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With this issue of THE HESPERIAN the time of the present board will come to an end. Before separating from the board I wish to thank each and all of the associate editors for the prompt and efficient manner in which they have responded to calls for copy, and indeed the "call" for copy was very seldom necessary. The changes that have been made in the paper have been largely due to the encouragement given by the associate editors and with the valuable aid of the business manager. It is only by gaining an insight into the work that one learns to appreciate the efforts of the board of editors. By showing my appreciation of the work the present board has done I would like to convey the idea to the students at large that there are many benefits to be derived from personal work in college journalism. While there is a good deal of work connected with the publishing and issuing of a college paper, yet a great deal of the work is very pleasant if one only gets himself interested in it. To aspire to become an editor on a college paper is a healthy ambition and no one need be ashamed of entertaining such a thought. To be a member of a progressive, harmonious board is a result that is highly pleasing to one that has succeeded in realizing in his election the aforesaid healthy ambition. When the present board was elected in the fall of '92, we decided with a degree of timidity to endeavor to make a change in the appearance and plan of THE HESPERIAN. The change was made and the results have been better than we anticipated. Judging from general remarks made and special compliments given, the paper has been an improvement over THE HESPERIAN