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Again All Fools' Day has come and gone, and again, for the tenth time, the "LANCE" has been turned over to new hands. With the present issue of our college monthly begins a new volume, and one which we sincerely hope shall not fall below the standard of those that have preceded it. During the past few years there has been a marked improvement noticeable, both in the form and contents of the "FREE LANCE;" but there are heights yet to be attained before it can reach the standard we would wish. Its success, fellow-students, depends almost entirely upon the efforts you put forth to sustain it. It matters but slightly whether your contributions be monetary or literary; but let them be either one or the other, or even both, for both must