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#### EDITED AND PUBLISHED

BY THE

EDITORS OF THE "ACTA COLUMBIANA," 1878-6.

Here's to our Alma Mater;
Long may she live and rise:
Exalted be her banner,
Until it reach the skies.
And while we live
Support we'll give,
And ever will be true
To the colors of Columbia,
The dashing White and Blue.

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TO

## OUR FELLOW-STUDENTS,

AND

THE ALUMNI OF COLUMBIA COLLEGE.

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#### PREFACE.

THE strong desire for a book of Columbia Songs, which has been expressed of late by many of our graduates and students, has induced the Editors of the present work to undertake a task, the responsibility of which they would otherwise have been unwilling to assume.

The need of such a book, at all our celebrations and convivial gatherings, has been greatly felt; and it is hoped that this collection may answer the desired purpose, and may not only serve to keep fresh in the minds of our Alumni their pleasant reminiscences as students, but may also increase and cultivate among our undergraduates a fondness for that hearty, jolly singing, which forms so delightful a feature of College life.

The work of compiling a song-book was begun by a Committee of the Alumni Association, which was obliged to abandon the undertaking, after having procured some twenty songs. With these as a nucleus this collection has been formed. Should it so far accomplish its object as to give satisfaction to the Alumni and to our fellow-students, we shall feel well repaid for the labor it has cost us; should it fail, however, to be what was anticipated or desired, let our critics be lenient and spare our short-comings.

J. B. P.

Columbia College, May 15th, 1876.

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# SONGS OF COLUMBIA.

## CARMEN ALUMNORUM.



- 2 Vivant Sophomores, vi Viridi florentes. Omnia qui satis sciunt; Professores plus non queunt Dare els docentes.
- 3 Vivant Juniores, qui Maxime, valentes: Lumina juventæ incedunt, Orbem fama illi implebunt Blandi sapientes.
- 4 Vivat quisque Senior Sagax et neutus: Literis, scientiisque, Immo rebus alüsque— Intime imbutus.

- 5 Vivant Professores qui Strenue laborant: Vitam. mentem, mortem, bustum, Carmen, aquam, vinum, mustum, Omnia bene explorant.
- 6 Vivat, Prex nunc noster Rex Semper vir virosum: Caput glorise et honoris Senex sed et senum doris Faustum ejus regnum.
- 7 Vivas, O Columbia !
  Mentis fovens flammam:
  Quis non esset in superbis,
  Senex sit vel sit imberbis
  Te vocare maman.

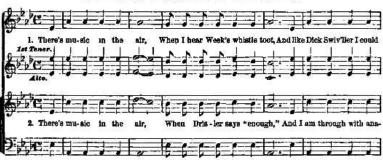
#### THE WHITE AND THE BLUE.





- 3 On lake and on river, on land and on sea, May its folds ever glisten, exultant and free. May Columbia's sons all respond to the sight, And units in the praise of the Blue and the White. Cuo.—Now fill up the glasses, &c.
- 4 Once more raise the chorns, once more let it ring, Once more for that banner right lustily sing. May spiteful old Time in his swift, steady flight, Never tarnish our colors, the Blue and the White. Cho.—Now fill up the glasses, &c.

### THERE'S MUSIC IN THE AIR.





- 3 There's music in the air, When saw-my-leg-off-short, Re-echoes through the college halls, And ne'er a man is caught.
- 4 There's music in the air,
  When the bell rings out at one,
  And flunks, and ponies, slopes and all
  For that one day are done.