

Exchanges and Thoughts from the College World.

"Every mistake is a help to knowledge."

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"Books are embalmed minds."—*Bovee*.

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"Sermons in stones and good in everything."

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"Hope may be said to be the future tense of faith."

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"Gold that buys health can never be ill spent,
Nor hours laid out in harmless merriment."

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"A growing mind must never be afraid of an open question."

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"You, with the help of the spirit of God, are your own kingdom."

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The Chinese orderly called the roll—
The tourist delighted fell;
For he felt in the depths of his Yankee soul
'Twas his old-time college yell.—*Ex.*

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"The more you love yourself, the less you will be loved by others."

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"Conscience is no guide, it simply indorses an individual's highest knowledge."

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"No book can be so good as to be profitable when negligently read."—*Seneca*.

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This verse is just a little guy
To show how foolish girls will be;
A thing that isn't meant for them
Is just the thing they're sure to see.—*Ex.*

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"He that never has been in doubt about anything has never attained anything."

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SEASONABLY.

"A stratum of solid slippery ice;
A stratum of slush so soft and nice;
A stratum of water; over that
A stratum of man in the new silk hat;
Above the startled air is blue
With oath on oath a stratum or two.—*Ex.*

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One-third of the university students of Europe die prematurely

from the effects of bad habits acquired in school; one-third die from lack of exercise, and the other third govern Europe.—*Ex.*

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SIGNS OF AN EARLY SPRING.

HE.—Roses red and violets blue,
Sugar's sweet and so are you.
SHE.—The grass is green, the sky is blue,
The air is fresh and so are you.

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"There are many very valuable truths which do not benefit many people simply because they do not grasp them."

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Oxford University, the largest in the world, embraces twenty-one Colleges and five Halls. It has an income of \$6,000,000 and has 12,000 students.

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AS THE GIRLS SEE IT.

I took the gentle Anabel
To see a football game,
And thus unto a friend of hers
Did she describe the same:
"Oh, May, you should have seen them play;
'Twas such a lovely sight!
And though the first game I had seen
I understood it quite.
"First came the Yales, all dressed in blue,
Then Harvard came in red.
One fellow, the rest all tried
To jump upon his head.
And then one fellow stopped and stooped
And all the rest got round;
And every fellow stopped and stooped
And looked hard at the ground.
"And then the other fellow yelled,
And each man where he stood
Just hit and struck and knocked and kicked,
At every one he could.
"And then one fell upon his neck
And all the others ran,
And on his prone and prostrate form
Leaped every blessed man.
"And then the ambulance drove on,
And, loaded up with men
With twisted necks and broken lungs,
Went driving off again.
"Oh, football's just the cutest game!
It cannot be surpassed,
But yet it really is a shame
To use men up so fast."—*Ex.*

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