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Miss Gittens Wins the Prohi Contest

By the Excellency of Her Composition, Lady Orator Wins---Trill Gets Second Place.

On Friday evening, March 20, occurred the first annual oratorical contest of the Prohibition League of Willamette University. Six speakers addressed the large and appreciative audience that filled Willamette chapel.

The orators and the subject of their orations follow:

Mary Gittins, "The Need of Prohibition."

W. G. Trill, "The Unveiled Picture."

W. A. Schmidt, "The Onward March of Victory.

Perry Reigelman, "Prohibition: A Business Proposition."

D. L. Fields, "Hang Out your Light."

Fred Hornschuh, "Weighed and Found Wanting."

Miss Gittins, who won first place, was awarded three firsts on composition, and Mr. Trill three firsts on delivery. However, Miss Gittin's delivery was considered better than Mr. Trill's composition, so the judges awarded first place and a twenty dollar money prize to Miss Gittins, and second place and a fifteen dollar prize to Mr. Trill.

In being successful in the local contest Miss Gittins has won for herself the privilege of representing her school in the State Prohibition Contest to be held at McMinnville, April 24, in which the orators of seven colleges will compete to determine the representative of the state in the Pacific Coast contest in which an orator will be chosen to participate in the national contest to occur some time next year.

Miss Gittins is to be congratulated upon the excellency of her composition and her engaging delivery, and will no doubt win fresh honors for Old Willamette in the new field of contest in which her tenterprising students have embarked.

In the course of the evening Miss Joy Turner rendered a very enjoyable selection on the violin with piano accompaniment by Mr. Chester Catlow. Miss Helen Goodenough entertained the audience with a vocal solo.

Professor Patterson was presiding officer for the evening. The judges on composition were: Rev. Neff, Prof. Graham and C. H. Jones. Those on delivery, Rev. Bowen, Associate Jusice of the Supreme Court W. R. King, and Attorney General A. M. Crawford.

The Prohibition League has only recently become affiiliated with the various student enterprises, yet even now has a large membership, containing many of the most influential students, and if those members who charmed the audience with their eloquence on Friday evening can be considered fair samples of the total membership, this League, under its earnest and efficient officers, is destined to become a powerful factor in college life and will wield a great and good influence.

Outlook Brighter

Spring Athletics Take On Brighter Aspect

During the past week the weather has been very favorable for spring sports, and Coach Cromwell has had a good sized bunch of fellows out at work, both in track and baseball. At first the track prospects were not so bright as might be wished for, but the outlook has changed considerable of late. Both Westley and Hornshuh are going to crowd the forty foot mark with the shot, and in the runs, Jeffries, Low, and Pemberton have been added to last year's list. Jeffries was the fastest man in the century dash that Montana produced last year, and he is expected to win laurels for the admirers of the cardinal this year. We remember Pemberton from his appearance here with Pacific College a few years ago, when he took first in all the sprints. Low also has a good record and has a place sinched.

The baseball prospects have been bright from the beginning of the season, and no doubt W. U. will put out a winning team this season. They may possibly have a practice game with Woodburn next Saturday, but definite word has not been obtained as this goes to press.

ONE EVENING'S RIDE.

Alma V. Haskins.

"Hello! Sanderson! Come out to Riverton with a two seated covered carri-

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age tonight about ten o'clock. I've got somethoing for you. Bring some fellow with you. You'll be glad of company. 'A word to the wise' you know. Goodbye."

This was what Jim Rutledge telephoned to his friend Sanderson, a medical student.

The night was dark and a drizzling rain was falling. The moaning of the wind in the trees was not a cheerful sound to Sanderson and Rogers, as they were returning from Riverton. The same six miles had seemed much shorter when they had gone over them but half an hour before.

"That fellow back there," remarked Sanderson, pointing with his thumb to an object in the back seat, "has stolen all our fun."

"You mean that thing," corrected Rogers.

Three miles from town they stopped at a small hotel. They tied the horse and went in. Sole occupant of the carriage, and hidden from view by the side curtains, was the stiff cold figure of a man, propped upright, on the back seat.

While the friends were inside imbibing substantial cheer, another carriage drove up. This driver also tied his horse and went into the hotel.

A few minutes later Sanderson and Rogers returned and clambered into the nearest carriage.

"Seems to me the old codger in the back seat has a less mournful attitude," said Sanderson, who was driving. "Keep your eye on him. This road seems to be mighty rough along here. He may lose his equilibrium. I don't remember going over this piece of road before, do you?"

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derson. Must be something wrong with your own equilibrium."

They were too much occupied in trying to identify the road to notice that the "fellow in the back seat" was keeping his balance surprisingly well.

"We're off all right. May as well turn around and go back. Look out for the corpse," said Sanderson, as the carriage lurched in the turn.

For answer Rogers grasped his arm and said in a whisper that sent a chill down his spine, "My land! Sanderson! Look there!"

The occupant of the back seat was holding on with both hands.

"Great Saesar's ghost! Let's get out of this!" and grabbing the whip Sanderson sent the horse back toward the hotel at a gallop.

Then a soft gurgling laugh came from behind. This was too much. If they had not reached the hotel by this time both men would have escaped over the wheels. The distance between the carriage and the hotel door was covered in a few wild leaps. There was no one in the waiting room. Pale, breathless and with chattering teeth they hugged the corner by the stove.

Someone in the next room was telephoning. The men caught the words.

"Hello, Brown. That deaf-mute friend of your has disappeared. Left him in the carriage for five minutes while I came in to get Jack. When we came out my rig was gone and one just like it was in its place. But there was a corpse in it. Thought it was your fiend at first. Gave me an awful scare. Don't understand the situation at all. Well, maybe something will turn up. Good-bye."

ASSOCIATIONS

Y. M. C. A. ELECTS OFFICERS.

Last Wednesday evening at the regular meeting of the association occurred the annual election of officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Wm. Schmidt of the '09 class was elected president; F. H.

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Reeves, the chairman of the past year's religious committee, vice president; Guy Woods, recording secretary; Chester Diamond, corresponding secretary, and Thos Blaylock, treasurer. These are among the leading men of the institution.

During the past year the association has met with many hard and perplexing situations, though on the whole it has been a successful year.

Last spring six of the leading members of the association attended the Gearhart Conference and the information gained there has been of inestimable value during the year's work.

At the opening of the school in September, with the assistance of the Y. W. C. A., a hand book of sixty-four pages, published for the use of the students, of which five hundred copies were distributed. During the fall, under the leadership of Mr. A. Price, chairman of committees for new students, an employment and information bureau was conducted, where students could find all information available in regard to student needs.

All through the year it has been the aim of the several committees to assist in making life more enjoyable to the students and to develop the true manhood in him.

This spring a campaign was conducted which resulted in doubling the membership. Under the supervision of Mr. F. Reeves an office has been established, to be of aid to students in every way possible.

The officers of the past year wish to thank all who have assisted in making the year's work a success, and as the new officers come into office we trust you will support them with a greater degree of determination and interest. For, with your hearty assistance, the Y. M. C. A. of Old Willamette will experience the best year of its existence.

Y. W. C. A. CONVENTION.

Girls! Are you going to the Y. W. C. A. convention? It is to be held at Eugene, April 3, 4, and 5. The railroad will give rates of a fare and a third. Since it is during vacation you can go without missing any classes. It would be a delightful trip with which to end your vacation. Those who attended at Corvallis last year can testify as to the helpfulness and pleasure to be derived from this state convention. We want a good big delegation of Willamette girls there.

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On last Saturday afternoon the Y. W. C. A. cabinet were invited to the home of Mrs. Kirk. The purpose of the gathering was to meet with and be advised by the ladies of the Advisory Board. Though only a small number of the members of the board were present, the girls report a very pleasant and profitable afternoon.

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The last meeting of the Y. W. C. A., led by Dean Boyer, was very instructive and helpful. The scripture lesson was the third chapter of Romans. The subject was sin, that which all have, though no one wants it, and which every one could do without. God did not create sin; it is the breaking of law. The sinner, or he who is lost, has crowded all that is divine from his life. Miss Helen Smith sang a solo, which all enjoyed. The next meeting will be a convention rally, and Mrs. Kirk will lead. This promises to be an interesting meeting, and a large attendance is desired.

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In this wild spot in this wild time Old Willamette was founded. But a few hundred yards from the buildings the primeval forest had its edge, and wild animals from within its depths came and looked upon the habitations of the white man.

But the school grew in spite of all obstacles. It grew up with the state, shared its triumphs, participated in its glory, and was a companion in its vicissitudes. The protecting hand of the Almighty guided it through many storms and at last set it upon the open sea of its present growth and prosperity.

The men who had the courage to found a university in such an unpromising spot were indeed moved by the spirit of the Almighty. Those men were dauntless. They showed the true spirit of progress, and the qualities of the race to which they belonged. Naught could discourage them.

Still the old 'varsity expanded until in '64 the foundations and corner stone of a new building had to be laid. Commencement in '64 ended with July 23. Clippings from press reports of the time say:

"July 23, 1864. The corner stone of the new building at Willamette was laid yesterday. Religious exercises and addresses were made at the Methodist Episcopal church. A procession was then formed which marched to the foundation. Part of the articles deposited are as follows: A historical sketch of the university; a certified copy of the charter; certificate of scholarship by A. L. Waller; sentiment and autograph by S. Ellesworth; sentiment by Governor Gibbs; a copy of the "Statesman;" specimens of currency; a copy of the "Morning Oregonian;" and the name of Lucy A. M. Lee, the first white person born in Salem.

"After the articles were deposited the stone was sealed by Rev. D. Leslie and the assembly dispersed, little thinking that perhaps some antiquary of the future time would puzzle his head over the scrolls there deposited and, after deciphering them, publishing them to the world as curious incidents of human progress.

"July 21, 1864. Commencement exercises of Willamette university were held at the M. E. Church. The evening program was: Hymn, music, address to graduates, music, benediction. The church was elegantly decorated with evergreens and flowers, and the motto —"The Field is the World," in evergreen letters placed over the stage. The address of the evening, by J. S. Smith, was pointed, eloquent and appropriate."

"July 23, 1864. There were in the past year two hundred and sixty-four students—a number sufficiently large to bring all the facilities of the institution into requisition. It had been said by President Hoyt that the school, if properly sustained, would make Salem the Athens of the west. It was not thought to be an extravagant expression. His words were: 'It, Willamette, is the oldest literary institution on the coast—was founded nearly a quarter of a century ago, while our state was yet a wilderness, has suffered with her in adversity, prospered in her prosperity, and is destined, we trust, in the future to be the Alma Mater of many of her worthiest sons of all trades and professions, and the crowning glory of her literary fame."

That his prophesy has come true is now well established, for we find men and women every where in public life that are proud to claim Old Willamette as their Alma Mater.

A short time ago an effort was put forth to raise a hundred thousand dollars as a permanent endowment for the university, and today only about four thousand of that amount remains to be raised. When college opens next fall with a new liberal arts building and a substantial endowment fund, there is no doubt that its enrollment will be greatly increased.

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To the friends of "Old Willamette" the Collegian desires to express gratitude. The active campaign which a few loyal workers have been conducting in order to complete the $100,000 endowment has resulted in a response from the business men and citizens worthy only of Salem and its vast resources. We see in their generosity even a larger bequest for the future of the University. As they add to the thousands of its endowment, so is the revenue of their business increased. Salem, first of all of Oregon's centers, will not permit Willamette University to come to a standstill when its business factors realize the wisdom of this investment they are making. Man seldom lacks ways in which to dispose of his capital, and we especially appreciate the fact that our school has been thus marked out as an object for their care and fostering. The individuals and firms who have subscribed so generously will be gratefully remembered by this institution's student body and their interests most carefully regarded.

ARE YOU A POLITICIAN?

If so it is about time you were getting down to business and form your political clubs. It will not be many years until the college student of today will be at the head of the affairs of government, and unless he has prepared himself for the place he is sure to make a failure. Why not organize into clubs and discuss the issues before the people, then when the time comes to take active part on any political question you can do so intelligently.

SILVER MEDAL CONTEST.

Next Friday evening will occur a declamation contest under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., the winner to represent Salem in a county contest, and the winner of the county in a state contest. All the contestants are members of the College of Oratory and have been working faithfully. They will be able to render a program worthy of note. No doubt such an opportunity has never been offered in the city for as good a local contest, as all the contestants have good talent and some have wide experience in such work.

The program will be given in the chapel, so if the Albany beer people want to hang out their sign again they want to get busy.

The program and order of speakers cannot be given as yet, but you can rest assured that it will be good. Some of the participants are Miss Ione Fisher '08, Miss Nellie Casebere '09, Perry Reigelman '10, M. M. Reid '10, June Patty '09, Bertha Gross '10, Clark R. Belknap '08, John Reichen '09.

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PROHIBITION: A BUSINESS PROPOSITION.

Perry Reigelman.

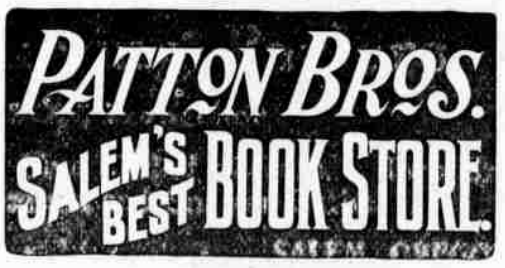
Principles of truth and purity are immortal. History's pages reveal that nations cannot flourish upon a foundation of impurity and corruption. Neither men nor man-made governments can violate with impunity the laws of the infinite. Offended nature will eventually punish the transgression of her immutable commands. Her forces are irresistable, unchangeable, eternal.

This is a material age. Business interests rule the masses. The question asked of a proposition is, "Will it pay?" Time presses, the busy moments fly and if the answer is not in the affirmative the thing is swept aside. We ask the question, "Does Prohibition pay?" And every kind father, every loving mother, every honest boy, every pure girl joins with the host of heaven and answers in tones sublime and beautiful, "Yes, it pays! It pays!"

This life is not the end of our existence. Within us burns a spark of immortality lighted at the throne of the infinite. Humanity cannot keep this spark glowing, cannot be good and true citizens while it harbors within its breast the incubus of the liquor traffic to sap the vitality from its members, to blight the happiness of its loved ones, and to undermine the foundations of society and government. The American flag, proud emblem of a mighty race, is supposed to float "o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave" but in truth it protects that which is stealing the strength from the homes under its folds, demoralizing and degrading those whom it should cherish.

Business principles require a clear brain and a sound judgment. To compete successfully with his rivals the business man must have courage and ambition, good health and a firm will. His physical and mental faculties must be keyed to the highest pitch if he would come out victor. Liquor and the liquor traffic bring moral and physical corruption as a heritage. Under its insidious influence the mind is wasted and destroyed, the vitality and health ruined, the soul damned. Business men realize the importance of the danger of the traffic to their interests. Time after time it has been shown that the curse causes untold misery. The deluded devotee of the fateful cup forgets his home and loved ones, disregards all social and moral obligations, and plunges into the hideous whirlpool of vice and sin, corruption and death that will send his soul hurtling into hell.

As a factor in the political economy



of the country the liquor traffic is a detriment and a curse. Principles of economy require that an adequate return be given for the price paid. This the saloon does not do, but, instead, it takes the hard earned and meager wages of the worker while giving in return nothing that satisfies a social or economic want. The equilibrium of commerce—supply and demand—is destroyed and only evil results. The saloon does not add to the wealth of the community in which it is situated. No good has ever come from its doors to bless mankind, no schemes of good and pure government have originated over its smoked dimmed bars, no high and beautiful creation of art was dreamed of in its gilded halls, no man or woman saved from destruction and death.

And yet the cry of the saloon is that it helps fill the coffers of the state with gold, that it helps pay the taxes and thus lift a part of the burden of taxation from the shoulder of the worker. But listen, every dollar that the saloon pays in as taxes comes over the bar from the worker, comes from homes of poverty where children cry in vain for bread. Blinded by the dropping of one dollar into the treasury of the nation by the liquor traffic the voters, holding the omnipotent ballot in their hands, fail to see the sixteen that the government is required to spend to suppress the vice, immorality, and crime which is a direct result of the nefarious trade. This fact reveals one of the greatest paradoxes of modern times. Why does the government permit such a wasteful and costly traffic to flourish within its bounds? The secret is revealed when it is known that the liquor traffic controls more money, and wields a more powerful political influence than any other organization.

The nation advances as fast as the individual units composing it become intelligent and proficient. Wealth for the masses is not in accordance with the ideals of the liquor traffic. Wherever its blighting hand is felt the community suffers, business methods are shattered, and honesty scattered to the winds. Proficiency in the workman is destroyed and the result is a loss in the quality of the goods produced.

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every thoroughfare there are public drinking houses, licensed by the voters who pay the taxes, where disorder, debauchery and crime are cradled and nursed. A criminal under the laws of God and man the liquor traffic goes unpunished and revels in its freedom. Though socially licensel and given judicial sanction it is none the less a criminal and as such ought to be punished to the fullest extent of the law. Laws of commerce and trade, morality and justice, good government and business prosperity it violates ruthlessly. Emboldened by its freedom and lack of restraint it wins the voice of the press, manages elections and the political parties, laughs at all legal control, mocks at purity, and works its will unhindered. From its breastworks of vice and crime it says to the governing power—"You may control me—a little; you may limit me—a little; I have powers which you cannot coerce, respect them and I obey (if I please); deny them and I rebel."

Pecuniary interests make the traffic a soulless organization. Shuddering, we watch the stream of humanity, tainted by the awful curse, pass in review. Wandering ones with aching hearts, hungry and wasted forms, the penniless and the unemployed, the rich and the poor, all are caught in the terrible mill wheel that grinds out misery and wretchedness, sin and despair. Is it a sound business proposition to allow this procession to grow larger? Does it show sound business judgment on the part of the voters to continue to license this evil and demoralized trade? No. Emphatically, NO! We cannot afford it socially, economically, financially, or politically to allow this monster to flourish and give it our consent to rob us of our homes, to degrade our manhood, and to wreck the lives of our daughters.

The bulwark of the liquor organization is the people whom it deludes — its sophistry, bribes with its tainted coin, and damns with its noxious product. The hope for victory lies with the young men of the country, the young men who are strong and who will rally around their homes to shield them from this terrible enemy as they would rally round the stars and stripes to protect it from a foreign foe; the young men who will grasp the silver trumpets of truth and blow a stirring blast that shall pierce the slumbering hearts of men and arouse them to noble action. Humanity, tuning its ear to the mighty drum beat of Christian principle, obeys the battle call, leaps into line and joins the forces of right, purity and holiness.

The fight is on. The victory is inevitable. Patriotism is rallying around the ballot box. American citizenship feels the call for purity in the home and state. Men must be strong, clear minded, and pure hearted. The home, the bulwark of our nation, the citadel of love, purity, and happiness, demands it.

EXCHANGES

There is some good stuff in the last issue of "The Courier," a magazine of Musical and Dramatic Art which the Collegian receives from Cincinnati, O. There is an address by Dr. G. Stanley Hall which would do every one good in reading. Several other articles between its covers are good.

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The Weekly Chemawa American we find as usual upon our desk. We think that you could brighten your pages by short sketches of life about the institution. We are sure that if you would have some good character sketches of the life in the school that they would be highly interesting.

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Through the columns of the "Evergreen" we see that Washington State College is discussing the advisability of securing graduate coaches for the teams.

VEGETABLES AS MEDICINE.

Parsnips possess the same virtues as sarsaparilla.

Bananas are beneficial to sufferers from chest complaints.

Celery contains sulphur and helps to ward off rheumatism.

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"Bill" Chamberlain made a business trip to Portland Saturday.

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Lounsbery, a former Willamette student is doing good work on the track at O. A. C.

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The Theologs will have no spring vacation.

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Theo. School will close first of May.

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The Senior students of the College of Liberal Arts have petitioned the trustees, through Dean Boyer, to have Bishop Hamilton deliver the graduating address. The Bishop is one of the best orators in the Northwest, and it is hoped that he may be secured.

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Dr. and Mrs. Kimball will attend the General Conference, after the Theological School closes.

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Be on the watch for Senior caps and gowns, after spring vacation.

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Trill, you had better keep the beer bottle you received the night of the contest, for they will soon be rare souvenirs.

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I love the sea;
But by all that be,
I hate that flea
That chaws on me.

I'll hate him still,
I always will;
For he keeps on till
He gets a fill.

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At 2 a. m. Sunday, on the athletic field, the Lous Anns will fight a duel, with hatpins and curling irons. C. O. Hindman will act as referee with Stover & Spalding as seconds. Hair pulling will be debarred. Everybody come; an interesting time guaranteed.

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Mr. H. Hirschberg, of Independence, is president of the Independence National Bank and president of the railroad connecting Independence and Dallas. He is also prince of goodfellows and a man after our own heart.

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Mr. Hirschberg, we salute thee, and vote thee a Prince of Goodfellows.

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"Just Set."

One of our humorists tell this story: "I had frequently noticed an old fellow sitting in the shade of the courthouse. One day I said, 'Uncle you have lots of time to sit and think.'

"'Yes,' he drawled. 'I do have considerable time to set and think, but most of the time I just set.'"

I am afraid that is about all some boys do in school; and, if they continue in that way, they will grow up idle and useless "setters."

A fellow who can not think, never amounts to anything.

Not family nor muscle nor money is the real power in the world, but thought. A thought is more powerful than an army with guns, for the thought controls the army.

Every factory, store, shop, and railroad is continually searching for ideas. They are always glad to find and to pay well a man who has some good thoughts about their work.

Newspapers, magazines and schools are watching all the time for young men who have ideas—really valuable ideas. They pay for them, too.

But ideas do not drop down into a fellow's head as apples do into a basket. And even the apples must be raised and the basket brought to the tree.

It takes a trained mind to think valuable thoughts.

One learns to think as he does to make a high jump or pitch a ball—by practice.

It is hard work, of course, to get right down to close study for months and months. But that is the only way.

It is easier just to sit. But when the fellow who just sits is grown, his ideas will not be worth crossing the street for; while to the one who has learned to think, men may come from across continents to buy his idea or to learn from him.—Boys' World.

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SOCIETIES

WEBSTERIAN.

Last Friday afternoon at 3:30 the members of the Websterian Literary Society met in Prof. Kirk's room. In the absence of the president, Vice President Crawford called the meeting to order, and turned the chair over to the newly elect-president, Mr. Massey.

The following program was then rendered: "The object of our society work" was well told by "genial" Guy Smith. "The value of students' support for athletics" was well handled by "Johnnie-on-the-Spot" Forbes, notwithstanding the fact that he is a freshman. "Resolved that Statement No. 1 should be signed and passed," was upheld by Mr. Harrison and Mr. Wann for the affirmative and Mr. Johnson and Mr. Smith for the negative. The debate proved quite interesting and showed careful preparation on the part of the leaders. A lively and interesting fifteen minutes parliamentary practice being next in order also proved quite interesting, after which the society adjourned.

PHILODORIAN.

On account of the Prohi Contest being on Friday evening the Philodorian Society held its regular meeting on Saturday evening. Although the attendance was not so large as usual, yet a very interesting as well as profitable program was given. Mr. Vineyard read a very instructive composition on "Profession." Mr. Clark Belknap gave a reading, in his usual pleasing manner, on his favorite subject, "Love." Three minute speeches were given by Neaner, Woods, Powers and McNees. Subjects chossen by the president. The ten minutes parliamentary practice was exciting and full of life. The question "Resolved that the U. S. should build and maintain a larger navy," was discussed in an able manner by Mr. Geo. Winslow and Campbell on the affirmative, with Mr. Jno McNees and Neal Zimmerman on the negative. Mr. Winslow had a fine argument and gave it in such a manner that showed he knew something about the question. McNees and Zimmerman, though speaking extemporaneously, put up such an argument that the affirmative continued to tremble until the judges decision' was rendered. The society voted to hold an oratorical tryout, the winner of which will represent the Philodorians in the contest which will be held in June between the four societies. It was also voted to hold the society on Friday afternoons hereafter when it cannot be held on Friday nights. All are welcome to come to these meetings.

ADELANTE.

A short but interesting meeting of the Adelantes was held Friday afternoon. After the regular business a practice of parliamentary drill was conducted by Miss Newcomb. The roll call was answered by original limericks, many of which were personal and very amusing. Miss Haskins delighted the society with the first chapter of an original story, which is to be continued by other members.

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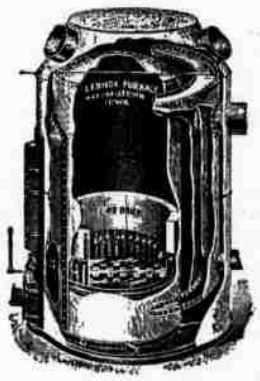

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