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ONE PORM OF COLLEGE "SPORT."

(Special, Letter.) With much the same sort of pride. which German students take in exhibiting the scars gustained in their college duels the young-men of American universities are wont to point to the injuries which they encounter in that terrific college "sport," the cane rush.

This is not a trio of untamed Indians after a week on the warpath or a night of the ghost dance. It is a picture for which three Princeton students proudly posed after just fifteen minutes of energetic operations somewhere near the center of a cane rush.

Princeton's last essay in this line occurred one night recently. Three hundred students engaged in a contest which, spectators aver, contained more of the elements of brutality than any prize-ring exhibition of recent years. The fight waged around the historic cannon on old Nassau's campus. When it had spent its fury the clothing of fully one-half of the combatants had some were battered almost beyond rec- vied heroes.

ognition. This picture may convey slight idea of the facial gargoyles wrought by the architectural experts in the pleasant meles.

That more serious work is sometimes done in such encounters was indicated in the almost fatal injuring of Fritz Wittig, Jr., a member of the freshman class at Rutgers College, a few days ago. He was in the thickest of the fight for a time and suddenly disappeared. He was later found unconscious on the field. A physician said that he was suffering from concussion of the brain. Only the greatest efforts saved his life. A few nights before this President Scott stoped a cane rush. Dean Winans of Princeton disapproves of the rushes, and so do most of the college authorities.

But the students seem inclined to continue to fight out the perennial sophomore-freshman disagreement in this way, and to display their injuries afterward-if they manage to get been torn to tatters and the faces of about-with the air of much-to-be-en-



PRINCETON STUDENTS AFTER A CANE RUSH,

FAMOUS OLD PRISON.

"Old Balley" Second Only to the Frenci

Bastile in Ristory. "Old Balley," the most famous prisin England, and second only to the Bastile in France for historical significance, is about to be demolished. This prison, which for 600 years has been a terror to criminals, will soon be pulled down and a magnificent structure embodying all the latest ideas in sanitary inventions will be built. In 1773 the original structure was destroyed and on the site was built a court house. This, too, fell in the "no popery" riots of 1780, as readers of "Barnaby Rudge" will remember, and the place was rebuilt and enlarged in Londoners today is only about a hundred years old. It is one of the most desolate buildings in London and its mere appearance has probably prevented more crime than any other agency in the world. "Their name is legion" might well be said of the celebrated criminals who have heard their fate in that historic dock, according to the New York Telegraph. Among political offenders sentenced at the "Old Bailey" perhaps the regicides are the most memorable. Out of the twentyone prisoners arraigned in 1660 twelve were executed, while seven paid for their part in the execution of Charles I, by life-long imprisonment. A tragle episode in the history of the "Old Bailey" was the invasion of the court by the fail fever during the sessions of May, 1750. The fever obtained such a hold in the neighboring prison that it forced a way into the court, causing the death of the Judge of the Common Pleas, Sir Thomas Abney, Baron Clark, the lord mayor and several other members of the bar and of the jury. These plagues were directly consequent to the lax sanitary laws. Little was known of the art of artificial ventilation. The prisons were in shocking condition. "Old Bailey" will always be familiar to those who have read Dickens, especially the lovery of "Barnaby Rudge," "Little Dorrit," "Great Expectations" and "Oliver Twist." The great novelist made a study of English prison life, as he did of English schools. "Nicholas Nickleby" awoke the English public to the horrors of

their common school system. "Little Dorrit" raised such a storm of indignation that prison classification, the greatest need of the time, was soon introduced. As Squeers disappeared before the stinging pen of Dickens, so Dennia, the hangman, and "Old Bailey" became things of the past, and today Newgate is a model prison. The was made as comfortable and healthful as the limited space would permit and the new edifice about to be erected will be one of the finest in the world.

Mistakon for a Ghost. Aaron Bell, colored, is in juil in S

cy Gerard, a colored woman, in New Augustine. Upon meeting the woman he began to beat her, and after the scuffe that followed the woman was found to be severely cut, and it is believed that Bell used a knife. The woman's side of her story has not been heard yet, but Bell says that he came upon the woman suddenly in dark and lonely neighborhood. She was dressed in white, and as she approached, Bell says he thought she was a ghost, and becoming frightened he made the attack. It seemed to take him some time to discover his mistake.

SUBTLENESS OF RHEUMATISM.

Berlous and Are Neglected. It has been known for many years that the most fertile cause of hear disease is rheumatism. Only recently has it been realized, however, that many cases of rheumatism which give rise to heart complications really run so mild a course that they are not suspected of being serious and are neglected. This is especially true in cases which attack the very young. In children rheumatism often masquerades under the name of "growing pains." In infants it often fails completely of recognition. It has become the custom to a lamentable degree to give for it the coal-tar derivatives, the various antipyretic drugs, anti-pyrine, phenacetine, and the like, besides various derivatives of salicylic acid. These drugs alleviate the rheumatic pain, by benumbing the nerves; they also lessen fever. The result of their use is that patients are enabled to move about much sooner than they etherwise would, and this throws extra work on the heart, and leads to postrheumatic heart complications which may cripple the organ of life. The recent increase in the number of refusals of risks by life insurance companies is thought to be due to this cause. Doetors here from many parts of the world deprecate the present excessive use of these drugs. Pain is nature's demand for rest. To allay it without reaching its cause is to drug the sentinel who watches over the citadel of health because his footsteps disturb our sleep .-New York Post.

Was a Joke on the Doctor.

Colonel Daniel R. Anthony, brother of Susan B. Anthony, and the last of the fighting editors of Kansas, is on record as the only man who has had his sorta severed and lived. In a newspaper feud with a gambler of the name old building, now to be demolished, of Jennison, Anthony was shot. The doctor sold him he could not live. The e'clock," replied the nurse. The tor, isn't it? He said I'd be

rectors of the Chicago, Milwaukee St. Paul Railroad company, has be appointed general passenger agent of that system (effective Oct. 15, 1900) ;

succeed George H. Heafford, recently resigned. The appointment of Mr Miller to the head of the St. Paul pas senger department was not unexpected as he has been for several years the principal assistant general passenger agent of the company, making his headquarters in the Marquette building. There will be no assistant appointed to succeed Mr. Miller. The two other assistants, Messrs. Marsh and Merrill, will continue in their old positions.

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