

THE HESPERIAN STUDENT.

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Subscribe for the STUDENT.

Scarce—Young ladies at Society.

The latest title for ladies—Esq.

Iowa State University has 404 students.

The weather this morning is exceedingly fine.

Several communications were unavoidably crowded out of this issue.

The *Hearth and Home* is the best young folks rural paper in the Union.

Our Junior students are struggling with a Beard

Gallant—Permitting young ladies to go home by themselves, Friday evening.

Don't be bashful about sending in subscriptions for the STUDENT.

Reverent—The giggling of certain young ladies and gentlemen during chapel exercises.

Stiff—Some of the members of the University nine, after playing ball, on Thursday.

Should tomorrow be a fine day, we suggest a hunt. Come boys, exercise.

We understand that the chorister is preparing to furnish us some excellent music this evening.

Those skirmishes in the halls of the University, between the guardian of the building and the students, are interesting.

Members of the society please remember that this is your paper, and we rely on you for support. Let each one do something. Remember that unity is strength.

Read the beautiful poem, "Love in Death," by Prof. O. C. Dake. We shall be able to present from time to time, articles from our "Nebraska Poet."

The conduct of some of our young ladies and gentlemen during chapel exercises is becoming shameful. We are afraid it will call forth a stern rebuke.

In the Oberlin (Ohio), *Evangelist*, dated August, 1858, we observe an article on the admittance of females to State Universities.

Soft—The score of the game between the Yankee Hill Base Ball Club and the University nine; 46 to 11 in favor of the latter.

A Junior student, of Cornell University, in rendering an account to his father of his last term's expenses, entered an item: "Charity \$30." His father wrote back, "I fear that charity covers a multitude of sins."

In haste!—one of our freshmen, the other day who observed one of the Professors approaching while endeavoring to crowd a vast amount of tobacco through one of the grates in the hall.

The University was visited by Prof. Creagan, Principal of the Nebraska City free schools, during last week. He is much pleased with the prospects of the institution.

Friday evening September 25th, first debate in the Literary Society, question, "Resolved, that foreign immigration should be encouraged," in which the affirmative was maintained with considerable skill by Messrs. Street and Metcalf, while the negative was equally represented by Messrs. Dales and Wallingford. The question was decided in the affirmative.

Declamations by Messrs. Whipple and Stevenson, and also an essay by Miss Benton were highly appreciated.

The exercises Friday evening, Oct. 6th, were quite interesting. The usual programme of Essays, Declamations and Debate, constituted the exercises. Cadman and Cropsey represented the gentlemen in the declaiming class; and Miss Bissell, the ladies, with credit. J. S. Dales read an instructive essay; Mr. Cummings also read a very good essay. Question for debate, "Resolved that intemperance creates more misery than war," was lively. Affirmative—Messrs. Hovey and Griss. Negative—Messrs. Hurd and Field. Decided in the affirmative.

The exercises of Friday night, the 13th, were decidedly the best we have yet witnessed at the Palladian. The debate was especially good. The hall was crowded with visitors, who paid strict attention, and who frequently applauded. The question, "Resolved, That Compulsory education is Beneficial," was ably discussed by Miss Kelly, Messrs. Stevenson and Rhodes on the affirmative; and Messrs. Snowden and Sweet on the negative. After the regular debate, remarks were made by Chancellor Benton, Prof. Aubrey, and many others; and was finally decided in favor of the affirmative. To all who are interested, we extend a hearty welcome.

The STUDENT will compare favorably with any College paper in the country.

The Chicago fire burnt most of the public school houses in that city. With their usual energy, however, increased by the severe extremity to which they are reduced, the inhabitants of that place are preparing to rebuild. Strange they don't stick up a sign and teach in under that.

The University was as silent as a graveyard all day Thursday, the 20th, from the fact that all of the students, and we presume, the members of the Faculty, were in attendance at the County Fair. We suppose a goodly number were converted, and made up their minds to study Horace Greeley on Farming," but are decidedly of the opinion that the majority would prefer staying at home, and working their way steadily through old Caesar or Cicero.

Side-walks are badly needed from all parts of town to the University. Especially one from "O" street up 11th. We hope the City Fathers of Lincoln will look into this matter before winter.

The mechanical as well as the literary part of this paper is gotten up exclusively by the students of the University. We think it will compare favorably in point of neatness, with any paper in the State.

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The following named persons are the officers of the Palladian:

- W H Snell, President.
- Miss Gracie Benton, Vice President.
- J S Dales, Recording Secretary.
- F W Street, Corresponding Sec.
- Clarence Roads, Treasurer
- Miss Florence A Peck, Chorister.
- H K Metcalf, Usher

The editors elected for the ensuing term, were, W L Sweet, Steptoe Kinney, and Miss J C Kelly.

Several papers of this State have been casting suspicion upon the Treasurer of the University funds. This affair should be looked into, and the truth discovered.

According to an amendment passed the other evening, to our constitution, no person shall hold the same office, twice in succession.

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The rising generation in Iowa is hopefully bright. At one of the Sunday Schools in a town of that State, the superintendent in reviewing the lesson, asked the question, "Why are we commanded to 'gird our loins?'" One sharp little "shave" sung out, "To hold our breeches up."

Josh says that the man who wrote "I would not live always, I ask not to stay," probably had never been urged sufficiently.

Schoolmistress—"Johnny, I'm ashamed of you! when I was your age I could read as well as I do now!" Johnny—"Aw! but you'd a defiant teacher to wot we'm got!"

A few days since Jack Frost destroyed about fifteen tons of grapes at the Westborough (Mass.) Reform School, valued at twelve hundred dollar. The crime seems to have been of the most unprovoked and wanton nature. The criminal is still at large, and will probably not be arrested until some time next spring.

Mrs. Cady Stanton is credited with making a very sensible and sarcastic reply to some one who asked her if she thought that girls possessed, as a general thing, the physique necessary for the wear and tear of a college course of study. "I would like to see," answered Mrs. Stanton, "I would like too see you take thirteen hundred yocemen and lace them up, and hang to twenty pounds' weight of clothes on their waists, perch them up on three inch heels, cover their heads with ripples, chignon rats and mice, and stick ten thousand hairpins into their scalps; if they can stand this, they will stand a little Latin or Greek." When one wants to have a particularly neat thing said about women, the most judicious way is to get a woman to say it.

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