his extra time to practicing for his special work, whether a track or literary event. And indeed, Marlin carried out her intention, for in the end she came out above all the other schools in points. Nearly all the points in literary events were claimed by this school, which fact shows that the standard of the school is being raised constantly. Outside the Interscholastic League work, was the Latin Tournament at Waco. Marlin brought home many honors in this event, which is quite a distinction. After the County Meet and Latin Tournament, came the District Meet, and as usual Marlin made an excellent record.

One other team which we cannot omit is the baseball team. Although it did not play many games, the ones it did were worth-while, well-played.

Throughout the whole school year every month the Marlinian was published, each time holding some new surprise for the students. This paper in truth is something which everyone looks forward to; which brings the students closer together. How thankful we should be that we are able to have the Marlinian, and we cannot give too much credit to the members of the staff who made it possible for us to have it! Let us hope that next year's staff, and the staffs of all the years following will make as wonderful success with this undertaking as has the staff of 1926-1927.

Let us then ever look forward to making Marlin High School a better one. If we have failed to accomplish something this year, let us remember that we have our whole future before us. The point, however, is not in making a brilliant record, but in doing the best that we can. Of course, everyone wants to make distinctions, but everyone can't, so after all, it's the one who tries hardest that is really successful in the end. But let us remember that to be successful one must work—and he must work **hard.** Let us always remember the immortal words of Longfellow:

"Let us, then, be up and doing
With a heart for any fate;
Still achieving, still pursuing,
Learn to labor and to wait.