



Red River Aggie

CLASS PROPHECY

The lot of prophet fell on me, I went into a trance.
With second sight each one I saw, just twenty-five years hence.
Albin had grown accustomed to the place of presidency
So he kept right on. His office now is Washington, D. C.
Henry took to farming and Lena took to him.
The alfalfa they now propagate surpasses that of Grimm.
A senator is Tarjie, which same we did expect,
He also is an orator with laurel wreaths bedecked
When legal quibbles bother, as we Seniors find they do,
Our good attorney, Oscar, will always pull us through.
Elmer is successful at whatever he may do.
When of anything he tires, he just does something new.
Raymond is a "flyer." His "airplane" he doth guide
Cross the great Atlantic. He's famous on either side.
A farmer wise and leader mighty (Ted) is heard to say,
"I only practice what they preach at the N. W. S. A."
Clayton as a surgeon has won renown and fame,
And as reward was granted, to change one nurse's name.
To aid in reconstructing France, Olga and Verna went,
Encountered there two Junior boys, by fickle fortune sent. And then—!
A woman lawyer! Well, why not? With flowery speech and brains,
Velura gained that honored place. Pity whom she arraigns.
Cora speaks for women's votes. She travels o'er the States;
But Fred says there's still hope for "him who only stands and waits."
Leah and Luella teach. Their pupils—have a care!
John Jacob Astors, Vanderbilts and Rockefellers rare!
In this, as every other class, some member has to be
A missionary, Louise is now in the Isles of the South Sea.
"The only life worth living is this perfect country life,"
Soliloquizes Gerda, now a happy farmer's wife.
Adelia was a teacher. So well she steered her bark
That among her great achievements she got the highest "Mark."
Of all our brilliant members only one "went on the stage"
But the films now featuring Martha are everywhere the rage.
Irene was very lonely after Vernon went away,
So Elba joined her forces. They reign in rhythmic sway.
Demure and patient, kind and wise, a preacher's wife must be,
As Teckla had these attributes she "joined the ministry."
The speaker of the House is by all Congressmen adored,
For Ella, with her ready wit, keeps them from being bored.
A soloist is Florence. Her rich contralto tones
Have charmed vast audiences in all the various zones.
Just at this point I was disturbed. Ere I came back to life
I saw myself in "Home, Sweet Home," a plain contented wife.
The author of these spasms now lays down the weary pen;
Which she in sympathy with all, will not pick up gain.

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