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EDITORIAL.

The behavior of the rooters at the game at Lewisburg puts to rest all the newspaper comment as to the bad feeling between the students at State and Bucknell. There were no incidents of any unpleasant nature to mar the day. Although the spirit of pure rivalry was very evident at all stages of the game, no one on either side made a serious break. The rivalry was rivalry in its cleanest aspect, and not a spirit of "thuggism" and "rowdyism," as many newspapers tried to make out.

The Bucknell students acted the part of host very acceptably, and there is not a student at either institution who is not proud of the gentlemanly spirit of true sport that was so plainly evident during the whole day.

We take pleasure in announcing the election to the staff of the Collegian, three new men from the Junior class: C. M. Breitingger of Philadelphia, who was connected with The Merion at Merion Military Academy, and R. F. Hemingway of Bloomsburg, who was connected with the Bloomsburg Quarterly, have been added to the editorial staff, while L. E. Swartz of Mechanicsburg has been added to the business staff. These men, having been thoroughly tried out in every way, from the beginning of the year, have proved very satisfactory and capable. We know that their influence will always be for the good of the college and the paper.

Pennsylvania Day.

The observance of Pennsylvania Day next Friday will be marked as usual by the presence of a large number of senators and legislators, friends of the college and trustees. The principal speaker of the day will be Lieutenant Governor Murphy. Speaker Cox will also be present, as well as Senator A. E. Sisson, recently elected auditor general of the state.

The exercises of the day will be held in the Auditorium from ten to eleven o'clock. At eleven the regiment will give an exhibition drill, and at two o'clock the freshmen and sophomores will engage in their annual football game. In the evening the trustees will hold their annual meeting. The Armory on that night, also, will be the scene of the big Thanksgiving hop. Everything points to the day being fully as successful as in former years.

Geographical Distribution of Our Students.

The registrar's classification of students shows every one of the 66 counties represented but Pike county.

Allegheny comes first with 95 students, Philadelphia county next with 87, then Luzerne with 64, Lancaster with 57, Dauphin with 56 and down to Forest, Sullivan and Fulton which each have one.

Many states are also represented. Alabama, Connecticut, Delaware, Louisiana, Indiana, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Nebraska, Virginia and West Virginia each have one student, Washington D. C. has two, New Hampshire and Massachusetts 3, Ohio has 4, New Jersey has 17 and New York has 23. There are also three students from Cuba, three from Porto Rico and two from Russia.

Lee J. Talbot.

An unusually large number of men have entered this fall from other colleges. Among the latest arrivals, we are glad to welcome Lee J. Talbot, formerly of Cornell. Mr. Talbot entered Cornell with the class of 1911, after graduation from Mercersburg Academy. His athletic work is well known. Last spring, in the intercollegiate games, he threw the hammer for Cornell and gained the title of intercollegiate champion. He has not definitely decided whether or not to engage in athletics here. He has entered with the class of 1911, and will take Agriculture, specializing in Agronomy.

The students of Lafayette celebrated the recent victory over Princeton by a mammoth bonfire on top of which was placed an imitation tiger. There was also a big parade in which another "tiger" was carried with an extraordinary number of knots in its tail, the enthusiasm over the victory being unprecedented.

Dr. Gill's visit to Wesleyan this week occurs just forty years after the beginning of his senior year in that institution. He is a member of the class of 1870.