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

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THAT the last college year was a successful one is attested by the fact that there were no changes in the Faculty. It also augurs well for the coming year, since the work can not but go on smoothly when professors and students seem actuated by the same purposes and labor together so harmoniously.

WE WISH to congratulate the committee of the Y. M. C. A. on the neat appearance and helpful character of their third annual greeting to Rutgers men, the handbook. The Y. M. C. A. takes an earnest interest in you, men of old Rutgers. Is it not fair for you to take more interest in it than has been shown in previous years?

IN THE Modern Language department this year there is being used Bevier's French Grammar. This is the work on which Dr. Bevier has been laboring so assiduously for some time past, and it is with a feeling of pride that we greet this latest addition to the text books edited by members of our Faculty. Dr. Bevier was assisted in his labors by various persons, but chief among them, in his preface, he mentions Thomas Logie, Ph.D., until recently a professor in the college, and Mr. E. B. Davis, the present instructor in Modern Languages.

THE prize examination for the Sloan Entrance Prizes will take place on Saturday, October 3d. In this competition, which is open to all Classical students of the Freshman class, in good and regular standing, it is confidently expected that the Class of Nineteen Hundred will have more contestants than any other previous class. Freshmen, turn out and make this a spirited contest and not, as in some previous years, a farce in which perhaps five players appeared in the first act and only three were able to play their part to the end of the play. Let your scholarship show itself equal to the brawn you have shown in the muscular contests you have already had.

STUDENTS are supposed to be willing at least, if not actually anxious, to learn. A student should be as ready to hear the claims of one side of an important question as he is to hear the other, and this ought to be especially characteristic of American students, those of the land of free speech! But how different was the case a few days ago, when one of the candidates for the Presidency of the United States was unable to deliver his address in a college town because of the howls, hisses and yells of his hearers. The disturbance seems to have been the work of college men very largely, as their

yell, and conversation afterward, positively identified them with it to some degree. The committee in charge should have foreseen the possibility of such an interruption, and chosen some point not adjacent to the University Green, but that does not excuse the men. We often do things *en masse* which no one of us would think of doing alone, but that does not excuse the insult or repair the vandalism done. We trust that the men of Rutgers will not be classed with the rabble of lower New York by any thoughtlessness or prejudiced demonstration against free speech.

Experimental Farming.

The person who is interested in advanced methods of farming, or in experimental work in general, would find an interesting field for investigation at the College Farm.

Some one has defined an experiment as "a question put to Nature," and the work just referred to is well described in that phrase. One limitation is needed, however, before accepting that definition: in experiments we endeavor to control the conditions of action, so that all the work of Nature may be of use in solving the question we have put to her, and not diminished by work which does not concern the topic in hand.

The College Farm is located near the city reservoir, and consists of nearly one hundred acres of good land. Here experiments are carried on through the Experiment Stations in various lines, the results of which are given in the annual reports. These experiments are of three general classes:—feeding stock, manuring, and fungicide treatments. Prof. Voorhees, the Director of the Stations, is Superintendent of the Farm, and the feeding and manuring experiments are under his direction. The fungicide work is the special line of investigation on which Dr. Halsted is engaged.

The experiments with feeds have extended over several years, and will continue for some time longer. From time to time the details are changed, so that the different points, the quality and quantity of milk, the fattening of the animal, the amount and quality of the manure pro-

duced, receive attention. The first two points have been more thoroughly worked out than the last one, and the relation of feed to manure is now being taken up as a subject for study.

By feeding four cows a "broad" ration and four others as near as may be the same in condition, a "narrow" ration and using the manure of each four on a separate plot of similar land, the relative fertility with the same crop would indicate the values of the two feeds in terms of manure, or of crops. The quantity of the ration for each set will be weighed, as will the milk produced, and the milk will also be analyzed, so that accurate records may be made of all the steps from the feed through to the harvested crop. This is expected to yield some very useful and instructive points in farm technique.

The manuring experiments are of two kinds, the mineral, or commercial fertilizer series; and the crop rotation, or green manuring series. The first series consists in treating similar soils with various portions of the mineral constituents of plants, or the same one in different forms and proportions, and noting the effect as compared with "check" plots which have received no such treatment. This class of experiments will be conducted during the winter in the greenhouse at the Farm, as well as in normal conditions in the larger plots of the open fields in the summer months.

There has been planned a series of rotations, whereby three successive growths are obtained from the same field in a year, such as barley, followed by crimson clover, which are harvested; and the second growth of clover turned under for green manure. The barley and clover are both sown in the fall, and harvested the next year. Similar rotations are in progress using corn, oats or timothy in place of barley, and one using peas and a cereal. These are intended to be used as fodder, either fresh, or as ensilage, kept in the large silo built this summer.

A class of indirect manuring experiments is in progress, and includes irrigation and spacing of the garden fruits, the berries; orchard fruits also receive the indirect treatment. These investigations it is hoped will be especially useful to the truck growers of the State. Certain

standard varieties of berries and of orchard fruits have been planted in duplicate, so that the irrigated row or bed may be compared with the normal, and the space between each two rows and each two plants in a row is also varied to discover the most profitable distance in terms of labor and of fruit returns.

The more evident experiments, or those most likely to be noticed by a visitor are those on the five experiment acres near the greenhouse. Three of these are in charge of Mr. T. A. Jordan, the State Station Horticulturist. The other two are in charge of Mr. J. A. Kelsey, Dr. Halsted's Field Assistant. Here are conducted the experiments in soil and crop treatment for the prevention of the various fungous diseases which render truck crops unmarketable at times. Here too are experiments in irrigation, both surface and subterranean; which are conducted to find what effect the water has on fungous diseases, as well as to compare the weight of crops grown. The results obtained here are studied so far as possible in the laboratory, to serve as a guide for future work, and to ascertain the "why" of the effect of certain treatments.

The methods used in the dairy, and the equipment of the farm buildings also afford interesting points to the student, or to any one who thinks of the farmer as the most important member of the laboring class. The recent improvements and those in progress make this to a degree a model farm, not that it is pushed to the fullest attainment in any one direction, but it serves as a standard by which one may judge others, and which many farmers could imitate with profit.

'97 Class Committees.

President Carpenter of the Senior Class has appointed the following committees:

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Class Play: Haddow, Hageman, Heath, Mason, Morrison.

Class Memorial: Roeber, Carpenter, Colyer.

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Garret A. Hobart.

All men may not be great but all may be honest, and some may be both great and honest. To this last class belongs the subject of our sketch, Garret Augustus Hobart, a graduate of the Class of 1863 of Rutgers College, and to him our Alma Mater, always rejoicing in the success of her sons, extends her heartiest praise and most cordial recognition of the personal worth which has merited the honors bestowed upon him.

The family record of Mr. Hobart includes a goodly number of honorable names, among them legislators and clergymen of Massachusetts in the early days of our country.

Addison W. Hobart, the father of Garret, followed successively the occupations of teacher and farmer, and it was while he was in charge of the Long Branch Academy that Garret was born. (June 3, 1844.)

The elder Hobart was a man of sound sense, and thus the son had his encouragement in securing an education. The pecuniary aid was very small, for the academy was not rich in endowments to pay its principal.

After mastering the primary subjects of the public school, Hobart spent a year at the Classical School at Freehold, then in charge of William W. Woodhull. His preparation for college was finished at James W. Schermerhorn's Classical School at Matawan, N. J. He entered the Sophomore Class at Rutgers in the Fall of 1860.

While at college he took an active part in athletics and was particularly interested in mathematics and English literature. He was a member of Philo, at that time a progressive society. His easy manners and genial disposition made friends for him everywhere, and it is said, especially with the young ladies of the period.

In June, 1863, at the early age of nineteen, Mr. Hobart graduated from college, and for a short time taught a school at Marlboro, N. J. He did not long continue in this position, as he had chosen the profession of law. To fit himself for his life work he entered the office of Socrates Tuttle, of Paterson, December 1, 1863. Mr. Tuttle was a leading lawyer at that time, and an old friend of Mr. Hobart's father. The daughter of Mr. Tuttle, a few years later became Mrs. Garret A. Hobart. The family life then begun has been most happy. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hobart are noted for their benevolence and their home has ever been a centre from which help has gone forth to the unfortunate in all parts of the city.

In his public career Hobart has exhibited the qualities of a statesman rather than those of a politician. Perhaps the primary distinction between the two classes of men is that the statesman tries to serve his country, while the politician aims to serve himself or his party. Mr. Hobart's private business enterprises have been so successful that he has not needed the salaries or other monetary rewards of public office, and his ability has been such as to make it of interest to his party to seek him first. His attitude in regard to office-holding is shown by his directions to those wishing to nominate him for Vice-President at the Republican convention. His injunction was: "Select the strongest available man for the ticket, utterly regardless of my interests."

As a lawyer, he is considered one of the ablest in the United States, but he has not cared to go into court except when the interests of his clients demanded it.

Mr. Hobart's first public office was that of Judge of Elections in Paterson. In 1865 he was appointed Clerk for the Grand Jury, and in 1871

elected City Counsel of Paterson. He has been identified with that city for thirty years, and its citizens are proud of it, as well as the fact that Governor Griggs is also a Paterson man.

In 1872 Mr. Hobart was elected a member of the New Jersey Assembly with the largest majority ever received by any candidate in his district.

Re-elected to the Legislature in 1873, he was chosen speaker of the Assembly. His services in this body were so acceptable to the people that his nomination for a third term, was earnestly advocated, but as this was opposed to all precedent he would not allow his name to be used.

The term of Hon. John Hopper a Democratic senator from Passaic county, expired in 1876. Mr. Hobart was nominated by the Republican party for the office and was elected. In 1879 he was again elected to the State Senate and was president of that body for two sessions, 1881 and 1882. In his position as Speaker of the Assembly and President of the Senate he displayed marked ability as a parliamentarian, and his decisions were never overruled. His success as a presiding officer gives reason to believe that his efforts would be equally satisfactory if he is called to the office of President of the United States Senate as Vice-President of our nation.

Mr. Hobart has always favored general against special legislation,—the good of the community at large rather than the benefit of the few.

In national politics Mr. Hobart has distinguished himself as chairman of the State Committee of his party, and as delegate to its National Convention. He has helped to elect good men to office, and has been active in the interest of candidates for places for which he himself could have had the support of his party.

He has always been more ready to recognize the fitness of other leading men of his party than to present his own claims. In all his public career the office has sought the man and not the man the office, a circumstance which is far from frequent in modern politics.

This sketch is not intended to be a history of his life. Space will not permit us to more than

mention his public acts and private benevolences. That his life has been one of usefulness and helpfulness to others is abundantly proved by the universal respect and affection shown him by those who are acquainted with him, and especially by the people of Paterson who know him best. Whatever the issue of the coming election may be, its result will neither make nor mar Garret A. Hobart. His character is the work of a lifetime, and is neither increased nor lessened by elevation to high office. It is to such of its alumni that Rutgers College points with pride and seeks to incite those who come under its influence to emulate their worthy examples.

E. J. MEEKER.

Class Meetings.

On Friday, September 18, the various classes held their meetings with the following results:

The Senior Class elected the following officers for the year: President, J. N. Carpender, Jr.; Vice President, H. E. Reid; Secretary, J. E. Ashmead; Treasurer, J. Stanley Verga; Historian, A. J. Meyer.

For Class Day the elections were: Orator, J. Scudder; Poet, D. W. Hageman; Historian A. Ericson; Presenter of Memorial, S. L. Harding; Prophet, C. P. Case; Address to Undergraduates, Hugh Haddow, Jr.; Presenter of Mementoes, R. B. Corbin; Ivy Orator, E. Heath; Ivy Ode, T. E. Gravatt; Ivy Planter, F. DeM. Stryker; Pipe Orator, F. A. Seibert; Address to President, J. M. Mills; Master Orator, A. J. Walter; Tree Orator, C. L. Hoopes; Tree Planter, M. C. Colyer.

The Junior Class elected: President E. E. Van Cleef; Vice President, L. M. Smith; Secretary, E. G. W. Meury; Treasurer, W. P. Clark; Historian, J. G. Lipman.

The Sophomore Class held a meeting, nominated candidates and held their election to-day, so that the results were too late for publication.

The Freshmen elected as temporary President M. S. Purdy, and design to hold a regular election as soon as they become acquainted with one another.

Mr. Upson, Dr. Duryee, Dr. Bowser, Dr. J. C. Van Dyke and Dr. Adams were in Europe during the summer.

Alumniana.

[Any authentic notes relating to Alumni, which subscribers may choose to send in, will be thankfully received by the Editor of this department.]

'40. Rev. Nicholas Du Bois Williamson, died at South Bend, Ind., September 12, 1896.

'41. Rev. Cyril Spaulding died at Newark, N. J., August 9, 1896.

'62. John Schomp died at Omaha, Neb. Sept. 14, 1896.

'62. Through the generosity of Prof. J. C. Smock, Ph.D., State Geologist of New Jersey, and a member of the Class of '62 of the College, the library has recently received a valuable edition of the History of Rome and of the Roman People, by Victor Duruy. The set includes eight octavo volumes, each in two sections, handsomely bound in half morocco, fully illustrated, and will be of great interest and use to students of history. The History of Rome is designed to accompany an edition de luxe of the History of Greece, by the same author, which the library received from Prof. Smock last year.

'65. Rev. John A. Davis, D.D., pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Nyack, N. Y., has just published through the Congregational Sunday School and Publishing Society, of Boston, Mass., a tale of Chinese life, in book form, entitled "The Young Mandarin."

'69. Edward Warren Clark, who has already been four times around the world, starts from San Francisco about the middle of October, to conduct another party of tourists across lands and oceans, expecting to arrive in New York next spring. His home is at Rockford, Ill.

'69. Rev. William Elliot Griffis, D.D., has been elected foreign member of the Maatschappij der Nederlandsche Satterkunde te Laiden (The Netherlands Literary Society), which is an association of scholars and literary men, including most of the prominent men of letters and learning, with about one hundred foreign members on the Continent of Europe and the Dutch East Indies, and is devoted to the study of the language, literary history and antipodes of the Netherlands.

'89. At the June meeting of the Trustees, Mr. Myers, of the chemical department, was made Associate Professor of Chemistry.

'93. F. B. Sanford and L. H. Mettler have received their certificates of graduation from the New York Law School.

'93. Isaac Van Hee is doing pastoral work within the bounds of Deer Park Church, Port Jervis, N. Y.

The address of the Rev. A. H. Schleider is Hurley, N. Y., over which congregation he was installed Sept. 3, 1896.

Rev. Hobart E. Studley left Vancouver for the missionary field in China, with Li Hung Chang as companion on board.

Rev. Henry C. Cussler is preaching in the Free Reformed Church of Jersey City.

Rev. Frank Malven is assistant to the Rev. Dr. Joachim Elmendorf, '50, of the First Collegiate Church of Harlem.

W. J. McKnight, of the Harvard Law School, visited college last week.

"Billy" Stilson is on the force of the Chicago *Tribune*.

'94. H. V. M. Dennis has received his diploma from the New York Law School.

'95. George F. Scull, Jr., passed the summer in Europe.

J. P. Stout, who taught in the Preparatory School, last year, is now at St. John's Military Academy, Manlius, N. Y.

'96. Brink, Conger, Mallery, Meeker, Randolph, Tilton and Voorhees have entered the Seminary.

Duryee, Byram and Inglis are studying law. Cooper, Drury, Pool and Whitenack intend to study medicine.

"George Hobart, nephew of Garrett A. Hobart, is making some brilliant speeches in the southern counties. He is an easy talker and never fails to awaken a keen interest in his forcible logic."—N. Y. *Press*. He intends studying law.

Louis D. Ayres is studying architecture in New York.

Wesley W. Burden is in the electrical business in New York.

George D. Cornish is with the N. Y. and N. J. Telephone Company in Brooklyn.

E. B. Fithian is surveying for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. He is living in Newark.

Alfred C. Gregory is surveying for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company at Buffalo.

Frank C. Manley is with a Connecticut engineering firm.

B. F. Monaghan is vice principal of Morton street school, in Newark.

George W. Nuttman is teaching in the Preparatory School.

Cullen W. Parmelee is chemist for the New York and Boston Dyewood Works. He is living in Brooklyn.

Robert M. Pierson has a position in Boston.

Charles A. Poulson is instructor in the Media Academy, at Media, Pa.

A. B. Roome is engineering at Norristown, Pa.

Garrett Van Cleve is with the Paterson Traction Company.

Gustav W. Wittig is teaching German in the New Brunswick High School.

Alexander T. Van Nest, Esq., a member of the Board of Trustees, died Aug. 10, 1895, at Sangenschwalbach.

Rutgers vs. Newark Field Club.

Rutgers played her first game of the season last Saturday at Neilson Field. Two fifteen minute halves were played with a team from the Newark Field Club.

The game was called at 4.15. Newark won the toss and took the ball, Rutgers taking the eastern goal. On the kick off Rapalje caught the ball and was downed on the twenty-five yard line. Mason carried the ball down the field by quick opening plays and then Haddow kicked to Newark's fifteen yard line, Young catching the ball.

Repeated gains by Belding around our ends soon brought the ball back to the centre of the field, where Rutgers broke through and got the ball, only to lose it on downs. O'Gorman here was substituted by Meyer. Soon after time was called with the ball in Newark's possession in the centre of the field.

In the second half Drury was substituted for Ryno, Ryno for Mason, and Mason for Heath. On the Newark team Lebkeuecher took Belting's place and Graham Vance's.

Haddow kicked off Newark's twenty yard line;

DeWitt bucked our line for five yards; Rutgers got the ball on downs. Rushes by Ryno and Newark's offside play advanced the ball to Newark's fifteen yard line when the ball was lost on downs only to be regained on a fumble. Haddow gained five yards, Rapalje three, and Ryno then bucked the line for short gains, touching down after 11½ minutes of play. Haddow failed to kick the goal.

Drury caught the kick off and passed the ball to Ryno who was downed on Rutgers thirty yard line. Ryno bucked the line. Ryno's hard work had begun to tell on him and Oram took his place. Haddow kicked and Dodd caught making a pretty run. Lebkeuecher gained five yards, being stopped by Drury's fine tackle. Newark lost the ball on a fumble and Haddow kicked again, Dodd bringing the ball back to the line. Dodd kicked and Rapalje's return was blocked, Newark getting the ball on our twenty-five yard line. Newark advanced the ball to the fifteen yard line, when time was called.

In the first half Rutgers played a slow game, the interference being poor. This was perhaps excusable, it being the first game of the season. The second half was much better, although at all times our tackling was not as good as it should have been. The line men did good work and Ryno and Mason made good runs. Haddow kicked well throughout the game. Belting did splendid work for Newark, as did also Dodd.

The line up was as follows:

Rutgers—4.		N. F. C.—0.
Heath, }	right—end—left	Pioneer.
Mason, }	“ tackle “	DeWitt.
Walter,	“ guard “	Wilkinson.
Woodruff,	center	Perry.
Mills (Capt.)		{Vance.
Carpender,	left—guard—right	{Graham.
McMahon,	“ tackle “	{Meyer.
Hoagland,	“ end “	{O'Gourman.
Mason,)	“ half-back “	{Belding.
Ryno,)		{Lebkuecher.
Oram,)		
Rapalje,	right—half-back—left	Stewart.
Haddow,	full-back	Dodd.
Ryno,)	quarter-back	Young.
Drury,)		

Umpire, Mohn; Referee, Ludlow; Linesman, Runyon; Time-keeper, Stryker.

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U. S. Infantry.

Field—

R. B. Parrott, Major.

Staff—

W. J. Morrison, Jr., First Lieutenant and
Adjutant.

G. A. Osborne, First Lieutenant and
Quartermaster.

Non-Commissioned Staff—

W. P. C. Strickland, Jr., Sergeant-Major.

C. V. Smith, Quartermaster Sergeant.

E. E. Van Cleef, Color-Sergeant.

Field Music—

J. N. Carpenter, Jr.

R. B. Corbin.

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H. E. Helmstaedter.

H. Marelli.

H. L. Ulrich.

Color Guard—

Corporal Irick, '99.

Corporal Weston, '99.

Company A—

Captain, E. DeM. Stryker.

First Lieutenant, F. F. Roeber.

Second Lieutenant, T. E. Gravatt.

Sergeants, W. P. Clark.

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C. M. Ryno.

Corporals, L. P. Runyon.

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Company B—

Captain, H. Haddow, Jr.

First Lieutenant, S. D. W. Ludlum.

Second Lieutenant, J. S. Verga.

Sergeants, J. Wyckoff.

.....

F. Decker.

Corporals, F. G. Von Gehren.

W. L. R. Haines.

Company C—

Captain, G. S. Ferguson.

First Lieutenant, H. E. Reid.

Second Lieutenant, G. W. Brown.

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First Lieutenant, J. E. Ashmead.

Second Lieutenant, R. V. A. Carpenter.

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J. B. Guthrie.

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E. H. Sarles.

PRIVATES.**Company A—**

Colyer, '97

Conover, '00

Cowenhoven, '00

Eggerding, '00

Garretson, '99

Gerrety, '99

Greene, '00

Winn, '99

Higgins, '00

Kelly, '98

Mills, '97

Rapalje, E. H., '00

Roray, '00

Sexton, '00

Thompson, W. H., '98

Thompson, J. W., '99

Company B—

Banta, '99

Booth, '00

Brink, '00

Cooper, '00

Cothreo, '00

Diehl, '97

Growney, '99

Gulick, '98

Hardenbergh, '00

Kirkpatrick, '00

Leary, '97

Lipman, M. L., '00

Marker, '99

Pierce, '00

Plumley, '99

Sauer, '00

Searing, '99

Tinsley, '00

Company C—

Campbell, '99

Collins, J., '98

Collins, H. P., '99

Collins, J., '98

Edgar, '00

Fischer, C. H., '99

Fischer, T. C., '99

Kotinsky, '98

McClain, '00

Morris, '99

Petit, '00

Rapalje, H. D., '00

Riggs, '97

Rosenbloom, '99

Scattergood, '99

Van Leuven, '00

Voorhees, '00

Company D—

Coriell, '99

Edgar, '99

Pearse, '98

Roselle, '00

Hoopes, '97	Sammis, '00
Hutchinson, '98	Schureman, '97
Lyon, '00	VanWinkle, '00
McMahon, '00	Voorhees, '00
McLaury, '00	Walser, '98
Parker, '99	Whitlock, '99
Parsons, '00	Wood, '98

Woodruff, '00.

In accordance with orders issued from the headquarters of the Rutgers Corps Cadets, Second Sergeant Messler, '98, is raised to rank as First Sergeant, and transferred from Company B to Company C, vice Preble, '98, who has left College.

The following vacancies are noticed in the roster given above: Co. A, Second Sergeant, Second Corporal; Co. B, First and Second Sergeants; and field music, one man, drummer.

F. H. Blodgett has been appointed clerk of the Cadet Corps.

Afternoon Tea.

My lady fair
With graceful air
Behind her little table sits,
The kettle sings
Its simmer brings
Me one bit nearer to her side.

With gentle care
The wrist that's bare
Doth poise the kettle o'er the cups.
Its well-formed grace
Half hid in lace
Reveals a gentle rising curve.

It is most rare
Tis sweetest fare
Sipping tea in her presence there.
Ah! in the cup
Just peeping up
I spy Sir Cupid with a grin.

—FELIX.

Cupidocide.

Lo! Love lies dead, pierced to the heart,
Slain by ruthless Wisdom's dart,
Best be dead by violence slain
Than to languish in a chain.

Wisdom, called in kind Friendship's aid
To his charge Love's body laid.
In Friendship now sweet joys abide
Not in vain Love hast thou died.

—FELIX.

A Contrast.

It was my pleasure during the past summer to visit that old, yet hustling city of Schenectady, N. Y., and among other things of interest to take a walk through the campus of Union College. Of course it was much larger than our own, but covered, as it is for the most part, with woods it is indeed a pleasant place to stroll. Passing through the woods and over the meadows, the only use of which seems to be to furnish pasturage for cattle, we emerge upon the lawn lying between the two principal college buildings.

At Rutgers, thanks to the generosity of Mr. Neilson, we have an Athletic Field so do not have to cut up our loveliest pieces of turf for the "diamond" and "gridiron," but are allowed the opportunity of seeing our campus, by the combined action of Johnny and Clarence, assisted by heat, light and moisture, becoming more and more beautiful every day. At Schenectady, however the Athletic Field is the campus and the consequent effect upon the green sward is but too apparent.

So much for the green grass. The Botanical Gardens, the name they go by in Schenectady escapes me, however, are a joy to the heart of any botanist or lover of flowers, and it will likely be many years ere Rutgers has anything to compete with them. But of those anon. L.

Foot-Ball Schedule.

Oct. 3. Rutgers vs. Princeton. Princeton.
Oct. 7. Rutgers vs. Ursinus. New Brunswick.
Oct. 10. Rutgers vs. Elizabeth Athletic Club. Elizabeth.
Oct. 14. Possibly Lehigh. South Bethlehem.
Oct. 17. Rutgers vs. Haverford. New Brunswick.
Oct. 21. Rutgers vs. Stevens. New Brunswick.
Oct. 24. Rutgers vs. Swarthmore. Swarthmore.
Oct. 31. Rutgers vs. U. S. N. A. Annapolis.
Nov. 3. Rutgers vs. Volunteer A. C. N. Y. Man. Fd.
Nov. 7. Rutgers vs. Union. Albany.
Nov. 11. Possibly Stevens. Hoboken.
Nov. 14. Rutgers vs. N. Y. U. New Brunswick.

The success of the season will of course depend entirely on the support given by the student body. Let every man with this in view do his utmost to make the team and the season one of great credit to our college.

Economic Entomology,

For the farmer and fruit growers, and for use as a text-book in Agricultural Schools and Colleges, by John B. Smith, Sc.D. Such is the title of the last addition to the text-books issued by our Rutgers professors. It is an octavo volume of 480 pages, thoroughly illustrated with figures drawn by the author, reproduced from micro and other photographs, and well as loaned from other publications. The press work is that of the J. B. Lippincott Co., and is of a high grade character.

The work is divided into three parts, dealing respectively of insect structure and classification, of the insect world, which forms the body of the work, and insecticides, preventives and machinery,

There are eight chapters in Part I. which give a general introduction, and then discuss the different regions, head, thorax, and abdomen, of insects, with thin appendages. Next the internal structure is taken up, and muscles, respiration, nerves, reproduction and development are successively treated. All through this part figures are freely used to enforce the points brought out in the text, and to show more clearly than any mere words can do the adaptation to special purposes of the structures in hand. The microphotos illustrative of the mouth parts are very distinct, and we congratulate Dr. Smith on his success with the camera.

The pages 52 to 417 are filled with the descriptions of the families and genera of those insects which are most intimately of interest to people at large, because of their work in the vegetable garden, or in the field and orchard. Here again are illustrations used to great advantage, showing the important distinctive features between similar genera, or species. In this we find several "inserts" of figures, whose details could not be so well shown on the slightly glazed paper of the text. The differences of mouth structure between different classes of insects is especially a point of illustration.

The third part is of practical importance to fruit growers, because of the details of treat-

ment given for the control of insect enemies, and fills pages 418-466. The index is very full, and the whole book forms a valuable addition to the list of books of economic character which deal with nature.

Republican Club.

The Republican Club of the college has elected the following officers: President, E. DeM. Stryker; Vice President, A. R. Riggs; Secretary, M. C. Colyer. The President appointed the following as a campaign committee: Henry Marelli, J. N. Carpender, Jr., M. C. Colyer, J. M. Mills and L. P. Peeke.

At a meeting of the committee held Saturday, it was decided to hold a rally in October and have, if possible, Garret A. Hobart and Foster M. Voorhees, our representative Republicans, to address the meeting. Ways and means for the rally were also considered.

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Rutgersensia.

Wilson and Noe, ex-'96, have joined '97.... '99 has been reinforced by Morris and Lyons.Girtanner is back in college with the class of '00....Torrey, '97, has left college to enter the surveying business....Among those whose faces we miss are Small, '97, Champion, '98, Preble, '98, and Ross, '99....Decker, '98, returned to college Saturday but still has trouble with his knee....Another Parsons in college! "Commodore, keep up the reputation of the family."....Table board at the Dormitory has been reduced to \$3.50 per week, and the five tables are well occupied....The trial for the Glee Club took place last Friday. Some of the vacancies will be hard to fill....The Y. M. C. A. meeting held last Sunday afternoon was addressed by Rev. C. A. Jenkins, of the Livingston Avenue Baptist Church...The entering class at the Seminary numbers fifteen, including several Rutgers men....The handball court in the gymnasium is ready for use, and a fall tournament might serve to increase interest in the game....Messler, '98, has been promoted to the office of First Sergeant in the battalion, in place of Preble, who has not returned....Corporals Quad and Messler are busily engaged in instructing a promising "awkward squad" of Classical Freshmen....Lieutenant Davis has inaugurated a new plan this year in drilling the Freshmen with the battalion Tuesdays and alone Thursdays....Mills, '97, is the most energetic foot-ball captain Rutgers has had for some time. With the students' support he should develop a good team; not without it....We are sorry to see that the Class of 1900 is small, but we believe that there is considerable good material for athletics and other branches of college life.The Freshmen are already being caught in the meshes of Algebra. If you see a '00 man wearing an anxious expression of countenance or gulping down his breakfast in half a dozen mouthfuls, you may guess what is the matter.The following men have been initiated into the Greek Letter Fraternities: Delta Phi, Kirkpatrick and Cowenhoven; Zeta Psi, Higgins; Delta Upsilon, Ecker, '99, Purdy, Pettit, Case, Eckerson and Parsons; Delta Kappa Epsilon,

McMahon, Woodruff, Cooke and Jones; Chi Phi, Dawson, '98, E. Rapalje, H. Rapalje and Talmadge, '00....Several clubs that have flourished in the past have not yet been heard from. The Chess Club, the Civil Engineering Society, as well as several others, have proved of considerable service, and should not be allowed to fall into oblivion....The tennis court adjoining the gymnasium has been put in shape, and may be used by any one applying to Dr. Adams. A tournament was proposed last spring, but never materialized. Is it not possible to hold one this fall? ...Diehl, '97, is a formidable candidate for the Bradley Mathematical Prize. His scheme is to tutor at least one man in every branch of mathematics, and thus refresh his own memory. There is nothing like ingenuity. The C. E's will have to look out....Lieutenant Davis has decided that a cadet properly uniformed shall wear a blue cap, blouse and trousers of the regulation pattern, well brushed, black shoes (polished of course), a straight collar of prescribed height, to be purchased of the Quartermaster-Sergeant, a black necktie, and white cotton gloves, those of the officers to be of lisle thread....The Y. M. C. A. has started work in earnest, with Walter, '97, at the helm. Active steps are being taken to procure better accommodations—a room that the Y. M. C. A. can use exclusively, and it will not be long before the change is made...The subjects and leaders of the Bible classes to be held throughout the year are as follows: Seniors, Life of Paul, Case, '97. Juniors, Life of Paul, Dawson, '98. Sophomores, Parables and Miracles, Martin, '99. Freshmen, Life of Christ, Walter, '97....Now that college has fairly started, it is time to remind each man that he should take a personal pride in the appearance of the campus. Don't scatter waste papers over the grass, and remember the admonition that each student is a special policeman, whose duty it is to keep all the other special policemen off the grass....The Sophomore proclamations appeared rather early this year. The Freshmen showed their independence by putting up their posters Friday morning. Neither "proc." displayed much literary ability, but the absence of objectionable features some-

times displayed is commendable. The practice of pasting them on the college and other public buildings, however, will be condemned by every fair-minded man.... We are glad to note that Philo is awake. On Friday, the 18th, an attempt was made to organize for the year, but owing to the fact that most of the members were too busy to turn out, no meeting was held. Let every man be present at the next meeting, in order that Philo may have a good start for a prosperous year. We are assured that if Philo is successful, Peitho will be awakened from her long sleep. Success to both!

Subjects for Orations.

FIRST TERM, 1896-'97.

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The service at Association Hall, 76 Church street, last Sunday was a very interesting one; being addressed by Messrs. E. S. Campbell, C. W. Gulick, R. W. Hughes, and Secretary Head.

The subject was "A Life Without Self In It."

The two selections rendered by Hart's orchestra were exceptionally fine.

The music by Mrs. Abbie W. Lyon and her children was bright and full of inspiration.

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SPECIAL RATES TO STUDENTS.

Personal.

President Scott spent the summer at Granville Centre, Mass, with his family.

During the summer the New Brunswick Golf Club have had several contests for the Handicap Tournaments for a silver cup. Among the winners have been Charles Deshler, '85, J. S. Morgan, '92 (twice), Dr. Stevenson (twice), Lawrence Runyon, '99 (twice), and Cowenhoven, '00.

Aslier Atkinson, '85, in the Handicap Contest at Tuxedo, won a score of 94 gross—18—76 net. This was beaten only by H. R. Sweeney, with a score of 92. This is especially creditable, as he beat Menzies, Armstrong and Rushmore, all of whom are crack players.

At the tournament held in Waumbek, New Hampshire, C. B. Ludlow, '86, won against a field of twenty-two, by the score of 98 net (gross 116). This score was also beaten by only one scratch player.

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The College World.

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Hope College, which is the Reformed Church College of the West, admitted fifty new students this fall. Of these twenty-five make up the Freshman class. The college was founded in 1847.

One of the most interesting events of the year in educational lines is the opening in America of a branch of the famous old Oxford University Press. The founding of the *Press* dates back to 1478. The famous Oxford India paper is manufactured exclusively for the University Press and the secret of its manufacture is known to only three persons living. The American branch is at 91 Fifth avenue, N. Y.

Princeton began this week the 150th year of history as a college. It has planned a grand celebration for October 20th, 21st and 22d.

It is thought that the Athletic Association of the University of Pennsylvania will give their consent to the introduction of foot-ball this fall.

The University of Chicago has received since May, 1889, more than \$14,000,000 in donations. This does not include the gift lately made for a biological station nor the \$2,200,000 just given by Mrs. Bradley for the founding at Peoria of a Polytechnic Institute, two of whose directors out of seven are to be directors of the University of Chicago.

Prof. George B. Merriman, formerly Professor of Mathematics and Astronomy, was in town recently.

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