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BASE BALL.

SEASON OPENS WITH THREE GAMES —
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY.

The first base ball game of the season will be played with the Cedar Rapids Leaguers on Wednesday. It will be followed by two more contests with the same team on Thursday and Friday. It is safe to say that the work in these three games will largely determine the personnel and position on the Varsity team which will cross bats with the aggregations from other universities and colleges during the rest of the season. The game Wednesday will also be the first in which the visiting team has contested. Among their men who have played here before will be found Hill, Fisher, Lathrop and Brocer. Dorman who played on the U. I. U. foot ball team last fall, is also in the Cedar Rapids ranks. It is understood that the team is a strong one, and our boys may anticipate a hot contest.

Among our players, in the practice work already done, three have practically won out their places—Sargent at second base, Moser at third, and Storey in the left field. As is usually the case, there are very few candidates for the place in the box. Reynolds and Hurst will alternate here and in center field. Yates and Williams will be behind home plate. Warner and Lowry are up for first base. In right field Murphy and Remley will appear. There are three candidates for shortstop, Okey, Williams, and Clinite.

Judging from the practice work our team this year will be an unusually strong one, and lovers of the national game may anticipate some hot sport on the S. U. I. diamond. With the weather as it now is, the attendance at the opening games will certainly be very large.

FINGER-PRINTS.

AN INTERESTING LECTURE GIVEN FOR
THE BENEFIT OF ATHLETICS
IN S. U. I.

Mankind is constantly attracted by the strange, the weird and the impossible. Strange facts and fancies of nature possess a fascination that is almost beyond belief. The crowd, not extremely large, but nevertheless select, which listened to Professor Veblen's interesting and instructive lecture on "Finger-Prints," last evening, was certainly well repaid, not only by the consciousness of having helped athletics in S. U. I., but also by the fact that a considerable body of useful knowledge is added to their store.

After a short, felicitous introductory speech by Dr. Shambaugh, Mr. Veblen began his lecture by saying that the subject, "Finger-Prints," is not an absolutely new one, but has been employed in India as a means of identification by Sir Wm. Herschel and by Thompson, of the U. S. Survey, for similar purposes. The great authority, however, on the subject, is Sir Francis Galton, who has written several works upon it.

The remaining portion of the lecture was illustrated with slides, of which the first represented a print of the hand and of the foot. In the palm of the hand

are found lines or folds in the skin. Since these are subject to change, they do not form a safe method of identifying persons, but are used mainly by gypsies and fortune tellers. A change in them would mean a change in fortune, and it is currently reported the palm of the Treasurer of the Athletic Union is changing because of the kindness of Professor Veblen in helping out the Association. These lines, however, do not form the subject matter of "Finger-Prints," but the little papillary ridges upon the fingers are used. There are many varying patterns of the arrangement of these ridges upon the fingers. Three general classes are formed as a beginning for further classification—the arch, the loop, and the whorl. These are subdivided and further classified by noting singular points, etc., until a very full description may be written out in a scientific way, which may be issued by any expert in identifying a person.

The impressions of the fingers are taken by inking them and then pressing them on a smooth surface, or by pressing them upon wax, a smoked surface, glass, etc. The use of finger prints depends upon the question: "Can they be duplicated? Does some other person exist whose finger print is the same?" Careful calculations have been made upon this matter. In the first place, heredity must be considered. Often entire families have a finger-print, the general arrangement of which is nearly identical. However, upon a liberal estimate it is thought that the chances are as one is to seventeen million million. If this be true, there are no two persons living, male or female, white, black, or Filipino, whose finger-prints are the same. The prints on the toe may also be used so if two similar finger prints are ever found the officers can get the offender by the toe marks without difficulty.

Many practical uses may be made of finger prints. They are useful in identifying lost property, where other means of identification are wanting, in case a finger-print is upon the article. Bills of exchange, checks, etc., could be rendered safe by the use of finger-prints. Lost children, relatives, and friends could be identified by this means, provided a finger-print had been taken before their departure. Throughout life the finger-prints remain the same. All races and nationalities have them in all their various patterns. It is thought a much larger use of this fact will be made in the future, and thus another mysterious fact of nature be made to subserve the will of man.

The Dual Meet.

Word was received from Grinnell this morning by Manager McDonald that Grinnell is willing to participate in a dual meet to be held here this spring. This solution of the difficulty that has existed between Iowa and Grinnell over the location of this year's meet is a most happy one, and will in the end doubtless be to the advantage of both parties. The friends of both institutions will be glad to learn that an agreement has been made.

Suggestions were also made looking forward to the formation of a tennis, base ball and foot ball league between the two schools. Negotiations will be pushed, and it is hoped an agreement of mutual advantage will be closed.

EDUCATIONAL SOCIALISM.

A SCHOLARLY ADDRESS BY HON. HENRY
SABIN.

Hon. Henry Sabin addressed the Southeastern Iowa Teacher's Association on the subject of "Educational Socialism." The speaker said in part that socialism is not communism; it does not seek to tear down; it seeks to educate rightly, and to make the body subservient to the mind.

To make perfect is the voice of the future. He would enlist all to save not only our own country, but the whole world. In the true sense we are all socialists. Socialism stands for everything which unites the east and the west, the north and the south. There are inherent evils in society. When the will of the people is law, there is no cause for revolution. Socialism seeks to build all up to that perfect stature. The mothers of the land are to be brought in touch with the schools.

Our forefathers erected this great temple, and it remains for us to put in the windows, erect altars, and say who shall be servants. The part of education is to arouse the people to something better. Trusts are a menace to our people, but there is one trust, the trust of the American people of the public schools, which would eliminate all other trusts.

The future of the school system is in the hands of the teacher, not the politicians. Nothing better will come until it is demanded.

Sparta had a compulsory education to make Spartans, and we should have compulsory education to make Americans. A man has no legal right to harm his fellows. Neither has he a right to allow his boys to grow up in ignorance, for in so doing he is harming his neighbor's boys who associate with him.

Manual training should be in the public schools, and the time is coming when it will have as important a place as arithmetic or history. The high school course should have fewer branches taught, and those few taught better.

Fictitious pride, and not education, pushes us on in over-crowding the courses of study in the secondary schools. Free text books should be furnished. It is just as reasonable to furnish books as it is to furnish any other apparatus. Everything should be supplied which will tend to take more efficient our school system.

All buildings should be inspected, and care taken to see that they are properly heated, lighted and decorated. Vacation schools should be established in the cities.

Baconian.

The essay of the evening was read by Mr. Merritt, on "The Application of Mathematics to Political Economy."

First, a general definition of Political Economy was stated, then the methods of applying mathematics to that science. Finally the errors of the Austrian and classical schools were shown by the application of mathematical principles. The schools of Political Economy dealt with were the historical; the Austrian, which discussed value; the logical, or classical, which used the deductive method in its reasoning; and finally the mathematical school. From this latter

school has appeared over three hundred treatises.

One advantage of the application of mathematics, is to show in a clear and concise way, many facts that would necessitate great space and difficulty in their deductions. In order that economical equations can be of use, constants must be found, as in every mathematical problem, and these constants can only be obtained by a long series of statistics. So that although in theory mathematics solves the problems, yet in practice it is of very small use.

In the method of curves, the disadvantage is that only two variables can be represented at once. When more than two variables are involved, differential equations are used.

By mathematical treatment, however, very many theories can be proved absolutely false. So that, although mathematical theorems in economics cannot be reduced to figures, yet the application of mathematical principles is of great importance.

Caspar Whitney on the West.

The results of Caspar Whitney's recent visit to Chicago is seen in his recent athletic criticism, appearing in a recent Harper's Weekly. His talk of the western college situation seems to be in a kindlier spirit than usual, and a note of praise runs through his findings. In general, he approves of the rules that were reported to the colleges by the last Faculty conference, although he thinks the wording as intricate now and then. "I do not approve, as has been wired about the country I do, Michigan's rejection of them," he writes in regard to the rules.

He thinks it wisest to abandon all idea of a board of appeals, for the reason trouble is likely to result some time or other, although he is "entirely in sympathy with both the spirit and the mission of the board." He holds that the one year's residence rule should apply to the graduate student as well as to the undergraduate, and takes the teams to task that have arranged to take big eastern or western trips. The "splendid results" obtained in college sport in the middle-west of late he attributes to the banding together of Chicago, Michigan, Illinois, Purdue and Minnesota, leaving out Northwestern, and he says: "It is not yet time to switch in pursuit of individual ideals, be they ever so aesthetic." —Cardinal.

Foot Ball Squad.

All men who expect to play foot ball next season, and all who expect to take part in spring practice, and the punting contest, will meet in Professor Loos lecture room, in the Central building, at 7 o'clock this (Tuesday) evening.

Whitney Society.

At the regular meeting of the Whitney Society Monday evening, Mr. Howe read a paper on "The Sentimental Movement in English Literature." The society voted to hold its last meeting for the academic year on Monday, April 24th.

President Harper, of Chicago, recently delivered a lecture at the University of California on the "Four Term System," as used at Chicago.

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Base Ball.

With the advent of spring, the budding of the flowers and the singing of the robins, together with the general awakening from winter's lethargy, the base ball muscles and tendons begin to ache with strength, and long for a renewal of their special prowess. Skill and nimbleness of action also are needed, and these come with practice. For these reasons it is especially fitting that the opening week of the base ball season should be a bright one, favorable in every way for practice, and conducive to the forming of plans and purposes for the future.

An attractive schedule of games has already been arranged for. Many promising candidates are in the field, and prospects for a winning team at S. U. I. were never brighter.

The question of finances needs mentioning again. Not only a winning team, but a paying team is needed to be a complete and satisfactory success. The time for school patriotism is at hand. Let every one turn out to the games as they occur and by his presence add materially to the success of the base ball season at S. U. I.

Teachers' Meeting and the 'Varsity.

The State University of Iowa is not primarily an institution which aims to fit teachers for their profession, but nevertheless many of her sons and daughters find employment in this line of work and are meeting with well-deserved success. Many of the county superintendents, as well as principals and high school instructors of the State of Iowa are graduates of S. U. I. This speaks well for the department of pedagogy, and in general the sound methods of instruction used in all departments. The above facts are called to mind because within the last few days the teachers of southeastern Iowa have been here.

S. U. I. has been honored by their presence as visitors. It is needless to suggest that the presence of so many faithful workers has been a source of inspiration and benefit to the entire student body. The many addresses upon live topics, in which all are more or less interested, have been of permanent value to those who were privileged to hear them. We desire to thank the management of the Association which secured the meeting for our 'Varsity city, and for the good we have received because of your action. To the alumni we would extend our thanks for the good your kind words and wishes for prosperity have done us, and to all we would extend a hearty welcome to come again.

In addition to the benefits coming to S. U. I. from the fact that the South-eastern Teachers' Association was held in this city, it may not be out of place to suggest that the average teacher who attended the convention was benefitted by his visit to the University, by seeing the work that is done here, and coming in contact with a life different from the usual round of school duties in his place of employment. We trust that we have shown you a living example of earnest, conscientious work and application, which will be of benefit to you. Furthermore, we hope that the closer acquaintance you have made with the school has increased your love and respect for the great institution maintained by the people of the State of Iowa for the purpose of affording to all a chance to secure an education. We appreciate the favor and the honor you have conferred on us by coming to the home of S. U. I. We trust you will again favor us, should opportunity offer whereby you can benefit us by extending a knowledge of the work done by our institution.

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A Notable Attraction Coming.

Sol Smith Russell and his new play "Hon. John Grigsby," will be seen at Greene's opera house, Cedar Rapids, Ia., Wednesday, April 12th. The engagements of Mr. Russell are always a delight, and a refreshing dramatic morsel Chas. Klein is the author. It is said that this new comedy is by far the best work this prolific and clever writer has yet turned out. The character of "Hon. John Grigsby" is said to fit Mr. Russell perfectly. A very superior company of artists accompany Mr. Russell, and the play has been given a complete production in the way of scenery, properties, and elaborate costumes. Sale opens Monday, April 10th. Seats may be secured by addressing Mr. Geo. Peck, Business Manager, Cedar Rapids, Ia.
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FACT AND RUMOR.

Base Ball Game—Cedar Rapids vs. S. U. I. Tomorrow, Wednesday, at 3 o'clock. Admission 15 cents.

Cora Dorcas, C. '97, visited friends over Sunday.

Judge Seeds visited the Law classes this morning.

L. Rush White returned from Lincoln, Neb., last evening.

S. S. Stockwell visited over Sunday with friends in Monroe, Ia.

Messrs. Harvey and Kelly will not be in the University the remainder of the year.

Will Graves, a former student, now studying law in Ackley, was in town Monday.

Maro Johnson, C. E. '89, has charge of the Freshman Engineering class for a few days.

Carrie Rule, Latin teacher in East Des Moines High School, visited her brothers over Sunday.

The Irvings recently voted to return to the old custom of beginning their regular programs at 8 o'clock.

I. C. Welty, C. '98, was a candidate for county superintendent before the Republican primaries of Story county.

Professor C. B. Wilson is able to meet classes again this year. He gave the Junior class a very interesting and instructive lecture on "German Verse" yesterday.

The chairman of the Committee on Religious Meetings announced Sunday that for the remainder of the spring term the regular Sunday Y. M. C. A. meetings would be held at 8:30 a. m.

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Don't forget the base ball games Wednesday and Thursday. Cedar Rapids vs. S. U. I.

Casper Schenk, of the State Normal, led the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon.

Professor Reeves has returned from Baltimore where he attended upon the marriage of his brother.

A large number of students listened to a very practical temperance talk by Rev. Abrams at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Miss Martha Emry, C. '97, who is at present one of the teachers in the Washington schools, visited University friends and relatives last week.

Misses Cushing, C. '01, and Roach, C. '02, left Monday evening for Des Moines, to attend the wedding of Miss Madge Spurrier, ex-C. '01.

F. E. Lenocker, C. '98, attended the Teacher's Meeting and visited friends in the city last week. Mr. Lenocker is principal of the Guthrie County High School, and was recently elected president of the four-cornered teacher's association, comprising Madison, Adair, Guthrie and Dallas counties, which speaks well for his standing and success in his present position.

One of the features of the Yale bicentennial celebration in the fall of 1901 will be the production of a Greek play.

William K. Vanderbilt has authorized the erection of a dormitory on the campus of Vanderbilt University to cost \$100,000.

A challenge has been received at Yale from Harvard for a water polo match between teams selected from undergraduates in the two universities.

A new publication devoted to the interests of the alumni, has just been started at Cornell University, under the title of the "Alumni News."

The announcement has been made that the intercollegiate debate between the University of Wisconsin and the University of Illinois will be postponed until April 21st. This action was taken at the request of the Illinois debaters.

By a recent appropriation, the University of Wisconsin receives \$151,000 for new buildings and other improvements; \$16,000 will be to supply water power, \$100,000 for the new engineer's building, \$35,000 for a new building at the same farm.

Caps and gowns will not be worn by the Seniors of the University of Wisconsin this year. This was the decision reached at a class meeting a few days ago. No definite reason is assigned further than the fact that it does not seem reasonable to do so, when the Faculty refuse to wear them.

The Marathon Race under discussion for some time at Cornell, has at last been settled, and the date decided upon. The race will be held on April 22, under the auspices of the Cortland Cross Country Club. The course for the race will probably be between Cortland and Ithaca. The distance between Cortland and Ithaca is slightly over twenty miles.

Michigan defeated Chicago last Friday evening in the debate closing the Northwestern Association contests. They debated the affirmative of the question: "Admitting it to be constitutional, is a federal graduated income tax desirable in this country." They received an unanimous decision. Michigan's debaters were Kingsley, Simons and Sanger.

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