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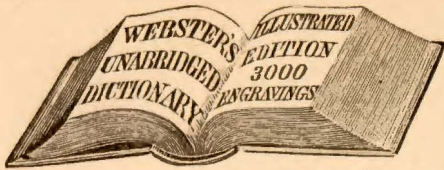
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WE regret to announce that, with the opening of the term, Mr. Arthur E. Pattison, who had proven himself to be an active and efficient member, retired from the Board of Editors.

Mr. Pattison partly on account of his health but chiefly from considerations of a social and private character has suspended his studies for the present. He will spend the winter months with some friends at the Bermudas, and sailed for there by the *Canima* on Thursday the 26th ult.

Mr. Orr Buffington of the senior class has been chosen to fill the vacancy.

COPIES of Bishop Williams' Baccalaureate Sermon, preached in the old Chapel, and published in pamphlet form by the TABLET, may be obtained of the Managing Editor, at No. 35 Jarvis Hall.

THE removal has developed a multitude of relic hunters. Wood, stones and metals from the old buildings have acquired a marvelous value. Perhaps the most interesting of all are the canes made from the old staircases. The owner of one of these possesses a genuine treasure.

IT appears that the youth of the surrounding regions look upon our recent occupation of Rocky Hill with jealous eye. While we should uphold our dignity and honor in all respects, it is to be hoped that we shall not needlessly imbrue our hands in the blood of these wrathful sons of toil.

WE publish in another column a copy of a circular letter sent out by the Subscription Committee of the Boat Club, and desire to call attention to the fact, that although a sufficient sum has been raised to ensure the erection of a house, additional funds are needed to procure shells and properly equip the crew.

WE learn from good authority that the Sophomore Literary Society is to rest in quiet peace from henceforth. It is the best, and perhaps the only way. The general spirit of the college does not permit a strictly open literary society to flourish. The system by which the "Clio" is conducted, is the only one which can succeed.

SOME very able instructors seem to have a predilection for written recitations, which the majority of students can scarcely understand. As a rigid test of knowledge upon separate points, the system is doubtless unexcelled, if honestly carried out. But the mental discipline is exceedingly tame, the opportunities for consultation of "concealed weapons" far greater, and the total amount of

knowledge gained much less than by the connected and extemporaneous discussion of each point, in the order laid down by the author.

WE understand that a plan has been set on foot to grade a part of the lot east of the College, so as to furnish a course for foot-racing, a foot-ball ground, and a base-ball field. The whole ground will measure about 100 x 200 yards. The total expense is not expected to exceed \$150, of which \$100 has been subscribed. This is a sensible plan, and deserves the hearty support of the entire body of undergraduates. We need all the more out-of-door exercise, to compensate for the loss of the gymnasium, which will hardly be removed this autumn.

IT seems that there is to be no Reading Room under the charge of the Juniors. This is not a deplorable loss, as the old one was never an honor to the college. But it might be well to supply, and more than supply, its place with a few of the best Quarterly Reviews, placed in the Library, and rendered accessible two or three times a week. A general petition to President Pynchon, the College Librarian, might be the means of bringing this about. It is well understood that he considers a good library as a most important feature of a college, and its judicious use as a very valuable part of the college course. Such being his views, a suitable application might have great effect.

ON this the first opportunity we have had since the Regatta on the Thames took place, we beg leave to extend our hearty congratulations to our sister college, Columbia, on the proud victory she gained there.

We confess that when we heard of their determination to row in England, we were not at all sanguine that they would return crowned with the laurels of success, but we never shared the ungenerous feeling of some of the larger colleges, the papers representing which spoke slightly of Columbia's enterprise. We feel that Columbia has done a service to all American Colleges, by showing Englishmen that we have students possessed of muscle as well as they, and by stirring us up to a realization of what we can do if we will only try.

THE question of a Chapel Choir has been so often agitated, that a resurrection of the dead idea must be disagreeable to many. But it seems to us that now, by all means, the matter should be taken in hand by the competent musical talent which we are fortunate enough to possess. Professor Hart, our former musical director, is abroad. We shall soon be in the new Chapel, where our grand, historic chants will be accompanied by an organ of superior quality. And this is the time for beginning all things anew and well. It is useless, as experience has shown, to appeal to the general body of undergraduates for action in a matter of this kind. It must be done by one man of practical energy, who has the ability to select and discipline the best voices in College. This once done, the rest will lend their lungs with only too much readiness.

THERE is somehow an idea of wantonness and love of mischief attached to the name of student. It is, no doubt, a notion which has come down from the ancient times, when it was too true, and which will soon pass away. At all events, we ought to give the impression that we have come from civilized homes, by treating these buildings as if they were such. They are to be our home for a series of years, and ought to be so regarded. There are many ways in which we are apt to violate our best instincts, which by a little care may be obviated. There is no need of scratching matches on the mantels, placing our heels on the window sills and casements, cutting names in doors, marking with lead pencils, like little boys, or mutilating our rooms in many other way customary to students. The buildings are a choice work of art, "from turret to foundation stone," and he who mars or defaces them in any way is as worthy of serious discipline as one who injures a painting or statue. A little thoughtfulness will tell us how to conduct ourselves.

WE are now finally settled in our new buildings. The last recitation has been held in the old class-rooms, the last song sung on the old campus, and the last prayer offered in the old Chapel. Trinity College of old is a thing of the past, and new Trinity College is our future *Alma Mater*.

As we compare the present situation with the former, a few sources of regret occur to the mind, but many more of pleasure. Those who passed a number of years at the old site, will be likely to associate their most pleasant memories of college life with that place where they became wedded to a scholar's life. But we must all appreciate the great increase of personal comfort produced by the change, the pleasant and healthful location, the ample opportunities for physical exercise, and the additional facilities for study. All can here gratify their several tastes.

There are many features of the new college upon which we might dwell with interest to all—the dining hall with means for furnishing to each man what he is willing to pay for, and tasteful furnishings—the library, containing the standard works in all languages, to which the best modern works will soon be added—and the excellent class-rooms, the laboratory in particular—but there is one point which we must not pass over, and that is the ability of the college to furnish a good liberal education. That we have an able and scholarly Faculty at our head, is a fact of which all are aware. But it is a fact which all do not know, or, at least, do not seem to appreciate, that within the space of four years, a vast change for the better has been made in the running of the college. It is now conducted as it has never been conducted before in its whole history, and nearly every department rests upon a sounder basis, giving brighter promises of future prosperity than when the Class of Seventy-eight entered. However much we may dislike their system of repression, as manifested in the new rules, we must admit that they know how to teach us in our studies, and that it is this which will be of future benefit. It remains for us to show, by active energy in all our doings, that we have the best interests of the College at heart, and intend to honor her in after life.

The Tablet Bulletin Board has been placed in position, not only for our own use, but for the convenience of the undergraduates in general, as the one erected by the College authorities is intended to be used for official notices.

The next TABLET will be issued Oct. 26th.

AT EVENING.

The sun sank slowly down the west,
The wind piped sweetly o'er the hill,
The wind, that bloweth south or north,
Or west or east, with tickle will.
We spake of pleasant vanished days,
Days lit by memory's golden light,
As shrines in some cathedral vast,
Where tapers gleam on treasures bright.
We talked of present care and toil,
That dull the brain, and bruise the heart,
Of longings wild, of fading hopes,
And fleeting life, and endless art.
At last we spake of future joys,
The bride, the voyage o'er the sea,
And whispered then, with bated breath,
Of that sweet life that is to be.
The stars rose in the eastern sky,
The wind was silent on the hill,
My thoughts were wandering far away,
Without my choice, without my will. B.

GERMAN POETRY.

There are few ways in which we can better improve a portion of our spare moments, than by the study of German poetry. Scarcely one of us is likely to take the advice of our Greek Professor, and "always have a good Greek play by us." The benefit would be great, but few are willing to work for it, and the study of Latin poetry presents the same objection to many. But none will raise it against the pursuit of German literature. The principles of grammar, once learned, the rest comes easy, and then what a mine of priceless treasures lies open to the zealous student! German poetry has a simplicity and "heartiness" which touches a kindred chord in every breast where Saxon blood is warmed. Here is no falseness, no coquetry, no ungraceful straining after artificial effect, which we find in some languages. All is the free and unrestrained utterances of hearts richly endowed with warmth and feeling. The consciousness of the solemnity of life has a deep hold on the German mind, and constantly finds expression in their poetry. There is neither time nor space to go into details. An hour a day for a week with a dictionary and a book of songs or ballads, will do more to convince our readers of the truth of these remarks, than pages of hortatory exposition.

ODE TO ANACREON.

Translations from the Greek Mythology.

ANTIPATER.

Θαλλοὶ τετροκορυμβοὶς Ἀνακρεὼν ἀμφὶ σε κισσοῦς.
 Anacreon! O, bard divine
 May clust'ring ivy 'round thee twine!
 And to thy tomb sweet leaflets cling!
 May founts of pure white milk upspring,
 And wine of luscious sweetness flow,
 So that thy bones new joys may know,
 If to the dead they may belong,
 Thou tuneful Lyre! who with sweet song,
 And love didst spend thy whole life long.

SIMONIDES.

Ὅτε λάρνακι 'εν δαίδαλα ἀνεμῶς.

When chilling blasts with fury smote
 Against the frail and sea tost boat
 And darkness o'er the waters spread,
 The sea filled Danae with dread,
 With moistened cheek and accent wild
 She grasping Perseus, cried: "O child!
 What anguish tears my suffering breast
 Whilst thou in sweet unconscious rest,
 Dost sleep within this close nailed ark
 Hid from the moonbeams in the dark.
 The darkening tempest of the deep
 Disturb thee not nor break thy sleep,
 The angry waves awake no care
 That roar above thy long dry hair.
 But didst thou know what woes subtend,
 To me thou wouldst attention lend!
 But sleep, dear child, I charge thee sleep
 Commit thine evils to the deep!
 O Jove to whom such things belong
 Let this my son revenge my wrong"

ARCHEUS.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[Communications upon current topics are invited for this column. It is expected that they will be written in a courteous tone. The writer's full name, as well as his *nom de plume*, must accompany the article. The editors do not necessarily approve the opinions expressed.]

CHINESE COLLEGE.

To the Editors of the Tablet:

We would like once more, in your paper, to call attention to the raising of a fund for the proposed College in China, under the supervision of the Rt. Rev. Samuel Schereschewsky. The sum of \$43 has been collected from the students, and placed in the Dime Savings Bank. Although the bank is in temporary embarrassment, it will soon be

drawn, without doubt, and sent to its proper destination. There are many names on our subscription list of those who are able to pay the sums promised. It is earnestly desired that the undergraduates will not permit so paltry a sum to represent their interest in one of the greatest labors of the Church. If this should meet the notice of any alumni interested in the work, they will confer a great favor by aiding the enterprise in behalf of Trinity College. All contributions may be forwarded to

M. K. BAILEY,
 Chairman of the Committee.

COLLEGE CUSTOMS.

To the Editors of the Tablet:

Allow me, through your columns, to give expression to a free thought concerning some customs prevalent at this College, in some of which, many institutions are confessedly our superiors. The facts are so well known that you will understand me, if I but refer to them.

The first point I would make is in regard to rushes. I must confess that I shall be very sorry indeed to see this custom given up, for many reasons. There was a zest, and an exuberance of jolly good fun connected with them, which I cannot believe that anyone would willingly part with. Indeed it is commonly rumored that some members of the Faculty are fond of indulging in this amusement, although the stringent rules, recently passed in regard to class contests of strength, would seem to forbid that supposition. For my own part, there seems to me an inconsistency in their action. They acknowledge the benefit of physical exercise, and profess to encourage it, yet endeavor to cast out all class feeling from the matter, which, by stimulating competition, is one of the very best means of promoting its practice. Indeed they show the utmost readiness to accept this method of advancing intellectual attainments, by supporting the marking system, the Oratorical Prize Contest, the Prize Version Declamations, and many other customs of like character. I do not wish to obtrude my opinion, but it seems to me that to repress a motive in one case, and eagerly seize it in another, where both causes are acknowledged to be worthy, is an example open to much criticism and abuse.

But this thought leads me to another and similar one. The remedy for this lies among ourselves. It is, in fact, the belief that we ought not to allow any of our own biases to hinder class emulation in athletic sports, or, better still, the fair and open rivalry of the entire College, individual member with member. The most natural bond of union in college life is that which binds together the members of a class in one firm body. It is among our own class-mates that we commonly make the life-long friendships. It is those whose faces we have familiarly seen in class, day in, day out, for four pleasant years, whom we most love. We cannot help it—it must be so. And it seems to me, in considering these things, that we ought not to allow matters of small import to mar our affections. But there is a broader view to take of college life than even this. We all bear the same name in the outer world. There the question asked is not so much, to what fraternity or what class we belonged, as to what College? We are all taught by the same Professors, we all receive the same diplomas, and we all love the same dear Foster Mother, and ought, therefore, to cherish and protect her best interests with warmest heart and hand. If a good suggestion is made, every member of the College ought to second it with voice, hand and purse, to the best of his ability. Now how different are the facts of the case from all this! I have known classes to be so divided by party feeling that an election could not be held for months. Nay, worse than this! It is with the utmost difficulty that enough men can be collected to organize a general College meeting, and it is only the bitterness of opposition that will bring together a three-fourths majority. And when they do come together, are they united and harmonious? Far from it! Why, Mr. Editor, it is not long since I was in a College meeting, where you could predict how the elections would result, by observing on which side of the room the greatest number of men were sitting. It certainly seems to me that things ought not to be thus. It is true that I am not a member of any fraternity, and cannot, perhaps, realize the warmth of affection which unites their members, but this I do know, that in college or out of college, at

home or abroad, in prosperity or tribulation, the name of Trinity College shall be loved and extolled by me, and her sons shall be as my brothers.

Permit me to touch upon one point more, and I will close. I speak of a certain entertainment commonly called the "Freshman Bum." It is generally understood to be a tangible expression of the good-will and humility of the Freshman Class toward the rest of the College. They wish to give some sort of an entertainment to win the good-will of all, and to propitiate the Sophomores, and not feeling able to bear the expense of a supper, give this instead. But it is not an affair to be praised. Those who attend speak of it in a apologetic tone, declare that they were perfectly sober, take good care to avoid the Faculty and "peelers," and never write home about it—at least not correctly. Those whose good will they seek, pat them on the back, and call them good fellows, and after the beer is drunk, probably forget to notice those who paid for it, while the men whose opinion has a fixed standard of sterling value, never are present. It is in fact a failure. The Freshmen sell themselves for a little applause, because they are afraid to do otherwise, and only make themselves ridiculous. How much nobler to be firm, and abide by one's principles!

Begging pardon for occupying so much of your space, I remain, etc.,

AN INDEPENDENT NEUTRAL.

COLLEGE AND CAMPUS.

EXCUSES.

All excuses and communications to the Faculty can be placed in a box, outside Prof. Richardson's door. This obviates the necessity of waiting to see the Professor or of entering his room. They must be handed in before Monday noon.

DEAN STANLEY.

On Thursday morning, Sept. 26th, Dean Stanley honored the college with a short visit. He was escorted through the buildings by the President and others of the Faculty. Very few of the students had an opportunity of seeing him, as most of them were at recitations.

CHANGES IN THE FACULTY.

During Professor Hart's absence in Europe the chair of Mathematics is to be filled by Rev. John H. Barbour. It is expected that the Professor will be back and resume his duties at the beginning of next year.

Professor Richardson has been chosen Secretary of the Faculty, and Rev. Samuel J. Andrews has been appointed Instructor in Metaphysics. This year Assistant Professor Smyth will have the Junior Class in Greek.

CHAPEL SERVICES.

On Thursday evening, Sept. 12th, the opening service of the term was held in the Latin Recitation Room, which has been fitted up temporarily as a Chapel, until the temporary Chapel is finished. Rev. Dr. Pynchon officiated, Prof. Huntington reading the lesson.

The Holy Communion will not be administered on Sunday mornings until the temporary Chapel is finished. Thus far no sermons have been preached at the Sunday afternoon service.

MATRICULATION.

On Saturday morning, Sept. 14, the members of the Sophomore class were honored by the Faculty with the privilege, so long withheld from them of being matriculated. The interesting ceremony took place in the Mathematical Room.

On the following Monday, the Freshmen, very much to their astonishment, were, without any previous preparation, or a word of warning detained in the Greek Room, and compelled to undergo the same ordeal.

CANES.

Soon after the opening of this term Mr. D. B. Willson, '79, presented each member of his class with a cane made from the banisters of Jarvis Hall. These will always be kept as mementoes of the old Trinity College, and very precious will they be to those whose hands have passed over the old wood so many times. As in younger days the rails guarded and helped the student to climb through the gloomy halls of Jarvis, so in after life will the cane steady the steps of the aged man, and remind him of the times when, on dark nights, he used to bark his shins and bruise his nose in climbing to his room.

SEABURY AND JARVIS HALLS.

All who passed any portion of their college course in the old buildings must have been pleased to learn, on their return, at the opening of the term, that the old familiar names at the head of this paragraph had been transplanted to this, our new home. For the information of graduates we will state that the block, which is used for dormitories, has been named Jarvis Hall, and the southern, in which are the recitation rooms, Seabury Hall. Thus have these two distinguished Bishops been fitly honored, and thus will their memory be handed down to the generations to come, linked with these buildings, so much more beautiful and worthy of the honor, than the old ones with which we have been accustomed to connect them.

RECITATIONS, ETC.

The long talked of plan of having all the recitations before 2 P. M., has been adopted. The first recitation is at 8.30, the second at 10 A. M., and the third at 1 P. M. This arrangement applies to the three lower classes. The Seniors have their third recitation at 11 A. M., except on Tuesday, when it is at 1 P. M. This leaves the afternoon for exercise, reading or studying, as each may choose. All are very much pleased with the plan and it will, no doubt, continue to work as well as it has begun. The attendance at Chapel is required every morning as usual with the exception of Sunday. Instead of making Chapel voluntary on Wednesday and Saturday evenings as it was in the old college, two absences per week are allowed, which can be taken on any two evenings. This is another most excellent plan which meets the approval of the whole body of students.

THEMES.

The following is the table of themes for this term, so far as they have been appointed.

SENIORS.

Oct. 13, England's Recent Course of Diplomacy.

Nov. 13, The Philosophy of Intellectual Revivals.

JUNIORS.

Oct. 17, Different Methods of Expressing Thoughts, and their Relation to each other.

Nov. 12, Spencer and his friends.

THE DINING ROOM.

The basement in the north end of Seabury Hall has been finished off and made into a Dining Room. It is furnished with tables and chairs made of ash, so as to match the other wood-work, and they are of a very substantial and beautiful style. The walls are adorned with the portraits of some of the revered Presidents and benefactors of the college, which adds greatly to the general appearance of the room. Everything is arranged and carried out in the most orderly manner. The colored waiters have so far done very well.

The business of the Dining Room is placed under the charge of a steward, J. H. Bolton, Jr., whose duty it is to make a financial report once each month. A committee of five has been chosen from the Senior Class to attend to the complaints and suggestions made by the undergraduates. The committee consists of Messrs. Elbert, Carpenter, Willson, Bailey and Harding. Each body in College has a representative on this committee. The plan is to furnish the board at cost, and each month's bill is to be paid in advance. The price charged for first month was eighteen dollars, (at the ratio of four dollars and a half per week.) There is a rumor at present, however, that the price may be raised. The whole matter rests in the hands of the undergraduates, and if they are not pleased with the arrangements a change can easily be made at any time. It seems to be the prevailing opinion, however, that the present plan will give general satisfaction.

NO RUSHES.

In consequence of the solemn compact into which the Freshmen involuntarily entered with the Faculty, they have felt it to be their duty, much to the regret of the Sophomores, to abstain from extending to the latter the usual, and time-honored courtesy of an invitation to a Push Rush. We understand that no audacious Freshman contemplates even the carrying a plug hat or cane into Chapel to flaunt them before the wrathful gaze of the self-constituted conservators of "ye ancient customs" the new-fledged Sophomore. *O tempora! O mores!* The third week of Christmas Term drawing to a close

and no rushes, not even one of the size of a cane, growing yet! Under such circumstances as these, how can we vindicate our claim to the name of College, or prove the identity of the institution called Trinity College on this new location with the old one that lives in the memory of its graduates? And yet the contented "upper-classman" does not appear to be greatly exercised over this lamentable deficiency of what used to be so eloquently dilated upon under the name of "class spirit," but pursues the even tenor of his way regardless of the chagrin of the impatient "Soph." or the conscientious scruples of the modern Freshman.

BONFIRES

On Friday night, Sept. 20, or rather on Saturday Morning, the peaceful slumbers of a majority of the students were disturbed by a loud clamor in front of the college, and, when thus awakened, their eyes were dazzled by the glare of a huge bonfire which apparently had just been kindled on the college lawn. The most patient investigation of all the circumstances by the members of the Tablet Board, assisted by the Faculty, has failed to discover who were the perpetrators. The Sophomores have solemnly assured us that they were not the guilty parties, and have been congratulated by the President for exculpating themselves. Fortunately, none of the grass on the college lawn was burned.

On the Tuesday evening following, at a like uncertain hour, there was a repetition of the phenomena above described, but with a much greater glare and more fierce shouting, accompanied by the tuneful wailings of a number of melodious fish-horns, or mayhap defunct organ-pipes. A crowd of persons clad in ambiguous garments and disguised as to their faces in such a manner that they were easily recognizable in the glare of the fire, paraded up and down the esplanade, tooting horns and making wild efforts to sing college songs. Now and then a panic seized them, but no watchful Professor disturbed their midnight orgies. At length, tired of the monotony of being unmolested, they folded their tents like the Arabs and silently stole away.

The following morning the President inter-

viewed the Freshmen individually in the Greek Room, and they, with unparalleled but praiseworthy candor, severally and collectively owned up to having caused the disturbance of the previous night. Later in the day, the President announced to the class the decision of the Faculty in regard to the matter, which was as follows:

"Considering all the extenuating circumstances the Faculty have made your punishment as light as they consistently could.

1st. Each member of the class who was concerned in the bonfire is reduced fifty marks, conditional on good behavior for the rest of the college year.

2d. Each member of the class who took part in the bonfire is required to pass an examination on the First Philippic of Cicero, on Nov. 2d.

3d. Each member of the class who blew a fish-horn is suspended, conditional on good behavior for the remainder of the year.

4th. All who hold scholarships forfeit them, conditional on good behavior until the end of the year."

CLASS ELECTIONS.

SENIORS.

<i>President,</i>	- -	William E. Potwine,
<i>Vice-President,</i>	- -	Alfred Harding,
<i>Secretary,</i>	- -	James S. Carpenter,
<i>Treasurer,</i>	- -	Henry S. Martindale,
<i>Chronicler,</i>	- -	Robert L. Winkley,
<i>Base Ball Captain,</i>	- -	Melville K. Bailey.

JUNIORS.

<i>President,</i>	- -	Frank L. Wilcox,
<i>Vice-President,</i>	- -	Henry C. Black,
<i>Secretary,</i>	- -	Robert Barclay,
<i>Treasurer,</i>	- -	Morton Stone,
<i>Chronicler,</i>	- -	Benjamin B. Gallaudet.

SOPHOMORES.

<i>President,</i>	- -	Harlow C. Curtiss,
<i>Vice-President,</i>	- -	Ernst A. Kempe,
<i>Secretary,</i>	- -	George B. Pattison,
<i>Treasurer,</i>	- -	Lawson B. Bidwell,
<i>Chronicler,</i>	- -	William B. Nelson,

FRESHMEN.

<i>President,</i>	- -	John Henry McCrackan,
<i>Vice-President,</i>	- -	William C. Sheldon,
<i>Secretary,</i>	- -	Charles A. Appleton,
<i>Treasurer,</i>	- -	N. Williams McIvor.

LAWN TENNIS.

A Lawn Tennis Club has been organized with the following officers: President, G. Kneeland; Treasurer, G. S. Perkins. Members, Stark, Appleton, E. D., Kneeland, Russell, Miller, Huntington, Perkins, Appleton, C. A., Henderson, D Forrest, Sheldon, Strong, Young.

THE BOAT CLUB.

The committee appointed last year by the members of the Boat Club, to solicit funds for the erection of a Boat House, have been working assiduously ever since, and at last their efforts have been crowned with success. The committee, of whom E. D. Appleton is chairman, have succeeded in raising \$410, an amount which warrants them in recommending the Association to build at once. At a meeting of the Association held at noon on Wednesday, Sept. 25th, the following officers were elected: President, Orr Buffington; Vice President, George Beach; Secretary, S. G. Fisher; Treasurer, Morton Stone; Captain of the Crew, E. D. Appleton.

At another meeting held at noon on Thursday, Sept. 26, the committee for the collection of funds was further empowered to act as a building committee. Mr. Nelson tendered his resignation from the committee and Mr. Potwine was appointed in his place. The committee as now constituted, are E. D. Appleton, Geo. Kneeland, W. E. Potwine. A committee of five was appointed to draw up a new constitution, and another committee of five to decide upon one of several estimates for the building which had already been submitted.

At a further meeting held on Monday, Sept. 30, Mr. Kneeland, chairman of the committee of five appointed at the previous meeting to consider the estimates, reported that the committee had decided in favor of Mr. Young's bid, who had offered to build a boat house 60 feet by 24 for \$433.—The report was accepted. The building committee will now take the matter in hand, and work will be begun immediately. It is proposed to give a series of dramatic entertainments during the winter, in behalf of the Boat Club.

The following circular letter was sent out at the opening of the term:

Trinity College, Hartford, Ct., Sept. 1878.

To the Alumni and Friends of Trinity College:

Dear Sir:

A year ago, (Sept. '77,) a committee was appointed to procure funds from the undergraduates of Trinity College, sufficient to build a boat-house. During the year the committee collected \$250. The sum required is \$450. The land on which to build the house has already been procured, and the contract has been made. If the remaining sum can be obtained the house will be put up at once.

Your attention is called to the following facts:

1st, That the boat-house will remain permanently on land under the care of a janitor.

2d. That the advantage to be derived from rowing as a means of exercise and relaxation is universally acknowledged, and while a proper opportunity for friendly contests with other colleges will not be disregarded, it is mainly the intention of the club to promote the boating interest among the undergraduates, and to enable those owning boats to use them.

If it is your pleasure to give anything to this object please do so as promptly as possible, as it would be of great advantage to build this fall. Any sum, however small will be gladly received.

E. D. APPLETON, *Chairman*.

I most cordially commend this circular to the kind consideration of the graduates and friends of the college. I hold the object to be a desirable one.

[Signed] J. WILLIAMS.]

Direct to E. D. Appleton, P. O. drawer 20.

FOOT BALL.

At the annual meeting of the Foot Ball Association, held Thursday, the 26th ult., the following officers were elected: President, Geo. Kneeland; '80; Vice-President, J. C. Barrows, '80; Secretary and Treasurer, W. E. Potwine, '79; Captain, James S. Carpenter, '79.

Mr. Carpenter feeling obliged, on account of his health, to tender his resignation, at a special meeting held yesterday, the 4th inst., E. D. Appleton, '80, was chosen in his stead.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

The annual election for officers of the Athletic Association was held on Wednesday, the 3d, with the following result:

President, Alfred Harding, '79; Vice-President, M. K. Bailey, '79; Secretary, F. W. White, '79; Treasurer, Geo. Kneeland, '80, Field Marshal, J. S. Carpenter, '79; First Lieutenant, D. B. Willson, '79; Second Lieutenant, W. N. Elbert, '79. The Treasurer, Mr. Willson, made a report, and at his own request a committee of three were appointed to audit his accounts, viz., W. N. Elbert, B. B. Gallaudet and Stewart Stone.

No exhibition will be given this fall as was intended, the Gymnasium not having yet been removed from the old site, the Street Commissioners having denied the petition of the Trustees of the College, to allow them to remove it, as the building is 40 feet wide and the roadways are only 30 feet, so that if it was moved it would be necessary to take down the trees and lamp-posts, along the route.

NOTE.—We observed in a tabular statement of "Recent Running and Jumping" in

the *New York World* for July 29th, that Trinity's record in Pole Vaulting, 8 feet 10½ inches, (made by Mr. Frank L. Wilcox,) surpassed all other American Colleges, and was second only to that of the Intercollegiate contest, which exceeded it by 1½ inches. —ED.

FRESHMEN CLASS.

We give below a full list of the Freshmen:

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| Adkins, Franklin B. | Easton, Md. |
| Appleton, Chas. A. | Clifton, S. I. |
| Ball, Clarence E. | Winsted, Conn. |
| Barto, Richard V. | Trumansburgh, N. Y. |
| Benedict, John A. | Cincinnati, Ohio. |
| Brainard, Judson B. | Portland, Conn. |
| Brewer, Seabury D. | Utica, N. Y. |
| Brown, John E. | Newport, R. I. |
| Burgwin, Aug. P. | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| Caldwell, Chas. E. | Cincinnati, Ohio. |
| Carlin, Robert S. | Brooklyn, N. Y. |
| Carpenter, Clarence. | Detroit, Mich. |
| Carter, Bernard M. | Baltimore, Md. |
| Carter, Chas. H. | Baltimore, Md. |
| Church, Frank H. | Toledo, Ohio. |
| Coleman, Chas. S. | New York City. |
| Cook, Arthur B. | Brooklyn, N. Y. |
| Dockray, Edward L. | Newport, R. I. |
| DeForrest, James G., Jr. | New York City. |
| Gowen, Frederick C. | Philadelphia, Penna. |
| Greene, Fred. H. | Franklin, Mass. |
| Hamilton, Chas. A. | Unionville, Conn. |
| Henderson, Ernest F. | New York City. |
| Holden, Seaver M. | Bridgeport, Conn. |
| Hotchkiss, Chas. E. | Gouverneur, N. Y. |
| Howell, George D. | Uniontown, Pa. |
| Linsley, Arthur B. | Riverton, Conn. |
| Marble, Frederick P. | Newtown, Conn. |
| McCrackan, John H. | Hartford, Conn. |
| McIvor, N. Williams | Cheraw, S. C. |
| Moore, William A. | Binghampton, N. Y. |
| Parks, Silas H. | Gt. Barrington, Mass. |
| Pooley, Edward J. | Cheshire, Conn. |
| Reineman, Robert T. | Alleghany City, Pa. |
| Richardson, William C. | Auburn, N. Y. |
| Sheldon, William C. | New York City. |
| Shepard, Lewis A. | Plantsville, Conn. |
| Shipman, Pelham W. | New York City. |
| Strong, James R. | Newtown, L. I. |
| Tupper, Henry M. | West Newbury, Ct. |
| Tuttle, Chas. A. | New Haven, Conn. |
| Walker, William D. | Brooklyn, N. Y. |
| Webb, William W. | Philadelphia, Penna. |
| Woodruff, Edward H. | St. Catharine's, Ont. |
| Young, Andrew M. | New York City. |

TOTAL, 45.

We learn that a number of others are about to enter.

MEMORIAL TO JOSEPH M. TRUBY.

We were favored yesterday with a glimpse of the mural tablet soon to be placed in the College Chapel, by the Order of Beta Beta, to the memory of JOSEPH M. TRUBY, of which fraternity Mr. Truby was a member, and to whom, in deference to their wishes, his classmates entrusted the work of erecting a suitable memorial.

The tablet is from the well-known establishment of Messrs. J. & R. Lamb, No. 59 Carmine Street, New York city, and has been executed in their best manner. It consists of a heavy slab of finely polished black or rather grayish marble, resting upon a base of the same material. Around the top, and the two sides is cut in, in bas relief, the sentence—"Quoniam Deus tentavit eum et invenit illum dignum se," within which is placed a handsome brass plate, beautifully polished and bearing in old English letters, of black enamel, the most appropriate inscription:

"Et fratris valde amati,
JOSEPHI MESSEROVE TRUBY,
Vitam studiosam, probam, integram
Omnibus testentur,
Sodales ipsi nunquam oblituri,
Hoc monumentum posuerunt.
In Jesu obdormivit XVII., Kal. Dec.,
MDCCCLXXXVII."

PERSONALS.

[It is particularly desired that the Alumni furnish us with all items of interest, that may come to their knowledge, concerning every one who has been connected with the College.]

HOWE, '32. The Hon. J. B. Howe has published two books on subjects connected with Political Economy.

WARNER, '42. The Rev. Abm. J. Warner's address is Bradford, Steuben Co., N. Y.

WELLES, '43. The Hon. Henry T. Welles has been elected a member of the Standing Committee of Minnesota.

BENEDICT, '47. The Rev. Samuel Benedict D. D. of Cincinnati was married in Stonington, Conn., August 8th, to Miss Sallie G. Grant, daughter of the late Hugh Frazer Grant of Glynn Co., Georgia.

SCARBOROUGH, '54. The Right Rev. Bishop Scarborough attended the Conference of Bishops at Lambeth.

QUICK, '58. J. H. S. Quick was elected Treasurer of the Sunday School Association of the Diocese of Illinois.

JOHNSON, '59. The Rev. Prof. Edwin E. Johnson spent the summer in Europe.

GOODRIDGE, '60,—STORRS, '63. The Revs. Edward Goodridge and L. K. Storrs have returned from Europe.

ALLYN, '61. Major Arthur W. Allyn of the Sixteenth U. S. Infantry left this city about a fortnight ago for his post at Fort Sill, Indian Territory. He had been east on a leave of absence for three months during which time he visited Europe.

HUNTINGTON, '64. Capt. R. W. Huntington, U. S. N., has been assigned to duty in the Pacific Coast.

HART, '66. The Rev. Prof. Samuel Hart, who has gone abroad for a year on account of his health, when last heard from was at Aberdeen, Scotland.

KENNEDY, '66. Howard Kennedy's address is San Louis Obispo, Cal.

POTTS, '68. The Rev. Frank H. Potts may be addressed to No. 1461 Prairie St., Chicago.

BEAVEN, '71. The Rev. W. Y. Beaven is second assistant to the Rt. Rev. Bishop Lay at the Cathedral, Easton, Md.

CHASE, '72. Horace R. Chase, M. A., we learn from the *Peoria Daily National Democrat* has been nominated for the legislature of Illinois, for the Peoria district. Under ordinary circumstances, the nomination is equivalent to an election.

SNYDER, '72. Edgar Snyder, M. D., may be addressed to No. 133 So. Clark St., Chicago, Ill.

ZIEGLER, '72. The Rev. Paul Ziegler has been elected a member of the Standing Committee of Kansas.

BOWDITCH, '73. Mr. J. T. Bowditch's address is Winona, Minn.

WATTS, '73. Edward B. Watts, M. A., Carlisle, Pa., is engaged to be married to the second daughter of Col. Lane, U. S. A.

WOODMAN, '73. C. E. Woodman is traveling in California for his health.

WHALEY, '74. The Rev. P. H. Whaley was ordained Priest at Sharon, Conn., July 3rd.

BUFFINGTON, '75. Joseph Buffington Esq. was recently admitted to practice in the several courts of Armstrong Co., Penn., and is associated with his former preceptor, J. B. Neale, Esq.

HYDE, '75. Ed. Morris Hyde, M. A., was elected to the rectorship of the Yeates Institute, Lancaster, Pa., an endowed school for boys and young men under the control of the Vestry of St. James' Church, but declined it.

ROBERTS, '75. The Rev. William J. Roberts who has been abroad for the past year, and for a

part of the time was assistant-rector of St. Paul's church, Rome, has returned. He preached at Trinity church this city, on Sunday, 29th ult—and was ordained to the priesthood on Monday last by Rt. Rev. Bishop Williams. He will immediately assume the rectorship of Trinity Church, Hudson, Mich.

VALENTINE, '72. Wm. A. Valentine, M. D., may be addressed at No. 41 West 28th St., New York City.

COTTON, '74. The Rev. H. Evan Cotton was recently ordained Priest in Paris and will have charge of the American Chapel in Dresden for the coming winter.

PLATT, '75. Charles Platt, Jr. is to be married on Thursday next, the 10th, to Miss Elizabeth Norris, daughter of S. Henry Norris Esq., Phila.

HIESTER, '76. Isaac Hiester, Esq., was admitted to the bar at Reading, Pa., in August.

PADGETT, '76. Percival Padgett, who has had for a short time been in the office of Mr. C. E. Graves, Treasurer of the College has followed the example of Mr. Rutherford, his predecessor, and accepted a position at Racine as Instructor.

RUTHERFORD, '76. H. V. Rutherford has resigned his position in the office of the Treasurer of the College and gone to Racine College.

COLEMAN, '77. Robert H. Coleman has been seriously ill for several months.

NORTON, '77. Charles C. Norton has gone to Washington, D. C. to continue the study of law during the coming winter.

CHAPIN, '78. W. V. Chapin has entered the Columbia Law School.

CHIPMAN '78. Chipman has gone to Berkeley Divinity School.

MADDOCK, '78. W. S. Maddock, who was about to enter the General Theo. Seminary, New York, is afflicted with a chronic ulceration of his throat, which has proved so serious as to compel him to relinquish all intentions of entering the ministry.

ROBERTS, '78. Thos. M. Roberts has successfully passed an examination for the degree of B. A., in the School of All Arts. Boston University, and has entered the Law School.

WHITE, '78. Frank W. White was married on Wednesday last, the 2d inst., at St. George's Church, Flushing, L. I. to Miss Mary B. daughter of Fred'k N. Lawrence, Esq.

WILLIAMS, '78. John Williams is about to enter upon a post graduate course at Oxford University. His present address is Stamford Villa, No. 13 Hawkshead St., Southport, England.

PATTISON, '79. A. E. Pattison, who has temporarily left the College, as explained in another column, may be addressed to Woodland's, Pembroke, Bermuda.

WHITE, '79. F. W. White is expected back to-day. With his usual enthusiasm he assisted his home club, Oil City, Pa., handsomely, in defeating the Red Stockings of Cleveland, Ohio, under the charge of Parker of the Yale University Nine, in two straight games out of three, on August 27th and 28th—the first, August 26th. was declared a tie, ten innings being played and neither side scored. Four errors on each side.

HOLWAY, '80. Orlando Holway, who returned at the opening of the term, has been unable to enter recitations on account of continued illness. He is now convalescent.

MCIVOR,—GREENE, '82. N. Williams McIvor formerly of '81, who was obliged to leave College early last year on account of sickness, and was kept away by continued ill-health and other afflictions, has returned and entered '82. Fred H. Greene, also of '81, who was somewhat similarly afflicted, has pursued the same course.

EXCHANGES.

The prevailing tone of our Exchanges is one of exultation. "Annuals" are a thing of the past, at least, as far as the year 1878 is concerned, and every one seems happy.

The editors from the class of '79 take charge of *The Dartmouth* with seeming diffidence. The editorials are notably weak; and there is no improvement in this respect in the second number over the first.

The management of the *Niagara Index* announce their intention of endeavoring "to maintain its old time excellence in all departments." When, pray, was that *old time*? We would advise that the *Index* be pointed in another direction.

The board of Editors, which has just retired from the *Brunonian*, adopted a plan which seems to have been eminently successful, that of threatening to publish the names of those of its subscribers who failed to "pay up" within a certain prescribed time. Private dunning is rarely successful, as any financial editor of a College paper will testify, but there are very few who will not "come down," if threatened with an exposure of their indebtedness in the columns of the paper which they pretend to patronize.

The *Acta Columbiana* has deteriorated to noticeable degree since its first issue, and the fact is especially shown by the last number. It lays claim to the best amateur record in

the running broad jump; that of 20 feet, made at its Spring Contest. At the field meeting of the Trinity College Athletic Association, in May last, a record of 20 ft. 11 in. was made. *Apropos* of which we quote from an article on "Recent Running and Jumping," in the *N. Y. World*, for July 29th, "At Trinity the remarkable running broad jump of almost 21 feet was made by Campbell, of '78, of Independence, Ia., who surpassed by eleven inches the similar jumps made at Columbia and Princeton, which were called the "best on record." Will the *Acta*, then, yield a point?

The *Argus* opens with a learned disquisition on "College Oratory," many of the ideas being derived from somewhere other than the mind of the writer, for they have a decidedly familiar sound. Our friends seem to be plunged into the depths of woe. That magnificent bequest, so widely talked of, and which was to accomplish such great ends, has dwindled down to a mere pittance, when compared to its former dimensions, and all those air castles, alas! must be dissipated.

In the *Yale Lit.* we notice, as remarkably good, the DeForrest Prize Oration, an article entitled: "Bits of Chinese Song," and the poem, "Edith," from which may be selected the *Matin Song*:

MATIN SONG.

When the dew is on the roses,
When the mist is on the sea,
When the western wind reposes
Midst the leaves of yon oak tree;
Through the August-blooming heather,
We will roam, my love, together,
To the land where aye is dawning,
Golden Light and Constant Morning.

We take pleasure in noting a marked improvement in the *Kenyon Advance*. Typographically it is one of our best exchanges. The quality of paper is good, and the cover tasteful. We cannot say so much for the contents. Entirely too much space is devoted to the exercises of the graduating class, nevertheless, when we consider the large number, eight, composing it, this is easily accounted for.

We question very much whether the brain, even of a *Kenyon* senior, could remain in a somnolent state sufficiently long for the passage through it of such a lengthy piece of

nonsense as "The Dream of the President of Seventy eight." The next number will be under a new board of editors, who, we hope, will be emulous of their printer.

PARTICLES.

Turnips!

Meat pie!

Welcome '82.

Bon-fire—Good fire.

Sharp Faculty, that.

Music is at a discount.

No sermons Sunday afternoons.

Where did you get your andirons?

Wanted—a nurse at No. 44 Jarvis Hall.

The 'commons' are better than common.

Eighty-two matriculated somewhat early.

Visitors to the new buildings are frequent.

A Freshman asks: "Who is the author of *Strauss*?"

"Home again! Home again, from a foreign shore."

The stage lines are well patronized by the students.

Two cuts per week from chapel allowed each student.

When the *Πο Παυ Παυ* initiate again, they had better hire a hall.

Views of the old buildings, *a la demolee*, can be had of DeLamater.

The first room occupied in the new building was No. 35 Jarvis Hall.

Committee on Germans,—Elbert, Buffington, Carpenter, J. S., and Kneeland.

The Treasurer of the College gives trade dollars in change. Look out for 'em.

Have you procured a cane as a remembrance of "old Trinity?" If not, get one.

The new buildings have been twice illuminated since the opening of the term, and with fine effect.

Prof.: "Mr. —, what two names are given to describe this process?"

Mr. —: "Endosmose, and *Ex-dosmose*."

The following notice appeared on the bulletin board at the opening of the term:

GENTS.

Which I've two horses for sale, called 'Caesar' and 'Hommel'—please call and see.

JOHN SMITH,

15 Russ Street."

A Freshman observing the notice relating to the College "Germans" inquired how many of them they were and when they came over.

Prof.: "Give me the derivation of 'transport.'"

Fresh: "'Trans,' *forth*, and 'porto,' *to bring*."

Scene in a room occupied by two Fresh. and an indefinite number of Sophs. Time, 8:30 p. m. One Fresh *in bed*, the other chanting in trembling tones the opening sentence of the *Nunc dimittis*.

Observation by the "head of the parietal board": "I thought I heard a voice in one of the students' rooms." Then the act closes, and some unlucky one has twenty-five marks less to *stand upon*.

The Artful Dodger Base Ball Club has been reorganized, and is ready for work, as will be seen by the following card:

CHALLENGE.

The Artful Dodgers hereby publicly challenge the Bottle Divers to a game on the turnip patch, on Saturday afternoon next, 12th inst.

THE WHOLE NINE.

NOTES AND CLIPPINGS.

In a graveyard at Lebanon Springs, N. Y., there is a headstone with a carving representing a tree falling on the body of a man, who had been engaged in chopping it down. Underneath is the following unique inscription:

"Myself I promised to live fourscore
Perhaps an hundred years or more,
Never thinking my fate would be
In bloom to die beneath a tree."

Poor Yale—11 to 3, and the day before class day.—*Crimson*.

First Irate Female: "I'd hate to be in your shoes." Second Ditto: "You couldn't get in them."—*Ex*.

Slocum asks: "How do you know that Cowper was in debt?" Ans.—Because he oh'd for a lodge in some vast wilderness.—*Courant*.

Now is the time when the Freshman who thinks he has written a powerful composition, and readeth the same with pride and enthusiasm, is painfully given away, if not utterly extinguished, by the genial professor.

—*Courant*.

A Junior proposes to place the following inscription over his private library:

"The Lord helps them who help themselves,"

The ancient poet sang;

The Lord help him who helps himself

To books in this chebang."—*Index*.

An intoxicated man passing a door over which was the sign, "Cast Iron Sinks," looked up, and after reading the sign several times, said: "Well, who the (hic) said it didn't?"—*Colby Echo*.

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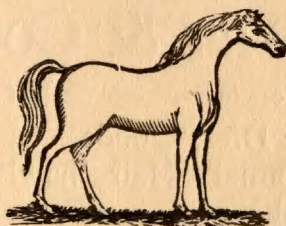
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