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NEW SERIES.

HOW THE \$200,000 WAS RAISED.

A REVIEW OF DR. CRAWFORD'S WORK—THE SECRET OF HIS SUCCESS.

In a recent interview, upon being asked how he succeeded in raising the \$200,000 and what was the secret of his success, Dr. Crawford said, in substance, as follows:

In the first place, the work was done in behalf of a thoroughly good cause, a cause which recommended itself, and a firm belief in the cause lent inspiration and enthusiasm. That is simply all there is to it. I am unable to say anything as to methods used. I know nothing to say. However, I never approached a man who could not afford to give at least one thousand dollars, and was always careful not to antagonize anyone either in regard to myself or the college.

Four years ago an effort was made to raise a certain amount toward the endowment fund; an amount less than was wanted was raised, but from the men on the list of those who were approached at that time came almost \$200,000 of the amount which came to us the past year.

The merits of the cause were stated in a straightforward way, the situation was clearly and simply stated, and those who have contributed toward the sum have given gladly. One man when asked for \$1,000, replied, "That is not enough for me; I will give \$5,000." He said further, "There are two institutions outside of the church in which I heartily believe: The common school, for it prepares for citizenship, and the college, for it prepares for leadership."

As a result of the recent efforts in behalf of the college, the \$200,000 is not the greatest good that has come to us, but many good friends have been won for "Old Allegheny" and many who have been friends of the college have been aroused to work. The letters of congratulation that are coming in from the various donors are full of expressions of enthusiastic good will. The key-note of the whole situation was sounded by Prof. Jeremiah Tingley in his address before the New York Alumni association at their recent banquet in New York City, when he said, "Allegheny College has now come to a place in her history where she commands the respect and confidence of the public."

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Mr. Frank A. Arter, of Cleveland, a member of the Board of Trustees, subscribed \$5,000, but before the movement was started, hence his name does not appear in the above list. The many who give the sixty thousand stipulates that no old subscriptions should be counted.

In addition to this, Prof. John F. Eberhart, of Chicago, has given \$10,000 in property, which will become productive very soon.

Allegheny Again

WINS FROM EDINBORO BASKET BALL TEAM—THE SCORE WAS 38 TO 20—A FAST GAME.

The return game of basket ball with Edinboro Normal School team was played on Friday night of last week and resulted in another victory for Allegheny, by the score of 38 to 20.

The Edinboro team showed great improvement over the form displayed at Meadville and the game they played was a surprise to the Meadville boys, and was much more interesting than

the previous one, and the score close throughout. Allegheny did not gain a large lead until the last five minutes of the game. Allegheny tried out all her players and started with a rather weakened line up. The men all played a hard consistent game throughout, but were evidently suffering from an attack of over confidence. This was specially true in goal shooting, for the college boys shot like a team of novices. In the early part of the second half the ball was going toward the basket half of the time, the other half it was rebounding from the walls adjacent to the goal and ready for another shot. The only part of Allegheny's play that was up to the standard was the guard work of Mellon, Jackson and Leffingwell. The ball never went near the boundary line but what these men had it and were ready to send it to the opposite end of the gym. After the first five minutes of play Edinboro was unable to cage the ball except once, in fact during the entire last half of the game they had but one or two chances at the goal.

The crowd at Edinboro was an enthusiastic one and cheered almost every play, whether by Allegheny or by their own warriors. They had plenty of opportunities for the home team played a plucky game and several times threatened to lead the score.

The game started off in a manner most surprising to Allegheny. The ball was halted from the start off into Edinboro territory and was immediately caged by Kitts. The audience took advantage of their opportunity and for a short time the large hall rang with their applause. Mellon gave Allegheny's crowd of two dozen imported rooters a chance to even up when he threw Allegheny's first goal a minute or two later.

Now followed a surprise that took Allegheny completely off her feet. Almost as quick as it takes to tell the story Edinboro had scored 3 goals, 2 by Capt. Harrington and 1 by Loncot. The score was now 12-3 in favor of Edinboro and the audience was simply wild with excitement. Visions of victory appeared to them and they called wildly to their players to keep up their good work. Their applause worked the wrong way however for it awakened the sleeping Allegheny players. Lampe circled around his opponent and by a quick pass from out of bounds he secured an open shot and the score board registered Edinboro 12, Allegheny 6. Mellon secured another chance and another goal was the result. Lampe secured Allegheny's fourth goal and the score was tied. This gave the Allegheny corner a chance to applaud and the noise they made was almost as great as that of the rest of the audience. The half closed with a pretty goal by Allen and a long shot by Lampe.

The second half contained but little good basket ball. Edinboro seemed discouraged after losing their lead and Allegheny seemed to forget that the main object of the game is to throw the ball in the basket. Fouls were the predominant feature of the game, most of which were made by Allegheny.

A few minutes after the half started Jackson shot a goal, making the score 21-12. For the next 10 minutes Allegheny seemed unable to break the

scum over the basket, and although they kept up a fusillade of shots no count resulted. In the meantime Edinboro was slowly building up her score, one goal at a time, the result of Allegheny's fouls. When Amidon secured Edinboro's first and last field goal of the half the score stood 21-18 and when 2 more goals were added from foul just one point separated the two teams.

Allegheny was again awakened by the audience, this time by Griffith who had gone all the way from Meadville to see the game. His appeal was answered and in the last five minutes Allegheny gave the only true demonstration of the game as it should be played that the Edinboro audience had seen since Allegheny played there years ago. Four goals in rapid succession by Lampe, Taylor and Allen and two free throws, making Allegheny's total 38, closed the scoring for the game. The final result was 38-20.

The line-up was as follows:
Edinboro 20. Allegheny 38.
Amidon R. F. Allen
Harrington L. F. Taylor
Kitts C. Lampe
St. John L. G. Mellon, Jack'n
Loncot L. G. Leffingwell
Goals from field—Amidon 1, Harrington 2, Kitts 1, Loncot 1, Allen 2, Taylor 2, Lampe 5, Mellon 2, Jackson 1. Free fouls—Amidon 1, Harrington 3, Allen 1, Taylor 1.
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Annual Banquet

OF THE NEW YORK ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF ALLEGHENY COLLEGE, HELD FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 10th.

The fourth annual banquet of the New York Alumni Association of Allegheny College was held at the Manhattan Hotel, New York City, Friday evening, January 10. Not only was this occasion the fourth annual dinner of the New York Association, but may also be regarded as a reception to Dr. Crawford in honor of his success in raising for the college the endowment fund of \$200,000. His work in this direction has been unremitting, and only during the closing hours of the year 1901 were his efforts crowned with success.

This association, formed four years ago, is now in a most healthy condition, on a permanent basis, and bids fair to prove a strong influence for the college in New York, the great metropolis of this country. Dr. Jeremiah Tingley, who spent the best years of his life with Allegheny College and who is now prominently connected with educational interests in Allegheny City, was the guest of the evening and the true, warm-hearted welcome which greeted the gray-haired veteran brought back to his mind with a tenderness which cannot be expressed in words his association with the college a quarter of a century ago. Better known to the students of a later date, from whom he received no less welcome, was another guest, Mr. Fredrick Palmer, the great war correspondent, whose articles written from China during the ever-memorable siege, gave him a world-wide reputation. Still another was Dr. James H. Montgomery, vice

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We are always glad to welcome teams of any kind to our college, and especially if the team be composed of clean, manly men. In the past we have not been enthusiastic in receiving teams which cared not whether they carried away with them victory or defeat; but have always gladly welcomed teams coming to us determined to win. In the near future we are to have with us a team which is to contest in a line of work in which there is a sad lack of enthusiastic, organized, team work in our college. From all reports the coming team is composed of clean, straightforward, manly young men, who are much in earnest, are enthusiastic and are determined to carry victory away with them. In fact we are to have with us next month a gospel team composed of eight young men from the University of Boston. They are to be among us to arouse renewed interest in Christian work. We are assured by their advance agent Mr. Hartman, that they are a practical band of young men, and will come to us with no objectionable piety, but as straightforward, practical, Christian, manly young men. We bespeak for them a hearty welcome, and ask for the hearty co-operation of all Christian young men and women in their work among us.

Y. M. C. A.

In Allegheny we have two young men who belong to the Student Volunteer Movement. They have pledged themselves to go to some foreign country as missionaries of the cross.

The young men's meeting Saturday evening was interesting and well attended. Dr. Bynum led, and gave a practical talk. He spoke plainly against current dishonesty practiced by students during tests and examinations. "Those who do not hesitate to cheat here can never be trusted in after life." The views held by the doctor are all right, and should set us to thinking.

The fourth international convention of the Student Volunteer Movement will meet in Toronto, Canada, February 26 to March 2. Students will

be sent as delegates from all sections of the United States and Canada.

Addresses will be made by many eminent men, including Mr. John R. Mott, who will return from his tour around the world to preside at this convention.

The Student Volunteer Movement for Foreign Missions, which calls this convention, is one of the most remarkable enterprises of students the world has seen. It was started in 1886 when at the first Northfield Student Conference 100 students expressed their desire and purpose to become foreign missionaries. The call to missions was taken the following year by two Princeton students to the colleges of the country. Two years later the movement was definitely organized. As a result of its work several thousand capable college men and women have been led to form the purpose to spend their lives on the mission field, 1,800 have already been sent out by the regular missionary boards, while similar movements have been inaugurated in Great Britain, Germany, Switzerland, Scandinavia, South Africa, Australia and other countries.

AFTER COLLEGE FUND.

Allegheny College Asks for Money of Pittsburg Institution.

In Common Pleas No. 2 a petition was filed by Durbin Horne, president of the board of trustees of Allegheny College at Meadville, asking leave to intervene in the matter of the dissolution of the Pittsburg Female College. It is set forth that the Allegheny College possesses five shares of stock in the Pittsburg Female College, and that the Pittsburg conference of the Methodist Episcopal church is one of the bodies that exercises control over both institutions.

It is further set forth that Allegheny College is fully able to carry out the trust of the Pittsburg Female College, and in conclusion the court is asked to direct that the income of the fund on hand by the Pittsburg Female College be paid to the Allegheny College.

The endowment of the Pittsburg Female College is about \$25,000. The college closed its doors about four years ago. Two years ago there was a meeting of the stockholders of the college, in which meeting it was proposed to divide the endowment fund among the stockholders; but the objection was raised that the present stockholders could not so dispose of the endowment fund. Allegheny College applied for the fund, as did Beaver College. The latter college agreed to recognize the scholarships of the Pittsburg Female College, should the fund be turned over to Beaver College.

In Allegheny's application for the fund no such an inducement was offered. But after due consideration Allegheny College decided to offer to recognize the scholarships of the institution under like conditions, and since Allegheny College is a stockholder, as stated above, it seems that our college stands a good chance to acquire the fund.

Basket Ball.

THE INTER-COLLEGIATE LEAGUE WILL USE BASKETS SIX INCHES FROM THE BACK BOARD, AS IN PREVIOUS YEARS.

The basket ball question has finally been decided. The Inter-Collegiate League of Western Pennsylvania will use as in previous years the baskets six inches from the back board, according to A. A. U. rules.

Prof. Ross, president of the athletic board, received a letter announcing the league's decision on Saturday.

Allegheny is to be congratulated on the stand she took in the question, for the tampering with the rules meant the death of the game. The league schedule will now be played out as in previous years; the first

game of which will be between Allegheny and Geneva at Meadville on Friday, January 24.

Since the return of Williams to the game, the boys are playing with renewed confidence, and expect to carry off again the championship of the league.

The game on Friday is sure to be a close one, for in the whole four years that these two teams have played never more than 3 points separated winner and loser.

Of the six games played by these two teams, Allegheny has lost two, one at Meadville in 1900 and one in Beaver Falls in 1901. Allegheny victories were scored as follows: One at Meadville in 1899, one at Beaver Falls and one at Meadville in 1900, and one in Meadville in 1901. The rivalry between these two teams has always been intense; each team is considered the best attraction on their opponent's field, and both teams look forward to the Geneva-Allegheny game as the great event of the schedule, while every student remembers and talks of the game long after it has been played.

The Geneva team will contain two new players—Martin at guard and East at center—both foot ball players. In fact, the entire basket ball team were members of the foot ball squad. The Allegheny team will also present two new men—Jackson and Leffingwell—neither of whom played against Geneva last year. Geneva, as in previous years, is captained by Thompson, one of the greatest basket ball generals playing the game.



ALLEGHENY.

January 27.

Essays—Gaston, Hunnill.
 Declamation—Hanks.
 Five-minute Talks—
 Mudge—"The Isthmian Canal."
 Harris—"Marconi and His Work."
 Taylor—"The Siberian Railway."
 Debate—Resolved, That the Chinese Exclusion Act of 1888 be reenacted.
 Affirmative, Smiley, Thompson;
 negative, Hewit, Stockton, H.
 News of Last Week—Scouten.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

The weather.
 How do you enjoy college?
 Have you ever been in love?
 Your neighbors.
 Joint meetings of Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A.

These were the five topics of conversation at the Hall reception, according to program, but we wouldn't give a cent for the couple that ever got farther than No. 3.

Our old friend, "Shoot Thompson," will be with us on Friday night.

The Gospel Team and the basket ball team have a conflicting date.

Prof. Bynum: The names of the states are masculine except one.

Student: Is Mississippi feminine?

Kearney thought it was a shaving dish they were sending him to at the hall reception. He was disappointed when he found it was a chafing dish.

Prof. Reese in Geology: It is hard to memorize these statistics. You will have to use horse memory. Now could you imagine a student doing that?

When the mice were retreating across the floor, closely followed by the majority of the class, two of the young ladies were found clinging to their neighbor for protection.

An exciting chase after a nest of mice in geology laboratory resulted in the death of one and the capture of three more. Freeman deserves special mention for work done in the capture.

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president of the college, and one than whom no other is better loved by the student body.

At 8 p. m. in the elegant banquet hall of the Manhattan Hotel about two score loyal sons and daughters of Old Allegheny gathered and their first act was to send to the veteran professor of the institution, and indeed we might say the veteran professor of America, Dr. Jonathan Hamnett, the following telegram of congratulations: "New York Alumni Association of Allegheny College extends happy greetings and congratulates you on this your eighty-seventh birthday." Mr. Ernest E. Baldwin, assistant United States district attorney, the president of the association, acted as toastmaster and introduced Dr. Crawford, who interested all by his description of the interest shown by the trustees of the college, the faculty, the alumni, the student body, and friends of the college in all walks and departments of life, in the way of contributions; indeed, it was the feeling of all present that aside from the actual benefit which the college will derive from this large endowment fund, the interest which the securing of it has created will be beneficial to a degree which can never be estimated. Dr. Tingley was the second speaker of the evening and expressed in a most tender and delicate way his appreciation of the action of the association in inviting him to be their honored guest for the evening. His talk was received with round after round of applause and recalled as nothing else could, in the minds of the old students who were present, the very close and genial relations which always existed between him and the students. The third speaker was Mr. Frederick Palmer, whose chosen profession has called him to all parts of the world, and who testified to the benefits of the small college as compared with the large one. Doubtless no one present was better able to judge accurately of the comparative value of the training in the large, or the small college, than was Mr. Palmer. Next followed Dr. Montgomery, the vice president of the college, whose friends in the college are limited only by the number of students. During the fall term Dr. Crawford, the president, was absent from the institution most of his time, and upon Dr. Montgomery, therefore, fell the responsibility of carrying on the work, in which he met with signal success. Then followed Rev. C. W. Miner, who spoke of his struggles to secure an education, the importance of deciding upon the right college to attend, and the advantages which he had received in Allegheny, not only from the faculty, but also from the student body in that a man in Allegheny is respected for his class standing, and for upholding the right and denouncing the wrong. Thus the college becomes not simply an educational institution, but also an institution which develops true manhood. At the close of his address, the president of the association, Mr. Baldwin, remarked that Rev. Miner in his reference to Allegheny had paid the highest tribute to his Alma Mater of any speaker he had ever heard upon the floor of a banquet hall. Then followed Miss Ida K. Tarbell, editor of McClure's Magazine, Prof. John McKay, of Brooklyn, Mr. Chas. W. Deane, superintendent of schools at Bridgeport, Ct., Dr. C. C. Carroll, Hon. George McLaughlin, secretary New York state commissions of prisons, Capt. Francis J. Koester, home on furlough from the Philippines, and many others.

The Alumni are to be congratulated upon maintaining in New York City an active, enthusiastic, permanent association and the good results from these yearly gatherings cannot fail to increase the interest in Allegheny College as an educational institution,

as well as add to the enjoyment of her sons and daughters who have gone out so well equipped to fight the battle of life. The officers for the coming year are Ernest E. Baldwin, president; Miss Ida M. Tarbell, vice-president; R. R. Ross, secretary and treasurer.

ALUMNI NOTES.

A. A. Culbertson, '01, of Erie, spent Sunday at the Phi Kappa Psi house.

Miss Emma Edson, '01, who has been in New York for some time, has returned to her home in the city.

Benj. R. Williams, '00, who has been practicing law in Butler, Pa., has given up his business on account of ill health. Mr. Williams expects to go West soon.

Samuel J. Downing died at his home in Montpelier, Ind., at the age of 70. He was in the preparatory department of Allegheny College during the years 1853-54. He taught school for 27 years after leaving school and for eleven years was paymaster for the Ohio Oil Company.

W. S. Borland, '00, has gone to Baton Rouge, La., to coach the basket and foot ball teams of the Louisiana State University. His coaching of the foot ball team at that institution last fall was so successful that he was engaged for the entire year, and now has charge of all athletics at the university.

AMONG THE COLLEGES.

Pennsylvania has organized a water-polo team.

The Yale Daily News, it is said, has a subscription list of 2,500.

At the last commencement Harvard conferred one thousand fifty-three degrees.

Michigan received over three hundred thousand dollars from the state last year.

The Columbia base ball team has recently elected F. V. Goodman captain for next year.

Dartmouth College has just celebrated the hundredth anniversary of Daniel Webster's graduation.

Nearly two hundred and fifty men entered the primary debates at the University of Michigan this year.

The University of Michigan holds weekly singing meetings, led by the Glee Club, at which college songs are rehearsed.

The Michigan foot ball team defeated Stanford University by a score of 49-0 in San Francisco on New Year's day.

A college paper, as defined by an exchange, is a publication to which one per cent. of the students subscribe, and which ninety per cent. criticize.

From the games with Princeton and Harvard, Yale secured over \$50,000. Receipts from minor games will bring the total up to about \$70,000, the best on record.

Northwestern University is to have a new athletic park, and \$20,000 is to be spent in making it one of the largest and most perfectly equipped fields for athletics of any college in the West.

The seven richest colleges of America, with their endowments, are: Girard, \$15,250,000; Leland Stanford, Jr., \$13,500,000; Harvard, \$10,000,000; Columbia, \$9,500,000; Cornell, \$8,000,000; Chicago, \$6,500,000; Yale, \$4,000,000.

The University of Nebraska has extended to ex-President Cleveland the first invitation as commencement orator next June. Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews favored Cleveland. Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, is the second choice of the university.

The faculty of Knox College has adopted the following: "Each college student is allowed twenty absences from college exercises in each semester. Seniors are allowed twenty-five. Members of athletic teams, the glee club, band, debating teams, etc., also representatives of the various editorial boards, will be allowed an additional number of absences as recommended by the various committees.

RECEPTION

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By the joint efforts of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. of the college a reception was tendered to the members and friends of these two organizations. Hulings Hall, the scene of the festivities, was radiant with the beauty of its many inmates, and its reputation for hospitality drew a large number of visitors. A card containing the following was given to each guest as he entered "to set the ball a-rolling:"

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2. "How do you enjoy college?"
3. "Have you ever been in love?"
4. "Talk about your neighbors."
5. "Joint meeting of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A."

Accompanying this card the instruction was given "to hunt a chafing dish when you smell something cooking."

After a pleasant hour of chat and introduction the delightful odor of Welsh rarebit sent the guests in all directions in search of the numbered chafing dishes. Each of these dishes was presided over by two of Hulings votaries, who served with the hospitality which has made Hulings Hall famous.

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Financial The Gospel Team will Considerations. positively not accept any remuneration for their services.

AMONG THE COLLEGES.

Cornell base ball practice began October 21.

The University of Chicago is to establish an annex at Paris.

John D. Rockefeller gave the University of Chicago a check for \$1,000,000 as a Christmas present.

At a recent meeting of men from all classes at Cornell, the custom of undergraduate rushes was done away with.

The Harvard Fencers' Club, which has been until recently a private association, is now a regular athletic organization of the university.

The Harvard track team has received a challenge from the University of California for a dual meet to be held at Cambridge in May.

Cornell undergraduates have petitioned the faculty to institute the honor system in examinations, and have pledged themselves to maintain it.

At a recent meeting of the Western Intercollegiate Athletic Association, held at Chicago, strict rules regarding professionalism in all branches of athletics were adopted.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The business manager of The Campus makes the following offer for the remainder of this week: The Campus for the remainder of the year with all back numbers—one dollar cash only.

Campus until June, with back numbers, \$1.00.

What about that Gospel Team? Who are they?

Owing to a misprint in last week's Campus, the names of Mr. T. J. Clark and Mr. J. K. Nelson were given as Phi Gam initiates. The account should have read Mr. T. J. Clark and Mr. J. K. Wilson.

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Coming to the very serious condition of the college walks, a number of the students have been considering the advisability of taking out an accident policy. It does seem strange that nothing has been done to improve the condition of the walks when salt is cheap and ashes so plentiful.

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They're coming February 26. Who? The Gospel Team.

L. A. Hartman, manager of the Gospel Team, from Boston University, brings splendid reports concerning W. M. Buzza and A. K. Travis, both of the class of '02. He said: "Buzza and Travis, from Allegheny, are all right. Of course I know them. They are doing fine work. By the way, I saw them both just before I left and they wished to be remembered to all their friends at Allegheny."

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ATHLETIC ELECTION.

On Saturday, January 25, 1902, the following officers in the Athletic Association will be elected:

- Delegate at Large.
- Manager of foot ball team.
- Assistant manager of foot ball team.
- Assistant manager of base ball team (to fill vacancy).

Nominations may be handed to any member of the Athletic Board before 12 o'clock, on Tuesday, January 21.

Section 3. Members of the association who have paid the required term fee at least forty-eight (48) hours previous to the election, shall have right to vote and are eligible to office.

Dues must be paid to treasurer, B. F. Craig, before 1 p. m. Tuesday, January 23. The treasurer will be in registrar's office at the following hours:

Wednesday, January 22—10:30, 11:30; 12:25, 12:40.
Thursday, January 23—10:30, 11:30; 12:25, 1.

Fees must be paid by persons except

1. In case of sickness.
2. In case of students in attendance at regular college athletic games.
3. In case of students regularly excused from town by the president of the college.

The polls will be open in the registrar's office on Saturday, January 25, from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Voting must be in person, with the same exceptions as applying to payment of dues, as specified above.

(Signed) **C. F. ROSS,**
President of Athletic Board.
January 17, 1902.

THE GOSPEL TEAM—WHAT IS IT?

What is it? The Gospel Team is an organization composed of eight college graduates who are now Seniors in the Theological School of Boston University. Every one of these eight men has had practical experience in preaching and pastoral work. In brief, this Team is a band of consecrated Christians who are relying upon the Holy Spirit in their endeavors to do work for the Kingdom of God.

Its Origin. This movement originated among several of the students of Boston University in an earnest desire to see souls saved. A like evangelistic work was at one time attempted in Great Britain under Professor Drummond and others with great success, and the famous "Yale Band" of our own country is well known through its efforts along the missionary line. This present movement is, however, we believe, an entirely unique application of the ideas referred to above.

What is its Object? The object of this Gospel Team is evangelistic work among the colleges of the Methodist church. They intend to visit these colleges for a period of not over a week in each place during the month of February, 1902. These visits they hope may be productive of many conversions among college men and women, and of the quickening of the spiritual life of indifferent Christians.

What are to be the Methods? The methods of reaching these educated young men and women are to be unique as far as possible. There will be meetings with preaching, and appeals, classes for the discussion of doubts and intellectual difficulties, and a great deal of personal work.