

Induction of Judge Doolittle as President Ad Interim.

Jan. 19 1874
Remarks by the Outgoing and Incoming Officers.

The Finances of the Institution.

Last week the Hon. J. R. Doolittle accepted the position of President ad interim of the Chicago University, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Burroughs, who has so long been at the head of the institution, and yesterday morning at 9 o'clock the new President was inducted into office, in the presence of the Faculty, Board of Trustees, and students.

DR. BURROUGHS.

Dr. Burroughs read the 103d Psalm, the one used when the University was first opened, and then, after prayer, spoke as follows:

The service that I am called upon at this time to do in transferring to Senator Doolittle, for thirty years past my warm and highly esteemed personal friend, the office I have held ever since the beginning of this institution, is necessarily a simple one. In doing so, however, I wish to speak a word with reference to the character, duties, and powers attaching to the office about to be assumed by the new President; to allude to the rights and authority belonging to the position. The office has rights that should be known and respected. It has been the case that a college President has not been clothed with the proper authority, as in the case of the institution over which the Hon. Horace Mann at one time presided, when he was actually sued at law by a student, and certain damages obtained against him. Such conflict of authority, however, can never arise in the University of Chicago, as, by its charter, representing the sovereign will of the people, a fundamental law is created, the terms of which are plain, conferring certain well-defined rights upon the Board of Trustees, giving it, among other things, the power to elect a head to the institution, to be recognized in its President, in connection with the Faculty. At the first meeting of the Board of Trustees the Board defined the duties of the President and Faculty, as follows:

"1. The government of the college shall be vested in the President, Professors, and tutors, who shall be styled the Faculty of the college.

"2. The President shall have power to direct all matters relating to the college; to govern the undergraduate students and the resident graduates, and to punish all crimes and offenses committed by them against the laws of the college, except in cases referred by law to the Faculty.

"3. The Professors and tutors, severally, shall have power to govern the undergraduate students, and to punish them for any crime, except in cases referred by law to the Faculty; provided that they may not, in any cause, proceed contrary to the advice and direction of the President.

"4. The President, at his discretion, shall have authority to appoint a meeting of the Faculty. All matters which, by law, are referred to the Faculty, shall be brought before such meetings and determined by the major part of the members present, whereof the President shall be always one, and concurring in such determination; and when the members present shall be equally divided the President shall have a casting vote."

The law in these provisions is ample, and under it no question can arise as to the power of the President to act and govern. Under this fundamental law it is evident that no appeal is possible from the action of the President to the Faculty without him, or to the Trustees, because the power has been delegated to him, as stated.

It is also appropriate, under the present circumstances, that I should make a few remarks of a personal character. It is now thirty years since I, as a student, just entered upon my theological studies, an "uninitiated Freshman Theologian," went to Warsaw, N. Y., for the purpose of supplying the Baptist church in that place. In inquiring for the "leading man" of the church, I was directed to, and first made the acquaintance of, Squire Doolittle. He was not then known to fame, was not spoken of as "Judge" Doolittle, nor as "Senator," but still the local papers alluded to him as "the eloquent young Doolittle, of the Genesee Bar." Since then he has occupied a prominent position on the Judicial Bench, become a recognized counselor of marked authority, been heard in the halls of the United States Senate, and attracted the attention of European politicians as eminent among the counselors in framing the laws of this nation, and now we find him advanced to the highest position yet held by him. I am free to say that there is no other man in the nation with whom I would rather leave this institution than with Judge Doolittle. To you as students he will be an able and kind counselor, and a friend—not a fairweather friend, but a true, faithful, sympathetic friend, always the same under every circumstance, in sunshine and in time of darkness and trial. You can always count on him. Although Judge Doolittle has only consented to serve temporarily, yet I sincerely hope that he may be continued in the position permanently, as I am convinced that no better man could be found, everything considered. I trust that he, as President, may be more than amply repaid for the opportunity to exercise his high ability as a counselor. While he is well versed in metaphysics, etc., he is also eminently a man acquainted with practical life and the necessities of an institution of learning.

TO THE NEW PRESIDENT.

There are many things with reference to which I may well congratulate you. It is a matter in which you may take satisfaction that the Faculty of this institution, by whom you will be supported, is composed of teachers of high attainments in their respective departments, and of marked ability as scholars. I must also congratulate you in being called to preside over so many and earnest a body of students as you will find congregated here. There are no better or more promising young men in any college in the land. You will find them filled with a spirit of order, and deeply in earnest in their cooperation with their teachers and the officers of the institution. You will find many of them worthy to be your personal friends, and who will, on acquaintance, become such.

FAREWELL.

My duties as President of the University of Chicago are done, and in leaving the position I must return my most heartfelt thanks for the support you have always accorded me and the many acts of kindness I have received at your hands. I now have the honor to introduce to you your new President, the Hon. J. R. Doolittle.

JUDGE DOOLITTLE.

The President ad interim then responded as follows:

Members of the Board of Trustees and Faculty and Students:

No other event of my life has so fully demonstrated to me how little one can anticipate the future as the present.

Little did I think when, thirty years ago, young Doolittle called upon me, as he has stated, in an "uninitiated Freshman Theologian," that I would receive from him the Presidency of a university in so great a city as the City of the West as is Chicago to-day. If I could feel in my own mind that I am qualified for the position, I would, indeed, as he has remarked, feel that the office is the highest and the most honorable occupied. In accepting this position I would say that it has only been for the purpose of allowing Dr. Burroughs to give his undivided attention to the great, and at this present time eminently important, work on which he is engaged.

Looking after the financial welfare of the University, for which he has shown such marked ability. By the representation of the Trustees, I have been made to feel that it was my duty to accept the position, for the time being, otherwise I could not have thought of doing so, and I would have it distinctly understood that I can only undertake these duties temporarily. I reside at Racine, Wis., and, although for some time past I have been engaged in the active duties of the legal profession in this city, I have no purpose to change my residence. These duties cannot be put aside, and I can only give more than my time that I could not, if I would, give more than one evening and one morning of each week to the duties of administration. As to instruction, it is understood that it is provided for in all its branches, and for all the classes, and by most competent professors; and as to that nothing would be expected of me.

Yet I can say that I take hold of the work most cheerfully and with hopes that much can be accomplished. The prospects of the University are, as a whole, promising. Notwithstanding what has been said "outside," within the institution I am happy to know that "within" most decided progress is being made. I believe in the future of the University of Chicago, and that as soon as it has emerged from the financial difficulties that every young college has to encounter it will take a position at the head of the educational enterprises of this imperial city; that it is destined to become the Harvard and Yale of the West, and when well endowed will add to the learning of the East the vigor of Western thought.

MORE CHANGES.

The President then announced that Prof. J. R. Boise had been appointed Dean of the Faculty, and that Prof. A. J. Howe had been charged with the distribution of the rooms, etc.

THE FINANCES.

Dr. Boone, the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, stated that within the past few months, through the almost single-handed exertions of Dr. Burroughs, about \$50,000 of the funded debt had been provided for, and that the Trustees had reason to believe that within the next twelve months the entire indebtedness of the institution would be removed, and the foundation of needed professorship-endowments laid. He also stated that the gentlemen who held the indebtedness of the University were the true friends of the institution, and that they were showing a disposition to do all in their power to accommodate the necessities of the present. The Trustees had taken leave of Dr. Burroughs as President with great reluctance, accepting his resignation only since it was necessary for him to concentrate his abilities on the financial necessities of the University.

The new President gave out some notices of Faculty and class meetings, and the ceremony of the day was at an end.

Obituary—Charles Astor Bristed.

From the New York World, Jan. 16.
Intelligence has been received of the death, at his residence in Washington, D. C., of Mr. Charles Astor Bristed, better known to the general public as "Carl Benson," his literary sobriquet. He was born in the year 1820, and was consequently 53 years of age at the time of his death. His

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The Board of Trustees held their first meeting on the 22d of May, 1857, at which time the officers were elected, and the following named gentlemen appointed as the Executive Committee: Wm. Jones, Esq., President; Rev. J. C. Burroughs, Secretary; Samuel Hoard, L. D. Boone, Chas. Walker, J. H. Woodworth, H. A. Tucker, Rev. (now Bishop) R. H. Clarkson. The following appointments were also made: Rev. J. A. Smith, Corresponding Secretary; Rev. J. B. Olcott, General Agent; Hon. J. V. Scammon, Librarian; John M. Woodworth, Curator of the Museum; and Wm. H. Bushell, Steward.

The Executive Committee immediately adopted plans for an imposing edifice, the magnificent proportions of which should be in keeping with the magnitude of the institution they had designed. The corner stone was laid, with appropriate ceremonies, on the fourth day of July, 1857. Owing, however, to the financial crisis of that year, many persons who had promised large sums of money to the institution, were unable to redeem their pledges, and the completion of the work of building was delayed for a year. In July, 1858, the work was resumed, and the south corridor and wing of the structure were pushed on rapidly to completion. In 1865, the main building, of which a description may be found in another part of this catalogue, was finished; and it was ordered by the Trustees that this portion of the edifice, including the grand tower, should be named "Douglas Hall," in honor of the founder of the institution. It was also ordered that the portion of the building south of "Douglas Hall" should be named "Jones Hall," in honor of Wm. Jones, Esq., the first President of the Executive Committee, and one of the chief benefactors of the University.

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Incidents of the Baltimore & Ohio and Pennsylvania Central Freight Fight.

Annual Report of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Road.

Other Railroad Matters.

THE RAILROAD WAR.

The two great railroad companies of the East—the Pennsylvania Central and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroads—are still combatting each other with bitterness and vigor. The public, however, has no cause to complain about the continuance of hostilities, the keen competition for passenger and freight trade apparently cutting the rates of fare down to what will apparently barely pay the expense and nothing more. Although the contest has been going on for several weeks, there are as yet not the slightest indications of a compromise or return to old fares; on the contrary, both sides are confident of coming out ahead, and express an unalterable determination to fight it to the bitter end.

REDUCED FREIGHTS.

The passenger fares having already been reduced to a minimum, the fight has now commenced on freights. Mr. Walsh, the Agent of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad in this city, received a dispatch ordering him to accept freights in this city for Boston and other New England cities at the following rates: First class, 65 cents; second class, 60 cents; third class, 50 cents; fourth class, 35 cents, and special class, 30 cents per 100. Fourth and special class will be insured.

THE B. & O.'S LINE.

These rates are far below the present freight schedules of the other Eastern lines in this city, and unless they reduce their rates also the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will have to carry a large share of Western freights destined for Eastern parts. At present its freight cars, the Continental, run over the Illinois Central & Kankakee line, but the Company is pushing its new line to this city—the Baltimore, Pittsburgh & Chicago Railroad—to speedy completion. The opening of the First Division of its Chicago extension was formally announced Jan. 1. This embraces the road from Centerton, on the Lake Erie Division, to DeKalb, on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad, 63 miles in length. The line just opened passes through the flourishing towns of Tiffin, Republic, and Fostoria. At Tiffin it intersects with the Cincinnati, Sandusky & Cleveland Railroad, and at Fostoria, with the Lake Erie & Louisville Railroad, both of which will prove valuable feeders. The grading and masonry of the remainder of the line to Chicago, 206 miles, is also completed.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN.

The annual report of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad for the year 1873 contains the following interesting facts and statistics:

STOCK AND DEBTS.	
Capital stock, as per charter.....	\$50,000,000.00
Amount of stock subscribed.....	50,000,000.00
Amount paid in, as by last report.....	50,000,000.00
Total amount now paid in of capital stock.....	50,000,000.00
Funded debt, as by last report.....	50,000,000.00
Total amount now of funded debt.....	24,804,000.00
Floating debt, as by last report.....	22,983,000.00
Total amount now of floating debt.....	3,903,472.42
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Total amount now of funded and floating debt.....	33,849,193.70
Average rate, per annum, of interest on funded debt.....	7 per cent.

*These amounts do not include the debt of the two roads wholly owned by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Company, to wit, Detroit, Monroe & Toledo Railroad, \$24,000; Kalamazoo & White Pigeon, \$600,000.

COST OF ROAD AND EQUIPMENT.	
Graduation and masonry, bridges, superstructure, including iron; passenger and freight stations, buildings, and fixtures; engine and car houses, machine-shops, machinery and fixtures, land, land-damages, and fences.....	\$62,694,703
Locomotives and fixtures and snow-cloves, passenger and baggage cars, freight, and other cars.....	13,238,322
Total cost of road and equipment.....	\$75,933,025

This road is a consolidation of several different companies in six States—New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, and Illinois. None of the companies outside of New York had kept their construction-account in detail, hence only the aggregate of construction and equipment can be given.

CHARACTERISTICS OF ROAD.	
Length of road, miles.....	540
Length of road in this State, miles.....	69½
Length of road laid, miles.....	540
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Length of double track, including sidings, miles.....	508
Length of branches owned by the Company, laid, miles.....	595
Weight of rail, per yard, on main track, pounds.....	60
Number of engine-houses and shops.....	30
Number of engines.....	449
Number of first-class passenger cars (rated as eight-wheel cars).....	129
Number of second-class and emigrant passenger-cars (rated as eight-wheel cars).....	39
Number of baggage, mail, and express cars (rated as eight-wheel cars).....	79
Number of freight-cars (rated as eight-wheel cars).....	9,182
Length of main line of road from Buffalo, N. Y., to Chicago, Ill., miles.....	540
The expenses of maintaining the road were \$4,413,724.35, and of repairs of machinery, \$1,903,459.45. The road was operated at a cost of \$7,170,745.30. The following were the earnings and cash receipts and payments:	

Earnings.	
From passengers.....	\$4,488,623
From freight.....	14,057,267
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Receipts.	
From passengers.....	\$4,488,623
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Expenses.....	317,420.60
Repairs.....	231,225.60
Sixty per cent J. & E. Railroad.....	160,434.40
All other sources.....	578,043.60
Total.....	\$19,346,364

Payments, other than for construction.	
For transportation expenses.....	\$11,437,927.60
For interest and leases.....	2,310,850.60
For dividends on stock.....	4,008,630.00
Total.....	\$17,757,408.20
Total amount of surplus funds.....	\$336,787.20

*Includes cost of steel rails substituted for iron.

CHICAGO & CANADA SOUTHERN.

The President of the Chicago & Canada Southern Railroad has issued a circular to the bondholders, which contains the following:

NEW BONDS.
Western connections can be reached at a comparatively small expense. The funds tied up are fully secured, but time is necessary to make them and the other resources of the Company available. The Managers are therefore obliged to ask the bondholders to exchange the old bonds for new bonds to be held in trust for Oct. 1, 1873, and bearing 7 per cent interest the four coupons falling due Oct. 1, 1873, April 1, 1874, Oct. 1, 1874, and April 1, 1875, from each of the Company's first-mortgage bonds; the exchange to be made by the Union Trust Company, of New York, who are to hold in trust the four coupons unencumbered until the interest bond is paid, thereby giving the bondholder all his original security in case of non-payment of the interest bond. The interest on the registered bonds will be arranged in a similar manner, with such variations only as are rendered necessary by the form of the bond.

You will observe that the new bond bears interest from Oct. 1, 1873, although it includes the funding coupons due April and October, 1874, and April, 1875, thus offering an average bonus of one year's interest.

RAILROAD EARNINGS IN DECEMBER AND FOR 1873.

The reports of railroad earnings for the month of December are much more favorable than those for the previous month. Business evidently recovered with much rapidity from the effects of the panic, and it is probable that the check upon trade movements in November had the effect of increasing traffic in December, a freight had been accumulating. The general result of the year's work, taking all things into consideration, must be considered very good. Among other prominent features will be noticed the increasing prosperity of the Central and Union Pacific Roads. The Central shows an increase of \$1,204,240 in gross earnings for the year, and in a circular of the financial agents issued Jan. 1 the net earnings are given at \$8,281,649 for 1873, against \$7,207,284 in 1872. The Union Pacific has only reported yet for eleven months, but shows for that time an increase of \$1,372,516 in gross earnings and \$1,095,597 in net earnings. The two roads Union and Central, earned in gross \$24,204,090 estimating the Union Pacific for December the same as in 1872.

The following differences are shown between the gross earnings of 1873 and 1872 on several prominent roads: Erie, an increase of \$696,089; Chicago & Northwestern, an increase of \$1,273,106; Lake Shore, an increase of \$1,663,

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In September, 1858, the Trustees resolved to begin the work of instruction, and appointed a Faculty by the election of Rev. J. C. Burroughs, D.D., as President, and Professor of Moral and Intellectual Philosophy; Albert H. Mixer, A.M., Professor of Greek Language and Literature; and Le Roy Satterlee, A.M., Professor of English Language and Literature. These gentlemen entered at once upon their duties; and on the 29th day of September, 1858, with six students enrolled, organized preparatory classes in St. Paul's (Universalist) Church, on the corner of Wabash avenue and Van Buren street. At about this time, Rev. J. B. Olcott, of Western New York, was appointed General Agent for the University, and did efficient service for its financial interests.

The first Annual Commencement exercises, together with the dedication of the University building, took place on the 21st of July, 1859. The dedicatory address was delivered in the morning, by the Hon. J. R. Doolittle, of the U. S. Senate; the exercises being concluded in the evening with an address by Prof. A. C. Kendrick, D.D., of the Rochester University.

The second year opened in September of 1859, with 178 pupils in attendance, distributed in the classes as follows: Lower Academics, 89; Higher Academics, 21; Freshmen, 12; Sophomores, 8; Law, 48.

The Faculty at the beginning of this year had been largely increased. The Law Department, toward the endowment of which the Hon. Thomas Hoynes had secured to the Board of Trustees the payment of five thousand dollars, was organized on the 21st of September, 1858, with exercises of which the leading feature was an address by Hon. David Dudley Field, of New York.

In 1865 the Dearborn Observatory was erected with funds contributed by Hon. J. Y. Scammon, LL.D.

In the collection of apparatus, libraries and museums, the University has made a good beginning, though large sums of money are needed to equip the institution in these respects. The University Library owes its foundation to the liberality of Hon. James H. Woodworth, one of the early friends and patrons of the institution. Donations of books of very considerable value have been made by Rev. H. G. Weston, D.D., Hon. H. M. Thompson, the family of the late Rev. Elisha Tucker, D.D., a number of the Eastern publishers, and others. The celebrated collection known as the Hengstenberg Library, containing some thirteen thousand bound volumes of great value, purchased in Germany by citizens of Chicago, occupies a large room in Douglas Hall. The institution has also valuable geological, mechanical, anatomical and physiological, and numismatic collections, together with sets of chemical and philosophical apparatus of the most modern and approved patterns—among the latter several very valuable donations from George Hazeltine, of London.

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RAILROADS.

Expenses	
Mails	1865
Rents	1865
Sixty per cent J. & F. Railroad	5,210,850.00
All other sources	5,210,850.00
Total	\$19,355,385.00
Payments, other than for construction	
*For transportation expenses	\$15,487,927.00
For interest and leases	2,310,850.00
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The President of the Chicago & Canada Southern Railroad has issued a circular to the bondholders, which contains the following:

NEW BONDS.
Western connections can be reached at a comparatively small expense. The funds tied up are fully secured, but time is necessary to make them and the other resources of the Company available. The Managers are therefore obliged to ask the bondholders to fund (in a new bond, having four years to run from Oct. 1, 1873, and bearing 7 per cent interest) the four coupons falling due Oct. 1, 1873, April 1, 1874, Oct. 1, 1874, and April 1, 1875, from each of the Company's first-mortgage bonds; the exchange to be made by the Union Trust Company, of New York, who are to hold in trust the four coupons uncanceled until the interest bond paid, thereby giving the bondholder all his original security in case of non-payment of the interest bond. The interest on the registered bonds will be arranged in a similar manner, with such variations only as rendered necessary by the form of the bond.
You will observe that the new bond bears interest from Oct. 1, 1873, although it includes the funding coupons due April and October, 1874, and April, 1875, thus offering an average bonus of one year's interest.

RAILROAD EARNINGS IN DECEMBER AND FOR 1873.

The reports of railroad earnings for the month of December are much more favorable than those for the previous month. Business evidently recovered with much rapidity from the effects of the panic, and it is probable that the check upon trade movements in November had the effect of increasing traffic in December, as freight had been accumulating. The general result of the year's work, taking all things into consideration, must be considered very good. Among other prominent features will be noticed the increasing prosperity of the Central and Union Pacific Roads. The Central shows an increase of \$1,204,240 in gross earnings for the year, and in a circular of the financial agents issued Jan. 1 the net earnings are given at \$8,281,649 for 1873, against \$7,207,284 in 1872. The Union Pacific has only reported yet for eleven months, but shows for that time an increase of \$1,372,516 in gross earnings and \$1,095,527 in net earnings. The two roads, Union and Central, earned in gross \$24,204,090 estimating the Union Pacific for December the same as in 1872.

The following differences are shown between the gross earnings of 1873 and 1872 on several prominent roads: Erie, an increase of \$696,089; Chicago & Northwestern, an increase of \$1,273,106; Lake Shore, an increase of \$1,663,

In September, 1858, the Trustees resolved to begin the work of instruction, and appointed a Faculty by the election of Rev. J. C. Burroughs, D.D., as President, and Professor of Moral and Intellectual Philosophy; Albert H. Mixer, A.M., Professor of Greek Language and Literature; and Le Roy Satterlee, A.M., Professor of English Language and Literature. These gentlemen entered at once upon their duties; and on the 29th day of September, 1858, with six students enrolled, organized preparatory classes in St. Paul's (Universalist) Church, on the corner of Wabash avenue and Van Buren street. At about this time, Rev. J. B. Olcott, of Western New York, was appointed General Agent for the University, and did efficient service for its financial interests.

The first Annual Commencement exercises, together with the dedication of the University building, took place on the 21st of July, 1859. The dedicatory address was delivered in the morning, by the Hon. J. R. Doolittle, of the U. S. Senate; the exercises being concluded in the evening with an address by Prof. A. C. Kendrick, D.D., of the Rochester University.

The second year opened in September of 1859, with 178 pupils in attendance, distributed in the classes as follows: Lower Academics, 89; Higher Academics, 21; Freshmen, 12; Sophomores, 8; Law, 48.

The Faculty at the beginning of this year had been largely increased. The Law Department, toward the endowment of which the Hon. Thomas Hoyne had secured to the Board of Trustees the payment of five thousand dollars, was organized on the 21st of September, 1858, with exercises of which the leading feature was an address by Hon. David Dudley Field, of New York.

In 1865 the Dearborn Observatory was erected with funds contributed by Hon. J. V. Scammon, LL.D.

In the collection of apparatus, libraries and museums, the University has made a good beginning, though large sums of money are needed to equip the institution in these respects. The University Library owes its foundation to the liberality of Hon. James H. Woodworth, one of the early friends and patrons of the institution. Donations of books of very considerable value have been made by Rev. H. G. Weston, D.D., Hon. H. M. Thompson, the family of the late Rev. Elisha Tucker, D.D., a number of the Eastern publishers, and others. The celebrated collection known as the Hengstenberg Library, containing some thirteen thousand bound volumes of great value, purchased in Germany by citizens of Chicago, occupies a large room in Douglas Hall. The institution has also valuable geological, mechanical, anatomical and physiological, and numismatic collections, together with sets of chemical and philosophical apparatus of the most modern and approved patterns—among the latter several very valuable donations from George Hazeltine, of London.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENTS.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY.

The Trustees of the University have deemed it advisable to include among its fundamental and permanent arrangements a Preparatory Department. It will be their aim to make this department a first class school of preparation for College.

The Professors of the University have charge of the instruction in the studies belonging to their several departments.

The requirements for admission are Reading, Writing, Spelling, Intellectual Arithmetic, Practical Arithmetic, English Grammar and Geography.

The requisite studies have been arranged in a course of three years for classical, and two years for scientific students, as appears by the following schedules:

CLASSICAL COURSE.

FIRST YEAR.

FIRST TERM.	{ <i>Latin</i> .—Thompson's First Latin Book commenced. <i>Mathematics</i> .—Robinson's Elementary Algebra.
SECOND TERM.	{ <i>Latin</i> .—First Latin Book completed. Latin Grammar and Reader. <i>Mathematics</i> .—Robinson's Elementary Algebra.
THIRD TERM.	{ <i>Latin</i> .—Grammar and Reader. Introduction to Latin Composition. <i>Mathematics</i> .—Robinson's Elementary Algebra completed. <i>Drawing</i> .—Elements of Geometrical and Perspective Drawing three times a week. Holmes's Drawing Books.

SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM.	{ <i>Greek</i> .—Hadley's Greek Grammar commenced. Boise's First Greek Book. <i>Latin</i> .—Grammar. Arnold's Cornelius Nepos. Introduction to Latin Composition.
SECOND TERM.	{ <i>Greek</i> .—Hadley's Greek Grammar continued. Boise's First Greek Book. <i>Latin</i> .—Grammar and Cornelius Nepos continued. Introduction to Latin Composition. Freeman's Outlines of History.

THIRD TERM.	{ <i>Greek</i> .—Hadley's Grammar continued. Xenophon's Anabasis (Boise's edition) three times a week. Greek Prose Composition twice a week (Jones & Boise). <i>Mathematics</i> .—Geometry. <i>Latin</i> .—Cornelius Nepos. Latin Composition. Freeman's Outlines of History.
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THIRD YEAR.

FIRST TERM.	{ <i>Greek</i> .—Hadley's Grammar. Xenophon's Anabasis three times a week. Greek Prose Composition twice a week (Jones & Boise). <i>Latin</i> .—Select Orations of Cicero. Latin Composition. <i>Mathematics</i> .—University Algebra to Quadratic Equations.
SECOND TERM.	{ <i>Greek</i> .—Hadley's Grammar. Xenophon's Anabasis three times a week. Greek Prose Composition twice a week. <i>Latin</i> .—Virgil's <i>Aeneid</i> . Latin Prosody. <i>English</i> .—History of the United States.
THIRD TERM.	{ <i>Greek</i> .—Hadley's Grammar. Xenophon's Anabasis three times a week. Greek Prose Composition twice a week. Ancient Geography. <i>Latin</i> .—Virgil. Latin Prosody. Latin Composition. <i>Mathematics</i> .—Geometry.

Instruction in Penmanship, Book-keeping and Elocution will be given during the course.

GREEK.—The preceding course of study is recommended to those who are preparing for this University at other places. As a substitute, however, for Hadley's Grammar, either Goodwin's, Kuhner's or Crosby's Grammar, or Kendrick's revision of Bullion's Grammar, is accepted; and as a substitute for Boise's First Greek Book, either Whiton's Companion Book, or Kühner's Elementary Greek Grammar with exercises, or Kendrick's Greek Ollendorff, or Harkness's or Crosby's First Book in Greek, is accepted.

LATIN.—Either Bullion & Morris's, or Allen and Greenough's, or Andrews & Stoddard's Latin Grammar will be accepted as a substitute for Harkness's Grammar. The first and second parts of Harkness's Introduction to Latin Composition, or the first forty-four exercises of Arnold's Latin Prose Composition, should be thoroughly mastered by the student. These exercises should first be written and afterwards translated orally. In connection with the study of Virgil, Latin Prosody should be learned, and the differences between prose and poetical constructions carefully noted.

SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

FIRST YEAR.

FIRST TERM.	<i>Mathematics.</i> —Robinson's Elementary Algebra. <i>Latin.</i> —First Latin Book commenced.
SECOND TERM.	<i>Mathematics.</i> —Robinson's Elementary Algebra. <i>Latin.</i> —Latin Book completed. Latin Grammar and Reader.
THIRD TERM.	<i>Mathematics.</i> —Robinson's Elementary Algebra completed. <i>Latin.</i> —Grammar and Reader. Latin Composition.

SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM.	<i>Mathematics.</i> —Robinson's New University Algebra. Robinson's Higher Arithmetic. <i>Latin.</i> —Grammar. Cornelius Nepos. Introduction to Latin Composition.
SECOND TERM.	<i>Mathematics.</i> —Higher Arithmetic completed. <i>English.</i> —History of the United States. <i>Latin.</i> —Grammar. Latin Composition. Cornelius Nepos. Freeman's Outlines of History.
THIRD TERM.	<i>Mathematics.</i> —Geometry, Books I. to III. <i>Physical Geography.</i> <i>Latin.</i> —Cornelius Nepos. Latin Composition. Freeman's Outlines of History.

This course of study has been followed during the past year. It is designed, however, to extend the course to three years, and make it an adequate preparation for the best polytechnic schools.

STUDENTS NOT IN COURSE.

Students not wishing to prepare for College will be admitted into the Preparatory Department, to pursue such studies of the course as they may choose, under the regulations of the Faculty: and special classes will be formed for them when the Faculty shall find it expedient.

THE LAW SCHOOL.
The Committee appointed to confer with a Committee from the Chicago University, in regard to the establishment of a Law School, reported as follows:

The University of Chicago, and the Northwestern University, for the purpose of maintaining a Law School in the City of Chicago at their joint and equal expense, and for their mutual benefit, hereby adopt and agree to be governed by the University of Chicago

1. The Law Department of the University of Chicago is hereby declared to be also the Law Department of the Northwestern University; the two Universities hereafter to enjoy and exercise equal authority and control in the management of said Law Department, and be severally responsible, as hereinafter mentioned, for the support thereof; the same to be known as the Law Department of the said two Universities, with full rights as each of said Universities to publish the same in all catalogues and circulars as to its Law Department.

Each of said Universities shall commonly appoint three members of its Board of Trustees, who, with the Presidents of the Faculty of both of said Universities, shall constitute an Executive Committee, who shall have, subject to such general directions as the Trustees of said Universities may prescribe or adopt, the immediate control and management of said Law Department. They shall have power to nominate and appoint the Professors, and fix the salaries, to be paid to them; such appointment and salaries, however, shall be subject to the approval of the Trustees of both Universities. Said Executive Committee shall appoint a Treasurer, to whom shall be paid all moneys appropriated for the support of said Law Department, and for all moneys received for tuition and fees from the same, and who shall pay out all moneys in his hands for the support of said Law Department, as directed by said Executive Committee. Said Executive Committee shall keep a record of their doings, their receipts and expenditures, and make a report thereof to each annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of both Universities.

Third—Diplomas awarded to graduates of said Law Department shall be issued in the name of the two Universities, signed by the President and Secretary, and under the seal of each. And, as far as practicable, the graduating exercises of the Law, classes shall be held in the name of, and be attended by the Trustees, officers, and faculties of both Universities.

Fourth—For the purpose of placing said Law Department on a sure and substantial basis, financially, the two Universities mutually agree to furnish for the support thereof each, the sum of not less than \$2,000 per annum, payable quarterly.

Fifth—In case either party shall fail to pay its equal share of such expenses, as above stipulated, and shall continue therein for a period of six months prior to, or ending on, the 1st day of June in any current year, the other party not being in default, may, at its election, declare a forfeiture of the interests of the party so in default, which interests shall cease and determine, and the said Law Department shall thenceforth belong exclusively to the party that shall have kept and fulfilled this agreement.

Sixth—And the said parties mutually adopt this plan, and agree that the same shall take effect and be in force from and after the 30th day of June, A. D. 1873, and be perpetually obligatory thereafter, subject to such modifications as may be mutually, and from time to time, agreed upon in regard to the amount of pecuniary support to be furnished to said Law Department, or otherwise.

ATORY STUDENTS.

- 4 Theol. Seminary.
- Malden.
- Freedom.
- 708 Cottage Grove av.
- Volga City, Ia.
- Brookson, Ind.
- Carlisle, Ia.
- Davenport, Ia.
- Vincennes av. cor. 45th st.
- Amboy.
- Lake View.
- Morrison.
- West Eau Claire, Wis.
- Mahomet.
- Cor. Mich av. and 40th st.
- Manchester, Ia.
- Sheboygan Falls, Wis.
- 1154 Mich. av.
- Tuscola.
- Monticello, Ind.
- Lewisburg, O.

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THIRD YEAR PREPARATORY STUDENTS.

Wayland Bailey	4 Theol. Seminary.
Luther George Bass	Malden.
James Rolla Chapman	Freedom.
Andrew Jackson Egbert	708 Cottage Grove av.
Ogden Levi Emery	Volga City, Ia.
Chester Clark French	Brookson, Ind.
Joseph Vanor Garton	Carlisle, Ia.
Edmund Godwin	Davenport, Ia.
Nathaniel Kingston Honoré	Vincennes av. cor. 45th st.
James Ryon Ives	Amboy.
James Langland	Lake View.
Fowler Edgar Lansing	Morrison.
Hector Cornelius Leland	West Eau Claire, Wis.
Lewis Cass Morehouse	Mahomet.
William Frank Pierce	Cor. Mich av. and 40th st.
Daniel Edward Prescott	Manchester, Ia.
Thomas Conant Roney	Sheboygan Falls, Wis.
Benjamin Gifford Sanford	1154 Mich. av.
Granville Corey Shirk	Tuscola.
William Leonard Wolfe	Monticello, Ind.
Samuel Theodore Zeller	Lewisburg, O.

Third Year Preparatory Students—21.

Miscellaneous.

A dispatch from Detroit states that the schr Col. Cook had passed up dismasted. It would seem from this that there had been a severe gale on Lake Erie. The Col. Cook has been a rather unfortunate craft. She came out in 1835, and was first called the Augusta. This was the vessel that ran into the Lady Elgin a few years ago on this lake, causing her to sink, 300 lives being lost.

The steamer John A. Dix has gone to Ludington for a raft of timber.

The new canal schr M. H. Folger cleared to-day for Buffalo with 23,000 bu of corn.

The steam barge Robinson, reported as over-due, arrived here yesterday. She was delayed at Port Colborne.

The props Annie Young and Montgomery confirm the report of the disaster to the schr Moore. The Young saw her at anchor near the Beavers, Monday morning.

The hull of the vessel was apparently uninjured. Orders have been left at Mackinaw for the Leviathan to go to the rescue. The tug was away at the time. The propellers report foggy weather at the Straits.

The Custom-House officials have given orders not to clear a certain steamer until she pays a fine of \$20.00 for leaving port on a former occasion without taking out her clearance papers.

The schr Great this. The lake Captains would do well to remember this.

The schr Great West is now in port. She lost her foretopmast about a week ago at the mouth of Sturgeon Bay in a gale.

The Captain states that he never experienced such a gale of wind before, and, although the sails were down and the vessel prepared for it, the wind came with such force as to break the foretopmast short off, and it, with the rigging attached, came down with a crash.

A heavy fog hung over the lake last night, and several vessels were outside waiting for it to disappear.

Our Detroit dispatches of yesterday announced that the schooner Moore was dismasted. The Milwaukee Sentinel gives the following concerning her: By the arrival of the propeller Arabia, yesterday morning, we learn that the mammoth new schooner A. B. Moore was totally dismasted at an early hour on Saturday. When passed on Sunday, she was abreast the Beaver Island (every mast being gone close to the deck), with the broken spars and wrecked rigging floating alongside. Capt. Gilmore, of the disabled vessel, informed the Captain of the Arabia that the disaster was the result of a heavy squall. The Moore is the largest vessel on the lakes, and only cleared from this port on Thursday last, on her first trip down, with a cargo of 57,250 bu of wheat.

Another Milwaukee paper states that the Moore was "greatly overloaded." The agent of the vessel at this port says the vessel was not nearly loaded, but cause there was not water enough in Milwaukee Creek to allow her to get out. If she had been fully loaded, it is believed that she would not have met with any trouble. When it was announced that the Moore was on a little over 57,000 bu at Milwaukee, those interested here were disappointed, as they expected she would carry much more.

It is said that the passenger travel on board steamers between Buffalo and Chicago, the present season, is much better than for several years past.

The stirr Grace Dormer, the present burned on Lake Michigan, which a year since was again in service.

Skippers speak in high terms of the brilliant light afforded them from the light-ship on Colchester Reef this season. It is pleasant to record the fact, as it is

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SECOND YEAR PREPARATORY STUDENTS.

Cyrus Benjamin Allen, Jr.	Waveland, Ind.
Robert Perry Allison	Jonesboro, Tenn.
Charles Elliott Anthony	So. Park Boulevard cor. 49th st.
William Christopher Arthur, sc	St. Louis, Mo.
Charles W. Baker, sc	81 Forest av.
Howard Stantial Barker, sc	Frankfort Station.
Wallace Marion Brackett	411 W. Monroe st.
Charles Albert Crane, sc	872 Wabash av.
Charles Ray Dean, sc	102 Douglas Place.
Charles Ege	Cordova.
Eli Felsenthal	37 Langley st.
Richard Everard Garnett	Louisville, Ky.
Edwin Gregory	Chester, Eng.
William Edward Hall, sc	28 Vernon av.
Ward Howard Hall	Ind. av. cor. 49th st.
John S. Hetzler, sc	Lamoille.
William D. Howard	676 Wabash av.
George Crawford Mastin, sc	Shannon.
Judson Scott McSparran	Correctionville, Ia.
George Walker Meeker, sc	51 Calumet av.
John William Metcalf, sc	Tallula.
Arthur Mitchell, sc	Roseville.
Albert Dewey Philpot, sc	903 Mich. av.
Henry Jasper Philpott	New London, Ia.
William Riley Raymond	85 Myrick av.
James Simpson Romine	Champaign.
Jirah Dean Russell	Morrison.
William Chamberlin Seavey, sc	896 Wabash av.
William Kinney Shannon, sc	Shannon.
Robert Rand Smith, sc	Hyde Park.
Howard Malcom Snapp	Joliet.
Howard Owen Sprogle	73 So. Robey st.

James Summers	Afton, Ia.
John Frank Sweesy, sc	Omaha, Neb.
James H. Ward	42 So. Peoria st.
John Rufus Windes	Apple Grove, Ala.
Charles Wesley Woodruff	Marengo.

Second Year Preparatory Students—37.

FIRST YEAR PREPARATORY STUDENTS.

William John Alston	509 W. Adams st.
Marshall Ney Armstrong	Seneca.
Ella F. Bensley	773 Cottage Grove av.
Charles M. Brewer	Morrison.
Benjamin Franklin Buchanan	Clayton, Ind.
Warren Carey	Princeton.
Preston Hawes Clark, Jr.	Foxboro, Mass.
Geordie Newell Doggett	316 Mich. av.
Harrie Cherrie Dolph	1414 Prairie av.
Robert Edward Earll	Waukegan.
Walter Lull Eastman	Eastmanville, Mich.
Lemuel Richardson Erskine	Mendota.
Isaac Davis Fleming	Mt. Etna, Ind.
Henry Edgar Fuller	Geneva, Wis.
William Arthur Gardner	Dwight.
Adelbert Thompson Gray	Blackberry.
Herman M. Green	Geneva.
Leroy Halsey	Lake View.
Isaac Smith Hamilton	Coxsackie, N. Y.
Abner Clark Harding, Jr.	1184 Ind. av.
Frank Ambrose Helmer	DeKalb.
Charles Eugene Hicks	Howell, Mich.
William B. Holliday	894 Wabash av.
William Henry Hopkins	Bristol.
Carrie Elhira Howe	31 University.
Charles Gustave Kirchhoff	Hyde Park.

Newton Knox	Waukegan.
John Philbrick Laffin	Gardner House.
Hugh Martin, Jr.	Canton.
William Quincy McGee	Cairo.
Leof Mills	49 Waupanseh av.
Alice Mary Northrup	1 Theol. Seminary.
Eaton Goodell Osman	Ottawa.
James Cowey Page	160 Ellis av.
Bryan Frederick Philpot	Mich. av. bet. 39th and 40th sts.
John Avery Poyer	Marengo.
James Rea	36 Theol. Seminary.
Augustine Constantine Sanford	400 Mich. av.
Jacob Schutz	Peru.
Warwick Argyle Shaw	1283 Prairie av.
Edwin W. Stevens	Moawequa.
Lloyd Bary Stuck	Sunfield, Mich.
John Cyrus Thoms	Elgin.
William J. Watson	Forest.

First Year Preparatory Students—44.

STUDENTS NOT IN COURSE.

Herbert Avers	269 So. Park av.
Howard Malcolm Baker	East Cleveland, O.
Arthur Cornwell Banks	386 So. Park av.
John Horace Beers	66 Vernon av.
Charles O. B. Brockway	Washington Heights.
Fred Hull Butler	Amboy.
Norman Carr	66 Ellis av.
William Wallace Chandler, Jr.	Riverside.
Frank Benton Cooke	552 So. Park av.
David Branard Cooke, Jr.	552 So. Park av.
Charles N. Curtiss	130 So. Peoria st.
William Wilson Dunlop	85 Vernon av.
William John Edwards	Amboy.
Frank P. Fay	503 W. Madison st.

John Lyle Garnett	993 Mich. av.
Charles Newton Gartin	Forest Hill, Ind.
Henry Groves	944 Burnside st.
George E. Harmon	261 30th st.
John Henry Hitzeman	367 Blue Island av.
James Hilgert	72 Goethe st.
George Marshall Hoyt	1185 Indiana av.
George Houghton	Lyons, Wis.
William Blair Jennison	1206 Prairie av.
Daniel Marsh Kellogg	Whitewater, Wis.
William Norman Kennicott	Dunton.
Charles Kühne	40 Vincennes av.
William James Miller	St. Clair.
Alexander James Murison	830 Indiana av.
John Morris Nelson	Corydon, Iowa.
Niels Julius Nelson	39 Ray av.
George Everett Ober	1334 Wabash av.
Robert Paul Ober, Jr.	1334 Wabash av.
Thomas Scudder Page	160 Ellis av.
John Joseph Pease	269 So. Park av.
George Paul Peterson	550 Cottage Grove av.
William Wyett Pitt	1117 Prairie av.
Charles A. Prout	Prairie av. bet. 40th and 41st sts.
Charles Judson Roney	Sheboygan Falls, Wis.
Samuel Judson Rudd	Pella, Ia.
Christopher Silène	Minneapolis, Minn.
Edwin David Smith	Jefferson.
Milton Irving Smith	Jefferson.
Shobal Vail Storms	Middletown, O.
William Wells	Amboy.
George Washington White, Jr.	Ind. av. cor. 34th st.
William Terry Jackson Wright	Riverside.
Frank Gerrit Yates	48 Vincennes av.

Students not in Course—47.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT IN WISCONSIN.

The institution hitherto known as Wayland University, located at Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, has passed under the control of the Board of Trustees of the University of Chicago, and will hereafter be conducted as a Preparatory Department of the University. This school has been in successful operation, during the past year, under the direction of E. F. STEARNS, M.A., a graduate of the University, assisted by a competent corps of instructors. It is the design of the Trustees to make it in every respect worthy of public favor. Competent teachers will be employed, and a complete course of preparatory studies organized, thus affording to those who prefer not to send their sons to the city an opportunity of securing for them the best instruction and preparation for College. The school is open to young people of both sexes, and it is designed, as soon as practicable, to provide separate buildings for the department for young ladies, and to develop a complete collegiate course of studies, graduates from which shall receive the diploma of the University of Chicago. Classes in other branches of study, besides those required in preparation for College, will be organized as circumstances require.

Total Students at Beaver Dam, 115.

THE WINNETKA INSTITUTE.

The University has leased the fine building recently erected at Winnetka, Illinois, on the Lake Shore, sixteen miles north of Chicago, for the purpose of maintaining a Preparatory Department at that place.

This School, under the management of O. B. CLARK, A.B., and MISS STANLEY, has been in successful operation for two years. It is open to both sexes, and has ample facilities for boarding pupils. The design is to furnish first class educational advantages for young ladies and gentlemen.

The Musical Department is conducted by Madam EUGENIE RICE, of Chicago.

Total Students at Winnetka, 40.

SUMMARY.

Students in the Law Department,	-	-	-	-	-	27
Seniors,	-	-	-	-	-	18
Juniors,	-	-	-	-	-	11
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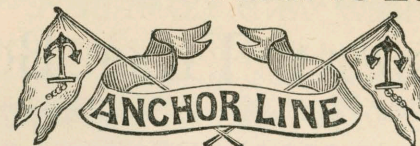
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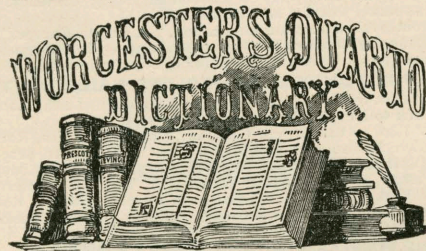
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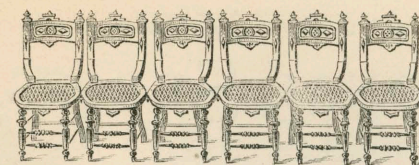
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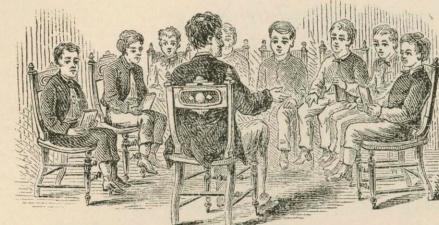
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
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
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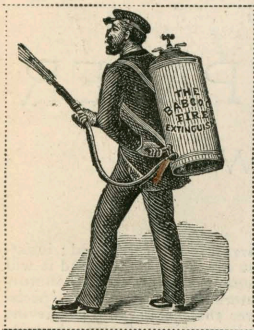
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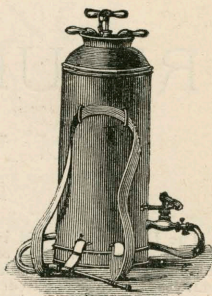
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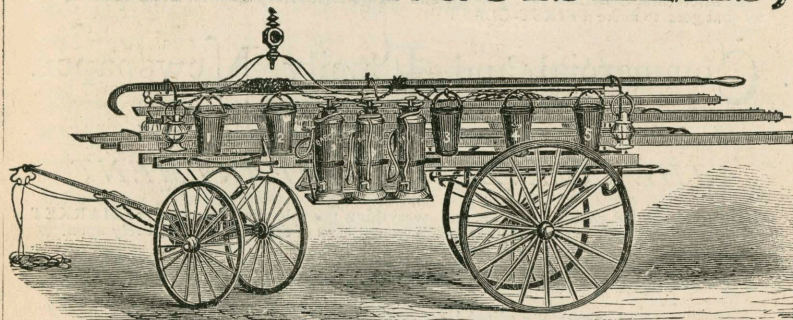


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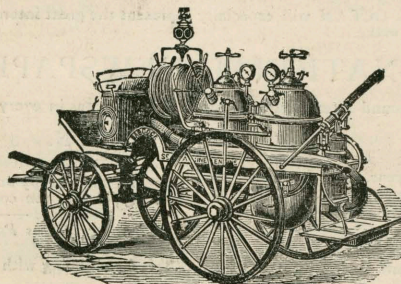


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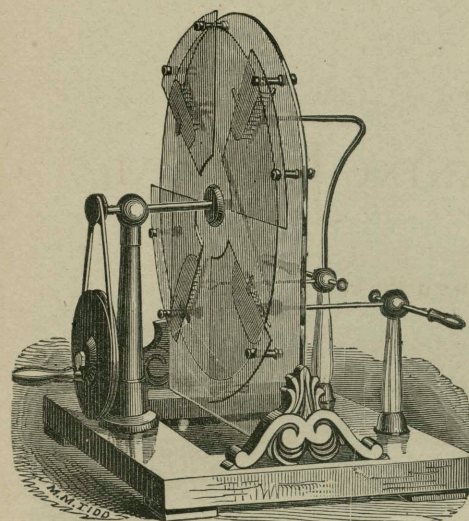
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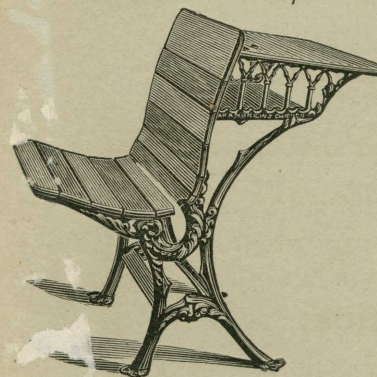
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