

until proof is obtained all ultimatums or threats could be only mere braggadocio, which, if carried too far by this false patriotism, might lead to national disgrace and disaster.

In the end it is not a question of doctrine; it is a question of true patriotism.

The college man's position must always be one opposing that false patriotism which, for the sake of braggadocio, willingly violates the laws of God and humanity and only finds expressions for patriotism in the clash of arms. The educated man and the true patriot will always hold it the glory of a nation to obey as nearly as possible the laws of Christ and deem it a violation of a nation's honor to threaten or wage war without a full assurance of the right.

Who—

When the sleighing is good
 And her best is away,
 Who then provides the "bood,"
 Who then obtains the sway,
 Who? Why—
 The other dear fellow.

Who—

When the skating is fine
 And "mun" is not needed,
 Who then—then must repine,
 Who then is not heeded,
 Who? Why—
 The other dear fellow.

LOCALS.

The '97 La Vie board reports that the book is progressing nicely.

B. F. Fisher, '96, has been elected captain of the athletic team.

Everyone is glad to see Dr. Gregory back with us again this term.

Candidates for the baseball team have begun practice in the armory.

Dancing class is held in University Inn every Tuesday evening by Miss Brew.

The midwinter sports will be held in the armory on Friday evening, February 28.