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EDITORIAL.

With this issue of the Collegian the new editorial staff takes charge of the paper. We must confess that it is with a realization of the duties and the responsibilities that we assume control of the college weekly. A comparison of the paper at the present time with that of a year ago shows a steady improvement, a growth commensurate with the increasing influence of our college.

We shall use every effort to make the paper the best that is possible under the circumstances. It must be remembered that the primary aim of the Collegian is to be a newspaper and not a literary publication. It is published in the interests of the whole student body and we shall work to the end that it may continue to be representative of the student life. While we do not be-

lieve in finding fau't indiscriminately, we believe that the best method of righting a wrong is to state the truth in regard to it. Any criticism, therefore, which may be made will be done in a spirit of justice and fairmindedness.

Finally, we need your cooperation in the work. We do not know everything about publishing a paper, and any suggestions as to its improvement will be gladly received. Nor are we omniscient as to the events and daily happenings in our little community. If you know an interesting bit of news, send it in. By the proper spirit of cooperation we may be able to accomplish the best results and to produce a weekly worthy of our college.

In the annual report of the Young Men's Christian Association which occupies a considerable part of this issue, an idea may be gained of the work done by the Association during the past year. Such an organization, purely unselfish in its purposes and which strives for the uplifting of the moral and spiritual side of a man's character, deserves only commendation.

"Honor to whom honor is due."
By way of correcting the impression which has recently been spread concerning the authorship of the song "Alma Mater," it should be said that it was written by Professor F.
L. Pattee. Dr. Atherton composed the song "Come Brothers Let Us Raise the Song."

The friends of Clarence G. Stoll. '03, will be interested to know that he has recently been married. Mr. Stoll is with the Western Electric Co. in New York City.

Calendar.

THURSDAY APRIL 18.

7.30 P. M. Civil Engineering Society. Engineering Bldg.
FRIDAY APRIL 19.

7.00 P. M. Mechanical Engineering Society. Engineering Bldg. SATURDAY APRIL 20.

Baseball. State vs. Williamsport Tri State at Williamsport.

7.00 P. M. Debating Club. 340 Main.

Regular meeting of Chess Club. Room 20, Engineering Bldg. SUNDAY APRIL 21

11.00 A. M. Chapel.

4.30 P. M. Episcopal Service. 130 Main.

6.15 P. M. Y.M.C.A. 529 Main. MONDAY APRIL 22.

8.00 P. M. Agricultural Society Dairy Bldg.

TUESDAY APRIL 23.

6.15 P. M. Camera Club. 20 Engineering Bldg.

6.15 P. M. Y.M.C.A. 529 Main. WEDNESDAY APRIL 24.

6.30 P. M. Electrical Engineering Society. Engineering Bldg.
7.00 P. M. S. Andrew's Brothernhood Meeting.

8.00 P. M. Natural History Club. 206 Main.

Happenings.

The Beta Theta Pi fraternity also entertained by giving a dance last Friday evening.

The track meet with Swarthmore scheduled for next Saturday has been declared off.

"Bob" Seeds sustained his reputation as a humorist, in his exposure of the mistakes of life last Friday evening.

The new Sigma Chi fraternity house on the western end of the campus was formally opened last week by a "house warming." Cn Thursday evening the Chapter gave a dance at which a large number of guests were present.