#### ESSENTIAL

Alexander Tells of Its Practical Use Before Y. M. C. A. Meeting Last Night-Third of Weekly Meet-

"If Christianity is to maintain its position-predominant in the world's culture and civilization - those who profess it must analyze its philosophy and teaching, study its history, and enrich its contents with their experi-

In these words Prof. H. B. Alexander of the department of philosophy expressed the need and use of Bible study, addressing the University Y. M. C. A. meeting in music hall last evening. His address was the third of a series of Thursday evening lectures by the Y. M. C. A.

The Bible as essential to our appreciation of modern world expressions and doctrines was dwelt upon. Professor Alexander showed that a study of its truths helped in an understanding not only of religious thought and ethical system, but of poetry, literature and political fabric and social life.

A fourth meeting will be held in the Temple next Thursday, subject to be announced later.

#### Four Class Hats at Illinois.

Every class at Illinois is now distinguished by a particular style of head gear. This is the first year that the sophomores have chosen a hat for their class emblem.

Freshman green "postage stamps" are of the ordinary college freshman only 96 sophomores turned out. At mores are wearing little gray slouch participants were football trousers and

The junior cap is of the latest style, upon its front. The senior class departed from the regulation hat style, which was almost antedeluvian, and has for its emblem a hat of the latest and most approved fashion.

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Professors Brightman of Wesleyan and Persinger of the State University will be in charge

The Tuesday examinations will cover translations from Latin to English (9-11 a. m.), Latin prose (1-3 p. m.), and arithmetic (4-6 p. m.). Wednesday examinations will cover translations from Greek to English (9-11 a. m.), Latin grammar (1-2 p. m.), Greek grammar (2:10-3:10 p. m.), and algebra or geometry (4.6 p. m.).

Any one desiring to compete in the examination, and not acquainted with the requirements, may learn of these by addressing Professor Persinger at Station A. Lincoln.

OBERLIN FROSH PUMMEL SOPHS.

Nebraska Second-Year Men May Take Lesson in Force of Numbers.

The Oberlin freshmen, in their annual class scrap, came out victorious. The freshmen numbered 143, while styled caps, and are worn by all the this school the implements of torture male members of that class. The sopho- were ordinary wooden paddles. The padded jerseys.

This ought to be an example to the being made of heavy blue worsted with sophs here. In order that the fresha large "15" embroidered in gray silk men may receive their due punishment the sophomores must turn out in full force. Else the paddle may be reverted to at Nebraska.

IOWA CADETS START DRILL.

Large Regiment Out for First Week's Work, Although Commandant is Absent.

Iowa City, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Mili tary drill starts at the State University of Iowa Tuesday morning with a regiment of 457 cadets. Of this number there are 130 from the College of Applied Science. The "army work" of this year has a promising outlook, despite the fact that the regular commandant is not here yet to take charge of the work.

Household Arts Elect.

At the first meeting of the Household Arts Club, Tuesday evening, the following officers for the year were elected: President, Margaret Long, Vice-president, Mrs. Clara Hymer, Secretary, Gladys Bunt, Treasurer, Astred Kjelson.

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