

the failure of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to pay dividends on stock owned by that institution. One hundred thousand dollars will be raised by private subscription to meet immediate wants.

At last Oberlin has a college yell.

Hiram College has no fraternities and does not want any. The literary societies are doing excellent work.

Lafayette has forty-two candidates for positions on the ball nine.

Last year Michigan graduated twenty-four young ladies from her law department.

It will be a great consolation for some to know that Beecher passed through Amherst with an average of 58 per cent.

It is impossible to find out who are members of Omega Pi, the new local society at Columbia.

A new feature in training the Harvard ball team is the stopping of ground balls and throwing at a mark.

Attendance at recitations is optional at Harvard, Cornell, Ann Arbor and Johns Hopkins.

The Swarthmore tug-of-war team has begun to train.

The Senior classes of Williams and Muhlenberg colleges have decided to abolish class day exercises in connection with their commencements.

Three of President Harrison's cabinet are college graduates: James G. Blaine, of Washington and Jefferson College; John W. Noble of Yale, and Attorney General Miller, of Hamilton.

Sixteen prominent American colleges are without presidents.

Johns Hopkins publishes seven magazines: one devoted to mathematics, one to chemistry, one to philology, one to biology, one to hi-

storical and political sciences, and three of local interest.

Of the 1400 students in Michigan University, President Angell states that the parents of 502 are farmers, 271 merchants, 93 lawyers, 83 physicians, 52 manufacturers or mechanics, and 61 clergymen, and that 45 per cent. belong to the class who gain their living by manual labor.

By the death of Charles J. Hull, of Chicago, Oberlin College has come into possession of \$55,000 in policies of insurance on his life, which were made payable to the college. Dr. Hull was a wealthy gentleman who had made his money by opportune investments in the South soon after the war. His estate is valued at \$4,000,000.

Wellesley College has received from Amos W. Stetson, of Boston, a fine collection of paintings, sixty-five in number, as a gift. The value of these is \$30,000.

Chauncey Depew will deliver the oration at the commencement of the Yale Law School.

The New Haven professional team has tried to secure Bates, the Harvard pitcher, but has failed in their effort.

Each member of the Champion Yale Eleven may choose between a gold watch charm in the form of a football, and a cameo ring with a raised football of red, as a championship trophy.

The Harvard nine last year had a surplus of \$3650.

The Faculty of Lafayette has decided not to permit the cane-rush.

Twenty editors of the four Harvard papers gave themselves a joint dinner.

The University of Michigan chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon is having a handsome stone chapter house built.