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SUCCESSFUL JOINT TENNIS TOURNAMENT

It was a disappointed crowd of boys and girls that looked at the weather last Saturday morning—it was raining. Consequently there was no tournament that day. But the following Wednesday was ideal. After school Old Founders' bell, the bell that summons one so often to success or failure, pleasure or gloom—rang. A noisy, excited crowd met at the courts to watch how the games were going and to encourage their own particular friends. Truly a happy, expectant crowd.

The four courts back of Cox Hall were numbered and filled with only the best players; an equal number of boys and girls. When the whistle blew all settled down to the serious business of playing, encouraging the players and enjoying the games. After intervals of ten minutes the whistle blew. This was always a signal for the winning couple to change courts and partners. Each player's ambition though probably unexpressed was to reach court No. 1 and to stay there as long as possible. Not as easily done, either as one might think. The tournament ended only after the supper bell had sounded its summons.

The players were Misses Edwards, Roberts, Whitney, Blair, Harmon, L. Raiford, E. Raiford, Cox, Prof. Brinton Prof. Carroll, Edwards, Sundean, Barrett, Touchberry, Moore and Macon.

Seven rounds altogether were played. Of these Miss Edwards, Prof. Carroll and Prof. Brinton won in six, Jessie Cox and H. Edwards in five, K. Harmon, J. Whitney, and Sundean in four, C. Blair and C. Macon in three, and the others in two.

MACON CHAMPION IN MEN'S SINGLES.

Much pep and enthusiasm was shown throughout the entire tennis tournament which has recently been brought to a close. The results in the single tournament are as follows:

Moore defeats Touchberry, 1-6, 8-6, 6-2; Barrett defeats O. Stafford, 6-1, 6-1; Sundean defeats Brown, 6-0, 6-3; Macon defeats Edwards, 6-1, 6-4.

Second round Moore defeats Barrett, 6-1, 1-6, 6-3; Macon defeats Sundean, 6-1, 6-1.

In the finals Macon defeated Moore 6-2, 6-1.

The doubles tournament will be played this week.

An agent of the government visited the college recently and sealed up the college wireless outfit until after the war. This outfit had been dismantled since the outbreak of war, but all such apparatus everywhere is being sealed up by the government.

Prof. and Mrs. Carroll very pleasantly entertained a number of the faculty in their apartments last Sunday night.

MOTLEY THROG IN GYM. GREAT DISPLAY TALENT

Weird Medley of Spooks, Great Display of Talent and Beautiful Decorations Feature Hallowe'en Celebration.

The gymnasium last Saturday night was the scene of one of the most notable occasions of the year at Guilford. All Hallow's Eve was celebrated in its most characteristic style.

By the able hands of an industrious social committee and their helpful aids the gymnasium had been transformed into a veritable wonderland. Oaks, pines, cedars, hickories, maples, dogwood with their brilliantly colored foliage adorned the space in sylvian array while corn shocks, pumpkins, hideous Jack O'Lanterns added to the creation of a spookland atmosphere.

To set off this scenery there was a medley of beings—spooks, "niggers and nigger gals," pretty lassies with delightful sunbonnets and dangling curls, Indian maidens, clowns, "Hans and Fritz," grotesque witches, gypsies, who told one his pleasant or unpleasant future, "Willie Boys," babies and baby carriages, Quaker maids and numbers of others dressed in artistic, comical, weird, and natural costumes, and to cap the whole thing Mrs. Kant B. Beet and little daughter Mary.

What a time! The attractions were seemingly unlimited. The ice cream booth, the witches' hut, the gypsy tent, the nigger meeting, Uncle Munn, throwing at the nigger's head, games, all had their share of the attention. A grand parade, in which each one participated, was staged in the midst of the occasion resembling the medley of Noah's ark for uniqueness and originality.

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BASKET BALL PRACTICE CONTINUES

Early Removal of Quarantine May Cause Renewal of Football Practice.

For the past week continued practice in basket ball has been carried on. Some of the new men show excellent ability and will make good players. We see no reason this year why our basket ball team should not be up to the same standard as heretofore.

Raiford at forward is especially good in passing and shooting field goals. Rice, a new man, at forward, seems as sure a shot but not quite so fast in action. Stafford at center plays with his usual pep and hard work. He is also a good shot.

Anderson at guard is always with the man he is guarding and besides playing well, he is sure to put pep into the whole team.

The following are working hard and in good spirits and are prospects for good players: Hodgins, H. White, Barnard, Rollison, Hester, Cox, Casey, Macon, Stout, Dye, Kiser, Peele and J. White.

The improvement in the influenza situation makes it possible that foot ball practice be resumed. In that case the further practice of basket ball will be discontinued until the close of the football season. Coach Doak is still with us not having sufficiently recovered from influenza to return to his Y. M. C. A. work in the army.

Next Saturday night it is proposed that the whole student body take supper down in the meadow. A pig will be secured and barbecued. The company will return in time for the lecture.

TOM ANDERSON LEADS Y. M. C. A.

Be a Man He Says, in Mind, Body and Spirit.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting last Thursday evening was led by Tom Anderson. This was his first attempt at such a task and truly it was a successful one. The leader chose as a subject, "Be a man in mind, body and spirit." "Is it better for a man to start out to cut wood with a dull ax and continue or would it be better for him to stop and sharpen it? Can an empty sack stand upright?" So it is with the mind. A man without an education has no opportunity in life compared with the man who has an educated mind.

Then while we are training our minds our body should not be neglected. We should take the greatest care of our body, avoiding dissipation in any form.

In order that we might develop our bodies we should make good use of the morning exercises at the "Gym" and then in the afternoon take part in some athletic exercise. When you do anything put your entire strength and ability in it. Be a man, learn to control your temper in games as well as elsewhere.

And now we come to the last, the spirit, which is more important than either of the others. In every walk of life the man who is not a true Christian does not hold the esteem of his fellowmen as does his Christian friend.

To be an all around man one must have a clean body, a trained mind, and a trained soul. Unless he has all these he is not a man but a "two by four."

For what is it worth to a man "if he should gain the whole world and lose his own soul, or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?"

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE IN CHARGE OF Y. W. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. meeting for the past week was in charge of the mission study committee. They took up the life and work of Anna Jones.

While originally from Indiana the greater part of Miss Jones' life was spent in North Carolina and she was at one time a student at Guilford College. Before accepting her call to Africa she taught for a number of years. Her life as a teacher was very successful and as a Christian worker she was most energetic. Miss Jones labored for five years in the Lumbua Industrial Mission, British East Africa, being associated with Willis Hotchkiss and wife, among the best known and most consecrated of all missionaries in the dark continent. She came to this country in 1913 and remained until 1916, when she again went to Africa to take up her work. In the last two years she spent there she translated numbers of books of the Bible, text books and hymns and almost completed a Kepsigis vocabulary which she was doing all alone.

After spending some time in a hospital in British East Africa, Miss Anna T. Jones died August 10, 1918.



COACH DOAK

Who has, while on furlough, given Guilford athletics a good start.