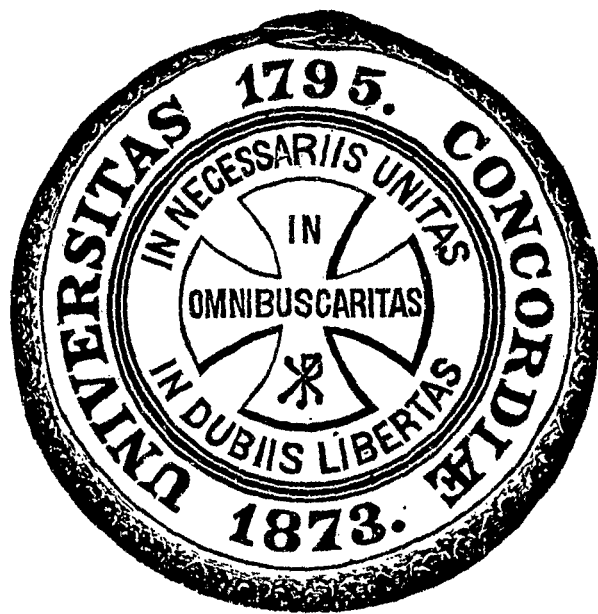


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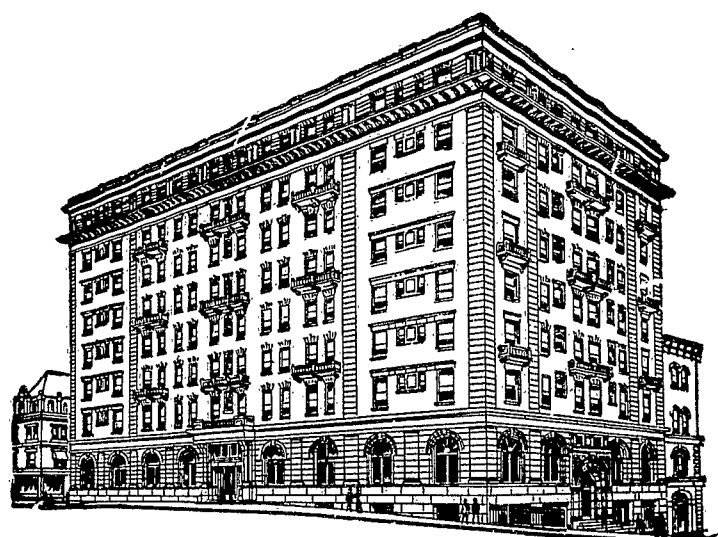
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TRIANGULAR DEBATE.

Union Loses to Colgate and Defeats Hamilton.

On Friday evening, March fourth, were held the first annual debates of the Triangular Intercollegiate Debating League, of which Colgate, Hamilton and Union are the members. The visiting teams supported the affirmative, and the home teams the negative of the question, "Resolved, that a graduated income tax should be a part of our Federal system of taxation." The three debates resulted in a draw, each college winning and losing one debate. The Union team against Hamilton was composed of Cohen, '11; Potter, '10; S. Cavert, '10; with Coplon, '10, as alternate. The presidents of the three colleges presided at the respective debates.

At Union the chapel was well filled, the students turning out in large numbers. The debate was very spirited, the cross-fire of rebuttal being particularly hot. The Hamilton men advocated the income tax for reasons of revenue, justice, patriotism, and elasticity. The Union men proposed a Federal corporation tax as more just than the income tax. Cavert, '10, was especially brilliant in his rebuttal speech. Senator Agnew, as chairman of the board of judges, awarded Union the decision. Prof. McKean deserves great credit for the excellent showing made by the teams, and a bright future for the Union debating teams is assured.

The debate between Colgate and Union was held in the Sheldon Opera House at Hamilton on the evening of March fourth. President E. B. Bryan presided at the contest. The opera house was filled to its capacity with a very attentive audience consisting of a large number of college men and townspeople. The question: "Resolved, that a graduated income tax should be a part of our Federal system of taxation."

Union upheld the affirmative side of the question. The speakers were Theodore W. Hannigan, '13; James H. Potter, '12; Roland M. Bartlett, '10; William L. Cavert, '10, alternate. Colgate defend-

ed the negative and was represented by William Willard Bartlett, '10; Lewis C. Sorrell, '11; David Levy, '10; Robert A. Rundle, '10, alternate.

The judges for the debate, who had been selected by Hamilton College, were William R. Loomis, Norwich; James Moore, Oneida; Augustus H. Shearer, Ph. D., Hamilton College.

Mr. Hannigan of Union, opened the debate for the affirmative. He devoted his time to a consideration of the inequities of the present situation in this country, especially those resulting from customs duties and the existing taxes on real estate and personal property. Mr. Bartlett, who was the first to defend the negative, argued that an income tax can be desired for only three reasons, first for revenue; second for elasticity; third for justice. Then he proceeded to show that from none of these standpoints is there any need of an income tax.

Mr. Potter continued the debate for Union. He discussed the ethical relation of the income tax to the existing situation in the United States, showing first of all that such a tax would remedy present injustices. He then went on to prove that an income tax should be a graduated tax and that it should also be a Federal tax, showing that such a tax accords well with our national tendencies. Mr. Sorrell, in continuing the arguments of the negative, maintained that, if there were a need for greater justice, the income tax would not supply this need, as it is impracticable.

Mr. Bartlett, in closing the direct argument for the affirmative, contended that in the light of history there is no serious objection to the practicability of graduated income tax. He also presented three elements which might be employed in assessing an income tax, declaration by the tax payer, official review of declarations, and investigation at the source of income. Mr. Levy concluded the argument for the negative. It was his position that, granted there is a need of greater justice in taxation and that the income tax is practicable, there is a better remedy for existing evils, namely, a Federal inheritance tax. This

was a very strong element in the position of the negative.

The most interesting part of the contest began with the opening of the rebuttal. Both sides did excellent work. Sorrell was very effective in arguing that an income tax is impracticable, while on the affirmative side both Hannigan and Potter presented able arguments in maintaining that there is a great need for an income tax and that it should be both graduated and Federal. Mr. Levy clinched the argument for the negative and strengthened his position regarding an inheritance tax. Bartlett closed the debate showing, among other things, that the negative had failed to attack the system of assessment advanced by the affirmative.

The judges were out thirty minutes and at length decided that the weight of argument was with the negative.

ORGANIZATION OF TROY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

Last Monday night a most enthusiastic body of Union Alumni from Troy and the vicinity met at the Troy Club to organize a Troy Alumni Association of Union University. President Richmond was the guest of honor. A double quartet consisting of Paul, Walser, Leon, '10; Bentley, Faust, Morss, Hawley, '11 and Finley, '13, first sang some college songs and glee club numbers. Then Rev. Mr. Olney presided while the following nomination committee was appointed: Medical, Mr. Lyons and Rennan; law, Messrs. Doherty and Dunn; art, Rev. Mr. Countermine and Rev. Mr. Hemming; and engineering, Mr. Hunt.

The nomination committee then nominated the following list of officers, who were duly elected: President, Seymour Van Vantvoord; vice presidents, Messrs. Judge Cooms, Jr., C. B. McMurray and Dr. Booth; secretary, Rev. Mr. Farley; treasurer, E. E. Draper. Then followed a most able address by President Richmond, followed by several short talks by some of those present. Refreshments were then served and some more songs and yells given. Then everyone rose and "Let the Grecian Dream" was sung with enthusiasm after which the meeting adjourned.

An old Scotch bag-piper is a regular visitor on the Campus of late.

TRACK.

On last Monday afternoon the Varsity track team met defeat at the hands of the team representing the Massachusetts Agricultural College at North Amherst, by a score of 17 to 42. The Union team, in the first place, was handicapped by not being familiar with the track, (which is the B. A. A. standard) and in the second place, by having to run on a board track with spikes. Union did not show up very well in the event which occurred on this track with the exception of the relay race. In this event the Amherst team covered the distance in 3 minutes and 15 seconds, which is within seven seconds of the world's record. The Union relay team finished about seventy yards behind that of the Massachusetts college. In the under events, i. e.; shot put, high jump and 30-yard dash, Union secured two places in every event.

1,000 yards—Barrows, M. A. C., first; Cowles, M. A. C., second; Streever, Union, third. Time, 2 minutes and 32 seconds.

600-yard run—Dickinson, M. A. C., first; Cowles, M. A. C., second; Spearman, Union, third. Time, 1 minute and 24 seconds.

30-yard dash—Damon, M. A. C., first; Dennis, Union, second; Maley, Union, third. Time, 33.5 seconds.

Running High Jump—Case, Union, first; Huntington, M. A. C., second; Dennis, Union, third. Height, 5 feet and 1 inch.

Shot Put—Samson, M. A. C., first; Smith, Union, second; Case, Union, third. Distance, 36 feet, 8 1-2 inches.

Relay race won by M. A. C., (Dickinson, Clowes, Damon, Lew); Union, (Maley, Daly, Case, Spearman), second. Time, 3 minutes, 15 seconds.

SIGMA PHI CONVENTION.

The eighty-third annual convention of Sigma Phi was held here last Saturday at the chapter house of the society. The reception and dance at the Place on Friday evening and was followed by a banquet at the Mohawk Golf Club. About a hundred alumni and undergraduates from Union and other colleges were present, including Vice President Sherman.

Dr. March was chairman of the board of judges at the Hamilton-Colgate debate at Clinton.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE.

Friday, March 18, 9 a. m.—Advanced Ethics, American History, (Academic), Calculus, (Sophomore, Junior, Academic), Sophomore Latin, Freshman Rhetoric, Engineering Design, Junior Mechanics, Sophomore Physics, (B. E.), Senior A. C. Junior D. C.

Friday, March 18, 1:30 p. m.—European History, Differential Equations, Junior English, Sophomore Intermediate French, Freshman Greek, (A.), Mensuration, Senior Design, (E. E.)

Friday, March 18, 3:30 p. m.—Senior German.

Saturday, March 19, 9 a. m.—Shakespeare, Argumentation, Elementary German, (A.), Sophomore Greek, (B.), Freshman Intermediate German, Water Supply, Thermodynamics, Sophomore Calculus, (B. E.), Transmission, Hydraulics.

Monday, March 21, 9 a. m.—Sociology, Junior Latin, Sophomore Physics, (Academic), Elementary French, (A.), Elementary French, American History, (B. E.), Sanitary Biology, Sophomore English, (B. E.), Electric Railway.

Monday, March 21, 1:30 p. m.—History of Philosophy, General Chemistry, Integral Calculus, (Academic), Sophomore, Greek, (A.), Finance, E. E. Practice, Junior Seminar.

Monday, March 21, 3:30 p. m.—Senior Greek, (B.), Junior German.

Tuesday, March 22, 9 a. m.—Comparative Politics, Junior Greek, (B.), Biology, Elementary German, Junior Law, Kinematics, Descriptive Geometry, Senior Seminar, Steam Engine.

Tuesday, March 22, 1:30 p. m.—Senior Greek, (A.), Astronomy, Sophomore Intermediate German, Freshman Latin, Freshman Analytics, (B. S.), Least Squares, Senior Thesis, (E. E.), Junior Laboratory, (E. E.)

Tuesday, March 22, 3:30 p. m.—Senior French.

Wednesday, March 23, 9 a. m.—Senior Latin, Psychology, Sophomore History, Sophomore Analytics, (Academic), Freshman Algebra, Natural Perspective, Building Construction, Sophomore Chemistry, (B. E.), Electro Chemistry.

Wednesday, March 23, 1:30 p. m.—Spanish (b), History of Education, Sophomore, English, (Academic), Freshman Physiology, Freshman Analytics, (B. E.), Technical Literature, Junior Mathematics, (E. E.)

Wednesday, March 23, 3:30 p. m.—Physical Laboratory, (Academic), Advanced Argumentation, Spanish, (a).

Thursday, March 23, 9 a. m.—Qualitative Analysis, Quantitative Analysis, English Poetry, Junior Greek, (A.), Freshman, Intermediate French, Motors, Electricity, Sophomore Mechanics, Electrical Engineering Theory, Junior A. C. C.

Thursday, March 24, 1:30 p. m.—Medieval History, Freshman Greek, (B.), Freshman Drawing, Senior, Laboratory. (E. E.)

Thursday, March 24, 3:30 p. m.—Junior French.

NEWS FROM THE Y. M. C. A.

In accordance with the custom of the Association for several years, the annual election of officers will take place on the last Tuesday in the winter term, and a new set of officers will take charge of the work with the beginning of the spring term. The most important event of the term for which the association has to prepare, will be the holding of the president's conference at Union early in April. By this time it is expected that the improvements which are to be made about Silliman Hall will be complete, and it will be more comfortable and attractive than it has ever been in the past.

At the vesper service last Sunday Brigadier General Stanyon of the New York City Salvation Army was the speaker. As he did not arrive at the building until late there was only a small gathering who heard his interesting talk on the slum work of the Salvation Army in New York. The last vesper service of the term will be held in the hall at five o'clock next Sunday. As the election of officers takes place on Tuesday evening, the regular group Bible classes will not meet next week. It is being planned that during the spring term, a course in mission study is to be presented which will take the place of the Bible classes.

THE MUSICAL ASSOCIATION.

After the success of the concerts which the musical clubs gave while on their trip through the western part of the state, it is expected that Manager Smith will attempt to arrange for a trip down the Hudson this spring. As yet, however, no further dates have been scheduled, and nothing definite has been done.

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THE Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE.

From the 7th to the 10th of April the annual conference of Y. M. C. A. presidents from the colleges and universities of the East is to be held here at the invitation of our College Association. The fact that such a gathering is to meet at Union ought to be a matter of no small concern not only to the Y. M. C. A. but also to every man in college. That such a conference will mean very much to our Y. M. C. A., it is needless to say. It may not be so evident, but a few moments' reflection will surely make it clear, that the benefit to the college will be fully as great or even greater, for there will be here picked men from the college world. The number of delegates will not be large but it is seldom, indeed, that a more truly representative crowd would come together here. It may be many years before men from the big universities such as Princeton, Harvard, Yale and the University of Pennsylvania, to say nothing of colleges like Dartmouth, Williams, Bowdoin and Amherst, will ever see Union again. From most of the smaller institutions there will be only one or two delegates, but the large universities will have additional representatives.

There will certainly be some opportunity during these three days for every man in college to do something to make the visit of our guests more pleasant and to deepen their impression of the genuine worth of our college, the intense loyalty of our men, our thoughtful courtesy of visitors from other colleges, and the sincerity and depth of our college spirit. Shall we not all take this opportunity of showing these representative college men that Union, though not as large or as wealthy as many, is in the front rank in those qualities that constitute real greatness in a college?

ABSENCE FROM

COLLEGE MEETING.

Last Monday morning after the Faculty had passed out of chapel and the student body had risen to sing Alma Mater, a most noticeable and unpardonable incident occurred—about twenty-five fellows filed one by one out of the back door. Now doubtless several of them had excellent reasons for "bolting" college meeting and for them, therefore, this editorial can mean nothing. But to the others it may be said

that such a proceeding was shameful and absolutely unpardonable. That a Union man should willfully absent himself from any college meeting which is always held for the best interests of his Alma Mater is incomprehensible. It is further suggested that even those who have perfectly plausible excuses to leave early shall stay at least until the singing of Alma Mater is completed and then only for an excellent reason leave. Thus we can hope to raise our college spirit to an even higher plane.

COLLEGE MEETING.

The college meeting on Monday opened with the singing of Alma Mater. Walser, '10, made a motion to the effect that a letter of thanks be sent from the student body to Mr. Locke of Buffalo, thanking him for his kind entertainment of the Musical Clubs when in that city. The motion was seconded and carried. Bartlett, '10, spoke for the debating team that went to Colgate, and especially praised Potter, '12, and Hanigan, '13, for their work there. He expressed his gratification at the treatment received there, and spoke very highly of the debate. Prof. McKean next called the attention of the students to several phases of the Triangular Debate and its results, stating that both Hamilton and Colgate drew up their strongest teams, respectively, against Union. Ferguson, '10, for the athletic board, read the basketball awards. Faust, '11, made a Glee Club announcement. Stewart, '11, announced that baseball practice would be held regularly in the "gym" on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. President Cavert, giving the chair to Hutchens, then told the fellows of the convention of College Y. M. C. A. Presidents which is to be held here, and asked for everyone's support in making the gathering a successful one. He also announced that the annual Y. M. C. A. election would be held on Tuesday, March 14. The meeting then adjourned.

BASKETBALL AWARDS.

At the meeting of the awards committee held Monday, February 28, the following awards were made for the basketball season:

U—Charest, Anderson, Johnston, Coward, Fairbairn, Hequembourg.

a A a—Shutler, Brum, Smith.

THE ROCHESTER UNION GAME.

Before a large audience the Garnet five were beaten on February 26. The game was fought till the end with true Union spirit, but Rochester was too fast for our team. Union did much better at guarding than at pass-work, but in spite of this were defeated.

The game started with a rush and for several minutes there was no scoring on either side. Then Woodman's scored one point from the foul line and a moment later Coward was given a chance for a free throw and scored. Rochester made several points by the clever work of Woodman who threw six fouls during the first period of play. Not until just before the close of the first half was Rochester able to score from the field. Then in rapid order Cox and H. Edwards each caged the ball for two points.

During the second half Harmon replaced Cox, and Bloss went in center for W. Edwards. Later Ramaker replaced Bloss and it was due to the clever work of Harmon and Ramaker that Rochester was able, by a series of neat field goals, to raise the final score to 25.

For Rochester, Harmon, Ramaker and Cox were exceptionally strong, while for Union the honors were about equally divided.

Line up of the teams was as follows:

Rochester.	Union.
Cox	Fairbairn
	right forward.
Woodman	Charest
	left forward.
W. Edwards, Bloss, Ramaker	Anderson
	center.
Carey	Coward
	left guard.
H. Edwards	Hequembourg
	right guard. ✓

Goals from field—Cox, 2; Carey, 1; H. Edwards, 1; Woodmans, 1; Bloss, 1; Harmon, 2; Ramaker, 1. Referee—Mr. Jack, Rochester, Y. M. C. A. Timers—Williams, Rochester, '10; Petit, Union, '09.

BASKETBALL ELECTION.

At a meeting of the basketball team held Monday afternoon, R. R. Micks, 1911, was elected captain for the season of 1910-1911.

CAST OF THE IDOL.

For many years the Idol has been one of the distinctive features about Union College. Emblems of it have been used so often that it has become well known throughout the country. It is distinctive, both because of the historic interest connected with it and also because of use to which it is put at present and because of the interest that is taken in it during the greater part of every college year.

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Work on the new Delta Upsilon house is progressing rapidly and it will soon be completed.

WEEKLY CALENDAR.

- March 11—
 12:30—Glee Club rehearsal.
 4:30—Dramatic Club rehearsal.
 7:15—Mandolin Club rehearsal.
- March 12—
 2:30—Baseball practice.
- March 13—
 5:00—Vesper service at Silliman Hall.
- March 14—
 7:15—Meeting of the Philomathean Society.
 7:30—Glee Club rehearsal.
 7:00—Annual Y. M. C. A. election.
- March 15—
 4:00—Dramatic Club rehearsal.
 4:30—Baseball practice.
- March 16—
 12:30—Glee Club rehearsal.
 4:30—Faculty meeting.
 7:00—Press Club meeting.
 7:15—Mandolin Club rehearsal.
- March 17—
 5:00—Meeting of the Concordiensis Board.

REPORT OF RELATIVE PROPOSITIONS OF
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ATHLETIC TEAMS SINCE SEPT. 1906.

Awards of Varsity "U" Including Team Managers.

	1906	1907	1908	1909
C. and Sci.	12	5	10	7
Eng.	21	14	17	9
Law School	3	4	1	0
Medical	0	1	1	0
Totals	36	24	29	16

Total, 105.

Classical and Sci., 34.

Engineers, 61.

Law School, 8.

Medical, 2.

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Physical Director.

NOTICE.

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TENNIS.

Although only two of last years tennis team are back, i. e.; Capt. Potter and Fairbairn, the chances for a successful season are promising. Together with these two are Carmichael and Coykendall both of whom have played on the team. There are several good players in the law and medical department—in fact there is one man in the law department who played on the Rutger's team. A good fast schedule has been arranged and Manager Potter believes that the team will render a good account of itself.

Tennis Schedule.

May 7—Wesleyan at Middletown.
9—Amherst Aggies at Amherst.
14—Amherst at Schenectady.
21—Syracuse at Schenectady.
28—Cornell at Schenectady.
June 4—Vermont at Schenectady.

A COMMUNICATION.

Messrs. Frank Copper, Edwin C. Angle, Allan H. Jackson, Schenectady, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—

Your order of February 21, 1910, authorizing me as treasurer of the committee instrumental in raising the fund for an athletic field, to turn over the amount received to the trustees of the College in aid of the gymnasium fund as that is also to bring about an athletic field, is received.

It may be of interest to you gentlemen to know how that account stands. The first deposit was made December 12, 1896, of \$5.00, and the last deposit was made May 28, 1898, of \$3.00. Between these dates from time to time as the moneys came in they were deposited, and the total amount received by us and put in that fund was the sum of \$631.30. It was deposited in the Schenectady Savings Bank and a Pass Book No. 23032 taken in its name. Interest has accumulated from time to time, amounting now to \$341.75, so that on the first day of January, 1910, the total amount to the credit of the fund was \$973.05.

A statement of this will be sent to Dr. Richmond, as requested by you, with the suggestion that it remain as it is, intact, until necessary for its use in connection with the other funds raised.

If this meets your approbation, I suggest that you inform me of that fact.

Thanking you in advance for the courtesy of a reply, I remain,

Yours very truly,

EVERETT SMITH,

As Treasurer.

RELATION WITH R. P. I.

Ever since we eliminated athletic relations with R. P. I. there has been talk around that relations are to be resumed. To further understand the situation a glance at the last meeting may serve.

About two weeks ago Mr. King, Dr. MacComber, Zimmer, '10, and Baker, '11, were invited by a delegation from R. P. I. to come out to the Mohawk Golf Club and talk the matter over.

Two special phases were offered by the R. P. I. men: That they would adopt scholarship eligibility rules and that they would leave a committee appointed to be responsible.

The matter was discussed from all view-points.

Stude 1st.—Yes, that is an old saw that has been handed down from generation to generation.

Stude 2nd.—A kind of hand-saw, n'est-ce pas?

Why can't some of us greet our fellow-students more cheerfully?

Davis was elected 1913 baseball manager.

Everybody out for baseball and track!

JUST ACROSS
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THE SNOWBALL SCRAP.

Wet feet were at a premium last Tuesday. Ask any Sophomore or Freshman. Although a great many kept themselves out of sight, there were enough who went home with their hair mussed and their clothes soaked with water, snow and a mixture of the two.

When the Sophomores came out of chapel, they were greeted with a blinding storm of snowballs. When all were out, "Bill" Ferguson blew his little whistle and the snowballs stopped flying. Then everybody went down to the Terrace.

The Sophomores lined up facing the pasture, with the Freshmen opposite them and about ten feet from the wall. Hand acted as Sophomore president and Don Hutchens as rFreshman.

"Bill" blew his little whistle again and there was a general rush and collision of Sophs and Frosh. "Gee, how they splatter!" remarked a Junior. Hutchens was taken care of and kept away from the wall by a strong body guard while Hand and a few of his protectors were nearer the wall and threatened more. Neither went over, however.

After eight minutes of wrestling and struggling, "Bill" blew his little whistle for the third and last time and brought about peace. "Cub" Potter counted twenty-five Sophomores and thirty-three Freshmen as they went over the wall. "Sam" Cavert did the recording.

The whole scrap was fun—even for those who were in it. Here's to many another.

BRIEFS.

Oh! you bun-boy!

Dr. Barnes is holding classes again after being ill with a severe cold during the latter part of last week.

Victor Young, the Chinese student who entered in the Freshman class at the beginning of the winter term, has left college.

Regular indoor baseball practice is now being held in the "gym" on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

Hamilton, 1913, have challenged Union, 1913, in baseball.

News has lately reached the "hill" of the death of Everett Dunn, formerly a member of the class of 1910.

Wilson, '09, a member of last year's debating team, who is now in the Albany Normal College, was on the "hill" last Friday night to hear the Hamilton-Union debate.

The football and track schedules are completed but have not yet been ratified by the faculty.

On account of the death of his brother, Lee, '10, of the Law School, was unable to accompany the track team to Amherst on Monday of this week.

Rankin, '09, has been helping coach the weightmen in preparation for the meet with the Massachusetts Agricultural College.

After the recent trip the musical clubs have been enjoying a short rest. Rehearsals were begun again Wednesday of this week.

T. A. S. Fairbairn, '12, spent several days last week in New York city.

Spring has surely come. The windows are open and full of heads, especially on Sunday afternoon, taking in the passing show.

When next year's snowball scrap is due, the Freshmen will do well to watch the chapel windows for late arrivals.

Outdoor track practice will begin shortly and every man who intends to come out for the team should report to Dr. MacComber at once.

A meet for the championship of the three counties of Troy, Rensselaer and Schenectady is to take place in Albany, April 5th.

Don't forget the Flonzaley quartet concert.

Westcot, '12, spent the latter part of the past week in Seneca Falls.

Bates, '12, has returned to college after a few days absence caused by weak eyes.

Burns believes bock beer brings a better "bun-on" than the buns they buy from the bun-boy.

Butler, '12, spent last Saturday and Sunday at his home in Johnstown.

Randerson, '12, was a guest at the banquet held in New York in honor of Commodore Peary.

Real stude—To thoroughly study Latin and Greek takes a great deal of moral power.

Stude in name only—Yes, and it takes also a lot of horse power.

Thorn, '10, and Travis, '11, attended the fourth annual convention of the Common's Club held at Tuft's College. It was decided to hold the convention at Middleburg next year and Travis was elected president for the ensuing year.

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NEWS FROM OTHER COLLEGES.

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Mrs. Amanda W. Reed, of Portland, Ore., bequeathed \$2,000,000 to establish a college in Portland to be known as the Reed Institute.

Of thirty-two students elected to Phi Beta Kappa at Cornell last week, nineteen were women. There were thirteen Seniors, twelve Juniors and one graduate.

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Grover, '10, attended the meeting of the New York Intercollegiate Athletic Council in Utica last Saturday.



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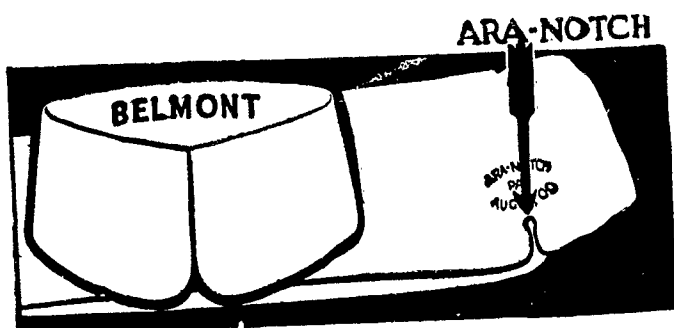
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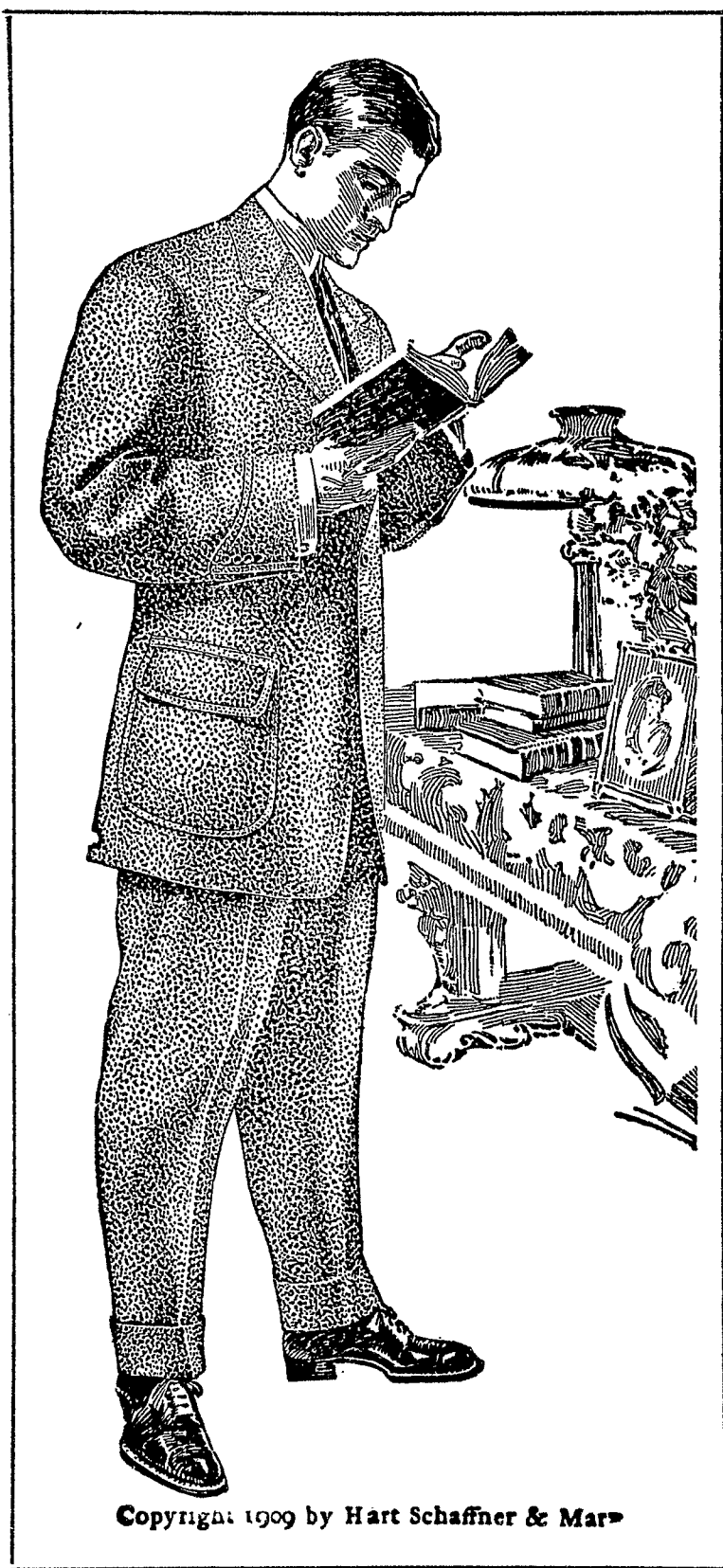
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