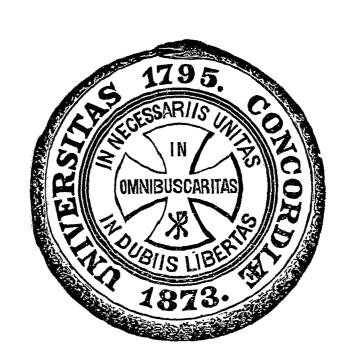
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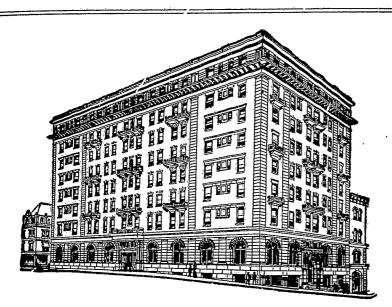
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BASKETBALL.

The Garnet Ends the Season with a Big Score Victory.

Hobart, 7; Union, 52.

On Friday night, March 12th, the last basket-ball game of the season was played with Hobart in the Armory. The Garnet team had improved so much since the former game with Hobart that they very easily rolled up a good large score. They had made marked improvement in basket throwing, passing and also dribbling and they very easily kept possession of the ball most of the time. However, Hobart had several good chances to make baskets, but failed because they were very weak in basket throwing.

The whole team was in excellent condition and all played a fine game. Two fouls were called on Micks, but only one resulted in a score for Hobart. Coward made the most baskets of all. Brown made three nice shots and was more than a match for his man. But it was not only the varsity that played a very good game, for the second team in the second half scored more points than did the varsity in the first half, yet more points were covered against them than against the varsity. The substitutes were more clumsy in their playing, but did some good work.

The outcome of the game was evident from the beginning and Union's basket was not in danger at very many points during the game. The game ended with the score 50-7 in favor of Union.

Following is the line-up and the summary:

Hobart. Ur	Union.	
Prophet C	oward	
Right forward.		
Olmstead Brown	(capt.)	
Right guard.		
Wood	Micks	
Center.		

Hancock	Fairbairn
•	Left guard.
Barmore	Clowe
	Left Forward.

Baskets from field—Union. Coward, 6; Brown, 3; Fairbairn, 3; Anderson, 4; Micks, 2; Clowe, 1; Smith, 2; Charest, 2. Hobart: Wood, 1; Hancock, 1; Barmore, 1. Baskets on fouls: Coward, 2; Starbuck, 2; Wood, 1.

Substitutions by Union: Starbuck for Clowe, Smith for Micks, Anderson for Brown, Charest for Fairbairn, Westcott for Coward.

Referee: Carlos Dorticos, Maine:

Timers: Hill and Ingham, Union.

Time of halves: 20 minutes.

Т	he Season's Schedule.	Oppts.	Union.
Jan. 15.	Hamilton at Clinton	47	28
Jan. 16.	Cornell at Ithaca	45	14
Jan. 23.	Rochester at Schenectady	26	16
Feb. 12.	Hobart at Geneva	16	14
Feb. 13.	Rochester at Rochester	21	16
Feb. 17.	Hamilton at Schenectady.	20	29
Feb. 22.	Syracuse at Syracuse	30	20
Feb. 26.	N. Y. U. at New York	42	17
Feb. 27.	2nd Sig. Corps at Brooklyn	56	29
March 12	2. Hobart at Schenectady	7	50
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Totals		310	233

PRESS CLUB.

The Press Club expects to put in the hardest work of its brief but successful history this spring. Pictures of the teams and of individual players and of athletes of prominence will be sent to various papers and magazines. Postal cards announcing the home games will be sent to the alumni in surrounding towns. In these and other ways the club will be of assistance to the secretary of the faculty in drawing men toward Union and spreading the influence of the coilege.

THE UNION COLLEGE CUP.

Given to the Best High School Hockey Team in Buffalo.

The alumni of Union have offered a trophy, in the shape of a silver cup, to the best High School hockey team in Buffalo. The trophy was offered this season for the first time and there were four High School teams that competed, Lafayette, Technical, Central and Masten. The game was new to the Central and Masten teams, but Lafayette and Technical have had teams previous years.

Lafeyette High had the strongest team and won the cup for this year. In the league series Lafayette defeated Central and also Technical in a practice game, and was forfeited to by both Technical and Masten. Central lost to Technical.

The Lafayette team consisted of the following men: Frederick Hurlbut (capt.), left center; Edmund Regester, right wing; Raymond Mooney, right center; Stephen Clark, goal; Morris Michael, cover point; Edward Scheu, left wing; Mortimer Dietzer, point; Algernon More, substitute.

The winning team played the following games: Hamburg High School, 3-0; Rochester East High, 2-0; Rumseys, 8-1; Central High School, 11-0; Technical High School, 16-1; La Salle High School, 3-5.

ALUMNI DINNER, WASHINGTON.

The dinner of the Washington Alumni Association of Union University was held in Washington Tuesday evening, March 2nd. There were about thirty present and a great deal of enthusiasm was shown on the part of all the alumni. Dr. Alexander, Dr. Richmond and Dean Ripton were present. C. L. Mead, '09, was also at the dinner for the purpose of putting the gymnasium project before the alumni. The plan thus far adopted was heartily endorsed by all those present.

RECEPTION TO DR. RICHMOND, ALBANY.

About seventy-five members of the Union Alumni Association tendered Dr. Richmond, president-elect of Union University, a reception at the University Club in Albany, Monday evening, March 8.

Dean Ripton of the College, Dean Fiero of the Law School and Dean Tucker of the Pharmacy were among those present. The entertainment consisted of informal talks and a musical program made up of college songs. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. During the business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, E. D. Ronan, '61; vice president, Charles H. Mills, '72; treasurer, Carl P. Wagoner, '01; secretary, A. J. Chapman, '06.

DR. CADY'S LECTURE.

Friday, March 12th, Dr. Cady gave a lecture in the chapel on Petra in Edom, one of the most famous of the ancient cities in modern Arabia. This city has been deserted for about 1,500 years and was discovered only about five years ago. Its history can be traced back to nearly 4,000 B. C.

Petra is situated in an almost inaccessible valley in the mountainous country about Mount Hor, the only means of approach being through a defile only about 20 feet wide, whose walls are in many places over 200 feet high. This defile was cut through solid limestone ages ago by a small mountain torrent and in it the Romans later built a chariot drive, conducting the water of the stream in conduits cut in the cliff ten feet above the bed of the road. All that now remains of the city proper is a wonderful collection of temples, tombs and open air altars. The temples furnish the most beautiful ruins in the world.

NEWS WITH THE DEBATERS.

Interest with the debaters is now centered around the debate with Colgate, which occurs May 7. The question as submitted by Colgate is: Resolved, That the coal mines should be owned and controlled by the United States government. Union has the negative side of the contention. This question has already been used as a subject for debate in the Senior and the Junior Argumentation Classes and the Philomathean Debating Society. Preliminary try-outs on the debate will begin next week, and all who are interested in debating are urged to get out and try for the team.

BRIEFS.

Van Deusen, '10, edited this number of the Concordy.

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Mandolin Club rehearsals were held Wednesday and Friday of this week.

The chemistry students wish Dr. Ellery's trip abroad to be a happy one.

P. Clark, '09, has returned to college after an operation for appendicitis.

The first practice of the outdoor track team was held on Tuesday afternoon.

Capt. Bergan of the baseball team has returned to college for the spring term.

Glee Club rehearsal was held in the chapel on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Heard in Descrip.—Heare, yeou, M—, make that laine a leetle broader in width.

McCormick, '12, has been ill at his home in Albany since the first part of exam. week.

The Musical Club concert is to be held on Tuesday evening, March 30th, at the Van Curler Opera House.

The last of the series of lectures by Dr. Cady will be given one week from to-day in the college chapel.

Prof. Stollar offers a course in Field Geology to students who have taken the course in General Geology.

Students who have received the "Concordy" and have not paid for the same will kindly hand their subscriptions to Manager Ury.

The first call for baseball candidates brought out a large number on Tuesday afternoon. A good share of these were freshmen.

The freshman basketball team defeated the Johnstown High School team in Johnstown on Friday evening, March 12th. The score was 39 to 26.

Dr. C. P. Steinmetz read a paper on electricity in its most general and practical phases at the morning session of the electrical engineers' convention Thursday, March 11th.

It is interesting to note how well a good engineer succeeds in laying out a road, for instance

the one in front of South College. There are only about six inches of water on it now.

Dr. McComber spent the past week at his home in Southbridge, Mass. On Saturday, March 13th, he was judge at an athletic meet and starter at a swimming race at Amherst College.

The Junior Class picture was taken Thursday, March 11th, and the Senior and Sophomore pictures Friday, the 12th. The Junior and Senior were taken again this week Wednesday.

Wednesday afternoon the committee of students on the formation of a Dramatic Club met in Silliman Hall. The committee is composed of Wachter, Dennis, Ferguson and Ingham and what action was taken will appear in next week's "Concordy."

He says this has happened in Eng. Lit.:

Student—Professor, what shall I study up on for this exam.?

Prof. Sp.—Study up what has been said during this course.

Student—Well, I haven't gotten much out of it, because there hasn't been much said.

SENIOR CLASS COMMITTEES.

The following men have been appointed by President Lewis of the Senior Class on various committees:

Cap and Gown—Schutt, Rankin, Jolley.
Invitation—Tapscott, Parry, Pettit.
Senior Ball—Streibert, Brunet, Potter, Schaupp

TENNIS.

The tennis schedule is being rapidly completed. Dates for home games have been arranged with Wesleyan, Trinity and Hamilton, with Michigan and Rochester as probabilities. The out of town games include Cornell and Syracuse and probably Dartmouth and Amherst.

President Wheeler of California has declined the presidency of Michigan. He is to be the Theodore Roosevelt professor in the University of Berlin next year.

The yearly tuition has been raised at Amherst from \$110 to \$140.

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TERMS.

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The New Gym. With this issue we begin the regular publication of a page devoted exclusively to the new Gymnasium movement. Our

the new Gymnasium movement. Our idea is this: The interest of our Alumni in this project must not be allowed to wave; the new Gymnasium must be kept constantly before them until the canvas is made which will start in June.

The Concordy is but one of the ways of doing this, but it can be made a most effective way if every subscriber will cooperate by marking his copy and sending it on to some Alumnus. It's a small way of showing loyalty for Union but its results may be very large.

The football and basketball Baseball. seasons have both passed for this year and just at present we are locking ahead with a great deal of interest and eagerness to the coming baseball season. Perhaps we were not as successful in football or basketball as we should like to have been but that is only only one more reason why we should do all in our power as individual students and as a student body to make a success of baseball this spring. We all know what we did last spring in this branch and we should realize why we did that. It was not merely because we had a good coach, or because we had a fine team or because the student body supported the team. It was simply because all these factors were worked side by side, with everybody together, that we wen the pennant. We have lost several of last year's men but that should not discourage us in the least. There is material here in College now and when developed it will result in a team that will duplicate last year's victories. We are all glad that Capt Burgan is back with us and we are



all going to get behind him. From now on it is up to every man to "get out," using our favorite expression, and do what he can for the team. Let us all see what we can do to make a team worthy of Old Union.

Christian With this term a new set of officers takes charge of the Association. Y. M. C. A. affairs in the College. The work of the Association has grown during the past year and its influence has been felt more strongly throughout the College. The present officers are men who are going to attempt to make the Y. M. C. A. work more of a general College affair than ever. We believe they are able to do a good work here but they cannot do it alone; the student body must help them and they can do that in many ways, principally by attending the meetings of the Association. As this is one of the most important sides of College life, it should receive its proper amount of attention at all times.

For the past college year it has Spirit. seemed as if there were an entirely new atmosphere about the College, semthing that has brought the students closer together and closer to the faculty and has strengthened the ties between all members of the College. What has caused this? It is just a renewal or revival of the "Old Union Spirit," as some have called it. It has been growing during the whole year. It was shown at the football games, basketball games and in the different activities of the College. it had not been for that, where would our gymnasium be?—as far away as it was three years ago. And also as a result of this, we have felt that we have gotten more out of the College, and it is certain that we have put more into the College.

There is only one more term of this year left and there are many places where an abundance of the "Old Union Spirit" will be needed; with the track team, with the tennis team, with the debating team, with the Y. M. C. A., with the baseball team, and with the Gymnasium movement. We can each do our best to help Old Union along in this way and we are sure it will be of mutual benefit.

Y. M. C. A. ELECTION.

At the closing meeting of the winter term the following officers were elected to serve during the coming year. President, S. M. Cavert, '10; vice president, Maxon, '11; treasurer, Carmichael, '10, and secretary, Potter, '12.

After the election Faust, '09, spoke a few words by way of farewell. Afterwards Cavert gave a short talk, in which he asked for the hearty support of the members of the association and expressing his desire that the coming year should be a successful one for the association.

At the first Tuesday evening meeting of the spring term, Cavert, '10, the new president, talked on "What the Association Wants to Accomplish This Year." In a general way he described the aims of the association for this year. First, to do more for the student body in a social way, by bringing them closer together by means of receptions and entertainments. Second, to make Silliman Hall a more pleasant gathering place and more truly a centre of college activities. Third, to deepen the spiritual life of the men in college and to interest new men in the association.

The mission study class in "The Unfinished Task," under the direction of Dr. Hale, met Friday evening and spent a pleasant hour in an informal discussion on the extent of the misionary enterrise.

Mrs. Welton Stanford, Jr., who is well known in both the social and religious circles of Schenectady, will address the Y. M. C. A. at the vesper service next Sunday afternoon, March 28. The opportunity of hearing Mrs. Stanford is a privilege that the fellows can ill afford to miss.

ALUMNI NOTES.

1859—John H. Carter of the class of 1859 died in Lexington, Kentucky, the latter part of February, 1909.

1895—Rev. Rockwell Harmon Potter, who was recently offered a pastorate in one of the largest churches in New York city, has definitely refused the call. He was offered a very large salary, his wife would be guaranteed an annual income of \$5,000 in case of his death, and also his children were to be educated. Members of his church in Hartford held a meeting, at which several prominet men were present and he was strongly urged to stay, which he finally did.

1872—Rev. Andrew W. Archibald, D. D., Union, 1872, who is a resident of Newton Center, Mass., has just brought out through a Boston publisher a new book entitled "The Easter Hope." Two volumes have previously come from his pen, "The Bible Verified" and "The Trend of the Centuries."

HON. JOHN H. STARIN.

Hon. John H. Starin, who for many years has been a trustee of Union College, died last Monday, March 22, at his residence in New York city. Although not an alumnus of the college, he has for several years past, as one of her trustees, been honored and respected by all Union men.

Mr. Starin was born in 1825, and the greater part of his successful life has been spent in New York city. He twice was sent to Congress as the representative of his district. As a permanent memorial of his congressional service, we have the monument at Schuylerville commemorating the victory of the Battle of Saratoga. Mr. Starin was also a very successful business man and as owner of the largest river and harbor transportation business in America, he has been a man of influence throughout the whole country.

Although only 25 years old, Texas now has 2,462 students, and hereafter must be classed with the big universities.

COLLEGE MEETING.

At the ollege meeting on Tuesday noon, Capt. Bergan spoke regarding the baseball outlook for the coming season on the hill. He urged every man who has any ability at all to come out and help make this year's team a championship team.

Brunet, manager of the baseball team, called the fellows' attention to the fact that as the first game comes on April 14th at West Point, it is therefore necessary that everyone who intends to come out for the team to do so immediately, as the baseball uniforms are to be ordered on April 1.

President Lewis gave notice of a supper to be held in the Pilgrim Congregational Church on upper State Street. Several colleges were to be represented by as many tables, and a strong delegation from Union was desired.

Following this notice he called every student's attention to the Musical Club concert to be held in the Van Curler Opera House on the evening of March 30th. Every fellow should show his college spirit by attending.

Meade read two letters which Prof. Opdyke has received in reply to circular letters and "Concordies" sent out by the committee for the new gym. He said that he believed every man who attended the Washington alumni dinner told him personally that when the time comes they would all help in giving Union a new gym.

Manager Ury gave notice of track practice.

Mould requested the freshmen to remain a minute after college meeting.

Adjourned.

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TRACK PROSPECTS.

Promising Material in the Freshman Class.

A careful consideration of the material available for this season's track activities indicates that in all probability Old Union will be strongly represented on the oval. The team will not suffer to any extent from loss of members occasioned by the graduation of the class of 1908. It is, however, true, that of this class Parsons, Dwyer, Flowers, Bell and Fullerton did excellent work, but their places will, from present indications, be satisfactorily filled by students of the Freshman class.

Captain Rankin has been doing excellent work in the weight events during the winter and will, no doubt, be of great value in these events this season. In fact it will not be surprising if he establishes a new college record in the shot put. Streibert, in the broad jump and pole vault, will doubtless acquit himself with credit this season, while Finch is expected to show up well in the distance runs.

Among the members of the class of 1910 who are expected to add materially to the strength of the team are Dennis, in the low hurdles and broad jump, Hequembourg in the 220, 440 and high jump and Walser in the high hurdles. The sophomore class will doubtless be represented by Bentley in the sprints. Travis in the distance runs, H. Huthsteiner in the high jump.

The freshman class contains some very promising material. Case has accomplished excellent results in the pole vault this winter, and in all probability he will establish a new college record in this event. Both Hand and Smith appear to be likely point winners in the weights. Riley is expected to do good work in the pole vault and sprints, while Coward will prove a source of strength in the 440 and 880. Marsh can be depended upon to do good work in the pole vault, W. T. Mann in the middle distances and McDermott and O'Laughlin in the sprints, with Ruprect in the distance runs. In addition there are numerous other possibilities among the other candidates, among which may be mentioned Thorn, Grey, Lawsing, T. Dunn and Kelley.

Dr. McComber, in speaking about the probable success of the team this season, said:

"In general the degree of success of the track team this year will be in proportion to the amount of practice which the men composing the team receives. Consequently it is the duty of every student who expects to participate in track activities this spring, to start training immediately, and to continually and consistently train up to the close of the track season."

Dr. McComber inaugurated spring work on Monday, when he held a short cross-country run. It is hoped that all the candidates for this year's track team will follow Dr. "Mac's" advice and place themselves under his directions, starting training immediately and continuing training up to the close of the track season.

WHY NOT REVIVE AN OLD TRADITION?

In times past it was the custom to give the Annual Commencement Concert of the Musical Clubs on the Mohawk River. The clubs assembled in boats or canoes and paddled to a central position in the river and the audience surrounded them in other canoes. It was the custom for parties to give "River-Teas" on that night previous to the concert, which occurred at about 8 o'clock. The strains of music coming across the water not only sounded very well, but the concert itself was a unique idea among colleges.

There is no reason why the idea can not be revived. It would be comparatively easy to arrange some means by which the clubs could be floated a raft could be made and strung with Japanese lanterns or something of the soft. If this proved too much of a task, ordinary rowboats could be lashed together and serve the purpose. The Mohawk is at its best at that time of the year and a concert of this kind would provide an excellent apportunity for the Commencement visitors to see it under the most favorable circumstances. chief advantage of the whole thing would be that at no other college in the country could a similar entertainment be found. Think it over and talk it C. L. M., '09. up.

INTERCOLLEGIATE.

Tufts College has nineteen games scheduled in baseball for this season, and has two open dates. Pratt Institute has twelve games scheduled. Dickinson College has seventeen games with two open dates. The University of Michigan has twenty-three games on her schedule. The University of Vermont has scheduled twenty-two games. The baseball team at the University of Minnesota has been practicing on a diamond covered with three inches of snow.

John D. Rockefeller recently gave \$1,000,000 to Chicago University. This makes the endowment fund of the university \$15,000,000, while Mr. Rockefeller's total contributions for endowment and other purposes amount to nearly \$25,000,000.

According to a faculty announcement at Columbia, students may cut all of their lectures and recitations until the end of the term, and if they are bright enough to pass a good examination they will receive credit without regard to percentage of attendance. All absences since February 1 have been wiped off the records. At this same place the board of student representatives has promulgated a decree which states that hereafter the only hazing which can be indulged in by the second year men is to give a tea party on the opening day of the college year. The interclass rush was also confined to organized yelling and the annual "Sophomore" smoker has as well been relegated to past times. They say that the members of this board are now almost as popular as was that famous band of professors who said that Columbia should have no football.

Columbia has an aeronautic course, with only two students so far, one of them being young Jay Gould, but it is predicted that there will soon be a number of others.

At Williams, the Church of Christ is being revived. This is an undenominational church, with which all students who are church members can affiliate. The officers are elected from the faculty and the student body and the organization is one which at one time was very strong there.

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Large amid the sons of men,
Nobler far in willing blindness
Than in censure's keenest ken.
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And its secret throb of joy;
In the love that lives through trial.
Dying not, though death destroy.

I believe in dreams of duty,
Warning us to self-control,—
Foregleams of the glorious beauty
That shall yet transform the soul:
In the godlike wreck of nature
Sin doth in the sinner leave,
That he may regain the stature
He hath lost,—I do believe.

All that sin hath swept away.

Leaven-like its work pursuing

Night by night and day by day:

In the power of its remoulding.

In the grace of its reprieve,

In the glory of beholding

Its perfection,—I believe.

I believe in love eternal,
Fixed in God's unchanging will,
That, beneath the deep infernal,
Hath a depth that's deeper still.
In its patience, its endurance,
To forbear and to retrieve.
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Eighteen volumes of Bret Harte's works.

A History of the German Empire, Burt Howard.

Evolution of Modern Germany, Dawson.

France and the Alliances, Andre Tardieu.

The Five Indian Nations, Colden.

Four volumes on Napoleon, Thoodore Dodge.

Instinct and Health, Hutchinson.

Manual of Marching, George Cornell.

Social Life at Rome in Age of Cicero, W. W. Fowler.

Hydraulics of Rivers and Sluices, Molitor.

Nicol's Analytic Geometry.

Field System, Gilbreth.

A number of French works have also been received, and besides Bret Harte's works several other additions have been made to the department of English Literature.

GLEE CLUB CONCERT.

Next Tuesday evening the College Musical Clubs will hold a concert in the Van Curler Opera House. The clubs have improved vastly since the Junior Week Concert and all the fellows should stand back of the clubs and appear at the Opera House on Tuesday evening. The reputation that the clubs made in Hudson was a good one and every fellow is determined to maintain that reputation for the clubs. The concert will begin at 8 o'clock and it is sincerely hoped that the theater will be well filled by that time.

Tuesday evening a number of the students attended the supper held by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Pilgrim Congregational Church. The supper is an annual affair given for the college men of the city. The tables were tastefully decorated with colors of the colleges represented and numerous pennants adorned the walls. Fully 250 persons were served during the evening, so the affair was financially as well as socially a success. Among the colleges represented were Purdue, Colorado, Clemens, Syracuse, Yale and Union.

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I. W. TAYS, JR. '84.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 22, 1909.

Executive Committee of the Gymnasium Movement, Union College, Schenectady, N. Y..

Extra of the Concordiensis, just received, and believe that it will do much for the cause. It expresses the spirit of the enterprise and will show to the alumni the real earnestness and practical enthusiasm of the under-graduate body. Nothing could be finer than the co-operation of all now on College Hill. Faculty and students are working together as never before, and the result is certaon to be the progress of the college, which we all so earnestly wish. I wish it to be distinctly understood that I stand ready to help the good cause in any way in my power.

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ANDREW V. V. RAYMOND.

Cornwall-on-Hudson, March 20, 1909.

The Executive Committee, Union College Gymnasium Association:

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ERIC T. KING, '05.

- Batavia, N. Y., March 22, 1909.

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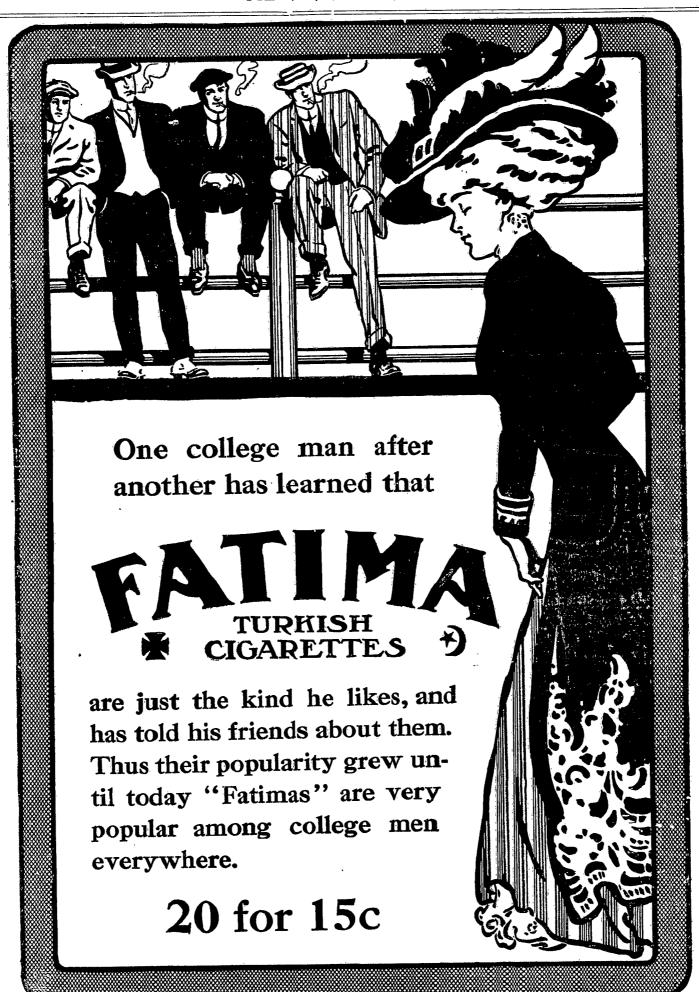
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