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## AS YOU LIKE IT.

The following rhyme might be called "As You Like It," up to date:

Most people believe the following lines should be read as they are printed; but a crusty old bachelor reads the first and third, and second and fourth lines together:

The man must lead a happy life  
Who is directed by his wife;  
Who's free from matrimonial chains  
Is sure to suffer for his pains.

Adam could find no real peace  
Until he saw a woman's face;  
When Eve was given for a mate,  
Adam was in a happy state.

In all the female heart appear  
Truth, darling of a heart sincere,  
Hypocrisy, deceit and pride,  
Ne'er known in woman to reside.

What tongue is able to unfold  
The worth in woman we behold?  
The falsehoods that in women dwell  
Is almost imperceptible.

Hanged be the foolish man, I say,  
Who will not yield to woman's sway!  
Who changes from his singleness  
Is sure of perfect blessedness.

## A SAGA OF WINTER.

A winged death's head  
With wings outspread  
The great white Northern owl  
On his silent way  
From dusk to day

Follows the coyote's howl  
On his silent way  
From dusk to day

O'er fields of drifting snow  
With his coyote mate,  
With a maw to sate.

In the wake of the birds that go  
At the chill keen word  
Of their Northern Lord—  
O the path His herders know!

He burns His brand  
With an icy hand,  
He binds with an icy coil—  
Till strong limbs fail,

And the frantic trail  
Is strewn with the herder's spoil.

—H. B. Alexander, in Klote.

## WHAT ARE WE COMING TO?

We have boiled the hydrant water,  
We have sterilized the milk;  
We have strained the prowling microbe  
Through the finest kind of silk.

We have bought and we have borrowed  
Every patent health device,  
And at last the doctors tell us  
That we've got to boil the ice.

The Statesman piano contest has closed, Willamette made a pretty good showing, but came third under the wire. The most of the votes were polled the last day. The North school especially having a large number in reserve. The last count showed the North school to have something over 48000 votes. The Y. M. C. A. was second and Willamette third. The other votes were very tight and had no effect upon either of the three leaders. The lead which the North school has precludes any danger of a reversal in the case of a new count. They will have to loan their piano to each of the other public schools which so valiantly helped them win it.

## O. A. C. DEFEATS M. M. C.

### A Large Score to the Credit of the Farmers.

An easy victory for the farmer boys, was the field meet with McMinnville College last Saturday. According to the published reports the winners and records were as follows:

Broad Jump—Cathey (O. A. C.) first, Moores (O. A. C.) second, Nelson (M. C.) third; distance, 20 feet 6 inches.

100-Yard Dash—Moores (O. A. C.) first, Long and Gray (M. C.) tied for second place; time, 10 4-5 seconds.

Shot Put—Jackson first, Pilkington second, Burnough third, all of O. A. C.; distance, 36 feet six inches.

120-Yard Hurdle—Cathey first, Moores and Swan second, all of O. A. C.; time, 19 2-5 seconds.

High Jump—A. J. Burnough and Moores, both of O. A. C., tied for first place; L. Burnough (O. A. C.) third; height, 4 feet 10 inches.

50-Yard Dash—Williams, Moores and Darby, all of O. A. C.; time, 5 4-5 seconds.

Discus Throw—Jackson, Abraham and Abrahams, all of O. A. C.; distance, 97 feet 6 inches.

1-Mile Run—Horton (O. A. C.) first, Patti (M. C.) and Fray (M. C.) second third; time, 5:29 2-5.

400-Yard Run—Williams (O. A. C.) first, Long (M. C.) second, Steiwer (O. A. C.) third; time, 57 1-5 seconds.

Hammer Throw—Jackson, Pilkington and Burnough, all of O. A. C.; distance, 105 feet.

200-Yard Hurdle—Cathey, Awan and Jordan, all of O. A. C.; time, 29 seconds.

220-Yard Dash—Moores, Darby and Smith, all of O. A. C.; time, 24 1-5 seconds.

Pole Vault—Gellatly (O. A. C.) first, Cummings (M. C.) second, Akin (M. C.) and Swan (O. A. C.) tied for third place; height, 9 feet 6 inches.

Half-Mile Run—Cummings (M. C.) first, Patti (M. C.) second, Steiwer (O. A. C.) third; time, 2:17 1-5.

### Prof. Seley Returns.

Prof. Seley returned last Saturday morning from Seaside, where he has been recuperating since he was able to leave the hospital.

His long and serious siege of fever in the St. Vincent's hospital left him very weak and thin, so his physician sent him to Seaside for rest and a breath of the fresh invigorating ocean breeze to aid him in regaining his lost strength. After a week at that ocean resort he felt able to return home, though he is still very weak. He was met at the train, Saturday morning, by the University band and given a welcome home. Several members of the Faculty were there also. Prof. Seley has done and is doing a fine work for the University in its Music Department and his illness has been a severe blow to it. He has brought about a larger and healthier growth to that department than any person who has had it in many years. We are glad to see him back again.

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## PILLOW DISPLAY.

### Wallulah Staff Gives a Pillow Display.

Friday evening the Wallulah staff held a pillow display in the Society halls of the University, partly for the social time and partly for the swelling (or replenishing) its purse.

In the early part of the evening the University Band played two numbers. Miss Parrish then gave a reading in her fascinating manner and was obliged to respond to an encore. The Misses Parsons and Bessie Cornelius sang a duet very sweetly and were recalled by the audience. The band then played two more numbers.

Miss Ethel Scoville next sang a solo in her usual style. After this solo the audience made themselves at home and had a lively time for the remainder of the evening. Refreshments were served and fortunes and misfortunes galore were told. A very fine display of pillows was made. Some were especially noticeable for design, others for workmanship. Probably the prettiest Willamette pillow was sent by Skidmore, the Wallulah manager. One-half of the face of the pillow was tastily embroidered in college colors, while the other half was formed of cardinal and old gold ribbons very prettily interwoven.

There were many other pretty pillows, some of which deserve special mention but in the confusion it was impossible to learn the owner's names.

### Music Seniors Will Soon Complete Their Work.

The Senior Music Class, composed of Misses Lela Tarpley, Claudia Childers, Bertha Andrewartha, Hallie Watson and Nellie Richmond, have finished all of their theoretical work and are now hard at work on their examinations in harmony, counterpoint, theory and history with marks that would entitle them to Magna Cum Lauda in the literary department.

The class is winning distinction in original work. Among their many productions is a waltz of high merit, by Miss Watson; Misses Childers and Richmond are both credited with nocturns of value. The other two members will soon have pieces completed, to which they can attach their names.

The class is also writing music with all parts for the Varsity Band. Several are working on band pieces that are a higher grade than is generally found in band music.

The graduating pieces are the heaviest and most difficult ever undertaken by any class in the College of Music.

The commencement of the College of Music will be the best Willamette has ever had.

## MONDAY'S RECITAL.

### The Last Monthly Recital for This Year.

Monday evening the College of Music and Oratory gave its last monthly recital for this year. There was an innovation in the fact that one of the musical numbers was played by its composer, Miss Childers, of the Senior Music class, played an original nocturne, which showed great ability. The program is as follows:

- Symphony.....Menuetto, Finale.....Haydn  
Hallie Watson, Lela Tarpley.
  - The Clown's Baby.....  
Annie Nowlin.
  - 1st Valse.....Durand  
Delta Lewis.
  - The Spinning Wheel Song.....  
Gertrude Fawk.
  - Caprice.....Mendelssohn  
Hannah Laver.
  - (a) Over the Hills and Far Away.....Field  
(b) The Fishing Party.....Riley  
Winifred Duncan.
  - Intermezzo from Niala.....Delibes  
Lillian Stege.
  - (a) The Days Gone By.....Riley  
(b) The Retort.....Dunbar  
Elma Byrne.
  - (a) Nocturna, first composition.....Childers  
(b) Minuet.....Paderewski  
Claudia Childers.
  - (a) Elsie Mungers.....Dunbar  
(b) Dawn.....Dunbar  
May Chapler.
  - (a) Hunting Song.....Mendelssohn  
(c) Spring Song.....Sinding  
Bertha Andrewartha.
  - (a) A Face.....Browning  
(c) Lawyer and Child.....Riley  
Edna Parrish.
- OUR RULE—Absolute silence during all numbers.

## ATHLETIC FIELD BEGUN.

### One of the Best Fields On the Pacific Coast.

The levels have been run and the stakes set for the new field. Monday afternoon a force of men was put on the work to begin grading. According to the plans the field will be about four feet above the mill race level. The high ground toward the college building will be cut down and used to fill in the low places. The finished field will have a four lap track, and inside this, room for a gridiron and diamond. Work will be pushed as rapidly as possible and it will not be long before Willamette will have one of the finest athletic fields on the coast.

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## EDITORIAL.

We are reminded of the fact that in about two weeks Salem is to be visited by the President of the United States. At that time it will be the duty and privilege of every good citizen, whether man, woman or child, to do him honor and to show a full appreciation of the honor done us.

As citizens of the commonwealth the students of the University will no doubt do their full share. But we recall that a few years ago the University was severely criticised by one of its friends because it failed to fly the United States flag upon Washington's birthday. At that time there was no rope upon the flagstaff. Since then a rope has been put in place, but we have no flag. Shall we give occasion for criticism this year by a failure to fly the Stars and Stripes when President Roosevelt is in Salem? The University at one time was the possessor of a fine flag—some 18 or 20 feet long—but some person has become the richer by that flag, while we have it no more. A flag should be obtained and when not in use should be laid away for another time. The flag should be not much smaller than the old one or it will look like a handkerchief when strung to the top of the University flagstaff. But whether large or small we must have a flag inside two weeks.

Our piano is not ours. We find that we have a poorer estimation of ourselves than either the Y. M. C. A. or the North School. Perhaps this lack of popularity with ourselves comes from the fact that there is less in point of numbers to be popular. At any rate we did not lose the piano. Our failure to win it is fortune for the North School; else they should have

been without a piano for some time longer. We are glad some one won it. It would be trying if we should be compelled to do all this voting over again. Perhaps in another contest we will be more popular.

## CRITICISMS.

We have just received official notification that our friendly rival Willamette will not meet us this year in the regular annual inter-collegiate debate. In justification of her action, she states that one of the leading members of the team, on account of ill health, has withdrawn and no one could be found to take his place. Whether the attack is local, that is to say in the region of his pedal extremities, of course we do not know, but we will take it for granted that it is not, and express our sincerest sympathy. To say that we are greatly disappointed in the outcome of our debating relations with Willamette, is putting it very mildly. Our team has been preparing faithfully and well for the contest which was to have come off early in May and now their work has practically gone for naught, not for any fault of our own but on account of frankly admitted debating lethargy on the part of our friends from the south. Since receiving the news we have made them several concessions which we candidly believe would entirely relieve the misfortune sustained, but as yet have received no reply.

Now in return for the disappointment and injustice sustained by us we do not intend to get editorially sarcastic or vituperative, but we desire in simple English to say that Willamette has acted in a manner altogether unbecoming an institution of higher learning and has thrown over the contest in an ungraceful and inexcusable manner. The world admires a heroic spirit that is displayed unflinchingly in the face of difficulties but—Pacific Index.

The best record for the pole vault is now held by Dole of Stanford. It was made in the recent field meet between Stanford and U. C. Dole's record [114 feet] is beaten only 2 1/2 inches by the world's record, held at Yale by R. C. Clap.

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## Across the Campus

Baseball Wednesday.  
Did you miss the bonfire?  
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Miss Althea Jones spent Sunday at her home in Brooks

President Coleman preached at Corvallis, Sunday.

Miss Pauline Nesmith attended chapel exercises Tuesday.

Miss Roy, of Stayton, and Miss Rich, of Salem, visited chapel Tuesday.

We are glad to welcome Prof. Seley back again, after a long and severe illness.

Come out and see the "Preps." taught how to play the great American game, Wednesday evening.

The "Pillow Show" was a success and netted several dollars to the management of the Wallulah.

Miss Ruth Leeds, who attended Wilson College, in Philadelphia, last year, was a chapel visitor Thursday.

One more Senior rhetorical put in its appearance last Thursday. Miss Nellie Clark was the offender this time.

The baseball enthusiasts were out with their hoos Saturday, and the result is a "good skinned diamond."

The East Salem Union defeated the Reform School, Saturday, in an 11-inning game of baseball by a score of 21 to 18.

It won't cost you anything to come out and see some of the conceit taken out of the Preps. For two years they have been successful in defeating the Faculty and Upper Classmen, but tonight a change will take place.

The Macbeth recital is scheduled to take place Friday night, in the University chapel. There is, however, a possibility of its being postponed. Listen for announcements in chapel.

The Tennis Courts have been placed in a good condition and soon the lovers of that sport will have an opportunity to display their ability.

A very sad accident happened at O. A. C. last week which resulted in the death of one of O. A. C.'s best hurdlers. He was running the hurdles and in some way tipped one over and fell on the upturned leg.

Active work has begun on the athletic field and it will now be rushed to completion as soon as possible. Let every one pay up their subscription at once so that there may be no delay.

Dan Poling, of Dallas, won the Prohibition Oratorical Contest held in that city. Eight Oregon Colleges were represented and the three smallest ones won the first three places.

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Vice president, F. L. Grannis.  
Secretary, John Rechen,  
Assistant secretary, Roy Knotts.  
Censor, Arthur Gale.  
Treasurer, R. F. Morris.  
Sergeant-at-arms, F. W. Poorman.

Although the meeting was held prior to the Pillow Show given by the Annual Board, it was well attended, and a great deal of interest was shown. The members all seemed to be determined to make the last term's work a strong one. A committee was appointed to interview the inactive members of the society, and try to enlarge the membership.

There seems to be no reason why this society should not prosper. Three old Philodorians have already placed their names on the active list and expressed their desire to work. Every man in school should realize that our future in intercollegiate debating depends on the work we do in our literary societies now, and the members of the societies should realize that they will never have first-class meetings until they create some interest in them. Let every Philodorian arise in his might and do what he finds to do, and though it is late, in the year make the old Philodorian Society something of which we may be proud. We have often heard that it is the strong finish that counts for the most. Let us all work with the deter-

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## EXCHANGE AND COMMENT.

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Stanford is determined not to allow the number of co-eds. exceed the limit—five hundred. Women after 1904 year will not be allowed to enter Stanford "conditioned." They must have the 15 units of preparation work in full. If this does not have the desired effect they will only be admitted on alternate years.

Clifford Brown, a former Willamette student now at U. O. has been chosen as an assistant by the manager of the University track team.

A company composed chiefly of college graduates has been formed in New York to publish an illustrated weekly magazine entitled the College World. This will be published in the interest of all the American universities and will contain a foreign department consisting of contributions from English and other European universities.

There is a good deal of discussion just at present at the University of Michigan regarding the establishing of what is known as the "Honor System" in examinations.

The University of Washington was the winner in the debate with Stanford. The question debated was "Resolved, That the English constitution is more democratic than the constitution of the U. S."

On April 25th the U. W. base ball team defeated the "Wisconsin" sailors at Bremerton navy yard, by a score of 5 to 4.

A contest is being arranged by the managers of the U. of O. and Stanford's track team for a meet in Eugene during the present month.

The typhoid fever epidemic at Stanford is dying out.

Six Princeton Freshmen were recently fined \$250 each and damages for printing their class numerals on sundry monuments and houses throughout Trenton. —Ex.

She—What an extraordinary—and why on earth do you call it "Home?"

He—Can't imagine, unless its because there's no place like it. —Illustrated Bits.

## HOW HELEN KELLER WRITES.

Not one person in ten thousand of those who will read "The Story of My Life," by Helen Keller, just published by Doubleday, Page & Co., will have the least conception of the amount of hard work required to write the story. First of all, Miss Keller puts down her ideas "in Brille," as the blind express it; that is to say, in the system of "points" raised on paper by means of a stylus and slite devised to aid the blind; these "points" being read afterward by passing the sensitive fingers over them. When all of this Braille work has been completed Miss Keller goes to her typewriter and uses these notes as a guide to the rewriting of the story.

As soon as a page of matter is typewritten it is, so to speak, lost to Miss Keller, who has to depend upon her faithful teacher to repeat it to her by spelling out each sentence by means of the hands. It is a tedious task especially as some of the pages have to be read again and again, with changes here and there, before Miss Keller is satisfied. Then, when the proofs are sent to her, all this slow process of spelling word after word has to be gone through once more, so that each word that Helen Keller writes goes through her fingers at least five times. It will be a satisfaction to everybody to know that the book promises to be one of the most successful biographical sketches of the year, and Miss Keller is likely to reap substantial rewards for the extraordinary ability and patience which she has shown in her work.

"Say, captain, wsn't yer please gimme a dime?"

"Naw, I jest gave me last dime to a guy wot called admiral."—Chicago American.

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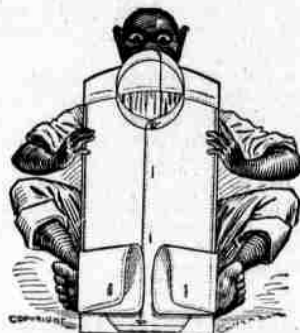
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