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#### COLLEGE CALENDAR.

## 1892.

bandary 18	Winter Term Begins
	Term Examinations Begin
March 23	
	Spring Term Begins
June 10	Term Examinations Begin
June 15	Spring Term Ends
	. Examination and Classification
September 22	Fall Term Begins
December 16	Term Examinations Begin
December 21	Fall Term Ends
	1893.

March 28...... Winter Term Ends April 4.....Spring Term Begins

Full collegiate courses of instruction, each four years in length, in Agriculture, Mechanic Arts, and Domestic Science are offered to those who desire to obtain a good education. Also a two-years, course in Pharmacy is offered to those who wish to become practical druggists. Tuition is free to each student who is a resident of the state. For further information, bulletins of the Experiment Station and Catalogues, address the President of the College.

The Skating Party.

Three rigs, two backs and the Artesian bus were ordered but only the bus and one back arrived, so room was rather scarce inside. Six of the students went in the back and sixteen started, in the bus, but when the foot of the hill was reached it was neccessary for the boys to walk, as the roads were in very bad condition, and but one team was in As we happened to be classed among the boys, we had to "travel by hand," as the local editor put it, so reached the Military College some fifteen minutes ahead of the rig and had for home. We had two teams this time, time to take a survey of the building before our attention was otherwise tak-

The College building is on College Hill on the north boundry of the town and is three stories in height. The first floor is fitted up after the manner of halls for theatrical exhibitions, consist ing of one room and a stage. Stairs from the stage lead to the second floor which is nothing more than a balcony some five feet wide running around three sides of the building. From the balcony, on the front side of the building, stairs lead to the third floor, where are located the recitation and study rooms. In the largest of these rooms was a fire and several tables, which were soon occupied by card players, while the skating was going on below.

We watched the skaters glide around the room for a few moments, then thought we would go down from the balcony and show them a few graceful movements. Editor Allen was displaying his skill to good effect and we thought that the RECORD's representative should be equally as skillful. Business Manager McR. was making the circuits of the room with apparent ease and a bird like swing, just like a big snipe hunting on the sea shore. We watched his movements with pride for is he not one of the RECORD's main stays? Being deeply interested in the panorama we made a slight movement, and part of us went seven feet to the front. The rest of us sat down to fix our skates tighter. The uninitiated laughed and those who had been there before looked pleased. We soon got our skates all right, and started with a free and easy manner to skate around the room. We went around three times and a half and were just trying to look unconcerned when we struck a little snow near the door, and presto change, we found ourseif hunting for chalk dust in several

places at once with Klemgard doing a heads, and then we may know on whom Feejee dance on our neck.

We soon got on to the combination and were enjoying the sport greatly and pitying those poor unfortunates who would persist in falling down. We were going at a pretty respectable rate when we thought we would stop and talk to a friend. We tried to stick our heets into the floor and ---- when we woke up we were on the stage with a crowd of boys around us enquiring after our

The bus came soon after and we bid adieu to our military friends and started so the sixteen of us rode very comfortablv. We had to go very slowly, being detained three times, once by a horse getting loose, and twice by getting on to some bad portions of the road, so when we arrived at the Dormitory we were locked out. We might have played an important part in a sequal to the little poem written by the agricultural editor in our last issue, had not the preceptress taken pity on us and admitted us again into the fold.

The Washingtonian's Closing Exercises.

The Washingtonian Literary Society held their closing exercises on Monday evening, December 19, in the assembly room of the College hall. At 7:30 the room was filled, and one of the rear rooms was thrown open and occupied by visitors. The meeting was called to order by President McReynolds at 7:40 and the program was carried out in a creditable manner, though several who were to have taken part failed to appear. The leader and first violin player in the orchestra were too highly interested in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" to be at the society meeting, so the orchestra failed. We consider it our duty as a member of the Washingtonian Society to place the censure of the society upon Mr. Greif and Mr. Oening. Mr. Merriman, who is night clerk in the Palace Hotel is excusable for not coming. although he no noubt could have secured a substitute by a little effort. The program as it was carried out, was very good, Miss Ollie Down's recitation being exceptionally

We must apologize to our visitors from town for not being able to give guarantee that the closing exercises we will have a thinning out of the dead. has about 30 members.

to depend.

We were highly entertained by peeches from Professors VanDoren, Hitchcock. Scobey and Newell. The students showed their love and respect for Professor Scobey by cheering when he took the floor, so that he could not speak for several minutes.

After the meeting adjourned, the seats were moved and a little dance was indulged in, lasting till 9:45, when all took their leave feeling that they had had an enjoyable evening.

#### The Jeffersonian Society.

At a faculty meeting, the first of the month, a rule was adopted that students should either belong to a literary society and take part therein, or they should recite elecution to Mrs. Van Doren. As the numbers in the Washingtonian and Websterian societies were so large that good work could not be accomplished if any more members were added, it was decided to form a new so ciety, and accordingly, those who were members of no other society, met on December 8th, at 6 o'clock, for that purpose. Professor Lake bonored the meeting by his presence and advice, and an enthusiastic meeting was held, a committee being appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws. Those who had expressed their intention of joining were assessed 10 cents as an entrance fee. Among other rules passed was the one that only boys could be eligible to membership, and only members may be admitted to the meetings. The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock, to meet on Monday evening, December 12.

We were present at this meeting and were very pleasantly entertained by watching the performances. The meeting was called to order by J R. Greer, who was elected temporary chairman. It was then moved and carried that all not members of the society be expelled from the room. We entered a protest and was allowed to stay, but several others were put through the door. The society then proceeded to elect officers, as follows: President, W. S. Chapman; vice-president, J. R. Greer; Recording secretary, Chas. Hubbard; Corresponding secretary, W. D. Hardesty; the program as advertised, but we will Treasurer, Elmer Turner; Sergeant at arms, L. S. Roulet. The society adopted next term will be very different. We for a name the "Jeffersonian," They have members in our society who will will meet Friday evenings in Room 3, take hold and make a good society, and College Hall. At present the society