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The Nebraskan publishes in another column an interesting letter exactly as it was written. No comment will be necessary, as it furnishes its own explanation.

According to the S. U. I. Quill, a good student is known by three things; he can begin to study when he does not like it; he can study when he would rather quit; he can quit when he ought to.

The Register Annual, published by the students of the Omaha high school, comes to us in an enlarged form. It is full of high school enthusiasm, witty remarks and school facts. As a whole it speaks well for the editors.

Foot ball in the University of Pennsylvania this year cleared about \$32,000 for the athletics of that institution. This puts the association out of debt and starts in on a fair way to prosperity. Each member of the team was presented with a gold watch chain in the shape of a foot ball as souvenirs. The subs received silver ones of the same style.

The publishers of the Wiam Jewell Student deserve a great deal of credit for their Christmas edition. It is bound very neatly in a red cover printed in black. The front piece is in perfect harmony with the time of year. The editorial part of the magazine is of the first class, dealing with literary articles, book criticism, and college notes especially.

The registration statistics of the colleges of this country show that there has been a very great falling off in the members who are taking work in the technical schools, while there has been a corresponding increase in the academic departments. This is a somewhat significant fact, showing that there are fewer college men now entering the professions of law, medicine and the like, while more are entering the various avenues of business.

In the Xmas edition of College Topics, published at the university of Virginia, the editor takes occasion to tell his readers that the last senior class of the University of Nebraska had a "sneak" day, at which time the seniors went to chapel with tin horns, dolls, etc., and that on that day the tint was "When I was a child, I spake as a child, but when I became a man, I put away childish things." It was strange that the editor should have noticed this so soon. For his benefit, it might be said that this "sneak" day was during the month of May last past.

The following short clipping from the Palo Alto Daily of Leland Stanford University shows how vastly different is the support given foot ball in California from that accorded the

game here. This appeared in the Palo Alto Daily of some little time ago, but space now:

A settlement of the game receipts at the Thanksgiving game was made yesterday between Treasurer Fickert and Manager Everett Brown, of Berkeley. The total amount taken in was \$15,698, after the joint expenses were deducted, the share of each university was found to be \$7,060. Last year \$6,225 was secured by each university.

The Nebraskan again has a comment. It is because the University has no glee, mandolin or banjo club. It would seem to the casual observer that there was absolutely no reason why there should not be a flourishing glee and mandolin club here. It is fruitless to assert that there are not musicians enough at hand. It cannot be that from 2,000 students sixteen could not be found with sufficient ability as singers to deserve a place on a glee club. There is a reason, however, why we lack such clubs. It is simply because there is no one to lead, no one to make the club and make it succeed. It might be well to post a sign "Wanted a Man," with the necessary qualities of leadership, to provide the enthusiasm and direction which will insure a worthy club to represent Nebraska's State University. It is a chance for some one to make for himself a name which will always be remembered in the University's traditions.

ANOLOGY.

Ex-Governor Proctor Knott and a Danville lawyer were discussing the rival claims of Sampson and Schley to the credit of smashing Cervera at Santiago. The lawyer took the ground that the honor was Sampson's alone, and showed a tendency to ignore Schley. The governor listened. "Your position on this controversy settles a point of conscience that has worried me many a long day," he said. "One day, many years ago, I was walking through the woods with a boy friend when we saw a rabbit run into a sink-hole. We stood around a while, and I left to get some fire to smoke him out, telling the boy to watch while I was away. When I came back the boy had the rabbit. I promptly took it away from him, claiming that it belonged to me because I had told him to catch it if it came out. That was fifty years back," continued the governor, "and you are the first man who has ever agreed with me that the rabbit was mine."

Patriotism is rampant. A ten-year-old German-American boy told his father: "You're only a Hessian," and an Englishman's son told his dad, "We licked you once and can do it again." Easy writing is sometimes easy reading. I write with a fountain pen, a "Waterman" Ideal, the best I know. No bother to hunt up ink, find a sharp pencil or decipher your "copy." It's always ready, flows easily; no need to shade your letters. Handy to write a note or address, on the train, in the streets, anywhere. People complain that other pens are frauds; mine isn't. You can fool everybody once except those who use a "Waterman" Ideal. All the Baptists and Prohibitionists use them. —Charles F. Wingate in the New York Sun.

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