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IDEALS AND PURPOSES OF STUDENTS ASSOCIATION GIVEN

The Student Association is the outgrowth of poor moral conditions existing on the campus early last year, and the lack of willingness of the students to assume their load of responsibility on quizzes, on the campus, at social functions, and in the dormitories, according to Thad Cherry, President of the Association, who made the above statement when asked by this writer to say a few words for publication.

Quoting the constitution, Mr. Cherry went on to state that "it is the purpose of the Student Association to promote closer cooperation between faculty and student body in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the school; to develop within the student body a greater sense of responsibility and a finer college spirit; to make efficient the Honor System; and to encourage and train for more democratic living."

In the opinion of the President and many others the Student Association is a very live organization on the campus. It is an organization that should merit every student's serious attention, both because of what it is doing and because of what it hopes to do. The situation that existed last year and the years before in regard to cheating, they state, was nothing less than deplorable, to use a mild term; in fact, the state of affairs had arrived at such a place that stringent measures were taken by the students themselves, and as an outgrowth of several meetings of the entire student body the organization known as "The Student Association of Atlantic Christian College" came into existence.

The officers and those who are vitally interested in the success of the Student Association believe that the students will respond more readily once they understand the purpose and ideals of the organization, realizing when they do that it is a student project undertaken solely and wholly by student initiative and promoted by students as a movement entirely divorced from the faculty.

The realization of this need has prompted several chapel meetings and may in a few weeks result in regular monthly or semi-monthly meetings of the Association. It is for this reason that this article is being written, in a word, to acquaint the student with the aims and purposes and ideals, history, and the officers of the Association.

The constitution provides for four elective officers: president, vice-president, secretary and assistant secretary. We are very fortunate this year in having these positions filled by the following:

Pres. - Thad Cherry
Vice President - Monroe Fulghum
Secretary - Virginia Payne
Asst. Secretary - Janet Daugherty

Last year these offices were held by J. Park Nunn, Hilary Bowen, Inez Barefoot, and Virginia Payne.

All the officers are howing themselves serious-minded and efficient in their work and it is their earnest hope that all the students will cooperate with them in the successful promotion of this worthwhile enterprise. They ask that all members and students will cooperate with them in the successful promotion of this worthwhile enterprise. They ask that all members of the student body be present when called and that regular meetings are held and that all give serious thought to the basic facts underlying the Student Association.

The working machinery of the Association is composed of what is known as the Honor Council, the body that tries all students charged with cheating and other acts contrary to the laws of the organization. This is the vital unit of the Association as far as passing a verdict of guilty is concerned.

Each class has a representative, the Freshmen not getting theirs until after the close of the first semester, and each of the following organizations has a representative: Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A. The president and the secretary are also members ex officio.

The members of the Council this year are:
Walton Thompson - Senior Class
James Denny - Junior Class
Lottie Carawan - Sophomore Class
Hilary Bowen - Y. M. C. A.
Inez Barefoot - Y. W. C. A.

RECREATION AND AMUSEMENT FROM POINT OF VIEW OF STUDENT

The students of this college have for their recreation and amusements, many events and social activities. The inclination is to say that most students do not have enough opportunities to enjoy themselves. On closer analysis, however, we may find that the students do not take advantage of what forms of sport and amusement the college offers.

In the first classification we may have those activities which are more important to the students. They are: athletics, social events, and religious events.

The athletics have one of the leading places in the college activities and many students indulge in some form of sport. I may add further that athletics help to build up the college spirit and in this way are beneficial to the institution.

The social events help to build the social side of the college. Practically all the students indulge in some social event during the year. They bring out the social life and make the school to be in closer unity.

The religious events have a leading part in the college life and do much to develop the spiritual side of the students.

To go more into detail, we may classify social activities into the Hesperian and Alethian Literary Societies; the Dramatic, Glee, and Education Clubs. The religious side is taken care of by the Y. M. C. A.; the Y. W. C. A., and the Fellowship. The athletic forms are football, basketball, baseball, tennis, boxing.

The Alethian and Hesperian societies meet every week on Wednesday night and much enthusiasm is shown at these meetings. All students have the privilege to join one of these societies after the end of the first month. These societies are well worth the time and students attend in large numbers.

The many clubs that we have on the campus seem to be well organized. They hold their meetings at different intervals. All who have a voice for singing have an invitation to join the Glee Club. This club needs no introduction on the campus as many students have started to train their vocal chords. Those who have the ability of an actor may easily become a member of the Dramatic Club, while the Education Club is open to the members of the education department.

The religious events including the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. are open to all students of the college and certainly have a definite purpose in view. These two organizations have been a leading force on the campus for the past few years. Each Friday the chapel period is given for these respective meetings.

Athletics have done more to advertise the school than any other one thing. The three major sports, football, basketball, and baseball, teams all require a big squad of players and these have to come from the college students. This year we have many open berths on the various teams and any one desiring recreation should report to the coach. The two sports of tennis and boxing have a minor part to play but nevertheless, many students take these sports for recreation and amusement.

As a closing I will say that although the girls do not have enough opportunities for sports, more of the boys can get recreation and amusement should they wish to do so.

Personals

Marion Brinson from Richmond, Va., was here visiting her sister Kate Brinson and friends.

Esther Cobb, a '28 graduate, was transferred from New Hope School to Scott School.

Miss Julia Belsches, a graduate of '28 spent last week in Wilson during her sister's illness.

Neva Banks, Esther Harrison, Mrs. Leamon Barnhill, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Moye, Mr. and Mrs. William Manning, and Hugh Ross, all alumni of the college were present at the laying of the cornerstone.

Mr. Cecil Reel of Elizabeth City was a visitor at A. C. C. during the week end.

GENERAL SEC. OF F. OF R. VISITS A. C. C.

Mr. Howard Bester, General Secretary of the Youth Section of the Fellowship of Reconciliation visited A. C. C. on November 12. He spoke in several classes taught by Mr. Hamlin setting forth the ideas of the Fellowship of Reconciliation. The organization consists of men and women of many races, nations, and classes who recognize the oneness of the human family.

The students enjoyed having Mr. Bester and expect him again later in the season. He is now visiting all colleges of the South prosouting the spirit of Jesus as it applies to our racial, economic, and international relationships.

New French Club Organized

Much has been said during the year of organizing a club for those students interested in French. No definite step had been taken, however, until a meeting was called on Nov. 2 by Miss Edmundson, the language professor. Twelve students were present, both present and former French students, from which number the following officers were elected:

President - Eloise Grady.
Vice President - Rachel Rogerson.
Secretary - Inez Barefoot.

A more definite program was planned for a second meeting on Nov. 23. The enthusiasm and pep shown by those present promises a bright future for the Club. The constitution drawn up by an appointed committee was adopted, after a very entertaining program was rendered. Song - 'Marsellus'.

Music - Lottie Carawan Piano Solo - Frances Manning Reading - Marjorie Mashburn French Game led by Rachel Rogerson

The program proved to be both instructive and delightful. It is difficult at first to observe very strictly the rules for which purpose the club was organized, which is, to promote freer use of the French language and to become better acquainted with common idioms, customs, etc., of the French people.

Miss Edmundson after this very delightfully surprised us with hot tea and cake, after which we were adjourned to meet the second Tuesday in December.

Should the Sophomores At Atlantic Christian College Be Given More Privileges Than The Freshmen

The Sophomores at Atlantic Christian College should be given more privileges than the Freshmen. First, the Sophomores have had a year's experience in this college or some other college. They should know how they should act and what they should do. They know the rules and the consequences if these rules are disobeyed. The Freshmen since they have never had any experience in school, do not know the rules, what they should do, or how to do it.

Some of them might think that they could act as if they were home under their mother's care, instead of Mrs. Moore's. The Freshmen think that they should be satisfied and not consider the whole group. Therefore the Freshmen should be restricted more than Sophomores.

Second, the Sophomores should be old enough or have had experience enough in college to know the right from the wrong. Although there are some who act as they should not, sometimes, the majority of the Sophomores at Atlantic Christian College do as they should most of the time. Therefore, the Sophomores at Atlantic Christian College should be given more privileges than the Freshmen.

—Nannie Smith.

Mr. Hawkins: "I am in a bad fix" sighed the old man. "My son is a cannibal."

"What do you mean?" asked his companion. "Cannibals live off human flesh."

"Well," continued the old man, "I am human and my son lives off me."

Lay Corner For New College And Presents Portraits of J. J. Hines and Geo. Hackney

Club Observes Education Week

At the meeting of the Education Club Tuesday Afternoon at 4:30, a program representing the different days of Education Week, was given.

The primary purpose of this program was to acquaint the members of the club with the work of the schools, with their ideals, their achievements and their needs. Emphasis was placed on the fact that the schools aim to benefit the entire life of the child and the whole life of the society by working toward the great objectives of education: health; worthy home membership; faithful citizenship; vocational effectiveness; wise use of leisure; and ethical character.

Those who are planning to teach should join the club as the program committee is endeavoring to make the meetings just as interesting and helpful to all, as possible. Those who like fun and eating should, also join since our next meeting, December 5, is to be concluded with a social.

The Standing Of a College Does Depend Upon Its Wealth

A college can never do its best work when it is harassed by financial worries. Those who are vitally interested in the school give so much time, thought, and energy for the purpose of keeping it alive that they sometimes fall in the more important task of teaching thoroughly and forcefully those students which they have.

The program was as follows: Hymn - Faith of Our Fathers Lesson and Prayer Rev. E. C. Lynch Special Music - Miss Virginia Huffy Address - Dr. George Cuthrell Presentation of Portraits of Mr. Hines and Mr. Hackney.

It has been said that the standing of a college depends upon its faculty. I agree with the statement. I also contend that a teacher will ordinarily teach where she can get the highest salary. A college of little wealth cannot compete with the larger schools in offering salaries.

For these reasons, I think, the standing of a college does depend upon its wealth and upon the beauty of its surroundings.

—Elsie Meyers.

The Value of Study

We all study at times but has one ever asked why we study? Surely when we finish school and go out into the world to make our own lives, we are not going to sit and recite French verbs, try to correct all mistakes we hear in English and go over the dates we have learned in history.

No, we all study for an entirely different reason. We do not expect to remember all the things that we learn in school but we do expect to derive a great benefit from studying. When we study and learn a thing it trains our minds to remember bigger things when we are in entirely different circumstances.

We find that a person who never rates very high in his school work is usually the kind of person who leads a mediocre life later. The failure in school is probably a failure in life; but, do we stop to consider the brilliant boy who is the leader in his class in scholarship? We find that he is intelligent and in his career is certain to be a leader among men.

By this I do not mean to say that studying is all, indeed, it is only a part in the making of a great man. He must participate in athletics, socials, and mix with the student. He may have a bright mind and be a physical weakling, and then he could not succeed. Therefore, I say, that study is a big factor in our school life and it should come first with us but it should not occupy all our leisure time.

—Dorothy Slater.

Daniel H.: How in the world do you ever expect to knock a nail in the wall with a hair brush? For goodness sake Jake, use your head.

Several hundred persons including students, members of the faculty, alumni, town people and friends of Atlantic Christian College from all sections of Eastern Carolina attended the laying of the cornerstone of the Girls' Dormitory on the new college campus, situated on the Raleigh highway about a mile and a half from the city.

The very appropriate exercise was conducted by President Howard B. Hilley. Bryce Little, president of the chamber of commerce delivered an address on the college and its place in the heart of citizens of this city, its growth and the work accomplished. Dr. A. A. Cory of Kingston explained the interest in the college throughout the state and especially of the churches of the Disciples of Christ. In a brief statement Dr. Hilley outlined the building program hoped for in the new college. He also stated that three more buildings, the administration building, boys dormitory, and gymnasium would be ready for use next fall.

The cornerstones, containing a New Testament, a college annual catalog, a copy of the Wilson Daily Times and the Collegiate, building plans, and programs of the exercises, was laid in place by H. G. Braxton of Kingston, chairman of the Building Committee, Doane Herring of Wilson, chairman of the General Building Funds Committee, and W. M. Jones, contractor and builders of the girls dormitory. The congregation then sang "Bless Be the Tie That Binds" after which Rev. John Barclay pronounced the benediction.

Prior to the exercise on the new campus, a ceremony was held in the college chapel where the portraits of the two trustees,—the late J. W. Hines of Rocky Mount and George Hackney of Wilson, were presented

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Pupils' Recital Given

On November 20 at 3:45 in the college auditorium a very interesting recital was given by the pupils of Miss French, piano; Mr. Huffy, voice; Mr. Stallings, violin; and Mrs. Lucas, expression. A large number were present, many of which were out of town visitors. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed it. This was the first public program from these departments this year, but we are sincerely hoping they will give many more.

As a result of the program, we see the many talents that are being developed here at A. C. C. These various departments are offering splendid training and opportunity for the developing of such talents. Now is the time to develop them and these departments are urging that you do so.

Program given:
Piano: The Paper Chair - Lynes
Marianne Hooks
Voice: Be Near Me, Father Felton
Ethel Lynn Brown
Violin: (a) Cavatina - Schmidt
(b) Minuet in G - Beethoven
Eva Louise Schelton
Reading: The Boer, Anton Tekekow
Me lba Gay
Voice: (a) God Who Madest Heaven and Earth - Solly
(b) When Love is Kind - Old English
Francis Manning

Violin: (a) Melody in F, Rubinstein
Margaret Speight
Voice: (a) Until - Sanderson
(b) The Rosary - Nevin
Hattie Mae Ricks
Piano: Valse Aerienne - Spindler
Mrs. Jack Barnes

Eunice: Where do these term paper writers get their ideas?
Prof. Grim: What ideas?

Little Boy Blue, Come blow your sax. The neighbors are resting, you must not relax.

No one has ever complained of a parachute not opening.

Renno: Do you like house work?
Mary: I like nothing better.