

# The Phillipian.

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## Chess Tournament.

The preliminary round of the Chess Tournament was finished last Monday the winners being K.S. Chase '98, A.C. England '97, W. J. Field, '99, J. R. Locke '97, Ray Morris '97, H.A. Peters '99, H. M. Russell '98, and A.M. Webb '97, who will play in the finals. Each man is to play every contestant, one game to decide a match. The man who wins the most games will receive the first prize, which will probably be a small gold castle. The four with the highest scores will represent Andover in the match with Worcester Academy.

A. W. Ryder of Harvard, P. A. 94, who ranked second in the individual scores of the inter-collegiate chess tournament, has kindly offered to coach the men who will play against Worcester.

The results of the preliminary round were as follows:

### FIRST DIVISION.

	WON	LOST
Russell,	3	1
J. S. Webb,	3	1
Chase,	3	1
Holmes,	1	3
Amsden,	0	4

On the play-off, Russell defeated Webb and Chase. Webb defeated Chase, but declined to enter finals, thereby giving his position to Chase.

### SECOND DIVISION.

Morris,	4	0
Field,	3	1
Solomon,	2	2
Luce,	1	3
Fowler,	0	4

(by default)

### THIRD DIVISION.

A.M. Webb,	4	0
Peters,	3	1
Belding,	2	2
Day,	1	3
Skinner,	0	4

### FOURTH DIVISION

England,	4	0
Locke,	2 1-2	1 1-2
Morgan,	2 1-2	1 1-2
Wells,	1	3
Eastman,	0	4

On the play-off for second place, Locke defeated Morgan.

The schedule of the games in the final round is as follows:

### WEDNESDAY, JAN. 20.

Chase vs. England	Field vs. Russell
Locke vs. Morris	Peters vs. A. M. Webb

### THURSDAY, JAN. 21.

Chase vs. Field	England vs. Locke
Morris vs. A. M. Webb	Peters vs. Russell

### FRIDAY, JAN. 22.

Chase vs. Locke	England vs. Morris
Field vs. Peters	Russell vs. A. M. Webb

### SATURDAY, JAN. 23.

Chase vs. Morris	England vs. Peters
Field vs. A. M. Webb	Locke vs. Russell

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## Philo.

The program for the regular meeting of Philo next Friday evening will be as follows:

Critique, H. A. Peters.  
Extempore, F. M. Wheeler.  
Declamation, E. A. Stebbins.  
Select Reading, G. C. Jeffrey jr.

The subject for debate will be "Resolved, that laborers should receive in addition to their wages, a share of the profits. The affirmative will be led by E. F. Lawrence assisted by C. Garrison; the negative by R. H. Edwards assisted by J. F. Ferry.

## Forum.

Instead of the regular literary program for Forum next Friday evening, Professor Forbes will address the Society.

## Notice to Seniors.

Seniors who have not yet answered the statistical questions will please do so at once.

Per order,  
STATISTICIAN.

## Concert.

Mr. Timothe Adamowski, violinist, Miss Little, vocalist, and Mr. Johns, pianist, will give a concert at the November Club-House, January 29th, at 8 P. M. There will be dancing afterwards.

## Class Book Notice.

Those who have not already returned their statistic blanks should do so immediately to one of the editors.

PER ORDEL.

## Philo-Forum Debate.

At a meeting of the committees representing Philo and Forum, it was decided that Forum should choose the subject for the joint debate. Philo is to have the choice of sides.

## Inquiry.

The subject for the meeting of Inquiry this evening is; The model prayer, Matt 26: 36-42; Luke 11: 1-13.

## School Meeting.

At a school meeting held this morning a vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Ballington Booth for her kindness in addressing the school Monday evening Jan. 11th.

The vote which gave to the managers of the respective athletic associations "A's" was reconsidered. It was decided that a committee be appointed to select a suitable emblem for the managers.

## Class Meeting.

At a meeting of the two Senior classes held Tuesday noon, Morris was elected to the *Class Book* Committee.

The chairman of the committee appointed to see about a present from the class to the school, reported in favor of a stained glass window for the Chapel. This was voted to be the class gift.

## Pot-Pourri Notice.

Mr. Freeman and Mr. Phillips have consented to act as judges for the *Pot Pourri* Poster. Another member of the Faculty will be asked to serve; and the accepting of the poster will lie entirely in the hands of the committee. The posters must be in by January 30, and can be handed to the committee or any member of the board.

## Base-ball Notice.

The batteries this year will commence practice in the gymnasium during the first week in February. The remainder of the men will be called out some time during the middle of the month.

## Communications.

[Members of the school are invited to contribute to this department, but the editors do hold themselves responsible for the opinions here expressed.]

## To the Editor of the Phillipian:

As yet the foot-ball with which our team defeated Exeter last fall has not appeared in the Trophy Case. Of late years the good old custom of keeping all the victorious balls, both football and baseball, seems to have died out, a truly unfortunate state of affairs. Would the Exeter football not make an excellent beginning for a fresh start? '97

## Dramatic Club.

The Dramatic Club will give its annual entertainment February 5th in the Town Hall. The main play will be "The Cool Collegians," a comedy in two acts. This will be followed by a scene from "A Midsummer Night's Dream," entitled "Pyramus and Thisbe."

The thorough preparation that the club has made promises to insure a great success. The Banjo Club will play at the performance. The casts of the plays will be as follows:

### THE COOL COLLEGIANS.

Hans Meredeth } College Chums	Skinner '98
Fred Parks }	Lawrence '97
Mrs. Huntoon, Fred's Aunt	Wood '97
Fanny Morrison, Her Niece	Twining '97
Molly Wainwright, Fanny's Friend	Thomson '98
Miggins, Colored Servant	Eldredge '98
Kate, Irish Servant	Hosmer '97

### Followed by a Scene from A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM. PYRAMUS AND THISBE.

Theseus, Duke of Athens	Keppelman '97
Lysander, in love with Hermia	Thomson '98
Philstrate, Master of Revels	Lawrence '97
Hermia, in love with Lysander	Ferry '98
The Prologue	Twining '97

### CLOWNS.

Quince, Pyramus	Eldredge '97
Snug, Thisbe	Skinner '98
Bottom, Wall	Wood '97
Flute, Lion	Hosmer '97
Starveling, Moonshine	Irvine '00

## U. of P. Athletic Meeting.

The track committee of the University of Pennsylvania has decided to hold an intercollegiate athletic meeting on Franklin Field, April 24. There will be a five-mile championship race, open to teams of five men from all colleges, and a mile championship race, open to teams of four men. In addition to these races the various colleges entering will be grouped to compete against each other in mile team races, efforts being made to match colleges in which there is the greatest rivalry.

Harvard and Yale will probably send teams and it is considered quite probable that Princeton will also enter the championship event.—*Harvard Crimson.*

## Obituary.

### MINOT S. CROSBY, '47.

Minot S. Crosby, of the class of 1847, died January 16th at Waterbury, Conn., after an illness of several weeks, of kidney trouble. He was graduated from Amherst College in 1850. He held the position of superintendent of public schools in Waterbury from 1870 until his death.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1897.

The communication printed in another column calls the attention of the School to a discreditable fact concerning the trophy-case. For a number of months past, with one exception, not a single trophy has been added to the collection.—The trophy-case is one of the main objects of interest to visitors, and should be kept as attractive and complete as possible.

Upon some one depends the duty of placing the last Exeter foot-ball in the case. The Athletic Committee should inquire into the matter.

## Class Meeting.

At the meeting of P. A. '99 held Monday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the present term.

President, Ferris; vice-pres., Jones; Secretary and treasurer, R. W. Moorhead.

The University of Wisconsin has made application to enter the Poughkeepsie boat race.

Postmaster-General Wm. L. Wilson, on retiring from the cabinet, will assume the presidency of Washington and Lee University.

Dr. Thomas J. Sawyer, Emeritus professor at Tufts College celebrated his 90th birthday recently. He is one of the founders of Tufts College.

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MONDAY, JAN. 25.

Chase vs. Peters      England vs. Russell  
Field vs. Morris      Locke vs. A. M. Webb

TUESDAY, JAN. 26.

Chase vs. Russell      England vs. A. M. Webb  
Field vs. Locke      Morris vs. Peters

WEDNESDAY JAN. 27.

Chase vs. A. M. Webb      England vs. Field  
Locke vs. Peters      Morris vs. Russell

## New England Colleges.

According to statistics gathered by the World's Almanac for 1897, the colleges and other institutions of learning in this country have had considerable growth during the last year, notwithstanding the prevailing "hard times." The New England colleges in particular show, with only a few inconsiderable exceptions, an increase in the number of students registered. Benefactions in 1896 were, as a rule, smaller than usual, but the larger colleges, such as Harvard, Yale, Technology and Brown, have all received considerable financial aid. In round numbers, Harvard has been the gainer to the extent of \$250,000; Yale \$290,000; Mass. Institute of Technology, \$89,000; Mt. Holyoke, \$55,000; Brown, Smith and Amherst, each \$40,000; Wesleyan, \$31,000; Dartmouth, \$30,000; Tufts \$25,000; Williams, \$24,000; Radcliffe, \$8000; Bates, \$7500; Boston, \$7370; Vermont \$7250; Bowdoin and Colby, each \$1700; Trinity, \$400; and Middlebury, \$250.

The figures for registration for 1896 and 1897 are as follows:

	1897	1896
Harvard	3674	3290
Yale	2415	2400
Boston University	1270	1252
Mass. Inst. of Technology	1415	1200
Brown	910	850
Wellesley	818	788
Dartmouth	601	560
Tufts	500	450
Amherst	450	460
Williams	385	351
Bowdoin	378	363
Radcliffe	358	344
Mt. Holyoke	340	335
Wesleyan	306	300
Bates	280	350
Colby	225	260
Trinity	127	130
Middlebury	106	105

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### PHILLIPIANA.

#### CALENDAR.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 20.

6 45 P. M. Meeting of Inquiry in Society Hall.

FRIDAY, JAN. 22.

7.00 P. M. Philo meets in Society Hall. Forum meets in Room 9.

A law school is to be established at the University of Illinois.

F. H. Stedman, ex-'97, and C. H. Brown ex-'97 were in town Saturday.

C. W. Woodruff '98 has returned to school.

The first indoor meet of the Brown Athletic Association will occur next Saturday.

The Princeton hockey team will play Yale, at the St. Nicholas Club, New York, on February 22.

The practice of the University of Pennsylvania crew was begun on Monday under the supervision of Coach Ward.

The catalogue of Johns Hopkins University shows a loss of 27 in attendance in comparison with last year's registration.

A coming champion hammer thrower has been found at U. of P. He is McCracken, a substitute on the foot-ball eleven. He has not thrown the hammer more than a dozen times, yet in practice Tuesday he threw it 119 ft. 2 in. Mike Murphy expects him to do great work in the Mott Haven games.

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A rowing race has been arranged between the universities of Pennsylvania and Wisconsin to take place on the Schuylkill river this spring.

The total number of candidates for the Yale freshman crew is seventy-three, the same as at the first call although twenty-five men have been dropped.

The students of the University of Pennsylvania have been preparing an opera entitled "The Norsemen" during the past month. It will be put upon the stage at the Academy of Music, Philadelphia, on the night of February 20.

The New York Association of the alumni of Hamilton College celebrated, at the Hotel Savoy, New York City, the 140th anniversary of the birthday of Alexander Hamilton and the twenty-eighth of the founding of the association.

With the beginning of the new year, the Peabody Museum of American Archaeology and Ethnology at Harvard was transferred to the corporation of the University. Hitherto the property of the Museum has been held by a Board of Trustees.

The Journal of Education puts our former Principal, Dr. Samuel H. Taylor, in good company, in a recent issue, as follows: "Do not be frightened if you find the word 'pedagogiarth' waylaying you in some of your readings or at a teachers' association. It is simply 'Prince of Teachers.' It is a compliment and not a term of reproach. Thomas Arnold and 'Uncle Sam' Taylor were pedagogiarths, that is all"

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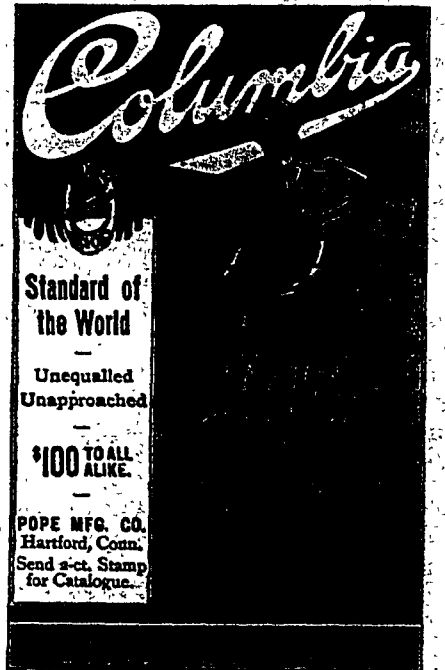
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