began to twist into queer contortions, she gasped once or twice, and then burst out laughing long and heartily. In a moment Parker had joined in too, and together there on the sidewalk, with the driver looking on in stupid amazement, they laughed until the tears came into their eyes. At last they stopped for breath. "I am Miss Dawson," she said, "I forgive you."

"Then would you be kind enough to let me drive over to the Carey's with you?" he asked. "You see I want George to know that I carried out his instructions."

"I don't object," she answered, her voice still unsteady from laughter, "because, as George says, I might get lost if left alone."

As they drove along she got the whole story from him, and they laughed again as heartily as before.

"And to think that you did not meet George's great-aunt after all," she said.

"But you—" he began, more puzzled than ever.

"Miss Dawson is my great-aunt, too; I was named after her. I am George's cousin. I suppose he thought the telegram was from her. Won't he be surprised? Now I think you might tell me your name."

"Harrison Parker."

"Now we are introduced," she said. "Mr. Parker, I am very glad to meet you."

"And now that we are introduced, you will let me call on you, won't you?"

"On George's great-aunt?"

"No; on George's cousin."

"Yes, you may; because you see I think you were very good to go down there to meet Aunt Sarah."

"And in this case, as they say in the Sunday-school tales," he said, "'Virtue is its own reward.'"  

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With the Preps he was always a Nero,
With the girls he was a regular hero;
When it came to exam
He was meek as a lamb,
And humbly went home with a 0.—Tale Record.

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We are sorry to announce the resignation of Mr. Gerald Martin Richmond from the staff of The Tech.

R. B. Clark, President of the Sophomore Class, has left the Institute to accept a position at the Newport News Navy Yard.

A concert by the Glee, Banjo, and Mandolin Clubs for December 29th, at Gloucester, has been arranged. A dance will be given at the end of the concert.

Words for a topical song are wanted for the Glee Club. Any one caring to write verses for the song will be suitably recompensed. For particulars apply to W. O. Adams, Box 31, "Cage."

On Friday evening Mr. C. Howard Walker, of Walker & Kimball, Architects in Chief of the Exposition, will give a smoke talk at the Technology Club, illustrated by more than fifty stereopticon views, on the Trans-Mississippi Exposition at Omaha, Neb.

The annual dinner of the New England Association of Chemistry Teachers was held on last Saturday afternoon, at the United States Hotel. Mr. H. M. Goodwin, of the Institute, was the guest of the Association, and spoke on "Some Aspects of Physical Chemistry."

The Boston Society of Civil Engineers held its semi-centennial on last Saturday night at the Vendome. The members of the society in the Faculty who attended were Professors George F. Swain, Charles F. Allen, and Dwight Porter. Professor Allen is the first vice president of the organization.