

PRIZE COMPETITIONS.

Subjects Announced for TenEyck, DeForest and Others.

The following are announced as the subjects for the Ten Eyck Prize Competition for 1898: The War in Greece, Kipling's India, The Annexation of Hawaii, Popular American Feeling Against England, 1849, The Abolitionist Orators, The Trans-Siberian Railway, Cooper's Sea Stories, Recent Arctic Exploration, The Jesuit Missionaries in Canada, The *Morte Darthur* of Sir Thomas Malory, Victor Hugo. Essays are due March 10.

TOWNSEND-DEFOREST SUBJECTS.

The subjects for the Townsend-DeForest Prize competition for 1898 have also just been announced. The essays are due April 30. The subjects follow: Tennyson, France and Russia, The Jacobites, John Marshall, The *Oedipus Rex* of Sophocles, The Decline of Spain, Chateaubriand, The Italians in the United States, The Romances of Defoe, Franklin as a Typical American, The English Ballads, The Growth of the Argentine Republic, Archbishop Laud, The Italian Plays of Shakespeare.

BETTS PRIZE.

The special essay in the competition for the C. Wyllys Betts Prize for 1898 is to be "A Study in the Prose Style of Matthew Arnold" based on the following works: "Culture and Anarchy," "On Translating Homer," "The Literary Influence of Academies," "Wordsworth," "Byron."

Essays in competition must be presented on Saturday, May 28, 1898, before noon.

THE MCLAUGHLIN PRIZES.

The McLaughlin prizes for 1898 (a first and second) will be awarded for the best essays from the Freshman class, Academic department, on Tennyson's "In Memoriam." Essays are due May 31.

SCOTT PRIZE IN FRENCH.

In the year 1897-98 the Scott Prize in French will be awarded to that member of the Junior class who shall pass the best examination (to be held during the latter half of the second term) in the following works: Corneille's "Cinna," Racine's "Phèdre," Molière's "Femmes Savantes," Regnard's "Joueur," Voltaire's "Mérope," and Taine's "Essays on Racine."

University Glee Club of New York.

The announcement for the fourth season, 1897-98, of the University Glee Club of New York City has lately appeared.

The Club, which was started for the purpose of getting together those college men who lived in New York and also for a help in the training of their voices, was organized March 8, 1894, and incorporated July 2, 1894. The officers for this year, among whom only a few changes have been made from those of last year, are as follows: President, J. Edward Weld, Harvard; Vice-President, George E. Wood, Columbia; Secretary, Noah H. Swayne, 2d, Yale; Treasurer, Burt L. Fenner, Rochester University. S. C. Mead is Librarian of the Club and Arthur D. Woodruff is the Conductor. The Musical Committee for this year consists of Edward W. Bill, Princeton; Frank C. Hoyt, Wesleyan; Russell H. Hoadley, Jr., Columbia, and J. Edward Weld, Harvard, Chairman.

The concerts of the fourth season will be given in the Concert Hall of the Madison Square Garden on the evenings of Thursday, January 27th, and Thursday, April 28th, 1898, beginning at half past eight.

The associate membership is limited to two hundred. These members pay annual dues of fifteen dollars, and receive five tickets for each concert, and are privileged to attend the rehearsals of the Club, which will be held at Hardman Hall, Nineteenth street, near Fifth avenue, on Thursday evenings.

The Club has fifty-three active members, among whom are eleven Yale graduates. Harvard has three repre-

sentatives among the active members, Princeton nine, Columbia thirteen, and Cornell one. The Yale men are: N. H. Swayne, 2d, '93; C. A. Schreiber, '92; S. C. Mead, '90; J. Beadle, '86; W. P. Brandegee, '96; W. W. Crehore, '86; G. Cromwell, '83; C. W. Cutter, '85; T. M. Debevoise, '95; F. F. Georger, '87 S.; N. M. Goodlett, '86.

Yale Review Contents for November.

Comment: Henry George; Ethics of Arctic Exploration; The Strike of the English Engineers. Books: Articles: "The Function of the Undertaker," by Professor Sidney Sherwood, of Johns Hopkins University; "Clearing House Loan Certificates," by Mr. C. E. Curtis, of New Haven (S.S.S. 1888); "English Legislation in 1897," by Mr. Edward Porritt; "Some of the Contributions of Militancy to the Industrial Arts," by Dr. W. B. Bailey (Yale 1894). Notes: The Charity Chapter in the Greater New York Charter; Demand and The Ratio; The Anthracite Coal Troubles (by Mr. J. Graham Brooks, of Cambridge): Social Comptabilism; Is the Middle Class being crushed out?; Connecticut State Expenses; A State Tax on Rentals; The Consumer's League. Book Reviews: Lecky's Democracy; Grosvenor's Constantinople; Houston's Nullification in South Carolina; Pargrave's Dictionary of Political Economy; Neefe's Städtebuch; Cournot's Mathematical Principles of the Theory of Wealth.

Yale Medical Journal Contents.

The contents of the November issue of the *Medical Journal*, which appeared last week, in addition to the regular departments are as follows: "A Case of Acromegaly," by O. T. Osborne, M.D.; "The Connecticut Medical Society," (Part II.), by N. E. Wordin, A.M., M. D.; "How Shall We Work?" by Prof. William M. Polk; "Report of Four Cases of Ectopic Gestation, with History, Treatment and Remarks," by E. D. Coonley, M.D.; "A Case of Landry's Paralysis," by S. H. Wadhams, M.D.

Yale Sketches.

Colonel Norris G. Osborn, '80, is contemplating the preparation of a book on "Life at Yale." The suggestion has been made to Colonel Osborn by several publishing houses recently. The book will cover the period from 1866 to 1886, and will define the different phases of Yale life, as the titles of some of the sketches selected would show—"Yale Spirit," "The Fence," and "Moriarty's." No imaginary characters will be dealt with, as in "Harvard Stories."

Southern Club Banquet.

The Southern Club held its annual banquet, at Heublein's, on November 10th. A quartet from the Glee Club, composed of A. J. Baker, 1900, G. S. Cowan, '98, H. C. Cheney, '99, and H. S. Borden, '98, sang during the evening. The order of toasts was as follows: "Our Personnel," G. L. Parker, P.G.; "Harvard Southern Club," T. J. Brent, of Harvard; "Princeton Southern Club," W. F. McCombs, of Princeton; "In Old Virginia," R. S. Hume, '98; "Colonels and Cowboys," E. B. King, '98; "Girls We Left Behind Us," G. S. Cowan, '98; "The Alabama Coon," S. W. Jackson, '98; "Dixie," M. Sheppard, '98 M.S. T. J. Field, '99 L.S. acted as toastmaster.

Corbey Court Elections.

The following men were recently elected into Corbey Court, a society of the Law School: John Warren Edger-ton, of Middletown, Conn.; Robert Barlow Harkness, of Salt Lake City, Utah; Albert Francis Judd, Jr., of Honolulu, H. I.; Francis Martin Lynch, of Oliphant, Pa.; Knox Maddox, of San Francisco, Cal.; Robert Lewis Munger, of Ansonia, Conn.; William

Roger Pitkin, of Boston, Mass.; Edward Lawrence Smith, of Hartford, Conn.; Charles Heitler Studinski, of Pueblo, Col.; Graham Sumner, of New Haven, Conn.

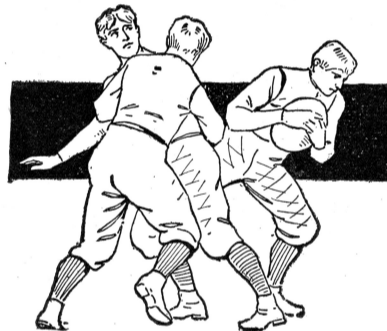
Law Journal Contents.

The contents of the Yale *Law Journal* for November are as follows: "Some Peculiarities of our National Mining Law," by J. B. Clayberg of the Helena, Mont., bar, Lecturer on Mining Law at fluence of the Eighteenth Novel of Justinian," by Robt. C. Fergus, D.C.L., of the Chicago bar; "The Blue Laws of New Haven," by Henry B. Newton of the New Haven bar. More than the usual amount of space has been devoted in this issue to cases and comments.

Contents of Yale Scientific Monthly.

The November number of the Yale *Scientific Monthly* contains the following articles: "The First International Congress of Mathematicians," by Prof. Pierpont; "A New Form of Cellulose," by E. L. Freeland, '98 S.; "Steel Castings," by R. D. Reynolds, '98 S.; "Postal Savings Banks," by W. W. Knight, '99 S.; "The Development of the South African Diamond Fields," by H. S. Canby, '99 S.; "Sir Isaac Newton," by H. L. Davis, '99 S. Also the usual departments: "Editors' Notes," "Scientific Notes," "The Month," "Alumni Notes," and "Digest of Freshman Physics Lectures."

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