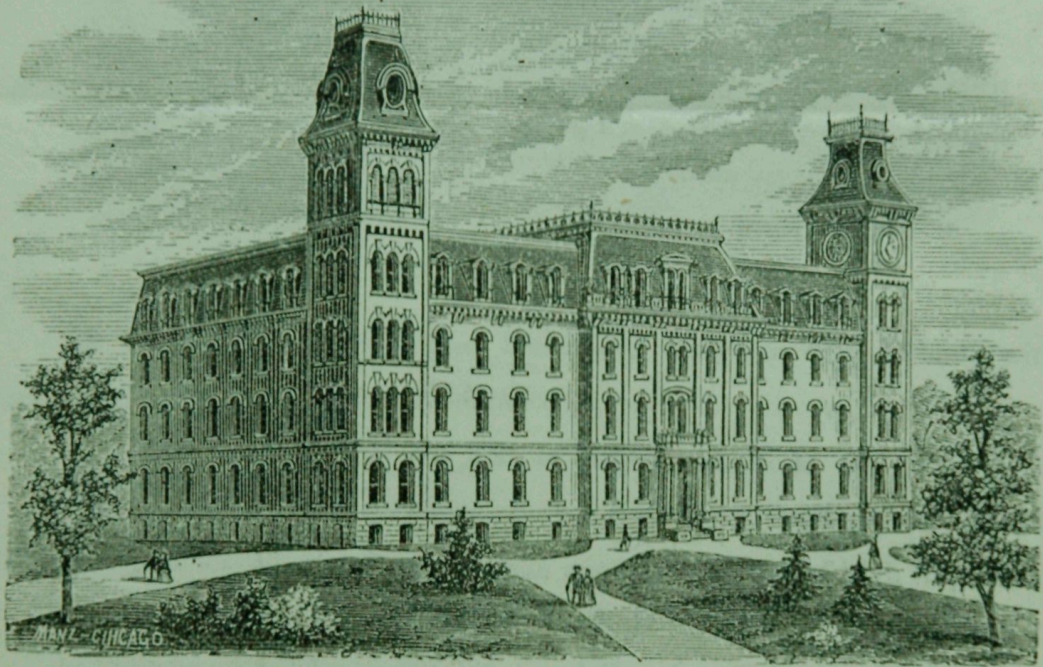


Illinois Industrial University.



Laying of the

Corner Stone

Of the New Main Building, and

INAUGURATION

Of Mechanic and Military Hall.



The Corner-Stone of the New University Building will be laid, with appropriate Ceremonies and Addresses, on

Wednesday, P. M. the 13th of September, A. D. 1871.

This is to be the Main building of the University, with a capacity for One Thousand Students, and its erection opens a fresh era of high importance in the history of the University, and of the State.

At the same date the Inauguration and Opening of the new Mechanic and Military Hall will take place.

You are respectfully invited to honor the occasion with your presence.

In behalf of the Trustees.

J. M. GREGORY,

Regent.