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EDITORIAL.

With only a few days intervening until the game with Dickinson takes place, it is necessary that we begin to make our preparations. Ever since athletic relations with Dickinson have existed, this game has constituted the most important event on our schedule; a few of us know what it means to lose this struggle, most of us realize the greatness of a victory. That the Carlisle Collegians have similar ideas in regard to this event is evinced by words of a recent issue of the Dickinsonian.

"For years State has been our greatest rival, and the State game the biggest game on our schedule. If we can win this game the season is considered a success, though we lose every other game." If Dickinson has these ideas, don't you suppose that every supporter of the Red and White will stand by them and attend the game to a man?

Everyone conversant with State's athletics is only too familiar with the "third year superstition." A

glance at the record in another column will convince everyone that this superstition has become too much of a fact and an established rule. This is the fatal year according to the story. However, it should be our intention to break away this year from the rule that seems to bind us and *win*. It can be done, but the co-operation of the entire student body is necessary to accomplish the desired result. One hundred out of eight hundred men do not constitute a sufficiently large number. Let every man of the eight hundred be in Williamsport on the morning of the seventeenth, and, as the column of Blue and White moves out toward the field, may emphasis be truthfully placed on the fifth word of that old, familiar song "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here!"

It is with a feeling of regret that the "Collegian" is forced to announce the resignation of B. W. Scribner, '08, from the board. Mr. Scribner has been connected with the "Collegian" for a long time and has had a large share in the effort to place the publication on a firm and high basis.

Three new men have been added to the board; H. A. Hey, '09, to the editorial staff; S. W. Bloom, '08 and N. B. Higgins, '09 to the managerial staff.

Clearfield County Club.

The second meeting of the Clearfield County Club last Thursday evening was marked by a large attendance of enthusiastic State men. Great interest was manifested in several movements designed by the club to promote the interest of State College in Clearfield county. Sometime during the Christmas holidays, it is intended to give a banquet, and a committee was appointed to look into the matter. A copy of the 1907 La Vie was also ordered placed in each of the High Schools and Y.M.C.A. Libraries of the county.

Calendar.

FRIDAY NOV., 9.

6.30 P. M. Mechanical Engineering Society. 20 Eng. Bldg.

7.00 P. M. Transit club.

8.00 P. M. Berzelius Club. Chemistry Bldg. Mr. Rentschler will address the club.

SATURDAY NOV. 10.

2.30 P. M. State vs. Westminster. Beaver Field.

SUNDAY NOV. 11.

11.00 A. M. Chapel. Dr. Gill will speak.

4.30 P. M. Episcopal Service. 130 Main.

6.15 P. M. Y.M.C.A. 529 Main.

TUESDAY NOV. 13.

6.30 P. M. Y.M.C.A. 529 Main.

WEDNESDAY NOV. 14.

6.30 P. M. Electrical Engineering Society.

7.15 P. M. Natural History Club 205 Main.

Track Medals Awarded.

The Advisory Committee on Athletics has just awarded gold medals to four of State's sterling track athletes, who succeeded in breaking college records in competition during the past season.

The names and records of the successful men follow:—

J. J. Kaiser '06, half-mile run in 2 minutes 13-5 seconds at Annapolis, May 12th, 1906; V. L. Henry '07, 100 yard dash in 10 seconds at Carlisle, Pa., May 5th, 1906; W. T. Dunn '08, 16 lb. hammer throw, 128 ft. 10 inches at State College, June 13, 1906; G. L. Strayer '09, pole-vault 11 feet 1-2 inches at State College, June 13, 1906.

The professional football team of Canton, Ohio, arrived at State College last Tuesday for practice preliminary to the game with the Massillon eleven. Canton has several famous old State players and is lining up each afternoon against the Varsity.