Harvard.—The Faculty at Harvard seem determined to crush out certain branches of athletics there. The Committee on Athletics are endeavoring to put a stop to football on account of its roughness. They have informed Capt. Storrow of the crew that the employment of Col. Bancroft as coach will not be permitted on account of the expense, and because he is a professional. And now, the trapezes and other "aerial" apparatus in the Hemingway Gymnasium is to be removed on account of the danger incurred in using them.—It has been estimated that eighty-five per cent of the students at Harvard attend the gymnasium.—Yale News.—A petition is being circulated asking that attendance at prayers be voluntary for students over twenty-one years of age.—The Faculty Committee on Athletics went to New York to see the Yale-Princeton football game. Several good hare and hounds runs have been held this fall.

Cornell.—Cornell University has devoted the sum of $155,000 from the University funds to the establishment of thirty-six new scholarships and seven fellowships.—Yale News.—Cornell has never bestowed an honorary degree.—A magnetic observatory for delicate experiments in magnetism is to be built.

Yale.—The foot-ball management are said to have received $615 as their receipts from the Harvard game, and $1,800 from the Princeton game.—Terry is said to have made more touchdowns this season than any other player on record. The number is twenty-two.—The Freshman eleven declined to play Harvard this year.

In general.—Efforts are being made to introduce military drill at the University at Michigan.—The Senior class at Williams has voted to wear the cap and gown at Commencement.—Wesleyan has received a bequest of $40,000.—The base-ball nine at Amherst has begun winter practice in the gymnasium.

Croaking.
The dreary, weary croaker
Will have to die some day.
Perhaps he'll go to heaven,
And walk the golden way;
But, when the shining pavements
His gloomy eyes behold,
"I—d-o-n't be-lieve they're—gold." — Ex.

Off on a "bat"—the full moon.
Can patent horse medicine be called a stable compound.

Captain of the crew, translating: Ma coupe est remplie,—My stroke is full.

It was a thrifty Scotch maiden, who, having been discarded by one lover, married another, and then sued the former for breach of promise.

Aunt (severely):—"Don't you know it's wicked to make such ugly faces?"

Little Niece (innocently):—"Was God wicked when he made yours?"—The Judge.

"Every time I enter this place it reminds me of a circus," he remarked. "How is that?" asked the crockery dealer. "Why," was the rejoinder, "wherever I look I see tumblers."

Isolation—off the Orkneys.

Southern Tourist:—"Get any newspapers here?"

Orcadian Boatman: "Ou aye, when the steamer comes. If it's fine she'll come ane a week; but when it's stormy, i' winter, we dinna catch a glint o' her for three months at a time."

Southern Tourist: "Then you'll not know what's goin' on in London?"

Orcadian Boatman: "Na; but ye see ye're just as ill off in London as we are, for ye dinna ken what's gaun on here!"—London Punch.