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“All your strength is in your union,
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[Byron.]

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"The glowing portraits fresh from life that bring
Home to our hearts the truth from which they spring."

[Byron.]
"And do as adversaries do in law,  
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The Blackstonian Club.

THE Blackstonian Club, as its name implies, is a law club which has only recently taken its place with the other Chicago clubs of a like character.

The Blackstonian Club was organized at a joint meeting of members from the three great Chicago law colleges: Chicago College of Law, Kent College of Law and Northwestern College of Law. Its purpose is to bring about a closer fraternalism among the lawyers and law students of this city, and with this object in view the club will work chiefly along social lines, although lecturers and addresses on legal topics will be features of many of its meetings.

The membership fee and dues have been placed at such low figures that almost, if not quite, every member of the bar and every law student in the city may become a member, providing his qualifications are such as to entitle him to the privilege, and all that is required of an applicant to insure his acceptance as a member is that he be either a lawyer or a regular student of the law in good standing.

It is proposed to hold regular monthly meetings of the club, at each of which a program, more calculated to amuse than to instruct, will be rendered, although, as before stated, the members will at intervals have the privilege of listening to papers and lectures on legal subjects, prepared and delivered by the most able and eminent members of the bench and bar. Should the club, as is hoped for, meet with success, it should not be a great while before it has a sufficient membership to justify its location in permanent club rooms down town. When this time arrives the Blackstonian Club will be able to offer to its members attractions and facilities which now may only be discussed as belonging to the future.

Applications for membership may be obtained from the secretary by addressing him at room 711, Masonic Temple, Chicago, Illinois.

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Officers of the Law Students' Association.
The Chicago Law Students' Association is a recent addition to an already long list of organizations in Chicago, formed for purposes of an intellectual, a social or philanthropic nature, and combines in all that it has done and hopes to do this triumvirate of good intentions. Certain it is that the Association is within the modest scope of Oliver Wendell Holmes' wholesome definition of a "Society of Mutual Admiration." He says: "All generous companies of men are, or ought to be, Societies of Mutual Admiration. A man of genius or any kind of superiority is not debarred from admiring the same quality in another, nor the other from returning his admiration. If the men are mutuals with noble powers and qualities, let me tell you that, next to youthful love and family affection, there is no human sentiment better than that which unites the societies of mutual admiration. Such a society is the crown of a metropolis. If a town has not enough material for it, and spirit and good feeling enough to organize it, it is a mere caravansary, fit for a man to lodge in, but not to live in."

So the members of the Law Students' Association are mutuals—mutuals because they feel the absolute need in every phase of their profession of unity and co-operation, perhaps not to the loftiness of our honored poet's ideal or the claims of the company of which the "Autocrat" was the center, but in a sense broad and welcome enough to promote the coming together of ambitious and earnest young men who would "woo the mistress of the law" for their mutual advancement fraternity, intellectually, and the protection of their common interests. The Association was temporarily organized during the month of February, 1894. Permanent organization was
effected some months later by a convention of students, called to meet at the Northwestern University Law School, when the following officers were elected for the term of one year:

FRANK FAY PRATT, President,
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The membership of the Association comprises students and alumni of the above mentioned law schools.

The objects of the Association are the promotion of lecture courses upon subjects of a legal and economic nature, and the founding of a public law library, in both of which substantial and encouraging progress has been made. In the attainment of a public law library, it is true, many serious obstacles are to be overcome; but the determined "I will" and reasonable aggressiveness and ambitions to be found among the young men of Chicago, and particularly among those attending the night law schools, augur well for the successful culmination of their endeavors. The reasons are patent to any thinking man that Chicago needs no institution more than a public law library. Two plans have thus far been advanced for its acquirement, one by petition to the Chicago Public Library Board, the other by legislation at Springfield.

Those who read this article may be reminded of the first address delivered under the auspices of the Association by Honorable John M. Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court, upon the subject, "The Bering Sea Arbitration." Other lectures followed, given by James L. High, upon "A Great Advocate," treating of the life and work of Lord Erskine; Harry Pratt Judson, of the University of Chicago, "The Influence of the Legal Profession upon the Formation of our Federal Constitution;" Hon. Clarence S. Darrow, "The Debs Case;" Professor W. C. Sprague, "The Steps that Led to
Magna Charta;" and Hon. Hazen S. Pingree, Mayor of Detroit, Michigan, upon "Municipal Government."

During May, 1895, the Association held a banquet—a real heart warmer, as the four hundred present will attest—at the Auditorium Hotel, when Hon. Luther Laflin Mills delivered the principal address.

Officers elected in November, 1895, are worthy successors to those who gave birth to the lusty young infant and dressed it in its swaddling clothes. May they and their successors continue to care for it and nurture the child as did those whose zeal and endeavor nursed and carried it beyond the teething period, till it shall have grown a strong, sturdy young man of brains, sinew and muscle.

Present officers are:

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Thus is traced the history of the Chicago Law Students' Association. It has had its emulations in no less than fifty similar organizations throughout the United States.

Good fellowship, "the tie that binds," has been partaken of by all. Profits, in the broadest sense of the word, have been divided with a deep feeling of gratitude to those who have so substantially recognized the worthy aims of the Association. If reforms in law and government are to come in the future, they are to come from the young men, and when young men begin to co-operate in the study of legal and governmental questions, the world may well expect advances.

"Our hearts, our hopes, are all with thee;
Our hearts, our hopes, our prayers, our tears,
Our faith, triumphant o'er our fears,
Are all with thee, are all with thee."

[Longfellow.]

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American Republican College League, 1895-1896.

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HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN REPUBLICAN COLLEGE LEAGUE

By L. BRENT VAUGHAN,
University of Chicago, ex-President of the League.

In the month of May, 1892, delegates from over thirty colleges and universities of the United States met at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and formed the American Republican College League. From the very beginning the league has been thoroughly national in its extent. Among the institutions represented at the first convention were Bates College of Maine and Leland Stanford Jr. University of California. All the larger colleges and universities were represented.

The first president of the league was James Francis Burke and the first secretary James Martin Perkins of Harvard, the present president. Conventions have been held annually since that time. The second convention was held at Louisville, Kentucky, in May, 1893, in connection with the convention of the National Republican League. Delmer E. Hawkins of Syracuse University was the second league president.

Delegates from over twenty colleges met at Syracuse, N. Y., in April, 1894, in third annual convention. Theodore Cox of the University of the City of New York was elected the third president of the league at this convention.

The fourth annual convention met with the Young Men's Republican Club of Grand Rapids, Michigan, April 5, 1895. Only twenty-three colleges were represented by delegates in person at this convention. Twenty-four were represented by proxy. L. Brent Vaughan of the University of Chicago was elected president at that time. The league headquarters were
removed from New York city, where they had always been, to Chicago, and the work of organization in the west was begun. The results have been most gratifying. Not all the clubs organized were represented at the convention held in Chicago April 3, and yet over forty institutions were represented by delegates in person, or nearly twice as many as last year or the year before.

With the election of James Martin Perkins of Harvard as president for 1896-7, the very best results are sure to follow. Mr. Perkins was the first secretary of the league, and has been intimately connected with it ever since its inception.

The object of the league is to interest and educate the young men to-day for the work to-morrow. Also, the league is of much practical value. It will take an active part in the approaching campaign. A special campaign committee has been appointed, of which Mr. Frank F. Pratt is a member. This committee will act under the direction of the sub-executive committee—the committee of which Mr. Pratt was a member last year. It is the intention of the campaign committee to ascertain the number of republicans in each college and university in the United States who can go into the active political field in the coming campaign. Beyond doubt the members of the American Republican College League will be found on the stump in nearly every State in the Union before next November. The password is, "A Young Man for War."

“A cause of action.”