

Winter Holiday Sport for the Youngsters

Pictures from Photographs
Made by a Bee Staff Artist



GLIMPSE OF THE NORTH END OF THE SKATING POND AT HANSCOM PARK.



SWIFT MOVING BOYS ON SMOOTH ICE.



GROUP OF YOUTHFUL SKATERS.



WITH HER FIRST PAIR.



QUIET CORNER OF THE POND.



ALONG THE SOUTH SHORE.

Presbyterian Seminary

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The general assembly has commended us to the church for a \$200,000 endowment. This means only that we are officially recognized and persons who feel disposed to give know that the seminary is a deserving institution. We must still find the money for yearly expenses until such time as we have a sufficient endowment for our support. Then we can go ahead and enlarge our faculty and make material improvements. All the seminaries of the church had suffered a decreased attendance during the last year and we also have now only thirty students, as against forty in the past. This was only the average loss, however, and I see no reason why now with our new facilities we should not move ahead rapidly. It is our intention as the growth of the seminary necessitates to build another house similar to this one, directly opposite at the Twentieth street side of the campus. Later on a third can be placed across the north end and a library building at the southern extremity of the quadrangle. The open spaces at the sides south of the large building will be filled with four professors' houses on each side. You must not expect all this for years to come, however. It is not improbable that the first addition will be a professors' house."

The new building, which was dedicated October 30, 1902, was begun early in the preceding summer and was to have been completed by the first of September, but the tardy arrival of some of the materials needed in construction delayed the work. The plans for the building were made by Messrs. Fisher and Lawrie, voted on and

approved in the month of March. The house complete has cost \$45,000 and the furnishings will add fully \$3,000 more. It is a three-story and basement structure of brown hydraulic, pressed brick, terracotta and Bedford stone, 154 feet in length by forty-eight feet in width and contains between fifty and sixty rooms. It is fitted with a complete steam-heating plant and ventilating system and with both electric and gas lights. The electric light fixtures, however, have not arrived and only temporary lamps are in position. There is a standpipe and hose for fire protection on every floor. There is telephone connection and an elevator for moving trunks and other unwieldy objects up and down. A system of bells and speaking tubes has been installed and the warning for classes can be rung in every hall and recitation room. The house is situated near the northwest corner of the campus and faces the east where there is an ornamental entrance at the center of the building. There is a second doorway in the west face. There are broad, central hallways and the stairs are just inside the western entrance. The structure is surrounded by concrete walks and the campus has been seeded, so that there will be a lawn next summer.

The first or ground floor is white walled, with oakwood stained dark. At the north end of the building is the room now used as a chapel. It is lighted by seven large windows and furnished with noiseless chairs. At the opposite end of the hallway is a similar room used as a library. Shelving has just been put in and the work of placing the 5,000 volumes has begun. Each professor has a small private office, with desk, chairs, bookshelves, etc. There is a recitation room for each class, furnished

with the necessary blackboards and charts. A reading room adjoins the library, but has not yet been furnished. The reception room, which is near the center of the floor, has been well furnished by the women of the First Presbyterian church. The office is at the south side of the main entrance. It connects with a fire-proof vault. A cloak room and a toilet room complete this floor.

The second and third floors are nearly identical. The woodwork is of birch, cherry stained, and the walls white. There are rooms for forty students, who sleep and study in the building, but go out for their meals. These rooms are single, with the exception of four at the ends of the hallways. Each room has a closet and recess for books and one or two large windows. Each is furnished with white enameled bed and a chiffonier, table and two chairs. The rooms at the ends of the hallways are similar to the others, but are connected by a common study room. On each floor there are in addition lavatory and baths.

The basement contains the heating plant, janitors' quarters of six rooms, trunk room and an unfinished apartment which will eventually be made into a gymnasium and bowling alley.

The present staff of professors is as follows: President M. B. Lowrie, English Bible; J. J. Lampe, D. D., Hebrew and Old Testament exegesis; A. G. Wilson, D. D., homiletics and church history; Daniel E. Jennings, Ph. D., theology; G. A. Mitchell, Ph. D., New Testament exegesis; and M. De Witt Long, instructor in music.

President Lowrie has, of course, been with the seminary since the beginning. Dr. Jenkins succeeded the venerable Dr. Harsha in the instruction of theology. Dr. Wilson has been with the college since 1893, but

only recently severed his connection with the Tekamah church to give his entire time to the work of instruction. Dr. Lampe, who is a specialist in Hebrew, came here in 1896 from New York city, where he was a minister of the church. Professor Mitchell is in his first year with the seminary, coming here from Bellevue college.

The course of instruction in the seminary is three years. The student, to enter, must be a graduate of some college. The present enrollment includes alumni from Coe, Parsons and Western colleges in Iowa; Huron of South Dakota; Manitoba college; Del Norte, Colo.; McAllister of Minnesota; Indiana university, and Hastings and Bellevue colleges in this state. There are now twenty students attending the seminary, six of them being juniors, ten belonging to the middle class and four to be graduated next spring.

The executive committee is as follows: M. B. Lowrie, J. C. Wharton, Robert Dempster, J. H. Adams, F. E. Coulter, M. D., George F. Bidwell, Rev. T. V. Moore, Rev. David R. Kerr, D. D., and Rev. Edwin Hart Jenks, D. D. The president of the board of trustees, which has thirty members, is Rev. A. B. Marshall, D. D., of Des Moines, Ia.

Tattooed Royalties

The craze of being tattooed is fast involving those who occupy the higher walks of life, in some measure attributable to the fact that quite a number of royalties are among the latest converts to the fashion. Many members of the English royal family bear the indelible marks of the tattooer's needle upon their persons, including King Edward, who has a fanciful design executed high up on the right shoulder, while

another elaborate design is the dragon with a row of spikes down its back, which was tattooed in colors four or five years ago on the prince of Wales, thus representing "George and the Dragon."

Pointed Paragraphs

Chicago News: Lawyers delight in lengthy briefs.

A square meal at a swell restaurant costs a round sum.

Most cynical bachelors are men who have loved and lost.

Nothing grows faster than the habit of depending on others.

Men sent up by a police magistrate are apt to feel cast down.

It is usually safe to avoid a man's example and take his advice.

A wise man and a fool get along better together than two wise men do.

Good jests are like diamonds—the sparkle is often the result of patient grinding.

If a man has the right brand of religion his wife doesn't have to carry up the coal.

When two souls find they have but a single thought it is time to save up money for the furniture.

Equality is an illusion that makes a man imagine he is equal to his superiors and superior to his equals.

The man who is always talking shop and the woman who is always talking shopping soon give one that tired feeling.

Now doth the married man tremble in his shoes as he beholds at every turn a sign reading: "Fine cigars, only 95 cents a box—just the thing for Christmas presents."