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A New Departure.

THE ATHLETIC FIELD.

It is now officially announced that we are to have an enclosed field for athletics in the near future. Old students as well as those that are to be here for the benefit of such a field will rejoice at this news. We have a splendid field as far as ground and location is concerned, and with the same enclosed we can boast of the best field in the West. This news is particularly welcome to the managers of the teams who have the arduous and by no means pleasant task of trying to make both ends meet financially. A great many of our patrons have always been of the Free Trade party, and, although they gave nothing in return, were never ashamed to sit and watch game after game without even a thought of giving the association any assistance. With the enclosed field we shall have all that is necessary to put our athletics on a firm basis. It will be welcome also to the captains of football teams who wish to give their men secret practice. Just keep your horoscope turned this way for a season or two, and you will see championship banners floating from all corners of the campus.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, June 13.

Weather Forecast for Northern Indiana.—Showers and thunderstorms tonight and Wednesday

“History of Notre Dame.”—Howard.

An Intensely Interesting Letter from Professor Blahah.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:

I know you have long since mourned me as dead, but, bless me, I am very much alive and well, and representing the interests of the SCHOLASTIC as I always have,—earnestly, though unfortunately, not at all times satisfactorily.

Since my rapid journey from Alaska to Cuba, and my narrow escape from the latter place, at which time you gladly lost track of me, I have seen many strange lands and many strange peoples. But wherever I went I was always given a most welcome reception, and I had but to mention the name “Notre Dame,” and the town was mine.

At a reception I attended in Ghent, Belgium, last fall given by King Leopold in honor of Clarence V. Schermérhorn, a young lady, becoming interested in me, asked me what part of America I was from,—the United States or Chicago.

“Neither, good madam,” said I; “I am from Notre Dame.”

“Notre Dame!!” cried she, hitting me enthusiastically on the radius with her fan (my arm then being supine), “then you know Arthur Van Hee!”

“Know Art Van Hee?” I said, “well I should say I do.”

In an instant she had run to the other side of the room, and then came back with a crowd of girls—sweet, lovely girls, with oh! such deep blue inquiring eyes and soft golden hair.

“Look here, girls,” said my fair friend, when she had regained my side, “Professor Blahah knows Arthur Van Hee.”

“Tell us all about Artie,” said they all.

And thus I sat telling of the wonderful things that Art had done, and had not done, at Notre Dame: how he had learned to ride the bicycle, pole vault, smoke cigarettes, etc.

“And does he part his hair in the middle?” they inquired.

“Aye, verily,” quoth I.

“Oh! shoot,” put in a sweet feminine voice, “I always doted on his beautiful pompadour.”

Over in Paris they all wanted to know how Louie Weadock was, and if he still wore golf trousers.

Wireless telegraphy, Corcoran and other discoveries are much discussed in Europe just now, and a number of scientific men wanted to know if it were not Nash and Baab, assisted by the Professor, that had made some very successful experiments with the Marconi system at Notre Dame. But I fear I am making this letter too long. I simply wanted to inform the Iowa students that the war with Spain is ended, and that I heard on the streets to-day that Yockey will be graduated.

Recall me to all my friends, and believe me,

Yours truly,

BLAHAH.

Sumatra, March 17, 1899.

Art Department Open Tomorrow

Visitors to our Commencement will not have seen Notre Dame unless they inspect the work done by the members of the art class. The doors of the studio will be thrown open tomorrow afternoon, and all are invited to visit the department and look over the drawings and sketch work that have been done during the past year.

Neville with the Big Four.

Well, what do you think of this: Notre Dame graduates get positions before they receive their diplomas. Seems as though they are waiting for us outside and can scarcely wait until we have passed final examinations. Mr. Maurice Neville, C. E., '99, is already at Indianapolis working with the civil engineer's corps of the Big Four Railroad. He is in the office of an old Notre Dame student, Mr. C. A. Paquette, C. E., '94.

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pass his final examination and go away with a diploma, nevertheless he has been through all the stages of college life from the preparatory school up, and he knows that you have ample reason to be proud of having finished your work satisfactorily. It is no small honor to carry away a diploma from Notre Dame. With it go our best wishes; and may the same success that crowned your efforts here attend you in after-days and follow your footsteps to the end.

the warm approval of the grandstand. You will find that we never left a diamond dissatisfied or grumbling. Let pennants go to the lucky ones; the true championship is honor, and that goes to the nine that can lose as gallantly as it can win; the nine that plays for the game not for the applause; the nine that is even and fair in its fight and that remembers that gentlemanly sportsmanship counts farther in the end than points recorded in score books.

By favor of our Rev. President, the SCHOLASTIC is permitted to extend, in the name of the Board of Editors, an invitation to all fellow-journalists on college publications, to attend our Commencement exercises. We therefore respectfully invite any of our fraternity that may desire to come to hasten and join us, and we shall try our best to make things go pleasantly for them.

The DAILY begs of our guests that if they can give any information concerning old students they will not hesitate to hand it to some member of the editorial staff. We desire to make our paper as bright as possible, and we know of no better means of making its columns interesting than to tell of what the old boys are doing. There will be many here that were students at one time, and your bit of information may concern some bosom friend or classmate of whose progress and whereabouts they will be glad to learn.

No, no, gentlemen of the cap and gown, it is no wonder at all to us that you should walk about the campus with a somewhat dignified air that is irrepressible. The SCHOLASTIC has been here many years, and although it is very likely that he will never

Our Telegraph Service.

Our Rev. President, through courtesy of Mr. Corbett of the Western Union Telegraph Company, has secured the services of Mr. Charles Sweeney from the central office at Toledo, O. Mr. Sweeney is already in charge of our wire, and we are in telegraphic communication with the rest of the world day and night. Any person desiring to send messages will please call at the office in the Main Building and they can be accommodated at any time.

Concerning the Varsity Nine.

As we are issuing with this edition of the SCHOLASTIC a picture of the Varsity baseball nine we wish to give you a few facts in regard to our ball-tossers that will show you into the character of the men themselves. They are not only players but gentlemen and sportsmen of true blood. We gather this from these facts. Our men won many games and came within one step of reaching the championship. Yet when we won, there were no boisterous jollifications; when we lost, we met defeat gracefully and attached no blame to anyone. In all our games, whatever the outcome, we won the respect of our opponents and

Tomorrow's Boat Race.

At ten o'clock tomorrow morning the residents and visitors at Notre Dame will see a boat race more even and perhaps more exciting than any held during past years. Captain Mullen and Captain Lins both feel confident that their crews will be victorious, though by the smallest margin. The men have been training hard and will give a fine exhibition. Great enthusiasm has been aroused by the fact that in rowing against time last Sunday evening both crews covered the course in exactly 4:12. This indicates that the final stroke in each boat will be taken about the same time, and there will be no such thing as finishing by a length ahead.

Card of Thanks.

In the closing days of its career for the year of 1898-'99 the SCHOLASTIC looks back over a season of much success. Yet this is not at all due to any strenuous efforts on the part of the Board of Editors, but to the kindness of some of our generous friends. B. Raphael and the members of his stereotyping force having kindly helped us out of many difficulties, so we desire to give them our sincere thanks. We never called on them for assistance that was not cordially given.

On the Side.

Within the Gates

—Now is the time to take subscriptions for next year's SCHOLASTIC.

—All students from the East will have a special train over the Grand Trunk next Thursday.

—Visit St. Edward's Hall before you go home and see the historic window that tells the story of Notre Dame.

—Visitors are crowding in rapidly now, and our usually quiet grounds are beginning to have a cosmopolitan air about them.

—Musings of one that failed in examinations:

"Tis better to have tried and flunked Than never to have tried at all."

—The Rev. President examined the classes in St. Edward's Hall yesterday, and expressed himself satisfied with all he saw and heard. His visits, like his words, are always an incentive to the little fellows.

—We regret that the face of Mr. Peter E. Follen is missing from the picture of the Varsity nine. Mr. Follen was right-fielder for us in the early part of the season, but, owing to severe illness, was forced to quit the team and go home, May 6. It was while he was home this picture was made.

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A student asked the president of a college if he could not take a shorter course than that prescribed by the institution.

"Oh, yes," was the reply, "but that depends upon what you want to make of yourself. When God wants to make an oak He takes one hundred years, but when He wants to make a squash He takes six months."—N. Y. T.

—Be sure that your friends do not go home without visiting the grotto.

—Commencement exercises at St. Mary's Academy begin tomorrow afternoon.

—The four captains of the military companies received their commission yesterday.

—The Varsity baseball men are kindly requested to meet to-night and elect a captain for the coming year.

—Everyone should be true to his colors these days and have the Gold and Blue fluttering from his breast.

—On account of expected bad weather this evening the proposed illumination of the lake can not be had.

—Tomorrow's special train will bring from Chicago a crowd of alumni as loyal as any college in the country could desire.

—Anyone having suits, gloves, or anything belonging to the Athletic Association will please return them before going home.

—The campus is in its usual Commencement costume save for the absence of many flowers that were killed by the cold weather in early spring.

—Mr. Paul J. Ragan is re-elected to manage the baseball team for next year, and Mr. Thomas F. Dwyer will do the same honors for the track team.

—In our library this year are trophies secured from fields of the Spanish-American war kindly presented by friends of the University. Don't fail to see them.

—The best souvenir of your visit to Notre Dame would be Hon. Judge Howard's neat little volume entitled "History of Notre Dame. Call at the students' office and secure one.

—On the feast of Saints Peter and Paul, Rev. P. P. Cooney, our veteran war chaplain will celebrate the fortieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. The chalice to be used on that occasion will be unique in this that the medallions will represent scenes from the battle-field and from the army hospitals.

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—Mr. Dooley of Chicago was
a recent visitor at the University.

—Mrs. Rush, Indianapolis, is the
guest of her son of Carroll Hall.

—Mr. Asa H. Craig of Muk-
wonago, Wis., is visiting at the
University.

—Mrs. Moran of Pittsburgh was
the recent guest of her son of
Brownson Hall.

—Miss Louise Nissler of Butte,
Montana, is visiting her brother
of Carroll Hall.

—The Misses Greeley of Chi-
cago were here Sunday with their
uncle, Major Healy.

—Mr. J. P. Martin, who repre-
sents the Catholic *Columbian*, was
at Notre Dame last week.

—Mr. O'Neill of Anderson, Ind.,
is visiting his brother, Mr. Phil
O'Neill, the Varsity catcher.

—Miss Seery of Cincinnati, O.,
accompanied by her niece, Miss
McGuire, are guests at Notre
Dame.

—Mr. and Mrs. William P. Breen
of Fort Wayne, Ind., will arrive
this evening to attend the Com-
mencement.

—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kraus
and Miss Kraus of Pittsburgh are
the guests of Mr. Kraus of the
Law School.

—Mr. H. E. Corbett and A.
Geraghty of Elkhart, Ind., were
the guests over Sunday of Mr.
Dalton of Brownson Hall.

—Rev. M. A. Dorney Assistant
Rector of All Saints' Church,
Chicago, arrived this morning to
be present at Commencement.

—Mr. James O'Donnell, LL. B.,
'89, of Chicago, is to be married
soon to Miss Agnes Lynch, a grad-
uate of St. Mary's Academy.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Krug of
Dayton, Ohio, are here for the
Commencement. They are the
guests of their son, Mr. Krug of
Carroll Hall.

—Mrs. J. M. McCormack and
Miss McCormack of Memphis
arrived this afternoon to be pres-
ent at Commencement. They are
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mack of the Law Department.

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