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Upon history she will write booklets, and she has to be stopped in her dissertations upon Pericles or Cicero. Besides passing in all the required subjects, Miss Keller has entered Radcliffe with a course or two to the good.

Of the subjects which this remarkable girl is now studying, perhaps the most difficult for her to receive is the course called French 2a in Harvard and Radcliffe.

The German course which Helen is selected to conduct is usually in English, but a good deal of difficult Schiller is read in the course of the year several German themes are required.

The history course elected by Miss Keller is conducted by Professor Archibald Carp Coolidge, a son of the late minister to France.

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