

The Phillipian.

VOL. VIII.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY, ANDOVER, MASS., JUNE 22, 1886.

No. 34

Glass Poem.

I

Once more is June in velvet robes indued,
With floral incense is the breeze imbued.
The forests dim reëcho with the sound
Of warbled notes throughout their depths profound.
Fair Flora now her opening blooms displays.
And by her art divine the gleaming rays

II

Of glorious sunlight once again appear
In flowers of gold, that deck the opening year.
Labor is irksome on such days as these;
More pleasant far to lie in thoughtful ease
Beneath some mighty monarch of the grove,
And watch the clouds across the heavens move.

III

To-day the schoolboy showeth by his looks,
That now has ceased the "Battle of the Books."
To-day no clamorous schoolbell does he hear;
No sound of recitation pains his ear.
Yes, now from study's toilsome bondage free,
He tastes the joys of long-sought liberty.

IV

As exiles destined to a foreign strand
Gaze long and eager at their native land,
So we, who leave today these classic halls,
To follow where the voice of duty calls,
Through memory's vista of receding years,
Review our griefs and joys, our hopes and fears.

V

When first we viewed this consecrated hill,
What bold ambitions did our bosoms fill!
But when, as Preps, we studied Cæsar's lore,
Alas! these aspirations were no more.
We always studied with becoming zeal,
Yet sometimes we a little fear did feel,

VI

When, 'neath our worthy tutor's gleaming eye,
Our ranks went down like Gauls or Nervii,
And then we heard with terror and dismay,
In righteous wrath our good instructor say
(Methinks that now 'tis ringing in my ear),
"Sir, you may seek a cooler atmosphere."

VII

And, as we fought in Cæsar's classic strife,
We often wished (in vain) the treacherous knife,
By Brutus borne, had taken him away
Before he took to literature for play!
Later, within the Roman Forum's shade,
Invectives fierce 'gainst Cæline we made.

VIII

And later still did Ovid's lay inspire
Our youthful hearts with his poetic fire,
For from the lines which happily he sang
We learned how earth first out of chaos sprang;
We saw the earth o'erwhelmed beneath the flood;
Saw stones converted into flesh and blood.

IX

But when great Virgil struck the quivering lyre,
A thousand passions did his muse inspire!
Now did we hail at sight of burning Troy;
Now saw the blasts both ships and men destroy.
Then we with Dido wept in lone despair;
And saw the flames devour her form so fair.

X

Near Scylla's roaring rocks we sailed along;
Saw mighty Cyclops; heard the sirens' song
Until upon Æolia's shore we stand,
And see Aeæas fight with valiant hand,
We learn the brave resistance Turnes made
And see his soul depart to realms of shade.

XI

How Preps make Seniors by time's revolution
Is most as strange as Darwin's "evolution."
As Prep is modest: and with eyes cast down
As if in contemplation walks the town,
As Junior's dapper, humbleness forsook,
He seems quaint at a Middler's look.

XII

Then as a Middler,—not the same, I ween,
As that small Junior whom we first have seen!
And now a bold, important look has he,
Gone,—that trace of his humility,
For under-seniors his contempt is great,
He has for seniors unrelenting hate!

XIII

And now, inspiring muse, thy aid I seek.
Henceforth thy song is not of Juniors meek,
But of the mighty Senior now I sing!
For this, O muse, thy inspiration bring,
Unlike is he those I've sung before;
On loftier themes his noble thoughts do soar!

XIV

He promenes with slow, majestic tread;
A stove-pipe hat does crown his learned head;
And dainty specs hide his classic eyes;
And in his hand a cane whose weight and size
Rivals the staff which Moses had of yore,—
Such is the Senior now and evermore.

XV

Through all these stages we have come at last;
And now review the labors of the past.
Classmates, to-day we part, but friendship's ties
Shall bind us still: true friendship never dies,
But is immortal, and shall live for aye,
When heaven and earth have ceased and passed away.

XVI

And ever shall our pride and glory be,
Dear Phillips, that we are the sons of thee.
One from our number now has joined that throng
Who sing the chorus of the heavenly song.
O tree of life so frail, whose fairest flower
The frosts have withered at the morning hour!
But, Phillips, may we in that better land
Gather around thee, one unbroken band!

S. C. LAWRENCE.

The Society of Inquiry.

THE meeting of Inquiry on Sunday, June 5th, was of unusual interest, owing to the presence of three gentlemen from the religious society of Exeter, Mr. Duncan, '86, Mr. Merrill, 87, and Mr. Street, '87, two of whom, Mr. Merrill and Mr. Duncan, addressed the meeting, the former speaking acceptably on the subject of the evening "Occupy till I come," the latter giving an account of the work done in the society at Exeter. After the meeting many remained to meet our visitors.

The Fem. Sem. Reading.

THE nineteenth annual reading took place in Abbot Academy Hall last Thursday. Notwithstanding the warm weather, and the crowded condition of the hall, all whom fortune favored with an invitation passed a very pleasant and enjoyable evening. The reading itself was excellent. Each one showed that considerable time and work must have been spent upon the several pieces. The programme was very pleasantly varied between the humorous and the pathetic, and each reader entered into the spirit of her selection to a remarkable degree. It is safe to say that had there been prizes to award, it would have been a very delicate and difficult matter to judge. We do not pretend to be competent judges in such matters, but it seems to us that Misses Raymond of Haverhill, Jillson of Providence, and Swazey of Bucksport, Me., read with particular ease and merit. We feel sure that all the fellows who received invitations fully appreciate the courtesy.

THE PHILLIPIAN.

Published Weekly by the Students of Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass.

Entered as Second-class Matter at the Andover Post-Office.

Annual Subscription \$2.00
By Mail 2.25
By the Term75
Single Copies08

Editor-in-Chief, G. B. HOLLISTER.

Associates. { S. C. MEAD, '86,
C. E. BRETT, Jr., '88.

Treasurer, A. L. CLARK, '87.

W. G. CRAWFORD, PRINTER, 22 CUSTOM HOUSE STREET, BOSTON.

WE are pleased to announce the election of Mr. Landon to the PHILLIPIAN board.

WE have lately received a letter from the Pierian Orchestra, of Harvard, in which we are requested to urge those fellows in the Academy who intend entering Harvard next fall, and who now are interested in instrumental music, to practice during the summer, with a view of trying for the orchestra in the fall. They say: "We want some good musicians from your school next year, and they will be welcomed into the Pierian Sodality if they are proficient." We think there are men in the school who would do well to consider this.

WE are informed that the subscriptions for the support of the crew are not being paid as promptly as the committee would wish.

A race with Williston has been arranged for June 25th, and possibly one may be had with Exeter.

Without the necessary funds, the treasurer of the crew will be greatly embarrassed in carrying out these plans. We are aware that aside from his feeling of honor, there is nothing to compel a man to pay his subscription, therefore we trust that all such obligations will be promptly met, and that in future there will be no occasion for complaints of this kind.

THE closing exercises of Abbot Academy took place last week. The baccalaureate sermon was preached Sunday morning by Dr. Lamphear. Tuesday morning the graduating exercises were celebrated in the hall, including the presentation of a portrait of Miss McKen in behalf of the Alumni, the planting of the tree, etc. At the close of these exercises the address was delivered and the diplomas presented by Dr. Little of Chicago, in the Old South.

Fortune did not favor us with an invitation to the exercises in the hall, so we cannot judge concerning them, but in behalf of the school, we congratulate the graduating class upon the successful completion of their course of study.

SHORTLY after eleven o'clock, on Friday morning, was announced the death of Miss Alice, only daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Graves. In behalf of the school, we wish to express our profound sympathy for Prof. Graves and his family in their severe bereavement. The funeral services were appointed for Monday afternoon, at two o'clock, in the Chapel.

At a meeting of the Senior Class, held June 19, 1886, the following resolutions were adopted:—

Whereas, God in his all-wise providence has taken from us our beloved classmate, William Talcott Buxton, therefore be it

Resolved, That in his death the members of the Senior Class have been deprived of a valued friend, a brilliant scholar, and a Christian gentleman.

Resolved, That while with deepest sorrow we mourn the death of our valedictorian, who, at the Master's bidding and on the very eve of graduation has thus laid down the laurels of a well-earned victory, we still mourn as those who recognize, even in his death, the same Divine wisdom that guided and guarded him in life, and would yield with unquestioning submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That to the bereaved family of our friend we tender our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of their great sorrow. May the God of consolation lift their hearts with a peace which the world cannot give and which human words of sympathy are powerless to impart.

Resolved, That these resolutions be printed in the *Phillipian*, and that a copy of the same be sent to the family of our deceased classmate.

J. W. LUND,
J. H. BONBRIGHT,
S. C. MEAD, } Committee
for the
Class.

Bicycle Club Run.

On May 30th the Bicy Club availed themselves of the unexpected holiday, and had, on many accounts, the most enjoyable run yet. Starting from the Academy at 9.45, they wheeled through Middleton and Peabody to Lynn, stopping vice to refresh the "inner man," as weas to give a chance for the unfortunates come to time. The distance, twenty-three miles, was covered in about two hours, and most were ready for a good dinner which they were sadly disappointed. After dinner part repaired to the racing grounds, it being the opening day of the Ly Bicycle Track and the annual meet of the Essex County wheelmen. The racers comprised seven of the fastest wheelmen in the country, including Rowe, of Ly Hendee, of Springfield, and Weber, Knapp, and Burnham among the amateurs, with Prince and Neilson. Nery fast time was made, although the track was in fine condition. About the time of the races the club had to leave at four o'clock train to Boston, reaching there at six.

Base Ball Records.

BATTING RECORD.

RANK.	NAME.	GAMES PLAYED.	TIMES AT BAT.	RUNS SCORED.	AVE. PER GAME.	FIRST B. H.	PERCENTAGE.	TOTAL BASES.	AVE. PER GAME.
1	McNell.	9	39	15	1.67	12	.385	15	1.67
2	Brainard.	9	42	11	1.22	14	.333	14	1.56
3	Knowlton.	9	41	15	1.67	13	.317	13	1.44
4	Aldrich.	9	46	12	1.33	13	.283	15	1.67
5	Grimes.	9	43	10	1.11	10	.233	16	1.78
6	Luce.	9	44	12	1.33	9	.205	11	1.22
7	Perry.	9	38	5	.56	7	.184	9	1.00
8	Johnson.	9	44	11	1.22	8	.182	16	1.78
9	Flemming.	9	42	8	.89	6	.143	9	1.00

FIELDING RECORD.

RANK.	NAME.	GAMES PLAYED.	NO. PUT OUT.	TIMES ASSISTING.	ERRORS.	TOTAL CHANCES.	PER CENT ACC'D
1	Flemming.	9	7	1	0	8	1.000
2	Luce.	9	14	24	5	43	.907
3	Brainard.	9	83	1	10	94	.893
4	Johnson.	9	25	15	7	47	.829
5	Knowlton.	9	89	29	13	131	.824
6	Aldrich.	9	4	15	7	26	.731
7	McNell.	9	7	16	10	33	.697
8	Perry.	9	6	0	3	9	.667
9	Grimes.	9	3	1	9	7	.555

ALDRICH'S PITCHING RECORD.

Games played, 9. Times at bat of opponents, 311. Runs scored by opponents, 29; average per game, 3.22. Runs earned by opponents, 3. First base hits made by opponents, 46; percentage, 1.47. Number put out, 4. Times assisting, 98. Fielding errors, 7. Wild pitches, 2. Total chances, 112. Percentage accepted, .91. Number struck out, 84.

KNOWLTON'S CATCHING RECORD.

Games played, 9. Number put out, 89. Times assisting, 29. Fielding errors, 5. Passed balls, 8. Total chances, 131. Percentage accepted, .900.

RECORD OF GAMES FOR 1886.

DATES.	OPPONENTS.	WINNERS.	WIN'RS SCORE.	LOSERS SCORE.	TIME OF GAME.
Apr.	Boston College,	B. C.	4	3	2h.
May 5.	Merrimacks,	P. A.	13	0	2.05
15.	Puritans,	P. A.	22	2	2.05
19.	Lawrence (prof'n'l),	P. A.	6	5	1.45
21.	Harvard '89,	P. A.	18	3	2.25
30.	Boston Lat. School,	P. A.	12	7	1.55
June 2.	Chapmans,	P. A.	12	0	2.05
5.	Y. M. T. A.,	P. A.	7	1	1.50
12.	Phillips Exeter,	P. E.	7	6	2.25

C. Robinson, Scorer for the Club.

Wm. A. Leavitt, Jr., Scorer for Phillipian.

Tennis Tournament.

On Saturday last our representatives in tennis, Breed and Shaw, went to Exeter to play off the tie, both in singles and doubles. Breed vs. Meehan in the singles, and Breed and Shaw vs. Huntington and Meehan in the doubles. The result was much as had been expected, in the singles, 6-4, 6-4, in Meehan's favor, in the doubles 4-6, 6-3, 6-0 in Exeter's favor. Our fellows won the toss and chose, it seems to us, the poorer court. The playing was excellent all around, but practice on dirt courts, and knowledge of the court on which they were playing proved too much for our men, and consequently we are obliged to console ourselves with the victory of June 2nd.

Phillipiana.

The PHILLIPIAN wishes a pleasant vacation to all Philo. entertainment this evening, and the debates are limited.

The flag of P. S. '86 did not wave long at the top of Academy building.

Prof. Churchill delivered the Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class Sunday.

Four members of the Middle Classical class have presented the school with four noted engravings.

The elections for Inquiry are as follows:— President, Alvord; vice-president, Bartlett; secretary, Cartwright; treasurer, Williams.

The following were elected to office in Philo: President, Osborne; vice-president, J. L. Dodge; secretary, Churchill; treasurer, Cartwright.

Where are the flags on the weather-vane? The thunder bolts of Jove tore them down, with much cursing and lamentation of the inner-man.

The school catalogues came out on Saturday. Number of scholars during the year, 307. In the Classical department, 188, and in the English, 119.

Some work has been done about the walks and lawns in front of the Academy during the past week which greatly improves the appearance of the grounds.

Scene at Union College—Professor—Now, Mr. Z— will please translate the phrase, "*de mortuis nil nisi bonum*" Mr. Z.— Of the dead nothing remains but bones.

A certain young and handsome Phillipian, who has rather tender feelings for the female sex, has a unique adornment for his room: pinned to the wall is a ribbon, a piece of a carriage strap and a faded rose, and beneath is the mysterious inscription.

"Thereon hangs a tale."

The Yale-Harvard game on Saturday resulted in a victory for Yale by a score of 6 to 5. This game gives Yale the lead. Harvard will have to win in the next two games, one with Yale, and the other with Amherst, to tie herself with Yale for the championship. If she beats in these two the deciding game will probably be played at Brooklyn, July 3.

The class of '89 has presented Mr. Gile with a very elegant engraving entitled, "The Night Watch." The scene is laid in an ancient and deserted town in Egypt, half ruined. While the central figures of interest are a number of lions wandering about among the pillars of what seems to be a temple. The rising moon gives a peculiar effect to the scene, and it is well worth careful attention.

We reported in a former issue that Mr. G. R. Carpenter, P. A., '82, and Harvard '86, would sail for Europe this month. Since then we have learned that he was the successful candidate for the Rogers Scholarship, which will yield him a liberal allowance for three consecutive years, and enable him to prosecute abroad those studies in general literature and criticism for which he has developed a taste during his college course, and editorship of the *Harvard Monthly*. Phillips Academy has good reason to be proud of so much success among her alumni. In the same steamer with Mr. Carpenter, viz., the "Gellert" of the Hamburg Line, sails Mr. Santayana, another of the editors of the *Harvard Monthly*, and also one of our teachers, Mr. Bierwirth. All three expect to spend some of their time together in the north of France and in Paris.

Last Saturday afternoon Merrill, '87, Street, '87, and Duncan, '86, went to Andover, as guests of the "Society of Inquiry," which corresponds at Phillips Andover with our Christian Fraternity. Some weeks ago two gentlemen from Andover visited the Fraternity, telling it about the Christian work at our sister academy, and it was in return for this visit that the delegates from Exeter were sent. The Exeter men were treated with the greatest attention and wish to take this opportunity of expressing their appreciation of the kindness shown them by the students at Andover.

We hope that the sending of delegates from one Society to the other will become a custom, for nothing can increase the good will of the schools for each other more than this. It is a good custom, worthy to be established and kept up as such. — *Exonian*.

IMPORTANT TO P. A. TENNIS PLAYERS.

You can buy direct from the manufacturers, the best of goods, at low prices. Our own Tennis Rackets have always had the preference at Harvard College and Michigan University, and other colleges, and many leading clubs everywhere. In points of STRENGTH, MODEL, FINISH, and DURABILITY, our rackets for 1886 are unsurpassed. Every piece is warranted. Samples, and a partial stock of our best tennis goods, including the PEERLESS, CLIMAX, CHAMPION, and other rackets, will be shown to Andover students, by Mr. A. W. CROCKETT, L. C., 4-3. You are cordially invited to inspect our line of all games, sporting and fancy goods, and toys, at 497 and 499 Washington Street. Catalogues mailed free.

HORACE PARTRIDGE & CO.,
Wholesale Houses:
Boston, New York, Chicago.

✧ P. J. HANNON ✧

TAILOR

✧ ANDOVER, MASS. ✧

Towne

PHOTOGRAPHER.

425 WASHINGTON STREET,
BOSTON, MASS.

SPECIAL PRICES TO STUDENTS.

J. W. BRINE,
HARVARD OUTFITTER,

The Popular Racket "Franklin Expert," Tennis Suits, Balls, Nets, Jerseys, Tights, all colors, Base-balls, Bats, Gloves, Knickerbockers, Corduroys to order, Norfolk Suits, FRENCH FLANNEL Shirts, and Latest Style English FLANNEL CAPS and BLAZERS a specialty.

GOODS CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

A. S. WICKS, P. A. ROOM.

Importations of Fine Wool-
en the Spring trade are just com-
ing. When they are all in I shall
be by far the best assortment I
ever offered. Don't order your
suing suit or oversack before look-
ing them over.

J. M. BRADLEY,
TAILOR,

MAIN STREET, ANDOVER.

HENRY P. NOYES,

— FINE —

Cabinet and Upholstery Work

TO ORDER.

— A FULL LINE OF —

FURNISHINGS,
CARPETS,
BEDDING, ETC.

— AT THE OLD STAND —

PARK STREET, ANDOVER.

HAWES & KIRTLAND,

459 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON,
UP ONE FLIGHT.

Here care is taken to select only the most artistic and ODD
DESIGNS in inexpensive and handsome fabrics for DRA-
PERIES, PORTIERES and complete INTERIOR
DECORATIONS.

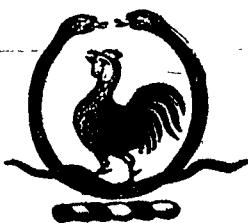
C. ALGER HAWES.

CHAS. F. KIRTLAND.

Richnelly Bros.
LAWRENCE MASS

Manufacturing Retailers and Gents' Outfitters.
469 and 471 Essex St., Lawrence, Mass.

HATS! LADIES,
GENTLEMEN.



The Latest Nov-
elties in both Eng-
lish and American
Manufacture.

D. P. ILSLEY & CO.

381 WASHINGTON STREET,

(Opp. Franklin Street.)

BOSTON.

Blanket Wraps. English Shawls and Flannel Wraps for men, women and children. For sick-room or bath, or those who have occasion to be up nights they are found indispensable; \$3.75, \$35, at Noyes Bros.

Full Evening Dress Shirts. Made in the most elegant manner, for Dinners, Parties, Receptions, or any occasion. Consist of hand and to special measure at short notice.

English Underwear and Hosiery. Medium Fall and Heavy Winter Weights in Pure Wool, and Balbriggan. Medium and best grades at lowest prices.

Eng. Dressing Jackets and Gowns. Smoking Jackets, Long Gowns, House and Office Coats, Wraps, Shawls and Rugs

Pajamas. Long Flannel Night Shirts. For Steamer Wear, for Sleep Cars and Home use. Indispensable for those wishing a protection from colds.

JAS. B. McALOON & CO. MERCHANT TAILORS,

BOWDOIN SQUARE, BOSTON,

OPPOSITE REVERE HOUSE.

◀SPECIAL STYLES FOR STUDENTS.▶

The patronage with which we have been favored by them has enabled us to judge their tastes and wants, and they will find in our Stock goods especially suited for their wear.

NOYES BROTHERS, RICHARDSON & GERTS,

Washington and Summer Sts.,
BOSTON, U. S. A.

F. L. DUNNE,

IMPORTING TAILOR.

A large line of goods for students' wear. Constantly in receipt of latest London Novelties.

338 Washington Street, Boston.

J. M. BEAN,
HAIR CUTTER,
TOWN HALL BUILDING.
A Clean Towel for Every Customer.

GEORGE H. CARNES,
TAILOR,

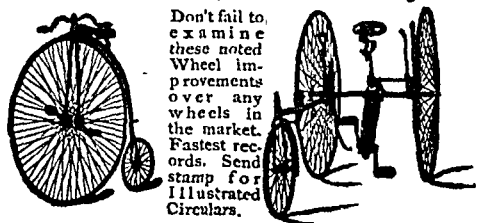
608 WASHINGTON STREET,

BOSTON.

(Opp. Park Theatre)

Special attention given to exclusive styles for young men.

Royal Mail Bicycles and Tricycles.



Also, Sporting Goods and Outfits, Fine Guns, Rifles, Fencing Foils, Boxing Gloves, Rods and Fishing Tackle, Tourists' Knapsacks, etc., etc. Address for Circular,

WM. READ & SONS,

107 WASHINGTON STREET,

BOSTON

Men's Outfitters,

38 WASHINGTON ST.,

(Directly Opposite Franklin Street.)

BOSTON.

Our Illustrated Catalogues we send free on receipt of address. Smiles in FASHIONABLE COLLARS, GLOVES, etc., a specialty.

For ten years we have had a large share of Students' custom, which much appreciate, and respectfully solicit its continuance.

STYLISH GOODS AT REASONABLE PRICES.

W. F. DRAPER,

Keeps all Kinds of Books and Stationery Used
In the Schools and Academies of Andover.

PRICES LOW.

FALL RIVER LINE

FOR

NEW YORK, SOUTH
AND WEST.

New Steamers

PILGRIM,

and the well-known Steamers

BRISTOL & PROVIDENCE

Only Line running every day in the week, Sundays included. Only Line having Brooklyn and Jersey City connection by "Annex" boat.

Special Express leaves Boston from Old Colony Station at 6 P. M., connecting at Fall River 80 minutes, with one of the above-named steamers.

Tickets, state-rooms and berths secured at office of the Line 3 OLD STATE HOUSE, and at Old Colony Station

J. R. KENDRICK, Gen. Manager.

GEO. L. CONNOR, G. P. A., New York.

L. H. PALMER, Agent.

3 OLD STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.

HIGGINS & TUTTLE,

BOSTON AND ANDOVER EXPRESS.

Office, Barnard's New Block, Main St.

Agents for American and U. S. & Can. Expresses

CHAS. H. GILBERT,

✱ DENTIST, ✱

DRAPER'S BLOCK, ANDOVER, MASS.



Class Photographer

—FROM—

1881 - 1886

O. CHAPMAN,

DINING ROOMS,

And dealer in Fruit, Confectionery, Cigars, Tobacco and Cigarettes, Blank Books, Stationery, Inks, Kerosene Oil, Cans, Blacking Brushes, Base Ball Goods, etc.

A Good Assortment of Kennedy's Fancy Crackers.

J. H. CHANDLER,

Proprietor of

JOHNSON'S ANDOVER AND BOSTON EXPRESS,

AND DEALER IN

Periodicals, Stationery, Confectionery, and Foreign and Domestic Fruit.

OPPOSITE TOWN HALL, ANDOVER.

15 PER CENT CASH DISCOUNT

FROM OUR REGULAR PRICES, TO ALL

Students of Phillips Academy.

We always keep on hand a large stock of the FINEST GOODS for Young Men's Wear in the city. Also a large stock of MEDIUM PRICED GOODS.

Patent Leather Goods

in great variety for Street and Dress Wear.

By mentioning the fact of being a Student of Phillips Academy, you are entitled to the above Discount.

SMALL BROTHERS,

371 Washington Street, Corner Bromfield Street,
BOSTON.