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Folk-Say in Washington

The distinction of being made a character in a play has been awarded FOLK-SAY, the third annual volume of which was published in December by the University of Oklahoma Press. FOLK-SAY is one of the five leading characters in «Wakefield,» the masque which Percy MacKaye was commissioned by the United States Government to write for the nation-wide observance of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington and which will be produced in Washington, February 21. The word, «folk-say,» which titles his annuals, was coined by Mr Botkin to designate folk material drawn from the life and treated creatively. The name has been used by Mr MacKaye in his masque for the character who symbolizes the creative folk spirit. The sketch of FOLK-SAY, the character, is by Arvia MacKaye, the poet's daughter