

—The famous builders of Wood Working Machinery, J. A. Fay & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio have just issued a magnificent catalogue of 350 pages which is a master-piece of typography. The volume has elegantly embossed covers and is complete in every particular; in fact, the largest and most comprehensive ever issued by a machinery house. The tools of this great company are celebrated the world over for the highest efficiency attainable and are always of the most advanced type. The new catalogue displays them to the best advantage with complete descriptions, and contains besides information of such a character as to render it invaluable to all wood-workers.

—The special car containing the Senate appropriation committee arrived at the college 11 a. m., March 22. After inspecting the new Mechanical building and the shops, they dined with President Atherton. The afternoon was occupied by inspecting the several college departments at work and the Experiment Station. Senators Smith of Lancaster, Critchfield of Somerset, Becker of Philadelphia, and Henninger of Lehigh made addresses to the students in the chapel. The other members of the committee were: Senators Smith of Philadelphia; Keefer, of Schuylkill; Crawford, of Venango; Upperman, of Allegheny; Woods of Mifflin; Meredith, of Armstrong; Bannon, of McKean; Fruit, of Mercer; Markley, of Montgomery; McDonald, of Lackawanna; Green, of Berks; Logan, of Crawford; and Steele, of Allegheny.

—Trainer Hoskins reports the following averages of the measurements of '95 and '96. For the Sophomore class,—

Age.....	19 years.
Weight.....	145 pounds.
Height standing.....	68.5 inches.
" sitting.....	34.5 "
Chest normal.....	34.3 "
" inflated.....	36.3 "
Waist girth.....	28.8 "
Hip ".....	35.5 "
Thigh ".....	20.3 "
Calf ".....	14 "
Biceps ".....	10.5 "
Shoulder breadth.....	16.2 "
Breadth of waist.....	10.1 "
" chest.....	10.5 "

Capacity of lungs.....	2.40 cu. in.
Strength of back.....	471 pounds.
" legs.....	560 "
" right fore-arm.....	57 Kg.
" left ".....	51 "

Tallest man in class C. W. Burkett—71.5 in.
 Heaviest " " " J. G. Marshall—172 pounds.
 Man showing best development C. E. Scott.

For the Freshman class,—

Age.....	18 years.
Weight.....	143 pounds.
Height standing.....	67.5 inches.
" sitting.....	34.6 "
Chest normal.....	34.4 "
" inflated.....	36.1 "
Waist girth.....	30. "
Hip ".....	36.2 "
Thigh ".....	21. "
Calf ".....	13.9 "
Biceps ".....	10.7 "
Shoulder breadth.....	16.1 "
Breadth of chest.....	10.3 "
" waist.....	10. "
Capacity of lungs.....	2.48 cu. in.
Strength of back.....	525 pounds.
" legs.....	615 "
" right fore-arm.....	56 Kg.
" left ".....	47 "

Tallest man in class H. T. Price—71.6 inches.
 Heaviest " " " B. F. Fisher—209.1 pounds.
 Man showing best development B. F. Fisher.

The lower classes show much better development than those higher and each succeeding class brings in a better class of men. Mr. Hoskins is now preparing an average of the ten best developed men in college.

MEETING OF THE I. C. A. A. OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The delegates from the several colleges of the State which are members of the above league, met in parlor C. of the Continental Hotel, at Philadelphia, on March 4. The delegates and colleges were as follows: E. S. Lewis, H. A. Mackey, and F. H. Lee, University of Pennsylvania; E. G. Smith, and Chas. E. Bartlett, Lafayette; Edward G. Frohman, Haverford; B. F. Fisher, and H. P. Dowler, State College; L. J. Krom, Lehigh; Geo. H. Strout, and Clement A. Lodge, Swathmore; and H. C. Turner, and C. Balentine, Dickinson. The meeting was called to order by vice