

structive articles on "Shakspeare for Culture." In the same issue, the aforesaid *finale* is enriched and made additionally instructive by a special sketch of Shakspeare's *Julius Cæsar*.

The *Ursinus College Bulletin* ranks among the best of our exchanges in neatness and general good appearance. It is a literary paper, containing in its Holiday Number, "Christmas in Southern California," "Dream Fancies, a Poem," "The Transition," and others of genuine merit. The *Ursinus* we are always glad to receive. A special feature of the January issue was a plate containing reduced photographs of the Faculty of Ursinus College.

COLLEGE ORBIT.

The first number of the Princeton College *Bulletin* is out. It is the official journal of the college and is edited by President Patton.

The Dartmouth faculty has decreed that either base-ball or foot-ball must be dropped, on the ground that too much time is given to athletics.

Prof. J. D. Dana, of Yale, will deliver a course of lectures on "Evolution" in the near future.

The new Medico-Chirurgical and Philadelphia Dental Colleges, on Cherry St. near 18th, were dedicated January 26.

Millionaire Jacob Tome, of Maryland, will give \$2,500,000 for the establishment of an industrial school for girls and boys. \$500,000 will be expended in buildings and necessary apparatus, the remaining \$2,000,000 to be invested and thus support the school through the income.

Assistant Inspector Gen. Roger Jones, U. S. A., died at Fort Monroe on January 26.

Prest. Magill, of Swarthmore College has received a letter from James Russell Lowell, in which the latter states that he has abandoned his trip to Philadelphia.

Brown University is to have a series of lectures on subjects connected with municipal governments and history.

The annual boat race between Oxford and Cambridge will take place on March 30.

Only 175 of the 380 universities and colleges in the United States publish papers.

Harvard's crew at present averages 171 $\frac{3}{8}$ pounds.

Twenty men are in training for the Yale nine; the 'Varsity crew have been practicing on the water for the last few weeks.

Harvard is already training men for next year's foot-ball team. They work in the gymnasium one hour a day under the supervision of Lears and Cunnock.

Lears, the Harvard champion tennis player, is training in the gymnasium for the spring tournaments.

At Amherst the number of students has been limited by the trustees to 300.

The new chapel at Pennsylvania college, Gettysburg, is to be known as the Bruce Memorial. It will have a seating capacity of 750 and will be completed by September, 1889.

The Hon. Chauncey M. Depew and White-law Reid made addresses at the annual dinner of the Alumni of the University of the City of New York, January 29.

Class dinners are all the rage at Columbia College.

A fencing club with a large membership was organized at Harvard during the last month.

All the students and professors of Cornell were vaccinated last month to prevent the spread of small-pox.

The Inter-collegiate Base-ball Association, which met in Boston, January 26, formally awarded to Yale the championship, and the National League Rules for 1889 were adopted, with the following exceptions: A batter hit by