances did not lack the concert "fire." He refused to respond to the encores which his solos received, but appeared in other numbers on the program as a sympathetic accompanist.

Mrs. Clara Murray, harpiste, needs no introduction to the University body or to the Iowa City public. She was one of the popular performers in the Decca Concert of the last year's Lecture Bureau course, and she was enthusiastically received, fulfilling in every way the expectations which her coming aroused.

Genevra Johnstone-Bishop, the soprano Soloist, is a singer of rare compass and strength. She particularly delighted the audience in the rich, voluminous notes in which she carried her high notes. The audience insisted on her return after every number, and she sang for encores pieces dear to the popular heart, "Mammy's Little Baby Boy," and the world-renowned "Ben Bolt," of "Trilby" fame, was also given.

Perhaps no other instrument when touched by the hand of a master, awakens so many sympathetic chords in the hearts of a music-loving audience as does the violin. Miss Maud Powell, one of the five most renowned violinists in the world, held the undivided attention of the vast audience through every one of her charming numbers. Plaintively sad or brilliant

with life, the resources of the little instrument seemed inexhaustible in her hands.

The program as given was as follows:

Liszt..... Rhapsodie, No. 2
Mr. Von Scarpa.
Godefrid
.....Fantaisie Triomphale op. 194
Mrs. Murray.
Emilio Pizzi..Aria, Opera "Gabiella",
Mrs. Bishop.
Wieniawski.....Souvenir de Moscow
Miss Powell.
Moszkowski.....Waltz, E. major
Mr. Von Scarpa.
SchubertSerenade
Miss Powell and Mrs. Murray.
Donizetti La Zingara
Mrs. Bishop.
Bizet-Murray
.....Toreador's Song, (Carmen)
Mrs. Murray.
VieuxtempsArioso Melody
Miss Powell.
MascagniPreghiera
Violin and Harp Obligato.
Mrs. Bishop.

Baconian.

The paper of Friday evening was read by Dr. Littig. The subject was "The Athletic and the Senile Heart," which he considered from different standpoints. He first spoke of the changes that the circulation undergoes by age. In early life the blood vessels are elastic and the heart has less work, hence beats rapidly. As age advances arterial walls are more rigid, giving the heart more work to do and hence beats slowly. The vasa vasorum are generally primary seat of infection, and the arteries secondarily involved. Hod carriers, blacksmiths, athletes and that class of men who take too violent exercise, are prone to suffer from arterial sclerosis.

Among the many causes of arterial sclerosis mentioned in the paper are excesses at the table, lack of exercise, alcohol, lead poisoning and chronic rheumatism. Arterial sclerosis is more common in men than women. College athletes, as stated, often suffer from sclerosis. The heart hypertrophies while the vessels become weaker. The athlete may during his college course increase his age by five years by too violent exercise. The heart grows stronger, the area of dullness increases, and the vessels are weaker and finally the heart gives up its difficult task. But if the individual is strong and perfectly healthy there is not much danger of trouble during the four years' course. It would, however, be better if athletics were more general and a little less severe. We should have a first and second eleven in each class and the general results would be better. Those who engage in athletic sports should be examined at least once a year by a physician, and as soon as any trouble was manifested he should stop at once. The general conclusion was that college athletics are healthy and beneficial, but should be more general and not so excessive in the few. But those who are not physically perfect, or suffer from a weak heart, should not engage in the ordinary athletic exercises.

Just before the intermission, after the paper was finished, Dr. Gilbert, of the chair of experimental psychology, asked all who wished to test the weight of two boxes he had arranged for that purpose. One was a very small box, filled with lead. The other a large box that was empty. Over a dozen persons of those present compared the weights of the two boxes, and nearly all declared one box many times as heavy as the other. The Doctor explained that the two boxes were of equal weight, each weighing 13½ lbs., and that the difference in opinions as to weight of the boxes was evidently due to "error of judgment," which is apt to occur even in grown people as to weights.

After the intermission Dr. Bierring offered a few remarks on the paper read. He suggested that probably it would be well to have our college athletics under medical control. Questions were asked by Professors Rockwood, Andrews, Gilchrist and others.

Dr. Andrews, under voluntary reports, exhibited an experiment proving that oxygen will not burn in charcoal if moisture is absent.

Professor Arner spoke about the influence spattering water has in electrifying the air.

Professor Shimek reported some observations made by him in early flowering plants that are about to change their nature and blossom in the fall on account of early frost destroying the early flowering.

Professor Nutting offered an explanation for the action of the tide on volcanoes.

At the meeting next Friday evening Dr. Woods Hutchinson will read the paper on "Uses of Pain." In three weeks Professor Shimek reads a paper. Two weeks hence there is no meeting of the Club.

Irving.

Notwithstanding Irving's recent defeat her friends believe as firmly as ever in her ability and enterprise, as is shown by the ever increasing attendance at her programs. Indeed, the large audiences which have greeted Irving all through this year are an enthusiastic testimonial to the high grade of excellency attained by the members of the North Hall, and which is continually being bettered. Friday evening was no exception, the society being greeted by a crowded house.

After an instrumental duet by Messrs. Jayne and Hensel, which was deservedly encored, F. W. Browne declared "The Old Chief's Daughter." This was the finest appearance that Mr. Browne ever made before the society. His voice was under perfect control and he entered well into the spirit of the selection.

Mr. Petersburger followed with a speech on "The Negro and Mob Law." This number was interesting and instructive, the speaker setting forth the various plans proposed for the prevention of mob rule. In some respects Mr. Petersburger showed improvement over every former effort.

The debate on the question "Resolved, that co-operation in labor is preferable to competition," was affirmed by G. M. Johnson and F. H. Blume,

and denied by W. T. Evans and G. N. Briggs.

Mr. Johnson held that the prime result of competition is selfishness; of co-operation, fellowship—a regard for the rights of others. The speaker's appearance was good, although he might have put a little more life into his delivery.

For the negative, Mr. Evans declared that co-operation is impracticable. The class of men which would be required for leaders of co-operative associations are not to be found in the laboring classes, for they early rise by their ability into the ranks of the capitalist. Competition engenders independence, and history shows that those governments best stand crises which have the most independent citizens.

In taking up the argument for the affirmative, Mr. Blume made an eloquent address. He traced the workings of competition through the course of history, pointing out its disastrous results, and then applied the theory to our modern condition.

Mr. Briggs closed the debate. This gentleman has an enviable reputation as a clear and logical debater. His appearance last evening was pleasing and his argument contained sound points.

The audience next listened to impromptu speeches on the subject under discussion. Messrs. Keeler, L. A. Swisher and Shorett were called upon and responded in a fitting manner.

The program was closed by a finely rendered vocal solo by Miss Dow, which was encored.

Saturday's Games.

Univ. of Michigan 12, Purdue 10.
Minnesota 14, Wisconsin 10.
Yale 26, Orange A. C. 0.
Cornell 6, Brown 4.
Univ. of Chicago 6, Northwestern 0.
Lake Forest 26, Wabash 0.
Kansas 8, Nebraska 4.
West Point 16, Union 0.
Oberlin 12, Adelbert 0.
Harvard Freshmen 12, Pennsylvania Freshmen 4.
Yale Freshmen 40, Columbia Freshmen 0.
S. U. I. Reserves 0, Lenox College 0.

Notice.

There will be a meeting of the class of '97 at Close Hall, 3:30 p. m., Thursday, Nov. 21. Action must be taken on several important matters and a full attendance is desired.

J. DON KISER, Pres.

When the sun dropped below the western hills Sunday evening it left two unfortunates, McCord and Ferguson, roaming about in the darkness and solitude of the woods, lost, cold and hungry. They were separated from their party at Linder's boat-house, and after walking about in a circular path in the woods for two hours, they finally found the river two miles above Coralville. After viewing Coralville in the gloaming, they hastened homeward, returning to their anxious friends about 10:30 p. m. McCord said: "I'm studying Geology, but I never imagined the world so large."

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With a sense of gratification at the number of class teams in the field who are "at home" at the new athletic park, the thought comes to our mind that this beautiful park is not yet ours. We hope the legislature will see fit to make an appropriation of \$5,000 to enable the park to be fitted up in suitable shape, but while we are waiting for them to act, we do not believe it would be a bad policy if those in charge of the park would afford each and every student an opportunity to contribute his mite to pay off this indebtedness. One dollar each a year for five years from one thousand students would give us a park equipped second to none in the west. The students of two years ago contributed liberally and we believe it only remains for some one to start the movement again this year to receive a liberal response. We all like the park and we want to see it paid for.

Pharmaceut. vs. Medic.

The Freshmen Medics and Senior Pharmacists met upon the arena of the foot ball field Saturday afternoon in a hotly contested game where, for the time being, Chemistry and Materia Medica were forgotten, and more attention was given to physical science. While Michigan and Purdue were engaged in bloody conflict, while Minnesota was wresting the palm of victory from Wisconsin, and while our own second eleven was striving with Lenox College for the touchdown that never came; these twenty-two men of brain and brawn from the Pharmacy and Medical Departments were endeavoring to uphold the honor of their respective classes.

The Medics kicked off for 15 yards gain and the Pharmacists got the ball. Winans made 35 yards around right end, and Ballard immediately followed with 25 yards more around the left end, which brought the ball to the 15 yard line, when the Pharmacy men, surprised at their own success, fumbled the ball a few times, so that the Medics were able to prevent a touchdown during the first half, although

the ball was only 20 yards from the Medics' goal when time was called for the first half.

In the second half both teams warmed up to their work, the Medics having the heavier team, but the Pharmacy backs and ends were much superior. By a fine 30 yard run by Ballard, and another run for 25 yards by Bartlett, the ball was brought to the Medics' 5 yard line, where the ball changed hands three times on fumbles and downs. The Pharmacy team regained the ball on the 15 yard line when Ballard made a pretty run around left end for a touchdown and won the game for the Pharmacy men. Goal was missed.

The Pharmacy team work and interference was superior in every respect. Snelson, the quarterback, deserves special mention.

The line-up was as follows, the Pharmacy team being chosen out of a class of 15, and the Medic team from a class of 60:

PHARMACY '96.		MEDIC '98.
DeLespinasse	l e	Evans
Jones	l t	Morgan
Brown	l g	Sackett
Vosmek	c	Willsey
Perry	r g	Campbell
Glynn	r t	Fitz
Collins	r e	Tompkins
Snelson	q b	Hull
Winans	l h	Dwelle
Ballard	r h	Abegg
Bartlett	f b	Scallan

Score—Pharmacy 4, Medics 0.
Umpire—Larrabee.
Referee—Hull.
Linesman—Paul Coldren.
Time—Twenty minutes halves.

The telegram announcing the final result of the Missouri-Iowa foot ball game, was received here last evening soon after the game; 34 to 0 is just about what we expected. Our boys, however, played a good game, and deserve much praise for their manly courage in playing a game which they knew would result only in sure defeat.

At the Dalton Club meeting last Saturday night the following reports were given: "Detection of Oils by their Critical Temperature," Dr. Andrews; "Action of Dry Oxygen upon Sulphur," Mr. Walker; "Pigmentation," Mr. Grimes; "Preparation of India Inks," Mr. Dean.

Word has been received from Dr. Benj. F. Shambaugh announcing his safe arrival in America last Thursday. Dr. Shambaugh will spend about four weeks at the University of Pennsylvania before returning to Iowa.

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Fact and Rumor.

Rita Stewart is able to resume her work again.

Cantwell, '99, is confined to his room by sickness.

Nannie Carroll, ex-'96, is teaching near West Liberty.

Illness compelled Lulu Holson to miss recitations Friday.

Clyde Cobb missed recitations Monday on account of illness.

Professor Wauchope accompanied the foot ball team to Missouri last Saturday.

Dakin, '96, has been under the weather for a few days, but is out again this week.

Moore, '98, was unable to accompany the foot ball team on their trip to Missouri on account of illness.

Junior and Senior English classes have not met this week on account of the absence of Professor Wauchope.

The Erodolphians have accepted the challenge of the Hesperians to a joint contest to take place some time during the Winter term.

Hughes, C. '99, who was hurt in the Junior-Freshman game, is improving, and will probably be in school again by the end of this week.

Schaeffer, '97, who has been sick for a few weeks with scarlet fever, is now convalescent, but will not be able to be out for a week or ten days.

H. W. Ballard, Phar. '96, was presented with a handsome silver cup Saturday evening, by a few of his admiring friends, in honor of his brilliant playing in the game with the Medics.

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H. O. Weaver, C. '91, L. '92, is being prominently spoken of through the state as the next Speaker of the House in the State Legislature this winter. He represents the First District.

Tompkins, '96, M. '98, after a hard battle on the gridiron Saturday afternoon, was roused from his Sunday morning reveries by the smoke which resulted from a small blaze in the back of the house, which was finally put out after a little damage had been done.

Zetagathian.

The program in the south hall last Friday night was opened by a vocal solo by Miss Dow, which was followed by a declamation, "The Black Horse and His Rider," by Mr. F. C. Weed, which was very interesting to all and showed Mr. Weed's ability as a speaker.

Next T. J. Sayers delivered an oration which dealt with powers and accomplishments of Prussia and Emperor Frederick. The composition was good and expressed the thought very clearly. His delivery was pleasing.

The debate on the question "Resolved, that there should be a national board of arbitration to settle differences between employers and employed," was opened by C. F. Kellogg. He recommended a national board appointed by the President of the United States and ratified by the House of Representatives, whose relation to labor questions should be similar to the function of our supreme court in litigation.

Mr. Bernard Gilliland followed in defense of the negative. He showed how a national board had proven unsuccessful in France, and held that no few men can be sufficiently acquainted with the many industries as to be capable of deciding wisely the questions which would arise.

Mr. Hollingsworth continued the argument for the affirmative. He showed how the country is being overrun by the monied class and the advantage of settling labor questions by a disinterested national board of arbitrators, also claiming that under their decisions wages would be increased and harmony prevail.

Mr. Keefe closed the debate for the negative. He produced arguments to show that no "disinterested" board could be appointed, and the inevitable influence of money upon such a board.

The next number was a speech by H. E. C. Ditzen. He spoke of the Irving-Zetagathian joint debate, and predicted our victory over Chicago. Mr. Ditzen held the attention of the audience by his cool delivery and pointed remarks.

A declamation by E. C. Hewitt, which was pleasing in every way, closed the program.

The following is an extract from an article on our University's needs, which appeared in the Clinton Herald. We are gratified to note the increasing interest which is manifested by the press of the State in our welfare and upbuilding.

"The University frequently suffers, however, from a mistaken notion that because it has State support as a State institution, it does not need private contributions. The fact is that much more than the State gives the University is returned to the

State in reduced tuition fees. What costs a student \$150 to \$200 annually for tuition in an eastern university not under the wing of the State, costs him but \$25 to \$50 at the Iowa State University; and this takes no account of the much less expense for board here than there. On a thousand students, the eastern college would get additional fees, as compared with those of our own University, fully equal to the appropriation made to the latter by the State. And the eastern institution, besides, because it is dependent wholly upon its own resources, is loaded with generous bequests and contributions till it has an income from the interest of the endowments alone that much more than equals the Iowa University's appropriation from the State.

Iowa people of means ought to take pride in building up a great university in this State. A splendid start has been made in that direction. Even now, in some particulars, notably in its scientific collections, the Iowa University is absolutely without an equal anywhere. It has furnished the British Museum with fossil treasures, and various American universities are indebted to it for rare specimens in which they were lacking. In fact, no American institution of learning has done as much successful original work in exploring for specimens in geology and natural history as the Iowa University. These priceless and rare treasures of science should be kept in a building that is absolutely fire-proof, but a fire at present would destroy them utterly in the structure in which they now have to be stored.

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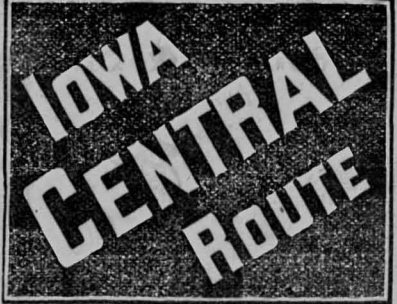
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