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ONCE more has time, in his rapid flight, brought us to the beginning of another college year. And never before, perhaps, has a new year opened under more favorable circumstances nor given such prospects of splendid possibilities—possibilities not in athletics alone (though at present these are foremost in the thoughts of each and every one of us), but along all lines of work. With such auspicious signs for the future let us acquit ourselves nobly.

We hope you all have had a most pleasant and profitable vacation, and if you have not, that it was through no fault of yours. To the new students especially we extend a brotherly welcome. We are pleased to have you with us, and it is our sincere hope that you will remain. We are confident that you are fully capa-