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THE CHICAGO CORNELL ROWING TROPHY.

Presented to the Athletic Association to be Contested for by the Class Crews.

The Rowing Trophy, a cut of which is presented to the readers of the NEWS in this issue, was formally given to the Athletic Association by the Cornell Alumni Association of Chicago, at its annual banquet which was held last May. The cup now occupies a prominent place in the trophy room of the University in Barnes Hall.

The trophy is a handsome specimen of Favrite glass, and was made by Tiffany of New York. At the top it is over a foot in diameter, and is nearly a foot in height. Although simple in the extreme, its artistic beauty and grace render it very pleasing to the eye. Its simplicity, indeed, seems to lend strength to the graceful curves of the bowl. The trophy is enclosed in a cabinet of Italian black walnut, designed by Mr. Ira Bowen, a brother John R. Bowen, '96. The Japanese feeling, so prominent in the bowl, is emphasized in this cabinet, which at the same time sets off the rugged simplicity of the trophy. French crystal glass encloses the bowl on the four sides and the top. The base, also of black walnut bears this inscription:

Chicago Cornell Rowing Trophy
presented to the
Cornell University Athletic Association
in trust for the
Cornell Navy
by the
Cornell Alumni Association, of Chicago,
October 1900.

It is the purpose of the donors of the trophy to present each year to each of the members of the winning class crew a medallion with a miniature relief of the trophy upon its face. The chief purpose of the gift as stated at the time of presentation, is to "influence more students to enter the field of Intercollegiate athletics."

The interclass crew race, which heretofore, has taken place in the fall, has been postponed until next spring. This step was necessary because many of the best oarsmen are at present on the football squad and could not try for places on the various crews. It is desired that the class race this year shall be representative of the best rowing talent in the University, especially as the Chicago Alumni have offered substantial prizes for the members of the winning crew. A contest if held this fall would not create the attention that it deserves, and therefore the authorities have decided upon the spring interclass regatta.

FOOTBALL NEWS.

Work of the Team During the Past Week—Rochester and Bucknell Defeated—Good Progress.

The past week has not marked any great progress in the team's work nor has it brought forth the new candidates whom the coaches had hoped would appear. The result of the week's practice is a slight strengthening of the defense, both line and back field, but there seems to be no improvement of the offense. On the whole one may say that the team is strong on the defense but rather weak on the offense.

After Saturday's game with Buck-

halfback; Schoellkopf, full back. The men now at the training table, beside the 'Varsity eleven as listed above are: J. W. Davitt, H. W. Torney, L. A. Kilburne, C. G. Hardie, T. R. Finucane and F. E. Emmons.

Davall complains of having the same trouble with the freshmen that Starbuck is having with the 'Varsity, namely, a lack of candidates. So far only about twenty men are reporting regularly and most of these are handicapped by their work on the hill which allows them only two or three afternoons' practice a week. The freshmen, too, are light

be played here on the sixteenth of this month.

The scrub eleven is plugging away in the same praiseworthy fashion which has characterized it ever since the season opened. The men work hard in every day's practice and take knocks from the 'Varsity without a groan. In Wednesday's game with Rochester what was practically a scrub team played for Cornell in the second half, Taussig, Lueder, Warner, Kent, Smith, Purcell and Torney of the 'Varsity, being replaced by Lies, Utz, Emmons, Davitt, Hardie, Finucane and Kilburne respectively, and though not as many points were made as in the first half the scrubs played well, scoring three touchdowns. Cooper, who was out for guard during the early part of last season until forced to stop playing by illness, has reported for practice and may strengthen the squad.

The second game of the season resulted in an easy victory for the 'Varsity, Rochester being defeated by a score of 50 to 0. The wet condition of the field may have been an advantage to Cornell's heavier team, but even without that there was an encouraging improvement in the work of the 'Varsity over that of the Colgate game. The men got into the plays with more snap and dash, and put up a much cleaner game all through. The fumbling which was painfully evident in the Colgate game was entirely eradicated. There is still room for improvement, however, especially in the matter of aggressiveness which ought to take the place of a certain raggedness which occasionally crops out. It is certain that a good many of the rough corners will have been rubbed off before the game with the Indians in Buffalo on the nineteenth.

CORNELL, 50—ROCHESTER, 0

The game with Rochester was little more than a sprinting match in which the visitors chased the 'Varsity down the field. Nine touchdowns were scored in two halves of fifteen minutes, Coffin kicking five of the goals. The touchdowns were secured mostly on end runs, Coffin making 2, Purcell 2, Torney 2 and Finucane 1. A feature of the game was Captain Warner's retirement in the second half, this being the first 'Varsity game since he appeared on Percy Field, a freshman, in which he has not played through to the end. He dropped out to give one of the substitutes a chance. In the latter part of the game many of the regu-

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THE CHICAGO TROPHY.

nell Coach Starbuck said that Captain Warner and the coaches were disgusted with the fact that so few new candidates have reported for practice; besides that the new material is light, only three of the men weighing over a hundred and seventy pounds. The team is in fact made up of the men left over from last year's material. The regular line-up at present is: Taussig, left end; Lueder, left tackle; Warner, left guard; Kent, center; Hunt, right guard; Smith, right tackle; Tydeman, right end; Brewster, quarterback; Purcell, left half back; Coffin, right

in comparison to those who have reported in former years and weight is something which counts more in football than mere willingness to work hard. In the present state of affairs there is a chance for all freshmen to make their team whether they have ever played before or not, providing they are heavy enough. The fact that the 1905 team is to play the Harvard freshmen at Cambridge the first part of November should alone be an incentive for more first year men to report for practice. The University of Pennsylvania freshmen eleven will

CREW CANDIDATES AT WORK.

First Call for Freshmen Brings Out Large Registration—Working Under Assistant Coach Colson.

Encouraged by the magnificent victory last July at Poughkeepsie, the crew work this fall has begun with more than usual vigor. At the first call for freshman candidates, eighty men presented themselves to Mr. Colson, who has charge of the work at gymnasium. At first sight it would seem that the average weight of the men was low, since only 30 weigh more than 150 pounds. Yet when those who are unavailable are taken out the squad will make a good showing both in weight and other respects. Then too, many good men, who intend later to come out for the crew, are at present in the football squad. Altogether the chances for a strong freshman crew this year are bright.

The candidates have been put at work on the machines and are expected to report for practice daily. The men are in charge of Mr. Colson and Captain Petty, assisted by "Jakie" Smith, coxswain of the 'Varsity crew and others. Those who show proficiency will be taken down to the Inlet, where Mr. Courtney will send them on the water in "working" boats, the pair-oared and four-oared boats. This work will probably begin this week and continue until all the available material receives some practice on the water.

Much greater convenience will result from the improvements now being made on the boat-house. Wings, one story in height and extending the length of the building are being added on both sides. These will be used to store the shells and will make it much easier to move the boats and to make the little repairs which are necessary from day to day. Following are the names and statistics of those who have registered for the freshman crew:

H. S. Dennison, age 18, weight 154, height 6 feet; C. F. Chapman, age 20, weight 145, height 5 feet 10 inches; C. M. Mann, age 18, weight 129, height 5 feet 10 inches; D. R. Sholes, age 19, weight 146, height 5 feet 8½ inches; P. S. Jones, age 19, weight 158, height 5 feet 11 inches; W. J. Miskella, age 19, weight 140, height 5 feet 10 inches; C. J. Schlenker, age 20, weight 172, height 5 feet 11 inches; A. H. Barber, age 19, weight 160, height 6 feet; R. C. Rogers, age 19, weight 165, height 5 feet 10 inches; L. G. Gates, age 19, weight 165, height 5 feet 10 inches; G. M. Harby, age 20, weight 155, height 6 feet; H. F. Porter, age 19, weight 165, height 6 feet; N. L. Baker, age 22, weight 152, height 5 feet 11 inches; C. C. Adams, age 19, weight 165, height 6 feet; G. D. Conlee, age 20, weight 140, height 5 feet 6 inches; L. C. Ransom, age 18, weight 144, height 5 feet 11 inches; W. F. Genung, age 18, weight 145, height 5 feet 9 inches; W. B. Attwood, age

19, weight 142, height 5 feet, 9 inches; W. B. Meyers, age 20, weight 130, height 5 feet 5 inches; S. Rossman, age 17, weight 118, height 5 feet 4 inches; W. C. Robinson, age 21, weight 160, height 5 feet 11 inches; F. P. Mills, age 21, weight 147, height 5 feet 8 inches; F. E. Curtis, age 23, weight 155, height 6 feet; L. Johnstone, age 20, weight 159, height 5 feet 9 inches; C. D. Barnhartt, age 18, weight 155, height 5 feet 11 inches; H. Dulin, age 18, weight 132, height 5 feet 10 inches; A. R. Kirth, age 19, weight 142, height 5 feet 9½ inches; H. H. Chandler, age 19, weight 165, height 5 feet 9 inches; R. F. Holliday, age 17, weight 115, height 5 feet 5½ inches; E. J. Blair, age 19, weight 135, height 5 feet 10 inches; C. W. Hunter, age 19, weight 143, height 5 feet 11 inches; E. J. Curran, age 19, weight 142, height 5 feet 10 inches; L. J. Gullevir, age 19, weight 141, height 5 feet 10½ inches; W. S. Fox, age 19, weight 145, height 5 feet 10 inches; S. J. Brooks, age 24, weight 143, height 5 feet 9½ inches; A. B. Hoffman, age 20, weight 145, height 5 feet 9½ inches; L. Middledike, age 19, weight 149, height 5 feet 7 inches; C. B. Piper, age 19, weight 125, height 5 feet 11 inches; H. S. Monroe, age 18, weight 142, height 5 feet 11 inches; H. G. Welman, age 20, weight 158, height 5 feet 8 inches; A. Cushing, age 17, weight 140, height 5 feet 4 inches; F. T. Ransom, age 20, weight 162, height 5 feet 10 inches; J. L. White, age 17, weight 152, height 5 feet 9½ inches; H. H. Baggerly, age 17, weight 150, height 5 feet 10 inches; S. G. Smith, age 19, weight 135, height 5 feet 6 inches; H. C. Herpel, age 19, weight 155, height 5 feet 8 inches; R. D. Eutsle, age 18, weight 135, height 5 feet 8 inches; J. W. Fisher, age 18, weight 138, height 5 feet 11 inches; S. J. Porter, age 20, weight 140, height 5 feet 11 inches; S. G. Horn, age 18, weight 140, height 5 feet 7½ inches; L. A. Smith, age 17, weight 179, height 5 feet 11½ inches; S. Wells, age 20, weight 178, height 5 feet 11 inches; E. Rogers, age 19, weight 142, height 5 feet 10 inches; W. L. Johnston, age 20, weight 145, height 5 feet 10 inches; R. H. Wilde, age 17, weight 150, height 6 feet 1 inch; A. W. Newberry, age 18, weight 134, height 5 feet, 11¼ inches; R. E. Babson, age 16, weight 135, height 5 feet 11½ inches; H. C. Kinsman, age 19, weight 130, height 5 feet 6 inches; W. L. Southwell, age 19, weight 142, height 5 feet 10 inches; W. C. Lefens, age 19, weight 150, height 5 feet 11 inches; G. G. Kuhn, age 17, weight 150, height 5 feet 8 inches; S. Bowes, age 18, weight 136, height 5 feet 7 inches; C. D. Blackwell, age 20, weight 145, height 5 feet 8½ inches; R. G. Sloan, age 22, weight 140, height 5 feet 10½ inches; L. Garbi, age 18, weight 160, height 5 feet 11 inches; F. C. Snyder, age 19, weight 143, height 5 feet 11 inches; H. A.

Gilbert, age 19, weight 135, height 5 feet 11 inches; E. H. Townsend, age 20, weight 173, height 5 feet 6 inches; I. F. McEvoy, age 23, weight 165, height 6 feet.

Coxswains; G. M. Taylor, age 18, weight 104, height 5 feet 3 inches; F. G. Fabian, age 17, weight 112, height 5 feet 6 inches; J. J. White, age 17, weight 110, height 5 feet 8 inches; E. H. Ford, age 19, weight 107, height 5 feet 6 inches; T. V. Buchanan, age 16, weight 102, height 4 feet 10 inches; C. L. Bregar, age 16, weight 95, height 5 feet, 3 inches; E. P. Stoles, age 18, weight 105, height 5 feet 5 inches; B. M. Doy, age 16, weight 100, height 5 feet 3 inches.

Poughkeepsie Trophies.

The cups for the members of the winning 'Varsity eight and four at Poughkeepsie last June have arrived in Ithaca. The cups for the members of the 'Varsity eight including the coxswain, are about four inches high and have double handles. On one side are the flags in colors of the various competing college crews, while on the reverse side are engraved the order of finish of the contesting crews the time, the date, and the place of the race, together with the name of the owner.

The members of the 'Varsity four will receive handsome silver steins about eight inches high with a massive handle and cover. Statistics similar to those on the other cups and the owner's name are engraved on each.

Intercollegiate Basketball.

The Intercollegiate Basketball Association, consisting of Yale, Harvard, Princeton, and Cornell, will hold a meeting in November, at which all points now under discussion will be settled. The following provisional schedule of games has been arranged for the coming season:

Jan. 17—Yale vs. Cornell, at New Haven.

Jan. 18—Harvard vs. Cornell, at Cambridge.

Jan. 28—Princeton vs. Cornell at Ithaca.

Feb. 7—Cornell vs. Harvard, at Ithaca.

Feb. 20—Yale vs. Harvard, at New Haven.

Feb. 22—Princeton vs. Harvard, at Princeton.

Feb. 26—Princeton vs. Yale, at Princeton.

March 3—Cornell vs. Yale, at Ithaca.

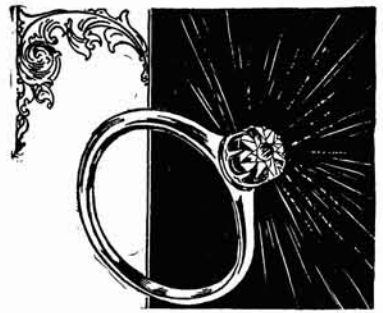
March 7—Yale vs. Princeton, at New Haven.

March 8—Harvard vs. Princeton, at Cambridge.

March 15—Princeton vs. Cornell, at Princeton.

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'72, M. S. David Starr Jordan, '72, and Dr. B. W. Evermann, U. S. ichthyologist, are collaborating in the preparation of a new book, "The Food and Game Fishes." They spent two months of the summer in Hawaii with the National Fish Commission, studying the fishes of the island.

'77, B. C. E., '95, C. E. The leading article in the June *Era* was an account of Cornell's early aquatic history by John N. Ostrom.

'83, B. C. E. James H. Fuertes is the author of "Water Filtration," recently published.

'84, B. Arch. Yorinaka Tsumaki, who is professor in the Tokyo Imperial University and inspecting architect for the Japanese department of finance, made a tour of this country recently. During the summer he made a short visit to Ithaca, and presented to the College of Architecture some interesting and valuable literature and drawings of his country.

'84 et al. Among recent visitors to the University were Herbert L. Aldrich, ex-'84, Perry P. Taylor, '89, W. G. Johnson, ex-'92, Harry J. Walter, '92, Ferdinand C. French, '92, George C. Brooks, '94, Henry Brewer, '94, Samuel P. Carll, '95, Florence B. Harris, '97, Robert T. Richardson, ex-'97, C. S. Sidway, ex-'98, James O. Martin, '99, Charles B. Potter, '99, Henry W. Blodgett, ex-'99, Ralph V. Alexander, '99, William F. Waterbury, '99, Albert M. Garretson, '00, Gardiner S. Dresser, '00, William S. Taylor, '00, John A. Haines, ex-'00, Anthony H. Hansen, '01, Edward B. Allen, '01, Woodard W. Sears, '01, Harvey J. Couch, '01, Frederick Willis, '01, and Frederick Will, Jr., '01.

Ex-'88. Winslow M. Mead, formerly clerk of the New York State department of public works, has been appointed deputy superintendent of the department to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Elon H. Hooker, '94.

'90, B. S. in Agr., '96, M. S. in Agr. Lee C. Corbett, for six years with the West Virginia agricultural experiment station, is in charge of the model farm of 400 acres on the Potomac river established for experimental work by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

'91, A. B. Captain Erwin L. Phillips, U. S. A., returned to his home in Franklinville from the Philippines the latter part of August.

'92, B. S. George B. M. Snyder is principle of the public school of Perryville, Missouri.

'92, E. E. Winder E. Goldsborough was a member of the jury of award for the electrical division of the Pan-American Exposition.

'92, Ph. D. The September *Philosophical Review* contains an article by Ferdinand C. French on "The Doctrine of the Two-fold Truth."

'93, B. S. in Agr. Hermann von Schrenk was one of the four Americans who attended the meeting in Geneva, Switzerland, of the International Association of Botanists.

'95, Ph. B. Martha A. Veeder is the author of a pamphlet on "Disinfection Within and Without the Body in Diphtheria," recently printed from the proceedings of the New York medical society.

'96, E. E. John C. Lynch is engineer of traffic with the New York Telephone company.

'96, Ph. B., '00, Ph. D.; '97, A. B. Charles H. Rammelkamp, '96, and George M. Dutcher, '97, who spent the past year travelling in Europe, are now members of the faculty at Stanford and Ohio Wesleyan Universities respectively.

'96, A. B., '99, Ph. D.; '97, A. M. Grace Neal Dolson, '96, and Hallie S. Pool, '97, were members of the committee of arrangements for Kappa Kappa Gamma day at the Pan-American Exposition.

'97, B. L. Jervis Langdon has been elected vice-president of the Langdon Coal company, of Elmira.

'97, Ph. D. Thomas L. Watson, who for the past four years was assistant state geologist of Georgia, is now professor of geology and botany at Dennison University, Grawville, Ohio.

'97, B. S. Charles Hendee Smith graduated in June at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, at the head of the class and won the second Harsler prize of \$300.

'97, L. L. M. Robert H. Murray is attorney for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty of Nova Scotia. He conducts prosecutions for the society in all parts of the province.

'98, Ph. D. Benjamin M. Duggar is with the division of vegetable pathology of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

'98, LL. B. George G. Reynolds is secretary and treasurer of the Rorick Park railroad, one of the most popular attractions of Elmira's summer resort. The road is about a mile in length and requires a force of three men to operate it.

'00, A. B. Claude W. Klock is teacher of Classics in the Westleigh Collegiate Institute, New Brighton, Staten Island.

'00, B. S. A., '01 M. S. A. Otto F. Hunziker was recently offered an excellent position with the bacteriological bureau of the division of animal industry in the U. S. Department of Agriculture. He has, however, decided to remain at Cornell where the opportunities for original work are better.

Ex-'00, Walter Nuffort, who is with the Prudential Life Insurance company, of Newark, N. J., is now in charge of the special correspondence of the actuarial department.

'00, B. S. A., '01, M. A.; '01, B. S. A. Gordon M. Bentley, '00, and Eugene M. Baxter, '01, have positions in the agricultural department of the Union Academy at Belleville, where the first attempt is being made to teach agriculture in a preparatory school.

'00, M. A. Burton D. Meyers' thesis, "Chiasma of the Toad and Some Other Vertebrates" has been published in Stuttgart, Germany.

'00, Ph. D. Vida F. Moore is professor of philosophy at the Elmira Women's College.

'00, A. B. Samuel W. Reaves is assistant professor of mathematics at Clemson College, South Carolina.

'00, M. E. Frederick G. Grimshaw is mechanical engineer for the Cook Locomotive & Machine company, of Paterson, N. J.

'00, B. S. A., '01, M. A. William C. Thro has been appointed instructor in histology and embryology in the University.

'01, D. V. M. Joseph L. Wilder has received the appointment of assistant in veterinary surgery from the University.

'01, C. E. Collingwood B. Brown, Jr., has a position with the Canadian Pacific railroad, and is located at Trail, British Columbia.

'01, C. E. Howard W. Underwood has a position with the Philadelphia Filtering Works.

'01, C. E. Robert L. Burwell is with the Philadelphia Waterworks company.

'01, A. B. Luella Northrop is teaching at Angelica, N. Y.

'01, C. E. Jonas W. Griswold has a position with the Pennsylvania Steel company, of Steelton, Pa.

'01, B. S. A. Delos L. VanDine is teacher of nature study in the government schools at Honolulu.

'01, C. E. Salvador A. Guillen has had a position on the staff of the Nicaraguan building at the Pan-American throughout the exposition.

'01, C. E. Arthur B. Frost has a position with the New York state section of the U. S. Geodetic Survey.

'01, A. B. Bertha L. Alexander is teacher of Latin and Greek at the Oxford academy and union school.

'01, C. E. Clyde Potts is in the U. S. Engineer's office at Detroit, Mich.

'01, M. E. Oscar W. Bodler has a position with the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad.

ex-'01, Stella V. Goodal is teaching in the high school at Keysport, N. J.

'01, M. E. Platon W. Soukatschoff is draughtsman with the American Bridge company at Pencoyd, Pa.

'01, LL. B. Floyd E. Whiteman and Acton M. Hill have formed the law firm of Whiteman & Hill for general practice in Hornellsville. They have opened offices in the First National Bank building.

'01, A. B. Marcus J. Gilliam is pro-

fessor of mathematics at Wilberforce College, Ohio.

'01, E. E. William H. Namack is coaching the football team of the University of Washington.

'01, M. E. Harrison C. Givens is assistant mechanical engineer with the Remington Salt Works Company of Ithaca.

Ex-'02, Welfred W. Mack is on the city staff of the New York Sun.

ex-'02, E. Murray is teaching in the high school at Newark, N. Y.

ex-'03, F. Dorrance is on the staff of the New York Tribune.

WEDDINGS.

ROBERTSON-DAVENPORT.

The wedding of Phoebe A. Robertson, '97, special, and Irwin Davenport, occurred August 17 at the home of the bride's parents in Etna, N. Y. The couple will make their home in Omaha, Neb., where Mr. Davenport is a member of the staff of the *Omaha Bee*.

PARTRIDGE-PRICE.

On Saturday, August 2, Miss Marie Partridge, of San Francisco, and Charles Stanley Price, LL. B. '97, were united in marriage. Mr. Price is practicing law in Salt Lake City, with offices in the Utah Commercial and Savings Bank building. William M. McCrea is associated with him.

CAMPBELL-DUKES.

On Saturday, June 22, Miss Harriet Campbell, of Schenectady, was married to Richard G. Dukes, E. E. '96, then an instructor at the Worcester Polytechnic Institute. The couple will make their home in Ithaca, where Mr. Dukes has been appointed an instructor in the Sibley mechanical laboratory.

SLAYBACK-STEVENS.

The marriage of Miss Elsie Slayback, of Denver, to Fred Park Stevens, M. E., '96, of Colorado Springs, occurred in Denver, Wednesday, June 19. The bride was one of the most prominent and popular young ladies of the society of her city, and the groom ranks among the leading and most successful photographers of the West.

A few days after the wedding a reception was held in honor of the newly married couple at the Alta Vista house, Colorado Springs. The rooms were handsomely adorned with flowers and decorated with carnelian and white. This color scheme was carried out even to the refreshments, and proved very effective. Many relatives and friends of the couple were present.

The schedule for the freshman football team of Princeton will include ten games, four in Princeton and six away from home. The Yale-Princeton freshman game will probably be played on Saturday, Nov. 9, at New Haven.

A boarding house trust has been organized at Ann Arbor which controls both the prices and the menus.

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ALUMNI NOTES.

We have always considered that the page in the ALUMNI NEWS containing notes on alumni was the most interesting part of the paper to our subscribers, the only part which was uniformly valuable to them, and, therefore, the one feature of our paper that we ought to strive always to maintain in as satisfactory a way as possible. We are extremely desirous of improving this page and making it of greater usefulness to our readers than it has been in the past. With this end in view the governing board has created a new editorship, the incumbent of which will devote himself exclusively to the making up of this page. He will have complete charge of the alumni notes, and he alone will be responsible for what appears therein.

In the past we have had to get almost all our material for these notes in Ithaca itself. Our information concerning the alumni has seldom come directly from them but has in almost every instance come indirectly from University officers or other Ithaca sources. This fact has given rise to several evils, two of which are very obvious. First, it has made it very difficult for us at times to get enough material to fill our alumni page. Secondly, it has made the possibility of mistake much greater than if we had gotten our information first-hand. These two evils can be remedied very easily if our readers will only do us the service of sending us items concerning themselves and also concerning others of whom they have accurate information. Obvi-

ously enough the benefits accruing therefrom to our readers and also to us will be mutual.

We have manifested our conviction of the importance of this department of our paper and have done everything in our power to improve it by creating this new editorship and by appointing a capable and painstaking man to fill it. We feel that we have some justification in asking our alumni to do more in the future to assist us in this connection than they have done in the past. To the few who have already aided us, we express our thanks and trust that we may continue to have their much appreciated co-operation.

ATHLETIC FINANCES.

Several references have already been made in these columns to the new financial policy inaugurated by the Athletic Council last fall. It will be remembered that the plan was, in brief, to rely upon the students, aided by Faculty and townspeople, for the money necessary to defray the current running expenses of athletics and to call upon the alumni only for contributions to permanent improvements. Last year enough money was collected from the students, in the shape of subscriptions, for the purpose indicated, but only after the most arduous labor on the part of the student committees. The work of soliciting subscriptions extended throughout almost the entire year.

It is evident to all familiar with the situation that some other method of raising money from the students would have to be adopted in the future. Last year the plan was discussed of selling a season ticket to all games on Percy Field, the holders of these tickets to have certain privileges such as first choice of reserved seats at Percy Field and on the observation train for the crew races. It was with considerable doubt as to the success of the scheme that the Athletic Council this fall decided to try this experiment. Season tickets at the price of ten dollars were put on sale. Present indications are that the experiment will prove a complete success. About eight hundred tickets have already been sold. As it is desired to raise ten thousand dollars, about two hundred more tickets ought to be sold, and there is every reason to believe that they will be.

There are many advantages in raising our athletic funds in this way. Three advantages are especially obvious. First, much of the labor of raising money is done away with.

Secondly, the Athletic Council is able to tell, very early in the year, the amount of money which it can expect to receive from the student body and can govern itself accordingly. Furthermore, it has almost all of this money in hand at the very outset of the season, and does not have to wait to receive it in small payments made from time to time throughout the entire college year. Thirdly, the efficacy of this scheme in augmenting the attendance at the games is already apparent. Holders of these tickets will be apt to go to the games whenever it is at all possible to do so, urged on partly by a desire to get the worth of their money. This is perhaps the most gratifying and useful feature of the scheme. Increased attendance at the games means increased interest in athletics, and this increased interest will make itself felt in all branches of our athletic work.

The students are now doing their fair amount of work in supporting the athletic interests of the University. They have fulfilled their part of the contract. The alumni will probably soon be called upon to contribute to a fund for the establishment of a new athletic field on or near the campus, and thus to assume the burden which under the new financial policy falls to them of attending to permanent improvements. As we have before pointed out in these columns it was not until a large number of alumni had been consulted, either personally or through their local alumni associations, that the Athletic Council decided to inaugurate this new policy. Every effort was made to consult as large a number of alumni as possible and practically all those who expressed an opinion on the subject were strongly in favor of the plan and promised it their support. It can with considerable truth be said that the pressure in favor of the plan came from the alumni themselves and that it was in no manner forced upon them by the Athletic Council. Under these circumstances the committee in charge of the new athletic field have a right to expect a favorable reception of any reasonable appeal they may see fit to send out and a willing response to the call for funds. This committee was appointed by the general alumni association of the University at its annual meeting held at Ithaca last June, and the movement is therefore distinctly an alumni affair and worthy of alumni support.

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lars were replaced by men from the scrub to give the coaches an opportunity to see how they would act under fire. The line-up follows:

Cornell	Positions	Rochester
Taussig (Lies)	l.e.	Interman
Lueder (Ultz)	l.t.	Baxter
Warner (Emmons)	l.g.	Clarke
Kent (Davitt)	c.	Goldwin
Hunt	r.g.	Gilbert
Smith (Hardie)	r.t.	Tolbert (Capt)
Tydemann	r.e.	DeCalesta
Finucane (Brewster)	q.b.	Zimmer
Purcell (Finucane)	l.h.b.	Hallock (Winters)
Coffin	r.h.b.	Hyde
Torney (Kilburn)	f.b.	Field

Touchdowns, Coffin 4, Purcell 2, Torney 2, Finucane 1. Goals from touchdowns, Coffin 5. Referee, Evans, Williams. Umpire, Lang, Yale. Time of halves, 15 minutes.

CORNELL, 6—BUCKNELL, 0

The game with Bucknell on Saturday, October 5, was a different proposition as the latter team put up a stiff fight. The score of 5 to 0, however, hardly expresses the relative merits of the two teams as the 'Varsity made their gains for the most part almost at will, and only at times could Bucknell hold them. The fact that Cornell's score is not larger, however, is due to the failure of the team to do their best work at critical times. In the first half the 'Varsity carried the ball down the field to the four yard line, but there the brilliant streak of playing ended and Bucknell held for downs. It so happened that the consequences were not disastrous for McCormick's punt was blocked and Tydemann fell on the ball. In the second half Cornell had the ball within a few yards of Bucknell's goal but lost it on a fumble, and although they soon recovered it, they could get it no further than the six yard line when time was called.

There were some strong features of the 'Varsity's work, notably the playing of the backs. Schoellkopf was in the game for the first time this season, his ankle having recovered enough to allow him to play. He bucked the line well. Both Purcell and Coffin gained their distance almost invariably and played a snappy game generally. Brewster and Finucane showed improvement at quarter, but the former had the best of it.

Cornell kicked off to Bucknell, the ball crossing the goal line. Bucknell punted from 25 yard line, Coffin bringing the ball back 15 yards. Purcell made seven around the right end. Coffin failed again and Purcell made seven more. Coffin made five and Purcell three. The ball was

soon on Bucknell's four yard line where the visitors held and secured the ball on downs. McCormick's punt was blocked and Tydemann, falling on the ball, scored the only touchdown of the game. Coffin kicked the goal. For the rest of the half the ball was in Bucknell's territory.

Schoellkopf secured the ball on the kick-off at the opening of the second half and a brilliant run carried it back 40 yards. Bucknell held for downs but couldn't gain. Finucane came back three yards on Bucknell's punt. Schoellkopf gained seven through right tackle and was hurt but resumed play. Bucknell held but lost the ball on downs. Punts were exchanged and soon Kent secured the ball on a fumble. Cornell worked up to the visitors' fifteen yard line but failed to score, and the half ended after they had brought the ball back again within six yards of the goal. The line-up follows. The next game is with Hamilton today, and Union will be played on Saturday next.

Cornell	Position	Bucknell
Taussig	l.e.	Barnett
Lueder	l.t.	Wilcox
Warner (Capt.)	l.g.	Taylor
Kent	c.	Shipp
Hunt	r.g.	Gillin
Smith	r.t.	McMahon
Tydemann	r.e.	Douglas
Brewster (Finucane)	q.b.	Smith
Purcell	l.h.b.	Stanton (Capt.)
Coffin	r.h.b.	Cockill
Schoellkopf	f.b.	McCormick

Summary: — Touchdowns, Tydemann. Goal from touchdown, Coffin. Referee, Lange, Yale. Umpire, Evans, Williams. Time of halves, fifteen minutes.

Football scores last Saturday were as follows:

Cornell 6, Bucknell 0.
Harvard 16, Bates 6.
Carlisle 16, Dickinson 11.
Columbia 5, Williams 0.
Pennsylvania 23, State College 6.
Yale 29, Tufts 5.
Syracuse 20, Brown 0.
West Point 20, Franklin-Marshall 0.
Princeton 47, Haverford 0.
Annapolis 0, Georgetown 0.

Dr. Charles Mellen Tyler has been appointed by President Schurman as a delegate from Cornell to the Bicentennial of Yale, Oct. 20 to 26.

Several new banners have been added to the collection in the Barnes Hall trophy room. Among the new trophies are those won at Poughkeepsie, at the dual meet with Princeton and the inter-club debate banner won last year by the Cornell Congress.

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The musical clubs have opened the winter's work with a series of competitions by which they hope to recruit enough new material from the entering class and from those musicians of the other classes who have not yet made the clubs, to take the places of those whom they have lost by graduation. Thus far the glee clubs has taken on forty-eight men to form the nucleus of this year's club, and the mandolin has about thirty new members. These two organizations are now engaged in breaking in these new men for the hard practice preparatory to the Christmas trip.

There are several innovations this year to be noticed regarding the musical clubs. In the first place the banjo club has been entirely abandoned. This has been for several reasons, chief among which is the belief that the time heretofore devoted to it could much be more profitably spent in raising the standard of the other two clubs, especially the mandolin. The latter will thus be able to have a wider range of music to choose from and will be able to increase the number of pieces in its ranks both of which will be distinct advantages. Another novelty this year is the engagement of Mr. George Coleman, leader of the Lyceum orchestra, to direct the mandolin club. Hitherto this club has had no instruction except that of the undergraduate leader, which gave the glee club an advantage as the latter has always been trained by a professional instructor. These considerations seem to warrant the belief that this year's musical clubs will be superior to any that have represented the musical interests of the University in some time.

The clubs this year have been put under the care of graduate manager Senior, thus relieving Manager Bole of an immense amount of responsibility. Mr. Senior, having been manager of the musical clubs during the past two years will be able to take care of the business part of the trip with a skill and readiness born of experience.

The regular Junior and Senior week concerts will be given and possibly some others in Ithaca, but no dates have as yet been arranged.

Professor Goldwin Smith recently made a gift of \$10,000 to the library of the University of Toronto.

Athletic Season Tickets.

Last year it was decided that hereafter, funds for current athletic expenses should be raised among the undergraduates, and that, in place of the customary subscriptions, season tickets to all athletic contests should be sold. The price of the ticket is \$10. It was hoped to sell 1,000 of these and thus raise the entire \$10,000 which is needed.

This hope has been only partially realized. The number of tickets sold is between 700 and 750. It will therefore be necessary to solicit subscriptions among those who did not buy tickets. In one respect however, this plan has been completely successful. The attendance at the minor games, which is ordinarily quite small, has been almost as large as at the important games. This increase in attendance cannot fail to improve the work of the teams.

Improvements at Percy Field.

Percy Field has undergone many changes in arrangement and equipment during the summer. The new stands are larger and more comfortable than the former ones and afford the spectators a better view of all contests which occur in the field itself. A new course has been laid out for cross country running, including in its wide circle both the With-erbee club house and the covered stands. Across the course have been placed obstacles and hedges such as are in the Morris Park course at New York.

The large space northwest of the club house has been leveled and sodded so as to be available for fall baseball practice and lacrosse.

Football.

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Yale vs. U. S. Naval Academy, at Annapolis.
Princeton vs. Lehigh, at Princeton.
Cornell vs. Union, at Ithaca.
Carlisle Indians vs. Bucknell at Williamsport.
U. S. Military Academy vs. Trinity, at West Point.

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