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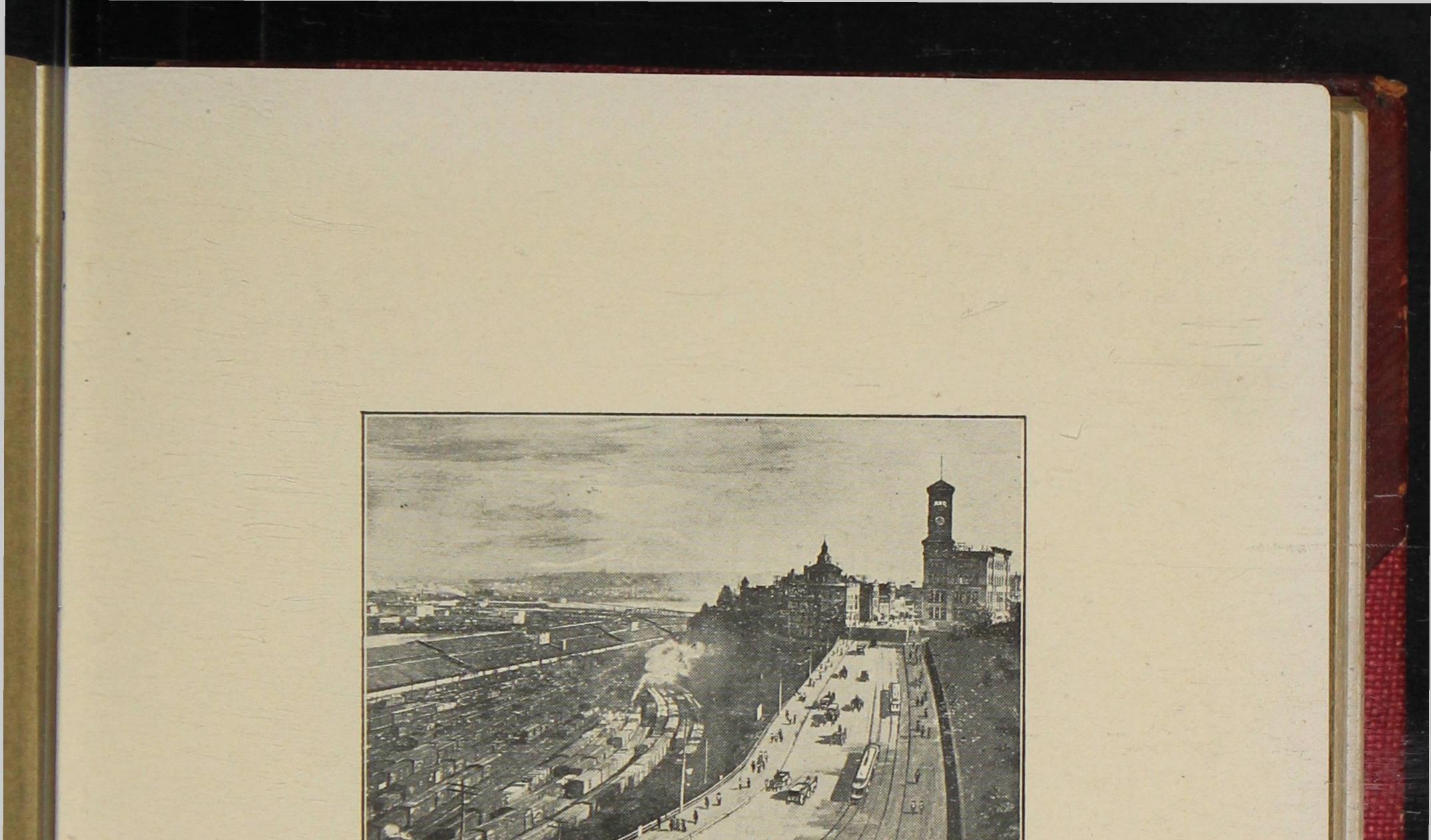
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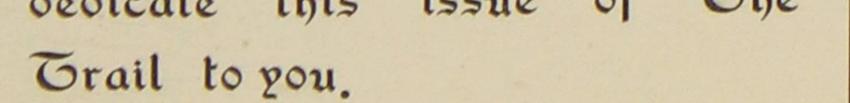
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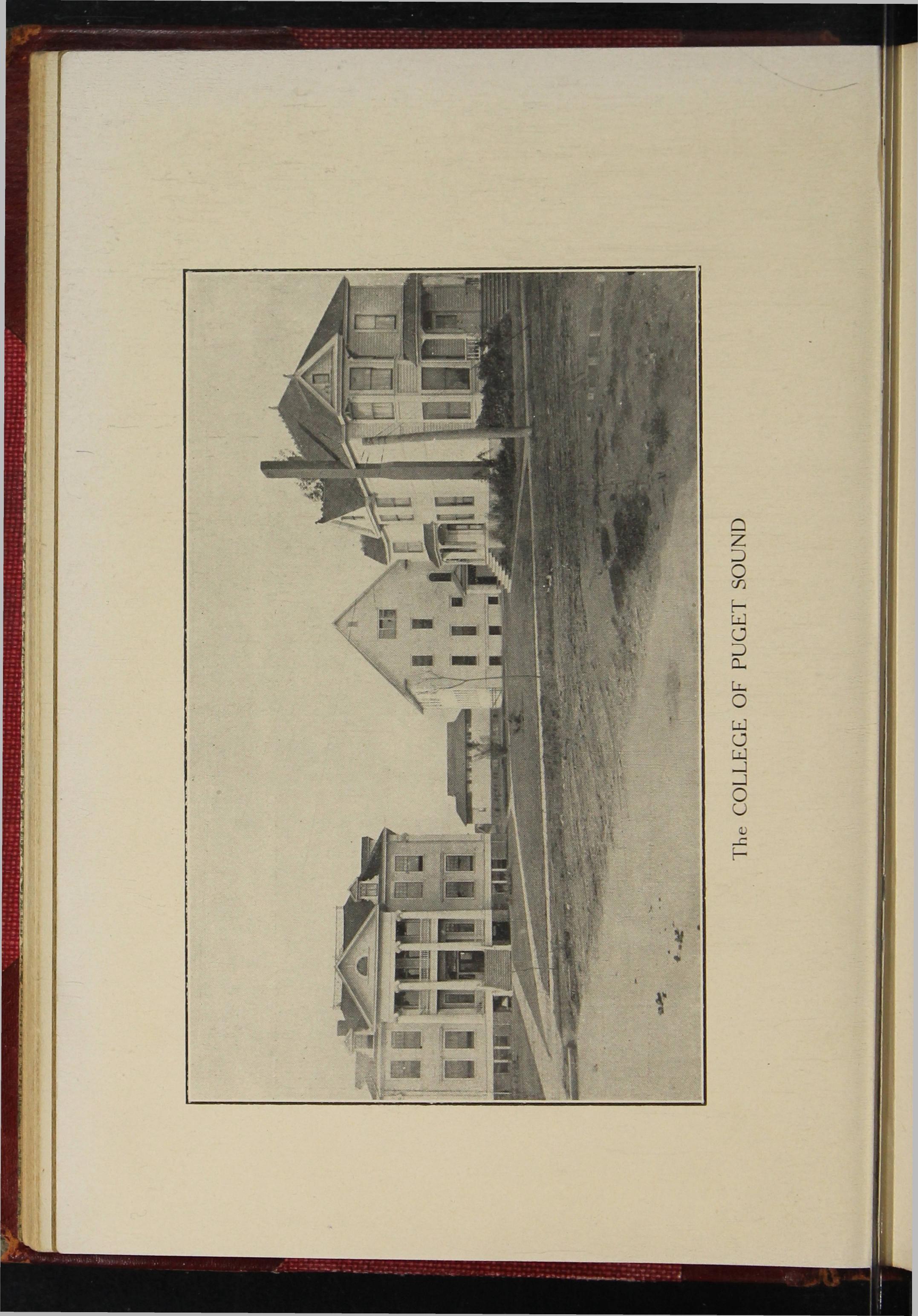


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You have been given the name Empire Builder. We would give you another---Character Builder. We, the students of the College of Puget Sound, thank you for your gift to our college and in humble gratitude dedicate this issue of The

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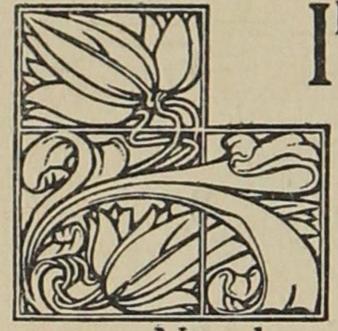
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# HISTORY of the COLLEGE of PUGET SOUND

#### Walter S. Davis



IN 1853 our state by act of Congress was separated from the Oregon Territory and organized as Washington Terri-

tory. Nearly a generation later the Methodists of the two regions met in separate Conferences. The first Puget Sound Conference of the M. E. Church met at Seattle in 1884. The presiding bishop of that Conference was Bishop Charles Henry Fowler. To his wise foresight and enthusiasm for learning, we are indebted for the founding of our College, During the above Conference he urged both in private conversation and in the public sessions of the Conference the Country. (The suggestion is here praise in all the land."

chosen, with Rev. D. G. Le Sourd as chairman and Rev. J. F. Devore financial agent. (His large picture hangs on the walls of the "Preachers' Room" of the College.)

The work of the Committee was marked by varying vicissitudes. At one time Port Townsend was chosen as the seat of the new institution. February 29, 1888, citizens of Tacoly endorsed. The report dwelt upon the need of schools of a pure moral atmosphere and of the lack of educational facilities in the Northwest. A resolution was passed committing the Conference "at once and heartily to the policy and purpose of building up within the bounds of the Conference an institution of learning which need of a denominational institution should, by its ample facilities and of learning in the Puget Sound able administration, \* \* \* be a

made that in some way the name of Bishop Fowler be fitly honored by our College.)

His suggestion was taken up by the standing committee on education and an approving report was made, which the Conference enthusiastical-

The members pledged one another that they would secure donations of money and land and create an interest in education in their respective Charges.

For the carrying out of its noble enterprise a committee of nine was

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ma presented to the Committee a subscription of \$22,000 in money and realty to the value of \$78,000, At the Commencement of 1893, and on March 17th, 1888, articles of incorporation were signed for the purpose of the "Establishment, management and maintenance of a university of the highest class, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church."\_\_\_\_

The spirit and faith of the friends of the new enterprise rose triumphant over every difficulty, and at the annual conference in August, 1890, the members could say: "Resolved, That we are gratified to learn from a prospectus just issued that the Puget Sound University, located at Tacoma, Washington, has completed its buildings, organized its facutly of instruction and will open its halls for students on the 15th day of September." The President-elect Rev. F. B. Cherrington of the Southern California Conference was presented and given a cordial greeting by the Conference.

partment. All classes have been full and enthusiastic."

the first A. B. degree given by the new school was conferred on Charles M. Sherman, who for many years has been principal of the Lowell School, Tacoma. The first student to take and complete the entire four years college course in the new school was Browder Brown, Class of 1895, now an attorney in Tacoma.

After two years' service, Dr.

#### I.—THE PUGET SOUND UNIVERSITY.

The first registration book has been preserved and the student having the distinction of being the first to register is "William C. Collender, Fern Hill." The registration for the first or Autum term numbered 88. The work of the school year 1890-91 was thus summarized by President Cherrington: "The Puget Sound University has closed its first year most successfully. A class of seven graduated from the Academic De-

Cherrington resigned to accept the pastorate of the First M. E. Church, Tacoma. In his place came Rev. Crawford R. Thoburn, a graduate of Allegheny College, and son of Bishop Thoburn. Dr. Thoburn's limitless faith and enthusiasm for the school's success was cut short by his untimely death at Portland in 1899. His successor was Dr. Wilmot Whitfield, Presiding Elder of the Seattle District. From 1900 to 1903 the school was in charge of Dean Palmer of the Greek Department, and Prof. C. O. Boyer, they assuming all financial responsibilty.

The school occupied its new building only one year. The chief source of revenue was from the sale of the lands donated. Litigation having arisen over the title of these lands, their sale stopped. So the building was leased to the City of Tacoma and is now called the Logan School, which, silhoueted against the horizon, proudly overlooks the Puyallup Valley. Then from 1891 to 1894 the new university occupied the Quimette Building, South Tenth and

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Yakima. From 1894 to 1903 its home was at South Ninth and G Streets in the building now known as the St. George Apartments. During 1894-5 both the above buildings were used. From September, 1898, to March, 1899, the home of the school was in Portland, Oregon, having been consolidated with Portland University.

## **II.—THE UNIVERSITY OF** PUGET SOUND. At the request of the trustees,

Benbow was the presiding officer of the University. Coming as he did from the office of County Superintendent of Pierce County, President Benbow was a practical school man and did much to introduce the most approved methods of instruction into the work of the school. President Benbow was a tireless worker and enthused the student body with his own great energy of mind and body. The "Gym" was now completed, the Ladies' Hall enlarged, and the Chapel and Men's Hall built, and the Campus beautified. The sermon by Bishop McDowell at the dedication of the Chapel will be long remembered by the large audience present. For the quadrennium 1909 to 1913, Dr. Julius C. Zeller, who came from the chair of Sociology and Philosophy in the Illinois Wesleyan University at Bloomington, ably presided over the destinies of our University. President Zeller enlarged and reorganized the curriculum, in 1910 adding, among other features, the Home Economics Department. President Zeller was a very scholarly man and as a public and platform speaker easily took rank with the best in our state.

steps were taken at the 1902 session of the Puget Sound Conference, which, in April, 1903, resulted in changing the name of the institution to the "University of Puget Sound." Rev. E. M. Randall, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Seattle, was elected President by the new trustees and a campaign was at once launched for the raising of \$20,000 for the erection of the present administration building at 6th and Division Avenues on a new campus purchased by the Alumni Association. The money was enthusiastically raised and by October the new building was ready.

In 1904 President Randall was elected General Secretary of the Epworth League of the United States. III.—THE COLEGE OF During the next two years Rev. PUGET SOUND. Joseph E. Williams was President, In 1913 President Zeller returned his administration being marked by to the University of Chicago to comadditions to the Campus, growth in plete the work of the Ph. D. degree the number of students, and strong and for his successor the choice spiritual life among the students. happily fell on Dr. Edward H. Todd, Dr. Williams is at present pastor of Vice President of Willamette. Dr. the M. E. Church at Sharon, Penn. Todd was not a stranger to our halls From 1907 to 1909 Prof. L. L. as he had been the Corresponding

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His visits and addresses made the school known in every part of Washington and sustained it financially through the Share fund. Under his lead the young people all over the state were giving the ringing cheer "Our University."

Dr. Todd was elected to the presidency while the annual conference was in session at Olympia at a time

Secretary of our school from 1903 Hamilton, may fitly be applied to to 1909, much of the progress of President Todd: "He struck the that period being due to his efforts. rock of National resources and abundant streams of revenue burst forth. He touched the dead corpse of public credit and it sprang upon its feet." With the endowment campaign absorbing his energies, President Todd has found time to take other steps of progress. In 1914, in order to make the name correspond to the reality, the official title of the school was changed to "College of Puget Sound." The same year through our President's efforts the State Board of Education restored our Normal School to the accredited list and the 1915 session of the legislature passed the bill exempting from taxation college campuses, to the extent of forty acres. The college year 1915 opened with the requisite number of professors, as required by the M. E. Senate, doing full college work, going even beyond the requirements of the State Board of Education. If this morning's sun looks down upon our college rejoicing in an outlook and hopeful of a future more bright and fair than at any time in its quarter of a century of history, the praise and glory of which there is enough for all, belongs to the noble men inspired of God who founded it, to all the students who through the years in ever increasing numbers have stood by it with loyal devotion, to the faithful, hardworking faculty, underpaid in money though not in appreciation, to the labors and wise counsels of the loyal

when the school was passing through one of its darkest hours, the education committee having even recommended that for financial reasons the doors of the school be closed. But it was the darkness that precedes the dawn. The Conference saw that something must be done and done quickly and proceeded to pledge \$20,000 annually for four years. The University trustees at a special session asked Dr. Todd to take the presidency. Feeling this a call to duty from on High, Dr. Todd put aside other offers and at once assumed the duties of his new position. The friends of the school everywhere rallied to his support.

At once President Todd began to lay plans for the raising of \$200,000 necessary to secure the \$50,000 offered in 1912 by Hon. J. J. Hill. How this Endowment Campaign came to a triumphant conclusion on October 1st is known to every reader of the Trail. With the necessary modifications the words of Webster spoken in honor of America's first fireat financial genius, Alexander

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and faithful trustees, to the ministers of the Columbia River and Puget Sound Conferences, to the labors and sacrifices of Presidents Cherrington, Thoburn, Whitfield, Randall, Williams, Benbow, Zeller and Todd and to an ever lengthening list of loyal and devoted friends among the good men and women of Washington especially, but not excepting Oregon and Idaho. Above all is praise due to the Giver of all good, whose work among men the school seeks to promote. The hope expressed by its founders that this school would be "A praise in all the land" is nearing realization.

#### ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN THE

President Edward H. Todd

of the College of Puget Sound. On that day the \$250,000 endowment fund was fully subscribed. The total pledges made by citizens of Tacoma reached \$100,000 and the victory was won.

an incentive for great effort and sacrifice on the yart of friends of the college and Christian education.

The College of Puget Sound is the first college in Western Washington This fact shows a widespread inter-History of intense and deep est.

October 1, 1915, will ever remain ever abide in the memory of the as the turning point for permanency writer and always give pleasant and grateful remembrances. In the space allotted only a limited number can be mentioned. Rev. Dr. Frank Dyer, pastor of the First Congregational Church, Tacoma, was the chairman of the Tacoma Endowment Mr. James J. Hill had offered Committee, Mrs. Anna E. McCor-\$50,000 on condition that \$200,000 mick, General J. M. Ashton, Messrs. more be given for endowment. It Frank B. Cole, James M. Davis and was a splendid offer and furnished Geo. B. Woodbridge, residents of Tacoma, and not members of the Methodist Church, rendered assistance of great value. Four Methodist men in Tacoma fought to the finish every day; Dix H. Rowland, to secure so large an endowment. Alfred Lister, Harry L. Brown and Over 1700 persons made pledges. W. P. Hopping. The faculty and students gave loyal support and hearty good cheer. Seattle Metho-

meaning has been made during the dists, under the leadership of Dr. past few weeks. Geo. A. Landen, District Superin-There are a number who not only tendent, Dr. A. W. Leonard, pastor

gave pledges, but personal interest of the First Methodist Church, and and effort, without which the task Mr. E. L. Blaine, president of the could not have been accomplished. Board of Trustees, pledged upward The names of some of these will of \$30,000.

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The District Superintendents of both the Puget Sound and Columbia River Annual Conferences were captains in the closing campaign from September 13th to 30th. The pastors rallied the hosts and the campaign passed into history, a success.

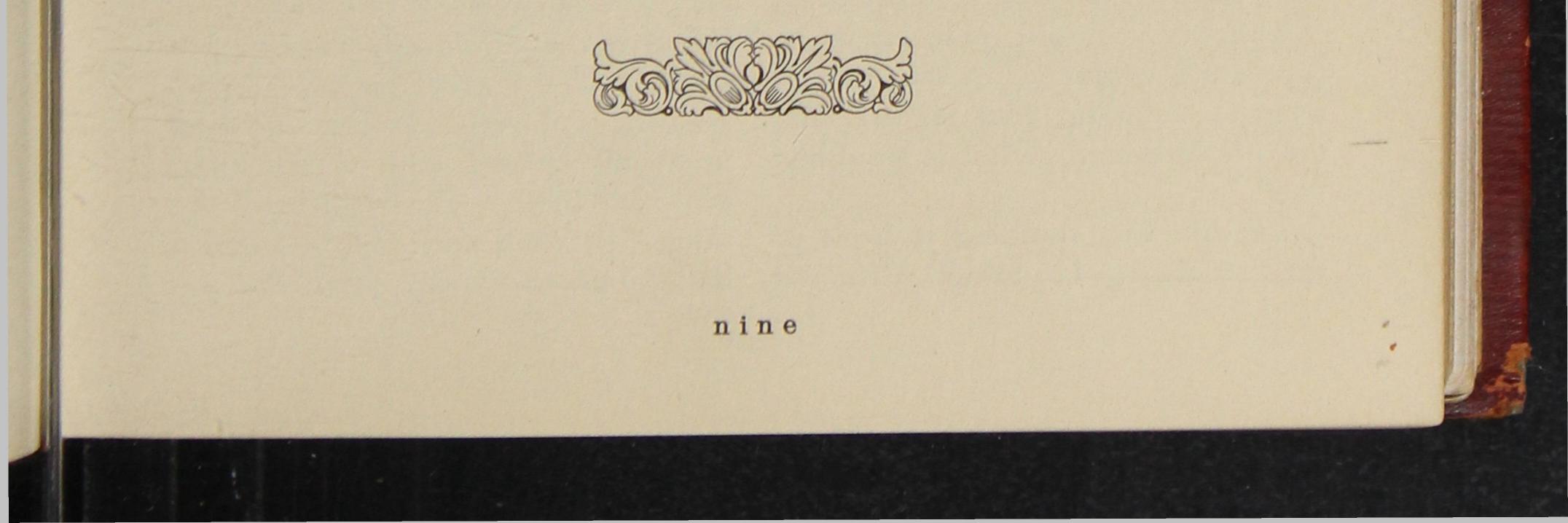
The Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church sent its Assistant Corresponding Secretary, Dr. John W. Hancher, the last two weeks. He was the general at headquarters and gave masterful guidance. Much credit is to be given him and appreciation to the Board. The new president of the University of Washington, Dr. Henry Suzzallo, gave one address in Seattle and another in Tacoma, in which he gave his approval to the educational work of the College, and urged his hearers to subscribe to the endowment. This did much for the success of the campaign.

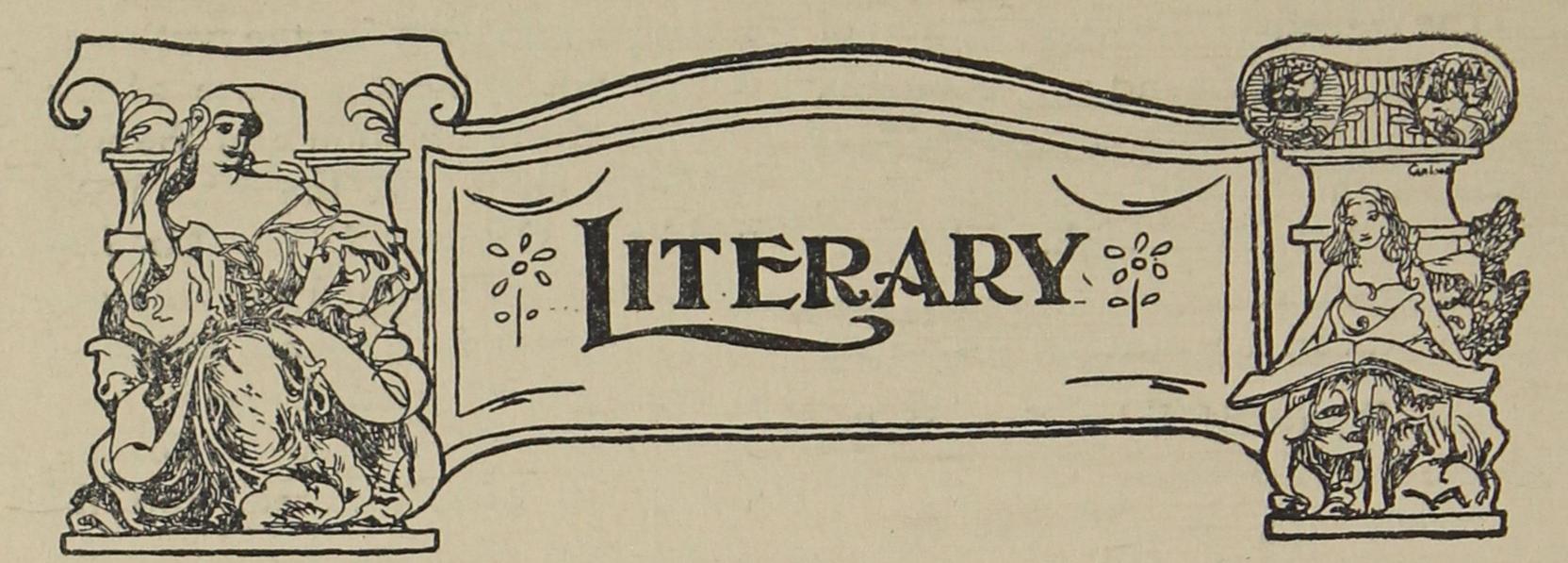
careful supervision for the first year. It was not without a sense of the gravity of the situation that the writer took charge of the school the middle of October, 1913. Mr. Hill considerately extended the time one year and gave us a chance to win.

During this period, University organization was changed to College. Favor has been restored, and the educational standing has been advanced until the educators of the state are giving the College hearty endorsement. It is a record of progress with which we face the future. When another campaign opens it should be for \$1,000,000 more.

The campaign began in the fall of 1912 under the guidance of Dr. Julius C. Zeller, then president of the school, who gave his best effort and God called and gave assurance, and in that way we have walked. His light has shown the path and His hand has led to this present victory. The glory belongs to Him, and the blessing belongs to all.

With gratitude to God and expressions of appreciation for all who have helped much or little, we stand ready to serve the state and our Christ, to walk with you yet further while a better school is developed.





## THE DOMINO

I was sitting at my desk one morn- into a chair, covered his face with his hands and began slowly to talk. "It ing laboriously laboring at nothing is the jewel affair at Madame T's in particular, when Landon burst into mask ball last Tuesday evening." the room with a face so pale and haggard that I started at sight of him. "Ah," I murmered.

"What has happened to you?" I cried.

"Nothing, nothing," he answered, "I am an accursed ass, I suppose. That is all."

"Certainly," I answered, "I agree with you perfectly. But what has happened? One wears a countenance like yours only after a prolonged debauch or some great trouble. What is it?"

"Listen, D----?" he continued, pacing the floor. "The thing is driving me mad. I have scoured the city looking for her for days-yes even nights."

"Looking for whom?" I broke in. "Calm yourself, old man, let us be consistent, beginning at the start of what is troubling you, let me hear the whole thing. What is troubling you?"

"You know how I abhor those things," he continued, "and yet, last Tuesday night I went. It was the hand of Fate. I had arrived early with the intention of paying my respects to the hostess, and departing before the thing became absolutely unbearable. Early as I was, the place was crowded, and guests continued to arrive in a steady stream, and for a time I took a half-hearted interest in noting the costumes of the new arrivals; but tiring of this I began to wander aimlessly amongst the gaudy throng. I was in a beastly mood—a mood of utter melancholy and the laughing revelers in their fantastic costumes, gibbering to one another like a great crowd of gorgeously colored parrots, pressed upon my senses with a sickening sense of hate. The reality of the thing filled me with disgust, and I the fire place. He turned, dropped had fallen to musing upon the de-

Landon was standing it front of

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cadence of the class that could find amusement in such innane and wanton abandon, when noting that it was yet too early to depart, I sought peace in the comparative seclusion of the conservatory. Here I sat for some time. Suddenly I became conscious of the fact that I was being watched. I waited. The eyes continued to observe me and finally I turned and looked directly into a into a black mask, through the holes of which two large wistful eyes peered out at me. We stared at one another steadily for several seconds and then a figure, clad in a black domino, glided out from behind some palms, and seated itself beside me. Without ceremony she addressed me. 'I am in great trouble,' she said 'I must have help. You do not know me, Mr. Landon, but I know you. I have known you for a long time. You are a gentleman. I know that I can trust you. I can explain nothing to you-someday perhaps, but not now. You must place implicit trust in me, you must not even ask my name. I know it is asking a great deal and yet there is no other course open to me. Will you help me?'

"'Mrs. T has in her possession a number of papers which rightfully belong to me. I must have them.'

"Again I nodded.

"'Let us then,' she continued, 'proceed to Mrs. T's private apartments. I happen to know that she keeps the papers in her desk.'

"So we arose and without difficulty attained Mrs. T's room unobserved, where, with feverish haste, the domino searched the desk and apparently having found that after which she had come, turned to

"The voice was low and pleading and the little figure, so intense in it's earnestness, won me over completely and without a second's thought I answered, 'I shall certainly do all in my power to assist you." "Thank you,' she said simply, 'I knew you would. You are acquainted with this house?' "I nodded. me, and at that same moment some one tried the door of the room. The domino was laboring under a greater strain than I knew, for at the sound at the door, had I not assisted her she would have fallen. She was shivering as with cold and I was almost forced to carry her out through the window onto the veranda, and seeing nothing else to do I picked her up and ran for it, asking her as I ran, 'Where to?'

"'To the side entrance to the ground,' she said.

"As we passed some shrubbery the mask was torn from her face. I have it here." And Landon held up a black velvet mask. "And such a face! It was exquisite in its proportions, but there was a look of such unutterable fear upon it that I will carry it with me to the end of my days. What was it that she feared? Why had she come as a thief in the night to search Mrs. T's apartments? Who has the jewels? I swear to you, D—, that that face had no wrong in it."

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#### And Landon fell silent.

"There is not much more to tell," he continued finally. "A machine waited by the gate, and when I had placed her within it she suddenly aroused herself and in a tired far-away voice she said, "Mr. Landon, no matter what you may hear about this night, believe me when I say that I have done no wrong. Please do not try to find me, it will do no

good. I thank you a thousand times for what you have done. Good by.' And the machine sped away into the night. That is all. But, D—, I would give my all to know who she is.''

Landon lifted his face and said, "Don't you understand? For one short moment I held her in my arms, and then, like a shadow, she was wafted away."

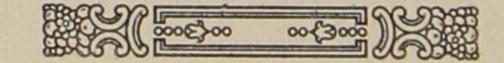
## AN APPRECIATION OF OUR PRESIDENT

Sidney M. Carlson

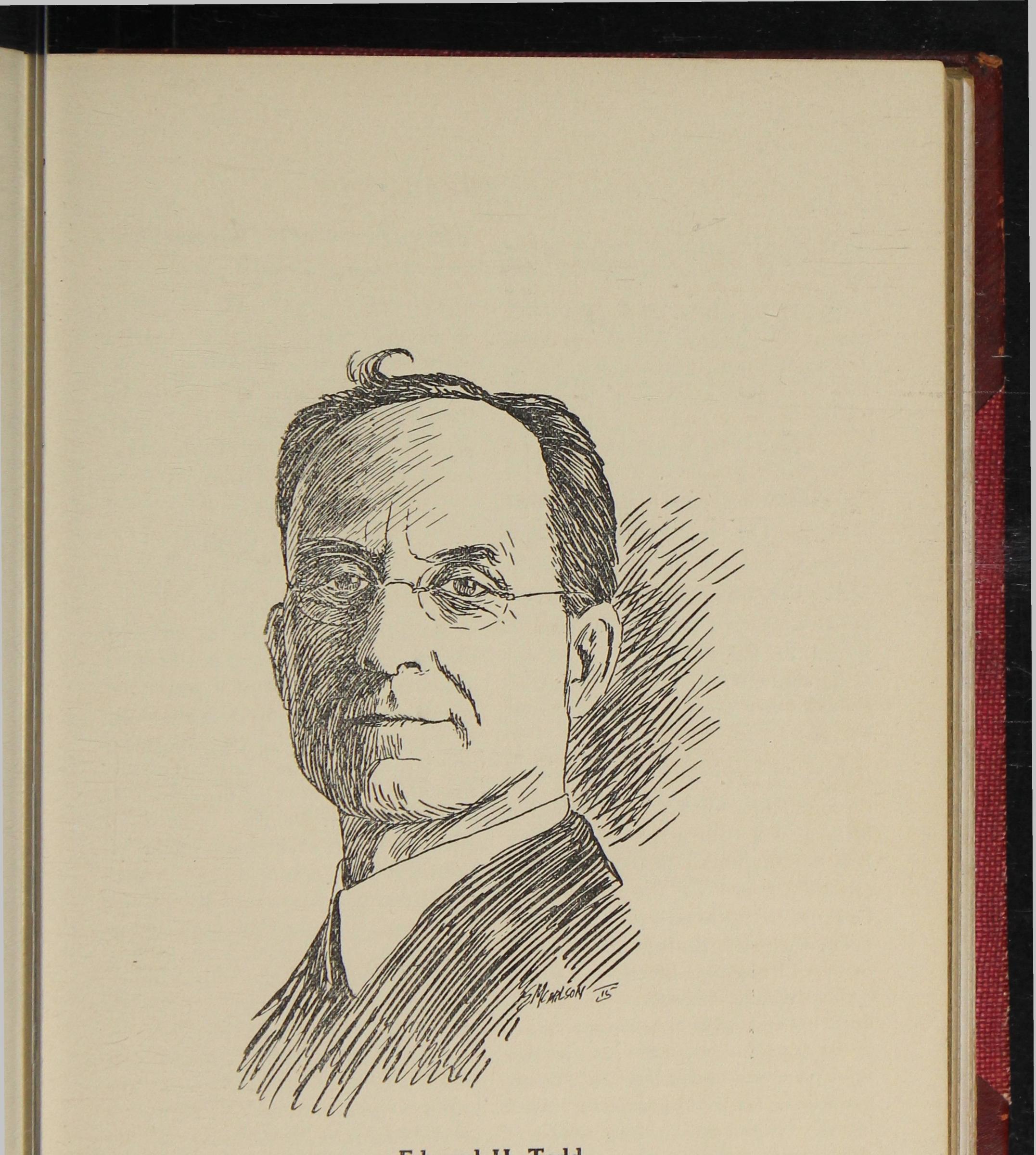
President Todd, true to the lofty principles that he sets forth from the pulpit, is determined to show that work is as affective as genius in bringing results. Having decided on the route he is to take, he is oblivious of all saving the goal. There are 999 routes to take, but there is only one right route. President Todd has that wonderful faculty of being able to pick the right one. Who shall say that this is not genius?

He decided, as he himself tells us, of the three presidential chairs offered to him, to choose C. P. S., because it was the most difficult; because it presented the fewest possible chances of success. Here we have depicted for us the character that is Todd. The man behind the machine.

He gives us endowment and in the same breath with which he thanks that High Power for His goodness unto him-for Todd is a God-fearing man, one proud of the fact—he asks for strength to attain even greater things for this little College, nestling as it were, in the shadow of the Mountain. Then shall we, for whom he is working, sit back and not show our appreciation; not make this man feel that we understand and sympathize and stand behind him in all that he does? Let us, then, remember in every prayer to breathe a petition for the man who is sacrificing himself for the College to the stand to the the sacrificing himself for the man who is sacrific-

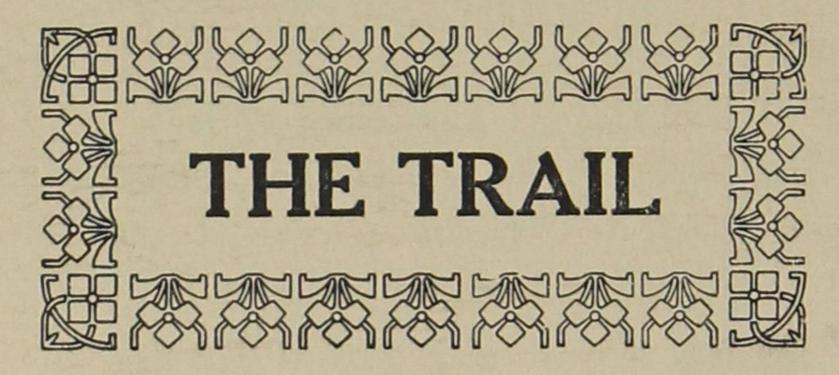


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### Edward H. Todd

President of the College of Puget Sound



#### **MONTHLY SERMON**

"Actions speak louder than words." The loyalty of the students of the College of Puget Sound spoke given to the world. We must have high ideals and stand for them. We are known as a religious institution, let us make our religion more than a mere profession—let us live it. We have professors who are to lead us, let us respond to their leadership, eagerly and sincerely. Let us keep our faith with each other.

#### THE LAST WORD

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in the gift which they made to the Endowment Fund. Tacoma is proud of her students. It is our task, students, to be worthy at all times of her praise, her confidence, her good will.

It is not money, it is not trained professors, it is not efficient management which makes a college great. It is her students. In the years that are before us, we, the students of C. P. S., have the task of making our college a great institution. If each of us will consider himself as a part of the whole instead of the whole itself, and will shape his life to benefit and to magnify the whole, we shall be assets to the college. As our president, Dr. Todd, has sacrificed for the school, so we must sacrifice.

#### UPON KEEPING YOUR WORD

To give your word is an easy matter, to break it is a grave offense. To break the pledge of a society of which you are a member is absolutely unpardonable. You are taken into a society in good faith. You are trusted. The honor of the society is placed in your hands. You, as a member of the society are bound to keep the pledge which your society had given to other societies. When you break that pledge you betray your trust. You open your society to the criticism of the vulgar mob. You make your society a byword. No longer can anyone put faith in you or your society. Should you plead ignorance, the Law says "Ignorance is no excuse." A man's most valuable possession is his

We must consider the rights of others, we must conform to the environment which surrounds us, we must become students in nature, in order that the College of Puget Sound may be known as a school where true men and women are Moral—Keep Your Word.

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## NEEDED CHANGES IN OUR CONSTITUTION

When the constitution of the United States was framed, the men who were the framers were versed in law and had a definite idea of what they wanted the constitution to embody. It seems that the constitution of an Associated Student Body is a diffierent proposition. Such a constitution reaches perfection only by evolution. Any one who is familiar with the affairs of the Associated Students of C. P. S., knows that the present bureau system is far from satisfactory. The Social Bureau is the only one having important duties to perform. The others meet once in a while, but never to discuss plans for bettering the phase of student life which they govern. There is no unity among the bureaus because there is nothing to draw them together.

is the capacity in which they are acting just at present.

In order that every student may be able to vote intelligently on all amendments which should be presented, a careful study of the constitution would not come amiss. The present constitution was published in the January and February issues of the Trail for 1915.

The Central Board at present is

The Central Board is logically the governing and directing power in Student Affairs. At present its membership is so small that should it assume control, it would be a large step away from, instead of towards, democracy. A much needed amendment to the constitution is one enlarging the membership of the Central Board, and placing under its management all student affairs. considering some necessary changes and will most likely submit some amendments to the student body for their approval or disapproval. This body asks the cooperation of all the students in regard to needed amendments.

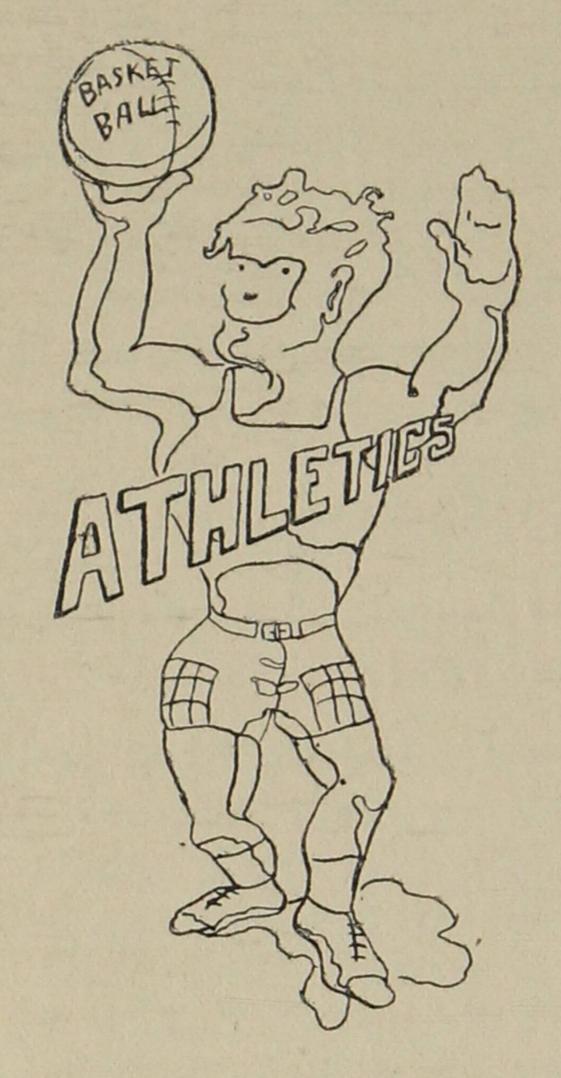
#### **KAPPA SIGMA THETA**

Our pledges have received their first degree initiation and will no longer have to wear those violet and green bows after they become real Thetas on October 27th.

We have planned an interesting course for our programmes this winter. We are to begin with a study of the United States possessions, taking up the history, natives, literature, customs and points of interest in each. The first will be on Alaska, November 3rd, and will be given by our new girls. On October 11th, Miss Ella Baker delightfully entertained the Thetas and a few friends at a thimble party. A buffet luncheon was served.

Another amendment is one which would change the duties of the bureaus to purely advisory ones. This

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use of their most excellent arena. Prospects are bright for four or five teams and each team promises to be a phenomenal comet. With our efficient coach and trainer, what shall we not be able to do. And if the school gets behind basketball, look out for the cars, we'll be the twentieth century limited.

Memory is a great thing. Last season we lost to U. of W. Nearly every team they played lost to them, but we succeeded in running up the biggest score that has ever been made against the North West Champions. Negotiations are being made with the following schools for games: U. of W., Willamette, Pacific University, Washington State Normal, McMinnville, Everett High, Stadium and Lincoln Park High Schools, Parkland, Decoven Hall and undoubtedly a few more schools. This season will be a success if everyone will back up the teams with enthusiasm, demonstration and attendance at all the games.

Football is too tame. Give us something with life in it. Let us say for instance, Basket Ball. There is something in that game. That something which is so enjoyable, so thrilling, so exciting, and yet so concise. For fifty minutes we watch with breathless interest a group of writhing, fighting, warring mortals, upon whom rests our hopes of victory.

To a great many of the students, Our leaders for the past month have the basketball situation of C. P. S. been Miss Reneau, Misses Pollom has been a dark horse, but by the and Bock, who gave us a shorty, buckskin that laces the ball, do I, snappy talk on Seabeck, and Margathe manager, swear to tell of the ret Longstreth, who talked on "A most promising outlook for basket- Girl's Responsibility to Herself." ball that his school has ever known. Our meetings are not lengthy and Having no gymnasium will not stop you cannot afford to miss them. us. Negotiations are under way with The cabinet have been busy. the Y. M. C. A. of the city for the Every two weeks we have our cabi-

#### Y. W. C. A.

Have you attended Y. W. lately? Ye Gods! What a game is basket-We have been having good meetball! ings. The attendance has been fine.

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net luncheon and business meeting. The results from these meetings are evident, namely more interesting devotional meetings, tag day, and the banquet.

Were you tagged? If not, you ought to have been, for you certainly missed a fine banquet. We were sorry that more of the girls were not able to attend. We had thirteen honor guests, the thirteenth one being Mr. Cottrell. Among our honored guests were our advisory board siasm that Bain puts into the song members, the ladies of the faculty, services. Cottrell urges every man and Miss Wheeler of the city Y. M. C. A. After four courses had been disposed of, Miss McGandy, our toast mistress, called upon different people for toasts. The initial letters of each topic spelled the word "friends." Those who spoke were Misses Temple, Woods, Wilson, Todd, Wheeler, Reneau and Porter. Mr. Cottrell responded to the toast "Love One Another."

attend them. The Friday noon meeting are always favored by excellent speakers. Our own students, members of the faculty, and men from outside the school have spoken to us since school started. They have brought a personal message for veryone present. The speakers for the last few weeks were Mr. Bain, Prof. Harvey, Mr. Weber, Dr. Sutton and Mr. Mathes. The price of membership does not pay for the enthuto come to the six minute prayer meeting after chapel. Get into the inner circle, for that is where the real work is done. Sheffer wants more help in the deputation work. Every fellow can help in this line, if he but will. The cabinet are working their brains, planning for a lively year for all. To have a successful Y. M. we need all of the fellows.

This is not the last event we expect to have. Plans are under way for a "Doll Show." We have not said what kind of dolls. Better investigate.

#### Y. M. C. A.

No one doubts that the Y. M. is alive and on the go. Wake up, you who are not members. When it the H. C. S. of former days and the comes down to brass tacks, the Y. M. doesn't need you one half as much as you need it, so get into the whirl with the rest of us.

#### H. C. S.

Our first meeting was a success. We were favored by the presence of the leader of the band, and three other new students. They are bashful and do not want to be mentioned personally. The meeting was in the form of an informal, get acquainted reception. The silver tongued orators of our fraternity told us about H.C.S. for the coming year. The refreshment committee served punch, sandwiches, cookies and candy. Everyone present enjoyed the evening. Our second program was a suc-

The prayer meetings on Wednesday evening are beneficial to all who

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Feeds. The program consisted of short talks upon the refreshments served at our last meeting. Gebert We are back to work again. All favored us with a Eulogy on the Joys the preliminary festivities, society of Married Life. From Carlson's functions and glad hand shaking of remarks on Sand-witches, he must old friends and new are over. Each have spent some time on the seashore. We all enjoyed the Chicken do in the coming year. For "We Salad. Our meetings will be held are not here to play, to dream, to on Tuesday evenings and the hour is 8:30. All the fellows are welcome and loads to lift." This is the sort to visit our fraternity and at times of stuff we want to find in each we include the ladies, so watch our member of our society. We are

cess. We are noted for our Stag When you have the blues, visit Philo.

#### AMPHICTYON

student has his share of the work to drift. We have hard work to do trying to learn to say: "There is nothing we cannot overcome; there is no noble height we cannot climb. All triumphs will be ours in time. If we lean on that GREAT STAFF, God's Security, and trust to Him our all in times of 'futurity.'" tionally so from now on. The first The meetings have been well attended by both friends and members. In the absence of a piano, Archie La Forge has donated his services as leading vocalist, and in this way the usual musical spice has not been lacking. We will be happy when the piano finally arrives in order that the rest of us may give vent to the pent up musical ability that is just awaiting a means of expression.

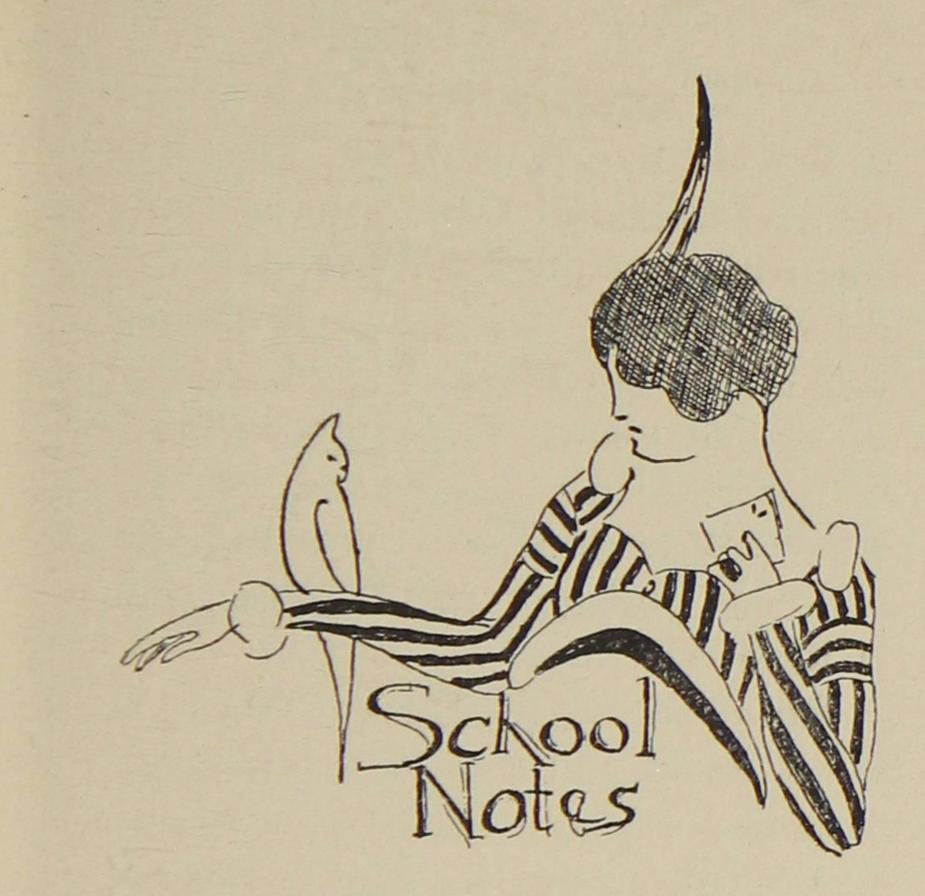
programs.

#### PHILOMATHEAN

The outlook for Philo this year is very bright. Our programs from the first have been very interesting, but we intend to make them excepstrain of work and excitement of the year is over and we are getting accustomed to the harness.

Thirteen new members have been taken in already. They are Misses Ruth Vigus, Bernice Jamison, Lois Buckingham, Josie Boardman, Madeline Meiers, Maude Harris, Naomi VanAryesdale and Hulda Carlson; Messrs. Harry Earle, Wilbur Weber, Ward Wiesenbach, Louis Gellerman and John Insel. There are a few

The Philomatheans and Amphicmore who expect to ride the goat tyons were entertained at a rally to celebrate the wedding of an Amphicsoon. The Philo cakes have begun to tyon brother, Harry Gardner and come in already, so those who want Miss Nettie Barnes, who is a Philoto get in on the eats had better hurry mathean. We extend the hand of up. The goat is getting fat and will hearty welcome to our new sister-inbe in fine condition for Nov. first. law and to both a wish of future hap-From now on the programs will piness, "For Love and Happiness is begin at 8 o'clock instead of at 7:30. the Essence of Life." eighteen



speakers were James S. Ashton, E. L. Blaine, Mrs. R. L. McCormick, Dean Marsh, Professors Davis and and Morton. At 12:30 a luncheon was served for the trustees and members of the Tacoma Endowment Committee. Here the plans for the investment of the endowment were made.

The students of our College have had the opportunity of hearing some splendid speakers at Chapel during the past few weeks. Dr. Suzzallo, of the U. of W. gave us an inspiring talk during the time of our endowment campaign. He is a strong booster for our College and endeared himself to every student by his kind words and helpful attitude.

#### Bertha Wotton

At midnight of October 1, 1915, the students of this College knew the endowment was ours. In anticipation of our success we celebrated by parading the down town streets, giving yells and singing college songs. This jollification reached its highest on the following night, when a huge bon fire was lighted on the campus where the students gathered to complete the celebration with eats, music and speeches.

On October 19, at Chapel, we celebrated the raising of the \$250,-000 endowment. This was the first meeting at which the trustees were present. Speeches and music were the features of our jollification.

Dr. Brown, a recently returned missionary, after a sojourn of forty years in Turkey, gave us a stirring account of his work there.

Other Chapel speakers were Dr. John W. Hancher, secretary of the Board of Education; Mrs. R. M. Pollock, of North Dakota, and E. L. Blaine, president of the Board of Trustees.

#### DEBATE

We're off. Signals are set for a clear track ahead. Pacific University is our first stop. We meet her on February 18th, 1916. The ques-

These were given out unstintingly by people who knew how. The first We had a fine response to the call speakers were Dr. Todd and Frank B. Cole. These men were the main factors in securing the endowment and will always hold a warm place in the hearts of the students. Other

tion will be The Merchant Marine. for volunteers. One young lady came and with flashing eyes said it was impossible to keep her out of a debate. Her name is Miss Van Aryesdale. The boys who are going

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in for debate are Granlund, Snypp, Hedberg, Dodsworth, Clay, Simons, Bouck, Cottrell and Rees. We wish more of the young ladies would volunteer. Arangements will most likely be made with Willamette University for a debate in April.

If there are enough Academy debaters, proseptcs are bright for one or two debates with high schools around Tacoma. So get busy.

This year should be a banner year for C. P. S. in the forensic field. It

#### THE ACADEMY

At Chapel during the week of the endowment campaign, Dr. Hancher asked for liberal subscriptions from the student body. What did the Academy do? What does it always do? It pledged over \$1700. Many of the Academy students sacrificed to make their subscriptions, but all were glad to do this in order to have a "real College" in Tacoma, the "City of Destiny."

An affair of great surprise and interest to all students of the College was the marriage of two of our Academy students, Mary Boston and Bert Paul, which occured on Thursday, October 1st. They are now living at Peshastin, Washington.

will be if every student will boost and do his part in helping the teams.

#### **GIRLS' STUDENT BODY**

The girls of the student body have organized and the first result of their organization was the fine feed we all enjoyed after the bonfire. Junia Todd is our president, so if the boys think the girls should be doing something, report the same to her. Our other officers are Georgina Wilson, treasurer; Mary Porter sergeant at arms; Marian Maxham, secretary; Iciel Marshall, reporter. You will hear more of us later.

# THANKSGIVING

The great "at home" day. If you can't be there, a fine photograph will help.

#### FRESHMAN NOTES

We are all quite saddened at this time. As yet the cause has not been found, but of course we all mourn with the Sophomores. Some one must be dead or some terrible calamity must have befallen them else why all their colors at half mast? For a number of days now the colors have hung forlorn and mournful. The Freshman class wish to express their sympathies at this time.

The Freshmen are all alive anyhow. Did you notice that it took our bereaved Sophs over a week to

Make an appointment now

PETERSSON 9th & TACOMA AVE. get up enough courage to be impolite enough to remove our numerals from the surrounding territory. I shall not attempt to give an account of the Freshman meetings, they are too numerous. We like one another so well, we cannot refrain

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most recent meetings the class colors were chosen, lavender and purple. You have all seen them on the tiptop of the flag pole.

We were royally entertained by the Sophomore class on Saturday evening, October 23. The other classes will have to go some if they can be as jolly a bunch of entertainers as the class of 1918.

#### SOPHOMORE NOTES

The Sophomore class is not dead

from meeting often. At one of the and wended their way homeward in groups of one, two's and three's. JUNIOR NOTES

> The Junior class is at work alright alright, altho as yet we have not been heard from. Since we became the proud possessors of a mascot, we have been very busy selecting the proper curriculum for his Catship. When our little kitty was a Freshone and couldn't even open his eyes, we fed him lots of milk and now thos horrid Sophomores have gone and done the same thing to our new Freshmen. But then, there is bound to be a certain element always apeing after greatness. Our new members are all live wires.

of rest.

During these days when study seems to be uppermost, even in a Soph's mind, we still found time to entertain the Freshmen at a lively party in the Ad building on October 23rd. They were all there. And so were we. The Freshmen looked too cute for anything in their paper bibs. They said so themselves. George and Paul didn't smoke the traditional pipe of peace, but they both drank from the same can of milk.

Cook certainly can impersonate Dean Marsh. We all thought we were at Chapel. Prof. Davis was very popular at "Farmer in the Dell."

Irma Johnson gave two pleasing readings.

Our officers are: President, Alden Warman; Vice President and Reporter, Harriet Moe; Secretary, Ruth Temple; Treasurer, Charles Miller.

We have lots of pep and you should hear us yell Hick, Heck, tra boom!

Qui bissum, ah zum! Hullabaloo baloo baleen! Junior Class of Seventeen!

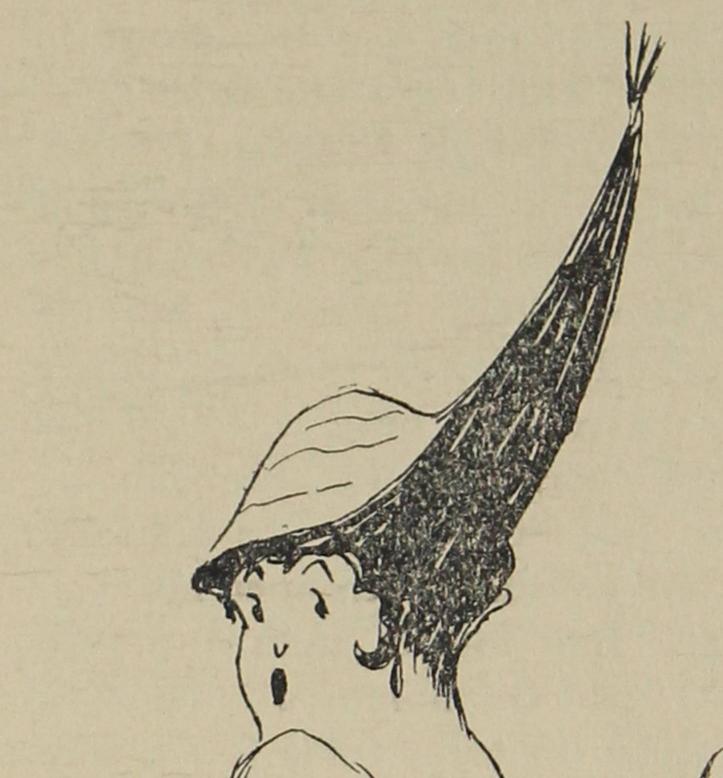
#### SENIOR NOTES

While the Seniors to all outward appearances may not appear to be as lively a bunch as the Freshies and Sophomores, they are, nevertheless, very much alive. A splendid class spirit was manifested at the Senior meeting, at which the following class officers were elected: President, Paul Granlun; Vive President, Alice Goulder; Sergean at Arms, Warren Rees; Secretary-Treasurer, Marian

The Freshmen simply would play "Winkum," but we finally got them to see the real enjoyment in playing "Ring on the String."

After carefully folding their bibs, in readiness for future use, the Freshmen bade their rivals good night Maxham; Reporter, Mabel Meiers.

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Seminary studying for the ministry. Homer (Bessie) Moore is also in Boston. He is not carrying The Times, but is washing dishes for his board. He evidently is not married as his job is in a restaurant. Ann Fry is staying at home in Sumas. She likes The Trail. Guy Higgins is in Tacoma, working in the Building and Loan Association. Pansie Lawrence is teaching in the Home Economics Department of our own College. Alce Warren is in primary and kindergarten work in Tacoma. Terrell Newby is at Gig Harbor. Wilbur Hart is working in a shingle mill. Alma Leonard is teaching at American Lake. Lily Swanson is spending her time instructing the children of Orting in the way that they should go. Paul Todd is principal of the school at Haballa. Elmer Marlatt is attending U. of W. this year. Lawrence Terry is riding on the T. R. and P. He is also taking P. G. work at the Lincoln High School. 'He likes them fine.' Bess Thompson is teaching in Shelton. Irma Tuell is taking

## Ella Baker. ECHOES FROM THE PAST.

As we gathered in the halls of C. P. S. for the year 1915-16, we missed old and familiar faces. We P. G. work at Stadium High School. wondered where they were. We Bessie Shone stayed at home this whispered our wish into the air. The year. No wonder Cook looks so tall pines whispered back the an- lonesome. Margaret Clements is swer. This is what he told us: taking a business course in Seattle. "Bess Brown and Mary Manny Gladys Maddock and Ihrina Baker are teaching school in small towns are attending the State College at under the shadow of the Mountain. Pullman. Ruth Auld is remaining at They are fifteen miles apart. They home at Granger. It is rumored are almost broken hearted over their that she is taking a business course. separation. Rolla Clark has mar-She always was a busy body. Jessie Scotten is at home this semester. ried and is in Boston Theological

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She may return next. Ruby Bales is Mrs. Floyd Hart. Clyde Benadom is working on his farm in Seattle."

With this list the whisper died away. There are some who could not be found by the wandering winds. There have been no deaths. Time has been good to the Students of 1914-15.

Mr. George Calkins has left school and gone East where a fineposition awaited him. Mr. Patterson has also left. We will miss these two men. George Pflaum was called on just before Ed. and gave their recitation and Gebert when called upon was forced to change his topic and spoke on a dear experience.

Mrs. Sandall—How many in this class are normal, pure and simple?

Terrell Newby comes back to see us every little while.

Carl gets wrathy, Junia gets sassy -CLASH.

Miss Francis Towne was quite ill for a few days during the week of October tenth.

Prof. Harvey in Chem.—There is a great difference between an explosion and a mere fire. A coal bed igniting and burning is an explosion, while a house burning is an inflammation.

The very latest method of carrying money is in silk hose. "Say, Quevli, who's silk hose do you use?"

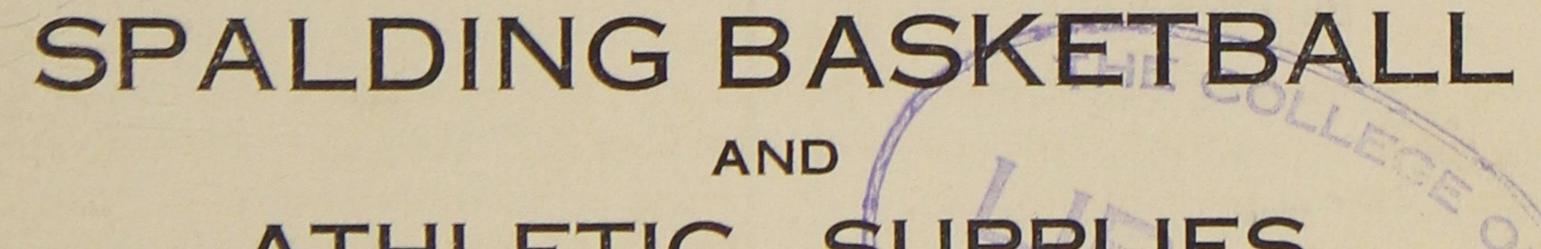
Ed. Gebert learned a dear lesson in Oral Expression on October 13. Ted Dunlap is sporting a new hat. We wonder why?

The Freshmen made a great mistake in using a mere whitewash, they're too green to fool the Sophomores.

Our quartet is fine, we only wish they would sing a little faster and louder the next time.

De Loss Hart was a visitor at the Chem. Lab. on October 15.

Prof. Davis and Mrs. Davis are now getting their phone calls mixed.



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Mildred Eaton sings "Lead Me Gently Home" just splendidly.

Ruth Temple's mother spent Sunday, October 24, in Tacoma.

Agnes Scott made a great mistake the other day. She took an exam in Methods and wasn't intending to take it at all.

Prof. Davis in Political Science— Where is the famous Roosevelt Dam? There was silence. Finally some one said: In the mouth of his enemies, isn't it? Prof. Davis—In Washington they have a machine where everything is done with wheat, even to putting it into sacks. Everything except making the biscuit and putting the butter and syrup on them.

German Student—Up in Hamburg they have a machine where in one side you throw in the ox, and in the other side you pick out your pair of shoes.

Stearns (in Geometry)—What

Miss Root in Chemistry as an explosion occurs with much violence, "MURDER."

Mrs. Sandall—Miss Lemons, is it Lemon or Lemons?

Miss Lemons—Why it is Lemons, that is plural.

Mrs. S.—I never liked to have my name called plural when I was singular.

Miss L.—Well, I'm still singular.

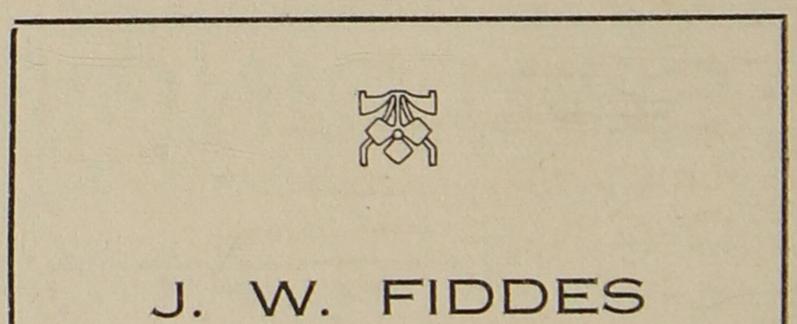
A new Chocolate Nut Sundae: Jack Johnson Charles Chaplin Billy Sunday.

Paul Hanawalt and Aileene are still back, as you can all see. It is something fierce. right have they to plunge us into a sea like this?

Gellerman—O, that's easy. Stearns—Yes, for you. You're a shark.

A.—Have you heard the last joke on the Ford? B.—I hope I have.

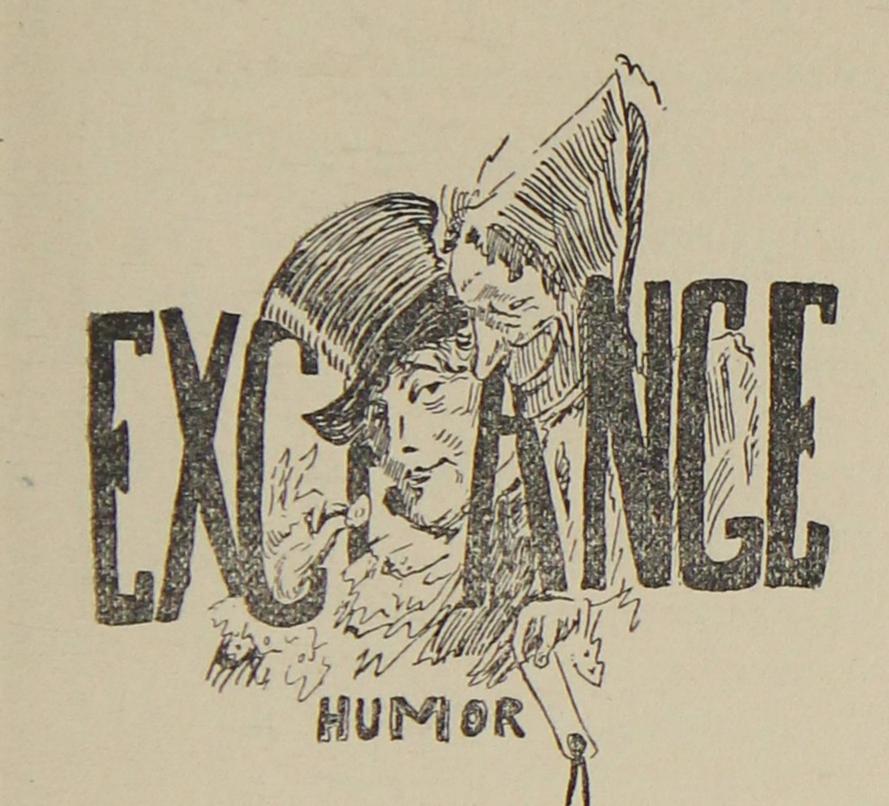
Burke had just finished a long discourse upon a subject in which he was very ignorant. As he sat down, the professor said to him: You have but few coins, but you rattle well.





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O, Alice, where wast thou going? Where was I when I broke loose? O, yes. I was about to say That—that—that— I like our new band. And also Snypp. How do you spell it? Snip, Snype, Snnyypp, Ssnyyp? Don't you know Snypp? He's the guy whot leads the band. How do I know where he leads it?

Sometimes Snypp carries a stick.

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Sound like a pomoranium.
We think, personally, he borrowed it.
For the drummer.
How about it, Snypp?
O, say, girls, have you noticed
I can't say it, honest.

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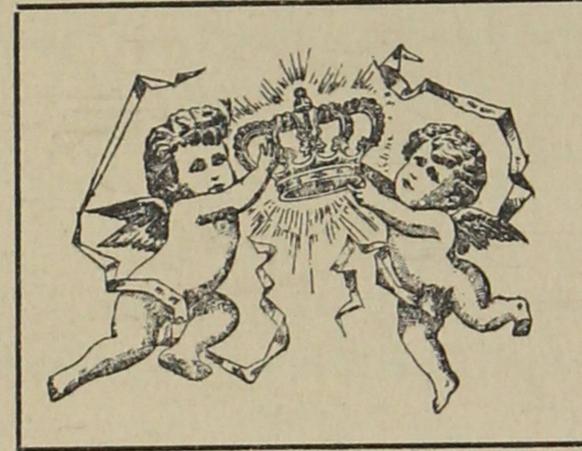
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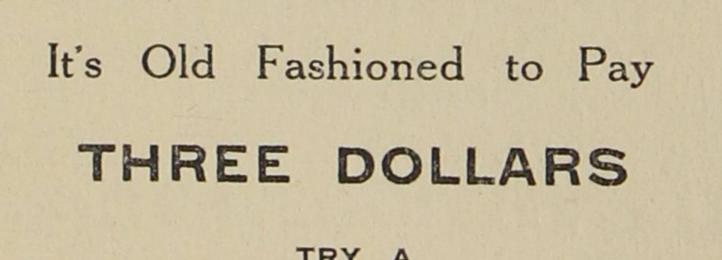
The Atmosphere is not --- slow and heavy. 'Tis it not?

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## Our mistake.

Beg Pardon.

Puzzle-find the atmosphere. The rain, it was misty and heavy The college was dry and lone, The girls stood about in the study But alas they stood alone. Sweet, sad music. Atmosphere laden with perfume. The flowers were gorgeous. They said he looked natural. Poor fellow. I wonder where he went? That's what prohobition done.



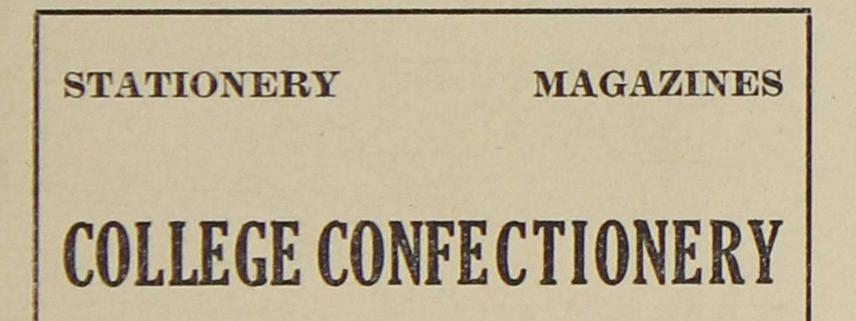
## **BOYS-READ THIS**

The Girls' Hall has a lively bunch in it this year and our enthusiasm has been shown by an early election of officers. Ruth Harvey was chosen our president for the year. We are sorry to lose our new secretary, Ruth Woods, who expects to leave for her home at Cle Elum soon. Lois Hathaway will take charge of the finances of the Hall. At this meeting committees were appointed to begin preparations for our Hallow-een party. Several new girls are with us now. Alice Brown and Hazel Peterson are with us each week end and Mildred Eaton is expecting to make her home at the Hall.

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Tommy, very sleepy, was saying his prayers.

"Now I lay me down to sleep, Pray the Lord my soul to keep"— "If," promted his mother. "If he hollers let him go, eeny, meeny, miny, mo."



Enthusiastic teacher, in Sociology class—What would men have become if there were no women? Sleepy student—A bachelor, I suppose. (Bright Idea.)

Pretty Freshman—When I hold up a rose before you what do you see?

Wise Sophomore—The Goddess of Liberty.

Said Atom unto Mole Cule, "Will

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I wonder why it always is, When I go into class, The empty chair that's next to me, The pretty girl will pass; And why, if it's a homely girl, And one with frizzled hair— She'll make a dash with all her might, And jump into that chair. Hipporay! Hipporay! Hipporay! you unite with me?" But Mole Cule did quick retort, "There's no affinity." Beneath electric light's glare poor atom hoped he'd meter; But she eloped with a rascal base —and her name is now "Saltpetre."

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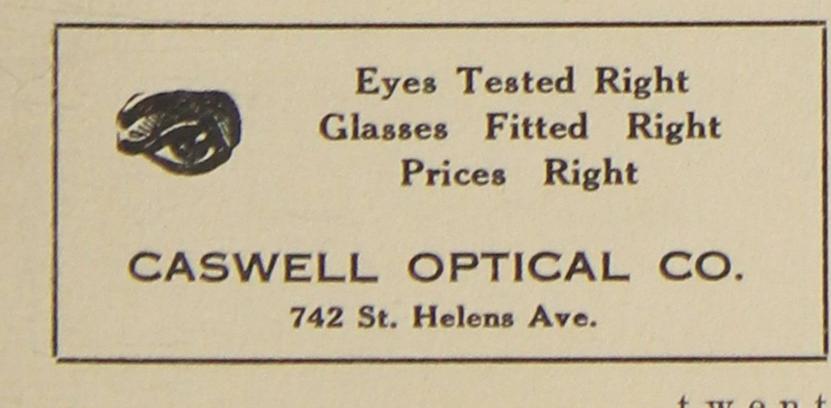
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Always go to see, said the sailor.
Make light of everything, said the fire.

"My man, where did you become such an expert swimmer?" "Why, lady," responded our hero modestly, "I used to be a traffic cop in Venice."

Do a driving business, said the hammer.

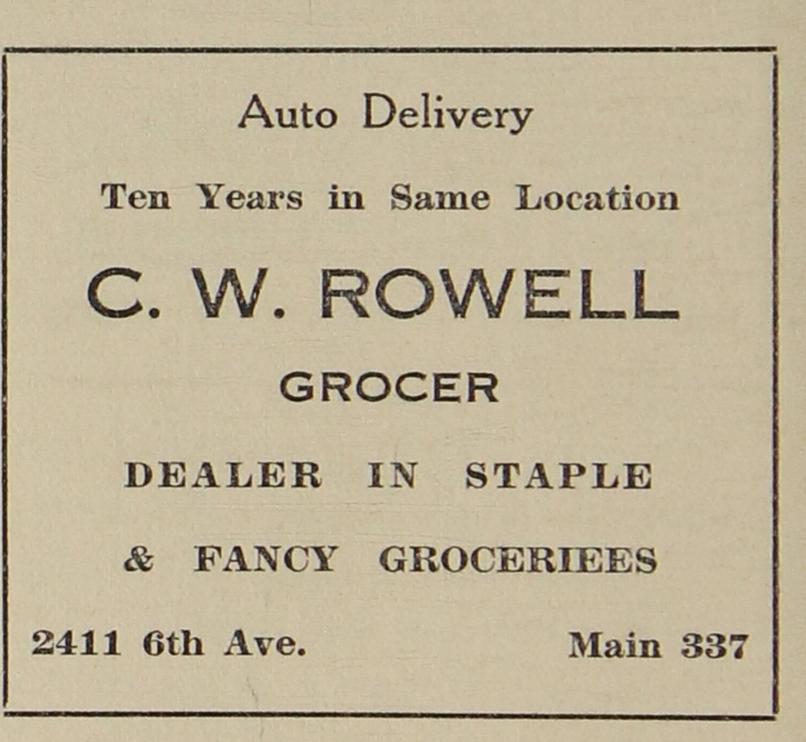
Be square and upright, said the piano.

Aspire to great things, said the nut-

meg. Be sharp, said the knife. Keep moving, said the pendulum. Stick to a good thing, said the glue.

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Jam—It must be lit.

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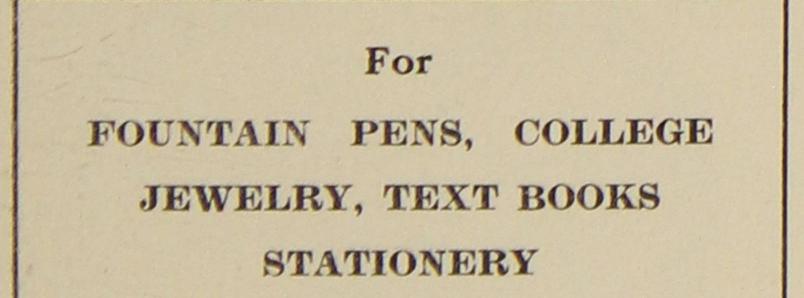
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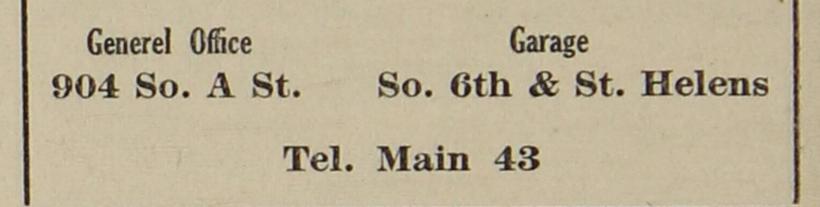
'Twas in a restaurant they met, This Romeo and Juliet; 'Twas then he first got into debt. For Rome-o'd what Ju-li-et.

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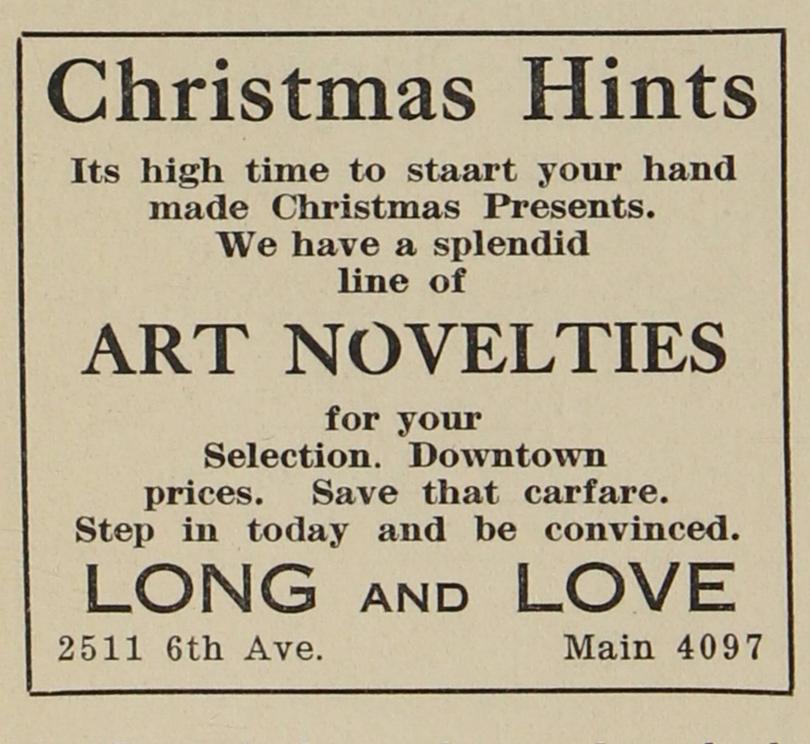
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"Doesn't that girl over there look like Helen Brown?"

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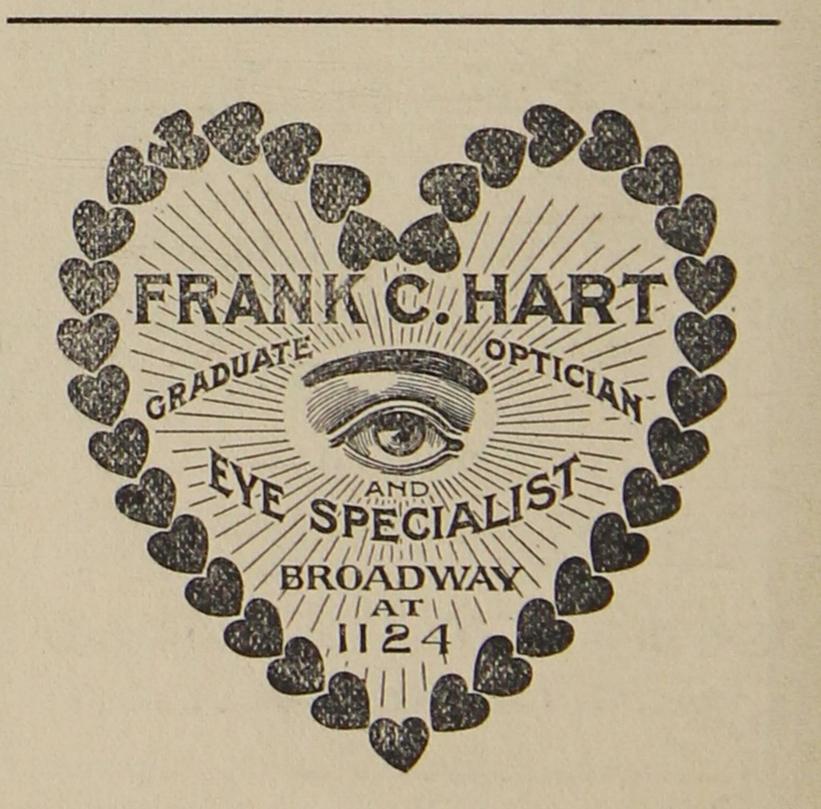
"A mule can do that and still have two legs left over."

"Cleopatra's needle weighs 180 tons."

"Gosh! No wonder she preferred flirting to sewing."

"My dear, you look sweet enough to kiss."

"That's the way I intended to look, Jack."



"I don't call that dress brown. Mother-Johnny, stop using such dreadful language. Johnny — Well, mother, Shakespeare uses it. Mother-Then don't play with him; he's no fit companion for you.

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Frosh—What is a ground hog? Soph—Sausage, I suppose. "You can climb pretty high in the world, but you can never get so high that you are above suspicion."

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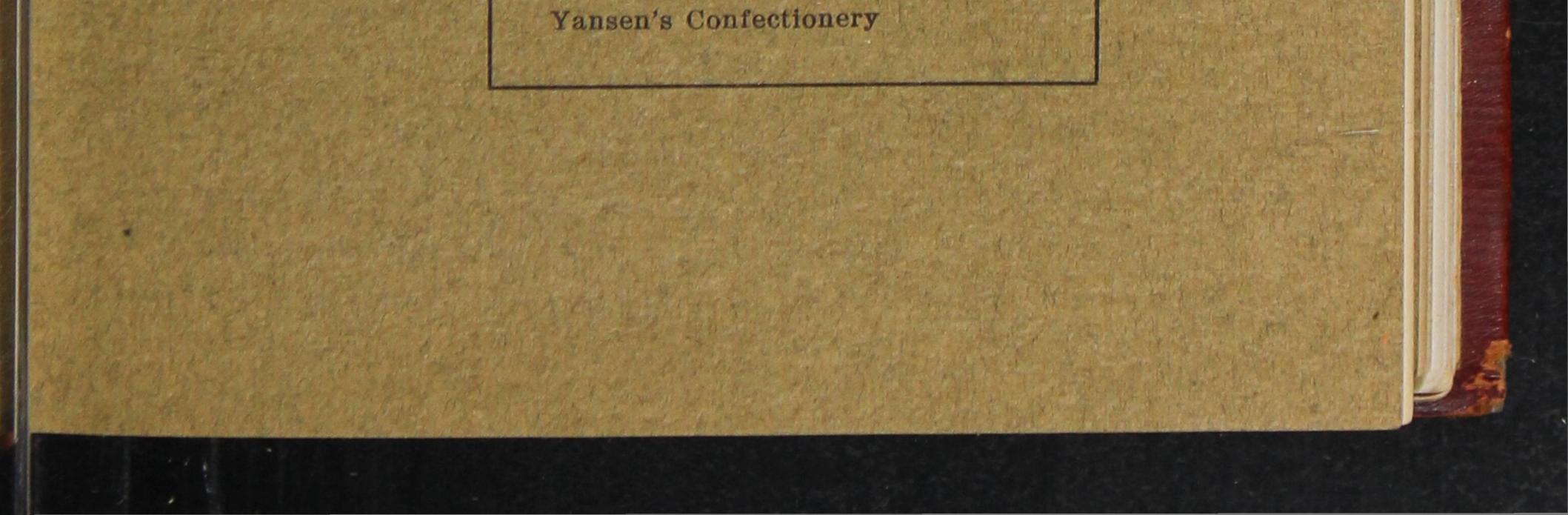
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