

years, when the neighborhood had become more complex in respect to church preferences, the religious meeting in the school was omitted and the committee of the Monthly Meeting was discontinued. The Seminary thus became simply a public school; but during all the changes of more than a third of a century the school interests, public and private, have remained united, and the school has continued to be the chief pride of the region. For many years it has been on the list of accredited high schools whose graduates are admitted to Freshman standing in the State University.

In September of 1901 it was my privilege and pleasure to attend a reunion of several hundreds of graduates, former students, teachers and friends of the Seminary, drawn together from various parts of the country to renew old acquaintance and to give expression to sentiments of gratitude for inspiration and help received at the public-private school on the prairie.

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IMMIGRATION.—There has been already considerable immigration to Northwestern Iowa this fall, and the cry is "still they come." Some eight or ten teams passed through our streets today, and this is no more than has occurred on a great many other days within the last three months. Scarcely a day passes without bringing with it more or less of these welcome visitors. Let them come; there is room, and to spare, on our beautiful and fertile prairies.—*Ft. Dodge Republican*, October 28, 1863.

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GEO. H. YEWELL, a young and promising artist of Iowa City, who has resided for several years in Europe, has lately returned to this country. His paintings are spoken of very highly by Willis' Home Journal.—*Daily State Register (Des Moines)*, January 30, 1862.

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