STUDENT COMMITTS SUICIDE

RAILROADS SHOULD BE FED

At the invitation of several students, Dr. Benjamin L. Reiman, a graduate of the University of Chicago, but, on account of his interest in his fellows, has devoted twenty years to living as a tramp. By this experience he is probably better qualified than any other person to speak on the tramp problem.

During his stay in Philadelphia, he has been pursuing a systematic study of the manner in which the institutions for the care of vagrants are administered. He has noticed some of his experiences and observations, while on the road, written in his book which is to be published under the title "The Tramp's Experience and His Return to the Habitation of Criminals."

"Carville Adopts New Rules."

A despatch from Carville says that the Indian School Athletic Association has determined to form a football team. In the future only those actual students and graduates will be allowed to represent the school in athletics and no player should be eligible after four years of practice.

The criticism of the methods of the school which filled the athletic world with sensation some several weeks ago, has caused the change. No player was received from any team not on the rolls of the school. Brandon's interest in the game has also been notably increased.

The varsity game was not played as the Central High School was unable to appear.

Penn Swarthmore

Punch Bowl Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Punch Bowl club was held on Friday, at 1:15 in the office. Singed: Hollis Weltenholm, Managing Editor.

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SWARTHMORE DEFEATED 34-13

HOME TEAM WINS FAST GAME FROM SUBURBAN QUAKERS.

Great Improvement Shown Over Performance in Wheelray Game.

Punchbowl Makes 15 Points.

In the second game of the season the "Y" varsity basket ball team met and defeated Swarthmore last evening, by the score of 34 to 12. The playing was very fast and the Varsity showed a vast improvement both in team work and physical condition. All of the Swarthmore players were good but the "Y" team was more than equal to them and scored Pennsylvania before the Swarthmore team was able to make a point. Dell, however, scored two more of the same kind in quick succession and five more points were scored by Pennsylvania before the Swarthmore team was able to make a point. Dell, however, scored two more of the same kind in quick succession and five more points were scored by Pennsylvania before the Swarthmore team was able to make a point.

The game was begun by "Y" being able to make a point, but Swarthmore, by means of a field goal, tied the score. "Y" then scored three points to make the score 4 to 2. Swarthmore then scored two points to tie the score. "Y" then scored ten points to make the score 14 to 6. Swarthmore then scored two points to tie the score, but "Y" then scored six points to make the score 20 to 8. Swarthmore then scored two points to tie the score, but "Y" then scored eight points to make the score 28 to 10. Swarthmore then scored two points to tie the score, but "Y" then scored twelve points to make the score 40 to 12.
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1907.

NEWS EDITOR OF TODAY'S ISSUE
D. S. HARRIS.

The good fellowship of Wharton School and the University's annual Christmas tree is a phase of University life that the other departments might well emulate. The Wharton School in many ways accounts for the phenomenal growth and prosperity of that department. There should also be ways in which the other departments can take up the good work for Pennsylvania.

The basketball team deserves congratulations upon its victory last night over Swarthmore. Meeting the season with the most discouraging difficulties, namely indifference to get proper University spirit on the part of a number of men who can, but apparently will not play the game, it is indeed fortunate that the present team can assert itself. We hope that the example of the few men now playing basketball will induce others to do their share.

Varsity Debate Trials Tonight. When men will be selected in the preliminary trials for the Varsity debate teams, which will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Nearly sixty candidates have registered so far. These men will meet in Price Hall, and be divided into three equal square, one each for Phi Psi, Zeta and Price Halls. Six men will be picked in each room, every contestant having a single speech of six minutes' duration. There will be three faculty judges for each squad, the College, Law and Wharton Schools being equally represented on the board of judges.

After the preliminaries, the successful candidates will meet in Price Hall, and be divided into two squads of nine each for the semi-finals. Each group of nine will then be drawn among themselves for order of choice of sides and of speaking. The order of choice will be drawn in the gymnasium.

Found—Stick pins. Three stick-pins were found and the owners may obtain them by applying to the A. A. office in the gymnasium.

Lost—Dark Sack Coat. Lost, a dark sack coat on Franklin Field, Thursday, December 12th. A reward will be given to finder leaving same at Houston Club office.

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Doctor Goodspeed, head of the Department of Physics, was the chief speaker before the Keystone Physics Club at its regular meeting yesterday afternoon. His recent trip to visit Dr. Philadelphia, Dr. Goodspeed, condensed some Philadelphia air which is liberating the atmosphere of the trustees. Suitable resolutions were passed relating to the recent death of Lord Kelvin of England, for whom the society is named.

Swimming Meet Tomorrow. Tomorrow evening the annual Christmas swimming meet will be held in the gymnasium tank. As usual, all events will be handicap, with the exception of the 100 ft. race for swimmers. After Friday, practice will be discontinued until the Christmas holidays are over, when the squad will be expected to report daily, as the team for the Western trip during the Koster vacation will then be selected. Meets with the following teams have been arranged: University of Chicago, University of Illinois, Chicago Athletic Club, The American Athletic Club of St. Louis, Carnegie Institute of Braddock, and the Pittsburgh Athletic Club.

It is a remarkable fact that there are now eight or ten men in college who have plumped to go over 60 feet, which distance was the American record thirty years ago.

Of the Freshman squad, Walker, McGary, Coyne and Nowlan are plumping in fine style; Harris and Behren are diving well, and Graham, Perkins, Herden, Kerr and Clement are making excellent time in the distances. The Freshmen team will meet the Sophomore about the middle of January.

The intercollegiate schedule is as follows:—Saturday, February 8—Colleges of the City of New York, at Pennsylvania. Friday, March 6, Columbia at Pennsylvania. Friday, March 13, Princeton at Pennsylvania. Saturday, March 21, Yale at Pennsylvania. Saturday, April 3, Individually, Champions at Princeton.

Sophomore-Freshman Debate. After continued delay the Freshman and Sophomore committees have agreed upon the following subject for their annual debate. "Resolved that the United States should adopt a system of subsidies and bounties for the encouragement of the Merchant Marine." The Sophomore will argue upon the affirmative side of the question. While 1911 has the negative.

Owing to the fact that the Varsity debating trials are about to be held, the debate affair has not been determined upon, but the debate will probably be held early in March.

The Sophomore committee has not arranged for trials as yet. The Freshman committees will be held January 16, at a place to be announced later.

Candidates will be permitted to talk of either side of the question in a five minute first round and a two minute rebuttal." Chairman Ascon will furnish any further information desired on the subject.

Lost—Stick Pin, Horse's Head. Lost, Saturday, December 12th, on Woodland avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, south side, stick pin, horse's head on pearl mounting. Return to Library, Reward.

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Holiday Excursion Rates.
The Southern Railway will sell tick-

ets from Washington, D. C., to points north of the Ohio and Pennsylvania coast of the Mississippi River at rates of one and third first-class one-way fare plus twenty-five cents for the round trip. Tickets will be sold on December 25th to 31st inclusive and January 1st with final limit good to leave destination returning not later than midnight of January 6th. The undersigned will take pleasure in furnishing any further information. C. L. Hopkins, district passenger agent.

Nebraska Men To Organize.
All Nebraska men at the University are invited to attend a meeting to be held this evening on the Third floor of Houston Club, at 8:15 o'clock. The meeting is for the purpose of organizing the Nebraska State Club of the University of Pennsylvania. Signed: F. T. Smith, Sec. pro tem.

Soccer Notice.
A practice game will be played on Franklin Field this afternoon, at 1:15 p.m., sharp. All candidates who report ready to play, at that time, will be tried out. If the field is too much softened by rain on that morning, the game will be called off. Signed: Robert L. Wood, Capt.

Versity Basketball.
Practice today at 1:30 sharp. There will be no practice for the Freshmen team Friday night. Signed: J. K. Lee, Asst. Manager.

Indiana State Club.
The Indiana State Club met last night in the Houston Club and organized for the year. A constitution was adopted and the officers will be elected at a meeting to be held Jan. 15.

Connecticut Club.
A regular meeting of the Connecticut Club was held in the Houston Club. The following officers were elected: President, J. P. Pickles; Vice-President, R. Bradby; Secretary, Geo. N. Hottle.

Sophomore Dance February 7th.
The Sophomore Dance will be held in the University gymnasium on the night of Friday, February 7th. The tickets may be secured from the members of the committee. The price is three dollars.

State Medical Society.
There will be a regular meeting of the State Medical Society, in room 2, Houston Hall, tonight, at 8 o'clock. The program consists of the following:—Case, Mr. A. A. Graden, President; Mr. C. H. M. Hoehn, and an extract, Mr. H. W. Roche. Signed: John A. Kenna, Sec.

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Lost—Waterman Fountain Pen.

Lost, Waterman fountain pen, clip-cap cap, in Dr. Tower's 9.15 hour on December 9th. Return to The Pennsylvania office. Reward.$

Second Bass for Sunday Services.

Wanted, second bass for Sunday School quartets. See P. L. Strauss or leave name and address in Y. M. C. A. rooms, Houston Hall.

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