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OUR EXCHANGES.

Our separation from the Collegian reminds us that we owe a duty to its exchanges, as well as its patrons. To you all, we return our sincere thanks for the promptness with which we have been favored with your monthly issues. Your monthly coming has been, to the Collegian, a token of regard—to ourselves, a source of pleasure; for a time, forgetful of our own difficulties, we rejoiced in your prosperity, or saddened at your disappointments; in imagination, we exchanged friendly greetings with our brothers. The Collegian, at all times, will feel honored with your numbers upon its table.

The Yale Literary Magazine.—The April number of this periodical is upon our table. After the many encomiums passed upon it, it would be useless for us to attempt an extended notice; yet its merits are such as cannot but elicit a word of praise. It has the singular felicity of combining interest with instruction—we say singular, because experience has taught us that these qualities are difficult of union in a College publication—extremes are the characteristics of youth.

The Nassau Literary Magazine.—We have regularly received the numbers of this truly worthy magazine. The article which appeared in the May number is, we think, the most correct criticism that we have seen upon the writings of George Lippard. And we may safely say that the spirit of candor seen in this pervades the whole.

The University Magazine.—We can but repeat what we have before said of its worth. Manliness and vigor may be considered as its very enviable characteristics. Gentlemen, you have our best wishes for your success; we started together—may our journeyings be equally prosperous.

Godley's Lady's Book.—In looking over the pages of the Lady's Book, we have often thought that, were the lessons of morality taught on its every page substituted for the *trash* weekly given from the press, our country would feel the beneficial results of them. We shall not attempt to institute a comparison between this and other magazines, for the public mind has long since given its decision.

The Female Student, published by the ladies of the Seminary at Wilmington, Del., is upon our table, and we will gladly continue the exchange. In fact, we have a peculiar kind of attachment to such magazines, as well as—to the conductors of them.