The Advocate does not favor the idea of '89 rowing the Yale Freshmen.—The 'Varsity crew received about $800 as the profits of the D. K. E. theatricals.—The Yale '89 vs. Harvard '89 ball game promises to be unusually exciting this year. Yale has won the majority of these contests.—A teacher's course in chemistry will be conducted at Harvard during the summer, from July 5th to August 14th. Instruction will be given in general chemistry, qualitative and quantitative analysis and organic chemistry.—Remington, '87, will probably stroke the crew. There is talk of the crew going to England, and engaging in contests with Oxford and Cambridge this summer.—Of six races rowed between Harvard and Columbia Freshman, Harvard has won four.—There will be class ball games this spring. Members of the 'Varsity, or substitutes, will not be eligible for the class nines.—The last Yale-Harvard Freshmen race was in 1873.—The Crimson, News, and Princetonian publish, in the above order, more news than any other college papers.—By a vote of the Harvard Faculty the special students, now numbering 110, will be required to pass an examination before five examiners on the work so far gone over.—Dr. Brooks, of Chicago, will, it is said, sue the University for $50,000 on account of injuries received by his son in the chemical laboratory.

Yale. Terry, '85, has been offered the position of second base on the Metropolitans.—The Yale Lit. is the oldest monthly of any description published in the United States.—(Ex.)—According to the News there seems to be something wrong with every one of the Freshman crew.—The nine is doing good work, and the battery work of Stagg and Dann has been very fine.

In General. The library building at Columbia cost $400,000.—The Dartmouth library is increasing at the rate of 1,500 volumes a year.—A general reunion of all Dartmouth Alumni is to be held at Concord, N. H., June 17th.—The colleges represented in the New York State League are Cornell, Hamilton, Hobart, Syracuse, Rochester, and Union.—The class of '86 of Columbia has voted to raise $1,000 to purchase books for the college library.—Students at Brown have thirty-six cuts each half year—eighteen from recitations, and eighteen from chapel.—School property in the South is valued at six million; in the North, at eighty million.—The sophomores at Tufts will issue an annual this year.—Twenty thousand volumes have been added to the Columbia library during the past two years.—The expenses of the Princeton nine last year were $2,866.24.—The struggle between Phillips Exeter and Phillips Andover for supremacy in base-ball will be interesting, as each has six of last year's team. The chances are in favor of Exeter.—The Polytechnic predicts a successful base-ball season at Troy.—Recent researches of Prof. Nason tend to show that the diamond is not combustible in oxygen, as was formerly supposed. (Troy Polytechnic.)—The Troy Transit has appeared, and is considered to be the best number ever published.—The Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute is building a handsome gymnasium, to be completed about August 1st. The building will be 44 x 80 feet; brick, with stone trimmings. It will contain the gymnasium proper, with running track thirty laps to the mile, two bowling-alleys, a reception-room, a room for boxing and fencing, and a shooting gallery.—The Intercollegiate Base-Ball Association was organized in 1879. During the first season Yale was not a member of the Association, and in 1883 Dartmouth dropped out for one year. The number of games won and lost by each college since the formation of the league is as follows: Yale, won 38, lost 12; Harvard, won 34, lost 23; Princeton, won 34, lost 23; Brown, won 20, lost 36; Amherst, won 20, lost 35; Dartmouth, won 16, lost 32; Princeton won the first year; Yale won from 1881-1884; and Harvard won last year.—Lacrosse is booming at Stevens.—The Bowdoin Faculty have subscribed $1,000 toward a new gymnasium for the college.—Pennsylvania's Intercollegiate team is eating at a training-