

College News.

A. B. COHOE, '98. MISS E. WHITESIDE, '98,
S. E. GRIGG, '00.

PROF.—(enthusiastically): “Now this will be our last lesson in Greek prose, and I noticed on Sport's Day that the contestants always made a spurt towards the end, so I may give you a big lesson.”

Sophomore—(hopefully): “Yes, and after the spurt they took a rest.”

MR. SLEEPY at the table Monday morning:—“I wish Monday came on Saturday and Saturday on Monday, so that I could have a rest after Sunday.”

STUDENT reviewing the Sunday School:—“Now, how did the Israelites cross over the Jordan? Did they go over the same way as we cross a river?”

Several voices:—“No.” One voice:—“Yes.”

Student:—“Well, Jessie says ‘Yes.’ Now, Jessie, in what way did they go over?”

Jessie—(nonchalantly): “Crosswise.”

So CLOSE were the contests on Field Day that at the close Matthews (theology) and Sprague '00 had an equal number of points to their credit. To settle the difficulty thus arising the Executive Committee arranged that both names should be inscribed on the Championship Cup, and proposed that a 220 yard race should be run for the Chancellor's medal. As a result of the race Sprague is now the possessor of the Gold Medal. In reporting the events of Field Day in last month's news a mistake was made in the time of the 440 yard race which should have been 1.00½ instead of 1.15.

OUR Literary meetings are all good, but the one on Nov. 19th was especially interesting. After two original and amusing selections by the Quartette and a humorous reading by Mr P. C. McGregor, '99, the debate, the event of the evening, took place. The subject was, Resolved, “That the legalized sale of intoxicating liquor is less defensible than the slavery of the past.” Miss Bailey, '98, and Miss Gill, '00 supported the affirmative, while Messrs. L. H. Thomas, '99, and R. E. Smith, '00, vainly attempted to meet their arguments. The speeches were all bright and strong, but, as would be expected, a perfect volley of well directed arguments supported the affirmative. Mrs. Newman, who had kindly consented to act as judge, in a clever manner summed up the arguments, giving, amidst applause, her decision in favor of the affirmative.