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ANOTHER FROM W. & J.

The Washington Boys Not Our Equals.

On Friday, June 9th, our team again defeated Washington and Jefferson by a score of 16 to 7. The boys went into the game confident of victory and victory was theirs.

The first inning looked nice from the standpoint of a W. & J. man, but things soon changed. Service, the star catcher, was first at bat and reached first on an error by the short stop. Mead followed with a single to center and Bowman made a two-bagger to left, scoring two runs. Carson and Nelson fanned out and Harrison went out on a foul to McManigal. EnDean, McManigal and Borland all went out on first.

Bumgarner, the middle fielder, struck out, and Fergus got to first on an error, but Parish sent a liner to Baker, and by a fine double play, it was three out. Baker reached first on an error, Moore fanned out and Comfort came to bat and knocked a pretty three-base hit clear over the race track, letting Baker score a run. Smith got first on balls, Hammond fanned out and Fitzgerald went out on first.

W. & J. now started in at the top again. Service fanned out, Mead gave a nice fly to Moore, Bowman singled, Carson was hit by a pitched ball and Nelson fanned out. Allegheny now broke all previous records. Thirteen runs in one inning. EnDean began the fun with base on balls, McManigal singled and so on down the line and then down again, seventeen chances at bat and thirteen runs. EnDean, McManigal, Borland, Baker and Moore each scored two runs and Comfort, Hammond and Fitzgerald one each. Carson was badly in the air and three men were finally put out by accident.

W. & J., sadly disheartened, came to bat. Harrison went out on first by a pretty assist by Borland, Bumgarner struck out, Furgus got hit and Parish fanned. Fitz. now came to bat and sent a fly to Mead, which he stopped; EnDean got another base on balls, McManigal went out on a fly caught by Service and Borland sent a nice fly to Carson.

In the fifth Service began by fanning out, Mead singled, Bowman sent a fly to EnDean, Carson got base on balls and Nelson was hit by a pitched ball, putting three men on bases. Here Borland showed what he had in store. Harrison stepped up to the plate and Ching sent over three nice strikes that he couldn't see. Baker went out on a fly, Moore got base on balls, Comfort singled, Smith sent a fly to Mead and Hammond and Fitzgerald got nice hits, letting in two more runs.

The sixth was uneventful except for a double play which put a fourth man out for W. & J.

In the seventh W. & J. managed to get one more run. When Bowman came to bat he sent a nice fly to Borland but it bounced out of nis hands, right into Baker's outstretched hands and the batter was out.

In the eighth it was one, two, three on both sides.

In the ninth the boys from Little Washington were given four more runs to make them feel good before going to their defeat at Westminister, and the game closed.

Service, the Washington and Jefferson catcher, won all sorts of laurels for himself by his fine work behind the bat, but Carson did poor work. Nesbit, the crack Washington and Jefferson pitcher, sprained his side in the Grove City game Thursday, and was unable to play. Had he

pitched the game would have been more interesting and exciting. It was painfully evident that Nesbit is nearly the whole team, for when he was not in the box the other boys lacked nerve.

Allegheny.	R.	H.	E.
EnDean, l. f.	2	1	0
McManigal, 3b.	2	3	0
Borland, p.	2	3	0
Baker, 2b.	2	3	0
Moore, r. f	3	2	0
Comfort, c. f	2	3	0
Smith, 1b.	0	1	0
Hammond, c.	1	2	1
Fitzgerald, ss	1	3	2
Totals	16	21	3

Washington and Jefferson.	R.	H.	E.
Service, c.	1	1	0
Mead, ss	2	3	1
Bowman, 3b.	1	2	1
Carson, p	1	2	0
Nelson, 1b.	1	0	0
Harrison, 2b.	1	2	0
Bumgarner, c. f.	0	0	0
Fergus, l. f.	0	1	0
Parish, r. f.	1	1	0
Total	7	12	2

Strike outs—Borland 13, Carson 4. Bases on balls—From Borland 2, from Carson 2. Three-base hit—Comfort. Two-base hit—Comfort, Bowman, Carson, Harrison, Fergus.

CUBAN X GIANTS.

7-1 Tells Our Story.

The Cuban X Giants came here Monday, June 5th, and went away with one more scalp. From the start the colored gentlemen walked away with our team. Our boys did excellent work but were not equal to the professionals. The score by innings was as follows :

Allegheny	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Cuban X Giants	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	—7

Dr. Buckley Lectures.

Dr. J. M. Buckley, editor of the New York *Christian Advocate*, recently gave us some interesting talks and lectures. On Sunday, June 4th, he preached both morning and evening in the First M. E. Church. On Monday evening he lectured on "Christian Science, Faith Healing and Kindred Phenomena." His lecture was extremely interesting and he held his audience for two hours and twenty-five minutes in spite of the intense heat. On Tuesday morning at 10:30 he spoke in the College Chapel, giving a most interesting and instructive talk.

The course of lectures for this year has been excellent, but we undoubtedly got the best, last. Dr. Buckley's lecture on Christian Science aroused considerable excitement among the followers of that hoax in our city, but they have as yet failed to bring forth any arguments against him in any of their letters to the town papers.

The New Catalogue.

The new catalogue which appeared last week is worthy of more than a passing glance. The new courses are a decided improvement and many changes have been made which are the fulfilling of many an unuttered prayer of Allegheny students of the past. To enumerate would be superfluous, but to congratulate the faculty and the student body of future years is most certainly in order. The new courses in English, English Bible, Expression and Oratory, Graphics, Greek, History and Politics are just what we have been after, and now they are here.

The "Important Regulation" which reads "a student that marries after matriculation and before graduation thereby severs his relations with the college," has created considerable comment, favorable and otherwise, but the faculty knew what they were about and did what was right.

"Living Expenses of Young Men" is the heading for the same old tale of woe about estimates, but the old story of oyster suppers is omitted. It must be that oysters are no longer recognized by the authorities as a profitable means of amusement for young men.

The board in Hulings is placed at $35 per term, but this is most certainly a misprint, for the young ladies claim that they now pay $15 a term toward the running expenses, when they pay their board.

The *College Transcript*, of O. W. U., came out recently, claiming the game with us and saying nothing whatever about any misunderstanding. Their team knows as well as we do that the game was forfeited but misrepresented things at home. This is, well what is it?

Commencement Week.

June 25 to 29.

SUNDAY, JUNE 25.

10:45 a. m. Baccalaureate Sermon by the President.
4:00 p. m. Love Feast in College Chapel, led by Dr. Hamnett.
7:45 p. m. Annual Sermon before Christian Associations. Rev. Edwin A. Schell, Ph. D., D. D.

MONDAY, JUNE 26.

9:00 a. m. Entrance Examinations.
2:00 p. m. Field-Day Exercises.
8:00 p. m. Inter-Society Contest, in Academy of Music.

TUESDAY, JUNE 27.

9:00 a. m. Entrance Examinations.
3:00 p. m. Annual Meeting of Board of Control, Association Hall.
8:00 p. m. Class Day Exercises, First Methodist Episcopal Church.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28.

ALUMNI DAY.

9:00 a. m. Annual Meeting of Board of Trustees, Association Hall.
1:00 p. m. Alumni Dinner and Meeting of Alumni Association in Gymnasium.

Guest of Honor:
Gov. Lloyd Lowndes, of Maryland, class of '65.
Orator:
Hon, Enoch G. Hogate, Danville, Ind., class of '72.
Poet:
Prof. W. J. Bell, St. Joseph, Mo., class of '88.

6:30 p. m. Fraternity Banquets.

THURSDAY, JUNE 29.

9:00 a. m. Commencement Exercises.
Conferring of Degrees.
8:00 p. m. President's Reception in College Gymnasium.

THE CLASS DISMISSED.

Dr. J. W. Thomas Speaks to the Seniors.

According to the time-honored custom, the graduating class of 1899 was formally excused from chapel Tuesday morning, June 13. Dr. J. W. Thomas, secretary of the faculty, was introduced as speaker of the day. His speech was to the point, as is characteristic of all his talks. It was full of good advice and abounded in practical suggestions.

Dr. Thomas congratulated the class on the success they had attained. He calculated the cost of a college education, taking into account the wages that could be earned in the meantime, and came to the conclusion that three thousand dollars would be a good estimate. He spoke of the self-denial that had been undergone by the students and their parents at home. After all this hard work and expense, has the investment been a good one? Results alone can tell. Bishop Warren said that of all the population over twenty-one years of age only one man in thirteen hundred stood a chance of succeeding, but among college graduates the average increases so that one man in thirteen may succeed. This alone is worth the effort in acquiring an education.

The burden of his message was "Prepare Yourselves for the Best Things." Aim high. As the Roman boys in starting on a race said, "Plague take the hindmost." So the motto should now be, "Plague take mediocrity." Dr. Thomas' advice was to make sure of your line of work, and then pursue it diligently.

After the course has been formulated, what method should be pursued? Dr. Thomas enforced the idea of concentration or specialization. Specialization has become the proper method in all lines.

The tendency toward commercialism is the most powerful one of the day. The tendency is to measure everything by dollars and cents. Those who have chosen a profession, ought to correct this tendency.

When you have entered a profession you will see your classmate, who entered business, making money and becoming wealthier, while you made far better success in your college work than he. You may think him rich and yourself poor, but that is not the proper way to look at it. Gain is not all. The material ideal is not the ideal.

Mind is master. "As a man thinketh, so he is." A man is able to do a thing because he thinks he can. Keep your courage and faith vigorous and you will be successful. Hopes tend to vanish in middle life. Don't let them do it. Aim at the sun. You will reach the highest things by aiming above them.

After the talk, Dr. Crawford formally dismissed the class.

A Clipping.

Among the college teams, W. & J. keeps a winning, its latest victory being one from Grove City by a score of 3 to 2.

The West Virginia University is maintaining the strong winning form it has displayed all season, having won two from Ohio Wesleyan by large

scores last week. This team, Washington and Jefferson and Allegheny College are the pick of the college nines in Western Pennsylvania, and the two adjoining States.

Allegheny College must be counted in this trio, and is, perhaps, the best of the three. Thursday, this nine defeated W. & J. by a score of 16 to 7, in a game remarkable both for Allegheny's heavy batting and the number of 13s appearing in the summary. The team had 13 hits, 13 runs in the third inning and its pitcher struck out 13 men.—Review of Sports, Pittsburg Dispatch.

Athletic League.

On last Tuesday, representatives from Westminster, Geneva, Thiel and Allegheny met at Hotel Humes, in Mercer, to talk over the organization of an Athletic League of the colleges of Western Pennsylvania.

The delegates were: Geneva, Dr. Johnson; Westminster, Prof. Barnes, J. L. Mowry; Thiel, H. Seitz, D. B. Packard, captain of foot ball team; Allegheny, Prof. H. K. Munroe, Chas. M. Hatch. Prof. Barnes was chosen chairman of the meeting, and Prof. Munroe, secretary. The adoption of a constitution was discussed informally, and then a committee consisting of Pres't Johnson, Seitz and Prof. H. K. Munroe, was appointed to draft a constitution, and reported as follows:

PROPOSED CONSTITUTION.

I. Name and Object.—This Association shall be known as the Inter-collegiate Athletic League of Northwestern Pennsylvania, and its objects shall be (1) to secure purity in athletics and to abolish professionalism in all its forms; (2) to promote good fellowship among the colleges concerned.

II. Qualifications of Players.—(1) No player is to receive any remuneration for his playing. (2) Each candidate is to take at least 14 periods of recitation per week, and maintain a passing grade. (3) Each candidate for basket ball, base ball and field team must have been in college one full term previous to the term in which he competes.

III. Certificates.—Each team shall be certified for each game by the President of the college or, in his absence, by three members of the faculty.

IV. Guarantees.—A game and its return game shall be played for equal guarantees.

V. Games and meets.—Each team shall play two games with each other team in the sport in which it contests, and an annual meet in field and track events shall be held.

VI. Spalding's Guides shall be used for reference in case of dispute.

[Note to V. It is to be understood that any college may elect to omit any particular sport or sports of the four. It is also understood that colleges play any other teams they wish.]

President Johnson, of Geneva, presented a request from Grove City College that they be admitted to the league, but it was decided by those present that it would be best to complete the organization and admit other colleges later, if the league saw fit to do so. Grove City never has had a reputation for clean athletics and it is extremely doubtful if they would be willing to comply with all the rules of the league in the spirit of the law.

Thiel sent down four delegates, but two were not admitted to the conference.

The report of the committee on constitution has been put before the student body and voted upon. It is probable that no opposition will be raised to the league.

SENIOR-FACULTY GAME.

Wild and Hilarious Ball Playing at Athletic Park.

The annual base ball game between the Faculty and Senior class of Allegheny College was played Tuesday afternoon at Athletic Park. Some people perhaps went to the park expecting to see a good game of ball, but they had no business to make such a mistake. The uniforms were a hit and miss collection of base ball, golf and gymnasium suits, which occupied the field alternately.

Seven innings were played and during that time 12 men crossed the plate for the Faculty and 26 for the Seniors. At one time a man would take his base on three balls and the next time up would be out on two strikes, and most anyone ran the bases. Outfielders had a chance to sit in the shade and drink lemonade—or anything that suited their tastes—as nothing strayed so far away. —*Morning Star.*

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The CAMPUS for next year promises to be something great. It will be made a four-page weekly of regular newspaper size and there will be no more room for bets as to when the next issue will be out, for it will appear regularly. This is just what has been needed in college for some time. Since the *Lit.* put in an appearance, it has taken away a department of the CAMPUS which has no right to exist in any college paper, the literary department. It has been the aim of the CAMPUS this year to approach as near to the newspaper idea as was possible under the existing circumstances, and all literary matter has been politely but emphatically escorted waste-basketward. An up-to-date college paper has no room for essays or extracts from the composition book of a student, but should be a newsy newspaper, and this we are promised for next year. The new paper, for it will be new, should receive the hearty support and co-operation of every student in college, regardless of age, color, or former condition of servitude, and this we hope it will have. In closing, subscribe for next year's CAMPUS.

The Base Ball Season.

The college base ball season is closed and we find ourselves with a team worthy of our pride. The boys have played fine ball, having defeated all the colleges in Western Pennsylvania and Ohio that put up any pretense at pure athletics. The Grove City professionals beat us in four games, but that is no disgrace since their professionalism is so open. To take up the players and treat them as they should be treated would take too much space, for every man on the team has done his best and deserves all the praise we could give him. Coach Buckley was a great help to the team and much of our success was due to him.

The management has been criticised on several occasions, but remember that it is no easy job to take care of a team and bear the responsibility that rests on the average business manager. McGunnegle took the work with no previous experience as manager and did his work well. The team is some $60 behind, but the management is in no way to blame, and it is doubtless true that, had many another man held the job, the debt would have been still greater. We must admit that the success of the team was in part due to the management. Our team has won for Allegheny a name in athletics such as was never held before and we are proud of every member of it.

The next number of The CAMPUS will close up the work of the present board and we are not at all sorry. The work of getting out The CAMPUS is no little matter and the weight is still greater this year, due to the fact that there are some persons on the board who have done little or nothing toward helping with the work. One man has had the unadulterated nerve to stay on the list of editors all year and has never written a scratch for the paper. This we label *gall.* It seems but just that when a man finds that he is absolutely worthless in a position he should at least have the good grace to relieve the other editors of so much dead weight.

Most of the board have done good work and they should receive credit for their efforts. The work of the year was sadly hindered by the slowness in starting in the fall, but we are up to date with the issues now and take this time to beg the pardon of our subscribers for the tardiness of some of the numbers.

The last issue of The CAMPUS will appear shortly after commencement and will contain full accounts of commencement week happenings.

Local.

Grove City 5, Fredonia 1.

Washington and Jefferson, 1, Westminster 14.

May was recently elected business manager of next year's Glee Club.

Alpha Chi Omega entertained friends in their rooms Thursday evening, June 8.

The Y. M. C. A. held a lawn fete in front of Bentley, Saturday evening. Rather cool for ice cream.

Miss Porter recently delighted the Astronomy class with a full account of the meteoric shower of 1866 from the standpoint of an eye witness. Who has a better right?

Prof. Smallwood took all the young ladies in Biology I. up the canal last Saturday. Just how the professor managed to do all the rowing has not yet been satisfactorily explained, but this is certain—he took all the boats.

Dr. E. H. Pond, of Pittsburg, was here on Sunday to see his father, Dr. J. N. Pond, whose condition has been more serious of late, though on Sunday he showed some improvement. He returned to Pittsburg Sunday evening. Dr. Pond is an old Allegheny man.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Rev. Geo. B. Newcomb, pastor of the Fillmore Avenue Baptist church, Buffalo, N. Y., to Miss Mary E. Wolcott, of this city, which took place on June 22. Rev. Newcomb was formerly a student of Allegheny College and a member of the First Baptist Church, of this city, and has many friends here.

The Seniors will meet for dress rehearsal Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the Stone church.

Is this the way they recite in English II.: "Somebody wrote something about somebody."

Echo from the faculty ball game:
Mr. Wright—Homa, Homa, play out fahthah!

What's the matter with the Phi Gamma Delta boys' singing? The Hall girls say "It's all right."

Rev. Mr. Day, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Greenville, called on President W. H. Crawford recently.

Alva Horne, of Thiel College, visited his sister, Miss Zella Horne, class of '00, at Hulings Hall recently.

Miss Louise Hempstead has returned home from Ithaca, where she is attending Cornell University.

Phi Gamma Delta entertained several of their friends in a very enjoyable way on the evening of June 13,

The Centenary Oratorical contest was held in the college chapel Friday evening, June 9th. Homer Potter took first place.

The class in French II. feels very jubilant since Dr. Thomas said that it is the best class in that subject he has had for ten years.

How about this? At Conneaut Lake on Thursday a small boy walked up to Dr. Thomas and asked him to buy tickets for the dance.

McManigal had the best batting record on the team this season. We are unable to give the records of the other players as they were not properly kept.

The following are the committees of the Allegheny College Alumni Association, who will hold their annual reunion and banquet during Commencement week: Executive committee, Arthur L. Bates, J. C. Cotton, B. B. Pickett, Jr., M. Park Davis; committee of arrangements for banquet, B. B. Pickett, Jr., E. P. Cullum, W. B. Best, Lucy Pickett; committee to prepare program and send invitation to members of the Association, A. L. Bates, Dr. J. C. Cotton, Geo. W. Haskins, J. R. Andrews, Prof. E. M. Mixer, Dr. George Elliott, J. P. Colter.

The marriage of Charles C. Taylor, of Akron, and Miss Letitia, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Trace, formerly of this city, and now of Cleveland, is announced. The groom is of the Allegheny class of '97 and the bride of '96.

The Seniors have sent out the invitations for Commencement. The committee that ordered the invitations was composed of Mr. Rea, Mr. Reigh, Mr. Rha, Mr. Wrea, and Mr. Wreagh. The class is fortunate in being able to procure invitations having so few mistakes.

A movement is on foot among the students to petition the Board of Trustees, at their meeting next week, to abolish the prehistoric custom of compelling twelve members of the Senior class to speak on Commencement Day. The Junior class is heading the movement, which is most certainly a good one, and it is to be hoped that the board can be induced to see the error of their decision of two years ago and change the ruling. No up-to-date college can afford to make the commencement exercises so repulsive to the graduating class and their friends, but should aim to make the events of the day as pleasant as possible for all concerned. To listen to twelve crude orations is almost too much for human endurance on a June day. May the powers that be see the folly of their ways and abolish this practice.

Tennis.

The tournament held by the Tennis Association was held on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. The games were played on the Phi Delta Theta court on North street, Dr. Crawford's court and Miss Barnaby's court on Park avenue. The scores for men's singles was as follows:

Griffith* / Royce	6-1	6-0	
Masters* / Eaton	3-6	6-2	6-3
Secrist* / Baker	2-6	11-9	6-2
Dunn* / Ray	6-1	6-0	
Blaisdell* / Williams	6-3	4-6	6-0

Semi-finals:

Griffith* / McClure	6-4	3-6	6-3
Dunn* / Masters	9-7	2-6	6-2
Blaisdell* / Secrist	6-2	6-4	
Dunn* / Griffith	6-2	6-4	

Finals:

Dunn* / Blaisdell	7-5	6-3	6-4

Men's doubles:

Hyskell and Royce / Secrist and Blaisdell*	3-6	2-6		
Baker and Dunn* / Masters and Griffith	8-6	6-1		
Williams and McClure* / Ray and Leet	6-4	6-3		
Secrist and Blaisdell* / Williams and McClure	3-6	6-3	6-4	

Finals:

Secrist and Blaisdell / Baker and Dunn*	6-2	6-3	6-3	

Ladies' doubles:

Misses Hempstead and Rose* / Misses McAllister and Batchelder	6-1	6-1	
Misses Moore and Hart* / Misses Blakesley and Borrell	6-2	6-1	

Finals:

Misses Hempstead and Rose* / Misses Moore and Hart	6-1	6-1	6-1	

Kaldron.

The *Kaldron* is out! For weeks the student body, together with their friends of the faculty, have been watching for the book and it is here. Young and old, great and small, alike have eagerly awaited the appearance of the '99 *Kaldron* and now their waiting is at an end and the only thing left is to sit quietly by and praise the book, for anything else is useless.

The *Kaldron* board is to be congratulated on getting out so creditable a book in the short time given them. We have seen better books and books with more in them, but we have no adverse criticism to offer. There are a few things in the book that might have been improved on, but such

features as the Kaldron Art Exhibit No. 1, Dooley on Allegheny, and others, cover a multitude of sins.

The Senior group is a decided improvement over last year's individual pictures, but there is better material at hand for a good picture; Dr. Crawford s picture is not even as good looking as the doctor himself; but the finest thing in the photograph line are the numerous pictures of Gym, alias Buckie, to be found on every other page at the special request of the professor himself. Some of the roasts were too hot and a few people in college have a little room to kick, but taken as a whole the *Kaldron* isn't so bad after all.

Grove City Again.

Our base ball team was defeated in two games with the professionals from Grove City College at Conneaut Lake, Thursday and Friday of last week. Our boys are not in the same class with the team they met and it is no disgrace to be turned down. The games were played at Exposition Park and quite a number of Meadville people were present.

Base Ball Games.

The following is the entire list of games played this year by the college team:

Fredonia, 8; Allegheny, 10.
Buchtel, 2; Allegheny, 12.
Denison, 4; Allegheny, 20.
Muskingum, 3; Allegheny, 8.
O. W. U., 1; Allegheny, 7.
McElwain, 4; Allegheny, 9.
Grove City, 3; Allegheny, 2.
Geneva, 3; Allegheny, 13
Kiskiminetas, 6; Allegheny, 5.
Waynesburg, 7; Allegheny, 13.
W. & J., 9; Allegheny, 12.
Westminster, rain.
O. W. U., 0; Allegheny, 9.
Grove City, 7; Allegheny, 3.
Cuban X Giants, 7; Allegheny, 1.
W. & J., 7; Allegheny, 16.
Grove City, 10; Allegheny, 3.
Grove City, 6; Allegheny, 1.
Totals—Opponents, 64; Allegheny, 125.
Games played, 17.
Games won, 11.
Games lost, 6.

Lost to professional teams—To Grove City, 4; Cuban X Giants, 1.

Longfellow Up to Date.

Tell me not, ye mournful grumblers,
Life is but an empty dream;
For 'tis not so hard with the tumblers,
In a college foot ball-team.

Life to them is real, earnest,
And before they reach the goal
They have got to pay the dernest
Lot of energy for toil.

Not enjoyment and not sorrow
Is their destined end of way;
But to grind the bones and marrow
Of the fellows in the play.

Game is war; the foot ball fleeting
Calls them on to conflict brave,
And they go forth, oft retreating
To an armless, legless grave.

In the college "campus" battle,
In the game that threatens life,
Long-haired bipeds plunge like cattle,
They are wild men in the strife.

Lives of foot-ball fiends remind us
We can make our lives sublime;
By the privilege assigned us
Kill a man and do no crime.

We may do unto another
Damage with our cultured main;
Make of him a shipwrecked brother,
Nursing his disabling pain.

Let us then be up and doing,
With a swift, shin-splitting gait,
Still a bag of wind pursuing,
Learn to kick the blamed thing straight.

—*Humphrey Krash.*

Ten scholarships, only open to Cuban young men, have been established at Lafayette.—Ex.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines," by Murat Halstead, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the roar of battle at the fall of Manila. Bonanza for agents. Brimful of original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low prices. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy unofficial war books. Outfit free. Address, H. L. Barber, Gen. Mngr. 356 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

Alumni.

'94. Miss Elva Bascom, who for some time has been on the editorial staff of the *Chautauquan*, expects to attend the Library School at Albany, N. Y., next year.

'89. Mr. William Twining is chief engineer of the Union Traction Co. in Philadelphia. Associated with him are E. A. Hersperger, '90, and Bennett Porter, '93.

'90. Mr. F. C. Bray, who now holds a position on the *Literary Digest*, New York City, has been appointed editor-in-chief of the *Chautauquan*, to be located in Cleveland, Ohio.

Exchanges.

"The ever wakeful echo here doth dwell."—*Fay.*

You can ride a horse to water
But you cannot make him drink,
You can ride your little pony,
But you cannot make him think.

—Ex.

Ohio has the largest number of college students in the Union, one-third of whom are women.—Ex.

The small college has the small clientage, there is consequently comradeship. The larger college has acquaintances, but not friends.—Ex.

SUNRISE.

Amber cloud-lands, rimmed with saffron
Afloat in a lucent sky.
Spectres fleeing from hill and meadow
Whisper a presence nigh.

Disc of crimson, veiled in ether
(Anger, softened, subdued)
Greeting the kiss of the quivering heavens
Like a maiden gently wooed.

Hushed the earth at scene so sacred—
The betrothal of the sun!
And mountain and valley awake to the splendor.
For love and life are one.

—*Amherst Lit. Monthly.*

President Thwing, of Western Reserve University, in a recent address to the students of Syracuse University said: "It is significant that we call the college not *almus pater* but *alma mater*. She gives to us intellectual life and cradles that life in its feebleness. It is almost as rare to find a son complaining of his college as it is to find him complaining of his home. Happy is the man who has two mothers whom he reverences."—Ex.

Who runs to every game that's played,
Who does his hair like every maid,
Whose manner's the reverse of staid?
The college boy.

Who wears a long and yellow coat?
Can you give points about a boat,
Though all he knows is, it can float?
The college boy.

Who yells like bedlam thro' the street,
Shouts himself hoarse when his side beats,
Insists on treating all he meets?
The college boy.

Who has shocking tastes as to his hat,
But best of taste as to his bat,
But whom we love in spite of that?
The college boy.

—Ex.

Jane had a little bow,
Oh,
how
sweet!
Jane's little bow was
At
her
feet.
Then came another bow,
A rival and a clipper,
Now they each are
On
a
slipper.

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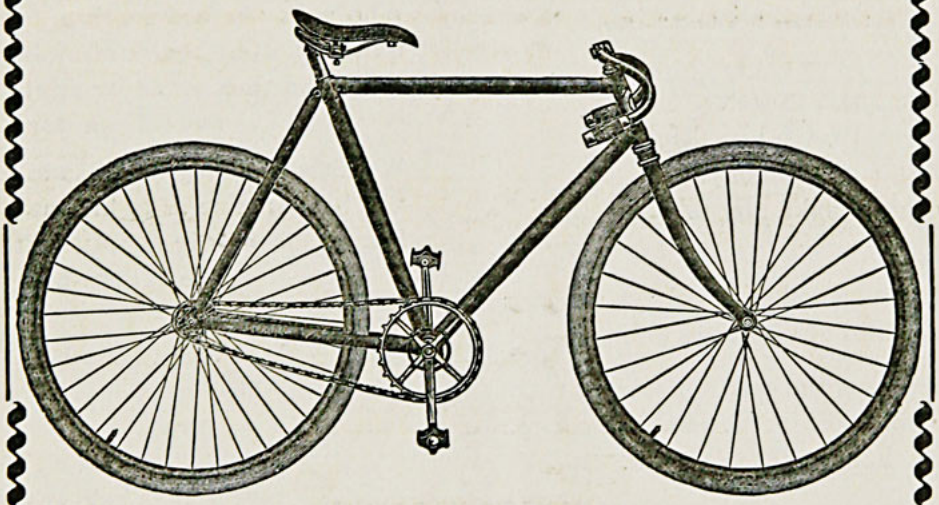
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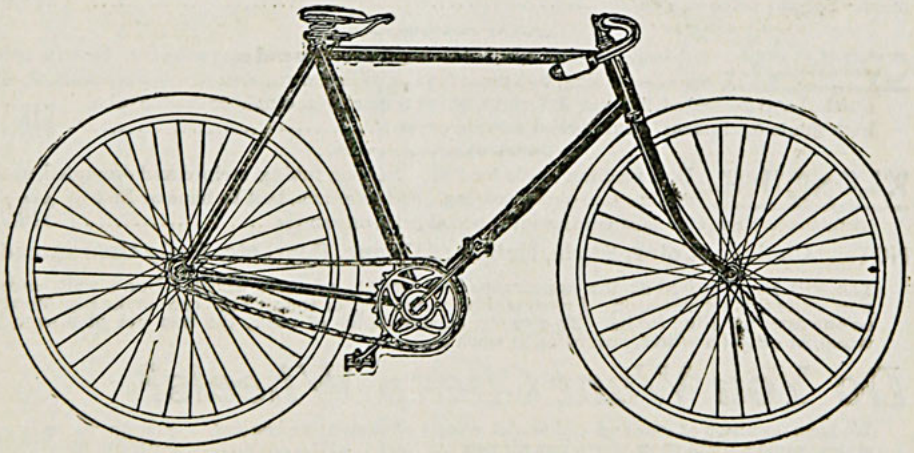
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