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Athletics

Indiana is looking forward to another successful year in athletics. Most of last year's athletes are back in shoool. Of the foot-ball team, Carmalt, White, Douglass, Morrow and Swan are all back. Several new men are filling the vacant positions. Siemon, a big fellow, is showing great ability in breaking up the plays of the opposing teams. He is a good tackler and is quite fast for a fellow of his size. Trainor, Worcester (Mass.) High, and Hicks, of Beaver Falls High, are the other new men showing up well. Capt. Smith is expected back soon from the West, where he has been spending the summer.

Of the track team, all the men are back except Stull, who was lost by graduation. Wilson, who last season underwent an operatioin for appendicitis, is back on the team, and great things will be expected of him next spring. His mark of 6 feet 3 in. in the high jump at West View Park on Labor Day makes his a sure point-getter in this branch of the sport. Lewis and White have not been running this summer, but both are showing real form in the fall practices. Brown has been placing the quarter and half-mile runs in various meets this summer. Several new men are expected before the winter term. Among them is Carroll, who won the Junior Championship Hundred yard dash, and also took third in the Senior Championship, being beaten by Drew and Meyer, who were with the American Olympic team this year. Carroll has a record of 9 4-5 seconds for the hundred yard dash, and 22 seconds for the 220 yard dash. His record for the hundred equals the American record for that event. With this combination and others that may arrive. Coach Wm. J. Jack expects to take the measure of all our old rivals. Trips to Syracuse, Philadelphia, Mansfield and Pittsburgh have already been arranged for.



FRANK MT. PLEASANT

Frank Mt. Pleasant was born of Indian parentage, at Lewiston, N. Y., near Niagara Falls. At eleven years of age he was put in the Carlisle Indian School, and it was during his training at that institution that he developed into a great athlete, taking part in football, basket ball, baseball, and field meets. He played brilliantly at both end and quarter back on the football team and was known, in football circles, for his wonderful ability as a punter and drop kicker.

As a track man, Mr. Mt. Pleasant could do the hundred in ten flat, the quarter in fifty seconds, and was one of the country's greatest broad jumpers. He competed in the Olympic games at London in 1908 as a broad jumper and defeated the Olympic champion, Irons, in a meet in Paris. His longest record jump was 24 ft. 4 in.

After graduating from Conway Hall, Mr. Mt. Pleasant entered Dickinson College, where he received his Ph. B. in 1910.

This one time spectacular open field runner and premier quarter back, now coach of the Normal squad, may be seen each afternoon, whipping his men into shape for the hard games of the season.

It is no easy task to handle a crowd of forty men and drill them to respond quickly and skillfully to the call of the signals, but Mr. Mt. Pleasant has the natural leadership, the entire confidence of his men, and will, no doubt, produce a winning aggregation.

The Huyghenian Literary Society 1875-1912.

The thirty-seventh year in the history of the Huyghenian Literary So ciety has just opened. All these years are ones which we are proud to recall. Of each year's class we are glad to own as alumni many who are now successful in their professions and who are filling positions of responsibility.

The work of this society has always been of high standard, and this year it is to be made still better. The best possible training in literary work is offered you in our society, and if you wish to get the most out of your school life, join a society.

We wish to welcome the members who are back; we hope that you are prepared to do the best you can toward making this year successful. Do all you can to persuade others to become active members.

To the new students we extend the heartiest invitation to attend our meetings and if you wish to join in the work, you will be welcomed in the Huyghenian Hall at the weekly meetings. Come, get enthusiastic and join. We need new members to fill in the places of those who have been graduated. The life of the society depends upon the new members. You need us, we need you. Come.

Leila Smitten, '13.

Astonishing Discovery!

Miss Mulliner,—"Where is the Japanese Sea?"

Miss Snyder,—"The Japanese Sea is on the eastern coast of Europe."

Does Zola have any Grumbling cousins?