

The Ladies' Schubert Quartette will give a concert on March 10th, and J. J. Pinkerton will deliver a lecture on "Alexander Hamilton" some time in April. The last entertainment of the course has not been decided upon. Tickets for the remaining four numbers of the course are \$1.50, and may be procured from J. E. Quigley, FREE LANCE manager.

—At a meeting of the Athletic association on Wed., evening, Jan. 11th. The following men were elected member of the respective committees. Committee on foot ball for year '93, C. W. Burkett, H. P. Dowler, F. K. Mattern, McCaskey, and Kinser. Committee on base ball, C. H. Atherton, W. A. Stewart, C. R. Fay, W. W. Greenland Jr., and F. K. Mattern. Kinser was elected a member of the general athletic committee in place of Suter who did not return to college.

—An athletic benefit exhibition will be given in the opera house, at Bellefonte, on Saturday evening, March 18th, by the P. S. C., athletic association. The program will consist of parallel and bar exercises, tumbling, and pyramid work. To add to the interest of the evening, wrestling bouts will be given between two or three amateurs and ex-champions, Trainer Hoskins and students. The college orchestra, and the Glee and Banjo club will furnish music for the occasion.

—Five hundred fifty square feet have been assigned to the Pennsylvania State College for its exhibit at the World's Fair. While not as much as could have been used, this space will give the college an opportunity to show some of the features which mark its organization and scope. The preparation of material in the several departments is being pushed, and the entire exhibit will be ready for shipment early in April. The official photographer for the college will return soon to complete the interior views, reserving the Engineering building until the latest possible time.

— Among other interesting and significant facts in the President's report to the Board of Trustees of the college for the year 1892 is the following,—

"Within the past ten years the teaching force has been increased from 17 to 30; the number of students from 92 to 249; and the number of counties represented from 22 to 42. The most striking increase has been in the college classes, where it amounts to over 330 per cent. Besides the representation from Pennsylvania, a few students have been present each year from other states of the union, and from foreign countries, ranging in number from 3 to 19."

—The annual mid-winter Athletic Contest will take place in the armory on the evening of Feb. 23d. The prizes for the principal events are small silver cups engraved with the letters P. S. C. A. A., and the date. These prizes are offered to the winners of the following events:— running high jump, standing broad jump, standing high jump, 30 yards dash, 440 yards dash,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile run, 1 mile run,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile walk, putting 12 lb. shot, putting 16 lb. shot, pole vault. Prizes will also be given in the three legged, obstacle, and potato races. An exhibition of wrestling and of exercises on the ring will also be given.

—The following books have lately been added to the library: Hempel's Gasanalytische Methoden, Johnston's Representative American Orations, Adams' Representative British Orations, Walter's Shakespeare's True Life, Lounsbury's History of the English Language, Say & Chailley's Nouveau Dictionnaire d'economie politique. Prof. W. C. Thayer has donated the following works; Landois, Imaginary Conversations, Camoen's I. Lusiadi, Arnold,—Passages from the Prose Writing of Plato's Gorgias, Xenophen's Hellenica, books V. and VIII. At present there are 8000 volumes in the library.

—The second entertainment of the FREE LANCE course will be given Feb. 15th, by Edward P. Elliot, an impersonator of wide repute, who is acknowledged to be one of the foremost artists in his line. His entertainment, which embraces humorous and pathetic impersonations, and short one act comedies, will be one of the novelties, of