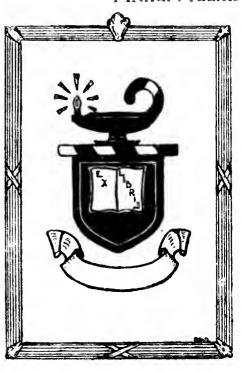


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Alma Mater

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Alma Mater, shell ring College,
Thou hast been our guiding friend;
From thy fount of flowing knowledge
We would drink until the end.
Be thy daughters' inspiration,
Glowing Light, to cheer and guide,
Stand, Old College, Alma Mater,
Through the changing years abide.

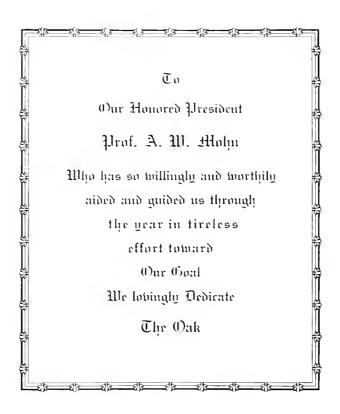
Noble women, wives and mothers, Thou hast borne a shining throng; Teach the Truth to many others, Speed the Light that baffles wrong; Thron'd upon a hill where passes Those whose feet are yet untried-Stand, Old College, Alma Mater, Through the changing years abide.

Greater love and veneration
Be thy portion, Mother, dear;
May each coming generation
Bring rich gifts thy heart to cheer.
Till thy stalwart columns heavenward
Cease to point the Way of Life.
Stand, Old College, Alma Mater,
Through the changing years abide.

⁻⁻ Dedicated to Louisburg College by the Class of 1915.

Foreword

T is with both fear and pleasure that we publish this the first issue of THE OAK. We realize that we will have as critics not only our schoolmates but also those who have gone before us. With this in mind we have tried to live up to the best that is in us and have made this number, as nearly as possible, a complete summary of both this year and the foregoing years. We hope you will not be too harsh in your criticisms, for as pioneers we have not had such an easy road to travel, and it has been only by the co-operation of both faculty and students that we have succeeded in publishing this issue.





A. W. MOHN, PRESIDENT



"Old in Age — Rich in History"





"But oft—in hours of weariness
I have owed to them sensations sweet."





Oh, wherein can Art this scene surpass?
Oh, what more than this can wealth amass?
Gold, bronze, and stone let the crowd applaud,
But as for me, in nature I see God.





"The Old Oaken Bucket, The iron-bound Bucket, The moss-covered bucket, That hung in the well."





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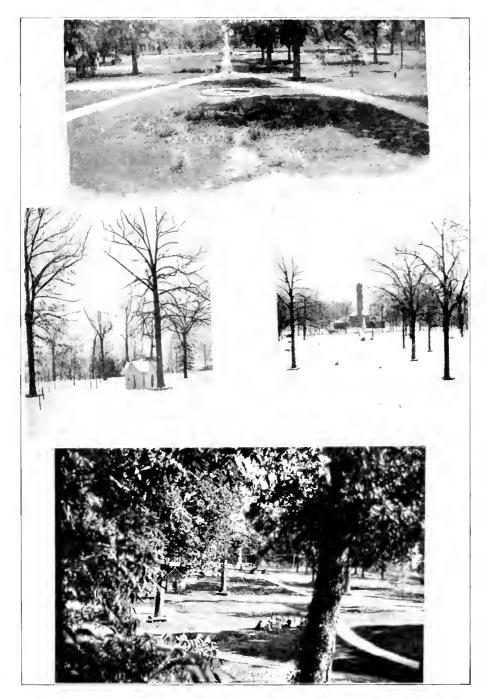
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CAMPUS SCENLS

College History

THE exact date of the birth of our Alma Mater was 1802. In that year the General Assembly of the State of North Curolina declared fifteen representative men of Franklin County, a "body politic and corporate to be known and distinguished as the Trustees of Franklin Academy, and by that name should have perpetual succession." Louisburg was the seat of learning of all Eastern North Carolina.—It was not until 4805 that the school was really opened in the old building with Matthew Dickerson, a native of Connecticut and a graduate of Yale, as its principal. The students were to receive instruction in reading, writing, arithmetic, English grammar, geography, belles-lettres, and rhetoric, ethics, metaphysics, philosophy, algebra, geometry, trigonometry, conic sections, altimetry, longimetry, mensuration of superficies and solids, surveying, navigation, and astronomy, Latin, Greek, Hebrew, French and Italian languages and all for the sum of \$26 per annum. Mr. Dickerson must also have been a wonderful financier, for we are told that in the three years that he taught he "acquired an estate quite sufficient to subserve the rational purposes of life," namely, a farm of more than 300 acres, six slaves and a quantity of stock. in 1813 it was found necessary to add a female department to the Franklin Academy and the old building, which still stands on the edge of the campus, was erected for the purpose of instructing young ladies in reading, writing, English grammar, arithmetic, geography, astronomy, painting and music and useful and ornamental needlework. -lu 4816 Mr. John B. Bobbitt was principal of the Academy and Miss Pautridge, a lady from Massachusetts, was in charge of the Seminary. Mr. Bobbitt and Miss Partridge became victims of the blind god's arrow and were married. Under the joint leadership of these two worthy people these schools established a reputation that has made them famous.

During the century that has passed since then and through the many changes and vicissitudes of passing years our dear old College has ever maintained her struggle and dignity. The main part of the present College building was erected in 1856 and was rightly considered one of the most handsome of its kind. From its classic walls have gone one streams of influence, always Christian in character, which have gladdened and blessed the lives of all who have come within its sphere. She stood unscathed throughout the bloody storm of civil war with a man of wisdom and culture at her head. In the spring of 1865 Mr. Southgate and his family moved into the Old Academy, and our beautiful building, for such it was then, became a hospital for sick soldiers of the Federal troops that were garrisoned in our midst. At one time, on account of debt, our Alma Mater was about to go into the hands of Northern philanthropists as a school for Colored Presbyterians, but a timely amendment to its charter provided that it should be used as a school for the white race forever.

In 1891 the property came into the hands of the great-hearted Washington Duke, and was held by him for the education of North-Carolina women during the remainder of his natural life. In 1907, on the death of Mr. Washington Duke,

the property was given the North Carolina Conference by his son, Mr. Benjamin Duke. Since the church has assumed control of the property and policy of the school, the Davis Memorial Building has been erected and a laboratory and a central heating plant installed.

In 1915 the College made application for Junior College rating with the General Board of Education, which was granted. So, through the years, Louisburg College has been training young women to take their part in the World's Work. To this end we will ever strive and with full hearts, willing hands and earnest prayers do all we can to aid our dear old Louisburg College in her work for the highest development of Christian womanhood.



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Frances Russo Assistant Editor
Margaret Ledbetter Literary Editor
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Mary Wilson Assistant Manager
Gradie Parker Art Editor
Nell Jones Assistant Art Editor
Josephine Fuller Advertising Manager
Bettie Holden Subscription Manager
Elizabeth Mills, Junior Class Representative

SENIOR



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"BRUSH"—The Senior Mascot, captured at midnight in the light of the moon, by the Senior Class on its annual "'possum hunt."



PELTZ PITTMAN MELVIN

Class Motto Go, Go again, Keep on going

Class flower- Red Carnation Class colors - Red and White

Officers

Genevieve Peltz, President

Charlotte Pittman, Vice-President Kathryn Melvan, Secretary and Treasurer

Senior Class Teachers

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Miss Musa Lee Wilson

Miss Catherine Padwick



GENEVIEVE MAE PELTZ HAGERSTOWN, MD. "GENCE"

Y. W. C. A. Undergraduate Representative: Neithean Society Critic; Class President; Glee Club; Senior Quartette; The Oak Advisor.

"She possess a calm, cool force and strength, And she's thorough, efficient and able; Sincere and deep in college life, She bears a genuine label."

"Gence," whose name, by the way, comes from its resemblance to her signature, is the "leader" of the class. She is a good sti dent, an ideal pal, and a faithful friend to all who are acquainted with her, especially to her most ardent admirer, who comes to take her riding on Sunday afternoons, thus making the rest of us Seniors envious. Her record as a student speaks for itself, as in office work and in the Business Department, and it shows four years of constant application. Little more should be said. "Gence" is the kind of classmate that makes you want to stay in college forever; the kind whose friendship forms an inseparable link with you and pleasant days spent in four pleasant years. Truly we are grateful to Maryland for this valuable member of our class.



KATHERINE JANE BRADY, GARNER, N. C.

Y. W. C. A. World Fellowship Chairman; Sea Gift Society; Student Volunteer Band Leader; Class Poetess.

"She does her task from day to day."
And meets whatever comes her way."

Katherine is good—almost too good. We look at her in awe and wonder how she can be so serious and dignified at some specific times. She is not only good, but she works patiently each day trying to do her bit as she struggles along life's rugged path. When she is not in her room studying you may be sure to find her on the halls "looking for someone to lead morning watch the next A. M.!"

MAE ALICE CAMPBELL, SILER CITY, N. C. "MAE"

Siler City High School; Y. W. C. A. Neithean Society; Glee Club; Senior Quartette; Tennis Club; Art Club.

The girl who wins
Is the girl who works;
The girl who coils,
While the next one shirks.

Though a loyal member of the Class of '23, we know her less than any other member, because she has so little time to spend with us. We admire her for her never-failing courage, especially in her piano course, for she is the only one of us lucky enough to receive a piano diploma. If some of the other members of the class would only stop talking and give her a chance, maybe Mae would say something, but up to this time she listens mostly to the chatter of others, and looks wise.



Mary Carolyn Crowell, NEW LONDON, N. C.

New London High School; Y. W. C. A. President; Neithean Society; Life Service Band Member; Termis Club; Art Club; Executive Board; The OAK Personal or Feature Editor.

Conscioutions in her work, Retiring, near, refined; She does her best at everything, Is endowed with a brilliant mend.

"Anst Carolyn," is the term which best characterizes her, as she is always the same quiet, loving, sympthetic classmate. With all this she possesses enough life to cheer up the homesick. She feels her responsibility as President of Y. W. C. A., and carnestly endeavors to do her part. She is one of our girls who behaves in the motto: "Don't talk if you have nothing to say;" but if you want to hear her squeak, jump at her from some unexpected corner.

Mary Margaret Davis, kinsion, n. c.

Y. W. C. A.; Tennis Club; Art Club; Sea Clift Society.

"Margaret is a sowere girl, Ruther gave and reserved, A student who has really worked, And all she's won she has descreed."

Margaret is one member of the Senior Class who has never been told she lacks dignity, for she rustles through the halls in her modest, dignified manner. Her dignity appears most during English and Bible periods, for then she listens attentively, and never buts in while others are talking. Her specially is enting "paper dolls" in her Prang course. If you want to find out what kind of housekeeper she will make, just take a peep into her room, and note the sinile of approval that the shining mirror reflects upon your face.



Josephine Emma Fuller, Louisburg, N. C.

Sea Gift Society; The Oak Advertising Manager; Day Student.

'' josephine's a culm, sensible girl Her brown eyes are a crime; She's logal to her many friends And chatters all the time.''

Josephine came to Louisburg away back in the mud-pic age. During her long stay in our midst she has learned to put away childish things and, by perseverance, to assume the dignity becoming a Senior. Her companionship is pleasant, if you are a good listener; but if you are in a talkative mood, you had better avoid her, for she likes that herself. One privilege she has over the rest of us is that of being a day pupil, for she can come and go whenever she pleases. Her weakness seems to be frequent letters from nearby colleges. Wake Forest and State—for instance.

Susan Glandora Hardison, washington, n. c. "Glan"

Y. W. C. A.; Sen Gift Society Treasurer; Art Club Treasurer; Student Government, House Proctor; Executive Board; Tennis Club; Class Historian.

"A shy, demure young person With a quiet, mouse-like air; Unless you hear ber name called You seareely know she's there?"

"Glan" is a quiet, serious girl, and a somewhat dignified Senior—She, having been here longer than some of us, has had the opportunity of seeing the "verdant" Freshmen and "new girls" go over the rugged path she has trod. We wish success for her in the future, in her career as a school teacher, and sincerely hope she may not have to make it a "life occupation;" and if all rumors are true, we are straid that the young gentleman in Washington will claim her hand.



BITTIL ROSAMOND HOLDIN, YOUNGSVILLE, N. C. "BILL"

Y. W. C. A.: Glee Club Secretary, Neithean Society: The Oak Subscription Manager.

"She who falls in low, meets a worse fall. Than she who falls from a rock."

It has always been said that all boys are Math, genu, but here we have a "Bill" who is evidently a genius, but is of the other sex. She takes only three Math courses, which almost run her distracted, but, with it all, she is bright and cheerful, and is "hal fellow well met" with those with whom she comes in contact on the halls. She is very generous with her affections, and displays them freely. When we want to borrow or find someone to extend a helping hand we always go to "Bill," for we are sure we will not be met by a refusal. She has the heart of all hearts.

NELL BLAIR JONES. BEAUFORT, N. C.

Beaufort High School; Art Club President; Neithean Society Publicity Chairman; The Oak Assistant Art Editor; Y. W. C. A.

"Cheerful and dependable, Enchasmistic, kind; Genial and good natured, And sensible in mind."

Those who do not know Nell may think she is very quiet and dignified, but we who have lived with her for a year and a half know that after work is over she is always ready for fun.—Last, but not least, when she gets to be a famous artist, for she is the one member of our class fortunate enough to receive a diploma in Art—we will be proud to remember that she was a member of the Class of [23]. One of the smeerest and sweetest girls we know.—Get her confused and watch her fullsh!



MARGARET MELVINA LEDBETTER, PRINCETON, N. C.

Student Government President; Executive Board Y. W. C. A. Social Chairman; Neithean Society; Art Club; Dramatic Club; The Oak Literary Editor; Glee Club; Tennis Club.

"Sincere and true to her own beliefs, With a brilliant, original mind; A leader who's fearless and strong and just, A girl of the highest kind."

Margaret is without a doubt the most original girl in her class, and not infrequently her very originality leads her into other perplexing situations. It is then that good common sense and genuine dependability come to her rescue, and we again see her on the highway to success. She is our "Pollyanna" girl, full of life and enthusiasm. Here's to her! May she always be happy, and be able to keep her motto:

"He that tooteth not his own horn, the same shall not be tooted."

Essie Gladys Liles, Littleton, N. C. "E. Liles"

Littleton High School; Neithean Society; Y. W. C. A.; The Oak Athletic Manager; Glee Club; Tennis Club; Basket Ball Club; Executive Board.

"Ambitious, conscientious, She's studious, indeed, Though she is very serious, When there's fun, she'll heed.''

Here is a student who has finished in Latin and has made good in her other studies. She is never blue, because she has had the gift of keen humor bestowed upon her by some kind fate. "E. Liles" is studious, yet we know that if she is appealed to in the right way, she will gladly leave her studies and join in any good, wholesome fun. Our wishes for "E. Liles" are that she may live long, keep her present good humor, get what she wants, and like what she gets.



KATHRYN ELIZABETH MELVIN, LINDEN, N. C

Linden High School; Neithean Society President; Y. W. C. A. Chairman Social Service Committee; Glee Club Reporter; The Oak Business Manager; Tennis Club President; Class Secretary; D. I. K.

"Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow ye may die."

"Kat," with her winning ways, has won for herself quite a less of friends among her classmates, and indeed among the whole College. She is a "good pal," but take warning, and be careful about one thing. Do not get her tickled on Bible IV Class, when she is not supposed to laugh, because she is like the boy who told his teacher that he "smiled and it busted."

Gradie Dare Parker. woodland, n. c.

Woodland Olney High School; Neithean Society; Y. W. C. A. Chairman Publicity Committee; The Oak Art Editor; Glee Club; Dramatic Club; Art Club; Senior Quartette; College Quartette; D. I. K.

"A man, a man, my kingdom for a man."

Gradie is our most worthy artist, "a very pleasant help in time of trouble." She is exceedingly fond of flirting: however, she never flirts unless there's a man around Gradie is the one member of our class who gets an Expression diploma, as well as literary diploma, and with all these numerous talents we predict for her a prosperous future.



CHARLOTTE EDWARDS PITTMAN.

LAGRANGE, N. C.

Y. W. C. A. Vice-President; Neithean Society Vice-President; Class Vice-President; Glee Club; Tennis Club; The Oak Editor-in-Chief; D.I.K.

"A good, true friend and jolly pal Whimsical, wary and wise; A locable, playful, acrive grel, Makes good at all she tries."

"C. Pittman" is athletic, literary and lovable!—She has had a good time all her college life, is very popular, and, best of all, does not have to study to get through like some of us have to do.—Her one vagary is to try to make blank verse rhyme every other line.

Frances Xavier Russo, new orleans, la. "fran"

Sue Bennett Memorial High School: Y. W. C. A.; Neithean Society: Glee Club President; Tennis Club; The Oak Assistant Editor; Composer of Class Song and Music; College Quartette; D.L.K.

"Voice is her specialty, The Mohus' her second home; About this fascinating place It's her delight to roam."

Here is a girl who is a happy combination of seriousness and fun. She is a good pal, as is shown by her host of friends. "Fran' is a born musician, inherited perhaps from her Italian ancestors. She is destined to be a poetess, too, perhaps, among the "pretended poetesses" of our class. However, we hope some day "Fran's" name will be flashed on Broadway as the chief attraction in Grand Opera. She may well look forward to a successful career, and a life made happy by her many friends.



MARY LOUISE WILSON, LOUISBURG, N. C.

Louisburg High School; Glee Club; Neithean Society; The Ovk Assistant Business Manager; D.I.K; Basket Ball Club; Tennis Club.

"Hang surrow" care will kill a cut, And therefore let's be merry."

Mary came to us in her Junior year from Louisburg High School. She is a girl who is always ready for fun at any time and any place, even "if it is not between hells or in her own room." Mary does not stay with us much; as she lives so near, she takes advantage of every opportunity to go home. If you want a quiet place to study, don't go to Mary's room, because she has never been known to study more than five minutes at a time. She always passes; that must be due to her winaing personality.

Minnie Lee Winstead, ronrord, N. C. "bunna-lee"

Roxboro High School; Y. W. C. A.; Neithean Society.

"Things one bound to hoppen—why worey! Everything comes to him who waits—why havry":

"Come on girls, let's read our Spanish; you know I must pass it this year." Such you may hear from Minnie Lee most any time, as Spanish II is her "hobby." In spite of her struggles with it, the expression on her face is sure to change when she receives a letter from "him," for the important bisiness of life to her is love. Minnie Lee is the fourth of a family of Roxboro Winsteads, and we are proud to have one of the noted Roxboro girls in the Senior Class.

Where the Ways Divide

Senior Class Poem

Standing on the summit
Looking downward, far below;
Standing on the summit
Questioning, Whither? Whither shall we go?
For the path that's leading downward,
That path we're trarrled, reached its end;
And the path that's leading onward
Whither? Whither does it tend?

You may ask why we look backward, When an onward path we've carned, We are looking at the old path, For there life's rich lessons we have learned. We have learned that never, never, Can we win unless we work; That the prize comes not by chances Nor to those who duties shirk.

Things which hart us, things which griered us. Things which seemed to us all wrong, Were our very greatest teachers. And the things which made us strong. That which took our greatest will power, Things we hated most to do, Are the very things which help us. To be strong and brare, and true.

History taught us what the past did, How they lived and what they wrought. Foreign language of our neighbors, How they spoke and what they taught, English of our own rich language, Like a "well, pure, undefiled;" Sometimes in thought, of depths surpassing, Sometimes simple as a child.

Art, music and expression
Taught the beautiful in life,
Bible of the world's Great Teacher
Who preached love opposed to strife;
Science of the world around us
Math,—of problems hard to solve,
All to give us greater power
When with life's harder problems we involve.

Thus we stand at ways, dividing Past and future, both in view. Of the future, that's the question, Know we not what it may do. Of the past, Oh, ask we praying That the path which we have trod, Leads us upward, surely, truly, To the path that leads to God.

Class History

YE, the Class of '23, have passed through four years of trial and test. Many changes have been brought about in administration, faculty, and students.

In the fall of 1919 twenty-six freshmen viewed the portals of Louisburg College, many for the first time. Today we stand before you as seventeen Seniors, who have stood the test of time.

In our freshman year we learned the significance of Student Government, and what it meant to disobey its rules. Under the supervision of our willing sister class we organized our class, and entered whole-heartedly into the task before us.

When we met at Louisburg in 1920 and organized the Sophomore Class we regretted very much that many of our former classmates had dropped out, and though many new ones had taken their places, there were only seventeen of us-However, we were filled with class spirit and loyalty.

We were all much grieved to give up our beloved president, Mr. Love, in the middle of our Sophomore year. However, we learned to love Mr. Massey, who proved a most kind and sympathetic president.

As Juniors, we met and found that we numbered only fourteen. It seemed that fate was against us, as there were twenty-seven Seniors. But, filled with loyalty and enthusiasm under the able guidance of Margaret Ledbetter, our president, we played our part. We gave the Seniors a reception which had not been surpassed in the history of the College. At the end of the year our president again left us, and was succeeded by Professor A. W. Mohn.

Today we are seventeen loyal hard-working Seniors. We love our president, as we have loved no other. Even though we are few, we will see the fight through. We're giving to Louisburg College, which has stood for one hundred and twentyone years, its first annual. We are paying the way for those who follow, and hope that they will perfect the plan that we have begun.

After graduation, we float out on the sea of life, some to land on foreign shores, others to be worn and washed away by the battle-tide of life. But may each in her journey help some weaker brother toward the goal to which each is struggling. After the baltle is fought and won, may the seventeen meet in perfect peace beyond the billowy foam.

G. H. 23.

Class Prophecy

T was in June, 1938, that I received the inspiration, and this is how it happened. I was tucked away in my little rose garden reading the new number of the "Musical America," when these words met my eyes:

FAMOUS OPERA SINGER MAKES DEBUT IN AMERICA

"Madame Francesca Navier Russo, Italian opera singer, will make her first appearance at the Metropolitan in the role of Leonora on October 6th, 1938. Francesca Russo is the favorite dramatic soprano of today. She has sung in many parts of the Old World for the last five years, and all Europe is at her feet."

I finished the article with breathless interest. Imagine, "Fran' Russo, of the Class of '23! Of course, we expected it, but to see the words in cold print astounded me and, incidentally, brought the inspiration. It came in a flash as really-truly inspirations do. I would bring the members of the Class of '23 together in New York for "Fran's" debut, and for a glorious reunion. We would spend one week of pure fun and frivolity. But where were the other fifteen members of our class? Of course, I knew that Genevieve Peltz was the President of the United States, having cast my vote for her in the last election, but of the others I knew nothing. However, find them I would.

The following month was spent in feverish activity by the means of the Louisburg College Alumnæ Association, the National dailies and private detective force. I learned many astonishing facts of the Class of '23. I was highly gratified, but not surprised, to learn that the affairs of the world could scarcely be carried on without some members of our class. Had not Essie Liles put John Henry Ford entirely in the shade by inventing an adorable little car that ran on the water and sold for \$500 a dozen? She gladly welcomed my suggestions concerning the reunion, and offered to furnish cars for us while there. I learned that Carolyn Crowell had just returned from the Fijii Islands, where she was successful in smoothing out the diplomatic relations between the natives and the United States. When she learned of the plan, Carolyn wired, approving whole heartedly.

Next, I discovered that the author of a series of articles called, "How to Catch a Man and Hold Him," published in the "Ladies' Home Journal," was no less than Gradie Parker. These articles, drawn from her extensive experience, had attracted world-wide attention, Gradie having written under the nom-de-plume of "She Who Knows." She was very busy gathering material for other similar articles, but she consented to put aside her literary duties for this week in New York.

Nell Jones was one of the favorite curtoonists of the day, having caught the public eye with even more success than Bud Fisher and George McManus. She welcomed the plan joyfully.

Fortunately, Katherine Brady was on her way from Japan, where she had been rendering efficient service Christianizing the heathen. She gladly approved my scheme, because, as she said, she needed some diversion. Christianizing the heathen was such strenuous work.

Of course, there were some obstacles that at first seemed to prevent the fulfill-ment of our plan. Kat Melvin, the wife of a rising young dentist in Charlotte, wrote me that she had just put the twins in school and hated to leave them at this critical time. However, she decided to join us, provided her husbands enther daily reports on the progress of the cherubs. Glandora Hardison, too, was painting a set of china for the King of England, which she had to have finished, according to contract, at a certain date, but fortunately King Edward kindly consented to extend the contract, and, of course, she came. Charlotte Pittman was at the head of a successful chicken ranch in North Carolina. She, also, at first wrote that she couldn't come, because she had one particular little chick who was so devoted to her that she feared if she left him he would die of grief, but finally she decided to bring him along.

The other members of the class responded promptly and gladly to my plan, pronouncing it a blessed inspiration.

Mae Campbell, whose "Campbell's Candies" had grown as famous as Campbell's soup, wired her approval.

Margaret Davis, ballet dancer in New York, cancelled all her performances for that particular week.

Josephine Fuller, the best auctioneer in the South, wrote that she was thrilled over the prospects.

Minnie Lee Winstead, the best dressed woman in Roxboro and wife of its most prominent citizen, heartily endorsed the plan. She was glad to add to the prestige that was hers in Roxboro by this trip to New York. We caught Mary Wilson, now a competent engineer, on the eve of her departure to Africa. Here she was going to perform the much talked of miracle of utilizing the Sahara Desert and transforming it to a second Garden of Eden. She stayed over for the reunion, of course.

Bettie consented to leave her husband and her home in Youngsville, for the first time since their marriage, in order to join us.

So it was finally arranged. Everybody was coming. We planned to meet at the Grand Central Station on October 3rd. At last I started on my journey, my heart full of glorious anticipation, and eager to see again the faces of my beloved classmates.

This is neither the time nor the place to describe in detail the meeting of the seventeen members of the Class of '23. There was much laughing, talking and kissing and, possibly, a tear or two. Some faces had changed—years necessarily bring changes, but for the time being we were rejuvenated, again school girls with care-free hearts. 'Twas a happy meeting.

M. L. '23.

Last Will and Testament

EARTH
UNITED STATES
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF FRANKLIN
CITY OF LOUISBURG

We, the Senior Class of nineteen hundred and twenty-three, having fought a good fight, and having finished our course, and being desirous of showing our good will to those in connection with this institution, and being of sound mind and body, do proclaim, publish, and make known this our last Will and Testament.

ARTICLE I.

To our Alma Mater we pledge our loyalty through the years to come.

ARTICLE II.

To our beloved President, A. W. Mohn, we having obtained Mrs. Mohn's consent, will the privilege of taking any college girl to ride in his new car, without permission from Miss Betts; also we will him a watch that will keep time with the clock in the hall, so that he will be on time for chapel hereafter.

ARTICLE III.

To the Members of the Faculty:

- 1. To our class teachers, Misses Musa Wilson, Sallie Manson Petty and Catherine Padwick, we give our love and sincere wishes for a happy future; also to Miss Wilson we will a private mail carrier, so that the college mail carrier will not be overburdened. To Miss Petty, a permanent home in Louisburg, and also a rolling pin with which to start keeping house. To Miss Padwick, the privilege of changing the hour for morning walk from 8:00 to 7:00, so that the girls will have a reasonable appetite for breakfast.
- 2. To Miss Sallie Potter Betts we will a flashlight, to aid her in finding an ideal Senior Class, and feasters at night.
- 3. To Mrs. H. P. Guffy we give a rubber cap for her crutch, so that the girls will not know when she is coming around.
- 4. To Mrs. A. W. Mohn we will a new rug for her studio, as she has worn a hole in the floor by keeping time with her foot.
- 5. To Miss Virginia McQueen we give the privilege of coming to the dining-room through the kitchen, as that is a more desirable way for late-comers.
- 6. To Miss Burdette Joyner we will an aeroplane, so that she can make a flying trip to Franklinton at any time, with the hope that she will gain as desirable a reward as our former teacher, Mrs. Boone. This machine will also aid her in her travels to the studio.

- 7. To Miss Rosa Wassell, we leave a complete set of "Beacon Lights of History."
- 8. To Miss Ruth Hall we give the privilege of beginning all of her classes at 8:00 A. M.
 - 9. To Miss Alma Bizzell we will an ideal Bible IV class.
- 10. To Miss Estlicr Lynn we give a little bell to use in the dining-room to help Mrs. Guffy keep the girls quiet.
 - 11. To Miss Josic Foy we give a little book entitled, "How to Vamp."
 - 12. To Miss Williams we will the business ability of Miss Peltz.

ARTICLE IV.

To the Advisory Board we will the authority of passing on all privileges asked for by the incoming Senior Class.

ARTICLE V.

To the Various Classes:

- 1. To the Freshmen we give our encouragement to stick to their work as we have done, until they reach the desired goal of Seniority.
- To the Sophomores, our dear sister class, we will our ability and studiousness.
- 3. To the Juniors we give our dignity and all the privileges we have had. Also we will them the responsibility of getting out an annual as good or as bad as ours.

We, the aforesaid, declare this to be our Last Will and Testament, and do hereby appoint our President, A. W. Mohn, as sole executor.

[Signed]

SENIOR CLASS.

Essie Liles, Testator.



Our Motto; Our Colors; Our Flower

Not on the heights; still elimbing; Not at the end; still striving; Not at the goal; still hoping; So shall it ever be.

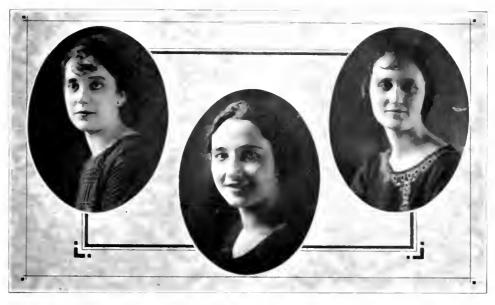


But e'er may the black and the gold, Stand for what's good and what's true: The black for the trials of life, The gold—the pure grit to pull through; And like the Marechal Niel rose, Our world with sweetness and beauty we'd grace; The finest, most cultured in life. Are the things we would choose to give place.



But not till life's close shall we ever Feel that our work has been done. When we hear the grand summons celestial And know that the heights have been won; When we hear from afar the glad music, Of seraph and angel and choir, And hear the loved voice of the Master, When He says, "You may now come up higher."

Anonymous.



MILLS GRANT

Motto

Not on the heights; still climbing; Not at the end; still striving; Not at the goal; still hoping; So shall it ever be.

Colors: Black and Gold. Flower: Marechal Niel Rose

Officers

ELIZABETH MILLS, President

ORA HOLDEN, Vice-President

ETTA BEALE GRANT, Secretary and Treasurer



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Lois Crawley Neithean Littleton, N. c.

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Pauline Eason Neithean snow hill, n. c. Emma Eure, Neithean gates, N. C.

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Sea Gift
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GLADYS GILL Neithean LOUISBURG, N. C.

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Etta Beale Grant. Neithean Hookerton, N. C.





Nolie Hunt, Sea Gift Raleigh, N. C.

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Ora Holden, Neithean Louisburg, n. c.

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GLENNIE KEITH Sea Gift VASS, N. C.

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Bessie Lancaster, Sea Gift Louisburg, n. c.

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OLA DALE LEWIS, Nea Gift LAKE LANDING, N. C. Goldie Morrissette Sea Gift Franklinton, N. C.

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Elizabeth Mills
Sca Gift
President of Junior Class
MAYSVILLE, N. C.

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Pauline Pearson Neithean Bailey, N. C.

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Alma Perry Sea Gift Louisburg, N. C.

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Eleanor Perry Sea Gift Louisburg, N. C.





Lois Sanford, Neithean vass, n. c.

Louise Taylor, Neithean Louisburg, N. C.

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Muzette Winstead, Neithean Ronboro, n. c.

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The Rendezrons of Youth, In whose classic shades Pastoral beauty breathes A lure for spirits sweet and pure.

SOPHOMORE



Here's to the Sophomore Class

Here's to the Sophomore Class
The class of Twenty-five,
If you know what we could do,
You'd think this bunch quite wise.

Here's to Mrs. Mohn, Our class teacher, so dear; To know her is to love her, The gold of our Sophomore year.

Here's to Lois, our president,

Most amiable and wise:

With our support, which she's sure to have,
Some day, perhaps, we'll be recognized.

Here's to her sister, Edythe, Most attractive and dignified, Boys, if you don't watch out, She'll vamp you with those eyes.

Here's to Susic Crowell, The belle of the Sophomore Class, With ruby lips, rosy checks, And eyes that sparkle like glass.

Here's to Nancy Usry
With a mind to take things in;
If you knew as much as she does
You'd fight the world and win.

Here's to Ha McNeill, Most wonderfully witty, If you don't think ske's pretty, Just ask Mr. Edwin Fiddy.

Here's to Belviu Finch With a voice like a nightingale; When compared with Caruso She classes him with the feail.

Here's to Louise Maye, With a musical talent, I'm told, With her graceful figure and lovely face She's beautiful to behold.

Here's to Ethel Tucker, With social abilities rare; I know you would think she's lovely, The girl with the soft brown hair.

Here's to Jessie Duncau, Last, though not least; If you knew as much as she, Your knowledge would be increased.

Now I've introduced to you The members of the Sophomore Class; Next year the stately Juniors, Then dear old Senior at last.

J. D. '25.



Alembers

ELLA ZENA CARTWRIGHT Fairfield, N. C.

SUSIE CROWELL Thomasville, N. C.

JESSIE DUNCAN Lumberton, N. C.

BELVIN FINCH Louisburg, N. C.

EDITH GUFFY Louisburg, N. C.

LOUISE MAYE Youngsville, N. C.

LA MCNEHL Pembroke, N. C.

HATTIE MAE PARKER Lasker, N. C.

ETHEL TUCKER Chadbourn, N. C.

Dde to an Onion

We write not always 'pon what we like -Sometimes it's just the reverse; Sometimes we write on what's a blessing, And sometimes on what's a curse.

Though to some the onion may be dear,

To us, that is not so.

Why in this world they were ever made,

We really do not know.

Their skin's quite thin,

Their smell's quite strong:

Their heads quite thick,

And their tops quite long.

Their flower's not pretty,

Their perfume's not sweet,
Yet by some they're considered
A good thing to cat,

You may fry them, or boil them,
You may cut and cat dry;
But they have with them an odor
That through five nor knife will die.

There's nothing in the world

But what's good for something:
So this one good of the onion

At least we then can sing:

If some caller should be coming

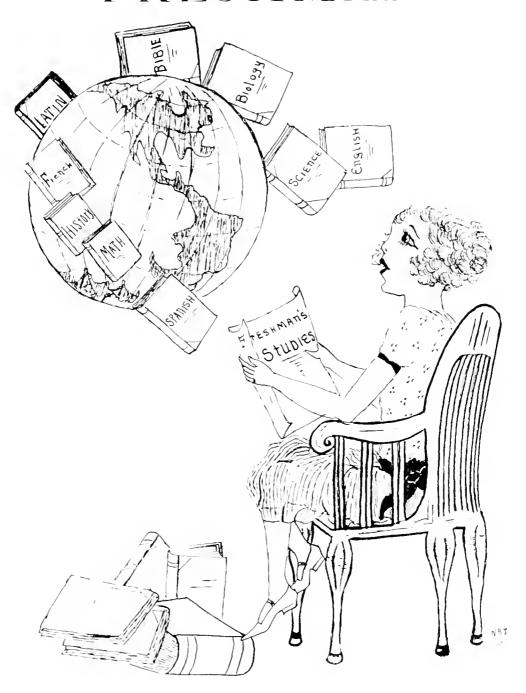
Who is rather dull, prosy and slow,

Just cat onions for supper,

And we're quite sure he'll soon go.

-Mary Munden.

FRESHMAN





Motto: "Sometimes #; never d; always ≠.

Flower: Forget-me-not Colors: Blue and White

Officers

Alembers

SUEMOLL ALCON Reidsville, N. C.

JOSEPHINE BANDY Four Oaks, N. C.

HATTIE KEEL CONGLETON Stokes, N. C.

FRANCES CARTER Fairmont, N. C.

JULIA DANIELS Elm City, N. C.

MARION GARDNER Garysburg, N. C.

ELIZABETH GRANT Garysburg, N. C.

KATHERINE HARDISON GASHINGTON, N. C.

AYLIA BANE HOLMES Louisburg, N. C.

LUCILLE JENNINGS Elizabeth City, N. C.

MARY MUNDEN Stantonsburg, N. C.

MARY MUNDEN Weeksville, N. C.

LUCILLE TADLOCK Woodard, N. C.

SUB-FRESHMAN







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WHO'S WHO IN SENIOR CLASS







G. Parker

School of Music

Piano

	Hazel Allen	Elizabeth Grant
	Edna Beasley	Glennie Keith
	JOE BANDY	LUCILLE JENNINGS
	Virginia Beck	Margaret Holden
	Mary Malone Best	Frances Carter
	Hattie Keel Congleton	Mary Munden
	Susie Crowell	Mae Campbell
	RUTH HOPKINS	Goldie Morrissette
	Katherine Hardison	Pauline Eason
	Glandora Hardison	Ora Holden
	Mabel Hun	Lois Crawley
	Eliza G. Newell	Louise Maye
	Etta Beale Grant	Ida Bross
	Julia Daniels	Frances Russo
	Marion Gardner	Betty Mohn
	Essie Liles	Lois Guffy

Voice

Graduate	Frances Russo
Joe Bandy	Susie Crowell
Hattie Keel Congleton	Frances Carter
Julia Daniels	BETTIE HOLDEN
Edith Guffy	Mary Munden
Genevieve Peltz	Bessie Lancaster
Frances Russo	Ora Holden
Mary Smith	Pauline Eason
Miss Ruth Hall	Belvin Finch

Quartettes

Varsity Quartette

Frances Russo Gradie Parker Ora Holden Nolie Hunt

Semor	Innor	Sophomore
Bettie Holden	Eleanor Perry	Josephine Bandy
Genevieve Peltz	ETTA BEALE GRANT	Julia Daniels
Mae Campbell	Ora Holden	Lois Crawley
Gradie Parker	Nolie Hunt	Belvin Finch



Glee Club

Officers

Frances Russo									. President
Julia Daniels .									Vice-President
Bettie Holden						,	Secr	ctaru	and Treasurer

Roll

Bandy, Josephine Campbell, Mae Carter, Frances Crawley, Lois Crowell, Susie Daniels, Julia Eason, Pauline Grant, Etta Beale Guffy, Edythe Holden, Bettie Holden, Ora Hopkins, Ruth Hunt, Nolie
Johnson, Sarah
Liles, Essie
Ledbetter, Margaret
Melvin, Kathryn
Munden, Mary
Parker, Hattle Mae
Parker, Gradie
Peltz, Genevieve
Pittman, Charlotte
Russo, Frances
Wilson, Mary

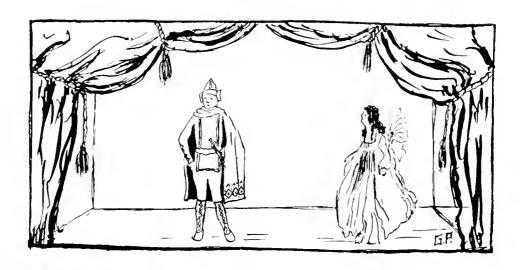




COLLEGE QUARTETTE



SENIOR QUARTETTE



Drama

School of Expression

Graduate Gradie Parker

Members

LUCY BURT BETTIE MOUN
EDNA BEASLEY ELIZA NEWELL

Helen Lee Flemming Hattie Mae Parker
Margaret Holden Pauline Pearson

Marion Hawkes Lois Sanford

RUTH HOPKINS MARTHA TILGHMAN SMITH

SARAH JOHNSON MARY SMITH
MARY LEE KEARNEY LOUISE TAYLOR

Margaret Ledbetter Anna Gray Watson

Muzette Winstead



Dramatic Club

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Officers

Louise Taylor	President
Lois Sanford	Vice-Pres.
Hattie Mae Parker	Treasurer
Pauline Pearson	Secretary

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Roll

Maude Asilley Lucy Burt Etta Beale Grant Ruth Hopkins Bettie Holden Nolie Hunt Lucille Jennings SARAH JOHNSON MARGARET LEDBETTER GRADIE PARKER PAULINE PEARSON HATTIE MAE PARKER LOIS SANFORD MUZETTE WINSTEAD



"JEAN MARIL"



"COME OUT OF THE KITCHEN" ENTIRE CAST



"COME OUT OF THE KITCHES"

ART





Art Club

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Nell Jones											President
GLANDORA HARDISON						S	ecre	etar	y	and	Treasurer

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Roll

ALLEN, MAX	Hunt, Nolie
Bross, Ida	Jones, Nell
Campbell, Mae	Miss Burdette Joyner
Trowell, Carolyn	Ledbetter, Margaret
Davis, Margaret	Parker, Gradie
GILLETTE, RENA	Pearce, Pearl
Guffy, Lois	Tucker, Ethel
Hardison, Glandora	Stewart, Miss Elizabeth

Organizations





Student Government Organization

Officers

Margaret Ledbetter	lent
Elizabeth Mills	lent
Etta Beale Grant	ary
Lois Guffy	urer
Glandora Hardison	ctor



D. W. C. A. Cabinet

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Officers

CAROLYN CROWELL												President
CHARLOTTE PETTMAN										1	ice	-President
Lois Crawley												Secretary
Elizabeth Mills .	•		•									Treusurer
ERIZABETH MILLS		•	•	•	•	•	•					

Cabinet

Charlotte Pittman Chairman of Memchrship Committee
Pauline Eason
Margaret Ledbetter Chairman of Social Committee
Kathryn Melvin
Katherine Brady Chairman of World Fellowship
EDYTHE GUFFY
Elizabeth Miles Chairman of Finance Committee
Gradie Parker Chairman of Poster Committee
Lois Crawley Chairman of Music Committee
Genevieve Peliz Under Graduate Representative



Neithean Literary Society

Officers

Kathryn Melvin									President
Charlotte Pittman								Vie	e-President
EDYTHE GUFFY									Secretary
Susie Crowell									Treasurer
Genevieve Peltz .									. Critic

Neithean Society

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Bandy, Josephini	. Four Oaks, N. C.
Bross, IDA	Roanoke Rapids, N. C.
Самрвень, Мае	Siler City, N. C.
Crawley, Lots	Littleton, N. C.
Crowell, Carolyn	. New London, N. C.
Crowell, Susie	Thomasville, N. C.
Duxean, Jessie	Lumberton, N. C.
Eason, Pauline	Farmville, N. C.
Guery, Edyfre Golden,	Louisburg, N. C.
Guffy, Lois	. Louisburg, N. C.
Gardner, Marion	. Louisburg, N. C.
Grant, Elizabeth	Garysburg, N. C.
Grant, Etta Beale	Hookerton, N. C.
Gill, Gladys	Louisburg, N. C.
Holden, Bethe	Youngsville, N. C.
Holden, Ory	Louisburg, N. C.
Hopkins, Ruin	Raleigh, N. C.
Hex. Mable	Halifax, N. C.
Ledbetter, Margaret	
Lines, Essie	Littleton, N. C.
Lancaster, Bessie	Louisburg, N. C.
Jones, Nell	
Melvin, Kathryn	Linden, N. C.
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PITTMAN, CHARLOTTE	
Parker, Hattie Mae	Lasker, N. C.
Parker, Gradie	Woodland, N. C.
Pearson, Pauline	Bailey, N. C.
Peliz, Genevieve	Hagerstown, Md.
Russo, Frances	
Rollinson, Lessie	Friscoe, N. C.
Taylor, Louise	Louisburg, N. C.
TICKER, ETHEL	
Sanford, Lois	Vass, N. C.
Winstead, Minnie Lee	
Winstead, Muzeite	
Wilson, Mary	Louisburg, N. C.

Neithean Song

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Neithean, Neithean,
We will ever be loyal,
We will follow and praise thee
And always remember
The blue is the truth of our hearts.
Rich and golden,
Endure, live forever
Through eternity linger.

Hurrah! Hurrah! The Gold and Blue forever; Hurrah! Hurrah! The old Gold and Blue.

Thy banner guides our footsteps
Through paths straight and narrow;
It shines through the darkness,
Turns the night into daytime;
How it thrills, how it fills us,
With thoughts kind and gentle;
With our hearts in thy keeping
We find peace and contentment.

D. P. '20.



Sea Gift Literary Society

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Officers

Goldie Mo	RRIS	88E	TT	Е.				 			President
Nolie Hunt										Vi	ce-President
Sarah Johnson											. Secretary
Glandora Ha	RDE	50.5	;								Treasurer
Ola Dale I	.EW	IS									Critic

Sea Gift Roll

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Brady, Katherine, Garner, N. C.
Carr, Neta Stedman, N. C.
Carter, Frances Fairmont, N. C.
Davis, Margaret Kinston, N. C.
Daniels, Julia Elm City, N. C.
Eure, Emma Gates, N. C.
Finch, Belvin Louisburg, N. C.
Fuller, Josephine Louisburg, N. C.
Felton, Seleta Conetoe, N. C.
Gillette, Rena Maysville, N. C.
Hunt, Nolie
Hardison, Glandora Washington, N. C.
Hardison, Katherine Washington, N. C.
Jennings, Lucille Elizabeth City, N. C.
Johnson, Sarah Stantonsburg, N. C.
Lewis, Ola Dale Lake Landing, N. C.
Morrissette, Goldie Franklinton, N. C.
Maye, Louise Youngsville, N. C.
Mills, Elizabeth Maysville, N. C.
Munden, Mary, Elizabeth City, N. C.
O'Neal, Ronnie Mae, Wake Forest, N. C.
Usrey, Nancy Chadbourn, N. C.

Here's to the Sea Gift

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Here's to the Sea Gift, Here's to her name Long may she flourish, Great be her fame. Here's to her members Both young and old, Here's to her colors— The Black and the Gold. Though she has stood, girls, Through hopes and fears, Make this the greatest Of all her years. May her light be brighter As time speeds along; Here's to the Sca Gift With laughter and song.

Here's to the Sea Gift, Of work or play, May we be steadfast And cherish each day. May we seek ever To carry on high The gold-studded banner To do or to die. May we be braver Through being her own, And strive success With her ever to room. Brighten the future, Banish all cares; Here's to the Sea Gift, Our love and our prayers,

M. S. '20.



Tennis Club

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EDYTHE GUFFY	
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Josephine Bandy	Glandora Hardison
MAE CAMPBELL	Ora Holden
CAROLAN CROWELL	Nolie Hunt
SUSIE CROWELL	Sarah Johnson
Julia Daniels	Margaret Ledbetter
Margaret Davis	Essie Liles
Pauline Eason	Louise Maye

Frances Russo

KATHRYN MELVIN

GRADIE PARKER

Charlotte Pittman

RENA GILLETTE

EDYTHE GUEFY

ETTA BEALE GRANT



Varsity

Mary Wilson Lois Sanford Louise Taylor OLA DALE LEWIS GLENNIE KEITH MABEL HUX

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Substitutes

Lois Crawley Essie Liles HATTIE MAE PARKER ELIZABETH MILLS

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Mascol: Potato Bug
Colors: Green and Red

Advisor: Miss Bizzeff
Flower: Trumpet Vine

Officers

Mewbers

"Joe" Bandy Susie Crowell Julia Daniels "Peyton" Guffy Nolie Hunt "Kat" Melvin
"Peggy" O'Neil
Gradie Parker
Hattie Mae Parker
Pauline Pearson
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"C." PITIMAN
"Fran" Russo
Lois Sanford
"Red" Taylor
Mary Wilson



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Motto: "Don't squeak when you are sat on."

Meeting Place—Anywhere. Time—Any time. Password—"Mashed"

Color: Purple in the face. Flower: Cactus.

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Who's Who

Sofa—Mary Wilson
Awning—Charlotte Pittman
Couch—Gradie Parker
Davenport—Hattie Mae Parker
Rocking Chair—Kathryn Melvin
Window Scat—Ida Bross
Straight Chair—Frances Russo
Rock—Sarah Johnson
Settee—Julia Daniels

Pillow—Joe Bandy
Foot Stool—Pauline Pearson
Lounge—Edythe Guffy
Stump—Lois Sanford
Chesterfield—Genevieve Peltz
Floor—Susie Crowell
Grass—Gladys Gill
Steps—Nolie Hunt
Cushion—Etta Beale Grant



OLD MAIDS CLUB



Motto: "Stick to your eat."

Flower: Bachelor's Buttons.

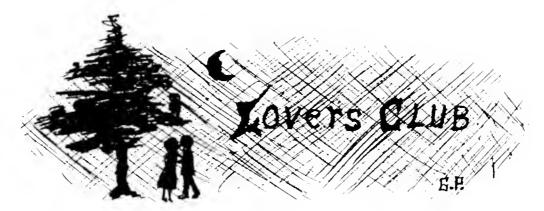
Color: Pale

Song: "A Good Man Is Hard to Find."

Advisor: Miss Butts

Frances Russo Margaret Ledigitur (E.C. Liles Color) Pittman Mary Wilson Katherine Brady Paylikhi, Pearson Glennie Kethl Lois Guefy

(Until Johnme proposes)
(Regular profession)
(Can't help (t.)
(Case of necessity)
(By fate's decree.)
(Because she likes (t.)
(Result of lost faith in men.)
(Unsophisticated)
(Never met her intended.)



Motto: Love.
Flower: Bride's Roses. Color: White
Farmite Hanni: Lover's Leap.
Song: "I Love You Truly."
Advisor: Miss Wilson.

Cupid's Victims

GENTATIVE PELTZ GRADIE PARKER KAT MELAIN HATTIE MAE PARKER NELL JONES SARAH JOHNSON LOIS SANGORD EDYTHE GUEFY SUSH, CROWELL GLANDORA HARDISON JOE BANDY MARGARLT DAVIS SELETA FELTON NOLLE HEAT JULIA DANIELS MINNIE LEE WEISTEAD BETTIE HOLDEN MARY MUNDEN

Seniors' Soliloguy

(With apologies to "Bill" Shakespeare)

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To have, or not to have—that was the question; Whether 'twas nobler in the mind to work And exert our brain to put forth a good annual, Or to avoid the sea of troubles By buying new front porch steps. To rest- to enjoy ourselves---And by this rest to say we forget The thousand petty troubles That an Annual staff is heir to—'tis a consummation Devoutly to be wished. To be at case—to rest-To rest! perchance to regret! Aye, there's the rub; For in that period of rest what dreams may come Of a good Annual that we might have produced? For who would bear the whips and scorns of unbelieving schoolmates, The pangs of dispriz'd work, the photographers' delay, The publishers' nagging, and the numerous Troubles of a first effort. When we ourselves might our peace assure By merely wishing it? Who would these troubles bear, To grunt and sweat under a weary life, But for the hope of seeing at the end THE OAK? Thus ambition doth make workers of us all; And thus the desire of rest and case is cast aside, And enterprises of great pith and moment are begun.

M. L. AND C. P.



"OLD RELIABLES"



Calendar of Events

- Sept. 6. Freshmen begin to arrive for College, Joe Bandy arrives and immediately gets campussed.
- Sept. 7. First Chapel day. President Mohn's opening address. Matriculation.
- Sept. 8. Classes begin. Seniors meet for a discussion of privileges.
- Sept. 9. Seniors submit list of privileges to Advisory Board. 7:30: Y. W. C. A. RECEPTION.
- Sept. 10. To church. Hattie Mae Parker skips.
- Sept. 16. Neithean Literary Society initiates new members. (Lois Sanford still has black feet.)
- Sept. 22. Faculty reception. Main feature, Jazz Baxp!!!
- Sept. 23. Sea Gift Literary Society initiates new members.
- Sept. 30. First midnight feast.

"Twas midnight in the college Not a teacher was in sight. We ate too many good things And the pains—they came all right."





Seniors begin to appreciate privileges—along with ice cream cones, hot dog sandwiches, and rides on the merry-go-round.—Fran Russo vamps everybody, from Wild Bill to Johnnie.—G. Peltz makes great success ringing cow bell to attract attention to the Senior Booth, and incidentally to herself.

"Miss Betts in despair. Girls everywhere."

- Oct. 11. Senior Class opens "Cherry Inn."

 Menn: Acceream dressed up with cherries; sandwiches and tea.
- Oct. 14.— Gradie Parker has a date.—Refreshments served at expense of "Cherry Inn."
- Oct. 20. Senior circus. Special features: Menagerie, side shows, and big parade.

 Pink lemonade, hot dogs, pop corn and peanuts.

Time uncertain Kat Melvin meets and falls for "Sweet Lawrence." Where?

- Oct. 31. Halloween, Y. W. C. A. Social. Weenie Roast and musked seranade.
- Nov. 2. Dramatic Club presents three one-act plays: "Converting Bruce," "Fourteen," "Jean Marie," A "shouting" success.
- Nov. 3. First student recital, Social hour, Dates! Ten-thirty bell, and goodnights.

"Say it with flowers."

Nov. 8. Junior minstrel. A grand and glorious success—probably because the participants looked the part—naturally.



P. S. ("C." Pittman meets "Billy" via sandwiches and coffee.

- Nov. 11. Armistice Day. Indeed yes! A truce of one day's duration with professors and note books.
 Morning- Four members of the student body made supremely happy by much ice cream and roasted peanuts.
 Afternoon L. C. girls' transformed as Salvation Army Lassies, have their part in the American Legion show.
- Nov. 15. Group of Seniors go to the movies, chaperoned by Mr. William Jackson and, incidentally, Miss Petty.
- Nov. 17. Senior 'possum hunt. Results, one 'possum caught; one cat treed' many scratches, bruises and torn garments; much nodding next day, and one more happy memory added to our extensive collection.
- Nov. 20. Light-bell changes from 10:30 to 10 p. m. Special ounce of prevention to keep girls from having more than one nervous breakdown each week.
- Nov. 22. Devereux Players present Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" (afternoon), and "Arms and the Man," by Bernard Shaw (night).
- Nov. 24. Mrs. Uzzell takes a crowd of girls over to Mapleville for a three-act play. Sandwiches and conversation afterward.
- Nov. 30. Thanksgiving Day. Several girls were especially thankful for a little morning spin. Everybody thankful for our magnificent dinner. "Fun enough, laugh a-plenty, eats too many." Afternoon tennis tournament between faculty and student body. Faculty won huge box of eardy (?) Night—End of a perfect day; movies and dates.
- Dec. 2. Event No. 1.—C. Pittman, Susie Crowell and Gradie Parker go to dinner party at Mrs. Uzzell's.
 Event No. 2.—Louisburg College basketball team plays Oxford team at Oxford; score 26-43, in favor of Oxford.
- Dec. 4. Susie Crowell becomes the recipient of a "billet doux" as result of dinner party mentioned before.
- Dec. 6. Glee Club has first rehearsal of "Cherry Blossom." Margaret Ledbetter discovers she can sing(?).



- Dec. 10.—10 p. m.—C. Pittman turns out her light on time. P. S.—First time ever.
- Dec. 13. Second student recital. A "word" recital, according to Hattie Parker.
- Dec. 15. Art Bazaar. Pretty things for pretty people.
- Dec. 16. The Christmas spirit.

"There ain't no use a-studying Or toying to get wise, For Christmas time is almost here Then we'll get stuffed with pies." (Not wisdom.)

- Dec. 18. Final rehearsal of "Cherry Blossom," in costume.
- Dec. 19.—Louisburg College Glee Club presents "Miss Cherry Blossom" at Star Theatre.—A great, grand and glorious success.—Special hits, Cherry and Jack and "Male" Quartette.
- Dec. 20. 8:15 A. M., homeward bound. Good-bye. Happiness, happiness, thy name is ours.
- Dec. 20, 1922 | Jan. 3, 1923 | Interval of perfect and unadulterated bliss. P. S.:

"With the exception of Fran, who had the flu, And poor John, who had it, too."

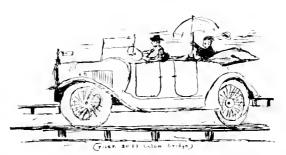
- Jan. 3. Back to dear old L. F. C. Misery, Oh, Misery!
- Jan. 4. The following is a list of things we find acquired during the holidays:

Edith Guffy, a new spring hat.
Frances Russo, a diamond.
"C" Pittman, beauty?
Glandora Hardison, a love affair.
Susic Crowell, a new wardrobe.
Hattic Parker, a new joke.
Senior Class, excellent table manners.

- dan. 4-15. Interval of intensive study.
- Jan. 15-20, Exams. "Weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth," but few failures.
- Jan. 23. Lucy T. Allen, alias Fran's suitor, takes six Seniors out for an exhilarating ride, and a "dope" afterwards.

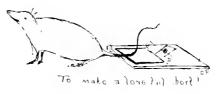
- Jan. 24. Night of fun, furnished by Juniors. Mock faculty special feature Senior privileges, as presented, discussed. The privilege of using the College car at all times was unanimously passed.
- Jan. 25. Fran Russo and Hattie Parker dose faculty with pills. Martha Washington candy serving as camouflage.
- Jan. 26. A picnic out at Jackson's pond serves to erase all memories of past troubles—namely, exams.
- Feb. 2.— The Art Club is entertained in the parlors by Misses Nell Jones and Glandora Hardison.
- Feb. 6. "Fran" celebrates her fifth birthday.
- Feb. 9. The Dramatic Club presents "Come Out of the Kitchen," and the east "came out" crowned with glory.
- Feb. 13. Mr. Mohn, Mr. Best and the members of the Annual Staff motor to Raleigh.

Mr. Best proved by his actions that he dearly lored to go fast, especially on slick roads. He also taught us a new use for the umbrella. When crossing a



river bridge, he raised it high, remarking: "If Mr. Mohn doesn't slow up, we'll run off, sure, and this "parachute" will at least make me hit the water easy.

Feb. 14. As a fitting climax, we close this calendar of events with the reception given by the Juniors in honor of the Seniors. A wonderful occasion!



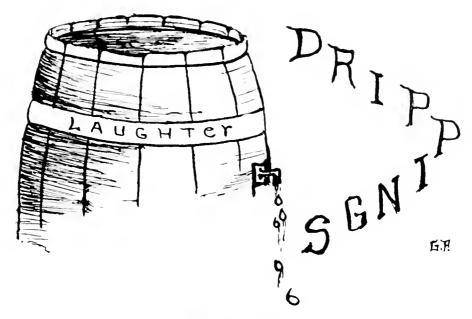
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MAE CAMPBELL	Her paper flowers.	Procueing for her recital	Fill swan !	Practice hall	To be a designer	A home maker
CAROLYN CROWELL	Her big mouth	Making dates	Well, fathers?	French room	To be a school teacher	A grave digger
MARGARET DAVIS	Her enriesity	Straightening her teank	Hurras 1	Refere the mirror	To be dignified	Vilaming mistress
JOSEPHINE PUBLIER . Her timulity	Her timohty	Talking	I'll la switched!	Library	To live in Wake Forest	Vschoolmarm
GLANDORA HARDISON.	Her green stockings	Painting chan	I don't care!	At studio	To use her breakfast set for two	An old maid
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Essie Liles	Her boyish gum	Falling on the ice	I didn't do at	At the well Tall in Eido fell	To darn some man's socks a Week st	Week st
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FRAN RUSSO	Her ability to read French	Admiring her diamond	By Jokey!	At the Mohns.	To have "spontaneity"	The Thest:
MARY WILSON	Her daring	Talking after light-bell	Well I'm Habbergasted!	Miss Betts' bondon	To use College telephone at will	Velaperon
MINNIE LEE WINSTEIN HET SAFTASH	Hersarcasm	Reading Spanish	Aw, phow!	M home	To acquire the title of Mrs.	Vlover of clean) Mond



Drippings

Some drippings make you dizzy,
Others make you sneeze.
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Or cry—just as you please.

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A-N-Y-T-I-M-E You might see:

Miss Betts at her front window.
Kat Melvin down the street.
Mary Wilson going home for the week-end.
Fran, "C." and Margaret composing poetry.
Mis. Guffy agreeing with Miss Betts.
Genevieve Peltz writing to Bennett.
Mrs. Mohn—smiling.
Lois Guffy taking her daily dozen.
Seniors cating "zip."
Miss Bizzell giving zeros.

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REGISTER ASTONISHMENT!

Edythe, buying a tooth brush at Aycock's, couldn't decide which she preferred, so she said: "Let me take them both home and try them, and I'll return the one I don't like."

Miss McQueen, explaining the song "Columbia," asked: "What Columbia does this have reference to?"

Marion Gardner "Columbia University, 1 suppose,"

WANTED.—Information as to whether a man with a cork leg would have a cork foot, too.—Miss Waddell.

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ORIGINAL POEM ON SPRING.

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It is a lovely thing
To walk out in the spring;
Then everything is bright
And all things please the sight.

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Yes, 'tis a lovely thing For some to walk in spring, When everything is bright And all things please the sight; But alas, for me 'tis known, When I walk, I walk alone.

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Yes, 'tis a lovely thing
To walk out in the spring.
In the clear and starry night
When the moon is full and bright;
When your company's selected
And some special one elected.
Yes, it's very fine for you,
For you sometimes go with this one
And sometimes with the other;
But with me I go alone
Or else go with my mother.

IV.

Now I think that you must know, Since I am so dull and slow, It's a very foolish thing For me to write on spring.

YE GODS AND LITTLE FISHES.

Hila Morris (reading a copy of the song Alma Mater) ("Was that what this college was called before they named it Louisburg College?")

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Hattie "Charlotte, where is Micah?"

Kat "Did Landor write that, too?"

P. S. Apply to Kat Melvin for any desired information concerning the Bible.

Mr. Mohn (during faculty meeting): "The Seniors have asked for the privilege of having dates once a week. Teachers, what do you think of it?"

Miss Petty "I think it is all right—but *please* don't let them have dates with Jack.

Gladys—"Miss Bizzell, I have walked all over the college and asked six girls to help me work this origin d, and I haven't worked it yet."

Miss Bizzell "Miss Gill, I asked you to exercise your brains, not your legs."

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PATRIOTISM !!!

Hattie (in chapel, on hearing the first strains of the "Lohengrin's" Wedding March, to the girl next to her): "Stand up, that's the "Star Spangled Banner!"

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HOW THINGS HAPPEN.

One lovely summer night, a young and beautiful girl went out for a moonlight stroll. At the same moment a strong and handsome young man went out for a moonlight stroll. Fate led their steps—they met, they loved, they were wedened lived to regret it.

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A SLIP OF THE TONGUE.

Miss Betts: "Girls, I have just read where my sister has been entertaining some guests with a bridge party; and she wouldn't even give me a rook party when I visited her."

Mary Wilson "Guess they had to play 'Old Maids' when you were there."

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Miss Waddell 'on History) —"Who was Henry the Navigator?" dosephine Fuller —"He was a prince who was petted for three generations."

INFORMATION!

Susic Crowell has finally succumbed to Buddha's charms, and is now a confessed worshiper of the great Buddha.

REALLY- TRULY!

Lois Sanford—"Do you know you're more like a lilac than any other flower?" Joe Bandy—"No, how do you get that?" Lois Sanford—"Cause you lie 'lak' a professional."

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Upon being asked if she was going to Trinity next year, Genevieve Peltz remarked—"No, I think I'll get married—you know Bennett said he would marry me on one condition, and I can't get in Trinity with less than four."

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If you want to "e"-"C"-"c"-"C" go to room 392 when she's looking in the mirror.

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O HAPPY DAY!

Composed by Senior Class

Oh, Happy Day, when we will see The last of school and the faculty; L. C.'s a dreadful place to stay, I'd rather go and mow the hay.

Chorus:--

Happy Day! Happy Day! When we will leave this place to stay.

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Miss Betts, she will weep tears, I know; But as for us no tears will flow. Mrs. Guffy will be weeping, too. But we'll be glad that we are through.

Repeat Chorus.

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They sure do like to pick on us! If they don't look out we'll raise a fuss. But Mr. Mohn we know is proud To know his Seniors are so loud.

Repeat Chorus.

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Mrs. Mohn, reading a telegram from Mr. Mohn, during a protracted absence; "Fran, really this doesn't look like Arthur's handwriting; does it?"

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LULA (Favorite Song)

I got a girl and her name is Lula. Stick to my Lula, Stick to my Lula, Darliu'!

Every verse same as the first. Ad infinitum...

Rena Gillette "You know I have a little new nephew!"

Elizabeth Grant "Is it a boy or a girl?"

Miss Wilson (on Biology) "Miss Taylor, can you tell me anything about the alimentary canal"?

Louise Yes I saw in the paper where it was dangerous to cross it.

WONDER IF SHE DID

Miss Petty was heard to make the following remark: "Oh; I must and phone Jack, good night; good night Beloved,"

Sarah Johnson was asking Mr. William Jackson if he knew where she could borrow a dress suit for the play. He replied; "No, I'm afraid l don't. You see, boys never have dress suits until they put on long pants and they don't put on long pants till they grow up."

Etta Beale "I wonder how it would seem to be in love?" Miss Joyner "Why, don't you know?"

Louise Taylor "Miss Foy, is the first verb you learn in the French language I am"?"

Nancy Usrey (studying Shakespeare)—Ila, I wonder if everything Shakespeare wrote is true.

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lla I don't know, when I go to heaven I'll ask him.

Nancy: But suppose he isn't there?

Ila—Then you ask him.

Miss Waddell – Minnie Lee, what is a thought question? Minnie Lee – χ thought question is-a-thought question.

AND THEY DID!

Miss Foy on French III — "All those who are absent, please hold up your hand!"

Miss Petty (at the supper table); Girls, lets talk about birds tonight.

Edythe Guffy - I don't know a thing about birds, 'cept that a whippoorwill says Bob-White! Spink, Spank, Spink!

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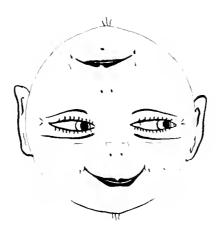
Day by day, in every way, Miss Betts is now reforming: She fusses at the girls no more; Her manner is quite charming.

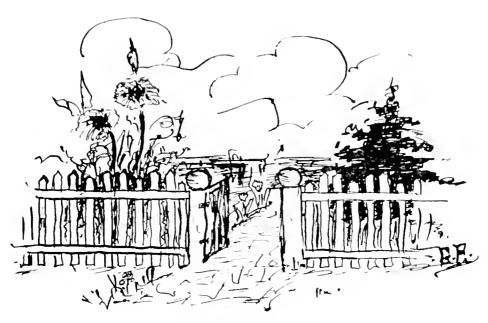
The same is true of Mr. Mohn: He shows in every way He tries to cheer the college girls, And gives them rides each day.

Again, day by day in every way. Mrs. Guffy is much sweeter; She lets you have whate'er you like, No matter how big the eater.

The same applies to the whole faculty: They're really quite delightful; They never make you work at all, But do things nice and rightful.

P. S. We're really very sorry to say He sure is wrong, this Mr. Coue. We've tried our best to prove it true, But with our faculty it just won't do.





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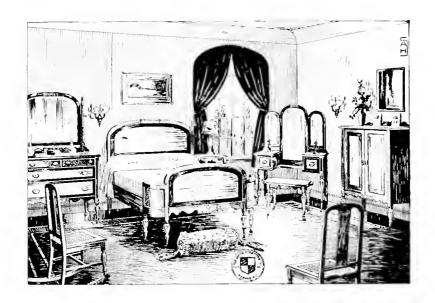
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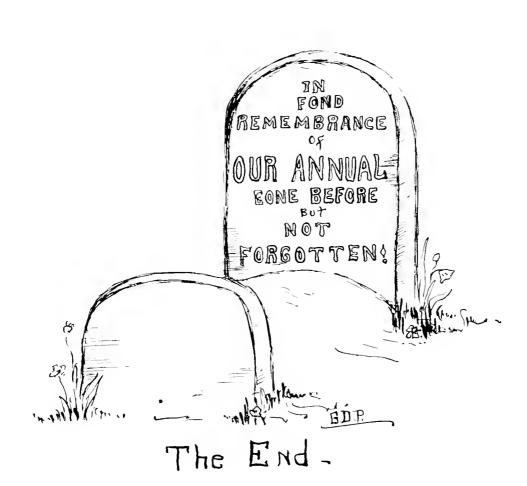
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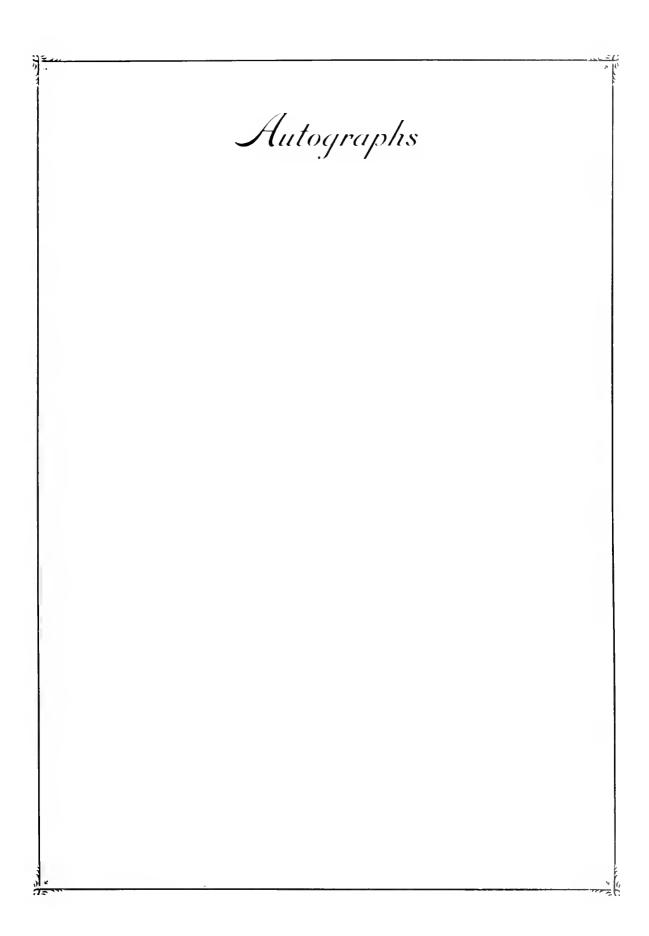
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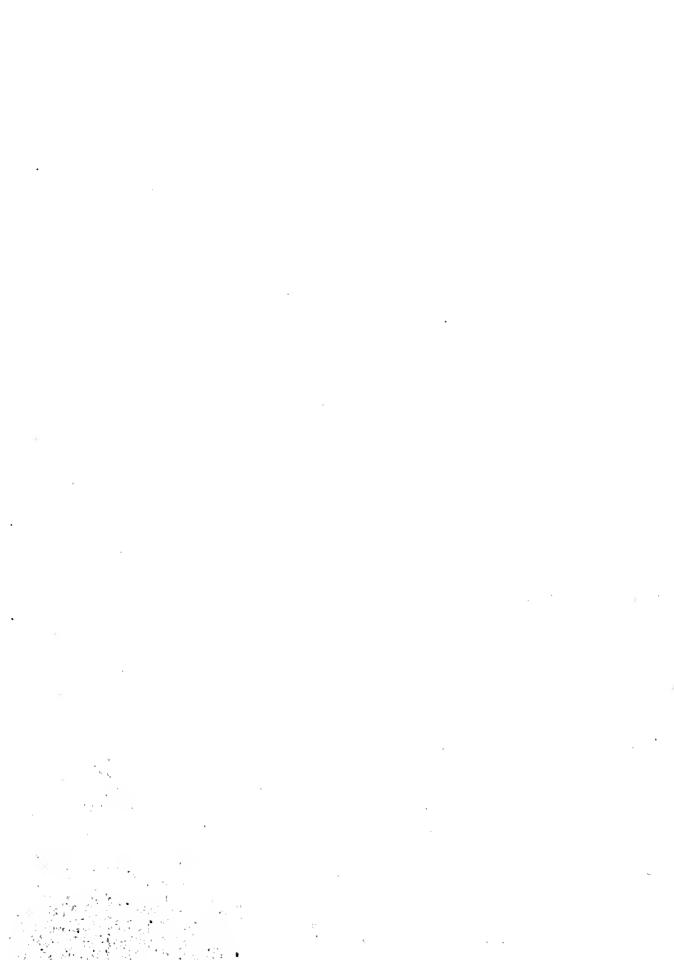
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