

EXCHANGE.

Cambridge will row Cornell a race at the World's Fair.

Hon. Hilary Herbert, secretary of the navy, is an alumnus of the University of Virginia...

Twenty-seven students were recently expelled from De Pauw University for playing billiards.

Oxford university has imitated Yale's example, by declining to row with Cornell at the World's Fair.—Ex.

At Oberlin, each recitation is opened by prayer.—*Pharos*.

The millenium comes on none the faster, though.

In a German university, a student's matriculation card shields him from arrest, admits him at half price to theatres, and takes him free to art galleries.—*Carletonia*.

The cadets of Washington University of St. Louis are thinking of attending the World's Fair in a body. It is to be hoped that they will not have to depend upon a populist legislature to furnish the funds.

The Co-operative Society, formed at Harvard in '82 for the purpose of saving money on books and other students' supplies, last year did a business of about \$95,000.—Ex.

This explains the printing upon our blue-books.

A professor and students of Drake University Medical School were caught at grave robbing Thursday morning. The affair has created considerable excitement, and it is probable that the offenders will be punished to the full extent of the law.—*S. U. I. Quill*.

It is noticeable that one-third of the university students of Europe die prematurely from the effects of bad habits acquired in college; one-third die prematurely from the effects of close confinement at their studies, and the other third govern Europe.—*N. Y. Mail and Express*.

The World's Fair authorities offer to admit chemistry students of Illinois State University to the fair free of charge for a month, on condition that the students work a few hours in the mining department in connection with practical chemists in applied chemistry.—*Silver and Gold*.

The *U. of M. Daily*, the *Cornell Sun*, and many other leading college papers throughout

the country select their editorial boards by a competitive system. The best editorial, literary and news editors are chosen according as they show excellence in these departments.—*Student Life*.

Our Frank Woods, who recently won the Colorado state oratorical contest, seems to have been somewhat of a "dark horse." The *Colorado Collegian* speaks of the state contest in terms similar to the "—philosophic" lament of the *Nebraskan's* late editor over our contest. In short, Colorado College had a favorite, and he was not F. W. Woods.

The *Northwestern*, of Evanston, Illinois, complains bitterly of the outrageous attempt to annul the "four-mile law" which prevents the opening of a saloon within four miles of the University. This effort of the Northwestern men to keep their little college town respectable is as commendable as it is rare.—*Notre Dame Scholastic*.

All sorts of college organizations at Leland Stanford university seem to be infected with spring fever; at least the *Daily Palo Alto* says that enthusiasm is very low. Perhaps this may be accounted for on the ground that Senator Stanford's university has got the earth and is in the act of having the fence for it presented to her.

Two Spanish gentlemen have discovered that greenbacks are infected with bacill of tuberculosis and diphtheria. This discovery has no fears for us. We always use either gold or coppers.—*Wesleyan Echo*.

Really, for the first time, here is an editor, and a college editor at that, who has no need of greenbacks.

When you write a merry jest

Cut it short;

It will be too long at best

Cut it short;

Life is brief and full of care;

Editors don't like to swear;

Treat your poem like your hair

Cut it short.—Ex.

An exchange say that the freshman class of Lafayette College are in trouble, because of outrageous rowdyism following a class supper. Well, we shall not cry if they suffer severely. It is quite time that young men in college should be taught the difference between fun and foolishness. The world can get on without the "college prank" of a former age.—*Illinois School Journal*.