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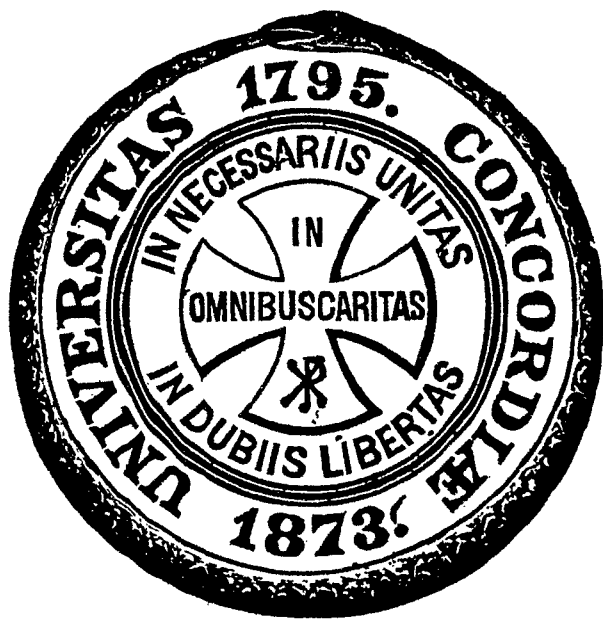
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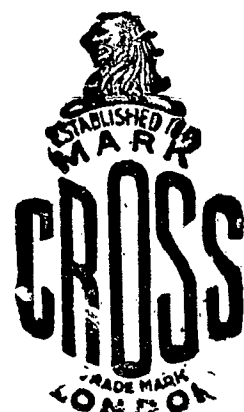
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Football

WILLIAMS, 29; UNION, 0.

Garnet Players Unable to Solve Forward Pass and Williams' Interference.

Union, although defeated by Williams 29 to 0 in the first game of the season, put up a game that was much better than the score indicates. In the first and fourth periods, the Garnet eleven was fully the equal of the wearers of the purple and pushed them hard. The first score of the game came early in the second period and was the result of a forward pass from the 15-yard line. Stevens scored another a few minutes later on a 75-yard run. Three more were made in the third period and then the scoring stopped. Union braced up and drove their opponents back down the field.

Every man on the Union team played a good game and the coach and the captain were well pleased with the showing made.

"Bill" Murray's Opinion.

"Bill" Murray, one of Union's former coaches, was on the field and expressed his surprise at Union's showing. He stated that Union would win from both their old enemies, Hamilton and Rochester. Union's season, indeed, promises to be a successful one.

Most of Williams's gains were made on a short forward pass over the center of the line. Union's secondary defense seemed unable to solve this play and it was worked time and again. Neither team was able to gain much through the line, the Garnet men holding especially well. On the Williams team, Peterson, Stevens and Winter did the most consistent work.

The style of playing of the two teams was very different. Union adhered mostly to the old style

of football, while the Williams play was marked by open formations and new plays allowed under the modified rules. The line-up of the Williams game was:

WILLIAMS (29). UNION (0).

Left End.

Smith, Wyman..... Larkin

Left Tackle.

Mason Sellnow

Left Guard.

Williams Jasalowski

Center.

Brooks, Anderson Vedder

Right Guard.

Young Davis

Right Tackle.

Walker, Brooks..... E. O'Connell

Right End.

Winter Morgan

Quarterback.

Peterson, Rogers..... McDermott

Left Halfback.

Prindle, Bohnet Sarver

Right Halfback.

Linden, Winter Dewey, Reilly

Fullback.

Kellogg, Stevens O'Connell, Congdon

Referee—Cook, of M. A. C. Umpire—Dadmine, of W. P. I. Field Judges—Robinson of Williams and Thorpe of Columbia. Time—Four nine-minute periods.

UNION VS. MIDDLEBURY TODAY.

Shake-up in Garnet Team and New Style Game—Middlebury Light But Speedy.

After a general shake-up in the team and hard practice during the past week, Union will meet Middlebury to-day with the strongest grid-iron combination of the season. A radical change in the style of playing has been made by

Coach Regnier and many new plays have been developed. The short forward pass that won so many yards for the Williams eleven last Saturday has been adopted and will doubtless prove a ground gainer for the Garnet team to-day. Much work in strengthening the defense has been done and the team will play an altogether different game from those played on their campus heretofore.

Many Changes in Line-up.

There will be many changes in the line-up in to-day's game, when three of the regular players will be out of the game and substitutions will be made. "Dan" O'Connell and his brother, "Scipio," have given up football for the season. Larkin also will be unable to play. Doran Brown will probably be in the game if needed and Tommy Fairbairn will doubtless direct the plays in his old position at quarterback. In this case McDermott will be a good end and substitute quarter. Vedder is recovering from an attack of tonsillitis and may not be in the game Saturday. Atkin will be used if such is the case.

Word from Middlebury.

The following communication was received from the manager of the Middlebury eleven:

"The team is rather light, but we hope to make this up in speed, and if our coach can whip them into shape we ought to give Union a good game."

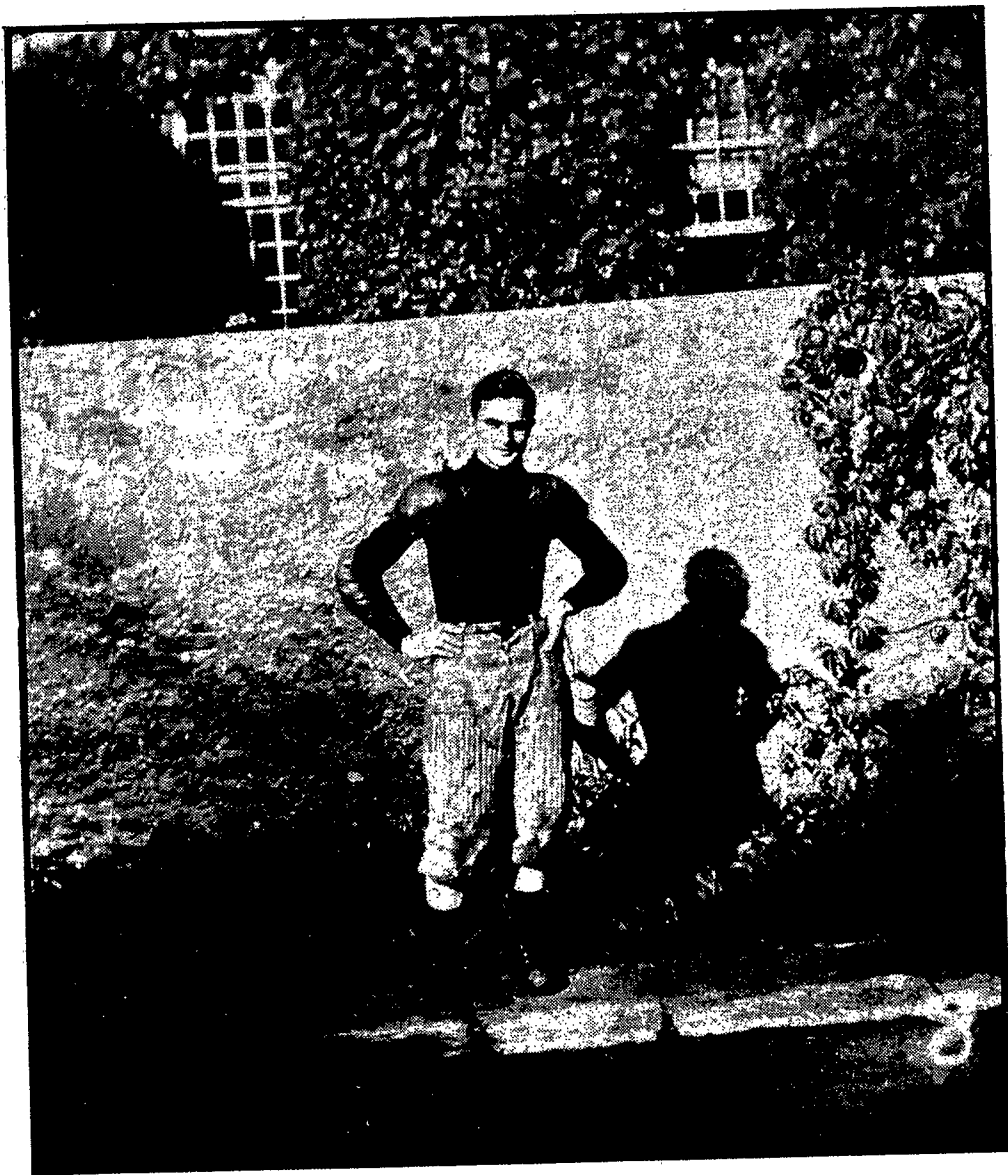
The only game which Middlebury has played this season was with St. Michael's College of Burlington, Vt. The score was 0-0. Their line up will probably be as follows:

Ends, Barnes and Smith; tackles, Bump and Fisher; guards, Downing or Hedges and Woodward; center, McConnell; half-backs, Leonard and King; quarterback, Conovan; fullback, Palmer.

FOOTBALL GAMES TO-DAY.

Union vs. Middlebury, at Schenectady.
Yale vs. Holy Cross, at New Haven.
Harvard vs. Williams, at Cambridge.
Princeton vs. N. Y. U., at Princeton.
Dartmouth vs. Colby, at Hanover.
Army vs. Tufts, at West Point.
Cornell vs. Oberlin, at Ithaca.

Brown vs. Colgate, at Providence.
Syracuse vs. Rochester, at Syracuse.
Pennsylvania vs. West Virginia, at Philadelphia.
Amherst vs. Wesleyan, at Middletown.
Navy vs. Rutgers, at Annapolis.
Lehigh vs. Stevens, at South Bethlehem.
Lafayette vs. Swarthmore, at Easton.
Hamilton vs. Hobart, at Geneva.
U. of Chicago vs. Indiana U., at Chicago.



T. S. FAIRBAIRN.

CROSS-COUNTRY WORK.

The cross-country team has been working steadily for the past two weeks, and are rounding out in fine style. Their first run will be held with Vermont on October 29th. Upon the following Saturday, they will try conclusions with Colgate University.

Both opponents are very strong this year. Colgate is exceptionally good, owing to the fact that Besant will run for them, having re-entered for a

post-graduate course. Union should capture both meets, however. Captain Travis '11, Rogers '13, and Labarron '13, of last year's team are on the squad. Streever '12, and Tremper '13, and several Freshmen are also showing up exceedingly well.

Wire—Schermerhorn, chairman; Howell.

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Prexy is interested not only in the welfare of the College as a whole, but also in each individual student, and is anxious to get personally acquainted with each one of "his boys."

The fellows should feel proud that such an honor has been shown them. All who accept the invitation will find in Prexy and Mrs. Richmond, friends who will be of great help and inspiration to them during their college days.

THE RIGHT SPIRIT AT THE FOOTBALL GAMES. The students who attended the opening game at Williamstown certainly showed that they knew how to exhibit the true kind of college spirit at the football games. The team was well supported by every fellow present, and the tendency to cheer at the penalties and mistakes of our opponents was entirely lacking.

Let us continue to show that same sort of true college spirit throughout the season. In the game with Middlebury last year there was a decided tendency towards muckerism on the part of the Garnet supporters, and the Vermont players were made the objects of unsportsmanlike yells and cheers more than once.

Football as it is played now should be a game for gentlemen. The Union players are doing their best to play a good clean game, and the students who are supporting them from the sidelines should manifest the same spirit. Follow your cheer leaders. Cheer at the good plays of the Garnet team, cheer for a plucky opponent who has been injured while playing his best, and let there be an absence of jeers and taunts at the opposing team.

COOPER TO VISIT COLLEGE.

Mr. Clayton S. Cooper of New York City will be a visitor on the "Hill" to-morrow and will be the speaker at the Sunday vesper service of the Christian Association. Mr. Cooper is widely known in the colleges of the United States and Canada, being engaged in the work of promoting Bible Study among college men.

In connection with his work as International Student Bible Study Secretary, Mr. Cooper made a six months' tour of the world, returning to this country a little over a year ago. During this tour nearly all the great student centres of Europe and the Orient were visited, particularly those of Ceylon, India, North and South China, Japan and Korea, nearly a month being spent in each country. Mr. Cooper was thus enabled to get at first hand a thorough knowledge of men and affairs in the Far East, a part of the world that is coming more and more to be a factor in international politics.

Since returning, Mr. Cooper has written an account of his experiences and observations in a series of noteworthy articles on the "College Man and the Bible." These articles have appeared in the "Century Magazine" during the past summer.



CLAYTON S. COOPER.

Cooper as a College Man.

Mr. Cooper is in every way qualified to speak as a college man to college men, having been graduated from Brown University with the class of '94. While in college he was president of his class during the senior year, a fact which gave him a commanding influence among the undergraduates. After graduation Mr. Cooper attended Rochester Theological Seminary, graduating with the class of '98, later taking a Ph.D. at Columbia University.

After student days, he entered College Y. M. C. A. work and by his high ideals, personal magnetism, and ability as a scholar, won his way to his present important position.

The subject of the address Sunday will be "The College Man and the Bible." The meeting will be held at the usual hour, 5 p. m., in the garden if pleasant, otherwise in Silliman Hall.

THE NEW "GYM."

The new "gym" fund, which started in the spring of 1909 has advanced rapidly since that time. Each class is expected to give toward this fund and in following out this idea, plans are under way to collect the subscriptions from the sophomore and freshman classes some time this term.

Meade, '09, and Potter, '09, concluded their canvass of the alumni of New York State early this spring.

The committee now expects to do some of its work through the Graduate Council. To fill the vacancy of Otto Faust, resigned, Tristram Coffin was elected to the membership of the committee. There are now four undergraduates working on the "gym" fund. They are Coffin, H. Baker, Schermerhorn and Webb.

The members of the committee have been working hard and as a result a little over \$30,000 has been pledged. This is certainly a good showing for one year's work and the prospects are bright of starting the new gymnasium within two years.

Alumni News.

WHO WILL READ THESE NOTES?

Fifty-six of the alumni have, at present, subscribed to the Concordia. No doubt you will agree that it is a small number. There are many reasons why this is the case and some of them may remain so for some time to come. If any change for the better is to come, it will be due to alumni action.

I have received several letters, in answer to the circular sent out by the Graduate Council, in which the writers regret their lack of money with which to help "Old Union." Large gifts of money are not the only way, nor the best way to help the college. Your own active interest in what she is doing is worth much more. Interest in Union will prompt the most humble to acts of service of the greatest value.

To keep up your interest you must read college news. At present the Concordiensis offers the best to be had. You may find the paper poor in many respects but write us and we will try to improve it. Remember it is partly yours. Send information about classmates and even articles that you think will interest the alumni. Take a hand in this little matter. In closing I pass to the slang of the campus.

Does the Union man you know best take the Concordi? If not, "It's up to you."

1859. A. H. Green, the scientist, has given his collection of Natural History specimens to the public schools of Tryon, S. C. This makes the most valuable gift the town has ever received and stamps Prof. Green as one of those whose work has brought honor to Union.

1861. Rev. Henry Morey has been a successful Evangelist during the past fifteen years. Mr. Morey wrote an interesting reply to the circular sent out by the Graduate Council in which he regretted not being able to give money to the

college. He has done, however, what is equally valuable: interested boys in going to Union, thus illustrating one of the several ways alumni can show their love for Alma Mater.

1897. William A. Johnston is in Chicago where he is carrying on an advertising campaign in behalf of the Borden Milk Co. whose pure milk trade is endangered by proposed legislation.

1898. Peter Nelson is Assistant Archivist in the State Library at Albany. At present he is working on the Van Rensselaer Bowier and Sir Wm. Johnson manuscripts.

1899. Robert C. Gambee is private secretary to Mr. Ogden Mills of New York. After leaving college Mr. Gambee taught school, acting for eight years as Principal of the Englewood High School of N. J.

1900. George W. Featherstonhaugh, Jr., and Miss Pauline Hoag of Hudson were married September 4th. Mr. Robert J. Van Epps of Albany acted as best man, while Miss Irene Tigchon of Detroit was maid of honor. After November Mr. and Mrs. Featherstonhaugh will be at home at 1209 Union Street, Schenectady.

1905. Louis C. Hart was on the campus watching football last week. He is not living in Albany.

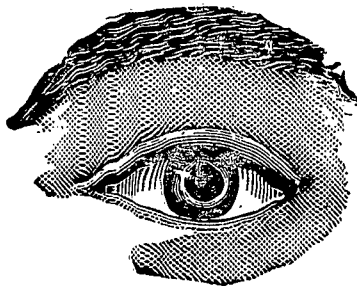
1906. John A. O'Donnell was married on September 6th to Miss Helen Balmes of Albany. Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell have just returned from their wedding trip in the South and will live in Albany, where Mr. O'Donnell is engaged in barge canal work.

1910. The engagement is announced of Miss Florence Mary Lawson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lawson of Albany, to Mr. Edward Deleverne Ransom. Ted is with the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Co. in the electrical department.

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These will consist of a tour of Schenectady and vicinity with all expenses paid and under the direction of a competent guide. The main tour will be about Schenectady, but the side-trips to Alplaus, Mt. Pleasant and Scotia will be especially interesting. Further details of the trips will be given as the contest progresses. Cast your votes at once. The first three names entered in the contest will be given five extra votes apiece. All votes must be cast on ballots cut from THE OPTIC.

* BALLOT. *
* After due consideration I *
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* *
* is the handsomest member of *
* the class of 1914 and for him *
* I hereby cast my vote. *
* Void after the contest is over. *

FISHER SCORES A HIT.

[Special to THE OPTIC.]

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 7.—John Fisher, formerly of Union College, has opened a three weeks' engagement here in his latest musical comedy entitled, "Why Boys Leave College." Following his run at the local theatre Mr. Fisher has an engagement at Northampton, Mass.

CARMICHAEL AT LAW SCHOOL.

[Special to THE OPTIC.]

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Albert E. Carmichael, a prominent member of the class of 1910, has entered Albany Law School. In an interview by an OPTIC correspondent Mr. Carmichael said: "Yes, it is true that I am a member of the entering class at Albany Law School. I intend to take the full course of two years and at the end of that time to become a lawyer."

ADVICE TO THE LOVEWORN.

THE OPTIC has engaged Miss Beatrice Squarefacts to give advice to our readers who have met with difficulties in lovemaking. We urge all who are in trouble of this kind to write Miss Squarefacts and we feel in a position to assure you that she will successfully solve your knotty problems. Delays are dangerous. Write to-day and live happily ever after.

THE SCORUM OR FOOTBALL FACTS.

Punctuation under the new football rules: The game has four periods, many dashes and exclamations, while the success of the new game is an interrogation.

No pushing or pulling under the new rules—would not bargain hunters do well to adopt these rules?

In a football game at Williams this season, a son of J. Wilbur Chapman was so disfigured that a photograph of the injured man as he appeared in the original was sent to the surgeon to aid in getting his former looks back as nearly as possible.

WITH OUR FRESHMEN. THE PUZZLE BOX.

Answers to last week's puzzles. (We sincerely regret to say that these must be omitted as we shall have no last week's puzzles until next week).

1. If a Jersey cow gives three quarts of milk on Monday and a Guernsey cow four quarts on Wednesday, what will an Alderney cow give on Friday?

2. If it will take twenty bolts to flunk a stude in chapel and five bolts to get a stick in rhetoric, how many bolts would it take to lock the cellar door?

3. My first is a Union College professor,

My second the "Jolly Old Scot,"

My whole is a hunk of ice.

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OPTORIALS.

The first issue of THE OPTIC is herewith published and presented to the reading public for criticism. When we say criticism we mean all that the word suggests and furthermore urge every reader to take individual interest in the publication in that he will kindly offer any suggestion that he may think would be an improvement to the paper. All suggestions must be made in writing and mailed to the "Improvement Editor," and unless asked not to, will be printed in the columns of THE OPTIC.

THE OPTIC is to be conducted as a strictly foolish paper. Its columns are to be filled with cuffs, slams, knocks, ironies; but sarcasms, NEVER. At times it may seem to the reader that the limits of the joke have been over-stepped, but permit us to say that this will be done entirely unintentionally and we think that even the most sensitively constituted of our readers will be indulgent enough to overlook what he may consider too personal or outspoken on occasions. "IT IS TO LAUGH," but only when the victim may rightfully participate.

Among the departments that THE OPTIC will feature will be a column captioned THE GAZER. The GAZER will be a daily observer of the "doings" and "sayings" of its readers. He will frequent popular halls of entertainment, the leading feed and drink shops, buildings for religious worship, et cetera, where he will be apt to find his readers gathered. He will look and he will listen, but silent and incognito his observations will be mentally jotted down to be printed in this column. Go only where you would have it known you have been and say only things that will bear publication.

OPTICAL DELUSIONS.

Little Paris built a fire

By the aid of gasoline.

The doctor's verdict read like this:

"Death due to Paris green."

The secret of success: Push and pull.

Seeing is believing—except when intoxicated.

RESIGNATION FROM N. Y. S.

I. A. U. IS NOT ACCEPTED

Union's resignation from the New York State Intercollegiate Athletic Union, which was presented by Professor King at the annual fall meeting last Saturday, was not accepted. The motion was passed that Union be asked to reconsider her resignation. Final action will be taken at the spring meeting in March.

Union to Be in Track Meet.

Inasmuch as no definite action will be taken until next spring in regard to Union's resignation, the Union team will participate in the annual intercollegiate track meet for this year at least. The meet will be held at Rome on Decoration Day, the Hamilton management having charge of the affair.

The 1910 baseball pennant was awarded to Rochester and the 1910 track pennant to Colgate.

FIRST CONCERT AT ALTAMONT.

All three clubs are now holding regular rehearsals, preparing for the various trips. At present definite arrangements have been made for the first concert, which will be held at Altamont on November 11. The clubs will be taken from the train to their destination in carryalls; they will have supper there, and then be brought back in the same conveyances.

There are a number of men trying out for the different clubs. There are about sixty out for the Glee Club, and twenty-five for the Banjo Club. The Mandolin Club has most of its old men back again and about fifteen Freshmen as candidates.

The Glee Club holds its rehearsals on Monday evening; the Banjo and Mandolin Clubs on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

The Freshmen have shown considerable interest in the clubs, but there is still room for good material.

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CAMPUS CHAT.

Dunn, '11, has been sick in bed for several days.

The Alpha Delta Phi freshmen had their picture taken on Monday. To the surprise of the frosh the photographer's gallery was suddenly changed into a shower-bath.

Ruprecht, ex-'12, is in Michigan University studying marine engineering.

Spearman, ex-'13, entered Pratt University this fall.

E. Baker, '14, has been elected manager of the freshman football team.

Cronin, '13, is manager of the sophomore football team.

"Prexy" Richmond is to preach to the students of Princeton University to-morrow.

The annual sophomore-freshman games will be held on election day this year.

R. Gibbs, '14, has been elected manager of the freshman track team.

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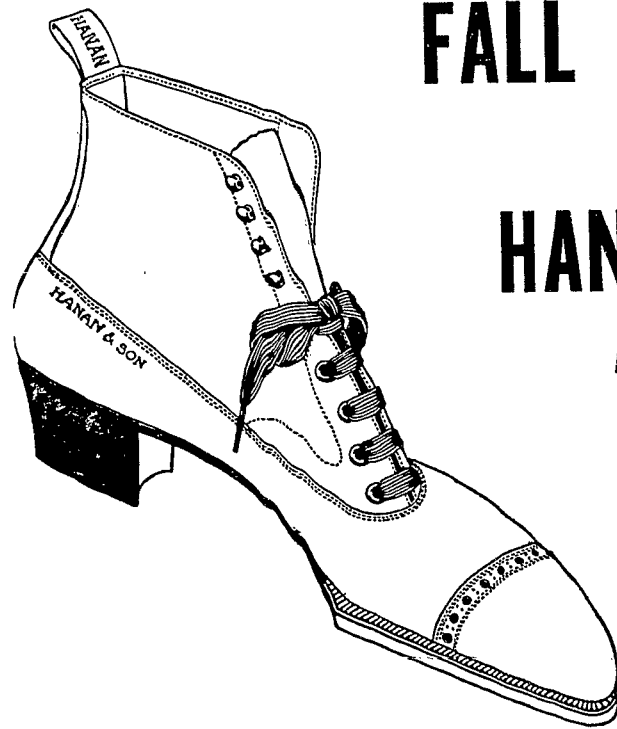
Height 74 inches
H. E. Vedder, '10.
Weight 204 pounds
Jasalowski, '14.
Chest (inflation).....43.7 inches
F. Trapp, '14.
Chest (expansion).....7.8 inches
Jasalowski, '14.

Biceps14.1 inches
H. P. Stewart, '10.
Lung Capacity.....415 cubic inches
G. Farnsworth, '11.
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F. Bryere, '13.
Push-up20 times
H. Smith, '12.
Right Forearm.....210 pounds
H. Smith, '12.
Left Forearm.....170 pounds
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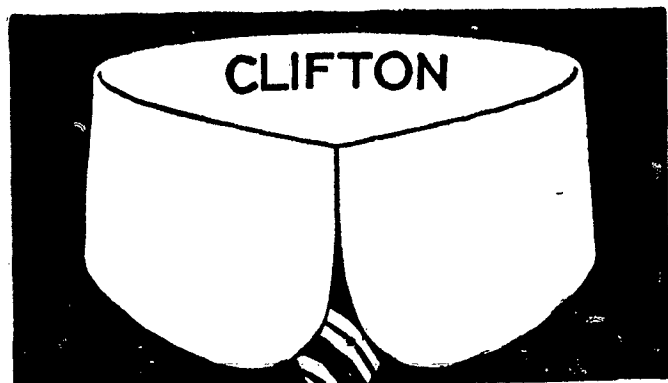
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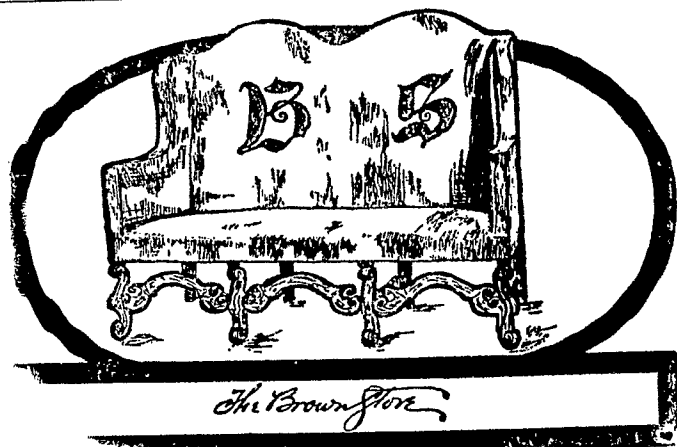
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