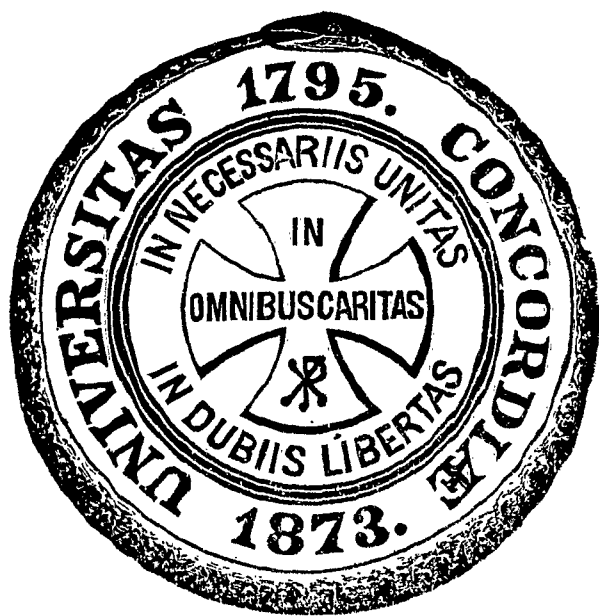


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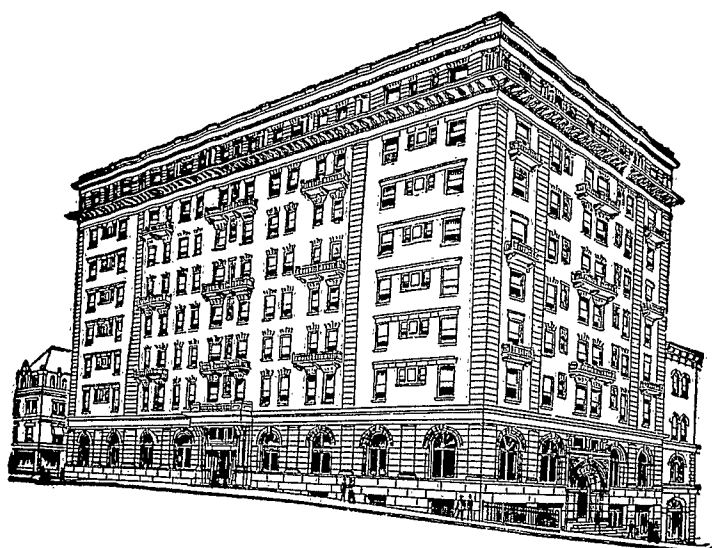
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## PROPOSED NEW CURRICULUM

### The Six-Years Course

Six Years Course For Engineers—Leading to Degrees of B. E. and Ph. B.—Dr. Landreth Interviewed.

On Monday afternoon, the 29th of October, the Education Committee of the Faculty accepted a new curriculum as proposed by Dr. Olin H. Landreth of the General Engineering Department. On Thursday afternoon the recommendation of the Education Committee was endorsed by the Faculty. By this endorsement the proposed six years course will be instituted at Union College, provided the Board of Trustees assents.

Dr. Landreth, when seen by a reporter, was very enthusiastic over the new course and spoke as follows:

"The Education Committee of the Faculty has adopted as an alternative to the present four years General Engineering course, which will be continued as before, a six years General Engineering course, combining all of the engineering subjects of the present course and in addition all of the required studies of the present Latin-Scientific course with many of the electives of that course. The result sought by this new course is to secure for engineering students a broader training than any four-years technical course can give, and particularly to give this broader cultural training in conjunction with the engineering training rather than before or after it. It is believed that a number of educational advantages will be secured by taking the two classes of training together instead of separately. All engineering students who can afford to give six years for their college and professional training are recommended to take this course. Young men entering

the other learned professions are now required to spend at least six years—in preparation and the profession of engineering with its rapidly increasing demands certainly requires no less time for its proper preparation.

Following the new features introduced into the General Engineering course a year or two ago, two options are offered the students during the last two years of the course, viz: one which emphasizes the more advanced technical studies, the other which offers training in the elements of law, the principles of finance and financial operations, the principles of accounting and cost-keeping, and the principles of business organization and administration. This is especially intended to give engineering students some preparation for positions of an executive and administrative nature. So far as known, no other engineering school has thus far afforded such a combined engineering and college course, nor has any engineering school presented a course definitely arranged so as to offer instruction in the business side of an engineer's training."

A word of explanation in regard to the curriculum which is printed below may conduce to a readier understanding of the new course. The numbers on the left of each subject-list indicate the numbers of hours a week that the subject is to be studied in the class-room. The capital letters on the immediate left of the subject-list signify the years in which the subject is now studied. For example, F is equivalent to Freshman, So. to Sophomore, etc. The small letters on the right stand for the course to which the subject now belongs—l indicates the Latin-Scientific course; e, the Engineering course, and x, both Latin-Scientific and Engineering courses.

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### FIRST YEAR.

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
4 F	Latin	l	4 F	Latin	l	4 F	Latin	l
*3 F	Fr. or Germ.	x	3 F	Fr. or Germ.	x	3 F	Fr. or Germ.	x
2 F	Rhetoric	x	2 F	Rhetoric	x	2 F	Rhetoric	x
4 F	Algebra	e	4 F	Anal. Geom.	e	2 F	Anal. Geom.	e
3 F	Free Hand Draw.	e	2 F	Mensuration	e	3 F	Calculus	e
1 F	Physiology	x	1 F	Physiology	l	1 F	Physiology	x
—			1 F	Gymnasium	x	2 F	Surveying	e
17	Lectures		17	Lectures		17		

Summer Vacation Work.

\*Students offering French at entrance will take French during the first year and German during the second and third years; but students offering German at entrance will take German during the first and second years and French during the third year.

### SECOND YEAR.

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
3 So.	Latin	l	3 So.	Latin	l	3 So.	Latin	l
3 F	Germ. or Fr.	x	3 F	Germ. or Fr.	x	3 F	Germ. or Fr.	x
2 So.	Eng. and Rhet.	l	3 So.	Eng. and Rhet.	l	3 So.	Eng. and Rhet.	l
3 So.	Calculus	e	3 So.	Calculus	e	2 So.	Calculus	e
2 So.	Surveying	e	3 So.	Chemistry	x	5 So.	Chemistry	e
2 So.	Chemistry	x	3 F	Mech. Draw.	e	1 F	Trigonometry	e
1 So.	Hygiene	x	—			—		
17			18			17		

Summer Vacation Work.

### THIRD YEAR.

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
3 So.	Germ. or Fr.	x	3 So.	Germ. or Fr.	x	3 So.	Germ. or Fr.	x
3 So.	Physics	e	4 So.	Physics	e	4 So.	Physics	e
3 Jr.	Eng. and Rhet.	l	3 Jr.	Eng. and Rhet.	l	3 Jr.	Eng. and Rhet.	l
3 Jr.	Highways	e	3 So.	Desc. Geom.	e	3 So.	Desc. Geom.	e
2 So.	Eng. Hist.	l	2 So.	Eng. Hist.	l	2 So.	French Hist.	l
3 So.	Mechanics	e	2 So.	Mechanics	e	1 So.	Mechanics	e
—			—			3 So.	Topog. Surv.	e
17			17			19		

Summer Vacation Work.

## FOURTH YEAR.

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
4	Jr. App. Mechs.	e	5	Jr. Mechs. of Mat. and Eng. Lab.	e	4	Jr. Stresses	e
5	Jr. Topog. Surv.	e	2	Jr. Thermodynamics	e	3	Jr. Hydraulics	e
3	Jr. Logic	1	3	Jr. Psychology	1	3	Jr. Ethics	1
*3 E	Jr. Am. Hist.	x	3 E	Jr. Am. Hist.	x	3 E	Jr. Am. Hist.	x
3	Jr. Biology	1	3	Jr. Biology	1	3	Jr. Biology	1
—			1	Jr. Nat. Perspec.	e	1	So. Elec. Lab.	e
18			1	So. Elec. Lab.	e	—		
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Summer Vacation Work.

\*Subjects preceded by "E" are taken from the elective list, but are required in this course.

After the completion of the fourth year, students in the course are given the choice of two optional courses "A" and "B." The details of these optional courses are here given.

## FIFTH YEAR, OPTION "A."

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
3 E	Sr. European Hist.	x	3 E	Sr. European Hist.	x	3 E	Sr. European Hist.	x
2 E	Sr. Compar. Politics	x	2 E	Sr. Compar. Politics	x	2 E	Sr. International Law	x
3	Sr. Economics	x	3	Sr. Sociology	x	3	Sr. Sociology	x
4	Sr. Stresses	e	3	Jr. Kinamatics and Machine Draw.	e	3	Jr. Route Surv.	e
2	Sr. Motors and Motive Power	e	3	Sr. Motors and Motive Power	e	3	Jr. Sphr. Trig. and Astronomy	e
1	Sr. Rhetoric	1	1	Sr. Rhetoric	1	1	Sr. Rhetoric	1
3 E	Jr. Gen. Geology	1	3	Jr. Elec Mach.	e	2	Jr. Stereotomy	e
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Summer Vacation Work.

## SIXTH YEAR, OPTION "A."

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
6	Sr. R. R. & Trolley Con- stn. & Econ.	e	4	Sr. Eng. Design	e	5	Sr. Eng. Design	e
2	Sr. Outlines of Archi- tecture	e	2	Sr. Water Supply	e	5	Sr. Water Supply and Sewerage	e
3	Sr. Prin. of Aesth De- sign	e	2	Jr. Elements of Law	e	3	Jr. Law of Prop. and Contracts	e
1	Jr. Elements of Law	e	3	Sr. Least Squares	e	3	Sr. Geodesy and Field Astron.	e
2	Sr. Econ. Geology	e	3	Sr. Bacteriology	e	—		
3	Jr. Highways & Pave- ments	e	16			16		
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## FIFTH YEAR, OPTION "B."

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
3 E	Sr. European Hist.	1	3 E	Sr. European Hist.	1	3 E	Sr. European Hist.	1
2 E	Sr. Comp. Politics	1	2 E	Sr. Comp. Politics	1	2 E	Sr. Comp. Politics	1
3	Sr. Economics	x	1	Sr. Rhetoric	1	3	Sr. Sociology	1
1	Sr. Rhetoric	1	3	Sr. Sociology	1	1	Sr. Rhetoric	1
1	Jr. Elements of Law	e	1	Sr. Rhetoric	1	3	Jr. Law of Prop. and Contracts	e
4	Sr. Stresses	e	2	Jr. Elements of Law	e	3	Jr. Route Surv.	e
2	Sr. Econ. Geology	e	3	Jr. Elec. Mach.	e	2	Jr. Stereotomy	e
2	Sr. Motors & Motive Power	e	3	Sr. Motors & Motive Power	e	—		
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18			17				Summer Vacation Work.	

## SIXTH YEAR, OPTION "B."

Hrs. a wk.	First Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Second Term Subjects	From Course	Hrs. a wk.	Third Term Subjects	From Course
6	Sr. R. R. & Trolley Con- stn. & Econ.	e	4	Sr. Eng. Design	e	5	Sr. Eng. Design	e
3	Sr. Prin. of Law of Cor- porations	e	4	Eng. Projects		5	Sr. Water Supply and Sewerage	e
2	Sr. Outlines of Archi- tecture	e	2	Sr. Prin. of Finance and Financial Opera- tions	e	3	Sr. Prin. of Accounting	e
3	Sr. Prin. of Aesth. De- sign	e	2	Sr. Building Constr.	e	3	Sr. Prin. of Administra- tion	e
3	Jr. Highways and Pave- ments	e	3	Sr. Bacteriology	e	—		
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## Law School Gossip

A correspondent from the Albany Law School writes in part as follows:

"The Law School opened this fall with a large and flourishing attendance. Every seat in the Junior Lecture Room was occupied and two unfortunates had to take places at the extra table. Johnnie Hughes, the general secretary, collected the money, we understand, with great ease and dispatch, and yet, much to the astonishment of the ex-Union men, there were no notices of immediate expulsion and imprisonment if the same were not paid in twenty-four hours.

Among those registered are quite a few who have served their time on "the Hill." Alexander Thomson, '05, and James R. Stevens, '05, are among the seniors, as is also Geo. Featherstonhaugh, who graduated sometime back in the middle ages. In the junior class are Philip Classen, Walter Well-

man, Leon Lewis, Herrick McClenthen and Harry Cook, all '06, while Bryan, '07, and Bell, '07, are likewise seeking to delve into the mysteries of the law. Francis Cantwell, who in the old days was renowned for his class bolts, also has returned to the shelter of Old Union, after earning an A. B. at Williams. Bennett and Nellis, both old Hamilton football players, are down here, as is Loucks, the silver tongued boy orator from South Bethlehem, who has twice recited "On Hohenlinden When the Sun Was Low," for the benefit of the class. White, who, it is rumored, has an income of \$50,000 a year and two stenographers, was after much effort at last persuaded to join the class, and his sage and thoughtful remarks are very helpful to the other members. Of course the two young ladies who occupy front seats are very popular. The gentle reader will appreciate this fact if he imagines two fair young



maidens sitting on that front row in Hoffs room or breaking the Sunday quiet of Johnnie March's recitation with their girlish laughter. Hamilton, who is for Hearst, and M. Driepkoff, who can speak fourteen languages, of course, attract great crowds.

The basketball team is beginning to get into shape and Nellis, who was elected assistant manager in a school meeting the other day, is busy among the juniors. The spirit is so good that he has little difficulty in collecting a dollar from each fellow."

### Albany Medical College

The Omega Upsilon Phi Fraternity opened their chapter house to the ladies on Friday night. The evening was passed in card playing and dancing.

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Dr. Joseph D. Craig, Professor of Anatomy and Health Officer for the city, attended the State Convention of Health Officers at Syracuse, October 24-27.

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W. C. Egerton was recently elected president of the class of 1909.

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On Tuesday the 23d, Phi Sigma Kappa entertained a number of their alumni at an informal card party.

### Alumni Notes.

'48.—Chester A. Arthur's room while at Union was No. 25 Nott College.

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'61.—Charles Emory Smith is one of a committee of three to receive the proxies for the New York Insurance Company on December 18th.

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✓ '61.—Chester Holcombe has an article in the Atlantic Monthly for September, on "The Missionary Enterprise in China."

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✓ '06.—C. Otto von Dannenberg is now assistant in the alternating current laboratory of the

Electrical Engineering Department of Columbia University. The department is now the official testing laboratory for electric meters for the City of New York.

Ex. '07.—C. C. Wormer, Jr., is in the real estate business at Detroit.

### A Bit of Verse

To learn there's no Royal Way,  
The Proverb runs.  
'Tis true; come in The Gate Some Day,  
And See!—Great Guns!

Is this a Road that meets the Eye?  
It Looks to have been  
A Place for Hippopotami  
To Wallow in.

To Learning there's no Royal Way,  
The Adage runs.  
'Tis true now; just come in Some Day,  
And See!—Great Guns!

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### Philomathean Society

The Philomathean Debating Society met in Silliman Hall on Tuesday evening. Prof. McKean was present and talked on the plans for the coming year. The election resulted in the choice of the following officers: President, Tiffany, '08; vice-president, Hannigan, '08; treasurer, Vogt, '08; secretary, Keith, '08; curator, S. M. Cavert, '10; chairman of Executive Committee, Flowers, '08.

### Adelphic Elections

On Monday night the Adelphic Debating Society held an organization session. The following officers were elected: President, Hill, '07; vice-president, Preston, '08; secretary, Raymond, '08; treasurer, La Crosse, '08. The above officers, together with Prof. McKean of the Department of Public Speaking and Rhetoric, and two members yet to be appointed, will constitute the Executive Committee.

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## THE SIX-YEARS COURSE

It is with no small gratification that we are enabled to publish the full details of the curriculum for the new six-years course leading to the degrees of B. E. and Ph. B. It was entirely through the kindness and interest of Dr. Landreth that the article appears in this week's issue. We believe that as yet no authentic statement with regard to the new course has been printed in the newspapers. We are considerably flattered to think that the privilege of publishing the first authoritative account was extended to our columns.

It is not for us to attempt to discuss the arguments for and against the adoption of such a plea. The Faculty and the Education Committee have already done that, and they have decided in favor of the new course. We rest content with their decision firmly believing that their action will redound to the everlasting fame and glory of our beloved Alma Mater.

## APPOINTMENTS

It is with pleasure that we speak of two new members of our Board—Harry Cook, '06 for the Law School and M. H. Weyrauch, '08 for the News Department. It is hardly necessary for us to say more. Those acquainted with them will readily understand the reasons for their appointment. The large scholastic attainments of the one—the Valedictory and the special honors—betoken a comprehensive and regular report, while the steadfast loyalty of the other coupled with real newspaper ability speaks firmly in his favor.

In accordance with Article VII of the Constitution of the Concordiensis which reads: "The Faculty shall annually elect one of their number to serve as member of the Board ex officio in the capacity of Faculty advisor of the Board," we last week petitioned the Faculty for appointment of such an advisor. Favorable ac-

tion was taken and Dr. March appointed as requested in the letter to the Secretary of the Faculty.

### OUR FINANCES

No, we do not mean the finances of the Board, for that is a subject tabooed from polite society. Besides it would be poor form to speak of such matters now that we have noticed the passing of the famous First of November—that last day for the payment of the \$1.50 rate for a year's subscription.

But we do mean the finances of Union College—our college. Such a marked improvement in the excess of receipts over expenditures is deserving of particular mention. Certainly not for some years has such a fortunate condition of affairs existed. We are proud and happy thus to be able to congratulate Mr. Bailey and Mr. Pond upon the singularly sound financial basis on which the college now rests.

It was our desire to print the report in full but lack of space allowed nothing more than a summary of the important points. These few figures speak for themselves in a manner much more striking than could all the words we might be able to set down.

In connection with this report we also notice that an excellent custom has been instituted, the custom of printing the full report in a handy and attractive booklet. We believe that this is to be a yearly occurrence. We sincerely hope that such is the case for the sake of all those interested in the college and her finances.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Conditions Most Favorable—Over \$8,000 Cleared

So much interest has been manifested of late over the sound financial basis of the college that we are printing a report as of July 31, 1906, by the Treasurer of the Trustees of Union College.

To the Trustees of Union College:

Herewith, in accordance with my usual custom, I submit report for the year ending July 31st, 1906. During the year your college has lived within its income.

A careful study of the report demonstrates the necessity of completing the fund necessary to secure the gift of Andrew Carnegie, if your college is to increase its usefulness.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK BAILEY,

Treasurer.

Brooklyn, August 1st, 1906.

Following is the annual statement of the assets and financial condition of Union College:

Assets . . . . .	\$557,035 33
Liabilities . . . . .	557,035 33

### RECEIPTS

#### Gifts and Donations

General Electric Company . . . . .	\$2,000 00
A. V. V. Raymond (account of General Electric Company agreement) . . . . .	1,000 00
Class of '75 . . . . .	3,350 00
George F. Allison (Allison-Foote Prize) . . . . .	50 00
Wallace T. Foote (Allison-Foote Prize) . . . . .	50 00
F. L. Stetson (William B. Rankine Prize) . . . . .	50 00
Miscellaneous Items of Income made up principally of Interest and Dividend Receipts from students and profit on sale of security . . . . .	76,975 64
Total Receipts . . . . .	\$83,475 64

### DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries Paid for Instruction . . . . .	\$37,950 00
Expenses of Scientific and Engineering Departments . . . . .	2,687 00
Improvements to College Departments..	4,203 70
Library . . . . .	2,425 00
Cash Scholarships to students . . . . .	1,534 96
General Expenses . . . . .	26,553 69
	\$75,355 15
Excess of Receipts over Expenditures..	8,120 49
	\$83,475 64

The receipts from the students for the past two years, as shown in the following table, agree most convincingly in favor of thoroughly admirable financial policy that has been adopted.

#### RECEIPTS FROM STUDENTS

1901 . . . . .	\$3,988 50
1902 . . . . .	6,442 94
1903 . . . . .	17,133 19
1904 . . . . .	22,210 59
1905 . . . . .	27,308 44
1906 . . . . .	30,717 91

#### Briefs

Hello, Student!

Skating Rink?

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On Friday evening last Dr. Stoller delivered a lecture on "The Geology of Schenectady County" at the public library, before the members of the Schenectady County Historical Association.

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The Dramatic Association, a revival of the old Cercle Comique, is auspiciously started. It was decided at yesterday's meeting to present a three act comedy during the winter.

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Among other activities the Chess Club had its annual revival meeting yesterday. An inter-collegiate tournament is still being considered.

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Hildreth, '08, has again resumed his studies after a week's enforced absence due to illness.

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Hafley ex-'08, who is at present working on the barge canal, spent a short time among the fellows on the hill during the week.

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In college meeting last Monday morning, Bacon, '08, was unanimously elected assistant manager of baseball.

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Prof Edgar James Banks, Ph. D., Field Director of the Babylonian Expedition of the University of Chicago, will lecture in the chapel on Friday, December 7th. The lecture will be

an amount of the work in connection with the excavation of Bismya, the oldest city in the world, carried on by Dr. Banks himself. The lecture will be illustrated by the stereopticon and promises to be exceptionally interesting.

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Fairbairn, '07 has been confined during the past week with a severe cold.

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The Freshmen had their picture taken last Saturday noon. Over 70 members of the class graced the intellectual group.

Special to the "Concordy" by compressed hot air dated 10:29 A. M., Monday, October 29:

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Signed,

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Bill Hildreth has been ill during the past week with an attack of la grippe.

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Some 50 Freshmen attended the Mohawk last Saturday afternoon.

#### Delta Upsilon Convention

The 72d Annual Convention of the Delta Upsilon Fraternity was held at Middlebury, Vermont on October 24, 25, 26 and 27th in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Middlebury Chapter. There were two hundred members present including delegates from the thirty-seven chapters, Union being represented by Parsons '07 and Goff '08. Streibert '09 also attended. The convention opened with a smoker at the chapter hall on Wednesday evening. Business sessions were held in the Old Baptist Church. On Thursday evening the Semi-Centennial exercises of the Middlebury Chapter

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were held in the Memorial Baptist Church and were followed by a reception at the Town Hall, which was prettily decorated in the language of Dr. Mac Gilton "with many colors and Hughes." The banquet took place on Friday evening and toasts were given by Frank C. Partridge, Amherst '82; Holman F. Day, Colby '87, and Dr. William McGilton, Psi U, Wesleyan '81.

On Saturday the visitors were driven to Lake Dunmore and thence to Bread Loaf Inn in the heart of the Green Mountains where dinner was served. After a wild ride down the mountains the delegates caught sleepers for Albany and the West.

The convention will be held next year at Minneapolis, Minn., with the Minnesota Chapter.

### TRACK MEET

#### Sophomores Win—Successful Fall Season

Of all the track meets held thus far that of last Saturday was the most successful both in point of attendance and spirit displayed. The track was in good condition, and the weather, although a trifle cool, was favorable for the occasion. The most interesting event of the day, the interscholastic relay races, was won by Schenectady High School, with Albany High

School second, and Troy Academy third. A cup was presented to the winner. The inter-class meet was won by the class of 1909 with 39½ points. Roosa and Streibert won the majority of the points for the Sophomores. 1910 came second with 22 points, 1908 third with 16½ points, and 1907 fourth with 9 points. A banner was presented to the winning team, while ribbons were given to the winners of individual events.

This brings to a close the series of meets scheduled for this fall. Both Dr. McComber and the management of the track team express themselves as highly gratified with the results attained. Hereafter track activities will be confined to cross country runs, which will be held three times a week as long as the weather permits. As many men as possible are urged to participate.

The various events resulted as follows:

**100 yard low hurdle**—Won by Roosa. Time, 12 3-5 seconds. Wheeler, second; Fullerton, third.

**High jump**—Won by Waldron. Height, 5 ft. 4 1-2 in. Dunn, second; Weyrauch, third.

**100 yard dash**—Won by Wheeler. Time, 10 1-5 seconds. Streibert, second; Dwyer, third.

**440 yard dash**—Won by Wheeler. Time, 53 3-5 seconds. Waldron, second; McCormick, third.



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**Broad jump**—Won by Streibert. Distance, 19 ft. 12 1-2 in. Kiessling, second; Bayless, third.

**Interscholastic relay race**—Won by Schenectady High; Albany High, second; Troy Academy, third.

**Inter-class relay race**—Won by the class of 1909. 23 3-5 seconds. 1908, second; 1910, third.

**Half mile run**—Won by Sammons. Time, 2 minutes 10 2-5 seconds. Raymond, second; Parsons, '08, third.

**Shot put**—Won by Rankin. Distance, 38 ft. 8 1-2 in. Bayless, second; Dunn, third.

### Baseball

On account of the inclement weather, the remainder of the inter-fraternity and inter-class baseball games have not been played, and therefore the averages of the different teams are not completed. The remaining games will be played as soon as possible, so that banners may be awarded to the victorious teams. The schedule is:

Psi Upsilon vs. Phi Gamma Delta.  
1908 vs. 1910

### Y. M. C. A. Notes

The Rev. George R. Lunn spoke at the Vesper Service held in Silliman last Sunday afternoon. To-morrow the Rev. Fred Winslow Adams of the State Street Methodist Church will speak.

### The University Convocation of the State of New York

The Forty-fourth University Convocation of the State of New York, held at Albany the 25th, 26th and 27th of last month, was a great success.

At this Convocation, there were representatives from almost every educational medium in New York State and all those especially interested in education were cordially invited to attend. Three sessions were held daily: At 9.30 A. M., 3 P. M., and 8 P. M. As in 1905, a general topic was chosen for the whole Convocation. This topic was "The Practical Administration of School Affairs in this State," and this spirit was evident throughout the entire Convocation. Every paper read was followed by a thorough discussion and the

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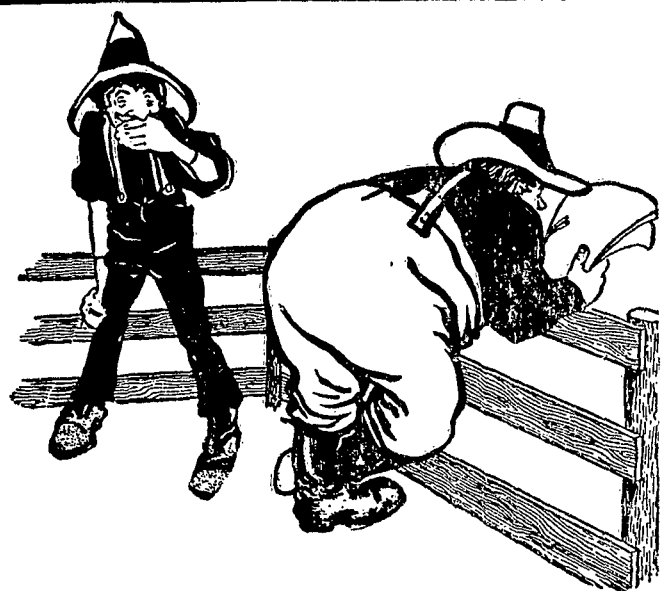
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most prominent educators of the State offered their opinions upon the matters that were laid open to criticism.

The Convocation opened Thursday afternoon at the Ten Eyck Hotel with an executive session of the Convocation Council at the Education Department. At 8 o'clock, Dean Pames E. Russell, who presided throughout the Convocation, made the announcements for the Council. Then followed a prayer by Bishop Doane of Albany, after which Regent St. Clair McKelway, L.L. D., presented an excellent chancellor's address. Then an informal reception was tendered to all in the State Library, after an address by Hon. Elmer E. Brown, D. D., on "A National View of Education." Friday morning, after the announcements, George E. Merrill, L.L. D., President of Colgate University, presented an address: "The State and its Colleges." In the address, President Merrill pleaded for the old college curriculum and the expulsion from it of wholly professional subjects. Then Hon. Andrew S. Draper, L.L. D., Commissioner of Education, addressed the assembly on "Examinations and Academic Funds," defending the State's policy in regard to the test of educational qualifications.





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The Senate Chamber and galleries were full at 3 o'clock when George K. Hawkins, M. A., D. Sc., delivered an address on the "Problems of State Normal School Education." Then the "Problems of Administration in Public Education" were discussed by Nicholas Murray Butler, LL. D., President of Columbia University. He demonstrated that the education administrator has the task of a statesman before him and that his only masters are his reason and his conscience.

"Co-operative Forces in Education" were then discussed by Rt. Rev. M. J. Lavelle, V. G., of New York.

In the evening, at 7.30, the semi-annual dinner of the Hudson River Schoolmasters' Club was held at the Hotel Ten Eyck. Covers were laid for about three hundred and the room presented a very beautiful appearance. The honor guests, Dr. S. Parkes Cadman of Brooklyn, Pres. Nicholas Murray Butler of New York, and Dr. William L. Felter of Brooklyn, gave after-dinner toasts, which were greatly enjoyed by all. This dinner

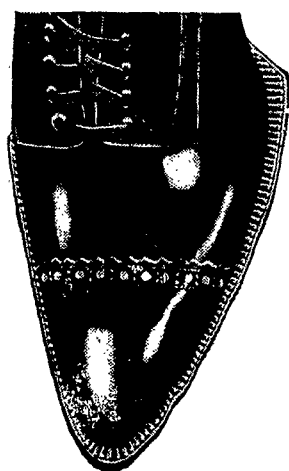
was attended by Dean Ripton and Professors Williams, Hoffman and Ashmore of Union College Faculty.

Saturday morning, at 9.30, "The Commercial Progress in Secondary Education" was discussed by James J. Sheppard, after which Charles D. Larkins delivered an address on "The Relation of Industrial Exercises to Other Educational Factors."

The Convocation closed with an address on "The Individual Student in Our High Schools," by Milton J. Fletcher, the President of the Associated Academic Principals of New York State. Union College was well represented by the Faculty and they brought back a good opinion of the Convocation.

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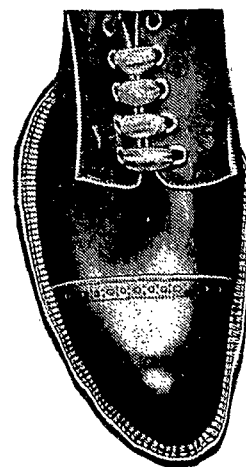


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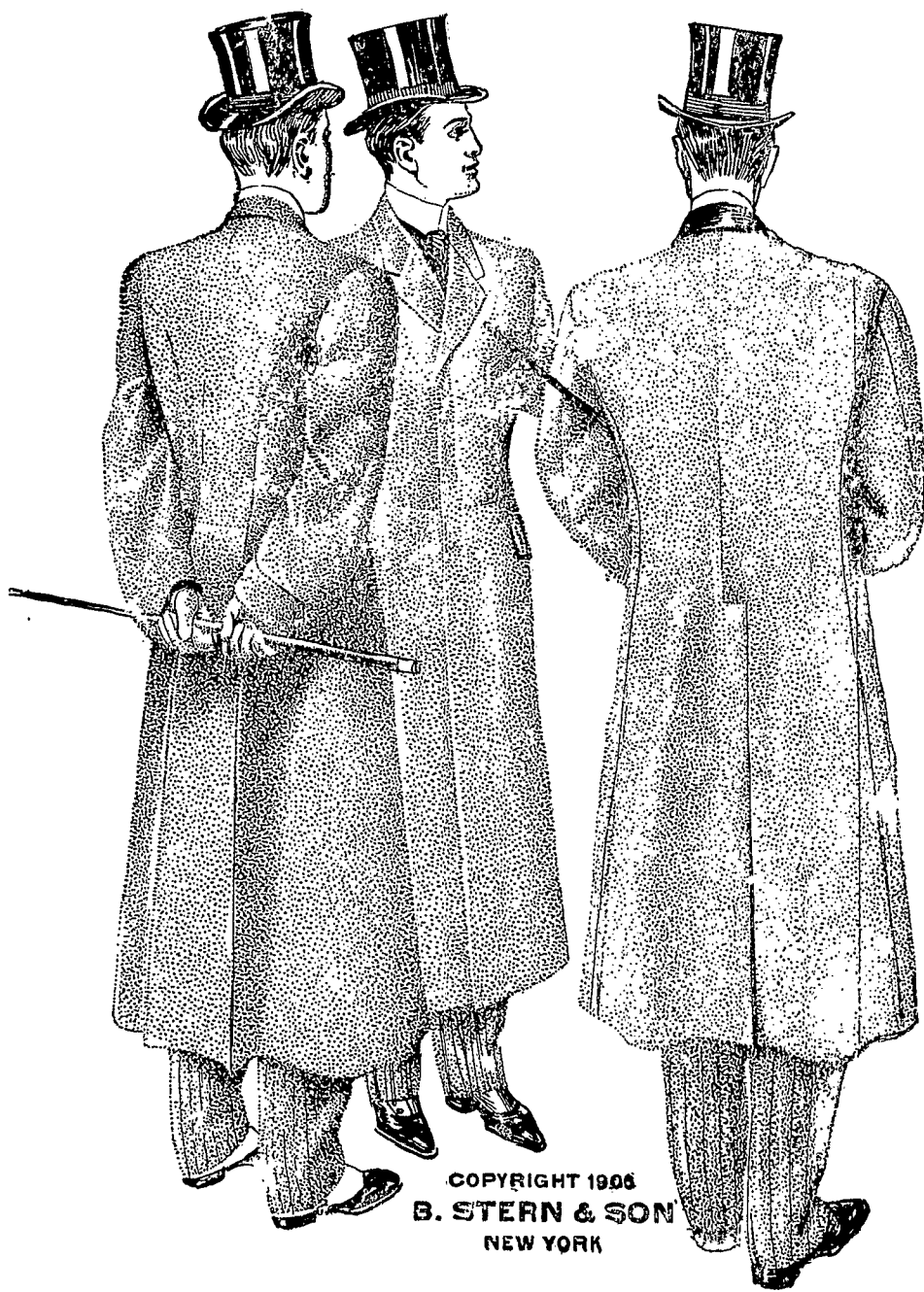
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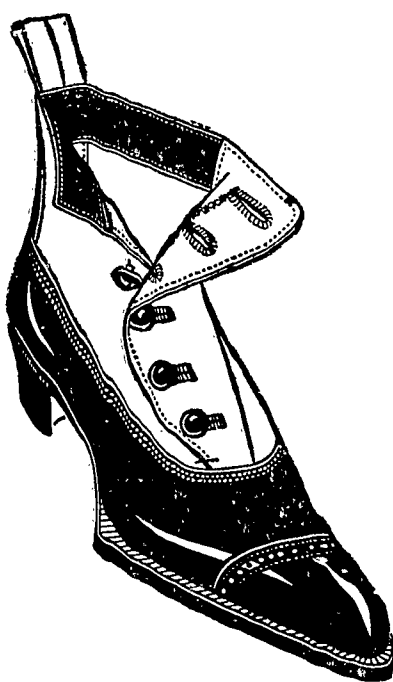


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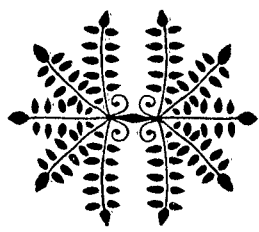
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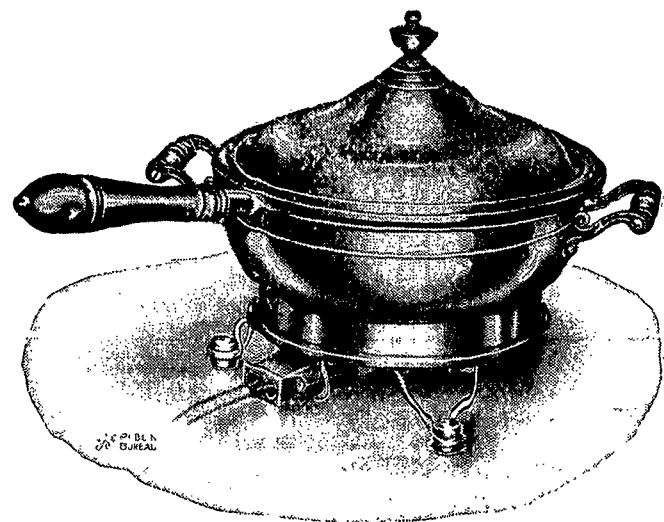


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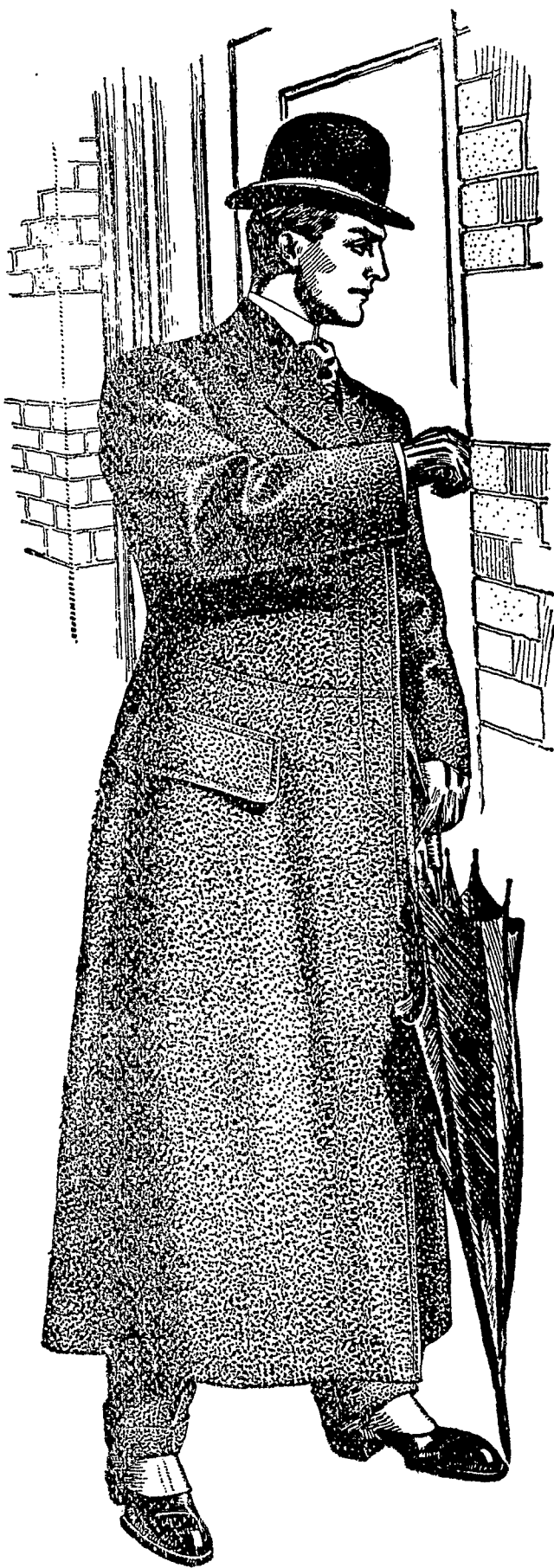
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