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To the Honorable Board of Trustees
the following report on the Germanic
Department is respectfully submitted.

The work in this department was
carried on in accordance with the
announcements made in our catalogue.

The unusually large number of
students made it necessary to form
three Freshmen sections and two
Sophomore sections; there are in
the Department eighty three Freshmen,
forty one Sophomores, eight Juniors
seven Seniors. Besides I give
an extra course in Gothic; eight students
are taking this course.

For my course in German literature
which I wish to make more and
more complete, we shall need

a number of books in our library, so that the students may be enabled to read not only the history of literature but also the literature itself.

For this purpose I would ask the Honorable Board for a liberal allowance. the books needed being on the whole not very expensive, eighty or a hundred Dollars would be sufficient for the present needs of our students.

I understand that Amos A. Adams has petitioned the Board for an increase of salary.

I would hereby respectfully recommend his petition.

Very respectfully

Bloomington,
Nov. 6. 1870.

Ernest R. Ransom.

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