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THURSDAY, DEC. 6, 1906.

EDITORIAL.

With an extra effort in the last few minutes of play, State last Thursday closed her football season of 1906 with a great victory, crowning with success one of the most successful seasons in the history of the institution. From start to finish, a feeling of State pride and responsibility pervaded the entire team, giving to each unit of the machine-like combination that never-say-die spirit for which this college is so well known.

Meeting at Pittsburg a proposition more difficult than had been expected, the surprise did not disconcert the players as is often the case in such instances, but only served as an incentive to make the team more invincible and determined against the onslaughts of the Western University. In spite of his crippled condition and in spite of the urgent requests of the coaches, "Mother" Dunn entered the last game of the year to do his share of the work,

and this is only one example of the courage of every player during the season.

The team is to be doubly congratulated on the victory in view of the fact that two of the hardest games on our schedule immediately preceded this contest and left the team in none too good condition. To Captain Dunin and to the coaches as well as to players, Varsity and Scrub, congratulations are extended:

As the goal posts are taken down from the football field and the grid-iron heroes lay away their armor for another nine months, a new set of athletes comes to the front to absorb the attention of the intercollegiate world. Basketball, which divides honors with hockey as a winter sport, takes the boards at once and will continue to hold the floor until spring.

State's schedule this year promises to be a difficult one, and one in which her basketball abilities will be strained to the utmost. The fact that almost an entire new team must be organized only lends weight to the above statement; but that the new team will be a good one is evident from the number of candidates for positions. The only way to develop a good team is to make every man win his position by hard, conscientious practice and it seems as if this will be the case this year, if the present indications are worth anything in forming an opinion.

Calendar.

THURSDAY, DEC. 6.

7.45 P. M. 1908 La Vie Board.
Library.

FRIDAY DEC. 7.

7.00 P. M. Berzelius Club, Chemistry Bldg. Sophomore and Freshmen Chemists invited.

SATURDAY DEC. 8.

2.30 P. M. Freshman—Sopho-

more Football game on Beaver Field.

SUNDAY DEC. 9.

11.00 A. M. Chapel. Rev. H. Roswell Bates of the Spring Street Presbyterian Church, New York, will be the speaker.

4.30 P. M. Episcopal Service.
130 Main.

6.15 P. M. Y.M.C.A. 529 Main.
Rev. H. Roswell Bates will address the Association.

MONDAY DEC. 10.

8.00 P. M. Agricultural Society
384 Main.

TUESDAY DEC. 11.

6.15 P. M. Y.M.C.A. 529 Main.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 12.

6.30 P. M. Electrical Engineering Society.

7.15 P. M. Natural History Club
205 Main.

Cannon for the Campus.

At the recent meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Trustees, the plans for the proposed mounting of the two brass cannon were fully discussed. The designs, which were submitted by a member of the Senior class, met with approval, but owing to the present lack of funds, the project cannot be carried out by the college at this time. However, if the coming appropriation is large enough, the cannon will undoubtedly be placed on the campus next spring.

Debating Club.

The question discussed at the regular meeting of the debating club held last Saturday night was: Resolved, that the Fifteenth Amendment has been responsible for negro crime. Eleven members of the club were present. Several of the men appointed for the debate were absent, leaving the question to be defended by Fisher, '10 and attacked by Palm, '09. Both men presented a strong argument, but the judges decision was given in favor of the negative.