

Cutts a Professional.

According to the latest report, Oliver F. Cutts, right tackle of the Harvard football team for 1901, whose athletic standing was the subject of exhaustive inquiry before the game at Yale last November, is, in a statement made public by Professor Ira Hollis, of the Harvard Athletic Committee, declared to be a professional. Evidence was produced that, while teaching at Harvard, Cutts gave private boxing lessons for pay. The matter was thoroughly discussed by the committee. Cutts admitted the fact, and the committee decided that they must change their decision made the evening before the Yale game, that Cutts was a pure amateur. It was also further decided to explain the case to the college and to send copies of the explanation to all the colleges and universities which Harvard played, as the best means of reparation. Cutts was chosen tackle of the all-American eleven, and is one of the best football players in the country.

It is thought that, coming just at this time, the matter will serve to further the idea already popular at Harvard, of having an inter-collegiate board of arbitration, which shall settle all such cases in the future.

College Notes.

The University of Michigan has property valued at \$2,000,000.

The Junior class of the University of Washington will publish a Junior Annual this year.

The new Gymnasium which is to be erected at Princeton will cost \$165,000.—Brown and White.

Harvard has an Automobile Club which was scheduled to make its first run some time during the first part of January.

Among those who will take part in the local oratorical contest at Albany this year are G. T. Pratt, C. B. Sternberg, John Acheson, G. D. Byers, O. Hickey and Ernest Hardin. Pratt represented Albany College in the inter-collegiate contest in 1898.

William J. Bryan delivered an address before the students of Harvard on the subject, "A Conquering Nation." The papers state that his talk was well received by a large and appreciative audience, which remained in the Hall until the end,—an unusual occurrence.

According to a cable from Paris, the European edition of the Herald, in its regular art supplement, refers to a collection of Greek and Etruscan potteries made by W. R. Hearst. It appears that the collection, which is a remarkable one, has been presented to the University of California.

The University of California track team will have its first meet on the Eastern schedule with the

University of Pennsylvania May 10. Meets with Harvard, Yale and other universities are now being arranged by Manager De Coto. The team will leave on the trip April 26. According to the Daily Palo Alto, there are good performers in every event. Among these will be Heater, the Oregon man, in the pole vault.

(University of Chicago Weekly.)

The University of Michigan offers a course in ship-building.

The first football game played in the United States took place in 1776 between Yale and Harvard.

John Hopkins University has a department of the Philippines to prepare men for service in the Philippines.

Harvard, Pennsylvania, Yale or Princeton has never had a single fatal accident happen to any of her football players.

The University of Wisconsin cleared \$10,000 from the football season of 1901; \$5,000 was received from the Chicago game alone.

A boycott has been placed on the football team of the Kirksville Osteopaths by Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa and Texas. The Osteopaths are charged with brutality on the part of players, disgraceful conduct of students on the field, the selection of obnoxious students, and general unsportsmanlike conduct. None of the above teams will take them into consideration in arranging their schedule next year.

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