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Indiana University,
Bloomington Ind. June 10th/89.
To the Hon. Board of Trustees.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report of the Department of Latin for the year now closing. During the year I have had three classes each term. The Juniors and Seniors have been heard together as usual. The number in that class has varied from four to five. The Sophomore Class has varied from four to nine, and my section of the Freshman class has varied from twelve to fifteen. The total number of students in classes taught by me personally has been 38. My associate, Prof. Beck, has had all the students conditioned in Latin, that is those doing sub-freshman work. Of these there have been from 37 to 40, though not the year. They have recited in two sections. He has also had two sections of the Freshman class which together numbered about 35. Total number enrolled in his classes has been 80. It will thus be

The Latin Classes

Prof. Beck's Classes

Total Numbers.

sun that the total enrollment in the Dept. has been 118, making an allowance for names counted twice &c the total attendance in the Latin Dept. may be set down at 110. The average attendance must have been something short of that. I will take this occasion to say of Prof. Beck (who, though he has been long in the service of the University, yet as associate in the department of Latin is a new man,) that I have found him a faithful, capable, painstaking teacher.

Prof. Beck's Success.

I have been absent from college as follows. 1st in Oct. being troubled with lameness which seemed quite serious and even threatening, and not being able to get relief from physicians nearer home. I went to Philadelphia to consult a specialist. I left on the 9th and returned on the 16th. I regard the visit and the treatment a success, as I have gained ever since,

Hosences.

Again having been chosen one of the judges in the Northern League Oratorical Contest held at Ann Arbor May 1st I was absent two days and one recitation over. My classes were provided for in my absence. Also about the middle of May I lost one recitation. As president of our

State Philological Society I
had to go to Indianapolis to
attend the semi-annual session.
That compelled me to drop the last-
hour class Thurs. A. M. I have
often passed entire years without
missing a recitation. Am I to under-
stand by your action in doing away
with the Vice Presidency that you
pronounce my discharge of its
duties unsatisfactory?

No such intimation has been made
to me, and I cannot think such a
judgment would be just. It is true
that owing to my lameness (incurred
in the service of the University, on
account of my zeal to be always on
time,) I have been less active this year
than usual, but as already intimated
I trust this trouble will be merely
temporary. I believe I can claim,
with good ground, that from
Sept. 1884 to the present time, a
period of seven years, I have dis-
charged the duties of the office
with dignity and success.

I am about to submit to the Librarian
a large list of books for the Univer-
sity library. I trust they can all
be purchased. As the new edition
of Webster's dictionary is just out,
and as it is not desirable to use

The Vice Presidency.

List of Books

The New Webster

~~The Salaries~~

the old and imperfect-while
some thing better is to be had,
I suggest- that it be furnished
for the different - rooms in college.
In conclusion allow me to say
I trust the time has come when
you can afford to make our
Salaries \$ 2000. The election of
several members of our faculty
to better salaries elsewhere demon-
strates that our men cannot be
permanently retained at the present
figures. Respectfully Yours
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At your Rft

Prof. Shwater

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