The College World.

Harvard.—The base-ball nine will consist substantially of the same men this year as last. Nichols and Allen have developed into an excellent battery. Still, handicapped as the team is by the Faculty rules, much improvement must be made in order to win the championship. — Tennis promises to be more popular than ever this year. — A University rifle team is talked of. — The Junior tug-of-war team won the class pulls. — Dr. Sargent has informed the captains of the class crews that they will be held responsible if any of the members of their crews are unable to swim. — Harvard has held the cup for intercollegiate athletics for four years.

Princeton.—Two hundred students of Princeton took part in the last city election, supporting and electing the Democratic candidate. This action was in retaliation for fines imposed by the Republican mayor on some of the students for breaking street lamps. Ex.—The treasurer of the Foot Ball Association shows in his accounts a total expenditure of $1,912.04. The association has been self-supporting, having collected no subscriptions, and finished the season with a balance of $2 26 in the treasury.

Notes.—The Dartmouth Faculty have refused permission to the students to black up for minstrel performances during the term. — The athletic conference meeting at Columbia was well attended by representatives of the various colleges, but nothing important was done. We failed to see the need of the conference, any way. — Students of the University of Pennsylvania are discussing means to raise one hundred thousand dollars for a gymnasium. — Johns Hopkins has added an archaeological society to its many features. — The Michigan Argonaut has appeared in a new cover, which is certainly very similar in colors to our own. Of course the change is an improvement. — The University of Vermont has received a bequest of $110,000 for a new gymnasium. — More trouble has arisen at Hamilton. The Seniors say that the Faculty did not keep up to the agreements made upon their returning to college. — A class in Sanskrit has been formed at the University of Pennsylvania.

A Sensitive Plant.

(Herr Pumpernickel, having just played a composition of his own, bursts into tears.)

Chorus of Friends. “Oh, what is the matter? What can we do for you?”


An Extraordinary Case.

She. “Only give up smoking for one year, and I have no doubt that you will never touch tobacco again.”

He. “Well, I don’t know; I did not smoke once for fifteen years, and then I began and enjoyed it hugely.”

She. “For fifteen years! You must have been very young when you began.”

He. “I was fifteen.” — Life.

It’s Not So Difficult to Speak French, After All.

Mistress (fluently). “Oh — er — Françoise, il faut que vous alliez chez le chemist, dans High Street, pour le gargle de Ma-lemoiselle Maud; et chez le toy-shop, pour le Lawn-Tennis bat de Monsieur Malcolm; et n’oubliez pas mon waterproof, chez le cleaner, vis-à-vis l’Underground Railway Station; et dites à Smithson, le builder (dans Church Lane à côté der public house, vous savez), que le kitchen-boiler est — est — ”

Françoise (who has been longer in England than her new mistress thinks). “Est burrrst! Très bien, madame.” — Punch.

It is said that Salvini has abandoned his attempt to master the English language. That seems strange: he appeared to have the language pretty thoroughly broken when he was here. — Cincinnati Saturday Night.