

THE SENIOR CLASS BOOK

1911

The Daffydil Club

Chapter O (O-mike-run).

Most Exalted Ruler and Punster ExtraordinaryA. Herbert Packer

Sample: Vote for Pettibone, Prof. Marry-'em!

Supreme Magnificent Preserver of the Quip CourteousG. D. Pettibone

Highest Grand Royal Court JesterA. C. Lohse

Most Eminent Plenipotentiary of the Treasury and Jokester in OrdinaryArthur M. Newhouse

Premier DaffydillistJ. Casca Bloomfield

Specimens: If Oscar is King of Sweden, of what is Stock-king?

If the boome-rang, will the build-ding?

If Ralph Boettcher a dollar, how much would Alpha-bet?

Watchword: "Officer, he's in again."

Club Song: "Who's loony now?"

Colors: Sear and Yellow.

During the last few months an epidemic has swept over the school and has wrought most fearful havoc, especially among our Electricals. It is known as "daffydillitis," a species of pseudo-joke making (hand forged), which originated in the esteemed, "to put it mildly," American. The disease is caused by a tender little germ called the daffydil—"daffy" meaning daft, silly, light-headed, and "dil," from the Sanskrit, meaning to dally, to waste time. Once inoculated by this germ, there is no hope for the victim. He will rack his brain and search every sentence, every word, which he encounters for a daffydil. Let the above, who are chronic and incorrigible cases, serve as horrible examples for all.

