

A One-sided Game

Trainload of Allegheny Rooters Sees Team Defeated at Grove City.

By the overwhelming score of 54 to 0, the Allegheny football team was defeated by the strong Grove City aggregation at the latter's grounds on last Saturday, November 13. The game, as is indicated by the score, was wholly one-sided, and was so listlessly played as to take almost all interest from it.

A crowd of seventy-five enthusiastic rooters left the local Bessemer railroad station with the team at 12:30. So great was the spirit of the bunch that they could hardly wait until their destination was reached. They enlivened the trip down with several loud yells and songs. Mr. Arthur Bave, the genial Cochran Hall steward, served sandwiches and fruit to those on the train who had not had lunch.

The game began shortly after the team and rooters arrived at the athletic park. The day was almost ideal for an athletic contest, and the only criticism was that it was a trifle too warm to enliven the players for the game. However, the air was perfectly still, scarcely moving the pennants in the hands of the Grove City co-eds, who were well represented on the sidelines.

Allegheny's only hope for a score came after about the first two minutes of play when, after Grove City had kicked off to them, they ran the ball to within fifteen yards of the goal, but unfortunately lost it on downs. After this they were never within even striking distance of the posts, and it was but a question of counting the Grove City touchdowns.

There was unquestionably something radically wrong with Captain Kennedy's team, for the indications of the other scores of the two teams show that they were well matched, and seemed to predict a good game. The Grove City team was in fine condition, and was perfectly keyed for the contest. On the other hand it is thought that Allegheny was either a trifle over-confident or was almost forgetting this game in the expectation of the big Carnegie Tech game to be played here today.

The stars for Westminster were Marks and Acheson, both doing excellent work in carrying the ball. For Allegheny, if there could have been any stars in such a game, they were Weidler, Leffel and Hawk. Practically all the gains made by Allegheny were made by Weidler and Leffel, while the defensive work of Hawk was prominent.

The line-up and summary follows:
Allegheny—0. Grove City—54.
Hawk L. E. Jones
Kennedy L. T. Ginsbeger
Bodenhorn L. G. Mills
Hickernell L. G. Cole
Dotterer R. G. Harbison
Piper R. T. McCully
Stidger R. E. Allen
Ballinger R. E. Baker
Weidler Q. B. Locke
Leffel R. H. Shaw
Hendricks R. H. Leffel
Abbott F. B. Acheson
Referee—Curtis of Cornell.
Umpire—Craven of Indiana Normal.

Time of Halves—Twenty minutes.
Touchdowns—Marks 4, Acheson 3, Shaw 1, Jones 1.
Goals Kicked—Locke 9.

A CHRISTMAS TRIP.

The Glee and Mandolin Clubs are holding regular practices during the week, under the direction of the club leaders. The songsters and mandolin ticklers are getting in shape for the coming trips which Manager Hickernell has been arranging for the musicians.

It is understood that there will be a Harmonsburg engagement for the club before the holidays. Plans are rapidly being settled for the boys to start on the Christmas trip. The club will give concerts at a number of places in the vicinity of Pittsburgh.

A concert is to be given under the auspices of the Junior class of the Meadville high school early next month. This will take the place of the play usually given by the class to raise money for their annual banquet to the Seniors. An opportunity will thus be given to hear the Glee Club at home.

Doctor Crawford Expected

Will Arrive in Meadville Sometime Today For a Brief Stay—Comes Direct From Florence, Italy

Professor Dutton announced to the students at the chapel service Wednesday morning that he had received word that President William H. Crawford was in New York City, and would reach Meadville on Friday. At a late hour yesterday, he had not arrived, but was expected at any moment.

President Crawford left New York last July for an extended trip to

Europe, and intended to remain abroad until next summer. The reason for his return at this time is not known, but it is stated on good authority that it is in no way connected with the college. He comes direct from Florence, Italy.

It is expected that he will be in Meadville only for a brief time, and that he will rejoin Mrs. Crawford in Florence in a few weeks.

RESERVES LOST.

Sharon High Too Strong for Allegheny's Second Team.

The Allegheny second team was easily defeated by the Sharon High School eleven on Saturday, by a score of 31 to 3. The game was played with ideal weather conditions, and the gridiron was in fine shape for the contest. Had the local crowd played the last five minutes of the game with the same persistence as was exercised up until that time, the final tally would not have been so large.

During the first half, Sharon made but two touchdowns, kicking goal once. Firestone booted the ball between the goal posts for a field goal, the half ending 11 to 3. In fifteen minutes of the second half, the Sharon lads landed but one touchdown. But at this point Allegheny weakened, and in the remaining five minutes, Sharon crossed the goal three times. They missed all of the goals, however, and when the whistle blew, Sharon had to their credit 31 points.

The line-up of the teams was as follows:

Allegheny—3. Sharon—31.
Grant L. E. Morgan
Sheffer L. T. Hannah
Small L. G. Reno
Leitzel C. Smith
Palmer R. G. Canon
McNulty R. T. Adams
Wieler R. E. Gibbons
Firestone Q. B. Lafferty
Strawn L. H. Warren
Rossiter R. H. Caldwell
Fife F. B. McLaughrey
Substitutions—Mallet for Gibbons, T. McLaughrey for Canon, Kolb for Morgan. Touchdowns—McLaughrey 3, Hannah, Warren, Adams. Goal from Touchdown—McLaughrey. Goal from Field—Firestone. Referee—Morgan. Umpire—Hartzell. Time of Halves—20 minutes.

AT WORK EARLY.

Coach Stewart has called a meeting of all those who expect to be candidates for positions on the track team, at 1:30 next Tuesday, in the gymnasium. Arrangements will then be made to have all who can, begin work at once, so that they will be in excellent condition when the actual track season opens.

A. B. Hines, captain of the track team stated that the team would either have a trip to Philadelphia or Harrisburg in the spring and that it was even now an assured fact that the team will represent the college in the "Big Six" meet composed of the following Ohio institutions: Wooster, Case, Oberlin, Ohio State, Ohio Wesleyan University and Kenyon. As usual the Conneaut Lake meet will close the season and it is thought that the schedule may include a triangular meet between University of Pittsburgh, Carnegie Tech and Allegheny.

An effort is being made to have the athletic field back of the gymnasium laid out in a track on which the men may practice this fall.

WILL READ A PAPER.

The entire college body, as well as all friends of the school will be pleased to learn that another signal honor has come to a popular and well known member of the faculty, Dr. Edwin Lee. A recent communication extends an invitation to him to read a paper before the meeting of the State Educational Association to be held in Harrisburg, December 28. The prestige and favorable notice brought to the school by such public recognition is a source of no little pride to all lovers of Allegheny.

DUZER-DU TO PLAY

"SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER"

Goldsmith's Classic Decided Upon at Last Meeting.

At the last meeting of the Duzer-Du, the club finally decided that the production which they would stage this year would be the famous classic of Oliver Goldsmith, "She Stoops to Conquer."

This decision was arrived at only after much discussion and investigation by the members during the past few weeks. Plays of all kinds and descriptions were considered, there being a great variance of opinion among the members. However, "She Stoops to Conquer," was finally decided to be the best play which could be put on this year. The decision of the club will be presented to the faculty for their sanction, and there is little doubt that this will readily be secured.

It is the intention of the club to hold the competition some time within the next week, in order that the cast may be entirely selected before the Christmas recess and the players may be rehearsing their lines during vacation. The competition will be held on practically the same basis on which the cast of "The Rivals" was chosen last year except that it will be more systematized and carried out more than before according to definite rules laid down by the club. A committee to arrange these matters has been appointed, and it will begin work at once.

The date for the competition will be announced soon but before this a meeting will probably be held of all those intending to compete for parts.

THE OLD AND THE NEW.

Paper by Mr. Talcott Williams Read Before Classical Club Tuesday Evening.

The Classical Club held an open meeting at seven o'clock last Tuesday evening in the chapel oratory. The entire hour was occupied by the reading of the address delivered by Mr. Talcott Williams before Phi Beta Kappa here last commencement week. The subject of the lecture was "The Old Learning and the New." The paper was read by Dr. W. A. Elliott.

The address of Mr. Williams is a practical one. In it he compares the study of the classical languages with the modern courses of instruction. He gives the data of facts relative to the comparative number of students engaged in the study of Greek and Latin during the past half century. These figures are interesting, and show the rise and fall in the demand for classic instruction. Very clearly, too, is brought out the necessity and advantages of the so-called "dead" languages as the foundation for a liberal education.

It is interesting to note that Allegheny's proportion of students enrolled in the Greek and Latin courses is far in advance of the average worked out by Mr. Williams.

ENTER BASKET BALL.

With the close of the foot ball season this afternoon, basket ball will take its place in college circles. Captain Baker is expected to call practice at once. There is no need for any Allegheny supporter to tremble for the team that will defend the gold and blue this season. Of the six men who last year made A's there are five in school, and in addition, all of the substitutes are back. Some of these men are already in first class physical condition from foot ball work.

This Afternoon

Allegheny Will Meet Tech at Athletic Park. Last Game of the Season.

When the representative teams of Carnegie Tech and Allegheny meet at Athletic Park this afternoon the game which will result will be an interesting one, whatever the outcome may be. The score will not be big one way or the other for the teams are too evenly matched. Tech, it is true, has made a good record thus far in the season and is doubtless expecting an easy victory this afternoon. This very fact, it is thought may do much toward bringing the victory to Allegheny—at least insuring a low score. The team that is over-confident will not play as good a game as the one which knows that it will have to fight tooth and nail for the victory.

The scores of the Tech team so far in the season have been a credit to the team. They have lost but two games, these being to Marietta and Lehigh, two strong schools. They have beaten, among others, Westminster, Franklin and Marshall and Western Reserve, the latter being an intensely close game. Tech has had throughout the season the benefits of coaching by several experienced and skilled men, which fact has strengthened them materially.

During the past week, Coach Stewart has been putting Captain Kennedy and his gang through perhaps the stiffest work of the season in the way of practice and consistent training. No scrimmage practice has been held since last Wednesday on account of the unfavorable climatic conditions. Instead, however, the team has been doing some hard work in the gymnasium, going over the signals and drilling in offensive and defensive formations which are to be used today. The coach has been trying, it is said, several new methods of offensive attack which have shown up favorably in practice. The defensive side has also been taken care of and several new systems will be put into practice today.

The line-up is still indefinite and many changes are apt to be made during the game. However, Coach Stewart has given out the following list as the men from whom the team will be picked:

L. E.—Hawk, Stidger; L. T.—Kennedy, (Capt.); L. G.—Gibbs, Ball; C.—Hendricks, Cole; R. G.—Dotterer, Bodenhorn; R. T.—Piper, Bodenhorn; R. E.—Abbott, Ballinger; Q. B.—Baker, Weidler; L. H.—Leffel; R. H.—Weidler; F. B.—Lavelly, Dotterer.

DR. SMITH AT BEAVER.

Dr. E. A. Smith attended the installation Tuesday evening of Dr. W. W. Foster as president of Beaver college. Dr. Smith was among the representatives of thirty colleges who were present to express the good wishes of their institutions at the installation exercises. Quite impressive ceremonies were observed, even the student body doing its share. Bishops Anderson and Hamilton were the speakers of the occasion.

Dr. Foster and his wife are well liked, and start on their new career with every prospect of success. It appears, also, that the college is in better shape than ever before and has good prospects of receiving a substantial increase in endowment.

CORPORATION TAX LOSES.

There was only a fair attendance at the meeting of the Forum Thursday afternoon, but some good work was done. The question was: "Resolved, that the corporation tax as adopted by the last Congress should be abolished." The affirmative speakers were Weeter and Yost, and the negative, George and Rial. The decision was in favor of the affirmative by a majority of one vote.

With the next meeting, the new officers take charge. The Forum is already thinking of the 'Varsity debates, and increased interest is being shown each week.

AT MISS WHITE'S.

Miss Elma White entertained a number of college and sorority friends at her home on West College street, Thursday evening. Music and candy making were some of the forms of entertainment.

An Alden Relic

Timothy Alden's Armchair Presented to College With Appropriate Chapel Exercises.

A very impressive chapel service came in the nature of a surprise to the student body Thursday morning. After the usual services and the reading of an extract, appreciative of the foot ball team, from a letter sent by Dr. Crawford, Acting President Dutton asked Dr. Smith to address the student body.

In a forceful and effective manner Dr. Smith referred to the place of traditions in Allegheny college, and told of the struggles of our founder, Timothy Alden. At the close he appealed for an appreciation of the work, the benefits of which we are all partakers. Prof. Dutton told in an interesting fashion of the place of an heirloom in his own family. He then spoke of a college heirloom which was brought in at the appropriate time and placed on the platform. It is an old, roomy, green arm chair, the study chair of Timothy Alden.

This arm chair first was given to a Mr. Luper, who resided in this city in the same house where the first Methodist services were held in this city. It then came into the possession of a Mr. Beatty, who lived near Cochran, and finally it became the property of a friend of the college. To this friend Allegheny is indebted for the gift of the chair. In this chair, Professor Dutton stated, Timothy Alden was accustomed to sit; in it he had his dream of the millions of unborn men and women who were to be benefited by the college of his founding; in it he wrote his books, copies of which are still in our library; in it he wrote his sermons, which were many; in it he planned his missionary trips, of which he took several; and in it he wrote the pages of what was probably the first monthly magazine published west of the Alleghenies, "The Allegheny Magazine."

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THE CAMPUS CONSTITUTION.

In another column there appears an article by the literary editor describing a plan which is advocated concerning a change in the number of offices on the Campus board. It is timely, because committees representing the College Council and the Quill Club are at work revising the Campus competition rules.

The plan as described by Mr. Hillman was advocated by at least one member of the committee which drew up the original constitution, but was over-ruled because the rest of the committee thought the plan of having a separate editor for each department would result in more and better competition, and thus in a better paper. But four years of experience has shown conclusively that the present system is not flawless. For instance, but two of the departments were satisfactorily covered last week. The spring "obituary" of the editor in memory of his deceased staff has become an annual feature of the Campus, and is proof of the incompleteness of the present system. It is for that reason that we favor a change.

The Committee of Revision should provide for the consideration by the judges of the printed matter of the competitors. As it is, manuscripts, and manuscripts only, go before the judges. There is no inducement to competitors to encourage them to get their copy in early.

For the four years during which the present rules have been in effect, changes have been necessary each year. The committees at work now have plenty of time, and a constitution should result which will meet the conditions for years to come.

ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY TODAY

Foot ball stock at Allegheny took a sudden drop last Saturday afternoon. The gradual rise which culminated in the Westminster game the week before, was nearly all lost. Its present rating is not known.

To say that the game was loosely played is a mild way of putting it. But, lest our judgment be too premature, it will be withheld for another week, because the team has an opportunity today. And stockholders will be watching the team's way of meeting that opportunity.

A REDEEMING FEATURE.

If ever rooters worked hard for victory, those did who accompanied the Allegheny team to Grove City last Saturday. They yelled before the game, during the game, and after the game. They didn't stop when defeat was sure; every play was started with an Allegheny demonstration. The Grove City cheer leader had the advantage in numbers and in victory, but he said he never saw anything like the Allegheny spirit. The cheering was a redeeming feature of the game.

Another redeeming feature was Grove City's treatment of the Allegheny team. From the time the train arrived until the time of departure, every possible courtesy was extended.

OUR TRADITIONS.

The presentation of Timothy Alden's chair to the college adds another to Allegheny's collection of priceless relics. And besides, it fixes more firmly in our minds traditions which have been handed down for years.

Several great universities are just beginning to realize the value of college traditions, and it was with a feeling of pride that we heard Dr. Smith tell of the recognition given Allegheny in this respect.

"I WAS PLEASED."

Prof. Dutton has received a letter from President W. H. Crawford in which he sends his greetings to the foot ball warriors. He said:

"Tell the foot ball men how much I was pleased over the news of the Westminster game. It was fine. I wish I could have been there."

This is real interest on the part of the man who has done so much for Allegheny.

A NEW SYSTEM.

Mr. Hillman's Views Concerning the Selection of the Campus Board. To the College Council and the Quill Club:

It appears that now, when there is some little discussion over two of the positions on the Campus board, is an opportune time to offer a suggestion or two concerning an alteration in the composition of the board. These suggestions are not original with the writer as they have already been discussed in some college circles.

Briefly stated, the plan would abolish the present system of having a Campus board made up of an Editor-in-Chief, Associate, Athletic, Literary, Local, Exchange, Alumni and Society editors, substituting instead a staff consisting of Editor-in-Chief, Assistant Editor and a board of Associate editors with a membership not to exceed four or five. It would be the duty of this staff to look after such news departments as the Editor-in-Chief would assign.

The Assistant Editor would be considered practically on a level with these except that in case of the disability or absence of the Editor-in-Chief he would assume that position. On this account he might, perhaps, have a larger share in the mechanical work of reading proof and making up the paper than would the Associate Editors.

The advantages of this plan over the present one can be but briefly sketched in the scope of this article.

In the first place, the inconvenience caused the Editor-in-Chief when some member of the staff fails to do his work properly would be eliminated, since all the work to be done each week could be parcelled out among the members of the staff willing to do the work. At present the inactivity of one member of the staff results in the overburdening either of the Editor-in-Chief or of some willing member of the staff.

Latitude, also, would be left the Editor-in-Chief to give men such assignments as, in his estimation, they could best "cover." It often happens, in the final levelling process of competition, that a man is placed in a position for which he has but indirectly competed, or perhaps a man of uncommon ability has competed for or has been assigned to some comparatively insignificant editorship. In either case the proposed system would tend to have such a man do the work he could perform best.

The advantage which I will state last, but which is by no means the final one, applies more specifically to the conditions of competition. Instead of there being heavy competition for one office, little for another and perhaps none for a third, there would be a number of people competing for a certain definite number of Associate Editorships. The four or five students submitting best material would be chosen members of the staff and a good man could not be kept off the board merely because he had been beaten in the contest for a much sought office. If it is objected that under the present system an effort is made to look out for such cases, the rejoinder is very plain that under the varying conditions now surrounding competition for different offices, it is almost impossible to do this with justice to every competitor.

PAUL M. HILLMAN.

A STATEMENT.

Action of the Five Fraternities Regarding the Kaldron.

We, the undersigned fraternities, have agreed to the following statement:

We do now, as heretofore, strive for the betterment of Allegheny College, and in pursuance thereof, on our own initiative, without having been asked, urged, or petitioned, from any source whatsoever, have thoroughly investigated the method of publishing the Allegheny College year book, known as the Kaldron; and we have decided to publish the year book this year as heretofore, believing it to be for the best interests of Allegheny College; and to make a thorough investigation of conditions both at home and at other colleges, with a view as to the practicability of giving over the year book to the body capable of publishing the best possible book.

(Signed)

PHI KAPPA PSI.
PHI GAMMA DELTA.
DELTA TAU DELTA.
PHI DELTA THETA.
SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON.

ALUMNI.

A letter has been received by Dr. Elliot from Mr. H. B. Mansell, who is now principal of the Jean Hamilton Training School in Amoy, China. The substance of the letter is as follows:

"Although I am somewhat of a wanderer upon the face of the earth, my heart often turns back to Allegheny. Much of my time is occupied in the study of Chinese and Malay, and while struggling with these I often think of Greek. Greek, with its rules and few exceptions, is easy compared to Chinese with its one rule and all exceptions. If any students in your classes complain that you work them too hard, tell them that it is good for them.

Malay is very different, more pleasing in sound and not difficult in grammar. It is very useful in dealing with the students from Java and Sumatra. We already have, in the training school, three native Japanese and a Battak from Sumatra. I think that the rapid development in Malaysia during the next ten years, will be in Java. There is a large and dense population, 500 persons to the square mile—and though there are Dutch societies at work, the field is by no means occupied. Our chief lack is suitable books for the teaching and training of our people. The books brought by the Dutch are all intensely Calvinistic of the old type, such as I never found at home."

H. W. Taylor in California.

The many friends of Mr. Herbert W. Taylor, '03, in Meadville will be pleased to learn of his advancement to the position of general manager of the Overland Oil company, with headquarters in Bakersfield, California.

Mr. Taylor's old home is in Petrolia, Pa., in the heart of the oil regions, and he literally grew up in the business. He graduated from Allegheny college in 1903 with high honors, since which time he has been located at Orange, N. J. Mr. Taylor was considered one of the best athletes who ever attended Allegheny college. He played on the foot ball team at the same time as Lampe, McCartney, and other stars who have long since graduated and settled down in business. Mr. Taylor was also a splendid base ball player and pitched many a victory for Allegheny.

DR. AND MRS. G. A. MULFINGER ENTERTAIN.

Last Saturday evening Dr. and Mrs. Mulfinger entertained the members of the faculty at their home on Loomis street. A course dinner was the first means of entertainment, after which the rest of the evening was given over to other social features. Music was furnished to the guests at intervals and helped to make the function a success.

Cornell is planning to erect a bronze tablet in Sage Chapel in honor of Ross C. Marvin, '05, who was drowned on the Peary expedition.

The mascot of the University of Iowa foot ball team is a large cinnamon bear, which is kept in a cage near the bleachers.

Night football practice has been started on the tan-bark floor of the stock judging pavillion at Wisconsin.

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LED BY GRANDEY.

The Y. M. C. A. prayer meeting Wednesday evening was a singularly helpful service. Grandey, who led the meeting, stated that the purpose of the meeting would not be to have all the talking done by one person, but to have suggestions and brief talks by any of the men attending who felt that they could say anything on the subject. This plan was very successfully followed out.

Grandey's talk was on resisting temptation and the strength which results from resisting temptation. An example from the leader's own personal experience greatly helped in fixing the lessons which he desired to impress on his hearers. The responses from the men took up about half of the time of the meeting and were noteworthy for their directness.

THANKSGIVING PARTY.

Invitations have been issued for the annual Thanksgiving party at the Hall. They read as follows:

"Miss Fraser and the young ladies of Hulings Hall, at home, November the twenty-fifth, from eight to ten thirty."

If the standard set by previous years is measured up to, a good time is in store for all who are fortunate enough to be invited.

KAPPA ALPHA THETA INITIATES

Saturday evening, November 13th, Kappa Alpha Theta initiated the following: Miss Muza Anchors, Miss Annie Bishop, Miss Helen Dutton, Miss Beulah Grauel, Miss Florence Griswold, Miss Clara Hutchinson, Miss Dorothy Sansom, and Miss Florence Senn. The occasion was rendered especially pleasant by the presence of Miss Iris Barr, of Titusville, a charter member of the chapter.

Others in attendance were: Miss Claribelle Wilkins, of Wilkinsburg,

Miss Bess Dutton, of Ben Avon, Mrs. Haynes, of Saerman, N. Y., Miss Ethel Canfield and Miss Mae Straw, of Cambridge Springs, Mrs. Kirschen-er, of Erie, Miss Julia Heibel, Miss Lenore Lytle and Miss Phoebe Fin-ley, of Warren, Miss Mary Sansom, of Clarion.

Y. W. C. A.

Professor Ross was the leader of the Y. W. C. A. prayer meeting, Wednesday evening. The subject, "The New Commandments," was taken up in a new and very interesting way. In his remarks, he spoke of how hard it is for anyone to change his habits in any way; so it was hard for the Hebrew people to change from the old commandments to those given in the New Testament.

The Old Testament laws were specified, and could thereby be evaded, while the two new commandments were such that they placed a person on his honor. By the later commandments, a person is not ordered as a servant, but asked, and is therefore a co-worker. And finally Professor Ross quoted the sentence, "Religion is not a part of life, but a kind of life."

LIBRARY NOTES.

A valuable addition has been made to the library collection in the acquisition of an eight volume set of a standard Encyclopedia of Civil Engineering. The books are handsomely bound, and are edited by competent authorities.

Other recent additions are the following:

"German Literature."—Thomas.

Lessing's "Hamburgische Dramaturg." Edited by Harris.

"The Nibelungenlied."—Needler.

"The Holy Graal," translated from the French by Sebastian Evans.

THE FIRST ISSUE.

Volume Fourteen, Number One, of the Allegheny Literary Monthly Takes College By Storm.

The Literary Monthly made its initial appearance for the year on last Saturday, and the first issue is quite promising. The publication is handsomely bound in a gold cover with blue type. The cover is slightly different from that of former years, and the change is for the better.

H. H. Lamb writes a neat little college story, the plot of which, so he says, actually happened. So it is not a "story," as a child understands that term.

"The Gossip of Beaverville," by Miss Nelle Gleave, portrays in true style the characteristic talkative ability of the inhabitants of the back woods. It is one of the best of the articles in the book.

J. Frank Sayre, in his "The Mission of Jeanne d'Arc," pictures the life-work of a great soul. The attainment of success and the realization of an ideal, may be construed as the result of human effort. It corroborates the meaning of the motto, "You can because you think you can."

"Her Class Night" has a clever plot, conceived in the mind of an anonymous writer. It brings up the question of college efficiency. Who really is getting the best things in college?

E. A. Apple deals with a phase of journalism. "The Country Newspaper" has been supplemented by other larger publications which have received their inspirations from the smaller literary efforts. It is an excellent beginning for the series of journalistic stories promised.

"A Pig Tail Yarn," by Miss Sarah McKnight, tells of the peculiar origin of the Chinaman's queue. The story makes an interesting "yarn."

Miss Ethel M. Berry writes an interesting college tale entitled, "At the Eleventh Hour." The moral is, "Never Too Late." Many contracts are formed and many auction sales are effected at the last minute.

The remainder of the monthly is taken up with the editor's apology, the "Arena," alumni notes and exchanges.

MRS. PORTER AT CHAPEL.

When Mrs. Porter appeared as a visitor in chapel Thursday morning a feeling of hopeful expectancy was aroused among those who had heard her play in previous years. They were consequently not surprised when Acting-President Dutton introduced Mrs. Porter as follows:

"I have been permitted during the past few weeks to give you several treats; treats that were unexpected to me and unexpected to you. I am permitted this morning to offer you the best in the list. I think you will agree with me."

Mrs. Porter's program was divided into three parts, as follows:

- I.—Introduction to Lohengrin.
- II. (a) Chanson Ballad... Bachman
- (b) Romance... Tours
- III.—Fantazie... Mrs. Flavia D. Porter

LITERARY ARTISTS AT HOME.

The regular monthly meeting of the Quill Club will be held in the club's room at the Library on Monday evening at the usual time. Mr. Fixel and Miss Beebe have charge of the program. The subject is "College Traditions" and Hilborn, Miss Loane, Maxwell and George will participate in the program. Other features are planned which will not be divulged until the meeting.

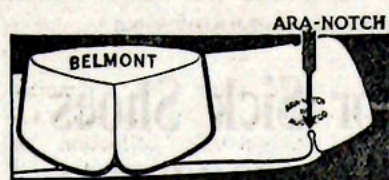
"A STUBBORN CINDERELLA."

The College Musical Comedy at the Academy Next Week.

Almost direct from the New Princess Theatre in Chicago comes the best musical production of the year, "A Stubborn Cinderella." This new musical show is under the direction of Mort H. Singer, and the critics of Chicago when the play was first produced declared it to be the greatest musical production ever staged.

"A Stubborn Cinderella" is headed by Willard Curtiss, who is making a tremendous hit in musical comedy. Some of the big song hits are "When You First Kiss the Last Girl You Love," "I'm In Love With All the Girls I Know," "What's the Use," and "Adios Senorita."

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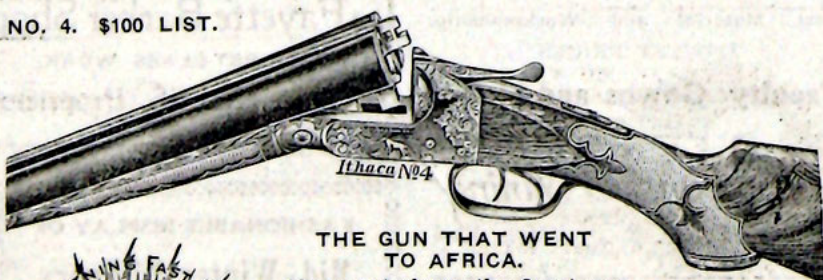
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AT HULINGS HALL.

Miss Lottie Smith spent Sunday at her home.

Miss Lina Power, '12, spent Sunday at her home.

Miss Martha Lewis was in Cambridge Saturday.

Miss Ruth Townley was a guest at the Hall Sunday.

Miss Hazel Emery, '10, spent Sunday at her home.

Miss Marie Fisher spent Sunday at her home in Sharon.

Miss Una Duffy, '11, spent Sunday at her home in Corry.

Miss Mary Lowe was a guest at the Hall for dinner Wednesday.

Miss Margaretta Jones, '11, spent Sunday at her home in Erie.

Miss Louise Lord was a guest at the Hall for dinner Saturday.

Miss Ada Thompson, '13, spent Sunday at her home in Cochran.

Miss Ethel Mills, '09, was a guest at the hall for supper Saturday evening.

Miss Beyer was the guest of her niece, Miss Virginia Beyer, '13, Tuesday.

Miss Johnson and Miss Thoburn were guests at Hulings Sunday evening.

Miss Ida Preston and her mother were guests at the Hall for dinner Sunday.

Miss Margaret West, '12, and Miss Bess Emery, '11, spent Sunday at Mercer.

Miss Lena Bly spent Sunday with Miss Jessie Fitch at her home in Greenville.

Miss Josette Beebe and Miss Cozette Whitaker spent Sunday at Cochran.

Mrs. Allen, of Pittsburg, visited her daughter, Miss Mercedith Allen, '11, over Sunday.

Miss Ina Maxwell, of Oil City, was a guest at the Hall for supper, Sunday evening.

Miss Nelle Gleave was leader of

the Sunday evening service of the Y. W. C. A. Her subject was "The New Birth."

Miss Bernice Hatch, '10, and Miss Bessie Metcalf, '11, returned Tuesday from Cornell where they attended the Student Government Convention.

LOCALS.

McLain, '13, spent Sunday at his home in Sharon.

Sayers, of the Academy, spent Sunday at Franklin.

S. E. Nichols, '13, was at his home in Girard over Sunday.

W. L. Kulp spent Sunday at his home at West Middlesex.

Cochran, of the Academy, was in Franklin over Sunday.

Cuthbert, '13, and Eschelman, '13, were in Franklin Sunday.

Dr. Q. P. Akers was a Sunday dinner guest at Cochran Hall.

Burt, '10, and Mead, '11, spent Sunday with friends in Cochran.

Maxwell, '10, took dinner at the Phi Gamma Delta house Saturday.

Sullivan and Moore, of the Academy, were in Cambridge Springs on Sunday.

Schauwecker, of the Academy, was a week end visitor at his home in Sharon.

Nevins, '13, led the Stone church Epworth League service Sunday evening.

J. H. Broadbent, '10, took supper at the Phi Gamma Delta house on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were guests at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house for dinner Sunday.

Rev. S. M. Gordon, of Cambridge Springs, was a guest at the Phi Gamma Delta house this week.

Brown has a publicity bureau, supported by student subscription, to keep Brown athletic events in the Boston, New York and Philadelphia papers.

MISSION STUDY MEETINGS.

Despite the fact that three other college organizations were meeting at the same hour, nearly every chair was taken at the meeting of the mission study class Thursday evening, November 11th.

The third chapter in Gale's "Korea in Transition," was discussed by Dr. Smith. The subject was "The Beliefs of the People," and the various religions of Korea were commented on by the leader, especial mention being made of ancestor worship and spirit worship. Dr. Smith read, in connection with the lesson, some of the statements of the Japanese delegation which is in this country, regarding the death of Prince Ito.

A touching reference was made by the leader to the bereavement of Mr. Fox, of the Senior class, who received a cablegram just before the meeting announcing the death of his father, for many years a missionary in India.

On last Thursday evening an additional interest was given the Mission Study Class in its consideration of the discussion of a recent article in a newspaper of Tokio, accusing two American missionaries of complicity in the murder of Prince Ito. This is only an example of the live topics which come in for a share of the attention of the Mission Study Class.

The fourth chapter of the text book on the "Social Life and Customs," of the Koreans proved highly interesting. Until the conditions existing are really studied, no actual idea can be conceived of the degradation and terrible surroundings of the Korean people. A few minutes were devoted to reading from one of Burton Holmes' lectures on Korea, in which the troubles that were encountered in erecting a permanent monument to the late queen who was killed by the Japanese fourteen years ago, are related.

No meeting of the class will be held next week, but the class will meet as usual on the following Thursday.

EACH OTHER'S FAULT.

Swick and Broadbent at Grove City Over Sunday.

Those who stayed home from church Sunday morning were mildly surprised, to say the least, at the appearance of two young men who were walking up the hill. Closer investigation proved them to be the two hitherto model Seniors, Swick and Broadbent. Current rumor has it that they missed the special train at Grove City. Judgment we will reserve until the returns are all in.

When interviewed, Swick stated that it was all Broadbent's fault. Broadbent, however, stoutly maintains that "Bill" was to blame. Neither of them seemed to be divulging any real information. Convincing explanations are now in order. Don't everybody speak at once.

ALUMNI.

Mrs. Mary Darrow Olsen, '82, a sister of Attorney Clarence Darrow, died Sunday, November 15, at her home in Chicago, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Olsen, who was principal of the James McCosh school at the time of her death, was prominent in the educational circles of Chicago. She was known as the inaugurator in Chicago of the simple gown graduation for girls in the public schools. She was born in Cleveland in 1851, and graduated from Allegheny in 1882. In 1884 she began her twenty-five years of service in the Chicago schools.

An item of interest to college students is the marriage of Mr. James Van Horn Ballantyne, class of 1905, and Miss Lida Riggs, ex-'06, which occurred at the home of the bride's parents in Wilkesburg on October 13. Dr. Ballantyne, who is also a graduate of the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania and is now practicing in Pittsburg, was a member of Phi Delta Theta and very prominent in many lines of college activity when in school. His bride is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Plans are on foot to build a new church at Webster, Pa. The pastor is D. M. Paul, '02.

Prof. E. C. Morey, formerly professor of Latin, was a recent Meadville visitor.

Lee Benedict, '09, is athletic coach at Central Wesleyan University, Warrenton, Mo.



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