

reached; and then it was found that the advertising had been entirely neglected, and the only one who knew of the club's coming was the manager of the theatre. Had it not been for this the trip would have been in every way a grand success.

We have the material here, plenty of it in both vocal and instrumental music, and if we have no stars it is also true that it is not necessary to have them to produce good music. Proper training and good judgment on the part of the leader will make up for the absence of phenomenal musicians. The orchestra we have had for several years back will show that.

The plain fact of the case is that the students are in a state of apathy from which it will take hard work to arouse them. Occasionally some one will mention the subject; but some one else will laugh at it, and the matter will pass on and be forgotten. What is wanted is a strong, energetic, enthusiastic man that is not afraid of hard work, who will take the lead and get the movement well started. It will then be an easy matter, for the club will be carried along by its own momentum. It is true that an effort was made last year to form a glee club. An organization was actually effected, and several meetings were held; but the club sank back exhausted by the tremendous effort, and all that was accomplished was the insertion of the names of its members in the *La Vie*.

If we are going to do anything this year, now is the time to do it. Now before the new men have settled down to the old way of thinking, and before it is too late to train for the Christmas vacation. The man who takes the helm and bends his efforts to the work will receive the heartfelt thanks of the whole student body. Where is the man who will undertake the task?

—All students should attend the foot ball game, on Beaver field, on Saturday, November 4th. The Western University of Pennsylvania will be here to play our eleven and a large turn out is desired.

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*IN MEMORIAM.*

JOSIAH JACKSON,

Died October 10th, 1893.

WHEREAS, It has seemed best to Almighty God, in his inscrutable wisdom, to remove from our midst our beloved professor, Josiah Jackson; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, that we, the students of Pennsylvania State College, deeply mourn our irreparable loss and extend our heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved family in their sorrow; that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our departed friend, and printed in "THE LANCE" and in the "*La Vie*".

State College Oct. 11th, 1893.

{ ABRAM D. BELT '94.  
D. C. PATTERSON Jr. '95.  
MAURICE N. TRONE '96.

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*SHALL AMERICA BE FOREIGNIZED,  
OR FOREIGNERS AMERICANIZED?*

When these United States achieved their independence, their population was almost wholly of Anglo-Saxon blood, the best and bluest blood of all nations. But no sooner had this country become "the Land of the Free", than a tide of immigration set in toward it from other and less favored lands, and this tide has steadily been increasing in volume with each succeeding decade, until it has now reached abnormal if not indeed alarming proportions.

While our nation was struggling in its infancy, our vast resources and undeveloped territory, the equality of man, and the charm of our free institutions, all combined to bring to our shores, men who rendered this country services which all true Americans duly prize. But with the advent of the nineteenth century civilization a great change has taken place in the character of our foreign ele-