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Ninety-Eight is Champion.

Since the Sophomore's triumph over the Freshmen last Saturday week, all eyes have been turned toward the Juniors, for they alone stood between '98 and the pennant, and in them alone rested the hope of the other two classes. However, the latter found but little ground for their hope, as the result of the game was at no time in doubt.

At 3:45 last Tuesday the teams lined up as follows:

SOPHS.		JUNIORS.	
C. Capell	r e	Wilson	
Wessels	r t	Resser	
Ende	r g	Bloom	
Donohoe	c	Hewitt	
Eby	lg	Foster	
Hollingsworth	lt	Burge	
Cartwright	le	Willis, c	
Weed	q	LaForce	
F. Capell c, Pratt, r h		Middleton	
Howell	lh	Hanson	
Saylor	fb	Budrow	

Referee—Harry Hutchinson.
Umpire—Paul Coldren
Linesman—Roy Stover.

Time—Twenty-five and twenty minute halves.

The Sophs chose the south goal, '97 taking the kick-off. Three inches of snow covered the field all over, proving a great hindrance to the Sophomore team, since its superiority lay more in end plays than in line smashing. However, accepting the inevitable, '98 commenced a series of mass plays, in which she demonstrated to her opponents that they had something more to fear than even the far-famed Soph tricks. The ball was pushed rapidly toward the north goal, and only once was the ball lost, and that on a very questionable decision. Finally, on a third down, the ball was within 9 feet of the Juniors' goal. Saylor was then pushed over for a touchdown: Saylor kicked goal. Score, Sophomores 6, Juniors 0. No more scoring was done during the remainder of this half, although the ball was kept in Junior territory.

In the second half, Saylor kicked off and Juniors returned the ball 2 yards, where they were held for downs. During all this half the ball was in close proximity to the Juniors' goal, but on account of adverse decisions the Sophs were unable to score. In the last few minutes of the game hard playing was done by Middleton and Willis for '97, but '98's ends again proved invincible, and the Juniors were unable to retain the ball. Three minutes before the close of the game Frank Capell was compelled to retire from the game on account of an injured hand, his place being filled by Prall. At this juncture in the game some disgruntled Seniors became very vociferous in their encouragement of the Juniors, and some few even gave external evidence of hope, but that hope was doomed to speedy dissipation. Time was called with the Sophs in excellent prospect for a touchdown.

Of the Sophomore work, nothing can be said but commendation, while the Juniors, perhaps, put up their best game of the season.

For the Juniors, Willis and Middleton did the best work.

For '98 it would be hard to make a choice. However, we would mention the superb work of Howell and the two Capell boys.

Eby and Saylor bucked the line like veterans, being sure gainers never given the ball. For a new man Cartwright played a most remarkable game, making excellent tackles, and fully sustaining the reputation of the Sophomore ends.

Thus the pennant falls to the grasp of the Sophomore class. This team, starting with about an equal chance with her rivals, developed at a much faster rate than her opponents until in her last two games she proved herself easily superior. Though possessing excellent individual material, yet her scientific playing has been the great factor in securing the championship for her. Ninety-eight is now 'Varsity champion in both base ball and foot ball.

Following is the standing of the teams in the inter-class foot ball league:

Seniors: Played, 3; won, 1; lost, 1; tied, 1. Final rank, 3.

Juniors: Played, 3; won, 0; lost, 3; tied, 0. Final rank, 4.

Sophomores: Played, 3; won, 2; lost 0; tied, 1. Final rank, 1.

Freshmen: Played, 3; won, 2; lost, 1; tied, 0. Final rank, 2.

Reserves 10, Lenox 4.

While the first team was amusing a large crowd of Nebraskans on Thanksgiving day, and incidentally gaining for themselves mud and glory, the Reserves were doing likewise at Anamosa, the only difference being in the results of the games. The Reserves won from Lenox handily by a score of 10 to 4. Lenox was confident before the game as to the result, but although the Reserves were severely handicapped from lack of practice for the new members of the team, and had an entirely new trio behind the line; still they went in to win, and as the score shows, successfully ended the season with a clear record, not having lost a game with a foreign team.

The game was called at 2:50, on a field that resembled a hog pasture, with a free system of mud baths in one corner of the field. In the first part of this half the Lenox team played all around the Reserves, and scored a touchdown in about ten minutes play, but failed at goal. This roused the team, and in the remainder of the first half the Reserves, by tackle and center smashing, steadily worked the pigskin toward Lenox's goal, and would probably have scored had not a slight accident to Captain Hetzel interfered with the play. Score: Lenox 4, Reserves 0.

In the second half, Maines and Howell repeatedly smashed, tackled and made end plays for telling gains. Maines scored the first touchdown in about fifteen minutes play, and Moulton kicked goal. The second touchdown was made in exactly the same manner, Lenox being unable to do anything against the excellent blocking of the Reserves. Maines made several star runs, and again carried the ball over the line. Moulton missed a difficult goal. The few remaining minutes passed without either

side scoring, and the game ended with the score 10 to 4.

Maines, Howell and C. Capell probably did the best individual playing for the Reserves, Maines making the longest runs and in every way proving himself a first-class man.

The teams lined up as follows:

RESERVES.		LENOX.	
Kallenberg	le	Dunlap	
Power	lt	Corbett	
Sigworth, Eby	lg	McCarroll	
Melcher	c	Thompson	
Burge	rg	Sullivan	
Willis	rt	Miller	
C. Capell	re	Walters	
Hetzel, capt.	qb	Joseph, capt.	
Howell	lh	Hopkins	
Maines	rh	Met ready	
Moulton	fb	Robinson	

Subs. Hopkins, Ware
Bowman, Capell.

Umpire—Bloom.
Referee—Aldrich.

Linesman—F. Capell.

The trip was enjoyed immensely by the whole team, and the boys are in every way pleased with their splendid treatment. During the morning, through the kindness of Warden Madden, the team made an interesting trip through the Anamosa penitentiary, and in the evening were entertained at a reception given in their honor, by Miss Remley, at her beautiful home.

Communication.

EDITORS VIDETTE-REPORTER:

In a recent issue of your paper the writer hereof offered a few suggestions of a general nature with reference to the need of a new medical hospital. All he there and then said he would here repeat and emphasize, if it were necessary. In the few suggestions I beg leave to offer now, however, I wish to generalize a little and include other departments, not forgetting of course for a moment the order of sequence which the Regents declared should be observed in pressing the claims of the University upon the Legislature, namely, hospital, museum and library building, and Collegiate building—all sorely needed.

I will open my discussion by quoting a few observations made by Dr. Richard T. Ely, of the Wisconsin University, found in the October number of the *Cosmopolitan* under the title of "State Cosmopolities." Among other forceful things he says: "The university in the United States which has grown most rapidly in numbers during the past five years is another state university—namely, that of Minnesota. Still another state university follows close upon the heels of that in the rapidity of its growth—namely, 'our own' (Wisconsin)" he might have put it—"which, in something like five years, has doubled the number of students, and far more than doubled her income." The italics are owned solely by the writer hereof. I don't think I need pick the meat out of that nut, for any body who knows that while we can say, I think, that we share with Wisconsin in the honor of about doubling our attendance in the same length of time, we do not share with our sister universities to the north and northeast, or to the east, or to the south or southwest, or to the west or northwest, the same lavish expenditure of the "sinews" in our behalf.

Essays the good Dr. Ely again a little further on: "If other state universities in the west are visited, most of them will be found in a flourishing condition. Universities like those of Kansas, Nebraska and California (if not Iowa, Doctor?) begin to count their students by the thousand, and the last named estimates its property, including its capitalized income, at over twelve million dollars." The entire article is well worth reading carefully. I have quoted enough, however, to furnish a text for my discourse.

To be Continued.

The Law class of '97 passed the following resolutions on the death of their classmate, Thomas Maguire:

Whereas, in view of the loss we have sustained by the decease of our friend and classmate Thomas Maguire, and of the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him, it is but just that a fitting recognition of his many good qualities should be had. Therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Law class of '97 of the State University of Iowa, that while we bow in humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our friend and classmate who has been taken from us.

Resolved, that it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in our associations with him we have found him in every respect worthy of our highest regard and esteem.

Resolved, that we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased and with his nearest and dearest friend, and commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of the class and a copy be transmitted to the bereaved family and friend, the University papers, and the papers of his home.

C. G. WATKINS,
F. DEVERELL,
E. O. LEWIS, Com.

Law Literary.

The Law Literary of '96 met in the Law lecture room, Friday evening, and spent a very pleasant and profitable hour in the discussion of the question, "Is the world growing better?"

The affirmative attempted to show that the tendency of the times was toward a higher civilization; that the ethics of the old philosophy was at the present time practically applied; that there was an advance in science and in education, bringing with it a higher state of morality.

The negative contended that vice and crime were increasing; that the people of the present day were bound in chains of slavery more firmly than the slaves of any other generation; that while we were progressive, in one sense, we were becoming morally corrupt.

The judges rendered a decision in favor of the negative.

Our next Friday evening there will be held a regular program which promises to be very interesting.

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If our experience during the past has taught us any one thing more clearly than another it is that time is a very important element in our success or failure in all we undertake. This fact has been so often demonstrated that it is in need of no further proof. Its application is of constant value, and we should not forget that it is true when we think of our track team for next spring. Every effort should be made now to secure the advantages which we must need in the matter of training. We heartily endorse the efforts which are being made on behalf of the team, and trust that the plans now in process of formation will prove abundantly successful in raising all the means for which it is intended. The time for such an effort is now, not later, when we must have the services of a trainer. It may not be possible for all to assist in the plan undertaken, but we are sure that all such efforts are heartily approved by all the students. The recent events in which our athletes figured prominently, though not fraught with victory for us, demonstrate the fact that determination will do much toward winning, and when such determination is supplemented by systematic training in good time we shall undoubtedly win.

The recent action of certain classes in the Medical Department in meeting and perfecting arrangements to bring the work of that department before the eyes of the Legislature is in every way to be commended. Such actions should also be taken in the Collegiate Department if its needs are to be furthered as advantageously as is possible. As has often been said before, there is nothing that will so far accrue to the advantages of the University as to create a local interest in the University and its work throughout the State. At present it is unfortunately the case that a part

of the people of Iowa are not aware of the importance, magnitude and work accomplished by their State University. In no manner could the knowledge concerning that institution, or the benefits derived by the University from such propagation, be better furthered than by an individual yet organized effort on the part of the student body to make our needs known in every county and town in the State. Letters should not only be written to the members of the coming Legislature by those having an acquaintance with them, but articles should be contributed by every student to his home paper, setting forth our great needs and our greater work. Then may we hope to see new buildings erected not for any particular department but for all alike.

The VIDETTE-REPORTER this week sustains the loss of an able member. Mr. H. H. Shepard leaves for home to be gone from the University the remainder of the term.

Thomas McGuire, L. '97, died at his room last Wednesday night, of quick consumption. The remains were taken to Tipton for burial, where the deceased's uncle and only relative in this country lives. Many of his classmates attended the funeral.

The University had a Thanksgiving present in the shape of 600 fishes from the fresh waters of the United States, chiefly the Mississippi valley. They are authentically hatched and are very valuable, being sent by the Smithsonian Institute, in return for Professor Nutting's scholarly labors on a monograph. Yale will send some valuable hydroids here also, thanks to Professor Nutting.

The number of women students at Yale has decreased from 26 in 1894 to 20 this year.

An arrangement has been made by Pennsylvania and Harvard by which they will again meet upon the grid-iron next year.

The directors of the Catholic University Washington, have decided that not only laymen but men or women may attend all the lectures. Hitherto only priests have been admitted.

Of the seventeen professors and instructors in the Asbury College of Liberal Arts of De Pauw University, five are the sons of Methodist itinerants, one is a son-in-law of Bishop Simpson, and another his grand-daughter.

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Fact and Rumor.

Thanksgiving! But no skating; no sleighing!

Oh, those Freshman canes—that were to be.

Fred Larrabee spent Thanksgiving in Davenport.

Harry Keefe ate Thanksgiving turkey at Springdale.

H. P. Williams, '95, spent Thanksgiving in Iowa City.

Bowman, C '99, was initiated into Ivy Lane last night.

The Zets were photographed at Wertz's last Wednesday.

The Tau Deltas banqueted themselves at Burke's Friday.

The Phi Deltas had a stag party Thanksgiving evening.

Joe Koza, C '96, visited his sister in Chicago during vacation.

Roy Palmeter feasted at Mt. Vernon on Thanksgiving day.

Jene Bishop went to her home in Marengo for Thanksgiving.

May Taylor spent her vacation at Mt. Vernon and Anamosa.

"Billy" Bremner shook hands with his many friends last week.

The Delta Gammas had a supper at their hall Friday afternoon.

A large crowd accompanied the Varsity Reserves to Anamosa.

Max Mayer accompanied the football team on their Omaha trip.

Hattie Holt spent Thanksgiving with Miss Ida Felkner at Downey.

The Dutcher Club celebrated on Thanksgiving evening with a taffy-pull.

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Dr Egge heard Mr. Cook's Freshman English class last Wednesday.

The class in Elementary Law received their markings on Wednesday.

Mulkey and Pittinger, Freshman Homeops, have joined the Phi Delt.

The Sophomore foot ball team was photographed last Wednesday afternoon.

The Erodelphians will give a special pay program some time next week.

Carrie Jones enjoyed a visit from her mother during the Thanksgiving recess.

One over-studious Law was locked in the central building Thanksgiving morning.

A number of students regaled themselves by skating early Thanksgiving morning.

Miss Myra Troth gave a reception to her many friends last Friday and Saturday.

Carter and Wells spent Thanksgiving in Muscatine the guests of Harry Hutchinson.

L M. Freeman spent Thanksgiving in West Liberty.

Ora Horine spent the Thanksgiving vacation at the home of Maud Grey in Springdale.

Weidner, '95, now holding a position in the Marengo High School, was in the city last Saturday.

Judge Seeds, Miss Seeds and Miss Jones went to their home in Manchester for Thanksgiving.

Tabard was very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Ridgway, Thanksgiving evening.

It is rumored that one of the Juniors will lead a winsome bride to the altar at Christmas time.

President Schaeffer attended a meeting of the Northwestern College Association during vacation.

Professor McBride delivered the third of the series of lectures on plant life, at Cedar Rapids, last Friday.

Ruby Baughman, '99, was entertained at the home of Jennie Leonard, '99, during the Thanksgiving vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. Watson gave a delightful dinner to a few of their friends, at the rectory, Thanksgiving evening.

We regret that a full account of the Omaha game is impossible in this issue. A full report will be given in our next.

The second of the series of Kappa receptions will occur Friday evening from 8 to 11 o'clock at the home of Professor Wilson.

Preparations are being made for a grand athletic ball to be given December 12. This will undoubtedly be one of the brightest social events of the season.

The well known habit of biting off more than it can masticate is probably the originator of the rumor that the *Quill* perished on Thursday last. However probable the matter might appear, we are authorized to give it public denial.

Dr. T. J. J. See, of the Chicago University, within the last month discovered a third body in the system of 70 Ophiuchi. In giving an account of it he gives credit to Mr. Doolittle and two other graduate students for assistance. Mr. Doolittle will be kindly remembered here as our able instructor in Mathematics of last year.



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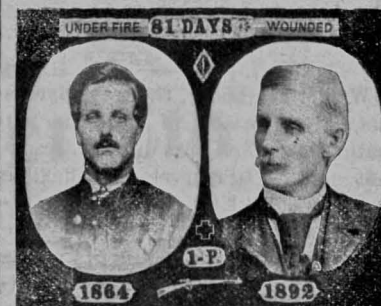
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