

phor. Books are king's treasures. A password is needed as one was needed to enter the robber-caves of old. Education is this Sesame. Queens go down to their gardens to set the flower-beds in order and to shield the flowers from the rough winds. Educated women are queens who go among living flowers to strengthen and cheer by their pure lives.

BESSIE S. COLWELL, '98.

Song of the Selfish Soul

THIS well for philanthropes, no doubt,
Mankind to cherish free,
The only one I care about
Are I, Myself and Me.

Let orators forever spout
Of their love for liberty,
The only loves I care about
Are I, Myself and Me.

Though loud reformers rage and shout
O'er all the ills they see,
The ills that I'm concerned about
Touch I, Myself and Me.

Let lovers sigh of scorn and pout
And blue eyes' tyranny,
To persons three my heart goes out,
Just I, Myself and Me.

I smile when bards their soul pour out
O'er sky and mount and sea,
What are such to me who care about
But I, Myself and Me?

Then bless the world and keep it stout
And strong, so, that you see,
It serve well those I care about,
Friends I, Myself and Me.

E. BLACKADDER, '94.