Sixth Vice-President—W. H. Bates, Memphis. Secretary—W. C. Rogers, New York.

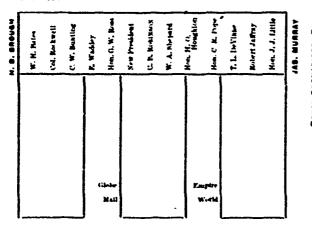
Treasurer-Charles Buss, Cincinnati.

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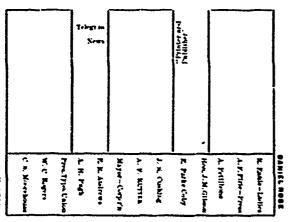
THE BANQUET

Thursday evening was the occasion of the banquet committee's joy. The tables were beautifully decorated with flowers; in fact the whole room was turned into a temporary conservatory. The Union Jack and the Star Spangled Banner enfolded each other in a graceful and friendly manner, while their respective worshippers enjoyed themselves beneath them, and cheered when the Queen's name or that of the President was mentioned. The menu cards were in great demand as souvenirs of this happy occasion, as well as on account of their intrinsic beauty of design and finish.

Mr. C. B. Robinson, president of the Toronto Branch presided, and on his right sat Mr. W. H. Woodward, the newly elected president of the U.T.A. The diagram which accompanies this shows the positions occupied by the leading men present, and by the Press.



ENTRANCE



After ample justice had been done the splendid dinner, the chairman arose and amid loud cheers proposed the toast of "Her Majesty Queen Victoria." The two hundred Americans present seemed to vie with each other in doing honor to the toast, and it was some moments before the chairman succeeded in making himself heard. He then proposed the toast of "The President of the United States," and called upon Hon. C. R. Pope, the American consul resident in Toronto, to respond. Loud cheers greeted the toast. The band played "Star Spangled Banner," while the guests rose en masse and applauded to the echo.

Responding to the toast, Hon. Mr. Pope made an able and brilliant speech. It was a double honor, he said, conferred upon him, the greeting of his old friends, and the task of welcoming to the North his fellow citizens from the South. Amid great applause he congratulated the Toronto representatives of the art of Guttenburg on their generous and open-hearted treatment of the Yankees, and remarked that Yankees generally knew when they were well treated. He had been three years in Toronto, he said, and had found many good things in it; possibly many other good things had been found by the visitors.

He was delighted, Col. Pope continued, that his old friend and fellow-townsman. Mr.W. H. Woodward, had been elected. And with a parting compliment to the noble art of printing and the good it does, Col. Pope concluded an able and loudly-applauded speech.

The Typothetæ of America was the congenial subject of Mr. W. H. Woodward, the President-elect, who ably responded to the call upon his oratorical abilities. "We are not in any sense a coercive institution," he exclaimed, "not have we in any sense any control over the local organizations. We cannot dictate to them the course they should adopt. We can only give advice as to the general course to be adopted." Besides the exposition and defence of the order, the new President's speech contained the heartiest acknowledgments of Toronto's kindness and hospitality.

Mr. G. W. Ross, addressing himself to "Journalists as Authors," said he had great pleasure in being present as an old printer and newspaper man. There was no power like the press. The determination of one editor had, as Daniel Webster said, changed the policy of a whole nation. There was no power so subtle as that wielded by the press, and no one could tell how much his course in life might be influenced by the subtle influence of journalism.

Able speeches were delivered by Messrs. E. Wadday, Hon. H. C. Houghton, Col. W. L. Brown, Alexander Pirie and Hou. J. J. Little. When Hon. J. J. Little was responding to the toast of "The Ladies"