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## STUDENTS GO WEST.

The recent flow of New England students to the state universities in the West has attracted the attention of Superintendent of Schools Brooks in Boston, who in commending the resolution now pending in the Legislature providing for an unpaid commission on higher and supplementary education, has written:

"A very large number of New England people have gone to the western states on account of the free public education of college and university. In New England there are about 600 graduates from the University of Michigan. Most of these were residents of New England and were attracted to Michigan because of the fact that there was no free public education beyond the high school in their native states. The extra car fare involved in attending the University of Michigan was much less than the tuition required by universities and colleges in the New England States.

This western drift will probably continue so long as our New England colleges charge tuition fees."

## FROM UNIVERSITY PLANT.

As soon as the work of putting up the wires is completed the University electric plant will furnish all the light that is used at the Horticultural building, Read Hall, the Gymnasium, the Dairy building, the Farm Machinery building, the Creamery laboratory and the barns at the Agricultural farm. In addition to light all the power that is used in the various buildings at the farm will be gotten from the University plant. Heretofore the light has been purchased from the city for these different buildings and the power has been steam. The saving in coal will be large and the light bills will be largely cut down.

A force of men is now at work stringing the wires and the work will be completed in about two days.—Columbia Tribune.

Messrs. W. T. Frazier, Fred Simral and M. E. Durpler attended the funeral services in Centralia of Arthur Sneed.

## HIS TIE PASS

Pat Gray, of the Bendena Telephone has just received his tie pass over the Rock Island for 1907. He says: According to the terms and conditions of the pass we are privileged to walk on the center path or on the ties outside the rails. We are further privileged to take with us not only our wife, but our devil, our deviline, and the office cat also. Frequent stopovers are allowed, and the amount of baggage permitted to be taken is limited only by our enduring qualities and our physical possibilities. During the first year of this new arrangement the ties will be left as they are, but next year, let us hope, they will either be planked or placed a little farther apart, being as they are too close together to accommodate the stride of the average pedestrian editor. Hats off to the tie pass, for there is more safety in walking than there is in riding in the cars in this calamitous age.

## AS IT WILL BE IN 1910

The coatless man puts a careless arm  
Round the waist of the hatless girl,  
As over the dustless and mudless roads  
In a horseless carriage they whirl  
Like a leadless bullet with a hammerless gun  
By a smokeless powder driven.  
They fly to taste the speechless joy  
By endless union given.  
Though the only lunch his coinless purse  
Affords them the means  
Is a tasteless meal of boneless cod,  
With a side of "stringless" beans.  
He puffs a tobaccoless cigarette  
And laughs a mirthless laugh  
When papa tries to coax her back  
By wireless telegraph.—Exchange.

## A TRIBUTE TO PSYCHOLOGY.

If there should be another flood,  
For refuge hither fly;  
Though all the world should be submerged,  
This book would still be dry.—Ex.

Mr. Porter Asbury visited at his home in Salisbury last week.