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The Academy Herald first appeared in 1910 as a tri-annual publication. It was the result of the efforts of Messrs. Thomas R. Davis, Jerry Luck, Lorenzo Turner, Thomas C. Brown, and John A. Welch, acting committee for the student body of the Academy.

Its success as a tri-annual publication led the students of the Academy and Commercial College to combine in 1911–12 and issue The Herald as a monthly magazine. At the commencement of the school year 1913–14, the Commercial College withdrew and published a paper of their own, thus placing all control of The Herald in the hands of the students of the Academy. The paper continued as the official organ of the Academy and is published monthly by the students of that department.

The aim of The Herald is to foster correct expression of written language, and to inspire an appreciation for good, wholesome literature among the students of the Academy. In its endeavor to accomplish this end it publishes only such articles as possess the qualities of good English.

Being strictly a student publication, The Academy Herald does not ordinarily accept contributions from the outside, but articles from students of the other departments of the University are solicited, and students of the Academy itself cannot be too strongly impressed with the importance of their contributing as often as possible to their own paper.

Like all other student publications The Herald has had its struggle for the success of which it now feels assured. We sincerely trust that the entire student body of the University, and our other subscribers will continue the patronage which we so greatly appreciate.

A Proclamation

You bet I am thankful;
Things might have been worse;
Though I've lost my "best girl,"
Yet I deem it no curse.
Some may think it wrong,
Some may think it right,
'Tis hard to please all,
So I've taken to my flight.
My girl has divorced me,
But why weep aloud?
It's days since I've seen her,
Except in a crowd.
My friends are near sighted
(To give them the doubt),
But friends of that kind
One is better without.
I'm starting all over;
I've left that old set.
And now that I've left it,
I am thankful, you bet.
For when I come back—
(And I mean to some day)—
I'll know how to live
In a sensible way.

Cicero II, '16