The sum of $250,000 has recently been bequeathed to the United States Government to erect a memorial hall at the West Point military academy.

The New York Tribune, Sun and Times, have 111 college men on their staffs.

Fifteen suits of clothes consigned to Harvard students, but confiscated by the custom officials, were recently sold at auction.

There are 119 elective courses open to Juniors and Seniors in the academic department at Yale.

Chauncey M. Depew has, for the ninth time, been elected President of the New York Alumni Association of Yale College.

Jay Gould has given $25,000 to the University of the City of New York.

John Poe, half back on the Princeton eleven, left college last month. It is doubtful whether he will return.

The Peabody Museum has been presented with the skeleton of an alligator supposed to be the largest in existence.

An instructor at Lehigh University who was burlesqued by the students at their minstrel performance, has become insane.

A Temperance League has been organized in the University of Pennsylvania. Its chief object is to do away with drinking at class suppers.

A football squad of fifteen men has been organized at Williams.

There are 100,000 books in the University of Pennsylvania library.

At the recent Oxford-Cambridge athletic games, Frye, of Cambridge, made a running broad jump of 23 feet 5 inches.

Most of the University of Pennsylvania nine think that Harvard is stronger than either Yale or Princeton in batting, and about as good in the field. Princeton, they say, fields well, but is weak at the bat.

$1,000,000 is asked for by the trustees to complete the building equipments and organization of the Chicago University.

The students of the State University of Illinois have started a movement for a $25,000 Christian Association building.

John D. Rockefeller has given $35,000 to Vassar College for the completion of the new dormitory in progress of erection.

The Lafayette has adopted the reform method of spelling, of which Professor March of Lafayette is the leading advocate.

A girls' gymnasium, a professors' club-house, and a hospital are being built at Stanford University, California. The total cost will be $31,000.

Henry B. Lathrop, instructor of English in Harvard University, has been appointed assistant professor of English in the Leland Stanford Junior University. Professor Lathrop is a native of California, being a son of the Rev. Dr. Lathrop of East Oakland.

Seven members of last year's crew of the University of Pennsylvania have refused to row again this year.

William S. Bull, the great Yale full back, has been secured by the Wesleyan University graduate advisory board to coach the football team next fall. Mr. Bull will have entire charge of the eleven throughout the football season.

At the recent Columbia games, Collis, '92, broke the college record for the half-mile walk, making it in 3.22.