

The Phillipian.

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Phillipian Banquet.

Last evening a very enjoyable banquet was tendered by the new Editors of the PHILLIPIAN to the Board at the Mansoin House. Mr. Stearnes acted as toastmaster. Representatives of the other School publication were present, and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Philo.

Philo's programme for Friday evening will be as follows:

Critique, Chapman.

Extemporaneous address, Peters.

Select Reading, Abbey.

Speeches, Bliss and Mann.

The question is: Resolved, "That immigration should be further restricted by law."

Schweppe and Moorhead will support the affirmative. The negative, Fox assisted by Nute.

Forum.

The programme of Forum for Friday evening will be as follows:

Declamation, Barsamian.

Select Reading, Irvine.

Extemporaneous Address, Digney.

Speeches, Levering and Meyer.

Critique, P. W. Thompson.

Debate, Resolved, "That the United States should increase her Standing Army."

Kimball and Hurley will support the affirmative. Holley and Butkiewicz the negative.

Inquiry.

The regular meeting of Inquiry will be held in Society Hall this evening at 6:45. The subject will be, "Standing for Principle" Dan. 1: 8-17. A Quartet from the Glee Club will sing.

Press Club.

Last evening after the PHILLIPIAN banquet a Press Club was formed, composed of the members of the school publications.

The following temporary officers were elected: Pres., W. E. Day '98; vice-pres., C. H. Schweppe '98; sec., S. Hay '98; treas., R. W. Moorhead '99.

Obituary.

Caleb Emery, a member of the Academy in 1838, died Dec. 1, at his home in Brookline. He was born in Dover, N. H., and graduated from Dartmouth College in 1842. He was the first principal of the Charlestown High School and then became a master in the Boston Latin School, remaining fourteen years, Phillips Brooks coming under his instruction. In 1864, Mr. Emery returned to the Charlestown High School and was its principal for more than twenty years.

College Base-ball Prospects.

The base-ball outlook this year promises a closely contested series between Yale, Harvard, and Princeton. Each of these colleges loses about the same number of last year's team.

Princeton's greatest loss will be that of Jayne, to whose pitching belongs much of the credit of the success Princeton had last season. Beside Jayne, Princeton will lose Bradley, centre-field; Smith, second base; Altman, right-field and pitcher; and Captain Wilson, pitcher and third base. Princeton has Kelley, first base; Captain Butler, short-stop; Kafer, catcher; Hillebrand, third base; Barret, third base; and Easton and Suter, outfielders.

Harvard will lose Paine and Scanell, one of the best college batteries in the country. It will be difficult to fill their places, although there is some good material in the lower classes. Ex-Captain Dean, second base; Stevenson, third base; and Beale, centre-field, have also graduated. The men remaining are Haughton, first base; Chandler, short-stop; Burgess, right-field; and Captain Rand, left field.

Yale has lost by graduation Ex-Captain Keater, centre-field; Letton, first base; Fincke, third base. Murphy and DeForest have also graduated. Next season the team will have Captain Greenway, Hecker, Hamlin and Sullivan, catchers; Hazen and DeSaulles, second base; Camp, short-stop; Wallace, Farnam and Sullivan, outfield.

Notice.

All posters for the *Mirror* are due to-day at 12 o'clock.

Souvenir Calendar.

Yesterday afternoon the souvenir calendar issued by L. D. Waddell '98, appeared. The cuts are clear, and the calendar is very tastily gotten up. The front page contains a drawing of the "old Railroad" which is very good. The other pages have photographs of the chairmen of the school papers, captains of the athletic teams. Dr. Bancroft, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Dr. Oliver Wendall Holmes P. A. '25, Mr. Hardy P. A. '57, and the founders of the school. In the upper right hand corner of each page are pictures of the School buildings and other interesting things. In the left hand corner of each page are accounts of interest.

The calendar is suitable for a Christmas present and something that anyone would be glad to have. The price is one dollar. After Friday the calendar will be on sale at Andover Bookstore and at Chase's newstand.

President Eliot on Foot-ball.

The following statement about foot-ball has been made by President Eliot of Harvard. It is taken from the *New York Evening Post*:

"The grounds on which the arguments are based for the legal prohibition of intercollegiate foot-ball do not seem sufficient in my mind to warrant favor. I understand that a bill has been passed in the Georgia Legislature making the playing of foot-ball a crime, simply on the ground that serious and sometimes fatal accidents are liable to occur in hard-fought contests. But if we stop to consider other sports, we find that there are every year serious accidents in base-ball, boxing, fencing and other gymnastic games. Rowing and sailing are enjoyable pastimes, yet one reads of many drowning every year. This does not seem to lessen the interest in rowing or sailing. Everybody cannot play foot-ball. It is only the strong and well-built men who can expect to play the game with any degree of success. So I think the playing of foot-ball should not be prohibited without just cause."

Skating Notice.

All who wish to skate on Rabbitt's pond this winter must procure their tickets of Manager Hitchcock within a week.

Exeter Letter.

EXETER, N. H. }
DEC. 2, 1897. }

Editors of Phillipian:

The Faculty granted a recess to the school at Thanksgiving extending from nine o'clock Wednesday morning until three o'clock Friday afternoon. On account of this recess there was no issue of the *Exonian* on Saturday. Many students spent Thanksgiving out of town. Those who remained in town had a very enjoyable time. After the Thanksgiving dinner in Abbott Hall a toastmaster was appointed and toasts on various subjects called for. Also on Thursday a "Scrub" team from the Academy played a team from the Velocipede Club. Fifteen minute halves were played and neither side scored.

The ninety-eight Pean Board has organized and begun work. The Editors are Managing Editor, A. J. Zimmer; Business Manager, W. W. Wood Jr.; Associate Editors, P. Bartlett and G. T. W. Leavitt.

The men who played in the Andover game met last week and elected David Alonso Baldwin '99, captain of the foot-ball team for next year. Although this is only Baldwin's second year at foot-ball he has shown by his work this year that he is well able to fill the captaincy. His position is quarter-back.

The first hare and hound race of the year was held last Wednesday afternoon. Leavitt '98, and Sawyer '98, were hares. They had a start of eight minutes before the hounds. Jones '00, was the first hound in. He was closely followed by Haggerty '99, and Simon '00. Another run is to be held on Saturday afternoon. As the hares won on Wednesday they are to be hares again on Wednesday.

The November number of the "*Sir*" came out a short time ago. This number was much better than that of October. The best article in the paper was "A Glimpse Of Carlisle" by J. P. Jones '98. Besides this there were several stories and poems.

Second team sweaters are to be given to the following men: Thomas, Mallett, Taylor, Hardy, Gibson, Perkins, Cornwall, Bradford, Stevenson, G. N. Hersey, Sawyer, Scales, Yost, Haggerty, and Russell.

Elmer Chidkering has been chosen class photographer by the Senior Class.

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PHILLIPIAN Board meetings are held Wednesday and Saturday noons.

ENTERED AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER AT ANDOVER POST-OFFICE.

NOTICE.

To insure change of advertisement, copy must be received for Wednesday not later than Tuesday noon; for Saturday, not later than Friday noon.

The Andover Press.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1897.

With all there is for a student at Andover to do, with the attention his studies require, with the social, athletic and other features which demand his time, and for the fellow who is making his own way through school, with his outside duties pressing upon him, it so comes about that his religious life and development are too much neglected. To remedy this defect is the purpose of Inquiry and, in a measure, it is successful. Too much stress cannot be laid upon regular attendance at these meetings and for this reason we urge all to attend the semi-weekly meetings. It is no loss of time to unite with the society in its endeavor to increase the spiritual welfare of the school. Contrarily, it is a most advantageous use of time, and besides it is a duty every one owes himself. Finally, we can recommend this society as the most beneficial in school and again urge all to attend its meetings.

It seems very strange that after all that has been said about forming a hockey team this year and in fact for several years past, and with the general approval of the school, that some definite step has not been taken toward

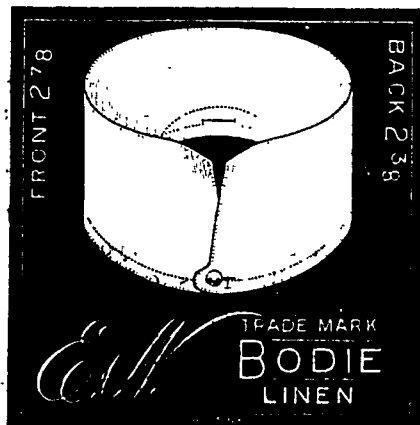
organizing such a club by the President of the Skating Association or at least of finding out whether the skaters in the school wish to support one. If this matter is not taken hold of immediately it is sure to drag along in the same way in which it has up to this time. The power to act lies purely with the Skating Association and it is their duty to take the initiative step. The PHILLIPIAN would suggest that a meeting of all those who are interested in the game be called and that temporary officers be elected at this meeting. These officers can, with the help of the Manager of the Association, decide upon the time and place of the daily practice of the candidates for the team; in this way the team can be chosen and it is very certain that Andover will make a good showing in this,—the best of winter games.

In the last issue of the PHILLIPIAN a short article appeared referring to the big base-ball games which are to be played next spring. This does not refer to the Andover schedule but to that of Princeton instead. The PHILLIPIAN board is always glad to correct any mistakes which are likely to lead to erroneous conclusions.

The Japanese Wedding.

The entertainment given last evening by the young ladies of Abbot Academy for Christ Church was very enjoyable. Both the Banjo and Mandolin Clubs were present and rendered several selections. The Japanese wedding, rendered by twelve seniors of Abbot Academy, was very well given and the costumes were especially unique.

After the entertainment, refreshments were served and a social time was enjoyed for the remainder of the evening.



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CALENDAR.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8.

Meeting of Inquiry at 7 o'clock in Society Hall.

FRIDAY, DEC. 10.

Philo at 7 o'clock in Society Hall.
Forum at 7 o'clock in Room 9.

Cornell is to meet Penn. Univ. in a fencing match.

E. D. Dewitt, P. A. '96, Princeton '00 is ill at the Infirmary.

Cornell has engaged G. A. Connors, of the Chicago Athletic Club, as general athletic trainer.

The baseball management of Columbia has engaged George Davis of the New York baseball team as coach.

Henry P. Kendall '99 has been elected captain of the Amherst foot-ball team for next season. He plays left halfback.

The Yale crew has been invited to row a two-mile race next summer with the University of Wisconsin.

A. E. Branch, P. A. '94, Williams '99, has been elected captain of the foot-ball team for next year.

The Univ. of Pennsylvania have applied for admission to the intercollegiate tournament but the entry was refused on the ground that the contest would be too long if it were a five cornered race.

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The Phillips Street team was tendered a dinner last Saturday evening. Allen Hinton was caterer.

P. M. McLaughlin has been elected the captain of Cornell's foot-ball team for next year.

The engagement of Miss Anna Hill of Boston to B. C. Cocker, P. S. '93, of Adrian, Mich., has been announced.

A. P. Wright, ex-P. A. '98, won the Freshman strength test at Yale with a total of 6,670 points.

Spitzer, P. A. '95, won the silver cup offered to the winner of the paper chase series at Yale with a total of 21 points. Richardson was second with 19 points.

Frederick W. Murphy was last Saturday elected captain of the Brown eleven. Murphy has played a strong game at left end for three years and was the unanimous choice of the team.

The following men received 2nd sweaters: Hall, Hatch, Holt, Hellman, Brinard, Boynton, Ward, Woodbine, Sidley, Shivel, Jennings, Cullinane, Ferry and Stiles.

Dartmouth College's athletic managers are trying to arrange a new football league to comprise Dartmouth, Brown, and Cornell, to take the place of the present Dartmouth-Amherst-Williams league.

As a result of the Yale Chess Tournament, Murdock '98 and Cook, P. A. '96, 1900 will represent Yale in the Intercollegiate Chess Tournament to be held at the Columbia Grammar School, New York City, from Dec. 22 to Jan. 4. J. C. Pickett 1900 and H. Logan 1900 will be substitutes.

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