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✕ Editorial. ✕

The Avoidance of an Unhappy Old Age.

*"And thus from hour to hour we ripe and
ripe, and thus from hour to hour we rot and
rot; and thereby hangs a tale."*

It seems almost incredible that
an actor-poet could have expressed
the greatest truths about life and
death so tersely and yet so com-
prehensively, while learned authors
wrote great poems on the mystery.
For it is literally true that from
hour to hour and from moment to
moment we ripe and rot, and death
is as complex a phenomenon as
life. The first breath that an in-
fant draws carries death to some
of its tissues, just as the last breath
supports for a time the vitality of
some cells which live long after
general death has occurred. What
is Life? and what is Death? are
great questions that remain as
completely unanswered as they
were in Ancient Egypt. The dead

cell in all its physical qualities
does not necessarily differ from a
living cell. It may be of the same
size and shape and weight and
odor. It may respond as well to
every physical test, but it lacks
some mysterious power which was
latent in the living cell, which al-
lowed the matter to assimilate cer-
tain chemical compounds, to ex-
crete others, to develop up to a
certain point, and, most wonder-
ful of all, to multiply itself.

What occurs in a perfect cell
occurs also in the whole organism,
and the sum total of the vital en-
ergy exhibited by the cells of the
body we call the life of the organ-
ism, and its exhaustion we call
death.

The organism as a whole grows
and develops, reproduces itself and
decays. But meanwhile thousands
and millions of its constituent
parts go through the same process.
Theoretically then a man should
continue to live until the original
vital energy of the primordial cell
from which he sprung is exhaust-
ed. If each of the functions of the
body should be equally developed
and all accidents, whether from
disease or from physical means,
avoided, this would be the life his-
tory of man. But the statistics
show that one-half the human race
never pass the age of childhood,
and of those who survive a large
percentage are dwarfed, sickly
weaklings. It is not always the
fault of these unfortunates because
of inherited infirmities, and all
such have our tenderest sympa-
thies, but a large class of broken-
down middle age men and women
are such as the result of the viola-
tion of Nature's laws.

The red-nosed drunkard, the

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blear-eyed cigarette fiend, the stooped-shouldered student are types of this class of violators. The students who endeavor to accomplish work beyond their physical endurance are building for themselves early tombs. Those students who form the habit of worrying over the failure in examinations oftentimes waste more energy than would be required to master the work so that failure would be impossible. Worry is the arch fiend to healthful and satisfactory living: it blunts the intellect and shortens life. Therefore, he who "looks upon the bright side of things," other conditions being equal, has an enviable future.

Our childhood days may be happy days in the sense of childish happiness, but it is only to the man who has passed middle life and is in possession of a sound body and ripe intellectual powers that real happiness is known. Gladstone says that his 87th year has been one of the brightest and happiest of his life. Such a man is the culminating structure of the Divine builder.

It should be the purpose of every student in the normal and all other young people to plan for the better, higher and richer life that comes as a result of intelligent methods of daily living. There is nothing more beautiful than a contented old age, when, the life work over, the slow-fading sunset is spent in quiet contemplation. There is a solemn and sacred beauty in such a closing life. Solemn because, once finished, even a good soul has no renewal in this world. It will begin again, but it will be in a new earth and

under a new heaven.

Appreciating, then, the intertwining of life and death, may we not so mould ourselves that our mature years shall bring their best and richest harvests?

There is a growing desire on the part of parents to afford their children better educational advantages than they themselves enjoyed. Parents are beginning to realize that it is desirable, if not necessary, for them to give their children better preparation than is required simply to enable them to secure a respectable living. Good citizenship is one of the purposes of true education, and to become good citizens requires more than a mastery of the elementary branches of learning and the practice of habits of industry and economy. The responsibilities of citizenship are many and varied. The mechanic or farmer of to-day may be called by the voice of the people to represent them in the town meeting, state legislature, or national congress to-morrow. He is part and parcel of our multiform civilization and must be qualified not only to solve the problem of individual existence but must be prepared to assume the duties and privileges of free, intelligent citizenship. To meet the demands of business and society he must have acquired a thorough and comprehensive, general and practical education, and must have learned much of men and affairs. Then again, an opportunity should be given children to develop the ethical side of their nature. Their surroundings and training should be such as to incite them to high resolve and noble action. They

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should be taught above all things to think and act for themselves, to love truth, to do right for the love of right, to respect themselves. He who thinks will find truth and truth will make him free. His self-respect and integrity of character will keep him from wrong doing.

Notes and Comments.

Supt. Bixby, of St. Croix county, was re-nominated by acclamation at the recent republican county convention. Mrs. Geo. Oakes, of New Richmond, was nominated on the fusion ticket but she has refused to run. Mr. Bixby is too strong in the county to get "knocked out" this fall.

W. J. Eberwein, of Alma, Buffalo county, has received the nomination on the republican ticket for superintendent of schools. Mr. Eberwein is reasonably sure of election.

J. E. Florin, of Menomonie, has been nominated for district attorney on the republican ticket in Dunn county.

Manager Sloniker, of the football team, has been doing good work in behalf of our home team this fall. Mr. Sloniker is a good man for the place.

The first teachers' association for the year in St. Croix county will be held in Baldwin the last Saturday of this month. Some of the normal students are planning to attend.

Prof. Brier's morning talk on "The care of the Eyes" was full of pertinent suggestions to the students. However, the poorly equipped rooms and accommoda-

tions that some of the students have in their boarding places are not easily remedied by the students. With the extremely low prices for all the various kinds of food there is no excuse for any student being denied the necessary comforts of life, when he pays \$3.00 a week for his board.

Miss Elvira Brickley was re-nominated by the republican convention for county superintendent of Dunn county.

A number of the new students have become subscribers to *THE BADGER* but we should like to have the name of every normalite on the list.

Supt. J. F. Shaw, of Pierce county, will hold the annual Thanksgiving institute at Ellsworth this year in lieu of meeting St. Croix county at Hudson. The inconvenience to the Pierce county teachers is the reason for the change.

THE BADGER would like to call the attention of the literary society to the fact that the society is doing nothing concerning the discussions of issues of the day. The financial question furnishes a subject for almost endless discussion, and it is a subject that all normal students should know something of. Let us have a rousing debate upon the money question in the near future.

It might be well for certain embryonic writers upon the money question to consider that some of our ablest statesmen who have made the subject a life study frankly admit that they do not understand the subject fully. So far as our own country is concerned the proposition of the free-silverites is

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theory. We do not wish to present any arguments in favor of or against this question but simply to call attention to the disgusting articles by the multitudes of six-months-old financiers. We had a sample of one of these productions recently in a local paper written by a heavy-weight in another part of the state upon "The Fallacies of the Free Silver Doctrine." Any campaign demands honest opinions and respect for other men's views.

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President Parker recently spent a few days inspecting what is known as the Jewish Training School, of Chicago, and upon his return he gave a graphic resume of his observations.

The school is located in a quarter of the city especially unfavorable to domestic life. The enrollment is upwards of 700 children between the first and eighth grades and the school shows in excellent form the results of wise management and instruction.

The children are taught the ordinary literary branches, drawing, singing, and in manual training wood carving and moulding. Suitable calisthenics, baths and a dispensary aid in maintaining the health.

The managers furnish clothing, food and medicine free in extreme cases of necessity.

Evidently the President is of the opinion that manual training in various forms is an important factor in the education of city children, for he has spent considerable time in schools of this kind in Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Chicago.

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The lectures given by Mrs. L. W. Treat, of Grand Rapids, Mich.,

at this place Wednesday afternoon and evening, Oct. 14, were something far above the ordinary upon the theme of the New Education. Mrs. Treat's arguments were based upon the experiences that she, herself, has met with as a teacher. She is a very pleasant speaker, earnest in her appeals, pleasing in gestures, voice and choice of language, and always to the point.

The speaker said that the kindergarten naturally divides itself into four great divisions, as follows: 1. Gifts, known as the cube, cylinder and sphere. 2. Hand Work, such as weaving and sewing. 3. Songs and Games. 4. Stories.

The value of each of these divisions was emphasized but the stress was laid upon the gifts and the stories. The cube, cylinder, and sphere, the gifts, represent the fundamental forms, with reference to which every other form is described. Hence the reason for introducing these objects in their logical order into the kindergarten.

Stories are to children what literature is to adults, and they divide themselves into two classes, viz: The temporary stories, as a morning talk, and such stories as are found in the newspapers, magazines, etc., and which are forgotten almost as soon as they are read. The second class of stories is the eternal. Such are found in the literature of the four great poets who have stood the literary test of time. These poets are Homer, Dante, Shakespeare and Goethe. The portrayal of the value of the immortal Homeric myths must have appealed to every listener

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with a desire to know Homer.

The speaker said that the story must not only be true but it must have some thought back of it. Therefore, give the children the truths that have come down the ages. As we, to-day, can best understand the truths of our social life when woven into the novel or other pleasing form, and as Christ taught by parables, so we who would teach children should follow along the same line and give to them the parable, better known as the myth. The story should be told simply and in detail. Avoid the use of long words. If the story be a good one, repeat it over and over.

Mrs. Treat's method of conquest is along the positive lines. It is the "do" and not the "do not." This method is the philosophy of conquest by replacement instead of repression. She would make virtue eliminate the vice from the child nature. The lectures furnished much food for thought, and any time that Mrs. Treat may be pleased to visit us again, she will be gladly welcomed.

✂ Locals ✂

The assembly room is well filled.

Mrs. Truesdell was absent Friday, October 2nd.

Miss Pardee has been unable to attend to her work for a few days.

Miss Anna Dodge has left the normal to teach in the public school of this city. Success!

The literary society is growing rapidly. A number of new members are enrolled every week.

The class in observation is the largest this school has ever had. There are over seventy members.

Miss Bessie Weeks, a former stu-

dent, called upon teachers and other friends at the normal Oct. 12th.

Miss Ada Burnett has secured a position as teacher in Bruce, Wis. She commenced her school October 5th.

Mrs. Thatcher is training a ladies' quartette and a mixed quartette composed of some of the musical talent of the school.

Mr. Lord, our resident regent, has made several calls at the normal recently. He is getting acquainted with the intricacies of normal school life.

The students all gladly welcomed Miss Caldwell back to school after a week's absence. Miss Caldwell has the sympathy of the students in her recent bereavement.

Miss Haynes was absent for a week because of the death of her sister-in-law in Mankato. Miss Margaret Purves took charge of the school during Miss Haynes' absence.

A number of athletic young ladies descended the fire escape one evening after school. As they all reached the ground safely we may infer that in case of a fire it may be used without danger.

Among the recent visitors at the normal are the following: Miss Cheney, a former teacher in the preparatory grade, Mrs. and Miss Evans, Hon. N. P. Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Saulter, of Colby, Supt. F. W. Bixby, Hon. F. H. Lord, resident regent, Mr. Grassley, of Palmer, John O'Keefe, and Mrs. Bradley.

The president and secretary of the state board of health gave the normal building an examination October 12th. They found everything in good condition with the exception of the method of lighting some of the rooms. Steps will be taken at once to improve the light in all the rooms where such improvement is necessary.

ADVICE TO STUDENTS:—Do not blow out the alcohol lamps.

Do not whisper in the corridors.

Do not throw burned matches upon the floor.

Do not fail to subscribe for THE BADGER.

Do not go down the stairs more than

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three steps at a time.

Do not make use of the fire escape unless it is necessary.

Do not forget to write your name on the back of your tablet.

FROM THE CLASSES:

Teacher (pointing to a volunteer)—“This young man knows, let him tell us.” Young Man (hesitating)—“It—it just slipped my mind.”

Teacher—“Can you explain this, Mr. N? By the way, are you Mr. N or Mr. O?” Pupil—“Well, I don't know.”

Teacher—“Herr S, wie viele Finger haben sie?” Herr S—“Nix forstay.”

Miss H (showing a drawing of a jug to her neighbor)—“Mr. S, don't you think this is well done?” Mr. S—“Well what is it, a pail?”

Teacher—“What is a percept?”

Pupil (after a pause)—“Well, I don't quite know what you mean.”

Teacher—“If a clerk were trying to sell you some cloth worth a dollar a yard that you didn't want at all what would he say to you?” Pupil—“I guess he'd say 'You can have it for fifty cents.'”

Teacher—“Do you understand this problem?” Pupil—“Yes sir.” Teacher—“You may explain it then.” Pupil—“Well, to speak the truth, I don't really understand it.”

Teacher—“Haben sie Ohren?”

Pupil—“Ich weis nicht.”

Mr. C. (member of trigonometry class)—“There is something wrong with the glen. I make it 20 feet less 35 feet.”

❧ Current News. ❧

Du Maurier, the author of “Trilby” died in London Oct. 8th.

A considerable portion of Guayaquil, Ecuador, was destroyed by fire Oct. 8. Estimated loss \$54,000,000.

The lens for the Yerkes telescope will be shipped to Lake Geneva in a few weeks. This is the largest lens ever made and is valued at \$65,000.

The would-be royalty of France gave a reception to the Czar of Russia. Is

it not time that royalty was dead in France?

The lack of harmony between Lord Rosenberg and some of the factions of his party together with Gladstone's opposition to his Armenian policy has caused Lord Rosenberg to resign the premiership.

A double murder was committed at Sherburne, Minnesota last week which reminds us of the time of Jesse James. One of the murderers was killed and the other captured. Such men will be rather shy of going into Minnesota after this.

The figures given below show the relative population of ten of the largest cities of the world:

London,	4,231,431.
Greater New York,	2,985,422.
Paris,	2,447,957.
Berlin,	1,579,244.
Tokio, Japan,	1,389,684.
Vienna,	1,364,548.
Philadelphia,	1,142,653.
Chicago,	1,099,850.
St. Petersburg,	1,035,439.
Pekin, est.	1,000,000.

The Wisconsin University.

The fight on Oct. 15th between the sophomores and freshmen is the natural outcome of a weak administration. If the newspaper reports are correct there were three hundred students engaged in the fight, some of them absolutely naked. The freshmen were the victors. They succeeded in ducking several of the sophomores in the lake. Then both factions turned upon the police and a conflict between the students and officers was narrowly averted. The place where the fight took place is surrounded with private dwellings, and many ladies must have been spectators of the fight. Such reports indicate a disregard for decency and a lack of due respect for authority that is to be regretted by all friends of the university. The people will lose confidence in the university, and the state will be less likely to appropriate as liberally as it has in the past. Let us hope that a firmer government will be the outcome of this fight.

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A Brief Pedagogic History of the Normal School Faculty.

The editor of this journal has obtained a few facts relative to the pedagogic history of the normal faculty. If any mistakes are made we will consider it a kindness upon the part of any member of the faculty to notify us of the same, and correction will be made in the next issue.

It is always a keen pleasure, especially to students who have left the school, to hear from their teachers, and we feel reasonably sure that this department will be appreciated by all readers of *THE BADGER*. This department will be continued next month.

Alice H. Shultes.

Alice H. Shultes received her early education in village and country schools of southern Minnesota. After a few terms of teaching in country schools she attended the Winona, Minn., state normal school and graduated therefrom. The following six years she taught in the graded schools of the city of Austin, Minn., beginning in the primary grade and passing up through seventh and eighth grade work to high school work. Went to Boston and spent four years studying literature, rhetoric, psychology and philosophy at "Harvard Annex," now Radcliff College, Cambridge. Taught three years of the time while a student at Cambridge in a private school for children (half day sessions) and at intervals in the Boston public day and evening schools, and in a reformatory institution for women. Came to River Falls normal school in 1886, where she has since supervised the practice work and taught elementary psychology, pedagogy, and part of the time, school management.

Rosalia A. Hatherell.

Rosalia A. Hatherell is a native of Wisconsin and a graduate of the public schools of that state, and of the state normal school. During 1877-'84 she taught in all grades of the city schools of Janesville, Wis., during '84-'91 in the model school of the state normal school at River Falls. After graduating from the state university in '93, she taught one year in

Platteville S. N. S., and then returned to River Falls where she now holds the position of assistant in the science department.

L. H. Clark.

L. H. Clark received his early education in the public schools of Clarendon and Rochester, N. Y. and in the high school at Saginaw, Mich. After moving to Wisconsin he attended the Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill., and finally graduated from the advanced course of the state normal school at Whitewater, Wis., in 1879. During the next twelve years he became successively principal of the high schools at Horicon, Tomah, Sparta and Baraboo, in Wisconsin. In the fall of 1891 he was appointed inspector of high schools. He filled this position one year, resigning to take a position in the state normal school at River Falls, Wis. Since coming to the normal Mr. Clark has had charge of the department of mathematics.

Addison L. Ewing.

Addison L. Ewing graduated from Whitewater normal. After graduation, taught one year as principal of the Jefferson public school. He then took a three years' course at Cornell University, and, also, a postgraduate course of one year, receiving the degrees of B. S. and M. S. After this, was assistant in a private school in Braddock, Pa., six months; teacher of geology and zoology in State College of Pennsylvania, two years. Teacher of sciences in Working Men's School, New York City, four years. Professor of Natural Sciences in the River Falls Normal School.

M. E. S. Scott.

M. E. S. Scott is a graduate of the Academy, Westfield, N. Y. under the direction of the university of the state of New York; four years later graduated from the classical course of Allegheny College. Miss Scott's experience as teacher has been almost entirely in high school work until entering the River Falls normal in 1894. She is teacher of German and Latin.

Buy your Blankets of Brackett, the harness man. 5A Bias Girth blankets to fit your horse.

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❧ Science. ❧

It has been thought best to give in this department chiefly some of those interesting experiments which take place daily in our own laboratory. Many interesting and instructive experiments have lately been made in chemistry. Chemistry, more than any other study, is based upon natural processes which must be observed by the pupil. Little is taken upon the statements of others, everything possible being observed.

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Among the most curious of metals are sodium and potassium. We usually consider water and fire as opposites tending to annihilate each other. Not so when sodium or potassium and water are brought together. The metals instantly take fire on coming in contact with water. We do not even have to kindle them. To understand this we must change our idea of burning or combustion which is not, as is usually thought, the consuming of a substance. It is simply the union of two substances. In the case of wood it is chiefly a union of carbon and oxygen—one part carbon and two parts oxygen—or as it is expressed by the chemist, C plus $2O$ equals $C O_2$. $C O_2$ is carbon dioxide, with which we are all familiar.

With this explanation let us take up the case of the sodium and water. Water is made up of two parts of hydrogen and one part of oxygen— $H_2 O$. The symbol for sodium is Na . When sodium comes in contact with water it takes the place of some of the hydrogen, uniting with the remainder of the hydrogen and oxygen, forming sodium hydroxide— $Na H O$, thus

Na plus $H_2 O$ equals $Na H O$ plus H . The hydrogen expressed by the last H is given off and may be collected.

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Many interesting experiments were made with oxygen and hydrogen. Hydrogen burns readily, that is it unites readily with oxygen. A hydrogen jet will burn very well in the air because air contains oxygen, but it will burn much more readily if introduced into a jar of pure oxygen. Twice as much hydrogen is used as oxygen in their

union which we call combustion. Thus, $2H$ plus O equals $H_2 O$. But $H_2 O$ is water, so when hydrogen is burned in oxygen water is formed. The present class in chemistry has succeeded in collecting a small quantity of the water thus formed.

Oxygen and hydrogen will not unite except under high temperature. If they are mixed in proper proportion, one to two, and are then heated to the required temperature by applying a lighted match, they unite with a violent explosion. An interesting experiment is to fill soap bubbles with this mixture and touch them off. This was done in the laboratory and the explosion could be heard all over the building.

❧ Literary. ❧

The fact that the programs of the Normal Literary Society are improving week by week indicates a healthy condition.

The recitation by Miss Chapman a short time ago was particularly good. The reading by Mr. Andrews on "Wasting People's Time" had some very good points in it but it was too long. The music by the banjoists was well rendered, but we would suggest that if the players intend to respond to an encore it would be well to prepare an extra selection so that the effect produced by the first may not be spoiled by the second. The ladies' quartettes cannot be too highly commended—especially the one that rendered the Lullaby from "Erminie" so sweetly. Their singing showed careful preparation which we understand was directed by Miss Mame Langdon, a former student of the normal. The pantomime "Curfew Shall Not Ring To-night" was very amusing and showed considerable dramatic talent. The debate upon the question, Resolved, "That Greece has contributed more to the civilization of the world than Rome," was splendid. Messrs. Bodman and Needham represented the affirmative, and Messrs. Enright and Hennessey the negative. The fact that the affirmative won casts no reflection whatever on the work done

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by the negative.

Complaint has been made by many listeners to the effect that they could not hear what was said from the platform by the officers. We understand that in such a large room it is somewhat difficult to gauge one's voice, but a little thought in this matter upon the part of these people will help the society greatly.

The society was never in a more prosperous condition and by uniting all the incidental working forces the efficiency of the society may still be enhanced.

FOOT BALL!

New Richmond Gets O, and Menomonie Nit!—The Normals not yet Defeated!

With the sweeping victories of the initial games the foot ball team of the N. A. C. should be encouraged to play "winners" through the coming series.

The first game of the season was played upon the Normal campus Oct. 10, with the New Richmond team as opponents, and was witnessed by a good sized crowd notwithstanding the drizzling rain that kept many more away.

The fact that the New Richmond team assumed a large degree of pomposity and egotism upon their appearance upon the grounds naturally eliminated the sympathy that the spectators would otherwise have extended to them at the close of their inglorious defeat. Of course it is expected that the New Richmond gentlemen (we will omit the question mark) would be disappointed, but hardly to the extent that they would sanction a misrepresentation of the game and a malignment of the characters of thorough gentlemen such as compose the Normal team.

The articles that appeared in the New Richmond papers, particularly the Voice, relative to the game, are of that crude nature that replying to them would only lower a writer into the same nauseating mire. If the editor of this department of THE BADGER cannot write up a foot ball game

in an impartial manner and adhere to the truth, he will resign in favor of some one else, and to that end we believe that the Voice and the New Richmond team could have learned a lesson in common decency and courtesy had they been at Menomonie Oct. 17, and have seen the gentlemanly conduct of the Menomonie team even though they felt very blue over the outcome of the game. But we must consider, before we censure New Richmond, that the Menomonie team is composed of men who have sufficient manliness to accept fair defeat like men and not like a class of Boobies.

The two teams lined up as follows:

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Hetherington	R. E. Love
Epley	R. T. Thompson
Kane	R. G. Norton
Ames	C. Oltman
McKabe	L. G. MacNamara
O'Connell	L. T. Gleason
Donahue	L. E. Sloniker
Smith	Q. Purves
Utter	R.H.B. Kircher
Hawkins	L.H.B. Hatch
Rork	F. B. Grimm

The Normal team had the kick off and the ball scraped the sky for a sufficient distance to carry it to the extreme end of the S. W. goal. New Richmond kept the ball until the umpire counted "one," "two," "three" downs in succession. From that time to the close of the game they failed to regain the ball.

During the first half the Normalites scored three touch downs and one goal, thus making the score 14 to 0. During the second half our boys didn't do a thing but do as they pleased. The visitors couldn't break through the line. They couldn't get around the end, neither could they do anything but go in whatever way the Normal team directed. And thus from goal to goal the locals marched, while occasionally, just to give the game a little spice, Kircher or Hatch would sprint for a touch down.

The game closed with the score of 32 to 0. Had the ground been dry, the probabilities are that the Normals' score couldn't have been written with less than three figures, but tak-

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ing it all in all, the game was all right for a starter.

The Menomonie Game.

Off to the east a city called Menomonie, a city that a few days ago rejoiced in the fact that she had a foot ball team that had never been defeated, now mourns the loss of an expected victory. The tin horns send forth no more sounds than they did at the close of Saturday's game. The "Torch of the East" that burned so brightly over the heads of the foot ball team of this fair city but a few days since, now sends forth but a dim blurred light.

No sound is heard but the wailing
Of the ladies so handsome and gay;
Who witnessed the defeat of their ball team,
At Menomonie last Saturday.

They lined up as follows:

NORMAL.	MENOMONIE.
Oltman	C. Carter
Norton	R. G. Halseth
MacNamara	L. G. Lancton
Ap Roberts	R. T. Nott
Gleason	L. T. Waite
Love	R. E. Hill
Sloniker	L. E. Smith
Purves	Q. B. LaPointe
Kircher	R. H. B. Quilling
Hatch	L. H. B. Swenson
Grimm	F. B. Kraft

Substitutes: Thompson, Knowles and Rogers. Umpire: Geo. Sanford.

When dressed in their ball suits and being men of fine physiques and with the impress of courage and determination upon each countenance, the Normal team, when lined up, made a picture to be admired by all friendly spectators.

The Normalites having the kick off, chose the east goal, and the ball was sent into the opposing ranks when the excitement began in earnest. Menomonie made a fine play, pushing the ball beyond the center. Each tackle for some time was to Menomonie's advantage but the Normalites soon caught onto the tactics employed and Menomonie began losing. For nearly ten minutes neither team made scarcely any gain, but suddenly Kircher shot out from the line like a shooting star and all the sprinters in Dunn Co. couldn't have kept him

from making a touch down. The goal, however, was missed, making the score 4 to 0, in favor of the Normals. During the remainder of the first half neither team could gain but little over its adversary. A fumble by the Normalites cost them the loss of another touch down. The half closed with the score unchanged.

When the second half opened both teams went into the contest determined to win. It was soon seen, however, that the Menomonie boys had met their superiors. They were out played on every side. Perhaps it was due to discouragement, but the Menomonie team lost ground to the extent that they allowed the Normalites to make four touch downs during this half. The game closed with the score of 24 to 0, in favor of the Normal team.

With such men as Kircher, Oltman, Hatch, Purves, Sloniker, Norton and Gleason how can the team lose? In fact, the team has not a weak man in it, and we should be glad to make a personal mention of each player, if space permitted.

The Menomonie team took their defeat like men and expressed themselves as satisfied with the game. They are men whom it would be a pleasure to meet again, either in a foot ball game or socially.

Our boys were treated well, and an effort will be made to reciprocate should the Menomonie team ever give us a return game.

The official visitors appointed by the state superintendent for this year for this school are Jas. A. Sheridan, Milwaukee; C. H. Nye, Lancaster; Mrs. Anna M. Flack, Elkhorn.

J. S. Wadsworth, the well known shoe man of this city, has fitted up an elegant shoe store in specialty row, next to Hagestad's Clothing House. Your patronage will be appreciated.

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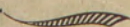
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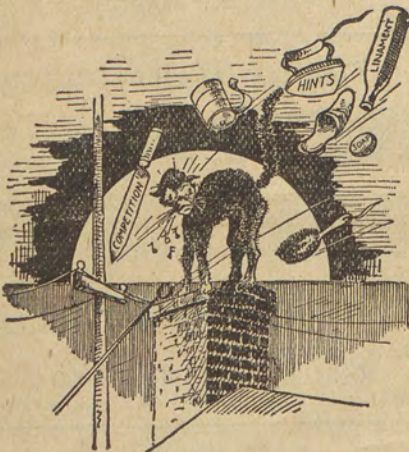
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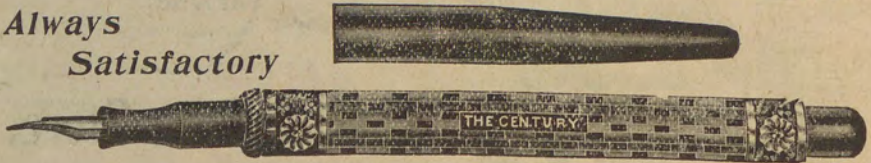
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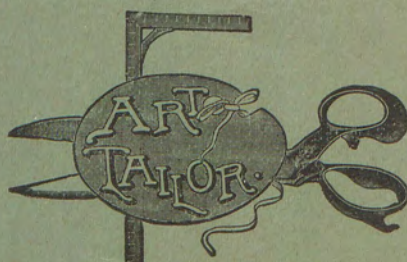
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