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Wins in Best Contest Ever Held in T. C. U.—Mullican Wins Second Place.

The State Preliminary Oratorical Contest which decides the representative of Texas Christian University in the state contest which will take place at Georgetown, on April 20, was held in the auditorium Thursday evening. Mr. W. O. Dallas, of Durant, I. T., was awarded the first honors and will therefore contend for his alma mater in the state contest.

Mr. Clark M. Mullican, of Dallas, was awarded the second place.

The contest was undoubtedly the strongest ever held in T. C. U. Five young men, each of whom have had experience on the platform, were entered, and due to the unusual preparation and rigid training, all credited themselves to a better advantage than on any former occasion. Each speaker had a well chosen subject, dealing with matters of relative interest to all. The program throughout deserved a better patronage from the student body than it received. Only about one-half of the spring term matriculates were in attendance.

President Robert G. Williams of the local Oratorical Association, in a few well chosen words, welcomed the audience. He briefly commented on the high grade of work done by the association and anticipated a worthy program for the evening.

Grieg's Norwegian Bridal Procession then played by Miss Vera Saltee was most interesting. Her technic was clean and sure, and her interpretation of a peasant procession gradually approaching and receding was true. The grace and ease of the performer added much to the composition and made the number one of the pleasantest of an unusually good program.

Mr. Charles M. Ashmore was the first orator of the evening, his subject being "The Knight of the Golden Tongue." His powerful voice was convincingly in harmony with his subject. His enunciation was clear and delivery effective, although at times marked slightly by forced expression.

Mr. W. O. Dallas then presented his oration, "The Age of Commercialism." From the beginning his smooth deliv-

ery, clear pronunciation, and easy manner riveted the attention of the audience. His natural positions, with precise oratorical gestures, easily won for him first place on delivery. His interesting oration was clearly written, and followed readily by his hearers.

"The Patriot-Priest of Florence" was then delivered by Mr. A. J. Saunders. He began speaking in full, eloquent tones, very impressive on the audience. At times, however, his voice would break and enunciation become indistinct. His oration was perhaps the strongest one of the evening—in parts a beautiful eulogy on the Patriot-Priest.

Mr. Clark M. Mullican then delivered his popular oration, "The Problem of Equality," in a manner marked with both ease and force, and aided by a clear and strong voice, deservedly won the second honors of the contest.



W. O. DALLAS.

"Does Power Bless Man" was presented by Mr. M. G. Smith. His earnest and aggressive manner of delivery impressed the audience, but his flow of language was not smooth always.

At the termination of the speeches the T. C. U. Glee Club responded to the three catchy glee songs, "The City Choir," "Nellie Was a Lady," and "Fra Diavolo." These numbers were warmly received and heartily encored. It was noticeable that four out of five of the speakers of the evening were members of the club. These men were somewhat hampered in singing, by their hoarseness, but as a whole the club credited itself with the usual honor deserved.

The President then announced the decision of the judges, who were Hon.

Pat Neff, Hon. Allan D. Sanford, and Rev. E. A. Temple, all of Waco.

With this victory, Mr. Dallas becomes T. C. U.'s representative to compete against five other men from colleges of the state. Heretofore there has been a marked indifference shown regarding this oratorical event. This year T. C. U.'s strongest men entered this preliminary and an increased interest was awakened at once. Since the winner is determined, let all forces consolidate and with one strong backing, support our orator in the state contest. It will be held at Georgetown, April 20, and representations from all schools will be on hand to cheer their orator on to success. T. C. U. must not be a wall-flower. A few men have expressed their intention to attend the contest, but more should go. Rates can be secured on the railroads and a good time promised in Georgetown. Why not work up a large delegation and push our man in the front rank?

DR. F. H. MARSHALL TO RESIGN.

Will Go to Norway as Missionary

Dr. Frank H. Marshall, professor of Biblical Language and Literature in the University has been appointed by the Foreign Christian Missionary Society to establish a Bible school in Christiana, Norway, for the training of young men in the ministry of Christian church. Mrs. Marshall has also been appointed to assist in the missionary work. Dr. Marshall will close his work here in June and with his family will sail for their new home about September the first. During the summer he will take a course of study in the University of Chicago.

This missionary work will not be new to Dr. Marshall as he spent three years in Japan engaged as a missionary. On account of his wife's health he returned to this country. He then accepted the position which he now holds. He has been connected with the College of Bible at T. C. U. for seven years, a longer period than any member of the faculty of the University has served continuously. Ever since his connection here, however, he has contemplated a return to mission fields. Two years ago he made a definite promise to the Missionary Board to re-enter the work in the future and has been awaiting the call. On March 10, he was formally notified that he had been appointed to his new position.

T. C. U. vs. Waco League.

T. C. U. is scheduled to play the Waco League baseball team at Katy Park on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Waco is scarcely in the best trim and as Varsity is in fairly good shape T. C. U. should be able to make a strong fight against the professionals. The games between Varsity and John Tarleton which were to have been played here Thursday and Friday of this week were pulled off. These games with Waco will therefore open the baseball season with T. C. U., and the student body should all turn out and give Varsity its earnest support.

The protracted meeting to be held by Rev. Homer T. Wilson at the Central Christian church commences tomorrow. T. C. U. should take a part in this revival.



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BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEET AGAIN.

Majority of Faculty Elected—Important Business Transacted.

In response to a call from President T. E. Shirley, the members of the Board of Trustees of the University, met Monday afternoon to transact all unfinished business. A continuous session was held until Wednesday night, during which time important matters relating to the management of the school were discussed and acted upon. A majority of the Board was present, among whom were: President T. E. Shirley, S. M. Hamilton, H. D. Wade, Judge A. C. Prendergast, J. S. McLendon, Rev. G. L. Smith, Waco; Rev. C. D. Hall, T. E. Tomlinson, Hillsboro; Rev. J. C. McPherson, Waxahachie; Van Zandt Jarvis, Ft. Worth; T. M. Scott, Melissa; Judge A. E. Wilkinson, Austin; G. V. McClinic, C. W. Gibson, Waxahachie; Rev. G. A. Faris, Dallas; W. K. Homan, Colorado City.

The matter of selecting the faculty for the next scholastic year was first brought before the Board for consideration. Almost the entire corps of teachers were then elected. At a previous meeting the selection of President Zollars and Vice-President Anderson was ratified and this was of course not brought up. Professor Elbert C. Snow was re-elected to the chair of Mathematics and Astronomy; Professor Bruce McCulley was retained as teacher of English Language and Literature; Professor W. B. Parks as teacher of Chemistry and Physics; W. T. Hammer as Dean of Preparatory School; Professor Frank H. Marshall, as teacher of Biblical Language and Literature; Professor S. H. Horne, instructor in Higher Preparatory School; Professor J. A. Dacus, Principal of College of Business; Professor R. Dyksterhuis, instructor in Music; Piano; Miss Olive Leaman McClintic, Principal School of Oratory; Mrs. M. B. M. Gibbons, Librarian. Prof. W. L. Ross did not make an application for his retainment as he intends to enter the service of an educational publishing house. Dr. J. B.

Eskridge also, failed to apply for re-election. He will accept the pastorate of a strong city church when the term closes. Dr. Marshall has accepted an appointment as a missionary to Norway and will tender his resignation, leaving another vacancy. All positions and vacancies on the faculty not yet filled will be provided for by a special committee from the Board, advising with President Zollars.

Problems of finance were discussed at length and measures tending toward a more strict management of the school instigated. The conditions of enrollment were changed to some extent; changes in improvements voted upon; in fact everything was fixed so as to be managed on a more systematic scale. The Board will not meet again until May.

Notice.

"Did it ever occur to you" that you owe a certain amount of loyalty to T. C. U. You have a splendid opportunity of doing something for yourself and for your school by joining the Track team. We need more men out every afternoon. Suits and shoes will be provided. Get in training for the Spring Meet to be held at Baylor, also the S. W. I. A. Meet at Oklahoma City in May. Come out, work hard, win a monogram.

All men be out promptly at 3:45 p. m.

H. G. KNIGHT,

Captain Track-team.

The above article is expressive of a renewed interest in track-team work and argues well for the newly elected captain. As soon as the weather permits a large number of students will indulge in practice for the different events. On Wednesday the runners will try for places. Soon will be decided the men who will represent T. C. U. in these meets. Captain Knight will be glad to see you out if you can do anything at all. Get out and do something for yourself and help win glory for the Purple and White. Push it up one more notch!

Show your loyalty to the team. Support T. C. U. Wednesday and Thursday.

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We are pleased to hear that interest in track-team work has revived. During the bad weather interest was in the wane and efforts to renew the work seemed futile. But now a new interest and a more earnest enthusiasm has been kindled in the breasts of our athletic defenders of the purple and white, and we can safely look forward to a standard of work in the spring meet that will confer credit upon our alma mater.

The date set for the track meet with Baylor is May 5. With steady, consistent practice our team can easily be in fine trim by that event, but negligence on the part of any member of the team to do the proper amount of practice means a lower grade of work at that meet. That must not be. You must begin now, work hard, keep at it, throw soul and body into your part and the compensation received will amply repay you for what little time sacrificed in the pursuit of proper training. Last year we were pitted against our opponents virtually without practice or knowledge of the work and were, naturally, sorely defeated. However, taking into consideration our short practice in preparation for the event we made a creditable showing. It only goes to prove that with hard work we can turn the tables on our opponents this year, and teach them a few things. Go into this work with the same dogged determination and the same earnest spirit that obtains throughout all the athletics of T. C. U., and a glorious victory will make amends for that sore defeat.

We would like to see an edition of The Skiff issued from the hands of our dignified Seniors. We wonder if they, too, lack the spirit, the interest and loyalty to college affairs that is sadly found wanting in some instances among the student body of the University. Let us hope not. Would a failure set a proper precedent? Come on, Seniors, and add something to your record before you leave us.

The National Inter-collegiate Football Rules committee held a protracted meeting in New York the early part of the month, but failing to complete the new rules, adjourned to meet again March 30.

The committee made a number of changes in the game, but nothing was done about the final codification of the rules, either as to those adopted today or at the previous meetings. One of the changes decided on is the reduction of the length of the games. The

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new rule provides for 30-minute halves instead of 35-minute halves, with an intermission of ten minutes.

The report of the sub-committee on a central board of officials was received and discussed. It was finally voted to recommend the adoption of a plan looking to the instruction and supervision of officials, and suggesting that the different sections of the country appoint central committees that shall be charged with the introduction of such a system.

The sub-committee was directed to present plans to the General Committee at their next meeting.

The following were some of the changes decided on tentatively during the session of the Commission:

"Holding—The players of the side that has possession of the ball shall not hold, block or otherwise obstruct the opponent except with the body. The only allowable use of the arms in blocking or obstructing an opponent is with the arms close to the body. A player running with the ball may ward off an opponent with his hands. The penalty for holding will be a loss of fifteen yards.

"Hurdling in the open field is prohibited, such to consist of jumping over an opponent who is still on his feet. Hurdling through the line is prohibited. Hurdling the line is jumping or attempting to jump over a player on the line of scrimmage with the feet or knees foremost within the distance of five yards on either side of the point where the ball was snapped."

Miss Mamie Schaper, who is now teaching school at McGregor is spending a few days with her mother on the Heights.

T. C. U. Second Team 18, W. H. S. 3.

The Waco High School boys were easily defeated in a game of baseball, played on T. C. U. campus Tuesday, by the second team. The game was a walkover from start to finish, ending in the one-sided score of 18 to 3. Three first team men played in the second team line-up. Without them it was easy work to defeat the High School boys.

Summer Music Normal.

Miss Harriet Frances Smith announces a Summer Music Normal for the month of June, in which will be offered to teachers the Church-Parsons Kindergarten Course; also private or class lessons in Piano, Composition, Harmony, Theory, History, or Form, with Round Table Talks on Methods, Teaching Lists, etc. Studio, Music Hall, Texas Christian University, North Waco, Texas.

University Church.

The Living-link rally which was to have been held tomorrow (Sunday) morning and night has been deferred to another time. At 11 o'clock the pastor will preach as usual, his theme on this occasion, will be "The Man Who Has Something to Say."

There will be the usual Endeavor and Y. M. C. A. meetings in the afternoon and evening. There will be no preaching at the University at night, that service being dismissed in favor of the protracted meeting at the Central Christian church down in the city, conducted by Homer T. Wilson, of San Antonio. Mr. Wilson has a wide reputation as a lecturer, pastor and evangelist, and all University students who can do so are urged to hear him to-morrow night at 8 o'clock and as often thereafter as possible during his stay in our city.

Rev. C. D. Hall, of Hillsboro, was here at the Board meeting this week.

Mr. T. E. Shirley went to Dublin Thursday.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Programs for March 26, 1906.

SHIRLEY.

Devotional—Mr. Bonner Frizzell.
Music—Miss Wester.
Reading—Miss Hazel Brown.
Declamation—Mr. W. O. Dallas.
Essay—Mr. Douglas Tomlinson.
Trio—Messrs. Saunders, Groom, Edwards.
General Debate—"Resolved that books like 'The Clansman' should not be written." Leader of Affirmative: T. H. Mathieson; Leader of Negative: C. P. Craig.

ADD-RAN.

Piano Solo—Miss Schaper.
Reading—Miss Mida Truscott.
Violin Solo—Miss Mercy Perkins.
Something—Mr. Dan Rogers.
Vocal Solo—Miss Della Morgan.
Journal—Mr. Harry Scales.

WALTON.

Music—Miss Schultz.
Story—Miss Watts.
Violin Solo—Miss Munn.
Selection—Miss Zoe Ratten.
Vocal Solo—Miss Hunter.
Current Events—Miss Perry.
Music—Mr. Wigginton.
Journal—Mr. Carnes.

Christian Endeavor.

The Christian Endeavor Society will meet to-morrow at 4 p. m. The topic for discussion will be "Beautiful Sowing: our gift to Christ's cause."—Luke 6:38; 2 Cor. 9:1-15. Leader: A. H. Smith.

Y. W. C. A. Convention at Austin.

The state convention of the Young Woman's Christian Association will convene with the local association at the University of Texas March 23-25. Of late much interest has been shown in this work among the colleges of the state and in this T. C. U. has not been negligent as to her standard. About ten delegates from the local association left for Austin yesterday to attend this convention. Among the members were Misses Harriet Smith, Pauline Shirley, Loy Gorman, Zoe Ratten, Lucile Scott, Mary Lee, Rosa Hooks, and Floy Perkinson.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Judge A. E. Wilkinson, of Austin, was at the University this week in attendance at the Board meeting.

Consult Dr. Hall, "The Bike Doctor." No cure, no pay, office with the Ambold Company.

Mr. G. V. McClintic, of Groesbeck, arrived at the University Monday to attend the meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Cold Drinks at Brown's.

Prof. Pierce Bailey, of Moody, is visiting his parents on the Heights.

If it is tonsorial work you want, go to the T. C. U. barber shop where you can get everything up-to-date. Satisfaction is always given.—A. D. Bean, Prop.

John Welch returned to the University Thursday after a few days visit at his home in McKinney.

Ladies free at the skating rink every morning. Competent instructors free.

Rev. G. A. Faris came from Dallas Monday to attend the meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Mrs. Chappell, dress maker, solicits the patronage of the ladies of North Waco, corner Andrews and McKinsey streets.

T. B. Gallaher returned from Dallas Thursday.

Girls, Mrs. Brown will have Hugh's best candy for you Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Mary Lee went as a delegate from the local Y. W. C. A. to the state convention which convenes at Austin today.

Students, when you need anything in the toilet line inspect our supply of new articles before you buy. Get a Turkish bath and be a new man. St. Charles Barber Shop.—Walter W. Stowe, Prop.

Pull the Athletic Association out of the hole—Wednesday and Thursday games.

Miss Sallie Chism, oratory, '05, now teacher of oratory in the East Texas Normal College at Commerce, is visiting friends at the University.

Walter H. Bush returned Thursday from his home at Allen where he spent a few days.

Stop! Look! Watches! Clocks and everything in the jewelry line at Naman & Goldsmith's.

Lee Perkinson has withdrawn from school and will leave today for Denton, where he will visit relatives.

Everything in the Baseball line can be had of The Ambold Co., sportsmen's headquarters.

Joe L. Clark has returned from the Y. M. C. A. convention which was held at Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. Homer D. Wade was out from the city Monday at the meeting of the Board.

Go to Brown's Store for something good to eat.

Mr. T. E. Tomlinson, of Hillsboro, arrived Monday to be present at the meeting of the Board.

Why not call Monday, T. C. U. day at the skating rink?

Mr. C. W. Gibson, of Waxahachie, attended the Board meeting this week.

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Miss Loy Gorman was a delegate to the Y. W. C. A. Convention at Austin.

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Miss Harriet Smith went to Austin yesterday to attend the state convention of the Y. W. C. A.

W. K. Homan of Colorado City was at the Board Meeting this Week.

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Miss Lucile Scott was among those who went to the Houston Convention yesterday.

Why go to Austin Street? J. A. Winn has all kinds of delicacies and the best Cigars.

Miss Summer Hudson returned Sunday after a week's visit to home folks at Anson.

Do you know about those ham sandwiches? Where? At Brown's.

Miss Tyler Wilkinson returned Wednesday from a visit to her sister in Temple.

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Rev. J. C. McPherson arrived Monday from Waxahachie to attend the meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Cold Drinks at Brown's.

Miss Zoe Ratten is at Austin attending the State Convention of the Y. W. C. A.

When she says it look at her eyelids and see if they are symmetrical.

Hickman Baker returned Tuesday from Manor where he visited his home folks.

Misses Zula Kinnard and Mida Truscott returned Tuesday from Marlin where they spent a few days.

Mr. Sam Hamilton, of Waco was present at the meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Miss Floy Perkinson is attending the Y. W. C. A. Convention at Austin.

Miss Pauline Shirley left yesterday for Austin to attend the Y. W. C. A. State Convention.

Rev. G. Lyle Smith, of the city, came out to the University Monday.

Dr. H. Dacus, of Dunn, is visiting his son, Prof. J. A. Dacus, on the Heights.

Homer Rowe, 04, now of University of Texas, is visiting his brother Roy at the University.

A. C. Carnes, returned yesterday after a few days visit to his home in Hutchins.

Show the professionals up! Show your colors!

Once upon a midnight dreary,
As I pondered long and weary,
Soft there came a gentle rapping,
Tapping, at my chamber door.
'Twas the hostess and she bade me
Take the package that she gave me,
That was left me by the postman
Just at three the day before.
As with trembling hand I grasped it,
Broke the seal and then unwrapped it,
Fondly thinking of the dear one
I had left six months before.
Tell me Edwin what's the secret
Makes your face with rapture glow?
'Tis a photo of my sweetheart
Made at Thompson's studio.

Something good to eat Wednesday afternoon at Brown's.

Baseball at Katy Park. T. C. U. vs. League.

Y. M. C. A.

Will meet in Shirley Hall at 6 o'clock Sunday evening. Delegate Joe Clark will give report of the Fort Worth Y. M. C. A. convention. All interested in future work of the local Y. M. C. A. are urged to be present.
BONNER FRIZZELL, Pres.

Track-Team Elects Captain.

At a meeting of the members of the Track-team the resignation of Captain A. H. Smith was accepted. He has withdrawn from school and will not be on the team again this year. To fill the vacancy Mr. Howell G. Knight was elected. The new captain has started his work in a progressive direction and his enthusiastic efforts, together with strong and earnest backing from the team, promises a worthy track-team for T. C. U. this spring.

An Incident of the Road.

An automobilist who was touring through the country saw, ahead of him, a man followed by a dog. As the machine drew near them the dog started suddenly to cross the road; he was hit by the car and killed immediately. The motorist stopped his machine and approached the owner: "I'm very sorry, sir, that this has happened," he said. "Will \$5.00 fix it?" "Oh yes," said the man; "5.00 will fix it, I guess." Pocketing the money as the car disappeared in the distance, he looked down at the dead animal. "I wonder whose dog it was," he said.

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You came—and the door to Heaven itself was opened!

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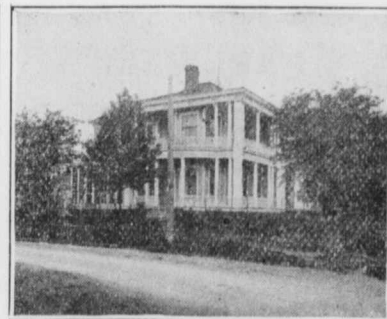
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There is inspiring suggestiveness in the very name "Student Volunteer Movement." It is a movement in which every step is accelerated by the ardor of youth and the aspirations of Christian hope, and the unconquerable purpose of a divine enthusiasm. A movement, in which every soldier is a volunteer, impatient for service at the front of battle, ready, if need be, to die for the cause of his risen Lord. A movement in which every one is a student, eager to learn the divine plans and principles of Christ's Kingdom, and anxious to emulate the spirit and example of the King himself. This movement means a larger view of the Christ as the world's redeemer and a clearer vision of the world to be redeemed."

A Sonnet.

Backward, turn backward, O, time in your flight,
Feed me on gruel just for to-night.
I am so weary of sole-leathered steak,
Petrified biscuit, and galvanized cake,
Oysters that sleep in a watery bath,
And butter as strong as Goliath of Gath.
Weary of paying for what I can't eat,
Chewing up rubber and calling it meat.
Backward, turn backward, how weary I am—
Give me one swipe of grandmother's jam.
Let me drink milk that hasn't been skimmed,
And let me eat butter whose whiskers are trimmed;
Let me once more have an old-fashioned pie,
And then I'll be ready to curl up and die.—Ex.

The story goes that one day when Senator Beveridge was in one of his most eloquent flights, old Senator Pettus of Alabama got up and asked leave to interrupt. "Does the Senator from Indiana yield to the Senator from Alabama?" thundered the Vice-President. "Nothing," replied Beveridge, "affords or can ever afford the Senator from Indiana more pleasure than to yield to the distinguished and able Senator from Alabama, who never makes a speech himself or interrupt the speech of another Senator without adorning it with a brilliant radiance." Pettus stood there with his jaws wagging with the inevitable quid of tobacco until Beveridge had finished the sentence, and then said: "Mr. President, I move we adjourn." And they adjourned.

Cullings from College World.

Some very interesting facts concerning the geographical distribution of students at six of the leading universities in the east can be gleaned from a set of tables which recently appear-

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ed. Harvard has the greatest hold on New England with 3235 students, Columbia leads with the North Atlantic states, and Pennsylvania has more from foreign countries. Most westerners and southerners go to Harvard.

Andrew Carnegie has given one hundred thousand dollars to Brown University towards a new library to be named the John Hay library. The late secretary of state was an alumnus of Brown. This is the first monument to be erected to his memory.

President Angell, of the University of Michigan, has begun his thirty-fifth year at the head of that institution.

With football and bulldogs banished we shall be driven to crocheting and canary birds.—Illini.

Poor Man!

What would he do if woman
Should leave the world to-day—
If all man's pleading couldn't z z z
Prevail on her to stay?

What would he do if woman
Should drop her household cares,
Her church and social duties,
And go some othewheres?

What could he do in kitchen
What could he do at teas?
What could he do with babies
And other things like these?

Who'd make excuses for him?
Who'd keep him nice and trim?
Who'd go to church on Sunday,
Who'd wait up nights for him.

What would he do if woman
Should leave? Well what he'd do
Would be to grab his baggage
And follow p. d. q.

The Prima Donna.

I like to hear the kettle
A-singing on the hob,
And filling in a manner
A long neglected job.

Miranda—that's my daughter—
Could sing it real sweet one time;
Her voice got trained in Europe
And now it's out of chime.

She says she cannot help it,
She hasn't any choice;
The Annie Laurie fellow
Forgot to fit her voice.

So drat the education
In lands beyond the foam;
For no one but the kettle
Will sing me home, sweet home.

A Deliciously Odoriferous Exchange.

Two lonesome skunks by the roadside stood,
As an automobile rushed by,
It left an odor far from good,
And a tear was in one's eye.
"Oh, why do you weep?" asked his anxious friend,
"Why do you sob an i quake?"
"Because that smell," said the other skunk,
"Is like mother used to make."

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