

At the literary meeting last Thursday evening a very good program was rendered. After the usual business had been transacted new officers were elected as follows: Pres., R. A. Pope; Vice Pres., P. T. Duncan; Secy. Miss Clara Nelson; Treas. Alexander McCosh. After election of officers a Character program was rendered as follows: Song, "A Thousand Years my own Columbia", by Trio; "Patrick Henry's Speech in Behalf of Liberty", T. S. Hunt; Solo, "The Star Spangled Banner", J. M. Johnson; "Lincoln's Speech at Gettysburg", D. W. MacLeod; "Paul Revere's Ride", A. McCosh; Instrumental solo, Alzada Tufts; Debate, Resolved, "That the Thirteen Colonies had no cause for withdrawal from Great Britain." Aff., R. A. Pope and Mr. Smith; Neg., J. M. Johnson and Chas. Ellingson. P. T. Duncan, L. O. Harmon and M. C. Duea acted as judges and brought in a decision for the affirmative. The closing scene was a "Slave Sale" and five negroes were sold at auction. C. O. Halgrims acted as auctioneer; Geo. Haltiner and Bert Snortland were buyers and Julia Johnson, Endrea Foss, Fred Long and Arne Krogh acted as slaves. The audience dispersed after singing, "America", and pronounced the entertainment