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EDITORIAL NOTES.

ANOTHER commencement has come and gone. Another large class has received diplomas and will begin the battle of life. Some will succeed, others will not. But who will say they are not better prepared for the duties of life than they were four or six years ago? Who will say that the time was not well spent? But, while commencement calls up such thoughts as these it also suggests a certain sameness that have characterized all other commencements. The class-day now takes the place of commencement day and the same objections may be made to class day orations and essays that were made to commencement orations and essays. While the class this year was wise in the choice of persons to represent them on class program there is no probability that future classes will always be satisfied with the members chosen to represent them. The University of Kansas this year dispensed with the usual orations and essays and gave an interesting drama instead. By so doing every member of the class was given something to do. We throw this out as a hint to the class of '93. There is no doubt that something of this kind will be a great improvement on the very best class day programs as now given by the great majority of graduating classes.

WHEN this issue reaches our readers, our duties as editor of THE HESPERIAN will be over. In parting from you we cannot forebear inflicting a little advice for next year. Let us first of all urge upon you the advisability of electing your whole board of editors for the year at the beginning of the fall term. Anyone that has served you as an editor will at once see the wisdom of this change. If you elect your editor-in-chief next fall for one semester, he will just get fairly well started in his work when he must lay it aside and a new man step in his place. The new man must go on with the same business manager and an entirely new and inexperienced set of associates. The result is that the paper cannot possibly be made the best or have any consistent policy during the year. The next school year will be divided into two parts. No better time will be found in which to make the change than next year. Some