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We are fully aware of the fact that this is the proper time to offer some advice about how to spend the vacation. As this issue comes from the press the term is at an end, and with the throng of subscribers standing open-mouthed to hear our final words that they may bear them away and ponder over them in the secret places, it is indeed hard to refrain from playing the Nestor to those who are besieging the Ilium of knowledge, and telling just how to get the most work done in the periods of rest.

But we will refrain. If you go home with the idea of making up some study in vacation, you cannot blame the CAMPUS for making a well-earned vacation merely a continuation of the "demnition grind." Go home and gnaw the fatted turkey or stay here and revel in the succulent wings of the Huling's Hall chicken, study Calculus or read Zola, deliver blackboards or practice physical culture, we commend every one in his or her chosen pursuit, and extend to you all the compliments of the season.

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There are still some students in college who remember what the battalion was in the days preceding the coming of Lieut. Cree. Drills were held with some regularity, but absence brought no penalty, not even an excuse was required. The average attendance was very low. There was no regular instruction in tactics. All that the officers knew they had learned in the ranks. There is a tradition that once a captain secured a copy of the tactics and dared to study it, but the matter was hushed up and he was let off without punishment. Men were promoted to the grade of corporal solely on the ground of one year's service. They were made sergeants as soon as there were vacancies. Above that, advancement depended chiefly upon length of service and strength of "leg pull."

At the drills, the commanding officer delegated the work to the cadet captains, and sometimes did not come near the battalion for weeks at a time. Not half the required books were kept, and those in a very careless manner. The commandant made little effort to obtain concessions from the faculty, and as a

result service in the battalion counted for little as a substitute for college studies.

Under such treatment as this, it is not much wonder that the battalion dwindled from one hundred and fifty members to a third of that number ; that students lost interest in the military department, and that the U. S. inspecting officer recommended that the battalion be removed from the college.

To-day the contrast is marked. The present instructor has systematized the work, secured a fine new equipment of arms and established a course of theoretical instruction. In another column will be found a record of the advance made in the past two years.

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If our college can be said to be renowned for one thing more than another, it is for the number of Wise Men who have attended it. They have displayed their wisdom in many ways. They always joined a literary society, where their good parts were at once recognized, and without the slightest effort they were unanimously elected to positions on the inter-society contest.

Then these Wise Men, in order to prevent the vulgar crowd from pouring in to hear their wisdom, made their productions so long that the contest continued until past midnight. As the student-who-has-a-girl was the only one who could endure this ordeal, the audience was about as large as a literary society, and next spring these Wise Men or their successors voted to appropriate the library funds to pay the rent of the opera house. And so hath it been since the corner stone of Hulings was laid, or ever seniors were proud and freshmen frivolous.

Will it be ever thus? The present contestants have a chance to win the gratitude of posterity by keeping their productions within reasonable limits.

The college library is a fortress at which many an editorial Gatling gun has been aimed, but without any more effect than fusillades of words usually have. Without any spread of rhetoric, the fact is painfully evident to every seeker of books that our library is better fitted for a medæval monastery than a modern college. Not only are there yards and yards of books as useless as if they were lettered boards, but the gaps in the shelves of modern literature —the books which should be there but are not—these things may well give us pause.

Suppose a student wishes to learn something of recent French literature. He goes to the library and asks for the works of About, De Kock, Ohnet, Goncourt, Maupassant, Daudet, and finds none of them. Despairing of learning anything of recent literature, he asks for older authors: Rosseau, Geo. Sand, Scribe, Beranger, Dumas. None are to be found, and such classic authors as Moliere, Racine, Voltaire and Corneille are accessible only in the original.

Thinking that surely the pre-eminence of German literature will ensure a good selection of German authors, our student next inquires for the books of the leading authors of to-day, Freytag, Auerbach, Heyse and others, but he seeks in vain. He asks for Klopstock, Herder, Wieland, Schiller, Heine, but the same answer is given.

Perhaps he is interested in the wonderful renaissance of Northern literature, and would like to read Ibsen and Bjornson—they are not there.

If our student has the patience of a saint, he may be able to bear these disappointments, and decide to confine his reading to books written in the English language. So wishing to gain an acquaintance with the general outlines of his subject, he inquires for the standard

historical and critical works on English literature, the books of Gosse, Saintsbury, Matthew Arnold, Henry Morley and others, but finds them not. Thinking he will at least read the lives of a few great authors, he inquires for odd volumes of the *English Men of Letters* series, and is told that the library does not possess a single volume of the set. So our hero, for so he deserves to be called if he perseveres in this "pursuit of knowledge under difficulties," goes to the shelves again to pick out some English authors. Here the selection is quite complete up to a certain point, but among the writers of the last half of the century there are some sad gaps. The poems of Swinburne and Browning, the histories of Freeman and Stubbs, the writings of Walter Besant, Geo. MacDonald, Wm. Black, R. L. Stevenson, Walter Pater, and a host of others—these he will look for in vain.

However he is an American, and perhaps should read native authors first. In American literature, at least, he may expect a full line of standard authors and even a sprinkling of what is indulgently termed light literature. So our hero, with a heart sick from hope oft-deferred, returns again to the charge and asks for the *American Men of Letters* series. They are not in the library. He inquires for the works of Geo. Wm. Curtis. They are not to be found. Thoreau? No. T. W. Higginson? Agnes Repplier? Thos. Nelson Page? John Fiske? Parkman's histories? McMaster? Octave Thanet? Walt Whitman?—surely he'll find something—Riley? At last in a shout of desperation—Amelie Rives? But the eternal "No" blasts all his hopes, and broken-hearted he turns away and steals the last *Century* with the firm resolve that he will never again seek the library in quest of books.

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In saying the above we are prompted neither by a desire to needlessly expose our poverty nor to criticise any one because things are not otherwise. There are thousands of good books in the library, and they are well housed and well cared for, but this is not enough. We need more books and need them badly. The library would scarcely have one visitor a week if it were not for the periodicals and the advantages of the reading room as a place for study. An examination of the records shows that the number of books drawn is less than one per year for each student.

The plan we would suggest for securing the needed volumes is simple enough. There are in the library vast numbers of books which, although some of them are rare and valuable, yet have no intrinsic worth. They have been superseded by later works, or are of merely temporary interest, and worth preserving merely as curios. Such books often have a value beyond belief. A copy of the first edition of Poe's *Tamerlane* sold the other day for $1,000, and rare English books bring much higher prices. There are men like W. E. Benjamin, of New York, who make it their business to handle such books, and who pay fancy prices for them. Cannot we dispose of some of our old tomes and get the means to make our library what it should be?

It may seem almost like sacrilege to part with any of those worm-eaten folios or dumpy duodecimos in black letter, but can we afford to keep a museum of curiosities when we suffer from the want of needed books of reference? Are we satisfied to gaze at Chinese lexicons and Sanskrit grammars when we lack the Century Dictionary?

There are many things which we have not at Allegheny, but one thing we certainly have: a body of students who are willing to work. It is unjust to deny them tools.

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Fights there unwon,
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NUMBER FIVE.

"Where's the Unhappy One?" asked the Poet.

"Gone down street," was the reply of the Dictionary Man. "I brought him word that a friend of his was in the city and wanted him to call at his hotel."

"Then he won't be with us this evening?"

"Yes, I think he will, but he will be out of temper."

"Why?"

"Because his friend was not there at all. I told—"

He was interrupted just here by the entrance of the Unhappy One, very much out of breath and evidently in a very bad humor. He sat down without making any reply to the "good evening" of the Poet.

"I told you he'd be angry," said the Dictionary Man.

The other turned upon him quickly and said:

"Do you know that what you told me was a lie?"

The Dictionary Man made no reply, and there was silence for a few minutes. But the Poet was evidently considering the matter, and soon gave utterance to his thoughts:

"Supposing he did tell a lie, why shouldn't he? Anyone could have told the plain truth, but to lie plausibly requires culture. And since you have brought up the subject, I have noticed of late that there is in many quarters a failure to appreciate the true value of falsehood. Many persons actually think that it is more important to have their statements true than to have them interesting, and as a consequence they are the dullest people in the world. They tell the truth without any apology, and often actually strive at exact and literal statement. It is really shocking to a modest liar to see how they permit facts to roam stark naked in the fields of conversation. Such people are fit only for discovering the laws of gravitation or inventing electric telegraphs; the real business of life, the art of living and enjoying, should never be entrusted to their hands.

"And our modern methods tend to foster this degeneracy. Mr. Oscar Wilde, who is a perfectly trustworthy authority on lying, says:

"'Many a young man starts in life with a natural gift for exaggeration which, if nurtured in congenial and sympathetic surroundings, or by the imitation of the best models, might grow into something really great and wonderful. But, as a rule, he falls into careless habits of accuracy or takes to frequenting the society of the aged and well-informed. Both things are equally fatal to his imagination, and in a short time he develops a morbid and unhealthy habit of truth-telling, begins to verify all statements made in his presence, has no hesitation in contradicting people who are much younger than himself, and often ends by writing novels that are so like life that no one can possibly believe in their probability.'

"It is really a cause for alarm, the extreme to which we are going in this matter. Even the daily papers are becoming tainted with the fatal blight, and quite frequently allow truths to creep into their columns, if indeed they do not openly countenance the publication of facts. The religious journals are as yet free from this fault, but no one knows how soon they too may yield.

"Of course since Dickens described Mr. Gradgrind, no one has had the temerity to propose that facts should be taught openly in our schools, but there is talk of invading this last stronghold. In prospect we can see the minds of the young gradually poisoned with the subtle decoctions of

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Wm. Courtney Beebe, '74, is at Watertown, Wash., teaching.

J. G. Fenton, '88, was recently admitted to the bar in Ohio.

Frank Miner, '89, is an M. D., and is practicing in Warren, Ohio.

A. L. Baldwin, '90, has returned from Alaska and is spending the winter at Washington, D. C.

J. J. Rudkin, '89, is a member of the firm of Mosford & Rudkin, attorneys, North Yakima, Wash.

Frank L. Armstrong, '88, has moved to Erie, Pa., to take charge of the affairs of an insurance company.

Frank W. Black, '92, was chairman of the Democratic committee of Bruin, Pa., through the late campaign.

The College World.

Exchanges.

If mile is shorter than smile,
And a kiss is good for a miss,
And a miss is as good as a mile,
Is a smile then more than a kiss?

—*Transcript.*

The university of Michigan has three thousand enrolled, while the University of Pennsylvania has two thousand in attendance.—*Ex.*

The largest salary paid a college president in the United States is received by President Jordan of Leland Stanford, Jr. He is a graduate of Cornell, and worked his way through college. Now he receives $15,000 a year.—*Ex.*

The committee of arrangements of the College Fraternity Congress, to be held at Chicago during the World's Fair, is composed of the following ladies and gentlemen: Chairman—Richard Lee Fearn (Beta Theta Pi); Chas. Alling, Jr., (Sigma Chi); W. Chauncey Howley, (Theta Delta Chi); Chas. M. Kurtz, (Phi Gamma Delta); Edwin W. Winston, (Delta Upsilon); Miss Gertrude E. Small, (Kappa Kappa Gamma); Miss Ethel M. Baker, (Delta Gamma); Miss Minnie H. Newby, (Pi Beta Kappa).

Volume I, No. 1, of the *Bulletin of Hamburg High School*, Hamburg, Iowa, is the latest arrival upon our desk. If words of commendation from our pen are of any value, we do not hesitate to say that the *Bulletin* is in every way a model little paper and should receive the hearty support of its constituents.

The board of trustees of a new college in Houston, Texas, endowed by Wm. M. Rice, of New York, has formally accepted his gift establishing the institution. The entire amount of his gift, consisting of $200,000 in cash, nine thousand acres of land together with $17,000 in securities, is valued at $340,000. The control of the institution is to rest with the city of Houston, Mr. Rice acting as one of the trustees. The building will be erected at once.

FRATERNITIES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

The joint report of the Trustees and Faculty of the University of Chicago, on the advisability of permitting fraternities to be organized there, has just been made public. Fraternities may be established, but must comply with the following regulations:

1. Each chapter organized must submit its house rules to the Faculty for approval.
2. Each must appoint a representative with whom the Faculty may confer at such times as may be desirable.
3. Membership in the societies must be restricted to students of the second year, Academic Colleges and students of the University Colleges.
4. The University reserves the right to withdraw from chapters permission to exist in the University. The Faculty is authorized to add any regulations which it thinks wise in consistency with the above.

An examination in gymnastics is under the present regulations required of Johns Hopkins undergraduates before a degree is granted.

It seems that there is something terrible connected with a failure to pass final examinations among German students. It is reported that within the last six years over 350 students of German Universities have committed suicide because of failure in examinations.

The latest number of the *Ægis*, of the University of Wisconsin, contains an article on the work of university extension. The benefit to be derived from this sort of work is very clearly set forth and the interest and keen appreciation of University Extension is made manifest by the tone of the article, which assures us that U. of W. is not backward in this matter.

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Principal parts of the verb "flunco"—"flunco, flunkere, suspendo, expulsum."—*Ex.*

The *Manitau Messenger* is among our latest arrivals. It is a very neat and spicy paper.

Harvard is about to establish a coast observatory on a peak of Mt. Wilson, California.

Cornell offers to her students this year a complete course in the Russian language and literature.

The Sultan of Turkey has recently founded a school for Arab subjects. There will be accommodations for two hundred students.—*Rose Technic.*

Heads of great men all remind us,
If we choose the proper way,
We can get up in the morning,
With a head as big as they.—*Spectator.*

Columbia is rejoicing over a new athletic field as complete in every respect as possessed by any of the large universities. The track, although new, is giving evidence of being a fast one, and the grand stand with its accommodations is a model of its kind.—*Ex.*

At Cornell hereafter the only papers used in the examinations will be the Cornell Official examination paper. It is in book form and contains ten pages, the backs of which may be used for trial work, or in case the inside of the book proves insufficient. On the outside appears instructions to students, and space for the signature, date and subject of the examination.—*Daily Cardinal.*



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The faculty of Iowa State university subscribed $34 out of the $50 raised recently to employ a coacher to train their men for State field day in Des Moines, and assist them on that day.—*The Delphic.*

Samson, the strong man we read about, was the first to advertise. He took two solid columns to demonstrate his strength, when several thousand people tumbled to his scheme, and he brought down the house.—*Ex.*

The faculty of Wesleyan has announced that no student who failed to pass his last examination and is conditioned, will be allowed to hold a position in any of the athletic clubs or take part in any of the contests.—*Mail and Ex.*



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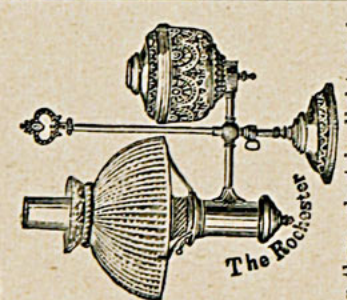

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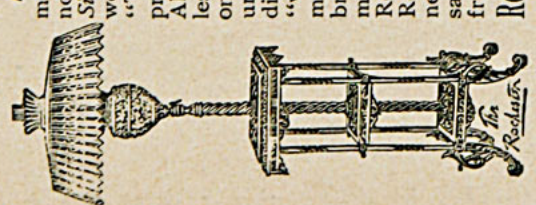

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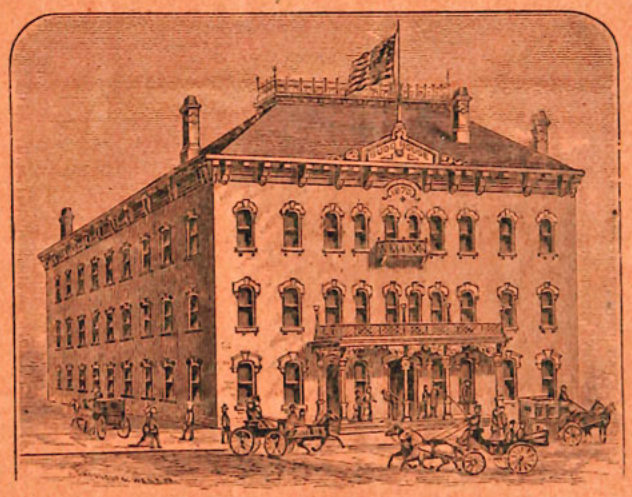

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"If there were no other considerations, the mere fact of expediency ought to commend a genial looseness of speech. Facts are stubborn things, while a lie is as accommodating as a reclining chair, and much easier to get out of. This truth was recognized by the ancients. A Latin proverb says that truth is often attended with danger, while we all know that a lie is as safe as a gasoline stove.

"Further, a slavish subjection to the truth disguises the real nature of men and women. Their conversation is brought down to a common standard, and individual gifts of prevarication are checked in their growth. Take away Jack Falstaff's lies, strip Munchausen of his boasting, make the reporter and the real estate agent tell the truth, and we should have such a poor, colorless world that there would be no living in it."

At the close of this ingenious piece of logic the Unhappy One arose and concluded the conversation by giving his opinion of his companions, complimenting the Dictionary Man by calling him a willful liar, and accusing the Poet of an attempt to corrupt the morals of youth by sophistry.

Some Evils of the Fraternity System.

There are many advantages in being very old. Time establishes as well as moulders, and while it lives, the tree whether it be an oak or an upas, gathers strength from the soil, sends its roots deeper, and knits its fibres closer together with every passing year.

The fraternity system, hoary with age, has become firmly established. It has bound to itself most of the best men in many of our colleges and exerts a powerful influence. But this should not prevent us from seeing any evils and disadvantages that the system may possess. Ours is a revolutionary age, especially along educational lines. The bells of each new year are ringing out some of the false and ringing in more of the true. Old things are passing away, and thoughtful men, seeking the best things, are subjecting all that remains to close scrutiny. It is no wonder then that the fraternity system is being criticised more than ever before.

Why should such a system exist? The original idea, clothed in the eloquent language of Greek writers, sounds like a beautiful one. The light from the mystic circle throws its charm over us; the chapter house is a home; the members bound by a strong tie, having one aim—mutual improvement. But when we look through the veil of the ideal with an eye of common sense, the light fades within the shrine, and the "mutual benefit" society is resolved into organized selfishness. A college offers certain advantages to students. All pay the same tuition, all have the same end in view and in coming all expect to share equally in whatever there may be in college life which lifts men up to a higher plane. Why should any part of the student body combine to control some of these advantages and keep for themselves what rightfully belongs to all? Do we not see here something of that same spirit which leads men in business to form gigantic trusts and combinations to control prices and get for themselves the lion's share?

The idea of helpfulness coming down from heathen Greece, of joining ourselves to a few who need our help least, perhaps, and swearing to stand by them if they will stand by us, is not in accordance with modern Christian teaching. There is nothing of that love which "seeketh not her own," and gives hoping for nothing in return; nothing of that love which reaches out a helping hand to all, whether friends or enemies, discriminating only in favor of the greatest need.

No candid person will deny that fraternities put barriers not only between Greeks and barbarians, but between the members of the different fraternities, and although all are friendly yet they clasp hands over a wall of separation. The

Greeks' object—self improvement—would be better accomplished if each one sought the good of all. We help ourselves when we help others.

The present method of dividing offices and honors is wrong. Individuality is merged in fraternity, and the right kind of competition which stimulates personal effort is destroyed. There is no use trying to excel, for students are not elected to honors because they are the best men.

The principal excuse fraternities have for existence seems to be the cultivation of the social faculties. They fear that the intellectual part of the nature will be developed far beyond the heart. In reality does the danger lie that way? Is it not more natural and far more common for students to neglect the work of the class-room for that of the social circles?

The Greek organizations instead of promoting true friendship are often a hindrance to it. It is governed by natural laws, and if there were no fraternities congenial souls would find each other as truly as water seeks its level. Organized friendship is unnatural. An oath cannot make friends any more than marriage vows made under the whip of mercenary motives can make a happy wedded life. It often happens that a young man coming to college a stranger is met by the members of a Greek-letter chapter, who treat him very kindly, take him to their chapter house, and paint their mode of life in glowing colors. He is lonely, not being used to being away from home, and of course he is attracted by their geniality. He joins his fortunes to theirs and when it is too late finds that they are not after all the best fellows in college. He is linked in a forced friendship to those with whom he has nothing in common, and is prevented from forming more congenial friendships. Because we are constantly changing and expanding, it is unnatural that all friendships we form should prove lasting.

More than one boy coming from the hallowed influences of a Christian home has been led to take his first step downward by joining a chapter in which the influences were evil.

The fraternity system takes the place of better things. The busiest place on earth is college, it seems to us; the days are not long enough to accomplish all we would. There is a great deal of good we might do if we only had time. How much time, money, thought, energy and power is put into the building up of these organizations, whose work is at least trivial, that might be used in a philanthropy that would really make the world better. Fraternities retard in some degree the regular performance of college duties; the work of the literary societies, which might be made powerful for the upbuilding of cultured manhood and womanhood cannot stand before them; even religious work is sadly neglected by many because their loyalty to fraternity colors becomes stronger than their allegiance to the cross, and fraternity barriers seem to prevent religious influence from having free course among the students.

The evils of this system are far reaching in its effects upon society. These are days of training for active life. Our characters are being moulded and hardened into a shape that they will retain during all the years to come. The little things which we do now will have a lasting effect upon us. On account of this system some of our colleges, founded by Christian men, existing under the patronage of the church, are sending out from their doors year by year a mass of young people trained in selfishness, in underhanded schemes and vile trickery, to curse the world with ecclesiastical and political corruption. E. L. C.

The Betterment of the Battalion.

Students who have come to Allegheny College within the last two years can hardly appreciate the present condition of the Military Department, as compared to that of a few years ago. It is not so many years since no credit at all was allowed in the college courses for work done in that department, and students taking such work did it solely for the benefit which they would receive from it.

But the cadets felt that something more than this was due them; that if the drill was worth

spending three or four hours upon every week it was worth being recognized as college work, and especially so since it was compulsory. The Faculty, seeing the justice of such a claim, granted the privilege of substituting two years of drill for certain studies to cadets who, at the end of the year, made application according to a prescribed form. It was further provided that,—"All applications not in accordance with this regulation will not be considered."

Why no provision was made for the substitution of Tactics is not known, but such was the case.

The fall of '90 witnessed a change, as agreeable as it was unexpected. Through the efforts of Lieut. Cree, who assumed the command at this time, the battalion was thoroughly reorganized. Credit was allowed for two years study of Tactics, and for as much drill as the cadet wished to take.

The formality of an application for such credit was done away with, the department following the custom of the others,—that credit for all those entitled to it is entered on the books.

The equipments were found to be old and worn out. Upon the application of President Wheeler cadet rifles of the latest pattern, with metal bayonet scabbards, tools for reloading cartridges, new swords, and in fact a full new equipment was furnished.

During the present term two three-inch rifled cannon have been received, together with new and improved equipments throughout, in exchange for the old cannon.

Not the least in the line of improvements is the system of making promotions. A fixed credit is assigned for service and for college standing, twenty-five points being allowed for one term's service and ten points for each class above the preparatory. In addition to this a competitive examination is held which must be taken by all those desiring promotion. The marks each cadet receives here are added to his other credits, forming a basis on which promotions can be made with the utmost fairness. The old system of nomination for promotion was not satisfactory as it often gave rise to charges of favoritism.

A fixed system of marking in tactics and the publication of the marks and standing by the month and term has increased the interest taken in this branch. Anyone taking this course may now do so assured that he will receive thorough instruction.

Just recently three prizes of ten dollars each have been offered to the best drilled private and to the most competent non-commissioned and commissioned officers.

Altogether, more system has been introduced into the department. It is now run in a military manner. The keeping of the necessary books, the system of military correspondence, the applications for leave of absence and excuse all tend to make the instruction more practical and thorough than ever before. W. R. M.

Local.

Exams!

Will the *Kaldron* become a reality?

Who was it signed himself "Cadet Corporal A. C. C. B"?

Do you know anyone who was not obliged to stay for the last week?

A number of the men are becoming very much excited over foot ball.

The commissaries of the boarding house clubs are looking wistfully for the delinquent bills.

We understand that some factions have refused the offers of the Kaldron board and consequently will not be represented.

It's a fine thing to kill two birds with one stone, but when you scheme to take two girls to one lecture, it doesn't always work. Ask Schiek.

"Every American man should learn to thrash himself and every American woman too. They need it more than the men." Speech of Dr. Mayo in chapel.

Chamberlain is on the sick list.

A. X. Ω. gave a select recital on Friday evening, the 9th.

Mr. Geo. Derby spent a few days in Buffalo, N. Y., recently.

Better bring back a new student with you after Christmas.

Mr. Ohlman was recently initiated into Phi Gamma Delta.

"Who is there so base among us who would not be a non-frat?"

We wonder if Swearer and White are the "weiser" for their trip to Corry.

Query: If the drum-major forgets the key to the armory, can he be court marshaled?

Important business called R. W. Plummer to his home in Chicago. He returned after a ten days' stay.

The boys hoped to get a game of foot ball with Hiram College, but the indications now are that they will not be successful.

Ralph Hatch saddened the hearts of his old friends by a short visit to his home last week. He wore his drum-major's suit.

Pratt: "Smith, do you carry your brains in your head or your feet?" Smith: "Pratt, I am like you; I never carry my brains with me."

Darragh, having just wakened up, reads in the morning paper about Postmaster General Wanamaker, and suddenly exclaims, "Why do they call him General? He never was in the army."

The following are the officers of the editorial board of the Kaldron: Editor-in-chief, F. H. Murphy; associates, Derby and Gibson; literary committee, Miss Watson, Mr. Hatch and Miss Foote; committee of art, Miss Mount, Miss Howard and Miss Harper; committee of arrangements, Beardsley, Stillson and Miss Weber; business committee, Douthitt and Danforth.

Ed. Reed made a business trip to Kent, Ohio, last week.

Brisbin's latest quotation: "There is one man, one law, one place."

Messrs. Murphy and McElroy spent a few days at home a few days ago.

Weatherby thinks "Moore" of a certain Hulings Hall girl than any other.

Wanted: One hundred able-minded men to fill vacant chairs. Apply to Philo Franklin society.

At the non-frat meeting last Saturday p. m., Phillis held the assembly spellbound by his matchless oratory.

At the close of the term various things occur to mar the happiness of the student's life. Those who fail to get 45% as a class standing will mourn over the fact that examinations are the inevitable.

The members of the College Glee Club met Monday evening and elected the following officers: President, W. R. Murphy; vice-president, J. B. Porter; secretary, Earl Stillson; treasurer, Earl Bush. The glee club contains some fine voices, and with the assistance of a good instructor will surely accomplish something.

Miss Jessie Smith, who was mentioned in these columns as having wedded Frank McGill, is not the Miss Jessie Smith who formerly attended college here. The original Miss Smith is still Miss Smith, and is at present teaching in Elyria, Ohio. Persons who sent wedding presents under the wrong impression can have them returned by paying the express charges both ways.

Alumni.

Ed. Miller, '91, is studying law in Warren, Pa.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell, '80, is still in Paris and will remain another year.

Rev. P. H. Reno, '77 has returned to the Erie conference and is stationed at North East, Pa.