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NOTES.

This number completes volume IV. Number one of volume V will appear the middle of
October.

It has been suggested that it would give better satisfaction to readers, if each correspondent subscribe his full name to his contribution. We simply give our correspondents the benefit of the suggestion, leaving all still to decide for themselves in the matter.

With this issue we publish a complete index to volume IV—the first one ever published by The Anchor. It has been prepared at considerable expense and labor, but if it is appreciated by our readers, we shall feel amply repaid. But one of our exchanges, to our knowledge, has ever attempted anything of the kind, and that not till its ninth volume.

On account of "those last warm days" of busy preparation for examinations and commencement and because considerable space is required for a full report of commencement news, our editorial are necessarily limited to a smaller space than usual. Otherwise we trust our readers will find this no less attractive than other numbers. We congratulate ourselves that, unlike several of our exchanges, we are not so hard up for matter that we are compelled to supply two to three pages of athletic news.

If, during the summer vacation, any student has time and feels inclined to favor The Anchor with an article on some topic of general interest to our readers, let such an one feel himself invited to do so. A lively description of some novel experience that one may chance to have or of some interesting place or natural scenery will likewise be acceptable. It is desired to make volume V from the very first number an improvement on volume IV; and it can be done, if only we can rely on the free and hearty support of every student.

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EXAMINATIONS.

Custom is more powerful than common sense. That examinations at the end of the year have become a mere custom is evident from various facts. When the instructor in any branch tells you that he can safely tow you through an examination, are you to conclude that you are dependent upon his prejudices or good will? Having drilled you for several weeks before hand, he knows exactly what to ask you to give you an appearance of thoroughness and the most diligent application. The student is thus made a mere toy. Even college professors are human. They have the temptation before them of giving a fair show of their work, and do they never yield of their teaching? It is true you do not know their intentions and purposes entirely. But students are daily involved in the scheme, and students have eyes, cannot be made to understand. At an examination questions are asked which have been asked in the class room four or five times. Yet this is not a true measure of the students knowledge. A field cannot be measured without finding its limits. These have been estimated you can find the true area.

Most students enter the examination room with the feeling of one with a patched broad coat who enters the society of his friends. He is ill at ease. He clasps his knees and sits as though he were about to go to sleep. What makes one so sensitive? He claps his knees and prays within himself, "His good will have mercy upon me, and do not make my examination fail." Now we know that some students who have studied faithfully and can enter with a great deal of self-confidence, and yet pass the period of suspense. It consists of lingering about the campus for three days, agreeable company to nobody and a burden to everybody.

For you cannot be social and you necessarily lose much of your time. You cannot be respectful, you cannot be modest.

Finally, the student should be especially careful of his influence. This is much more important than is generally supposed. We are not conscious of our influence, hence we often fall into habits of carelessness. A younger brother, a sister, or some friend, may look up to us with that feeling of awe and respect with which we looked up to the venerable Senior when we were yet in our ante-college days.

Let our vacation, therefore, be only a change of work, while we are ever striving to march onward and upward.

FAREWELL.

"There is a limit to everything." saith the proverb, and that everything includes the school-year no one knows better than does the student. The farewell day is now at hand, his trunk is packed, and the curtain falls upon another scene of action.

The joyous hearts of our young "Hopefuls" amid the solemn welcome of our young "Hopeless" are slowly winding their homeward way, some by land, others by sea.

"May those who face the winds with propitious winds, mayest though, O ship, return them safe to the other shore and so preserve the half of our "Hope.""

May the gods smite upon thee, O book-sent, and thou, who tillst thy ancestral fields with the hoe, and thou who liest under the verdant tree; and finally may the gods direct thy course "Hgeward" with the next September blast.

Farewell, teachers; farewell, friends; farewell, classmates.

"A" CLASS FAREWELL.

And so to the thought of parting. Parting is inevitable. In these days old halls of learning * Where our classroom we did meet.

And others and ones o'er us

As we say this parting song

Chorus.

Fare we well, dear friends, farewell
Kind professors, classmaters, friends,

Kind thoughts we carry in our breast

As now we say farewell

Though to distant shores we journey
And are scattered far and wide,
Still our thoughts henceforth shall be
With our friends, where'er they abide.
And the happy days we spent here
Shall our spirits ever cheer.
Then loved classmates, o'er we part.
While kind thoughts our hearts do throng.
Join each other by every heart
As we say our parting song

May we meet on happier shore,

May the gods smile upon thee,

Van der Meer.

Reading Character.

Now hand us an opera glass, in order that
We may have a view. Who are you regarding people so boldly, so impertinently? Evidently one whose "aesthetic nature" is so sensitive that its delicate organ is jarred and shocked at the "peculiarities" in another's character. Now, of all persons whom we consider peculiar, queer, funny, and very conceited, none exhibits these qualities more than the student subject to the mania of character reading. Now, do you know the sanguine disciple of Lavater, that your victim sometimes, all unknown to yourself, finds out that your glass is turned upon him, and, in order to relieve himself (for it's terribly painful, this
visicence of one!), and, in order to amuse himself as best he can during such moments of trials, it pleases him to see how you can be flattened and stroked when you observe your victim adopt a course of action which you knew in advance you would have to expect. "Ah, such is life, and that's all," he would say, when the whole-complex-soul congratulates itself upon its shortcomings.

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Peter Moordyke, B. D.

Fannie J. Guy, who died July 20, 1886, was born in 1800. Her father, a man of an ox-cart and a farm, had believed in the part-time system of education and in the church every Sunday afternoon, as an introduction to the teaching which was to follow. To this fact, and the good results secured by it, as well as to a wider experience of its benefits as learned in his own pastoral work, may no doubt be attributed his earnest and successful efforts in catechising the youth of his own dying parish.

Another fact is worthy of mention, as showing the foundation of his vigorous health and his well-known sympathy with those who toil day by day. In that home were many who wanted to be provided for: the boys, where is a man of the kind, are more calculated, and rather than have the true and good than the false and the bad concerning another. The remark has been made that "there are, in the character of many students, two ingredients, the natural and the artificial." We don't believe it. We believe the students of Hope College are just as true and manly a lot of boys as can be found anywhere. Aint so?

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the memories of journeys along those southern highways. Here, it is a vast cotton field in brightest green, or with ripened balls opening the white, and alive with scores of negro pickers; and there, the bottom lands of rice, extending as far as eye could reach, ever delightful, but especially when the harvest season brought into floors of gold, decked with water courses as with belts of ribbons along the landscape. Here, one passes through dense swamps; over dim, high Cypress arches, and bowers of fragrant jasmine, reaching to the tree tops; around him, masses of bay-laurel shedding the sweetest perfumes, and perhaps grand magnolias with their incomparable pyramids of bloom; and there, an open plain of miles away, freed from logs and underbrush, each straight trunk a lofty column to a leafy dome and reminding one of a mountain. Anon, behold that grove of live oaks, regal in form and beauty, festooned in hanging moss, and poetic as the sea or sky. On a winter's day in December, the land may have veiled its ornaments; but as I galloped along that broad road to the Savannah, I remember well how scenes of pleasure prompted any sense of fatigue or inroads.

Mr. —'s mansion was plain but ample, overlooking the broad river and the rich lowlands on its banks, with ornamental grounds and flowers around the porch. Within, were marks of easy wealth and luxury. Thirty children and grandchildren had come to join the Christmas feast, and the dinner table was a scene of holiday merriment and joy. Without was the fragrance of this happy home and its happy company—of little golliwogg Mary, the pet and the heart of the household. The troops of Sherman desolated the region of the family, of Mr. —; for a time it was a tearful want.

Mounting early in the evening, I intended to spend the night at a house about five miles up the river, but the horse becoming disabled, I stopped at a plantation, about two miles below, and the hospitality which I never refused. The host was a graduate of Yale college, cultured, well informed and affable. With indignation and prejudice against the Yankees, not forgetting his Northern education, he was courteous and careful, and the time passed pleasantly, even if we could not in all points agree. On the Sabbath, I took to an old fashioned Methodist chapel in the village, and laughed heartily, because the preacher noticed a gold ring on my finger, and administered a pious reprimand.

The memorable week lost me in the forest for certain reasons. I turned towards the upper Salt Katechite instead of following the direct river route. Monday night drew me into some sort of an ivory tower, as must be the case sometimes with all similar tramps. Wishing to make a small village for supper, and distracting the course of the highway, I turned into a bridle-path through the woods. Not a sign of human being or habitation appeared. Evening approached and with it dark clouds upon the sky, with peals of thunder and rive lighting. My only hope seemed to lie in this thick foliage, which offered to a dinnerless and supperless wayfarer. Just, however, as darkness was bidding a hale, a light glimmered through the southern skies, and led me to a small shelter. At once shelter was tendered, none too soon, for the storm burst in fury and all night down poured a watery flood. The horse found the corn leaves, and seemed happy. The good, kind wife cooked bacon and corn bread for the man, and gave another to me for breakfast, a light, healthy meal, as I had a mind to keep the bed and bedding had become thoroughly soaked, and in the morning, the couple built a fire and retired to an out-house, while I drained out the tub of water, more or less, which my clothing had so wickedly stolen. Breakfast was somewhat changed from the supper fare, being corn bread and bacon, a smiling face and a cup of coffee. This much is certain, the most beautiful and delightful city I have ever seen, is apparently the by of a single house than that of any of a single room; and the most urban landlord never graced humanity more fully than did its "cracker" master. It was a rude, almost naked house, and, from the outside, of a peculiar construction. The owner told me, however, that I was a "crazy char," for his was the only house for miles, and just across the road was a dangerous road, and much bordered on suspicion, but he acknowledged that my "scent" was right, and that I was a "cracker" path lay — and much shortened the journey thitherward.

Turning back, I passed through a region of cotton plantations, and reached Barnwell court house in the evening. In 1856, this hamlet was an interesting place, nor is it strange that some sad scenes of blood have marred its name and honor, as was in progress in the "club-house." I bought a ticket, in order to be "a looker on in Venice," and the grotesque scenes of fun, frolic, and buffoonery amply repaid my curiosity. Nothing, however, seemed over-rule or unconvinced to the farmers, and for long days and weeks afterwards they must have had abundant material for a bridle battle of village growth.

The next objective point was Augusta, through the pleasant vicinage of Beech Island, near which Gov. Hamilton had his country home; "beautiful Augusta" seated on the Georgia bank of the Savannah, and embowered in trees and parks, as Italian cities are said so comely to sit upon the side of Alpines. Pacing only for a night, I recrossed the river to Hamburg, and thence whended my way along King's river to Augusta, along which the river is so hilly and picturesque that the traveler had to haggle a bit of 700 feet above the valley, stopping at Aiken on the South Carolinas. Along this road enough of scenic charm could be found to suit sketcher, or poet, or fancy, or tourist. Once, a visiting friend loudly complained that he had found nothing in the Carolinas worth a visit. Soon after I took him through the pines toward Hamburg, and, through the first picture of a sparsely populated, but dignified little valley. Just as the evening sun had reached its proper position, and Mr. G. was again exclaiming upon the baldness of the scenery, I pushed the husks aside and invited him to come and look. Seldom can a man be more astonished. Nearly two hundred feet below and to one side was a weird picture of vine of chalky banks; a Jong succession of being walls and tasseled towers, worked by the hands of the patriots; the whole surpassing loveliness. He said no more, but confessed the undue haste of his former judgments.

Then as now Aiken was a famous health resort, and a likely place. For four or five days the Swartz House offered its welcome, and I rejoiced there for a purpose. Broad, clean avenues, and two miles of green, and in extent either way; numerous shade trees of oak and "pride of India;" two or three hotels with handsome boarding houses; a score of stores and shops; and seventy or eighty private residences, with churches, an unused academy, and a fashionable female boarding school, composed the village as it was 45 years ago. In 1830, I found it a city of 3,000 inhabitants, and very greatly improved, as a seat also the entire region of the Edgefield hills.

The New Year of 1847 was passed at Aiken, rather in the southern fashion, for the southern people combined most of their festivities with Christmas. At the hotel were a minister from Pittsburgh, and for days afterwards physicians from the sea-coast, and parties from New York, Vermont, Rhode Island and Virginia, with the ladies and society gentlemen. Here new year's eve and the new year's dinner were made most enjoyable, causing vivid recollections of the Hudson, and of friends far away to crow upon the mind. Miss H. succeeded in a peculiart act of magic, beginning with her own black bright eyes, but ending in the blackest kind of a face to every gentleman who yielded the slightest encouragement. The Many was in quest of health, and to appearances sought it not in vain, under those sunny southern skies.

The place attracted me. Two months later I returned to the "resort" in order to make it my home, as I supposed it would. The two years of my stay therein have a record of persons and events in replaced Carolina, which belong not here. Yet Aiken became as a letter's wheel, which moulded the entire future of a writer, and formed him the vessel that he became. On the 4th of January, my trusty horse turned again into the forests towards the east, and in due time bore me back safely to Toogood's and its cherished surroundings. A third paper may be written, and I now return among the "sand hills" to the Editor.

Let me dash a little coloring on the picture. Before I leave the pines, and, as well as the whites, the amount of ignorance among the poorer classes was astonishing, with little reading and abundance of superstition. Seldom was a man to be found who could read, and quite often were naked forms of negroes not at work in the fields, but along the way side, and the slave hats. Civility and politeness and helpfulness seemed almost universal, and fear of man, whether white or black, was never beyond the sphere of the "sick and the suffering the meeting the Samaritan ever, and sympathy for woe is universal. The "former days" have passed away, but the "Port Royal" is still a symbol of that openhearted character of the South Carolina.

Cah. Scott.
COMMENCEMENT WEEK.
June 17-25.

COMMENCEMENT DAY.

June 22.

The day provided another bright, warm one, after the too sudden exercise of this freedom, and we would not be far out of the way to say that this is seemingly accomplished by our examinations. All examinations this year, as usual, were oral, conducted by the faculty under the sleepless watchfulness of a committee of the council. If our examinations are in the least an evidence of the work done during the year, they are manifestly unfair; even if they are intended, as one might sometimes infer, only as a public exhibition, they are not far from the point. With the evening following the close of the examinations is the date of the celebration of THE MELLOPHONE SOCIETY. Or the annual "hoot" of the grammar school literary society. No son of Hope needs an explanation of this live society or of its annual proceedings. "The hoot" is for all have been there, and enjoyed the "hoot." This year the program was unusually long but nevertheless interesting. John Van der Meulen of the Senior class delivered the master's oration, his subject being "Fact and Tactics." The oration was sensible, spicy, and beautiful, Miss Reka Boone presided at the piano with her usual gracefulness, and Hon. G. J. Diekema performed well his part as toastmaster. Among the invited guests were the faculty and their wives, the city physicians and their wives, and the Senior class, and the Anachronist staff.

THE BACULATURAE SERMON.

Delivered by president Scott, in Hope Church, Sunday evening, the 21st, before the Senior class and a large audience. This sermon, like all similar ones delivered by the doctor, was especially characterized by its depth of thought and intense practicality, the earnestness of delivery adding a double emoji to every thought it was carrying. His text was Job XL, first part of verse 7th: Gird up thy loins now like a man. After explaining the meaning of concepts such as "degree," the speaker conveyed his great responsibility one assumes on whom a degree is conferred, the speaker gave three illustrations of the requirements of a graduate. First, he must be a wrestler, must grapple with all the mighty questions of his time. Second, he must be a runner, must keep pace with the rapidly changing lines of political action and the revolution and development of moral and religious life and thought. Third, he must be a chariot racer, a driver of the steeds of the Almigty in all the various conflicts of life.

THE GRADUATING EXERCISES OF THE "A" CLASS.

Took place in the college chapel, Monday afternoon, June 22. It was a bright, cool afternoon and especially favorable for the occasion; and as usual, the chapel was filled, and many were compelled to remain outside. After pronounced the Rev. John van Der Meulen of the Senior class, as a chorus by the class, Henry H. Lucas, president of the class, extended a hearty welcome to the audience. Then followed an interesting program in which each member of the class took part. The selections were well committed and excellently rendered, and the class in every particular to themselves and gave their large audience a rare entertainment. The stage was plainly but tastefully decorated. Fourord and Double, Harry Boone, Henry M. Bruint, Harm Dykhuizen, John A. Hellinghal, Benjim Hoffman, Gerrit Koiker, Henry H. Lange, Arthur and Frederick Van Ammers and Jacob van der Meulen. THE ULLASIA JARFEET.

The packed house greeted the members of the Ullasia Club at their exercises on Monday evening demonstrated, beyond the question of a doubt, that the popularity of Prof. Docksburg and his youthful disciples in their jarfeest is not on the wane. Prof. Docksburg as the staunch defender of our mother tongue opened the meeting with a few choice remarks, mainly bearing upon the work which our Chicago kinsmen and the members of the Ullasia Club were doing in the interests of the William of Orange organization. The program read as follows: First, Henry Veldman delivered an address on "The Columbian Exhibition and Sabbath Opening," the program was completed with a few choice remarks. Probably the most interesting part of the programme was the dialectical dialogue, a selection composed by Prof. Docksburg and participated in by seven Ullasians. The Euphalian Orchestra furnished the music in their usual excellent style. The meeting closed by a few well-directed remarks by Rev. Van kass of Roseland, Ill. The large audience went home well satisfied with the progress the Dutch element at Hope is making.

THE ALUMNI.

Held their regular annual meeting in the college chapel, Monday evening, June 23. Prof. Van Oostenbruggke, class of '76, Lyons, Nebraska, presided. The exercises commenced with prayer by Rev. Abraham Stiegen, '80, of Harrison, Dakota. Rev. M. K. Kolyn, '77, Kalamazoo, Michigan, delivered the oration, his subject being Knowledge as a Source of Pleasure. The Rev. H. E. Dosker, '76, read an excellent poem, and Rev. Dirk J. De Bey, '79, Gibsenville, Wis, amused the audience with his "chronicles." The music was a most excellent feature of the occasion, and was furnished by the Ambion male quartet, Miss S. G. Alcote, Prof. J. B. Nykerk, and Miss Reka Boone. In a few well chosen words, reminding them of their duties to Hope College, the chairman cordially welcomed the class of '91 and extended to them the right hand of fellowship.

COMMENCEMENT PROPER.

Was held in the first Reformed church the evening of the 24th. This occasion drew the largest attendance ever taken by the people in these exercises and also the popularity of the class of '91. The class numbers six: Fanny Steffens, Gerrit Albers, D. Glysten, John Sietsema, John Van der Meulen, and Jerry Winter. All took part in the exercises.

Mr. Sietsema was honored with the Latin salutatory, and he can be proud of his production well committed with very good delivery. But who understood from what Mr. Sietsema said that he was welcoming
the audience to the exercises of the evening?

Jurry Winter followed with a commendable oration on the subject "What is a Man Worth." The orator first drew the picture of the physical man, and showed that, valued by the products of his own skill and workmanship, he was of less value than they and would not endure so long. But psychology and revelation measure man by a higher standard and the latter gives us the true estimate of the human soul, or man proper.

"Woman's Work" was the subject of an essay read by Miss Steffen. The tenth century has given birth to many great questions, but the next century will have greater questions still and one of them will be "woman." The woman in God's eye is in many of the same interests, but as yet seemingly has not accomplished but little. The family, the community, the state, and the nation is in danger and woman has entered the arena to defeat its foes and to win back what has been lost. Her position in the home, in the church, and in the nation give her a right to demand education for herself. It is her supreme duty to make the world brighter and better.

D. GJeysteen spoke suggesting remedies. "Man, and showed that, valued by the products of his own skill and workmanship, he was of less value than they and would not endure so long. But psychology and revelation measure man by a higher standard and the latter gives us the true estimate of the human soul, or man proper.

Rev. D. GJeysteen took as his subject the com-
by home talent and
day ."

"Knight of Hope." What appears to show recent contact with the lecture room? "Phil" - ossifying.

Senior Van der Meulen will probably teach
the Academy, Orange City, Iowa, next year.

Prof. Gellespie and family will leave next
Wednesday for an extended visit among friends
and relatives in the east.

Mr. J. B. Nykerk, has returned from
the west. He will make Holland his home during
the summer vacation and return to Iowa the
next fall.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of an invitation to attend the commencement exercises at Ann Arbor. Mr. D. Betten, a last year's graduate of Hope, is among his graduates this year.

Prof. Kollen has been east to secure sub-
scription for the new library building. As a result of his energetic efforts, the prospect for the speedy erection of this much needed improvement are most encouraging.

Rev. Harmeling and Prof. Kleinheksel were the happiest men in Holland during the com-
menence season. We verily believe the mail -dump scheme is materializing in spite of our fat brother's sitting on the "eggs."

Miss Lulu Van Kaalte will probably be the only lady member of next year's Freshman class. She deserves a most hearty con-
gratulation to continue her studies "even if they are all boys.

Rev. De Bey has established his reputation as the wit of the class of '79. The peculiarly strange way in which he represented the mem-
bers of his class kept the alumni audience in a continual roar.

The day following commencement a company of our professors and S. J. Harmeling went to Ottawa Beach to take their regular au-
thor bath. Brother Harmeling bathed them all
walking on the water.

H. Veldman, '92, declares from experience that it's deliciously sweet, exquisitely superb, and matrimonially inspiring to be caught in a dead calm when out sailing with one's best
girl on the slivery bosom of Macatawa Bay in the

Water-lilies. Tyse got leave—by the Kalamazoo. Miss Besnie Scott visited her classmates dur-
ging commencement days.

Prof. Sutphin will haye west by home of way of Chicago.

Though naturally the fairest alumna of Hope, Jury Winter continues to paint

Miss O'Brien of Cheshire attended com-
menence exercises. So did Arthur Odell.

Soulon spent the first few days of his vaca-
tion with intimate friends in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Vennema from Menominee, Mich., paid a visit of a few days to Hol-
land, Mich.

Dick Werkman says that he is going to hire
a boat and work in the interests of the summer class.

Orange Planegan is considering the advisa-
bility of "stumping" in the interests of the Prohibition party during the summer.

Rev. W. Moerdyke of Muskegon, has re-
cived a second call from the First Reformed
Church of Holland.

Rev. Pfandtch will soon leave for his new
field of labor in the Presbyterian church of
Denver, Col. His salary will be $3,000.

Miss Isabella Steffen will spend her vaca-
tion with her sister, Mrs. Holleman, in Rose-
land, Ill., one of Chicago's suburbs.

Miss Tina Van Ess of Roselund, Ill., is pay-
ing her brother Willie a visit. They will soon be returning.

W. Wennes, "I'll class," will probably spend part of his vacation by furthering the cause of the Prohibition party and likewise George Cook and Henry Huizenga.

The following are the officers of the "Knights of Hope" encampment: Dehn, captain; Mc-
Bride, 1st mate; Tyse, steward; Dangre-
mond, treasurer.

The following members were present at the June
sessions of the college council: Isaac Cad-
ton, Alphonse Wisscher, J. H. Henham M. D.,
Drs. Wm. J. R. Taylor, D. D., Jas. F. Wizemer,
John Brooke, J. W. Warshaus, Halster Van Ess,
Peter Moerdyke, D. D., Peuke Pecke, Dick
Brooke, Henry Dosker, G. De Jonge, G. H.

Schafer, '93, undertakes (to spark).
O, the bull-frogs (glee club) in the yard.
Luxen is going to serve for the summer.
College yell by Pete Zwemer. "Ya—m, rah,
ar, rah, H—o—p—e.

Jurry Winter and S. J. Steckema will continue their studies in theology at Hope next year.

Rev. Kolven delivered the oration at Alumni Day—Tuesday evening.

W. Jansen, '93, has of late made himself use-
ful by building chicken-coops for the president.
At noonday, Friday, June 25th, from the ob-
servatory of the college, Luxen took his last
observation of the fair Venus.

Senior Albers' toast at Melphome's dinner:

"I'm at the top of the ladder. The girls push-
ed me up. It makes me feel good. I can't ever
got down."

Miss Guesgen will study for medical mis-
sionary after he receives his A. B. degree from mother Hope.

Mandeville, besides, by editor-in-chief and a few other kids, caught on the evening of the Melphome's "cost.

Klaas J. Dykema received the Birkhoff prize for proficiency in Dutch literature, and H. Huiz-
enga for proficiency in English literature.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus, Sooy of Wayland were guests of Prof. Humphrey and wife during the
summer week.

Herman Van der Plroe, '92, recently closed the meetings of the Y. M. C. A. by a pious ser-
vice.

Dr. Beardslee and family have just left for Berlin Centre, Oberlin to spend a few months of their vacation.

Rev. D. D. Dauburg, as usual, received well mer-
ited honors, at the Ulfins club "jaafrest" on Monday evening.

Manit che medical student at Michigan University, has just returned on his vacation. One year more and then he will hang out his shroud as M. D.

On Wednesday evening, June 17, A. Pieters was ordained to the office of pastor and mis-

Miss S. G. Alcott, who for several years
kindly assisted the alumni in making their ex-
cercises a success, again delighted her brother with her portraiture of the beautiful old "Springtide," on Tuesday evening.

What the Alumni Say.

Recieved. That this association notes with pleasure the enterprise and ability with which The Anchor is marketed and recognizes that this organ is helpful in making our institution more widely and favorably known, recommend it to all our alumni.
**Academy Items.**

The principle has returned from his eastern trip in time for examinations and closing exercises. He reports the Academy and the other institutions in the west are receiving more and more sympathy from eastern friends.

Now that the school year is over, he has left us again to be busy during vacation in behalf of the "General Endowment." may the $100,000 "cup" soon be running over.

The commencement week of the Academy brought many visitors to the city. The spacious hall was packed on Thursday evening when a very interesting program was rendered by the graduating class assisted by a few of the other students. A special feature was the "class song," composed by John J. Heeren '91, and set to music by Prof. J. B. Nykerk. (We regret that we have no space to give the song in full.)

A class of ten has left the academy, of whom probably 6 or 7 may anchor next year, somewhere in the "Anchor" grounds. The graduates are Messrs Conrad De Jong, Jr., John J. Heeren, F. Huijzenga, Fred. C. Noodhoff, John G. Haak, Wm. Talen, W. J. Te Paske, John W. Te Selle, Art Van Arendonk, Jacob Van der Meul. This makes in all thirty-three alumni for the academy.

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