

## HOLIDAY SPIRIT INTERFERES WITH PROGRAMS

### PHILOMATHEANS AGAIN ARGUING.

After the holiday's dissipation it is inspiring to see the Phils fall back into their regular program of work. Philomatheans always have good meetings, but the one Friday night did not come up to the usual high standard.

For some time the Society has been having programs altogether of a literary character with no debates. From now on they are expecting some good discussions on account of the incentive offered by the improvement prize which is awarded to the new member making the most improvement in debating.

The report of the committee to secure names of candidates for the oratorical contest was read and accepted. From the list of ten names submitted the following were elected: Donna McBane, Addie Morris, Dorothy Hubbard, Totten Moton, Bonnie Mae Barnes and Ellen Raiford.

### ALUMNI NOTES.

The Alumni Editor in his hasty preparation of the Alumni notes of the last issue overlooked one of Guilford's grandchildren, Miss Clara Farlow, daughter of E. E. Farlow, '96, who is at the present time principal of Guilford Graded School. Miss Farlow is a fourth grandchild of the college now registered.

Mrs. R. A. Field, nee Miss Addie Wilson, '96, enjoyed a pleasant Christmas season as her sister, Miss Ada M. Field, '98, now a member of the faculty of Peabody Teachers' College at Nashville, Tenn., and a former teacher of Chemistry here, spent the holidays with her family. Mrs. R. A. Field is located at Newnan, Ga.

Mr. W. Ernest Younts, '08, for several years has had charge of the Bessemer High School, just three miles from Greensboro. He has recently been instrumental in crystallizing sentiment in his section for a bond issue with which to erect a school house. The new \$12,000 modern high school building is now in process of erection and Professor Younts expects to finish the year's work in these commodious quarters, which is a model for rural high school buildings.

A marriage of unusual interest to Guilfordians was solemnized here last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus White, when their daughter, Miss Flora W., became the bride of Mr. E. P. Edwards, of Spartanburg, S. C. Miss White is a graduate of Guilford, a member of the class of 1911. She has done graduate work at Peabody Teachers' College, was a member of the faculty of the Summer School of the South last session, and this fall has been teaching domestic science at the State Normal at Greensboro. Mr. Edwards is a brother of Miss Alma Edwards, '07, now a member of the Guilford faculty. The bridegroom is a prominent business man of Spartanburg, being engaged in the wholesale grocery business. Among those participating in the ceremony were the following Alumni: Miss Mary E. White, '14, Miss Alma Edwards, '07, and Miss Alice Dixon, '10.

### NEW TALENT DEVELOPED IN ZATASIANS.

When the Zatasians assembled Friday evening for the first meeting of the New Year the fact was felt without utterance that every one held a desire to make a good beginning, but with so much of the holiday spirit still existing and with the short notice that was given it was very hard for those on the program to prepare it very well. Nevertheless the society wishes to commend them very highly especially as they were all new girls and on the program for the first time.

Two former Zatasians were present, Misses Cathlene Pike and Burtie Dix, who gave encouraging remarks.

After the critic gave her report Society adjourned.

### PLATO AND SOCRATES AT THE LITERARY CLUB.

The Literary Club held its regular meeting in East Parlor, Founders, January 3. The program was given as follows: "A Study of the Protogoras, the Socratic doctrine of Virtue," by Professor Brinton. This dialogue belongs to an early period for it takes a definite stand along lines contradicted by Plato's later works. It is more remarkable as a dramatic piece of literature than for its philosophical ideas. It is intended to show the loose unscientific methods of the Sophisto. The Platonic doctrine that "Knowledge is Virtue" was developed and explained.

Socrates—Professor Davis. The one thing which makes us so interested in Socrates is the method and result of his moral teaching. He did not care for abstract discussions, but was interested in questions affecting men and society. The club is indebted to Professor Davis for an excellent discussion of Socrates.

### SENIORS DEFEAT FACULTY.

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many events which a painter would have found worthy of his canvas. Among these George's swelling forehead and Balderston's bunged nose could scarcely rival a vision of Ed. Carroll rising from the bottom of a struggling pile, toothless, but triumphant.

#### The line-up:

Faculty.	Seniors.
Brinton . . . . . R. F. . . . .	Carroll
Woodsley . . . . . L. F. . . . .	Garner
Balderston . . . . . C. . . . .	Moore
George . . . . . R. G. . . . .	Newlin
Doak . . . . . L. G. . . . .	Beeson

Sub., Valentine  
Field goals, Garner 4, Moore 1, Woodsley 1, Brinton 1. Foul goals, Doak 2, Woodsley 1.

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## CLAYS MEET IN NEW HALL.

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he stated that every student should identify himself with a literary society in order to round out his scholastic talents and to realize that perfect confidence in oneself when addressing an audience which is fostered by society work.

The following men in the order named then gave us some encouraging remarks: Garner, R. Newlin, Carroll, E. Moore, Stuart, Stanley, Hussey, Fox, A. Newlin, and Kiser.

The president then stated that we should start the new year right by buying an interest in our own property. The necessity had arisen to raise money to help pay off the indebtedness of the society. The boys gave a loyal response to this request and something over one hundred and fifty dollars was raised.

A committee, consisting of Garner, Carroll, and Kiser, was appointed to submit some revisions of the constitution of the society in two weeks. S. N. White was critic for the evening.

The new hall is something which should bring every Clay to a realization of the necessity for more and better society work if he intends to emulate the careers of the men whose pictures adorn the walls. As one gazes at them he cannot avoid having a feeling of gratitude for the great heritage they have left us, a heritage of a goal towards which we may advance. The achievements of the renowned statesman, Alexander Hamilton, were made possible thru his ability as a speaker and his countenance seems to give an inspiration to work. The portrait of Dr. Nereus Mendenhall, who, as principal of New Garden Boarding School for many years, laid the foundation for Guilford College and was one of the educational leaders of the state, also adds dignity to the atmosphere of the room. It is unnecessary to mention the achievements of John Marshall, Abraham Lincoln and Henry Clay in order to show that a great incentive to forensic endeavor surrounds the Clays. The founders of the Henry Clay Literary Society, students of '85 and '86, also urge us on towards a goal which, looking down thru the vista of years to come, they saw when they organized the society. Last, but not least, the portrait of the greatest product of the Society, Mr. Joseph M. Dixon, of Montana, brings anew to our minds the result of work in the Henry Clay Literary Society.

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