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CONCERNING THE WHEREaboUTS OF IOWANS

Notes of Interest About the Older Students of the University of Iowa.

1. L—Fred R. Gleason, of Davenport is visiting the city.

2. L—Laura Duff is teaching in the Britt public schools.

3. L—Fred Hill is attending Princeton University.

4. L—Lillie Wrae has accepted a position in the West Union schools.

5. L—Dan C. Sullivan, of Anamosa, is engaged at Davenport.

6. L—Z. Gurley was married February 17, to a popular young lady of Anamosa.

7. L—Eleanor Hossfeld has re-signed her position at Trues and accepted a position in the Waterloo schools.

8. L—Mina W. Maduin is now at Oakland Nebraska.

9. L—Margaret Van Meter is one of the clerks for the legislative committee.

J. T. Burns, one of the leading attorneys of Waterloo, and a member of the firm of Burns & Stewart died December 31.

Rev. Lew Swisher has been called to the pastorate of one of the Cedar Rapids churches.

Emerson Hough has a new novel entitled "The Claim Agent," which will soon be issued by the Bobb-Merrill Company of Indianapolis.

Thomas Cassedy is studying at General Theological Seminary, Chelsea Square, New York City.

Lester R. Budrow is superintendent of mines at Charcas, Mexico.

L—L. C. G. Petrovitsky was recently married to Miss Mary Lee, his home in Seattle, Washington.

L—Mr. H. Claude Horack now a junior in the Harvard Law School has recently been elected to the Harvard Law Review board. He is one of the highest honor as the members are elected by the faculty, on the basis of scholarship.
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The usual protests against cheating and the perils of the grade system are voiced in college publications as a result of the semi-annual examinations. The honor system varies much in the details adopted in the places where it has been given a trial. The fundamental idea is to have the students themselves detect and report any cheating, by arousing an aggressive sentiment against it or by reporting such to the faculty. The advocates of such a plan refer to Princeton and the University of West Virginia and other schools where the honor system is said to be very successful. Cornell recently abandoned the system after a short trial because students would not pledge themselves to report cheating though they readily agreed to give notice to receive aid during examinations.

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AMUSEMENTS

A play which is costing upon its tenth season of success must have merit. Such is "A Romance of Coon Hollow", which will be seen at the Opera House next Friday night. It will be a complete and pretty scenic production with a carefully selected cast, including Miss Ruby Erwood, and the additional features of a splendid orchestral quartette and a troop of plantation dancers who are said to be "great." There are a score of people used in the production, and the company is unusually strong.

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M. L. Whitney, G. E. '06 of Chicago is pledged to Beta Theta Pi.

Prof. A. G. Smith was called home to Mr. Pleasant to attend the funeral of his uncle.

C. W. Crossan of Eldora, has been visiting here, J. W. Crossan, '06 the past week.

Professor Fairbanks will read the paper before the Whitney society next Monday evening.

Miss Jean Macbride '08 accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Coast will leave for California tomorrow.

H. C. Anderson '05 has returned to the University to resume his work after spending the fall in California.

Mr. George Beems, of Spencer Iowa, who comes from Culver to enter the College of Medicine here, is pledged to Sigma Chi.

Professor W. C. Wilcox of the department of history will give the address at the convention in the open house next Monday morning.

Miss Paddock, the state secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, will make her annual visit to the Christian Association next week, from the 25th to the 29th.

The Engineering Society has issued invitations for their annual banquet February 25.

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