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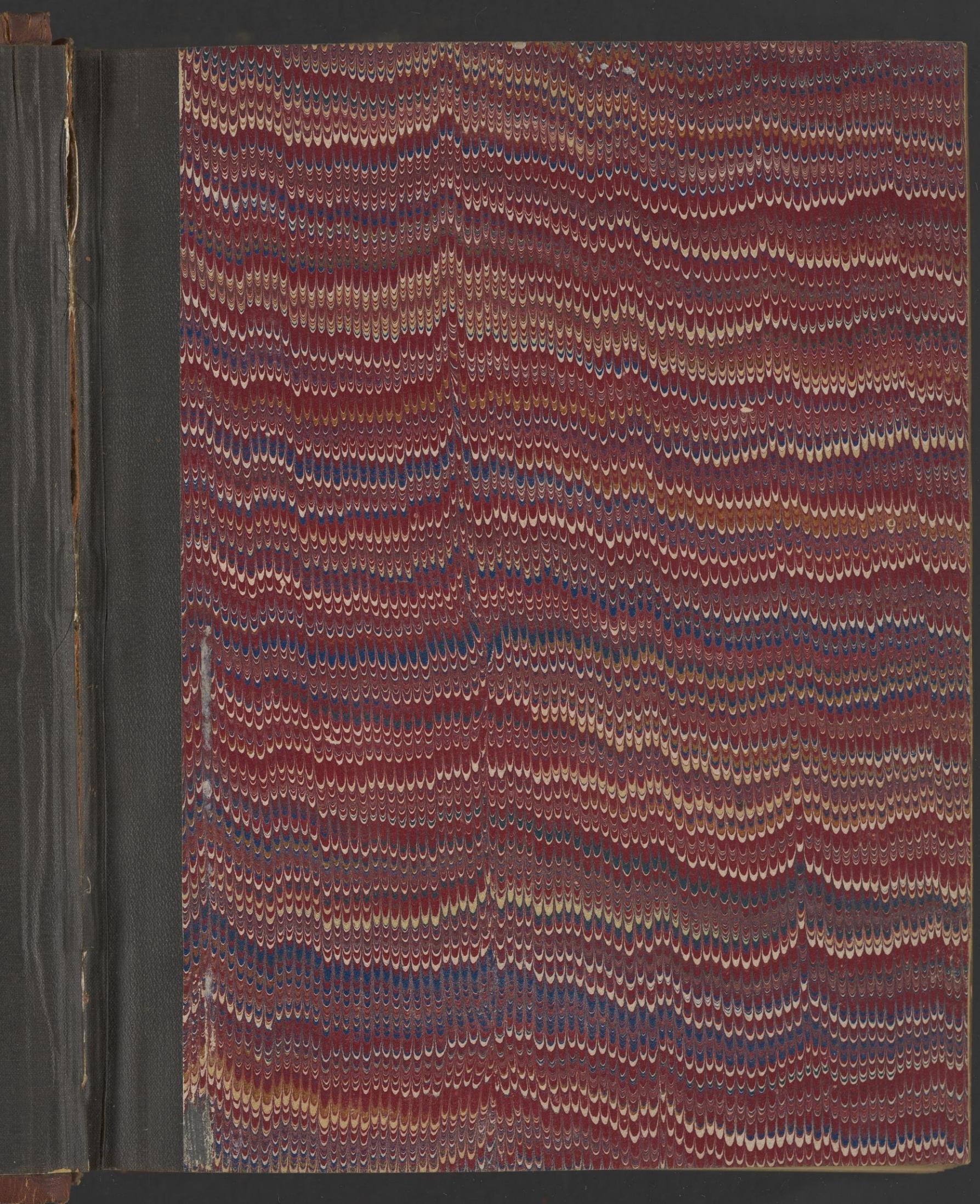


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General History.

September third eighteen hundred and seventy nine, is a date which will long be remembered in the University of Wisconsin; it marks the entrance of the class of '83 into the arena. Never before had such a galaxy of greatness assembled within these ^{walls} prepared to mount, with steady and firm tread, the long and tiresome hill which lay before them.

It has been said that "speech of one's-self ought to be seldom and well chosen"; but a more experienced sage has given us a far better watch-word; it is— "Blow thine own horn, for verily, if thou blowest not thy own horn, thy horn shall not be blown."

To write a satisfactory history of our class, it would be necessary to go way back to the time of the Caesars in order to trace the lines of descent; for no doubt many of the class are from truly illustrious ancestors; but in the short time allotted us we can but barely touch the more important events of our college life and be content with that.

The following are those who were with us as regulars during the Freshman year.

- Ancient Classical -

Henry W. Allen.

Marth Barber.

Harry H. Beaser.

Archibald Church.

Rublee A. Cole.

Ida Belle Fales.

Charles D. Fratt.

Daniel M. Held.

Lorvain S. Hubbert.

Wm H. Jacobs Jr.

Charles C. Marsh

D. C. L. Mease.

Luther Packard.

Wendell W. Paine.

James M. Priest.

Jessie Gertrude Skinner

August C. Umbreit.

Clarence D. Van Wie.

Charles W. Wells.

James C. Wilson.

- Modern Classical -

Lillie Jane Becroft.

Frank D. Cady.

Mary Russell Cook.

Kittie May Covert.

Adelaide Dean.

Marth Miller Dodge.

Arthur J. Dopp.

Frederick W. Dustan Jr.

Frank H. Foster.

Carrie Eva Genung.

Jessie Bradley Hopkins.

Eliza Bellows Hoyt.

Melvin Auriska Hoyt.

John T. Kingston.

Edward F. McCoy.

Kate McDill.

Edward G. P. McGilton

Ernest S. Moor.

Susan Jane Myhra

Clauor Asheridan.

Russelvar A. Parmer

Carl F. Philipps

Julia Elizabeth Ray.

William H. Rowe.

Alice Jane Sanborn.

Emma Josephine Sarles

Edwin C Stevens

Thomas H. Synou.

Charles H. Thomas.

William Tillotson.

Michael J. Wallrich.

- General Science.

Frank C. Beardsley.

Cary A. Bishop.

James A. Buckley.

David C. Carey.

Byron Beach Carter.

John M. Clifford.

Conrad M. Conndson.

Charles H. Cull.

William V. Cull.

Irving Dean.

Joseph Dodge.

Clarence J. Hicks.

Walter J. Hidden.

Porter E. Hoag.

▽ Clyde H. Ward.

Belle Weiner.

Emma Weston.

Myron T. Wildish.

Carrie Elizabeth Young.

Leander M. Hopkins.

Royal A. Jackson.

Charles H. Kalk.

Lawrence S. Keeley.

Samuel S. Langton.

August C. Larsen.

Olin B. Lewis.

Kate McGowan.

Flora Emma Randall.

Emma Schreiner.

Arthur W. Shelton.

Daniel A. Stevens.

Adolph Tollefson.

Theodore A. Trulson.

Besides the above mentioned there were several specials having two studies with us who intended to graduate with 83'.

Osman C. Baker.

Charles U. Boley.

Florence Helen Brown.

Florian Cajon.

James Douglas.
Rosa Fitch.
Natzy Klein.
Louis P. Mauro.
Albert B. Roder

Idella Stout.
Samuel Torgerson.
Mark A. Waldo.
Anna Winkley.

What an assemblage! We must confess that some of us were so green that we were often mistaken for "annuated pasture lots" but this feeling soon wore away and we commenced to feel more at home. We were not entire strangers to each other, about forty five had been through the "Prep" mill; and so when the first class meeting was called nearly all were ready for business; from the very first out meetings were a success. The noisy Sophs tried to break up the first meeting but all to no purpose, so they soon left us, satisfied that '83 could hold her own without any assistance especially from other classes. During the year we had seven meetings and such class meetings; addresses were made which would have put to shame any of our greatest statesmen, and have caused them to blush at their own weakness; and class matters were proposed

and seconded with all the eloquence
of a fourth of July orator. For a
long time the strife was bitter as
to which language should be honored
with the motto; should it be Greek
Latin, German, French or English; that
was the question. But in case of any
doubt as to what course to pursue,
someone was always ready to suggest
a happy medium, and so it was
in this case - a grand rally was
made and with at least eight or
ten of the class present the motto
"chung-chen-pu-shr-shii" was
chosen as our watchword and guide.
would that we had more time to dwell
on the merits of such a motto; each
syllable may mean volumes, - for
all we know; it has been said that
the English equivalent is "Loyalty and
never two hearts" - we as a class are
inclined to think so; consequently
will not dispute the translator.
During the first year of our college life
sorrow was brought upon the class but
once and then only upon the gentler
members - It was midnight's solemn
hour, and quiet reigned throughout
the hall; was there ever a more

fitting time to mourn ~~of~~ over the departed. Slowly & sadly they follow with grave and reverend mien, the bairn of their childhood Latin Composition to its last resting place; The dark forms gather silently around the grave and listen to the Latin oration over the departed. "few were the tears they shed" as each one heaps the sod on its last resting place, a simple gravestone marks the spot, and its spirit troubles them no more.

Thus our Freshman year gradually wore away. we loved mathematics, but to say the least we perfectly adored rhetoricals; competition ran high and so infused with the idea of becoming real orators did we become that the same piece was often heard five or six times in a single hour.

But we must not dwell longer on the events of our infancy, the very subject fills our minds with fond recollections.

Time passed rapidly by and we attained the dignity of Sophs. when the roll was called the following persons did not respond to their names!

Henry Allen
Marsh Barber
Arch Church
Will Jacobs Jr.
James Priest
Jessie Skinner
Charles Wells
Frank Foster
Carrie Genning
Jessie Hopkins
Alvino Palmer
Karl Philipps

Julia Ray
Wm Rowe
James Buckley
Daniel Carey
Charles Cull
Wm Cull
Walter Hidden
Clarence Hicks
Royal Jackson
Allie Lewis
Flora Randall
Adolph Tollefson

— Clyde Ward —

But ~~two~~ ^{three} joined the class — J. N. Wilcox —
Frank W Johnston — Eli F. Kime.
We were Sophomores and from the first
it was evident that we would let
no one remain ignorant of the fact.
Not only did the boys carry cases, but
the girls also sustained their reputation
by asserting their individuality in a
similar manner.

During the year a conspiracy was formed
against the gentler members of the
class by the seniors and "Punksies" at
the Hall; but alas for those foolish
enough to attempt so rash a thing, one
of the mightiest of the seniors was
taken prisoner, tried, and found guilty

of insult in the first degree -
Again the conspirators rallied, but,
conscious of their own weakness
they fled at the first onslaught
leaving a large number of wounded
in the hands of the victorious Supts.
In the spring term the young ladies
gave the class a reception, this was
the first reception given to the whole
class. amusements of different kinds
were provided and we all united in
saying that it was a grand success.
At the beginning of the junior year
seventeen old classmates were missing.

D. C. L. Mease -

Frank Johnston -

Frank Cady -

Lawrence Kelley -

Mary Cook -

Oli Kinn -

Adelaide Dean -

Emma Schreiner -

Albert Roder -

Theodor Toulson -

Myron Wildish -

Belle Weiner -

Carrie Young -

Iring Dean -

C. D. Van Wil -

Charles Kalk -

Porter Hoag -

Daniel Sterns -

Four names were added to the regular
junior list.

Edw. Cornelius

Edward Pryor -

C. L. Billings

J. C. Hart -

What a change had taken place since
the fall of '79 -!

We started out with 84 regular Freshmen and at the beginning of the Junior year but 34 remained; during that time 12 had joined the class and we numbered 46 in all. We had met the enemy and they are ours after two years of hard fought battles. We have emerged as a class free from further molestation by the dead languages and now the sailing is clear and through a more tranquil sea.

The dark forms of the ancient Greek and Latin gods do not haunt us in our dreams and after a reign of terror for two years the long looked for calm at last came.

Our Junior year was the least eventful of any in our course, we were what could be called upper classmen and women. and all seemed to appreciate the change. In the winter term another class reception was given, this time by Prof. Allen. and like all other class affairs, "a most enjoyable time" was the verdict of all present. we played cards, danced, and above all most sumptuous refreshments were served and thus we were truly happy.

In the spring term the white plug appeared as the distinguishing characteristic of the class, and was worn by both girls and boys. One of the poets has said that "a thing of beauty is a joy forever" and true it was in this case, a more becoming hat could not have been found, especially for the girls.

At last the junior came to an end and when we assembled again as seniors four old members had dropped out of our ranks.

Harry Beaser

Chas L Billings

Erwin Cornelius

John Clifford

Fourteen joined the class.

F. W. Jones.

A. St. Burns.

R. B. Stelle

August Mayer.

H. P. Stoddart

J. W. Wilcox

H. D. Cooley.

Lesley Roberts.

F. M. Haigh

Chas B Quincy.

Lillian F. Hobart

Katherine Stoneham.

W. A. McCady.

John Pennock.

Ed W. Poyot.

At last we were "grave and reverend seniors" and on us rested the dignity of the minority; but we were able to bear the load, and bravely "struck the shore with the quapple" and

swung through the fall and winter terms without encountering an obstacle. The young ladies celebrated the year with a sleigh-ride to Oregon and to use their own words had a "perfectly lovely time". The boys were unable to go that day on account of not knowing anything about their plans. nor was this the only time they set out for having a good time all by themselves; later in the year a trip around Lake Mendota is enjoyed by all but one poor unfortunate Senior boy who happened to take a trip at the same time.

Our class was favored with one more reception; during the winter term Prof. Bascom invited us to his house and the evening was most enjoyably spent in various ways.

Besides those regular with us during the year three will take different degrees with us tomorrow.

Rublee A. Cole.

Theresa S. Pavell.

Francis W. Hull.

making in all a class of 62.

For most of us college life is a thing of the past and tomorrow we leave these halls of learning to enter a new life full of hardships and labor where each will stand upon his or her own responsibility; where we will have no hand to guide us in time of danger or crossroads with whom to share our troubles.

The following rather interesting statistics of the class have been gathered - including 55 students.

Average age of class	22 yrs. 8 mo 24 da.
" " " males	23 " 11 " 20 "
" " " females	21 " 5 " 28 "
Total age of class	1294 " 9 " 15 "
Oldest young lady	25 yrs
" " gent.	31 "
Youngest " lady	19 "
" " gent.	21 "
Average height of class.	5 ft 7 ³ / ₄ -
" " " males.	5 " 9 ¹ / ₄ -
" " " females.	5 " 6 ¹ / ₂ -
Total height	312 " 6 ¹ / ₂ -
Tallest young lady	5 " 10 -
Shortest " "	5 " 2 ¹ / ₄ .
Tallest " gent	6 " 4.
Shortest " "	5 " "

Total weight of class 7554 lbs

Average weight 134 lbs.

Heaviest young lady 150 "

Lightest " " 106 "

Heaviest " gent 185 "

Lightest " " 115 "

25 are Rep. 8 Prohibitionists 8 Democrats

7 Independent 2 No Politics 1 Free Trade

and 1 Tariff for rev. only.

15 will study law 4 Business 6 Teachers.

16 undecided 2 medicine 2 Ministry

2 Journalism 2 Mechanical Engineering 2

Civil Eng. 1 Agriculture 1 Pharmacist.

1 Education -

43 belong to literary societies 12 do not.

54 from Wis. 1 Iowa 1 Ill.

41 American descent 3 Irish 2 German

2 Scotch 2 Norwegian 2 English 1 Swiss.

1 Ger Irish 1 Scotch American 1 French German

1 French -

20 Belong to Secret Societies 36 do not.

19 Profess no Religion 3 Non sectarian

5 Methodist 8 Congregationalist 3 Presbyterian

2 Theists 2 Catholic 1 Baptist 1 Universalist

1 Episcopalian 4 Unitarian 1 Liberal Protestant

1 Independent 1 Neutral and 1 the

religion of man

Kittie Covert.

C.D. Pratt -



Osman G. Baker.



Ernest S. Mor.



Emma Josephine Sarles.

Emma J. Sarles.

Was born in Arcedah Wis Feb 14 - 1862
and with the exception of one year
spent in Sabula Iowa have
lived there. Graduated from the
Arcedah high school in the Spring
of 78 and in the fall entered
the University as a modern
Classical second year Prep.



Martha Miller Dodge.

Dec. 30th '15
DAUGHTER OF LATE
J. T. DODGE DEAD

PASSES AWAY AT HOME OF
MOTHER AFTER SEVERAL
WEEKS' ILLNESS.

Miss Martha M. Dodge died at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Melissa J. Dodge, 203 West Washington avenue, after an illness of several weeks. She was 56 years of age.

Miss Dodge was a daughter of the late Joseph T. Dodge, who was a distinguished civil engineer and prominent in railway construction in this section of the state. Before coming to Madison the family lived at Monroe. Miss Dodge was graduated from the university in 1883 and was a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Besides her aged mother Miss Dodge leaves two sisters, Mrs. Flora Dodge-Freeman of Hinsdale, Ill., and Mrs. L. M. Fay of this city, and one brother, Joseph T. Dodge, of Chicago. She also leaves two adopted daughters.



Arthur W. Shelton.

A. W. Shelton.

I was born at Newport Minn.
in 1859. Am a farmer's son. Have
taught school and am self
supporting. Have no habits
good or bad. Am a member
of the Hesperian Literary Society
and the $\phi.\Delta.\theta$ fraternity.



Charles M. Poley.



Clara Sheridan.



Louis P. Maurer.



E. C. Stevens.



Byron B. Carter.



Chas D. Fratt.



Fred W. Jones.

F. W. Jones

I am 21 yrs 29 days of age today
6-13-83. On the South shore
of Lake Michigan Superior is
situated the small town of Ontonagon
chiefly famous as my birth place
but secondarily as a place for
shipping copper. I moved from
this town at the age of five taking
my parents with me. Since
then the town has rapidly
gone to the dogs.

Appleton Wis was my next abiding
place and has been ever since. I
here I went to school and next to
Lawrence University (God save the mark)
Three years ago I went to Michigan
University and stayed there a year.
Then thinking the U of W offered
better advantages and also being
nearer home I came here. As soon
as I graduate I am going west to
blow up with the country for a while
Eventually will study medicine.



August Mayer.



James G. Wilson.

J. C. Wilson.

I was born Feb 11, 1859. in the Township of Burlington Racine Co Wis which my parents had come from Scotland in 1807.

My early life was much like the ordinary schoolboy in the country except that being small for my age and as has been the case in an increasingly less degree ever since, in rather feeble health I was not in the busiest seasons obliged to remain out of school.

Having as customary gone over the course at the district school an uncertain number of times. I spent one year a Burlington High School and about the same length of time at Rochester Seminary.

In 1878 I entered the preparatory department of the U of W. Was special most of the time on account of being obliged to be out.

I am a Congregationalist - In politics am in favor of legal prohibition; civil service reform and tariff for revenue only.



Eliza Bellows Hoyt.

Eliza Bellows Hoyt.

Was born at Hudson Wis Nov 12. 1861
Have always resided there

Entered Modern Classical at U of W.
in the fall of 78 in the second
year prep. Graduated at the
U of W June 20. 83.



Ida Belle Fales.

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I was born Dec 7. 1857 near Janesville
Wis where my home still is.

For several years I attended the district
school; afterward, entered Janesville
High school where I graduated in the
spring of 78 - In the fall of 78 entered
the University of Wis.



A. C. Larsen.



J. C. Harb



Kati McGovern.



T. H. Synon.



E. G. B. McGilton.

E. G. B. McGilton -

I was born at Eau Gallie Duval Co
Fla Feb 10 1859 and am an Amer-
-ican by birth and descent. Am now
and always have been a Republican
Belong to no church but am a
firm believer in the bible so
far as it tends to broaden humanity.
was not conditioned in Astronomy
"mirabile dictu" Intend to study law.



Katherine Stoneman -

Katherine Stoneman -

Was born in McGregor Iowa - and
resided there until 1882; since that
time in Cedar Rapids Iowa. Spent the year
78 79 in New York - Entered Preparatory at
Northwestern University in the fall of
79. Entered College there in 80 and spent
two years there - Sept 82 entered the
Senior Class of University of Wisconsin -



Susan J. Mylrea-



Frank C. Beardsley.



Charles O. Marsh.



Samuel S. Lanyon.

S. S. Lanyon -

Was born in the parish of Mawgan
near St Columb, Cornwall, England
Came to the U.S. in fall of 69.
and lived for four years at
Mineral Point - Then for three yrs
at Rockford Ill where I worked
in a printing office and attended
Lounsburg's Academy two terms, after
this I returned to Wis and in the
fall of 78 came to Madison and
entered the prep department pre-
paratory for the scientific course.



Robert B. Steele.



J. A. Wilcox.



Emma Weston.

Emma Adelaide Weston.

Born at Necedah Wis July 26, 1861.
Graduated at " High School 1878
Entered U of W. fall of 78 & graduate
from the Modern Classical course.



Leander M. Hoskins -



F. W. Duster Jr.



E. W. Pryor



A. H. Burus.



C. M. Conradson.

C. M. Conradson -

Born Dec. 21 - 1861 in the town
of Pleasant Springs Dane Co Wis.

Resided at Brooklyn Wis from
1865 to 1879. Graduated at the

Evansville High School 1879 and
attended U of W from 1879 to 1883.



Florian Cayori.

Florian Cayöri.

Born at St. Aignan, Canton of Graubünden Switzerland on Feb 28, 1859. Came to this country in the summer of 75. Attended state normal school at White-water for two years; taught school one year - came to Hesperia in the fall of 79 - am a Prohibitionist and intend to make teaching my profession.



Kittie May Covert.



Melvin A. Hoyt.



Wm. Tillotson.



Charles H. Thomas.

Chas H Thomas.

Landed in Sheboygan Falls April 20. 1861. Was baptized very early - when about three years old gave signs of a very deep and searching mind by placing my face in front of a knife to ascertain if it was sharp. In consequence I have a little too much mouth.

Graduated from the Sheboygan Falls High School at the age of 16. After a rest of 8 months during which time I passed my nights "snoozing" on a table when I was supposed to be "pounding lightning" I came to the U of W in the spring of '78.

Shall work in RR office for a time after leaving college but expect eventually to practice law.



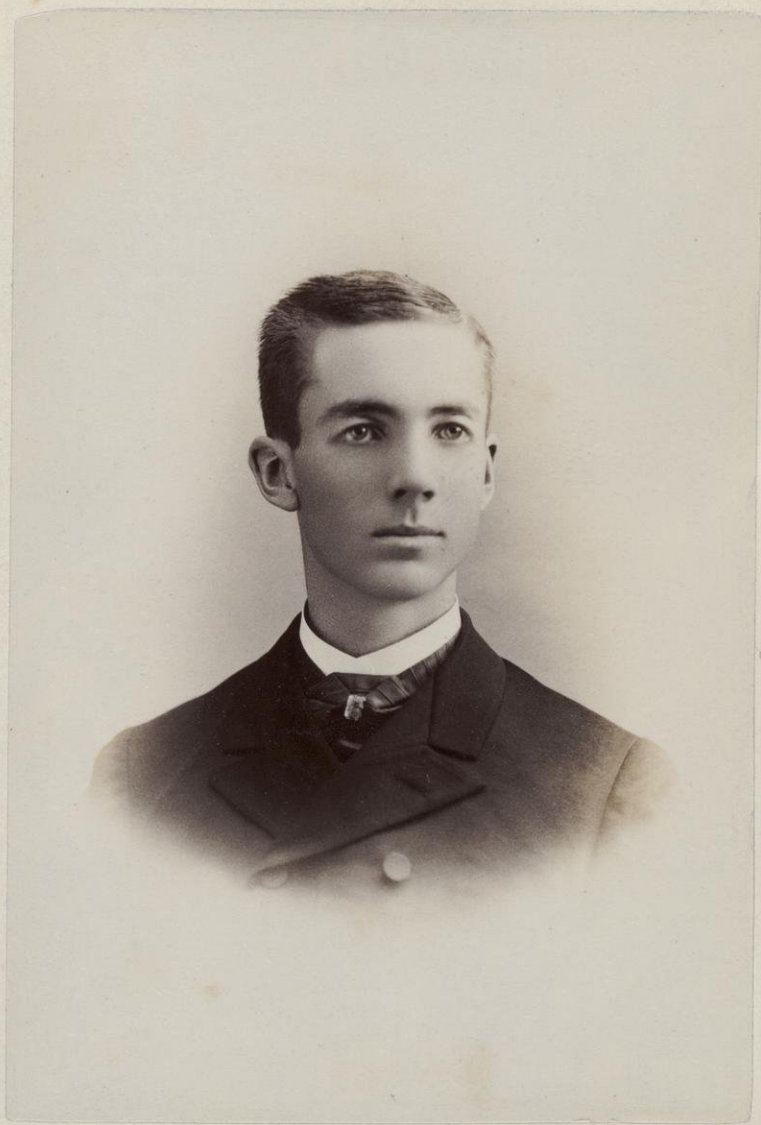
F. M. Haight.



John F. Kingston.



Will A. Mc Crady.



John Perrock.



Harry P. Stoddart.



Alice Jane Sauborn

Alice Jane Sauborn,

Born in Watertown Wis Nov 22 1861
During first ten years of my
life I lived successively in
Watertown, Milwaukee, Watertown,
Janesville, Jefferson & Watertown.
In fall of '72 moved to Freeport
Ill, and still live there.
Graduated from Freeport High
School with the class of '78 and
entered the U. of W, Sept. '79.



Lillian Jane Becroft.

Lillie Jane Beacroft.

I was born in Madison Dec 13, 63
and have lived here ever since
My time has been wholly occupied
in acquiring an education, graduated
from High school in 1879 and
entered M of W in the fall of the
same year.



A. C. Umbreit-

A. C. Nubrits

The event of so much consequence to myself and the rest of the world at large, occurred Jan 7, 1861, in Green Lake Co Wisconsin. The first fifteen years of my life were spent experiencing the felicitous as well as the vicissitudes of a Diviner's first born; In 1876 I entered Madison High School and graduated from that Institution in the spring of 79. being the only male member in the class. In the fall of the same year entered the University and am now about to graduate from the ancient and modern classical courses. Law I have chosen as my profession. Believe in the principles of the Christian Religion though professing no particular creed, In Politics independent looking for the day when a new party will be formed on some vital question.



A. J. Dopp.

WAUKESHA MAYOR NEXT POSTMASTER

A. J. Dopp Is Informed by Senator
Husting His Name Has Been
Placed in Nomination.

WRITES OTHER CANDIDATES

Emery A. Odell Has Been Recom-
mended for Reappointment at
Monroe.

WAUKESHA, Wis., June 14—(Special).—
Mayor A. J. Dopp is to be the next post-
master of Waukesha. This news was con-
tained in a letter received by Mr. Dopp
on Monday from Senator Husting. The

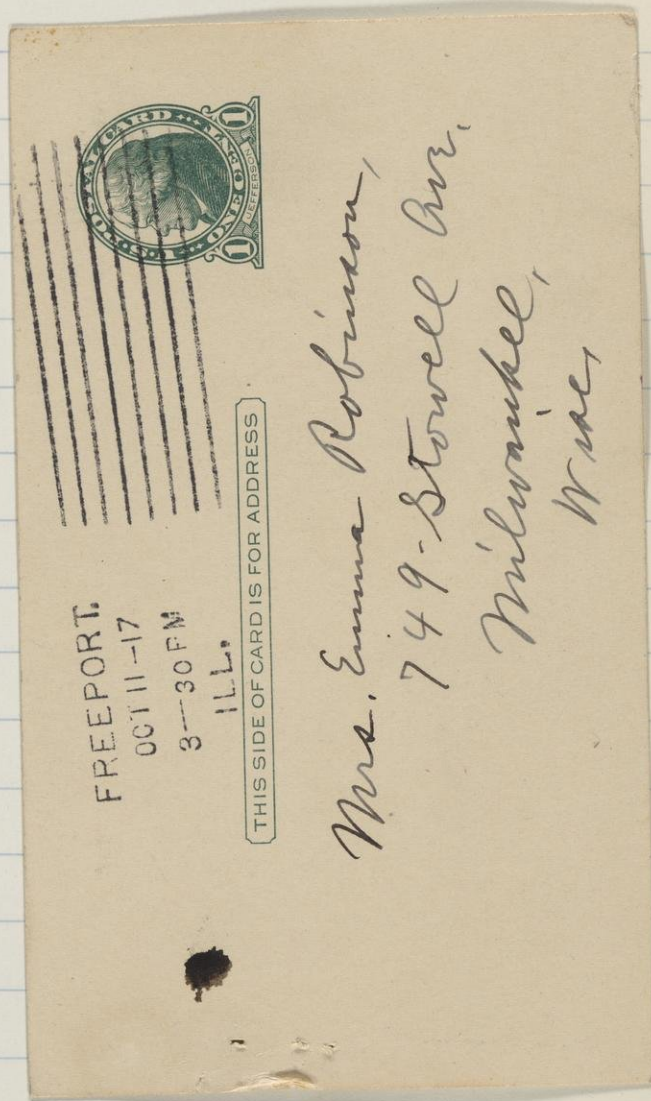


A. J. Dopp.

senator wrote that he had forwarded Mr. Dopp's name to Washington on Saturday. He also said he had written the other candidates for the office here that Mr. Dopp had been selected.

Mr. Dopp was born in 1860 at Oconomowoc. He is of Scotch descent on his mother's side and his father was an American born Hollander. Mr. Dopp attended district school at Oconomowoc, then entered Carroll college, and in 1890 was graduated from the law school of the University of Wisconsin. He has practiced law in Waukesha since 1892. He has always taken an active part in politics and is considered one of the best posted democrats in the state.

In 1904 he was nominated for congress from the Fifth district.



30 Lincoln Ave. Freeport
Thursday -

My dear Emma,
Am at home again and
all is well. I did want
those recipes for oatmeal and
cornmeal bread. Couldn't you
or Arle write them to me?

For the 18 or 20 Tea rolls
Dissolve 1 Tablespoon Sugar
and 1 Teaspoon yeast cake in
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup water and $\frac{1}{2}$ cup milk
(milk scalded and cooled)
a little

Add 2 Tablespoons lard or
butter (melted)

$\frac{1}{2}$ Teaspoon salt

Then $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups sifted flour
and beat up smooth

From 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups flour
will then be needed to add
to the batter and to roll
out with - Don't get in too much.
Raise for 2 hours and bake
10 minutes.



Lillian F. Hobart.



W. W. Paine -

W. W. Payne.

The word schoolboy tells my history up to the present time. I began growing May 19-1862 and have been engaged in the same occupation ever since. Of the 21 years of my life all but two have been spent in Madison. At seven years of age I entered the fourth ward school finished in turn the High school & University of this place. In 5'75 I lost my left arm by the accidental discharge of my gun while hunting. In the eleventh & twelfth years I was called upon to serve in the legislature of my native state as messenger boy. From July 78 to Aug 79 I "polished up the handle of the big front door" in the law office of "Smith & Lamb" of this city.

Finitis —



Lesley Roberts.



L. S. Hulbert



C. Byron Quincy.

Chas Byron Quincy -

If man is as Milton says "a series of sensations" then this particular series began April 19 1861 at Lawasker Wise. The family is one that has a history - Some of my deepest, earliest recollections are of confused attempts to find what would now be termed a final cause - I could give no rational account to myself of men who go through the same dull round, that can all be told apparently in a single sentence - I could see partial reasons for eating, sleeping, sporting, studying and working but no sufficient reason for the whole. They all came to my mind, not only as ends but as means. Later I began to study and ~~contract~~^{construct} abstracting - The tendency to brush aside the contingent became confirmed - My curiosity to know feel and experience everything supported by a good physical endowment was intense. It brought me here it will carry me on through life - The pursuit has



W. G. Witter-



Luther Packard,



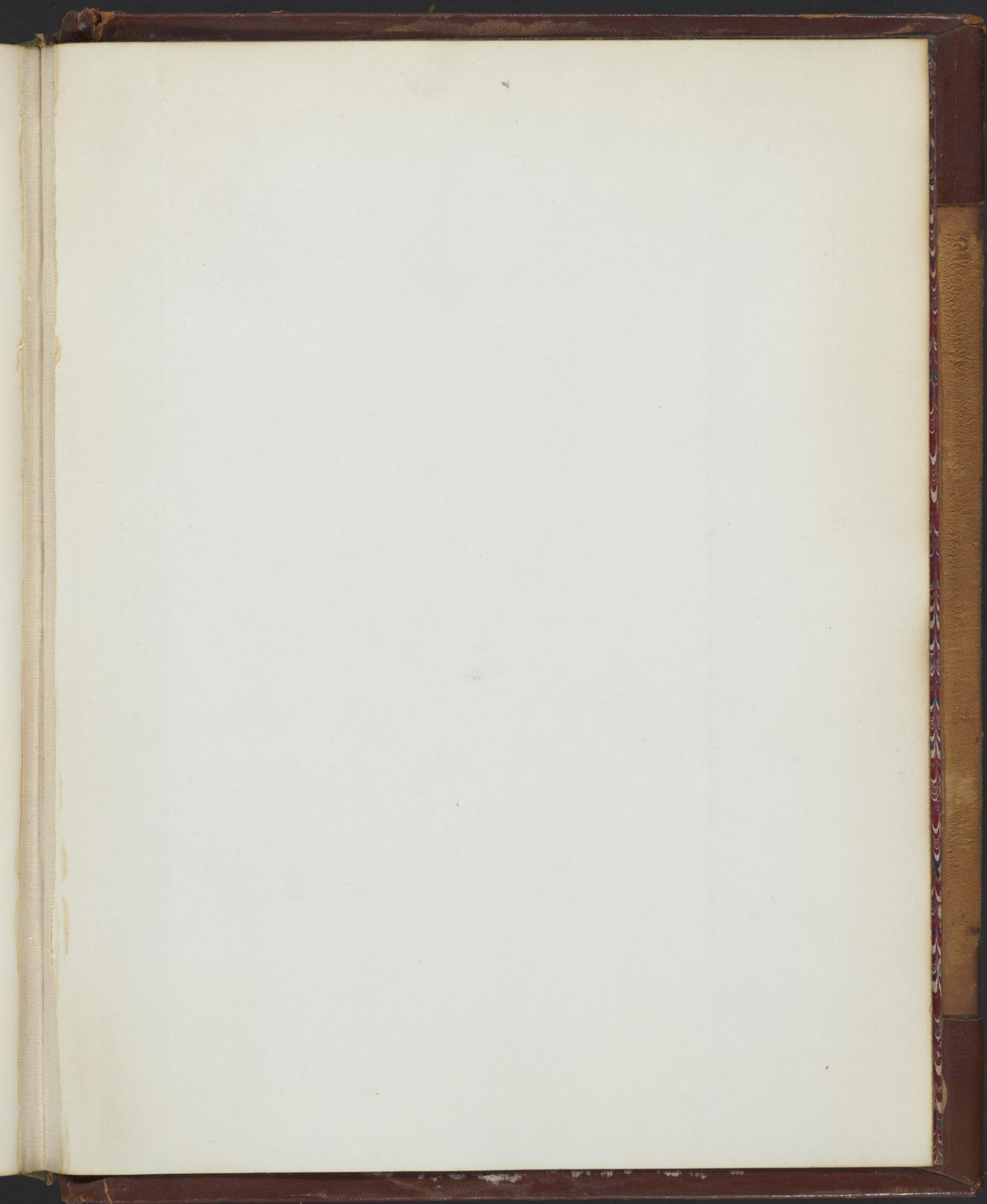
D. S. Kennedy.



M. J. Wallrich.



H. D. Cooley.









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