

No wonder the general damages are so large when the "Aussorities" use an arithmetic that says:—"Eight times two are eighteen."

Messrs. Camp, R. G. Furst, Kintner, and Pond, were delegates of the Y. M. C. A. to the Twenty-Third Annual State Y. M. C. A. Convention held at Danville, October 23-26.

Miss Down Towner—"Yes, Mr. Bartley, love is blind."

Bartley, (who is a student in Political Economy)—"Then what is the use of keeping the light burning?"

The first hop of the year will be given by the Senior class on November 28th, the night after Thanksgiving. As the committee having it in charge, is composed of men of energy, we expect to see a successful hop.

At the Cottage Halloween party.

The man that didn't eat anything . . . Mr. Dale.
The men that did . . . Too numerous to mention.
The man that is going to be a bachelor, Prof. D.
The man that is going to be married . . . Absent.
The man that wanted the ring Mr. Butts.

Prof. (relocating a P. C. C.)—"Gentlemen, the word theory is often abused, or misapplied. Now will Mr. Rumberger define the correct use of the word, and tell how it differs from practice?"

"Rummy"—"A theory is an impracticable plan for doing something that is impossible. In many cases of railroad work it differs from practice by forty rods."

Prof. in Physics—"Mr. Read may demonstrate the equation for the velocity of efflux of a liquid flowing from an orifice."

————— "Mr. Read may recite."

"Pud"—"Professor do you mean that I must recite?"

"Prof.—"No; but you have the liberty of reciting on this topic if you will."

"Pud" (to one side)—"Then if that's liberty. Give me death."

On Saturday evening, October 11th, a mite society was held at the residence of Miss Mary Foster. A number of the students availed themselves of this opportunity of spending an evening at a place where they are always welcomed. The evening was pleasantly passed in games and social chat, and when time for departing came, each one felt that he had passed a very pleasant evening indeed.

On the evening of Friday, October 24th, Mr. Little, of Washington, gave a chalk talk in the College chapel for the benefit of the Ladies' Mite Society of the Presbyterian church. The entertainment which consisted of a series of crayon and charcoal sketches made in the presence of the audience was instructive and amusing throughout, and was much enjoyed by the number of students who attended.

The first Rhetorical Exhibition was held in the chapel Wednesday, October 29. The following students spoke: Juniors, Milton McDowell, Ray Kessler, E. W. Bush, Chas. Atherton. Sophomores, Hayes Mattern, Roy Mattern, Miss Emma Camp, J. M. Small. Freshman, James Quigley, A. D. Belt, Boyd Musser, A. D. Knittle, Miss Minnie Bell, Miss Gray, M. T. Swartz.

That these exercises are becoming more interesting is shown by the fact that many people not connected with the college attend them; and the number of such people seems to increase at each succeeding exhibition.

On November 1st, during the supper hour, fire broke out in Brown and Eachu's room, (590). It had burned for some time, destroying the bedding and some furniture before it was discovered. It was promptly extinguished before a crowd large enough to block the work could collect in the halls. As only a ceiling separated the room from the attic, it is fortunate that it was discovered before it could reach there, for there was a strong wind blowing at the time in the right direction to sweep the whole roof.

On Friday evening, October 31st, a reception was given by the young ladies of the Cottage,