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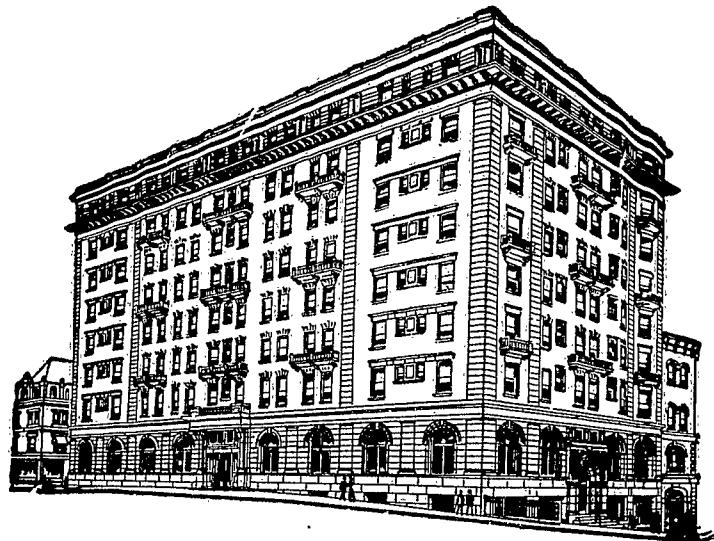
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UNION LOSES TO ST. LAWRENCE

Starbuck Carries Off Honors For Union In Fiercely Fought Contest

	1st and 2d quarter	Yds gained	First downs	Dis. punted	F'd P's tried	F'd P's suc'ed	Gain f'd p's
St. Law.	21	2	175	yds	0	0	0 yds
Union	68	6	125	yds	4	1	15 yds
3d and 4th quarter							
St. Law.	128	6	200	yds	1	1	12 yds
Union	64	5	90	yds	1	0	0 yds
Total							
St. Law.	149	8	375	yds	1	1	12 yds
Union	132	11	215	yds	5	1	15 yds

By W. Earl Weller

A fumbled punt and the inability of the line to hold at the critical moment cost Union the St. Lawrence game on Saturday afternoon by the score of 5 to 0. The game was hard fought throughout and was not decided until the last two minutes of the last period. Starbuck carried off the honors for Union with Fairbairn and Sarvey close seconds. The little freshman end played the fastest sort of a game, tackling hard and sure. Time and time again he went down the field under punts and nailed his man before the ball was advanced a yard. Fairbairn was at his best in the interference and in running back punts. A very unfortunate injury to his shoulder compelled him to retire at the end of the last period and he will probably be on the invalid list for the larger part of the season. Sarvey was the ground gainer for Union. He seemed to have a most happy faculty of slipping between tackle and end for five and ten yard gains.

The game, while disappointing, was not discouraging. The line showed lack of cohesion, but the spirit was of the best and there was no "give up" until the referee's whistle announced that the game was over. The spirit that grits its teeth, tightens its straps and plays football in the face of almost certain defeat is sure to win in the end. This was the spirit that the Garnet boys showed in the St. Lawrence game.

For the visitors, Welsh, right end; Williams, quarter-

back and Logan, right half, were the "star" men. Welsh worked a fake punt play for decided gains several times and booted the ball forty or forty-five yards every time he was called upon to punt. Logan was a terror when it came to carrying the ball and probably made two thirds of the ground the Scarlet covered. Williams deserves credit for the way he ran the team and for some effective quarterback runs.

The two teams were about evenly matched as far as weight is concerned with the exception of the backs. In the back field the visitors had considerably heavier men and the extra weight was noticeable in the line backs. After a fumble in the last quarter, Union's line was unable to stand the battering of the heavy St. Lawrence backs, a fact that added considerable in losing the game.

Coach Kuolt and Assistant Coach Brown have found the weak places in the team and they expect a great improvement before the Stevens game on Saturday of this week.

The teams lined up as follows:

ST. LAWRENCE.	UNION.
Left end	Starbuck
Welsh	Sellnow
Left tackle	Jasoloski
Kennedy	Vedder
Left guard	
Griffin	
Center	
Olds	
Right guard	
Hutchens, Carnial	Ulrich, Hokerk, Wood
Right tackle	
Kenny	Fischle, Ulrich
Right end	Riley
Confield	
Quarter	
Williams	Fairbairn, McDermott
Left half	
Timmerman	Sarvey
Right half	
Logan	Dewey
Full	
Gardenier	Davis
Time of periods, 10 minutes.	Referee, Bird (Yale,

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1910). Umpire, Cooke (Virginia, 1909). Field judge, Rutherford (Missouri, 1908). Head linesman, Grout (Union, 1902).



UNION VS STEVENS SATURDAY

Union meets the Stevens Institute eleven on the Campus Saturday and a hard game will probably be the result. In the Princeton game last Saturday, Stevens, although badly beaten, showed up well. They will be primed to get revenge for last season's defeat and the Garnet will have to play a fast game to take the laurels of victory.

The line-up of the Steven's team will probably be: Burnham, right end; Paugburn, right tackle; Adams, right guard; Beauchard, center; Hanson, left guard; Seiler, left tackle; Branch, left end; Hawthorne, quarter back; Nash, left half; Higgins, right half; Bradshaw, full back.



UNDERCLASS BATTLES AT IDOL.

The opening week of College this year was as usual made especially interesting by the series of underclass scraps. Both classes showed up well and it was quite uncertain at the start who would win the contests. The first night witnessed the usual worship at the Idol. The sophomores were out in force early and grew impatient for the arrival of the freshmen. However, they were not long in waiting as the entering class soon appeared and made things very interesting for them. At last the second year men prevailed and the Idol wore a green coat of paint that evening.

On awaking next morning the second year men were surprised to find the green coat of paint exchanged for a red one. In the evening the odds were found to be in favor of the freshmen as far as numbers were concerned. This was the best scrap of the week and afforded no end of amusement to the crowd of spectators assembled. The fight finally resulted in a victory for the freshmen, though the sophomores battled in a creditable manner.

Early on Friday afternoon the town people began to gather about the terrace wall to witness the cane rush, the fight which was to decide underclass supremacy. At four-thirty, the two lines began to approach each other and in a moment the air was full of tomatoes and salt bags. The firing continued for a little over five minutes at the end of which time the affair was called by the officials. The cane rush immediately

followed and after a few minutes, the sophomores succeeded in getting fifteen hands on the cane while the freshmen could only manage to get five.

The freshmen did not yet lose courage and put up a number of good wrestling matches. While these were in progress the sophomores suddenly discovered that a freshman was painting the Idol red. A great rush to the scene was made by everyone. A snappy contest ensued during which the sophomores managed to wipe the red paint from the idol. The scrap went on in an indecisive manner for a considerable length of time till at last the upperclass men put an end to it. Taken all-in-all, the fighting has been the best in years.



INVITATION TO UNDERGRADUATES

Sept. 30, 1911

To the Editor of the Concordiensis:

My dear Sir:

May I extend through your paper, in behalf of Mrs. Richmond and myself, a cordial invitation to students in all the classes to call upon us at the President's House?

We shall be at home every Sunday afternoon from 3:30 until 5, to receive informally any who may be disposed to honor us with their presence.

In the past two years it has been our privilege to meet and know many of the undergraduates, and we should be glad that if in the course of this year we might make the personal acquaintance of every student in college.

Faithfully yours,
CHARLES ALEXANDER RICHMOND.



ATHLETIC BOARD MEETS

At a meeting of the athletic board held last week, T. S. A. Fairbairn, '12, was reelected manager of the tennis team, and J. A. Royce, 13, was elected assistant manager of the base ball team.



About eighty Union College freshmen were pleasantly entertained recently in the parlors of the Union Presbyterian Church by the young people of the church. The church parlors were decorated with college banners. Games were played and refreshments were served.

PROFESSOR HOFFMAN ON COMMISSION GOVERNMENT

Dr. Frank S. Hoffman, head of the Philosophy Department of Union College, has just returned from Europe, where he has been making a careful study of municipal conditions. Just before he left this country three months ago he was appointed by Mayor Charles C. Duryee as a member of the commission to make recommendations for the revision of the charter of the City of Schenectady. Robert J. Landon is chairman of the commission and among the other members are Prof. Charles P. Steinmetz, ex-Mayor White and Judge Cutler. Dr. Hoffman was selected as the one to visit the European cities and make observations. The commission will meet in a week or two and at that time Dr. Hoffman will give his report.

He is very enthusiastic about the advanced conditions of municipal government in Europe and spoke at some length to a reporter for a local newspaper concerning his observations. He said in part:

"I began investigating the subject of commission government almost as soon as the steamer left New York, as the mayor of Christiana, Norway, was on board and glad to talk. He had been in this country studying our institutions, particularly our municipal affairs, for the past three months. For seventeen years he has been mayor of Christiana and said he had no idea of resigning his position unless he should receive a higher appointment. He has since been appointed judge of the supreme court and will assume his new duties in October.

"Christiana is practically governed by commission. It is a beautiful modern city and no adverse criticism on its government, so far as I know, have ever been made.

"On landing in Germany I immediately interviewed several prominent men in Hamburg in regard to their municipal affairs. In 1897 the city was almost devastated by the plague. Now it is said by many to be the most sanitary, most progressive and most beautiful city in the world. It has a population of over one million people, including its suburbs. Over \$30,000,000 have recently been expended on its harbor. It is governed chiefly by a small body called the senate, whose members are elected for life by the city council. I found no desire whatever on the part of the citizens to have the method of city government changed.

"From Hamburg I went to Copenhagen, and to my surprise, found there one of the most attractive and beautiful cities in Europe, with a population larger

than Boston. This city is also managed by a small board of experts.

"The next city that I visited was Berlin, now the third largest city in the world, being surpassed only in population by London and New York. The present mayor, now an old man of 70 years, has been in office during a large part of its rapid increase in population. He has two assistants, and in connection with a relatively small city council, manages the city affairs. No whisper of graft or misuse of power came to me from any quarter of the city as I mingled with the people.

"Similar experiences I had in Dresden, Leipsic, Munich and other large cities in Germany, which have grown enormously in population and consequently in difficulty of administration in the last fifteen years. In Germany no one would think of being a candidate for mayor who did not prepare for it by a university course, and did not have the intention of making it a lifework, like any other profession.

"The amount of money some of these cities handle is enormous. In the city of Leipsic, for example, there is being built the largest and most expensive railway station in the world. While the state owns the railway, a large share of the money is being handled by the Leipsic city officials. These officials, being appointed for life, can not be approached by corporate interests with the promise of help in future elections.

"In Germany, only those who pay some taxes have a vote for member of the city council. The people believe that every man, by virtue of being a member of the body politic, has the right to vote on what we call state and national issues, but no right to vote on the expenditure of money for local affairs unless he contributes something toward the expenses.

"In England, I, of course, made as much of a study as my time allowed of the city governments of London, and such other cities as Manchester, Liverpool, Edinburgh and Glasgow. All of these cities are governed by a city council, which chooses a small number of experts to administer the affairs of the city. The mayors are unpaid, and perform chiefly a social function. They are usually men who have served long in the city council, and receive this honor as a reward for long and beneficial service."

In concluding, Dr. Hoffman declared that this country is now passing through the stages of municipal government that Europe faced a half century ago. He declared that we must finally come to the same conclusion as they have; that a small number of paid and permanent officials is the only way to have a stable and efficient government, and that continual changes of administration are demoralizing.

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PRESIDENT RICHMOND DENIES RICHARD CRANE'S ASSERTIONS

In one of his characteristic speeches, President Richmond gave the student body as a whole and the freshmen class in particular, much sound advice when he addressed the undergraduates last week during the chapel exercises. In the course of his remarks President Richmond added a few more words to, as well as endorsing, President Taft's recent contradictions of Richard T. Crane's wild assertions as to the moral degradation of the students in our American colleges.

President Richmond's words on the subject were as follows:

"I am glad that President Taft took occasion to contradict the wild, muck-raking, crazy statements of Crane.

"The allegations of that man were not at the time true and they are not now. They were simply manufactured by Crane and if the other manufacturers for which he is famous in Chicago were of the same calibre, his name would be unknown.

"There is a great improvement in college life all over the country, and in particular right here at Union. The drinker is no longer the idol of the students, but the clean, upright boy has taken his place. If any of you like a student who imbibes too freely and is a sport in other ways, it is not because of these characteristics, but in spite of them.

"Furthermore, the sending of private detectives to Harvard college to unearth and expose to the public view all of the nastiness that might exist among a few of the students, was by no means the part of a gentleman. I have a suggestion for Mr. Crane, although I have slight hopes of it ever reaching his ears. If Mr. Crane would devote his time, energy and vast money resources to the elimination of vice in the city of Chicago, where he lives, he would do far more for the general uplift and social uplift of the country."



PROF. LANDRETH ON COMMITTEE

Professor Olin H. Landreth, head of the civil engineering department, is the first named on a committee of three, which will represent New York state in a settlement between the empire state and New Jersey over the disposal of the 360,000,000 gallons of sewage, which is the daily sewage deposited into New York harbor from the Jersey shores. The other members of the committee are Harrison P. Eddy, of the firm of Metcalf and Eddy, of Boston, and Dr. Eugene H. Porter, State Commissioner of Health.

ANOTHER UNION PROFESSOR PUBLISHES COLLEGE TEXTBOOK

Professor Olin J. Ferguson, a member of Union's engineering faculty, is the author of a textbook entitled "Elements of Electrical Transmission." The book has been so recently published that a review of the text is not obtainable. The Macmillan Company is the publishing house and in the company's last monthly Bulletin the following foreword concerning the textbook is found:

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Theta Lambda Phi: Leo Cunningham.



SAMUEL BURNETT HOWE, A.M. PH.D.

SAMUEL BURNETT HOWE, A. M., Ph. D., of Groton, N. Y., died at Salem, Ohio, on Friday, September 22, and was buried at Groton on the Sunday following. Doctor Howe was superintendent of the schools of Schenectady and Adjunct Nott Professor in Union College from 1879 until he resigned his office in February, 1905. From 1862 until 1879 he taught in the public schools of Albany. He was married on July 15, 1862, at Kent, Ohio, to Sarah Mary Crain, whom he survived, and on March 15, 1890, at Groton, N. Y., to Emma Williard Crain. He was a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Society and of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity. Union conferred the degree of Master of Arts on him in 1865 and the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1887. He is survived by his widow, a daughter and two sons, Mather Crain and Samuel Burnett, both of whom are graduates of the College. Doctor Howe presided over the schools of Schenectady with great efficiency during his long term as superintendent and stood high in the esteem of his fellow citizens. He was Adjunct Professor in Union College ex-officio, and ardent always in furthering the interests of his Alma Mater.



TRAINOR IS SUPERINTENDENT.

A. Winfield Trainor, '12, has been elected superintendent of schools of the fourth supervisory district of Lewis county. Mr. Trainor has been identified with educational work in this district for some time and has obtained the position, which he now holds, after years of creditable work in the public schools of Lewis county.

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The Freshman Class

That the registration for first year men is but slightly below the average of freshman classes of the past four years is a source of gratification to the faculty, inasmuch as the requirements and tuition in all courses have been considerably advanced over last year. The class numbers ninety-seven at the present time and every man now a member of the first year class has fully complied with the raised standard of admission. Many applications for admission were rejected because of insufficient preparation on the part of the applicant and it was expected that the freshman class would be considerably smaller. It is a significant fact that the slight falling off in numbers is felt in the engineering departments and further, that the proportion of academic students is materially larger than last year. The raising of the requirements for admission will eliminate the wholesale dropping of students at the

WISE AND OTHERWISE

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We are glad to be able to know that a Union man would never be guilty of such an exhibition of low sportsmanship as was shown by a member of the visiting team Saturday, when he crossed the line a little ahead of several Union men who failed to overtake him. That the score did not count must have made him feel rather flat.

The spirit shown by the student body Saturday afternoon could not be criticised unfavorably.

The cheering and singing by the students were commented upon by many spectators at Saturday's game and all had nothing but complimentary remarks to make.

What's in a name? We wonder if there isn't something in Star-buck's name that helps to make him the football player that he is.

Dr. Mac's remarks at college meeting recently were pertinent and should be heeded. College meeting should be taken as seriously as classroom work.

STICK AROUND FOR THE RACES

Races will begin at 1:30 sharp and the ball game at 2 p. m. to permit the farmers to get home in time for milking.

---Boonville Herald

SHE WINS!

.... The letter stated that Miss Mowers could have the piano or \$150 in cash. As it is a \$400 piano, Miss Mowers will soon have it installed in her home where it is hoped it will be a thing of beauty and a joy forever.

---Boonville Herald

end of the fall and subsequent terms. It is affirmed that the present freshman class will enter as large a second year class as the present sophomore class. This, of course, will be due to the fact that but few men will be dropped during the first year.



The Concordiensis

The first issue of THE CONCORDIENSIS for the fall term is published under new management. The present board of editors was elected at the end of last winter term and will continue as such during the fall and winter terms of this college year. With the new business management come changes of more or less importance. Perhaps the greatest change will be noted in an increase in reading matter. As now planned the publication will this year present more than fifty inches of reading matter in excess of the paper issued last year. Money is to be expended for cuts and a special cover design will be used within a few issues. It is hoped this season to excell in both quality and quantity all previous volumes of the college weekly.



W. Earl Weller, Journalist

THE CONCORDIENSIS has secured the services of W. Earl Weller, a prominent journalist, who will cover the games that the Union football team will play this fall. Mr. Weller will accompany the team on the trips and give an impartial account of all contests. By this arrangement the readers of THE CONCORDIENSIS will get accurate reports of the games which will be written by a man well versed in football rules and one who has had wide experience in newspaper work.



Owing to the change in proprietorship of the publication office of THE CONCORDIENSIS, new forms had to be made up causing many delays in the first issue. It is expected that future issues will appear Tuesday of each week.

A couple canoeing,
To change seats essayed;
And these are the bubbles,

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○ ○

Which, sinking, they made.

B. M.

The coaching of "Okie" Kuolt is meeting with spoken approval of the students on the side lines.

The football team appears to have a snap and aggressiveness that has been lacking in the Garnet elevens of recent years

Freshmen must not forget to salute the members of the faculty and speak to all undergraduates whether on the campus or on the street.

Freshman caps must be worn at all times.



TO THE FRESHMEN

The freshman, who hired a locker in the aviation shed, should have his money returned for it is understood that the building is up in the air.



It has been announced by the sophomores that all freshman chapel seats have been sold but there is still some choice standing room left that may be purchased at slightly reduced prices.



The freshman, who looked inside the piano in Silliman Hall for his green cap should have considered, before putting the instrument in such an embarrassing position, that it was an unlikely spot to find stolen goods, for it is an upright piano.

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Union will have no more bellringers to toll the college bells for marking the beginning and end of recitation hours. H. M. Stoller, '13, son of Professor James H. Stoller of the college faculty, has installed an electrical system that will ring the bell automatically, doing away with one of Union's oldest customs. For years back there has been open to two students each year the positions of bellringers at Union and by this means a large share of their college expenses would be paid. Many students have been enabled to complete a college course by this method, when without it graduation would have been impossible.

For the past few years there has been considerable trouble caused by the irregularity in ringing the bells and the recitations were alternately long and short much to the inconvenience of both faculty and students. The installation of the electrical apparatus will do away with these annoyances of the past.

In speaking of the work to a newspaper representative a few days ago Mr. Stoller said:

"The system will be arranged with a central automatic time clock which, by brush contact, will close the circuit. This circuit will in turn close a relay circuit and the current will then go to a regulating pendulum which, by means of a solenoid at the bell, controls the vibration of the clapper. Of course there is an element of experiment about the work, and it will take considerable time to get the system in running order, but it is entirely practical and should be easily perfected."

The two bells which will be rung by this device are of different size, the larger one on South College being about three feet in diameter at the opening. This bell was made in Troy in 1843. The other bell is on North College and is only a foot and a half in diameter. The bell carries the information that it was made by Meneely, West Troy, N. Y., in 1860.

DR. RICHMOND HAS MANY DATES

Dr. Richmond has the following dates planned for the coming fall:

He will be at New York City on October 4, to be present at the meeting of the Board of Trustees.

On October 5 and 6, he will visit the University of Vermont to be present at the inauguration of President Guy Potter Benton, A. M., LL. D.

On October 19, Dr. Richmond will go to the University of Minnesota for the inauguration of George Edgar Vincent as president of that University.

The next date will be at Wellesely College where Miss Ellen Fitz Pendleton will be installed as president, on October 19.

On November 9, 1911, he will be present at the installation of Elmer Ellsworth Brown, Ph. D., LL. D., as chancellor of the University of New York.



MUSICAL CLUB COACH CHOSEN

The committee in charge of the selection of the coach for the Musical Clubs at Union College has announced the appointment of Charles B. Welkel of Troy, who is connected with the Schenectady Conservatory of Music. Mr. Welkel comes highly recommended in musical circles and those who have the affairs of the club in charge have great confidence that he will be able to produce the high quality of singing that has distinguished Union in years past.

The Musical Association has also selected Eugene D. Fink, last year's manager, to take charge of the business affairs of the association this year. Owing to the fact that L. S. Churchill, who was to have taken this end of the work in hand, has left college, there was no man who had had the experience necessary to manage the tours as thoroughly as might be desired.

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FOOTBALL RULES INTERPRETED

Officials Define Forward Pass and Onside Kick -- Protection for the Runner

New York, Oct. 3. -- The annual conference of the Football Rules Committee with officials, coaches and others interested in the sport, for the purpose of explaining any confusing wording of the rules, was held at the Manhattan Hotel and was attended by upward of 125 persons, most of them prominently identified with the game. The attendance was the largest in the history of these annual conferences, and the meeting was one of the shortest.

The Forward Pass

The forward pass and the onside kick came in for the greater part of the discussion, due to the fact that in many instances the rules regarding these plays may be construed as conflicting with other rules in book. The question of an incomplete forward pass from behind the goal-line brought out much discussion and the interpretation given by the committee was

that such a pass would hereafter constitute a safety, whether on first, second or third down.

Rules Explained

The committee made no new rules, but it explained many points which had caused uncertainty. Some of the explanations were as follows: A forward pass which goes over the goal line or strikes the goal posts is a touchback. A ball is not dead when it strikes an official, and the play must be continued as if the incident had not occurred. A forward pass illegally touched or recovered shall go to the opponents on the spot of the preceding down, instead of where the foul occurred. If a player loses the pass as he is making a forward pass the official must decide whether or not the ball in leaving his hand goes backward or forward. If forward it constitutes an incomplete forward pass, if backward a fumble. If a foul is declared, for which the penalty would carry the ball over the goal line, it shall be placed on the one-yard line.

The attention of the officials was called to the rule relating to the protection of the man carrying the ball. It was the consensus of opinion that last year this rule was much abused both by players and officials. Walter Camp interpreted the rule, saying.

"The man carrying the ball cannot be helped by any other player, and any man who, whether accidentally or not, places a hand on the player to assist him, should be imposed with the penalty in every case. This rule should be strictly adhered to in both large and small games, or else roughness will crop out in the game. It is up to the coaches, captains and officials to insist upon strict interpretation of the rules at all times."



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At a meeting of the Garnet board held recently the following elections took place: editor-in-chief, Harry E. Mull; business manager, Clarence R. Fischle; assistant business manager, Richard P. Kent; art editor, Walter D. Tiedeman; athletic editor, Theodore W. Hanigan; literary editor Charles T. Male; associate editor, Thomas M. Marshall; secretary, Frederick S. Harris.

Charles H. Hickok, jr., has been elected manager of the sophomore football team.

**The Stage**

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CLASSES HOLD ELECTIONS.

The four classes held meetings during the first and second week of the term for the elections of officers for the ensuing year. The freshman officers will not be announced until after the banquet given by that class in November.

The senior elections are: president, Baynard B. Webb; vice-president, Robert P. Patterson; secretary, William A. Hardenbergh; treasurer, Wallace H. Macmillan; historian, Roy W. Peters. Three additional



B. B. WEBB.

members were elected to the Terrace Council making a total of seven now in the Council. The additional members are Baynard B. Webb, Charles L. Hequembourg, and Horace N. Trumbull.

The junior class elections: president, Stephen L. Mayham; vice-president, John C. Cronin; secretary, Clarence W. Hall; treasurer, Konrad Stern.

The sophomore class elections: president, Louis De La Vergne; vice-president, Luther A. Hager; secretary and treasurer, Harry M. Johnson.



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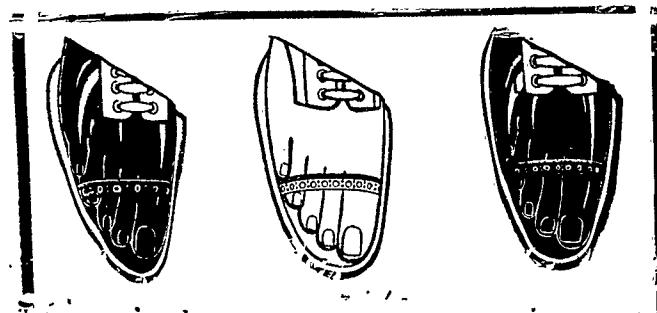
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CROSS COUNTRY AND TRACK

The prospects for a cross-country squad even faster than that of last year are bright. Travis is the only man who was in the runs who will not be back. LaBarron, Rogers and Streever are already in good shape and several other men are fighting hard for a place on the team. Recently LaBarron led a squad around the two mile course in time that was remarkably good. A large squad has been worked up for the cross-country tramps Dr. MacComber has instituted, and it is hoped even more men will take part later. Dr. MacComber said in student meeting recently: "There is hardly a man in college who cannot take part in these walks and the shorter runs, and every one will surely be greatly benefited by the exercise."

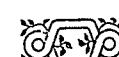
Four men will represent Union in cross-country meet against Colgate at Hamilton on Oct. 28 and a week later they will meet Williams on the home course.

Besides the cross-country squad, other track men have been out on the oval. There will be two novice meets besides the sophomore-freshman meet on election day and these will probably bring out much track material.



WHO'S WHO AT UNION.

Football	F. C. Sellnow, '12	Captain
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	R. P. Patterson, '12	Manager
Track	R. L. Streever, '12	Captain
	W. H. Macmillan, '12	Manager
Baseball	L. L. Biche, '12	Captain
	K. E. Walser, '12	Manager
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	B. B. Webb, '12	Secretary
Terrace Council	T. S. A. Fairbairn, '12	President
	H. A. Schermerhorn, '12	Secretary
Musical Clubs	L. S. Churchill, '12	Manager
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	Mandolin, R. H. Tiebout, '12	Leader
	Banjo, W. J. Mann, '12	Leader
Concordiensis	H. A. Schermerhorn, '12	Editor
	G. A. Woodard, '12	Manager
Press Club	H. N. Trumbull, '12	President
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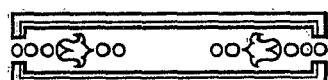
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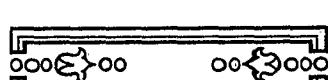
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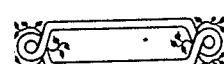
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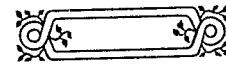
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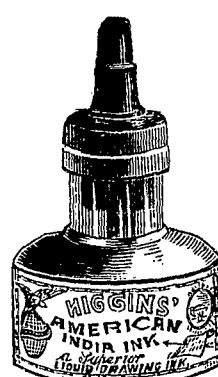
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