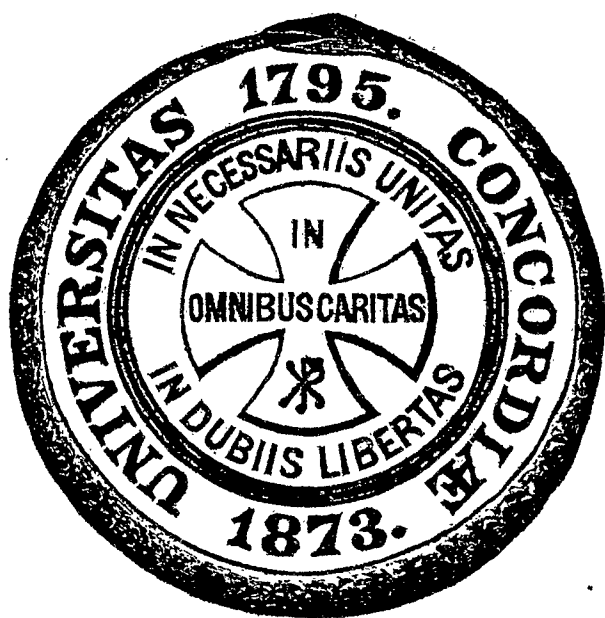


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## ASSOCIATION SETTLEMENT WORK.

At the recent conference of the Y. M. C. A. presidents held here April 3-6, the Settlement Work of the Young Men's Christian Associations of our colleges and universities was discussed, and the need of, and the benefits derived from such work, were very clearly impressed upon all present. The object of this work is principally to give enjoyment to the poor boys in the vicinity, to raise their ideals and to better their lives; boys who have no advantages in life, and who if left alone would go downwards instead of upwards. In some of the larger universities girls and working men are helped. Its second object is to ennoble the lives and characters of the college men who undertake this difficult task and those who are interested enough in it to help in the work in some way. In no case has the undertaking of this work, hard though it is, failed of either object. On the contrary it has\* made the Y. M. C. A. a force binding together in a grand enterprise every man in college whose mind tends higher than the mere performance of college duties. Frequently it has happened that men not actively connected with the Y. M. C. A. have entered body and soul into the settlement work simply because they then had "something to do."

Philanthropy is the key word to this work. More and more it is being realized that the university or college stands not only for the life of culture, but for the life of service also, that she gives learning and power to her sons that they may give it to others not so fortunate as they. In giving much, men find they receive much. Settlement work gives undergraduates a practical training for service in the world. The spirit of believing in "bringing things to pass" dominates every success in life.

Two examples detailed below show the practical work of this nature which is being

successfully carried on at Harvard and Pennsylvania. The difference between this and what is being accomplished by many smaller colleges is one of scale. For the past few years the Y. M. C. A. at Harvard has increased wonderfully in power chiefly by means of its settlement work. Over forty men are at work in the social, educational and religious work of the Riverside Alliance, which began by starting a library for poor boys. The association maintains a reading-room on a wharf, which is patronized daily by 160 fisherman. Harvard House, the settlement which the association has recently established in East Cambridge, is the centre of club and class work in one of the most neglected districts in Greater Boston. Two undergraduates are residents at the house and through the 16 clubs and classes over 200 children are being taught. Some of the wives of the faculty are co-operating in extending this work among the girls and women of the district. Forty men are teaching in the Prospect Union, a university extension for the working men of Cambridgeport. Engaged in all this varied work there are probably over 400 men.

The University Settlement Work at Pennsylvania is hardly five years old. Three years ago a regular club for boys was organized, open every night from seven to nine. The boys amuse themselves with books and by playing games. From three to six students are present each evening and an effort is made to come into as close personal contact with the boys as possible. Saturday evening an entertainment is given consisting of stereoptican lectures, musicles, etc. This club has the cordial support of the provost and the faculty. One of the most successful features of the work has been the "Boy's Camp" held each summer in charge of christian athletes from the university.

At a meeting of the Union College Y. M. C. A. a short time ago, it was unanimously voted to undertake some form of settlement work.



Consequently a Boys' Brigade was started for the boys of Park Place and Nott street. Drill was thought to be the best thing to attract the boys at this time of the year. In the autumn the brigade will be turned into a boy's club where the boys may gather evenings to read and play games. There have been three drill with an average attendance of forty-five boys and six students. Despite the small number of students present the boys have kept order and behaved well. The gymnasium exercises and a few simple movements have been taught them. Now this work cannot be carried on without proper support. Some prominent men and women of the city are interested in this work and a few young men from the town are doing active work. It is a big work, but if many take hold each one will have but a very little to do. This work has not failed of success in any other college. Why then should it fail here? Each man in college should do his part in giving this new to us, but noble undertaking, a good start this spring. You have a chance to *do*.

"Doing becomes Habit  
Habit becomes Character  
Character lasts Forever."

### THE ENGINEERS' TRIP.

On May 20, fourteen students in the engineering course of the three upper classes left for an inspection tour of the great engineering works of New York. The greatest feats of the mechanical and electrical genius of the day were shown and carefully explained.

Prof. O. H. Landreth and Instructor Frederick Edwards, who conducted the party, expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the trip and stated that it was of such profit to all that doubtless it would be made an annual affair.

Prof. Landreth wishes to acknowledge especially the courtesy and aid of S. L. F. Deyo, '70, of the Subway Construction Co. and of G. H. Harby, '97, superintendent of the cable stretching operations on the East River Bridge.

The itinerary was as follows:

The first morning was spent in viewing the subway, one of the greatest excavations of the world. The work in all its phases, was carefully inspected. Several portions of the tunnel had been completed and these were made special points of critical study. The arched dome, the walls, the double tracks and the plan of heating and lighting were examined and as the professors pointed out interesting features of the work, note books were brought into service.

The tourists then proceeded to the East River bridge. The length of this great structure was found to be horizontally 2,800 feet, the three spans measuring respectively 600, 1,600 and 600 feet. The four cables which sustain the weight of the bridge are made of 37 strands, each strand consisting of 208 wires.

The next point of interest was the navy yard at Brooklyn, where the students boarded the battleship "Massachusetts." The dry docks also were visited and the method of ship-building lightly examined into.

At the power plant of the Metropolitan Street railway, the party was courteously received and the old and new methods of furnishing means of conveyance were technically pointed out.

On Friday afternoon the men were taken to Brooklyn, where a sewage settlement plant was visited.

### COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The Commencement exercises will be held on the second Wednesday in June. The alumni and friends of Union are cordially invited to be present.

The classes of '42, '52, '62, '72, '77, '82, '87, '92, '97, and '99 will hold their reunions on Tuesday, Alumni Day.

The order of proceedings will be as follows:

Sunday, June 8, 7:30 P. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon by President Raymond in the State Street Methodist church.

Monday, June 9, 3 P. M.—Grove exercises by the Graduating Class, under the Old Elm Tree in Jackson's Garden; 7:30 P. M.—Extemporaneous Prize Debate, and Junior and Sophomore Prize Oratory in State Street Methodist church.

Tuesday, June 10, 9 A. M.—Meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi societies; 9:30 P. M.—Meeting of the Board of Trustees; 10:30 A. M.—Annual Meeting of the General Alumni Association; 12 M.—Balloting for two Trustees to succeed the Rev. Philip H. Cole, A. M., whose term of office expires, and General Daniel Butterfield, deceased; 1:15 P. M.—Alumni Dinner in Memorial Hall (provided and served by the ladies of Schenectady); 3:30 P. M.—Class Day exercises of the Class of '02 in State Street Methodist church; 4-6 P. M.—Reception by the ladies of the Faculty in Silliman Hall; 8 P. M.—Concert in Van Curler Opera House by the College Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Clubs.

Wednesday, June 11, 10 A. M.—Commencement Exercises and Chancellor's Address by the Hon. David J. Hill, Assistant Secretary of State, in State Street Methodist church; 8 P. M.—President's Reception; 10 P. M.—Senior Class Reception in Memorial Hall.

It will greatly assist the Committee of Arrangements if those who expect to attend the Alumni Dinner on Tuesday, will inform the Registrar of the college of their purpose.

Alumni are requested to enter their names on the Register in the College office as soon as possible after reaching Schenectady.

#### PAPERS IN SOCIOLOGY.

The following is list of subjects chosen by Dr. Jones' class in sociology upon which theses have been prepared as original sociological work. These were due on May 15:

Adams—"Sunday Observance—Schenectady."

Best—"Schenectady Fire Department."

Bloch—"Police Court Methods—Albany."

Bothwell—"Labor Situation in Albany."

Clute—"Schenectady Police Department."

Crain—"Bertillon System-Central Bureau at Albany."

Crim—"Confidence Men."

Finegan—"Clinton Prison."

Fuller—"Police Court Methods—Troy."

Gillespie—"City Streets—Corporations vs. People."

Griffith—"Jefferson County Orphan Asylum."

Grout—"Sociological Notes in Y. M. C. A. Work."

Guthrie—"Reading of Sociological Literature as shown by Schenectady Libraries."

Hannay—"Sunday Observance—Troy."

Hawkes—"Schenectady Municipal Budget."

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Metzger—"Sunday Observance—Albany."

Neary—"Labor Lyceums of Schenectady and Troy."

Ostrander—"Thomas Orphan Asylum."

Parsons—"Police Court Methods—Schenectady."

Raymond—"Labor Situation in Schenectady."

Russum—"Elementary and Secondary Education in Schenectady."

Sands—"Schenectady Food Supply."

South—"Fads in High School Curriculum—Schenectady, Albany and Ballston."

Stiles—"Elementary and Secondary Education in Troy."

Woolworth—"Mattewan Hospital for Criminal Insane."

R. C. Yates—"Economic and Sociological Importance of the Rapid Growth of Schenectady City and Suburban Railways."

W. S. Yates—"Schenectady as a Theatre City—Compared with Albany and Troy from a Sociological Viewpoint."

#### COLLEGE TALK.

Frank Taylor Ostrander is announced as the valedictorian of the class of 1902.

Messrs. Pratt and Clapp of Williams College, were guests at the Chi Psi Lodge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rice, Jr., of Schenectady, entertained the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and friends on Monday evening, May 26.

The last of the present junior class Hops was held in Memorial Hall on Friday evening, May 23. A large number of students were present and this was a most fitting *finale* to a successful series.

### PLANS FOR FALL WORK IN THE MUSICAL ASSOCIATION.

It is the desire of those in charge of the Glee Club to institute a new system for the coming year. In preceding years it has been the custom for men to try for the clubs at the beginning of the year and from the number trying the leader would within a few weeks pick out sixteen men to constitute the club for the entire year. The new manner of selecting will be to form a chorus of as many voices on a part as are advantageous, and to carry the chorus until the New York trip. A fall trip will be arranged, if possible into the west central portion of the state, a concert will be given here in December, and a spring trip will be taken down the Hudson, ending as in previous years in New York city.

The remaining rehearsals of the week are at 7 P. M Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. It is urged upon every member of the Glee Club to make it a personal care to be prompt and and regular at these the most important rehearsals of the term. The program for the June concert this year is short, will last but little over an hour in order that those who wish to attend the other functions of the evening may have abundant opportunity to do so after the concert and thus may have no excuse for staying away from one of the representative college events of commencement week.

### UNION WINS THE RUBBER.

The third game of the season between Union and R. P. I. was won by the former to the tune of 15 to 9 at Ridgefield, in Albany, on Saturday, May 31st. N. Devoe pitched fine ball. Tho' the batting was very good the support, especially in the infield, was very poor.

Amherst has voted to withdraw from the tric collegiate league consisting of Amherst, Williams and Wesleyan, at the close of the present season.

### HONORS FOR UNION MEN.

#### They Carry off Prizes at the Commencement of the Albany Law School.

At the fifty-first commencement exercises of the Albany Law School, held Thursday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, the prizes were awarded as follows:

Edward Thompson Publishing company of Northport, L. I., one set of the "American and English Encyclopedia of Law," for the best thesis on "Procedure." Awarded to Stephen S. Read, Union, '00; honorable mention, Benjamin H. Connor.

Amasa J. Parker prize of \$50 for the highest in deportment and in the performance of his general studies. Awarded to Erskine Clark Rogers, Union, '00; honorable mention, Wilbur W. Crannell.

Faculty prize of \$25 to the best presentation of cases at the Moot court. Awarded to George A. Holcombe, Union, '98; honorable mention, Thomas F. J. McDermott and Ransom H. Gillet.

### GIFT FOR LAW SCHOOL.

#### Ten Thousand Dollars from Thomas W. Hubbard.

It is announced that Secretary A. Page Smith of the Albany Law School has received a check for \$10,000 from Thomas W. Hubbard of New York city for the establishment of a chair in ethics in the Law School.

Mr. Hubbard was a member of the class of '61.

Today there are 629 universities and colleges and 45 schools of technology in the United States, with a total attendance of 150,000.

Syracuse University won the first race of its career upon the water Saturday evening when its first crew defeated the Laureate Boat Club of Troy by three and one-half lengths on Onondaga Lake in the record time of 10 m. 4s.



## UNION, 12; MIDDLEBURY, 3.

Union won from Middlebury on the campus last Saturday by a score of 12 to 3. Though the score would indicate a rather one-sided contest, it was not so by any means and was perhaps the most interesting game played on the campus this season.

The Vermont men simply could not hit when hits meant runs. Twice Grout struck out the third man when the bases were full. On the other hand the wearers of the Garnet hit the ball hard and often. Griswold and Odwell did the best batting for Union. Odwell's home run was probably the best and cleanest hit that has been made on the campus this year.

Union's fielding was very good considering the condition of ground. Heath probably had the worst difficulties to contend with as the mound which is bad enough ordinarily is twice as bad on a wet day. Bradley made a pretty catch in his part of the field.

Grout exchanged with Devoe and pitched the entire game. Devoe covered third in fine style and stopped everything that came his way. The single error that he made was on a bad throw to first. Drake's one-handed catch of a fly was the fielding feature of the game. Score:

UNION.	A. B.	R.	1B.	P. O.	A.	E.
Griswold, c.....	5	3	3	9	0	0
Odwell, 1b.....	5	3	3	7	0	1
Grout, p.....	5	1	1	0	1	0
N. Devoe, 3b.....	4	2	1	3	1	1
Bradley, c. f.....	5	1	1	1	0	0
M. Devoe, 2b.....	5	1	2	1	2	1
Martin, s. s.....	5	0	0	2	6	1
Paige, r. f.....	4	1	3	0	0	0
Heath, l. f.....	5	0	0	4	2	1
Total.....	43	12	14	27	12	5

MIDDLEBURY.	A. B.	R.	1B.	P. O.	A.	E.
Drake, 2b., p.....	5	1	2	4	5	0
Wilson, 3b., c.....	5	0	0	4	0	0
Hoar, p., 3b.....	5	0	1	0	1	0
Wilcox, c. f., 2b.....	5	1	2	0	0	0
Hughes, s. s.....	4	0	0	1	1	1
Harvey, l. f.....	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wilds, 1b.....	5	0	1	11	0	1
Fisher, c., c. f.....	3	1	1	4	4	2
Daffield, r. f.....	4	0	0	1	0	0
Total.....	39	3	8	*25	11	4

\*Martin and Paige out for interference.

INNINGS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Union.....	0	0	0	2	3	0	5	1	1—12
Middlebury.....	0	0		0	0	1	1	1	0—3

Earned runs—Union 8; Middlebury 2. Two-base hits—Drake, Hoar, Griswold, Odell. Three-base hits—N. Devoe, Griswold. Home runs—Odwell. Stolen bases—Odwell, N. Devoe 3; Bradley. First base on balls—Off Grout 4. Hit by pitched balls—By Hoar 2. Struck out—By Grout 6; by Hoar 4; by Drake 2. Time—2 hours. Umpire—Oatley, Vermont, '00.

## THE HONORARY CHANCELLOR.

The Hon. David Jayne Hill, the First Assistant Secretary of State, has been chosen to deliver the chancellor's address to this year's graduating class. Mr. Hill is a graduate of Bucknell University, pursued studies at Berlin and Paris, and became while still a very young man, president of Bucknell. He afterwards accepted the presidency of the University of Rochester, and after eight years of successful administration resigned that position and went abroad. He spent some years in the study of Public Law.

As an author his writings include Biography, Philosophy, Social Science and International Law, and his ability and learning have been devoted to the national service for the last four years in the Department of State. As is well known, the office of the First Assistant in the State Department is one of the most responsible in the Government, and has demanded a special ability in view of the political situation of these last four years.

President Raymond and our college, which he represents, are to be congratulated upon the choice and acceptance of such a man for this position.

The commencement exercises of the University of Pennsylvania will begin on June 15, one week earlier than usual.

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**The Policy of the Board.** The new Board in taking up their new positions and duties wish to express their appreciation of the training and example given them by the retiring Board and their determination to make it show in the character of the publication while it is in their charge.

The aim will be to put forth a Weekly of interest and value to the men of all courses in the college and of each department of the university. Undergraduate and alumni news will continue to receive strict attention and a special effort will be made to obtain original literary contributions and occasional papers upon technical subjects. It is

their earnest hope to broaden the sphere of the Concordiensis, directing their best efforts toward drawing the departments into a closer union and striving to honestly reflect the best sentiments and highest intellectual activities of all its members.

The policy of the past year of nursing the interest taken in this paper at the schools in Albany will be firmly adhered to and they will welcome that day when this interest has grown strong enough to warrant the Board in changing the title to read: The Concordiensis. A Literary and News Weekly Published by The Students of Union University.

In order that it may be true to its title the aid of every student is invoked for maintenance of this student publication upon a standard of honor and pride to the university. There is always a place upon the Board open to *faithfulness and ability*.

**The Passing of the Seat of Stone.** It is evidently the intention of the powers that be that the "grand old seat of stone" shall discontinue in that capacity, at least that part of the aforesaid seat in front of North College. Students rooming elsewhere, than in North College will not miss it nor do they care, they may even condemn the writer for mentioning such a seemingly trivial affair. But, nevertheless, the writer is voicing the sentiments of students rooming in North College when he says that he has his doubts whether it was the intention of the *treasurer* of the college to have the railings of the Terrace removed just in front of North College, the very place where the seat was most used. Not only were the railings removed but the iron supports were broken off. The railing beyond North College even to the gate at the end of the Terrace, was left intact, although in a more delapidated condition than that directly in front of the building. So the situation at present is that the Terrace in front of North College cannot be used as a seat, being minus a back. When the alumni return they too will be denied the pleasure of sitting on the "jolly old seat of stone," unless they choose a part in front of South College. The idea of removing that part of the railings that

needed repairing is not objected to, where that part was not often used, but to take away entirely the back to the "grand old seat of stone" "where the old alumni sat in balmy nights of yore" is a measure that cannot be allowed to go uncon-  
demned.

### BOOK REVIEW.

[Practical Talks by an Astronomer. By Harold Jacoby, Adjunct Professor of Astronomy in Columbia University. Illustrated. Published by Charles Scribner's Sons, 1902.]

In this volume is found a collection of essays treating in a popular manner the more interesting sides of the subject of Astronomy. The author admits in the preface that the layman is not interested in all the details of his science, and that interest really centres in out of the way subjects, and in the incidentals, rather than the substance. He says that the volume was not intended as a systematic treatise on Astronomy. "The Science of Astronomy" he says, "contains subjects that admit of detached treatment; and as many of these are precisely the ones of greatest general interest, it has seemed well to select several, and describe them in language free from technicalities. It is hoped that the book will thus prove useful to persons who do not wish to give the time required for a study of Astronomy as a whole, but who may take pleasure in devoting a half-hour now and then to a detached essay on some special topic." The author has succeeded admirably in treating the subject as he states his aim to have been. The book is very readable even to one whose knowledge of astronomy is nil. The subjects of the different chapters are of general interest and these chapters have appeared in magazines previous to their publication in book form. To show the range of subjects the following is a list of the chapter headings: Navigation at Sea; The Pleiades; The Pole-star; Nebulae; Temporary Stars; Galileo; The Planet of 1898; How to make a Sun-dial; Photography in Astronomy; Time Standards of the World; Motions of the Earth's Pole; Saturn's Rings; The Heliometer; Occultations; Mounting of great Telescopes; The Astronomer's Pole; The Moon Hoax; and The Sun's Destination.

### MUSICALE IN SILLIMAN HALL.

A musicale was given in Silliman Hall on Friday evening, May 23, from 8:15 to 9:30 under Mrs. Raymond's supervision. The concert was given by talent from New York city, Schenectady and the college Glee Club.

The occasion was a new one on the hill and thoroughly enjoyed by all present and it is understood that it is Mrs. Raymond's intention to make it an annual affair. The audience was a large one and included many representatives of Schenectady society, the members of the faculty, their wives and the upper classmen.

The selections by Mrs. Chambers were particularly fine and she was repeatedly encored. Miss Williams' rendering of Von Heitzsch's Romance was exquisite. Chopin's Polonaise was splendidly executed by Mrs. Seward, of New York city, wife of the Hon. Geo. F. Seward. Mr. Janzer on the cello, accompanied by Miss Young, was especially enjoyed.

The program opened and closed with good selections by the Glee Club. The program was as follows:

College Glee Club.

Romanze, *Von Heitzsch*, Miss Williams.

(a) Violets, *Wright*; (b) Under the Juniper, *Hollaender*; (c) Because I Love You, Dear, *Hawley*, Mrs. Chambers.

Polonaise, *Chopin*, Mrs. Seward.

(a) Hindoo Song, *Bemberg*; (b) Open Thy Blue Eyes, *Massenet*; (c) Slumber Boat, *Gaynor*, Mrs. Chambers.

(a) Dedication, *Hopper*; (b) Romanze, *Von Goens*, Mr. Janzer.

Glee Club.

### UNION, 8; G. E., 2.

The game played on the campus on Memorial Day between the 'Varsity team and that of the Testing Department of the General Electric Co. resulted in a decided victory for Union by the above score. The game was prettily played throughout, the field as well as the battery work being excellent. Captain Grout pitched, again exchanging with Devoe.

## 1897.

Frank Little, *K A*, A. B. Entered from Rochester, N. Y. Entered Union College Sept. 18, 1893. Prepared for college at Rochester Free Academy. Manager wholesale department of Roley & Co., saddlers, Rochester, N. Y., 1900. Present address, 169 Plymouth avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

Paul Canfield, *Σ Φ*, B. E. Entered from Middletown, N. Y. With the Ontario and Western railroad, 1897-98. Travelled in Europe 1898-99. Assistant engineer with Rutland, Burlington and Vermont railroad 1900-01. President of the Common Council of Middletown; president of the Young Men's Republican Club of Middletown. Died of brain fever at Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 16, 1901.

William Deullard Ball, *Ψ T*. Manufacturer. Address, Watertown, N. Y.

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Henry Augustus Frey, *Ψ T*, B. E. Insurance. Address, 175 Remsen street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Herman Herring, *Ψ T*, B. E. Civil engineer. Address, Walton, Delaware Co., N. Y.

Clarence Valentine Kirby, *Ψ T*, A. B. Artist. Address, 1543 Glenarm street, Denver, Col.

Gifford Morgan, *Ψ T*. Address, Brockport, N. Y.

Waldo Emerson Bullard, *Δ Φ*. Entered from Saratoga Springs. Lawyer. Present address, 137 Broadway, New York.

Hiram Charles Todd, *Δ Φ*. Entered from Saratoga Springs. Lawyer. Lieut. Co. A. 202 N. Y. Vol. Present address, 149 Philadelphia street, Saratoga, N. Y.

Wm. Aubrey Westcott, *Δ Φ*. Accountant. Present address, 4 Beach avenue, Auburn, N. Y.

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Guy Banker Edwards, *Δ Φ*. Present address, 12 East Fulton street, Gloversville, N. Y.

James C. Cooper, *X Ψ*, A. B., A. M., LL. B. Lawyer. Graduated from Albany Law School 1899. Present address, 140 Nott Terrace or 417 State street, Schenectady.

Charles Pearl Crumb, *X Ψ*. Artist. Two years in college; student at St. Louis Art School 1897-98; Chicago Art School 1898-99. Present address, 5463 Maple avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Harry E. Furman, *X Ψ*. Non-graduate. Real estate business. Present address, 225 Lafayette street, Schenectady, N. Y.

William H. Sinclair, *X Ψ*. Left college freshman year. Attended Bryant and Stratton's Business College of Chicago. Private secretary to the general manager of the Creditors' Protective Association. Elected president of Republican Club in Kent College of Law, Chicago, Ill. Present address, 6549 Perry avenue, Chicago, Ill.

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John Edward Fisher, *Δ Δ Φ*. Non-graduate. Entered from Newark, N. J.

Charles Gøne McMullen, *Δ Δ Φ*. Non-graduate. Albany Medical College '98. Entered from Schenectady. Albany Hospital 1898-99. Practising physician and surgeon in Schenectady.

Freman Packard Palmer, *Δ Δ Φ*, B. S. 1st Lieutenant 202 N. Y. Volunteers. Business manager St. Lawrence Republican and the Ogdensburg Daily Blatter. Entered from Ogdensburg, N. Y.

William Hubbell Robinson, *Δ Δ Φ*, Ph. B. Albany Law School, 1899. Practised law in Schenectady for two years. With law department of the Brooklyn Heights' railroad. At present assistant claim agent Mohawk Division N. Y. C. R. R. Present address, Schenectady.

William Lee Woollett, *Δ Δ Φ*. Non-graduate. Architect. Instructor in Albany Academy 1895-96. Present address, Albany, N. Y.

George Freely Daniels, *Δ Δ Φ*. Non-graduate. Owner of the Woodford Stock Farm. Present address, Ogdensburg.

Charles Stanley Daley, *Δ Δ Φ*, A. B. New York Law School. For several years with Logan, Demard and Harby. Entered from Stapleton, S. I., N. Y. At present practising at 68 Broad street, N. Y.

William Allen Johnston, *Δ Δ Φ*, A. B., *Φ B K*. Allen prize. Clark prize, 2nd. G. K. Harroun



prize. Sons American Revolution prize. U. S. Geological Survey 1897-1900. Mohawk Valley Stone Company 1900-02. At present assistant manager of the Mecklan Wagon Co. of Gadsden, Ala.

Harry P. Willis,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Non-graduate. Entered from Hornellsville, N. Y.

Arthur H. Winn,  $B \Theta II$ , A. B. Entered from Albany. Clergyman. Present address, Albany, N. Y.

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Emanuel Phildain,  $B \Theta II$ , C. E. Entered from Port of Spain, Trinidad. Civil engineer. Present address, New York city.

Ernest McP. Ames. Entered from Glens Falls.

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Alden F. Bookhout. Entered from Walton.

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Frank Thurber Cady. Entered from Albany.

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John A. Giles. *Q.P.* Entered from Albany.

Harvey J. Hemstreet. Entered from Gloversville.

Ira Hotaling. *Q.P.* Entered from Albany.

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Paul J. Strohauser. Entered from Caro, Mich.

Charles A. Sullivan. Entered from Amsterdam.

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Ralph Eugene Wilder. Non-graduate. Entered from Newark.

George Edward Williams. Entered from Newark.

Earl L. Wilson. Non-graduate. Entered from Ogdensburg.

Albert Clarke Wyckoff,  $\Delta \Gamma$ . Entered from Pine Plains.

### AT THE LAW SCHOOL.

The scholastic year of the Law department is fast drawing to a close. The juniors were examined on Thursday and Friday, the 22nd and 23d, on Personal Property, Sales, Torts and Domestic Relations, and most of them have scurried home, not to appear again until they do as seniors.

The program for the final week is as follows:

Sunday evening, the 25th—Baccalaureate Sermon at the First Reformed church by Rev. Edward P. Johnson, D. D.

Monday and Tuesday, 26th and 27th, final Senior examinations.

Tuesday evening, the 27th—Senior Banquet at the New Kenmore, Stephen S. Read, College '00, toast-master.

Thursday evening, the 29th—Commencement exercises at Odd Fellows' Hall, followed by a reception to the Alumni at the Ten Eyck, given by Dean and Mrs. Fiero.

The Delta Chi fraternity held their annual banquet at the New Kenmore on Friday evening the 23d. The chapter had as their guests Dean Fiero, Judge Tennant and Secretary Davidson.

The State Bar examinations will be held on June 11th and many of the seniors will remain in town until after that date.

## THE ALUMNI COLUMN.

## Interesting News About Union Graduates.

*[Every alumnus and undergraduate of Union is invited to send to the Alumni Editor items of interest for insertion in this department. News of a personal nature, about any alumnus, will be gladly received and printed.]*

'53.—President William C. Whitford, of Milton College, died at Milton, Wis., on Wednesday, May 21. He was graduated from Union College in 1853, and three years afterwards from Union Theological Seminary of New York. For several years he held the office of state superintendent of public instruction in Wisconsin.

'56.—Hon. J. Sterling Morton, former secretary of agriculture, died in April 29 at Chicago.

Julius Sterling Morton was well-known in Washington where for four years he was secretary of agriculture in President Cleveland's second administration. He was a man of steadfast convictions, unswerving honesty and undoubted ability. By nature a controversialist, Mr. Morton came to the cabinet with many fixed ideas about the government service. He was a practical farmer and ran his department along practical lines. He regarded the distribution of seeds as paternalistic, and on that subject found himself in opposition to Congress.

The ex-secretary was the author of Arbor Day, April 22, which began to be observed generally during his incumbency as head of the department of agriculture and is now generally

observed in all the states. His constant motto was to "plant trees," having it stamped in large letters under the picture of a tree on his stationery. He was an inveterate letter writer. He found keen enjoyment in answering the communications from farmers, and it was no unusual occurrence for him to call newspaper men into his office to read the answers he was writing to farmers, often giving out portions of them for publication.

He was of Scotch-English descent and was born in Jefferson county, New York, his parents moving to Michigan when he was very young. He entered the University of Michigan but finished at Union. He was a member of the Chi Psi fraternity.

Mr. Morton was connected editorially, for a time with the Detroit Free Press and the Chicago Times, and then located at Bellevue, Neb., in November, 1854, where in April following he issued the first number of the Nebraska City News. He was elected to the territorial legislature the same year and re-elected in 1857. He was appointed secretary of the territory in 1858 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Thomas B. Cuming and served until May 18, 1861, part of the time as acting governor. He was elected to Congress in 1860, but was unseated as the result of a contest. He was four times nominated by his party as governor of Nebraska, but failed to be elected.

'99.—Announcement is made of the marriage on May thirty-first at Plainfield, N. J., of Harrison K. Wright, '99, to Miss Mary H. Miller of that city.

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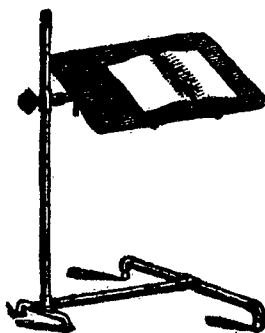
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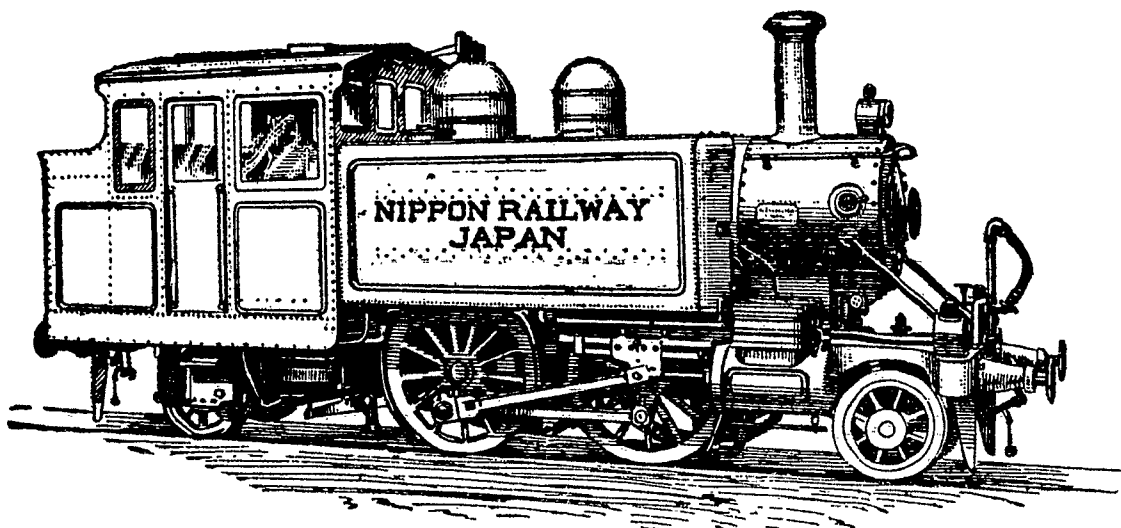
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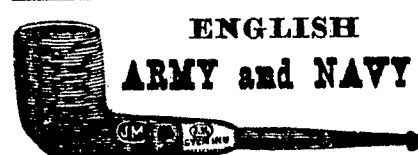
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