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CHANGES IN COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Committee At Delaware College Makes Announcement

The Commencement Committee has found it advisable to make some important changes in the order of exercises that has hitherto prevailed at commencements at Delaware College. (1) Instead of the annual Alumni Reunion on Tuesday evening of Commencement Week, there will be a supper this year for alumni, members of the faculty, and members of the graduating class. This supper will be held on Tuesday evening, June 12, in Old College, formerly the Dormitory. (2) The annual Inter-Society Debate will not be held this year. In its place there will be a public speaking contest to which all students in college are eligible. The subjects of the orations, which must be original, will be patriotic or national in their scope. There has been a great deal of interest shown by the students in this contest, on last Monday twelve orations were submitted for the competition to Professor Dutton, of the English department, who has the matter in charge. Of these, all which are judged to be of sufficient merit will be given by the students who wrote them, at the contest, which will be held on Monday evening (June 11) in Wolf Hall. The college orchestra will furnish music. Two prizes of \$30 and \$20, offered by the Alumni Association, will be awarded to the students who present the best and the second best orations.

The Commencement Committee also wishes to make the following announcements: Friends of the College who come to Newark on Wednesday are asked to bring luncheon, as the capacity of the hotels and restaurants is limited. The privileges of Purnell House are extended to all friends of the College during Commencement Week. The rest rooms will be open to both ladies and gentlemen. A Bureau of Information will be found on the first floor. The three new buildings—Wolf Hall, Old College, and the Dormitory—all of which will be ready for use in September, will be open for inspection on Commencement Day.

Any one wishing complete programs for the exercises of Commencement Week or other information should write to the Commencement Committee, of which Dr. W. O. Sypherd is chairman.

Dave Crockett To Captain 1918 Track Team

At a meeting of the letter men immediately after the Swarthmore meet, last Saturday, Dave Crockett, record-holder of the hurdles and star sprinter, was elected to captain the track team for 1918. Crockett has run for three years on the track team and has been most reliable and a very consistent scorer. The Review extends to you its best wishes, Dave.

Seniors Defeat Juniors

With the assistance of "Dick" Appleby's willow, the Seniors were enabled to put one over on the Juniors on Friday, May 25. One could have foretold that the game was to end in the Seniors' favor by observing the confident demeanor exhibited by "Kid" Purnell as he capered out to short-stop for practice.

Despite the clever backstopping of "Biscuit" Cleaver, and the brilliant headwork of Lauritsen, the big blonde Swede, the ill-fated Juniors were doomed to an inglorious defeat.

In their half of the first, the Seniors, with a man on second, had a chance to score, but "Legs" Marshall failed to come across with a hit.

In the Juniors' half of the first, hits by "Al" O'Daniel and Herdman, and walks to Lovett and Lauritsen, netted them three runs. This ended their scoring for the day. In the remaining four innings, they were retired in one-two-three order.

In the second inning the Seniors failed to tally with a hit and a walk to their credit.

In the third inning hits by Smith, Smyth and Appleby, netted the Seniors one run. Smyth scoring.

In the fourth inning, Reynolds scored from third on a passed ball which made the score 2-3, Juniors favor.

In the fifth and final inning, Smith walked and leaned on the "apple" for a circuit clout. This ended their scoring for the day. Final score 4-3.

The Senior team was strengthened materially by substitute "Roscoe" Fisher, who took Gilman's place in the fifth.

Smith pitched a fine game for the Seniors, striking out ten and allowing two hits.

The Score:

Seniors.					
R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	
Hastings, ss.	0	0	0	1	0
Smyth, 3b.	1	1	0	0	0
Smith, p.	1	1	0	0	0
Appleby, lf.	1	3	0	0	0
Marshall, lb.	0	1	3	0	0
Steele, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
Beauchamp, 2b.	0	1	0	1	0
Gilman, cf.	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, c.	1	0	12	0	0
Fischer, cf.	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	7	15	2	0

Juniors.					
R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	
O'Daniel, 2b.	1	1	1	1	0
Alexander, lb.	0	0	3	0	0
Lovett, cf.	1	0	1	0	1
Herdman, p.	1	1	0	1	0
Lauritsen, 3b.	0	0	1	1	0
Little, ss.	0	0	1	1	0
Wheeler, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
Cleaver, c.	0	0	8	0	2
Hoffecker, rf.	0	0	0	0	1
Total	3	2	15	4	4

Another "War Job"

Another one of our fellows has taken a "war job." L. R. Witsil '18, has accepted a position as shell inspector in the Government arsenal at Philadelphia. Witsil expects to begin work next week.

Delaware Shuts Out P. M. C.

Delaware shut out P. M. C. Saturday, to the tune of 9-0. The cadets were allowed only one scratch hit by Clancey, who pitched air-tight ball, striking out 10 men. The game was resplendent with hits in Delaware's batting half of the contest. It was a singular fact that eight of the nine players were Freshman. Pierson, the ninth man is a Sophomore.

Not a P. M. C. man reached second base. Clancey received good support, only two errors being chalked up, one by himself and the other by Marvel. Marvel made his first appearance as a varsity man Saturday. "Don" Horsey had an attack of the grip and was unable to play. Score:

P. M. C.					
R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	
Pool, c.	0	0	3	2	0
Christen's, ss.	0	1	2	2	2
Davenport, lb.	0	0	10	2	0
Cam'ziano, 2b.	0	0	1	6	1
Luez, lb.	0	0	3	3	2
Dinsmore, rf.	0	0	1	0	0
Wolf, cf.	0	0	1	0	0
Huebner, lf.	0	0	1	0	1
Davis, lb., p.	0	0	5	1	2
Myers, cf.	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	1	27	16	8

Delaware.					
R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	
Selby, 3b.	0	0	1	0	0
Pierson, c.	2	1	10	1	0
Carter, lb.	1	1	8	0	0
Madden, lf.	1	1	0	0	0
Ferguson, cf.	2	3	2	0	0
McCardell, ss.	1	0	0	0	0
Ritz, rf.	2	1	3	0	0
Marvel, 2b.	0	1	2	1	1
Clancey, p.	0	1	1	3	1
Total	9	9	27	5	2

P. M. C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delaware	0	1	0	2	4	1	0	0	x	9

Western Maryland cancelled the game which was to have been played June 2, at Newark. This leaves only one more contest on our schedule, the game with the University of Pennsylvania, June 12. This will be our first game with the Philadelphia institution. A large turnout is expected.

The Fresh-Soph game will be played Monday. The time for the final inter-class game has not yet been set.

Changes In Review Board

Due to the fact that several members of the Review Board have gone to the training camp at Fort Myer, it has been necessary to make some changes in the staff.

Mr. P. D. Lovett has been appointed assistant editor to succeed Mr. Morris Mitchell, and two new men have been placed on the general staff—Mr. L. B. Daly, and Mr. Charles Carswell.

The position of business manager, left vacant by Mr. L. B. Stayton, has not been filled. The work is now being carried on by Mr. J. P. Truss, and Mr. Robert Marshall, both assistant managers. Several other appointments will be made next year at the opening of College.

"Delaware Farmer" Sends Delegates

John F. Davis and Mr. Donald Dare were sent by the "Delaware Farmer" Board, as delegates to attend the convention of the American Association of College Agricultural Publications, in New York, May 18 and 19. The delegates were unable to secure membership in the association for the "Delaware Farmer," because of the low rating of our publication. Since membership in the association means so much for Delaware in the way of a higher standing among the other agricultural colleges, it is the determination of the "Ag Club," to place the "Delaware Farmer" on a more solid basis and to raise its standard to the level of its contemporaries so that next year will see their publication enrolled in the American Association of College Agricultural Publications.

A "Farewell Meeting" of the "Ag Club" was tendered the Senior members last Wednesday, May 16.

An Appreciation

The following letter has been received from Mr. H. Rodney Sharp by Mr. Morris Mitchell, Editor of the Blue Hen.

May 12, 1917.

Morris Mitchell, The Blue Hen, Newark.

My Dear Mitchell: Will you express to the members of your class and to the Board of the Blue Hen, my appreciation for their having dedicated to me, this year's class book. I congratulate you all on its success, for it is one of the best editions of its kind I have ever seen. You all know my interest, but I hope you will continue to feel at liberty to call on me for anything I am able to do for Delaware College.

With great appreciation, I am Sincerely,

H. Rodney Sharp.

VISITORS AT WOMEN'S COLLEGE

Girls Give Talks In Chapel

Many strangers have paid a visit to the Women's College, during the last week. On Saturday, May 12th, a number of girls from various Delaware high school senior classes visited the college. Buffet luncheons were served. Last Saturday the senior girls from the Georgetown, Milford and Lewes high schools were guests of the college. Thursday week a group of distinguished Philadelphians, guests of ex-Governor Miller, visited the college.

In order to help in food conservation a canning club has been organized at the college. A lecture and two demonstrations were given by Miss Caudell, head of the home economics department. The girls were shown how to can vegetables and fruit in the simplest and best way. Each girl in the class is asked to do some canning in her own home during the summer and, if possible, to train a group of women and girls. The motto of the club is: "A can of fruit and a can of vegetables on the shelf of every home for every day next winter."

JUNIORS PREPARE FOR FAREWELL HOP

Commencement Dance To Be Held June 13

Committees have been appointed this week to take charge of the farewell hop which will be held in the Armory, on June 13, at 8.45.

This dance will not be as elaborate as the "Prom" but the Juniors hope to make it just as big a success. One of the features of the evening will be the music which will be conducted by Mr. Jacobs.

It is expected that a large number of Alumni and friends of the college will be back to attend the commencement exercises, and many of these will also attend the dance.

The Hop this year, will be informal. White trousers and blue coats will be worn by the men.

An admission fee of two dollars and a half will be charged to students and faculty, and three dollars to visitors and friends of the college.

The chairmen of the committees are as follows:

Sumwalt, Marks, C. R. Smith, H. Alexander, C. L. Weigle and K. R. Bowen.

If any of the students or faculty have friends whom they would like to invite, they should hand the names and addresses to Mr. Weigle at once.

Alumni Drill

Alumni of Chicago University are holding daily drill sessions at noon on the campus and at night in the gymnasium.—Ex.

Students Must Think

President Lowell, of Harvard, speaking before some 700 law students, gave them the following advice:

"This business is no football game. Most students want to run somewhere, but they don't know where. You are not going to climb over a trench with a flashing sword. We have considered first what is best for the country, and then what is best for you. Stay at your studies until June."—Ex.—Harvard Freshies Unfit—

Harvard freshmen don't stand erect and many are physically unfit because of the "college slump." Of the four-fifths of the class who have a faulty posture, three-fifths of them, when asked to stand correctly, were unable to pass muster. Two in every ten of the four-fifths have feet that make them unfit for military duty.

400 Slackers Dropped

Four hundred students at the University of Texas, who failed to sign up for military drill and did not obtain exemptions were dropped from the rolls of the university.—Ex.

Harvard Freshies Unfit

Cornell University has dismissed more than 400 students because of deficiency in studies. In former years the total seldom exceeded 150.

CALENDAR

Baseball.

June 2.—Western Maryland-Delaware, 230, Frazer Field.

May 30.—Track meet, Lehigh.

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Tom Wilson.

Just about one year ago, Delaware received a shock which has not, and never will be forgotten—the accident to our beloved and honored friend, Tom Wilson.

One college year has almost passed since then, but there has not been a day of that time, that all of us have not had a lingering thought of our unfortunate, but still courageous classmate. Many times the presence of Tom has been missed by all. His fighting spirit and indomitable will was needed on the football team last fall. The same inspiring qualities would have added a great deal to the success of the basketball team, but it was in neither of these things that Tom was most needed. His place, in these activities could be filled temporarily, but the influence of his deep personality can never be replaced.

In two weeks, the class of 1917, Tom's class will be graduated—they will receive their diploma. Although Tom will not graduate, nor receive a diploma such as his classmates, in reality, he has already graduated and received a diploma of courage, determination and Manhood, which far surpasses the diploma of knowledge alone.

And now, as we are all about to say good-bye to Delaware, some for all time, others until September, we send the sincerest wish of happiness to him, whom we all love.

Military Progress

The progress which the college battalion has made during the past year speaks well for the future of Military in our college. This advancement can not be attributed to any one factor or individual, but rather to the concerted efforts of many.

To some, it is probable that no advance is evident. It cannot be said that the battalion drills better or possesses more military knowledge than it has in previous years. These are the only things from which the outsider can judge the efficiency of the companies. But to the insider, the one who has been familiar with conditions,

it is apparent that progress has been made.

The spirit of the corps has been more noticeable than in any recent year. Many of the students are really taking an interest in the military work, something that few, if any, have done in the past. It is true that this spirit does not prevail throughout the battalion. The important thing, however, is the fact that there really is a "Spirit." If it proves to be the true spirit there is no doubt but that it will be but a short time before every man is imbued with it.

To Lieutenant Hoey belongs most of the credit for this condition of the battalion. It is certain that even greater improvement should be noticeable if the college is fortunate enough to have the present Commandant return in September. Should he not return, because of conditions which may arise in the present crisis, the student body extend to him their heartiest wishes for success.

NEW BUILDINGS NEARING COMPLETION

Old College Hall, New Dormitory And Wolf Hall

It is not so many months ago since we looked in dismay at the "ruins" of the Old Dorms. But with the coming of spring, things have gradually taken on a brighter aspect, and the old building now appears as if it will outshine all of its by gone glories. The exterior presents a wonderfully rejuvenated appearance. The old plain round columns have been replaced by new fluted ones of the Greek doric order surmounted by the simple, yet imposing entablature of the same order. A solid flight of stone steps replaces the old wooden ones which led up to the main doorway, through which may now be seen the almost completed dining hall. The other parts of the building show rapid signs of progress. The plasterers are hard at work, and one more week ought to work wonders there.

The new dorms, too, one beginning to look like something. They are, like the rest of the new buildings of the campus, of the colonial type of architecture. The brickwork is practically complete and the roofs will be put on shortly. Already the interior partitions are being put in place, and the rooms are beginning to take form. The new building is trimmed with white marble, and the simple design of the doorways is of the composite order, and is entirely in keeping with the homelike atmosphere of the building, with its quaint twin chimned gables, adapted after that of Purnell Hall.

But perhaps the most interesting of all the buildings is Wolf Hall. This imposing colonial structure is entirely finished as far as the exterior goes. The marble detail work is complete, and the carved festoons serve to relieve the monotony of the otherwise plain building, while the zonic pilasters lend dignity to its facade. And the interior, too, is almost complete. The plaster and concrete work of the additions, or large lecture room, is finished, and the place should be ready for occupancy in about a week. The interior corridors of the building are all finished with a rough coat of pale buff-colored plaster. The laboratories are finished with vitrified brick walls. Some of the recitation rooms are finished in the same pale buff of the corridors, while others are at present left a smooth white. The fourth floor of the building is taken up almost entirely by the huge ducts of the ventilating system which is installed throughout the whole building.

Interesting Program

Chairman E. G. Smyth, of the Class Day exercises has arranged an interesting and novel program for that day. As many of the Seniors have left College it is possible that almost all of those remaining will have some part in the exercises. The main features of the program as arranged by the chairman follows: Class History, Jos. H. Jones; Class Prophecy, Irving Reynolds; Mantle Oration, L. B. Steele; Arts and Science Address, James C. Hastings; Agricultural Address, Richard Appleby; Engineering Address, J. Hurst Beauchamp.

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Three New Buildings

A Science Hall, a Student's Building, and a Dormitory for Freshmen—will be ready for use when college opens next September.

The Faculty

which has been strengthened by the addition of twelve professors and instructors this year, will be still further increased and strengthened next year by teachers of business administration and other courses.

New Courses

have already been provided for or established. The curriculum of the college now includes courses in Arts and Science, Engineering (Electrical, Civil, Mechanical, and Chemical), Agriculture, and Teacher-Training.

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Sidelights on the Senior-Junior Game.

Fischer had no strikeouts and no errors, also no assists, no hits and no putouts.

When the first run for the Juniors went across the plate, "Legs" Marshall yelled, "There's one man out of the way!"

When Fischer appeared in a military uniform, shorn of his leggings, a "bleacherite, remarking his lean "props," yapped, "Ain't you afraid to trust yourself on them things?"

"Ellie Hoffecker, the last batsman to face "Ches" Smith, failed to "come across." We think that Ellie got rattled when somebody piped, "Catch that pig!"

The "All-Stars" from Delaware College were defeated by Iron Hill Saturday, May 26. The game was played on Baron O'Rourke's country estate. The Baron and full court were in attendance. The Baroness herself, threw out the first ball.

Ikey Sumwalt—I was down Baltimore Sa'urd'y. They've got militia all over town. People are gettin' shot right and left.

Abe Gutowitz—They always do on Saturday night.

Light Occupations.

Taxi driver at the "Deer Park."

Jew's harpist in the band.

Door tender at the College book store.

Matron at a class smoker.

Captain of Company D.

Collecting quarters from the Senior team.

Selling shoe laces and collar buttons at a Yiddish ball.

Al Imerick.

There once was a girl who said, "Fish!

There is only one thing that I wish I want," she averred,

"A good finishing word, But all I can think of is 'dish!'"

Abe Gutowitz was making the rounds at the Purnell House, asking each student if he had change for a quarter. He'd usually get it changed into pennies.

We asked Abe's co-partner, Ikey Sumwalt, what Abe's idea was. Ikey said, "Well, he thinks somebody might make a mistake."

Swarthmore Victorious

In the final meet of the 1917 track season, Delaware was defeated by Swarthmore College at Swarthmore, Pa., by a score of 66 to 38. Swarthmore was particularly good in the races, while Delaware showed up best in the field events and the hurdles. Crockett won both the high hurdles and low hurdles with ease, and Marston and Marshall defeated the Swarthmore contestants handily. This shows the results of Pat Keyes careful teaching and training in the hurdles.

Harry Loose broke the discus record again with a throw over 107 feet, but Hoot of Swarthmore, who had thrown only around 100 feet came across with an exceptional heave and captured first place. His throw was 108 feet 11 inches.

Alexander and McDonnell took first places in the broad jump and the pole vault respectively. It is to be noticed that Alexander has been very consistent in his jumping this year. In each meet he has had leaps of over twenty feet to his credit, and his record of 22 feet 10 inches, made in the dual meet with Drexel, will more than likely stand for some time.

Captain Bonner of Swarthmore,

won the quarter-mile event in 53 4-5 seconds, and a half-hour later repeated in the 220-yard dash, which he covered in 23 3-5 seconds.

Delaware was particularly weak from the half mile, the mile and two mile. Steele was forced to stop in the half which made Delaware's chances of scoring slim, yet Hearne ran a nice race and was only beaten out at the finish. In the mile the same thing occurred. Williams, of Delaware, was beaten out by inches by Maule of Swarthmore. Brewer looked good for a place in the two mile but on the sixth lap, he turned his ankle and had to be carried from the track.

In the 100 yard dash, Shidle of Swarthmore, who has been out all year on account of a pulled tendon, came through strong and took the race in 10 2-5.

This is the last meet of the year for Delaware, as Lehigh cancelled the meet which was to be held on Joe Frazer Field, Decoration Day. This was a disappointment because our chances of trimming Lehigh were exceedingly good.

Following are summaries of Swarthmore-Delaware.

100-yard dash—Won by Shidle, Swarthmore; second, Marshall, Delaware. Time, 10 2-5 seconds.

120-yard hurdles—Won by Crockett, Delaware; second, Marshall, Delaware. Time, 17 seconds.

Discus throw—Won by Hoot, Swarthmore; second, Loose, Delaware. Distance, 108 feet 11 inches.

220-yard hurdles—Won by Crockett, Delaware; second, Marshall, Delaware. Time, 27 seconds.

220-yard dash—Won by Bonner, Swarthmore; second, Marshall, Delaware. Time, 23 2-5 seconds.

440-yard dash—Won by Bonner, Swarthmore; second, Steele, Delaware. Time 53 4-5 seconds.

880-yard run—Won by Maule, Swarthmore; second, Baker, Swarthmore. Time, 2 minute, 12 1-5 seconds.

Mile run—Won by Quayle, Swarthmore; second, Maule, Swarthmore. Time, 5 minutes 2-5 second.

Two-mile run—Won by Pierce, Swarthmore; second, Smith, Swarthmore. Time, 10 minutes 27 2-5 seconds.

Broad jump—Won by Alexander, Delaware; second, Halde-man, Swarthmore. Distance 20 feet 5 inches.

High jump—Tie for first by Woodside and Heald, of Swarthmore. Height, 5 feet 6 inches.

Shotput—Won by Hoot, Swarthmore; second, Loose, Delaware. Distance, 39 feet 8 3-4 inches.

Pole vault—Won by McDonnell Delaware; second, Olin, Swarthmore. Height, 11 feet.

Dr. Mitchell Compliments Battalion

Speaking in chapel last Friday, Dr. Mitchell complimented the battalion on the showing made at inspection, saying that 136 men turned out. He said that Lieut. Ross was very much pleased with this showing, especially so since he had recently visited a college about twice as large as Delaware, at which only 60 men were present for inspection.

Mr. E. N. Vallandigham is endeavoring to locate all Delaware College Alumni in the New England States. Arrangements are being made to hold a meeting in the near future.

Refused Letters

Seven freshmen of the Oregon Agricultural College who had been awarded varsity letters have refused to accept because they do not feel that their action would meet the approval of the student body.

Five Yale men have received the Croix de Guerre at the hands of the French government for valiant service with the American ambulance field service on the European battle front.

The University of Michigan has paid out \$8,000 this year in student loans to the members of the senior class.

Vermont University is strongly pushing the idea of a graduate manager. Every effort is being made to secure an alumnus suitable for the position.

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DELAWARE DEFEATS WESTERN MARYLAND IN TENNIS

Ends Successful Season

In a hotly contested match at Westminster, Md., the Delaware College tennis team defeated the Western Maryland team last Saturday afternoon, by the score of 4-2. This victory brings to a close a brief but most successful season for the Delaware racquet wielders.

In doubles, McMillan and Olcott defeated Pusey and Johnson 2 out of 3 sets. The first set was won in quick order, Delaware's men winning the first six games. The Marylanders came back strong, however, in the second set and won five straight games. The Delaware men made a vigorous rally, bringing the score up to 5-4, but finally lost 6-4. The third set was easily won by the Delawareans, 6-2.

Gutowitz and Humphrey did not seem to be able to solve the strokes of Elderdiee and Kester, and lost both sets, 6-2 and 6-0. The Western Maryland men played consistent tennis and were much steadier than their opponents.

Delaware fared much better in the doubles, winning three out of the four matches. Olcott was the only Delaware man to lose his match. McMillan, by consistent placing, defeated Elderdiee in straight sets, 6-3, 7-5. As can be observed from the score, both men were very evenly matched and put up a good brand of tennis. Humphrey and Gutowitz each defeated their opponents by the respective scores, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3, and 6-3, 4-6, 6-4. Both of these men played steady tennis in the singles matches.

Last year the Western Marylanders tied Delaware on the local courts, 3-3. This year's victory more than overbalances the showing made last year. The only other tennis match played this year was the one with St. John's which Delaware won 5-1. It was very much regretted that another match could not be obtained with Swarthmore, rain having interfered with the two matches scheduled. The Haverford match was not played owing to cancellation by Haverford.

While the season was brief, it was highly successful as Delaware won both matches. All of the men who played this year, will be back at college next year and should profit by this year's experience.

The Western Maryland score is as follows:

Singles.

McMillan, Delaware, defeated Elderdiee, W. Md., 6-3, 7-5.

Kester, W. Md., defeated Olcott, Delaware, 6-4, 6-1.

Humphrey, Delaware, defeated Johnson, W. Md., 6-1, 4-6, 6-3.

Gutowitz, Delaware, defeated Blades, W. Md., 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.

Doubles.

McMillan and Olcott, Delaware, defeated Pusey and Johnson, W. Md., 6-0, 4-6, 6-2.

Elderdiee and Kester, W. Md., defeated Humphrey and Gutowitz, Delaware, 6-2, 6-0.

90 Percent Pass In Physical Examination

One hundred and fifteen Columbia men have gone to take examinations for the Reserve Officers' Training Camps. Of the entire group more than 90 per cent have met the requirements, which compares favorably with the 60 per cent which represents the average of all other candidates.—Ex.

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Grinnell College has decided to cease conferring the degree of Bachelor of Science upon her graduates. Hereafter only the A. B. degree will be given in the collegiate department.

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All of the 800 male students at Lawrence College with the exception of 10, are eligible for military service in the case of war.—Ex.

Forty members of the Texas legislature are graduates of the University of Texas.

The annual report of the treasurer of the athletic association of Yale for the year 1915-16, shows a deficit of \$6,545.93.

Due to dissatisfaction over the enforcement of the honor system at Lehigh University, over 300 students have signed a second pledge not to cheat and to report every man who does cheat.

Thirty Cornell undergraduates, members of the newly organized unit of the American Ambulance Corp. have sailed for active duty in field service on the French front. This is the first unit of its kind to leave since the declaration of war against Germany. It is expected that it will be followed within the next two months by similar organizations from a score of other colleges. Such units are now drilling at most of the larger universities.

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