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FRENCH SMITH ELECTED PRESIDENT HENRY CLAYS

An interesting debate, on the question: "Resolved; that the United State should recognize the Russian Government as a sovereign Government", was the main feature on the program of the Henry Clay Literary Society, Friday night.

The Affirmative team composed of Everett Beamon and Alden Hunt showed that Russia has progressed greatly, that there is a great field for the investment of capital and that Russia promises to carry out all obligations contracted by the present government. However, Walter Mears and Glenn Boose won the judges' decision by proving that the Russian Government has failed to fulfil its obligations and that they do not guarantee to protect American capital.

The society enjoyed a humorous reading by Ralph Smitherman.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing six weeks. President, French Smith; Vice-President, Waldo Williams; Secretary, Ira Newlin; Assistant Secretary, Scott Benton; Chaplain, Norman Osborne; Censor, Charles Bowles; Sergeant-at-arms, Ralph Smitherman.

MODERN AMERICAN POETS IS ZAY PROGRAM SUBJECT

"Modern American Poets" was the basis of the program given in the Zatasian Literary Society last Friday evening.

"Characteristics of Modern Poets" was the first number, read by Aileen Beeson. Mrs. Ruth Lynn gave some interesting "Facts About Vachel Lindsay." The concluding number was the reading of one of Vachel Lindsay's awe inspiring poems, "The Congo," by Frances Osborne. This was an interesting picture of the savage African negroes, showing how they have changed since Christianity has been introduced into their midst.

ALICE HAZARD SPEAKS AT Y. W. THURSDAY EVENING

Alice Hazard spoke at Y. W. Thursday evening on "The Challenge of Youth." Miss Hazard read from "A Woman's Philosophy" by Ruth Cameron about the time that we so willingly wish away. "Time makes youth grow old. We are the youth of America," said Miss Hazard, "We should realize the challenge of youth, that vital living challenge, the challenge of the common-people. What are we going to do with it?" The speaker gave six things which would enable us to live out that challenge. They were: to open your eyes, open your mind, open your hand, open your heart, open your soul, and seek the best.

Miss Hazard closed by reading from Kipling—"The Explorer,"

GUILFORD ENDS ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL BASKETBALL SEASON WITH NINE WINS

By Reginald Marshall

In reviewing the basket ball game of the past season we find that Guilford has had a successful year. Probably not since the days of the illustrious John Gurney Frazier has Guilford had as successful a season as during the past one. At the outset Coach Doak had to rebuild his team from freshmen, having one guard and only one forward from last years quint. At the beginning of the second semester Ferrell returned to school and strengthened the team.

Playing two games each with the three small colleges of the state, Elon, High Point and Lenoir-Rhyne, Guilford split even margins.

The defeat of Duke and Wake Forest on successive nights was no doubt the high spot of Guilford's playing. One the trip into Virginia, Guilford won two and lost three games. One of these games was lost by a one point margin while another went into an extra period before Guilford won.

The crowning event of the season was the last game with State. The Quakers played State on overtime and were defeated by only one point. It will be remembered that State completely outclassed Carolina in the final game between the two institutions.

In looking over the games played, we find that "Shirt" Smith was high scorer of the season. His floor work and shooting stood out in every game. Bob Griffin, who played forward with Smith at the beginning of the season was a star in practically every game that he played. His work in the Carolina-Guilford game was especially noteworthy.

Ferrell played a smooth consistent game throughout the season, especially in the Duke game and on the northern trip. In the game with Richmond University he scored six successive field goals.

Moore at center was hard fighter and the best jumper Guilford has ever had. Although not very tall, only two or three of the opposing centers were able to tip with him successfully. Considering the fact that he is a freshman without college experience he did excellently. In more than one game he was high scorer.

Coltrane, freshman guard and all state high school player last year, in no way disappointed his followers. His guarding stood out in every game. He not only played well on the defense but was a good offensive guard.

"Hank" Tew, varsity man for three years, played a strong defense the entire season.

Coble, substitute guard and center, could always be depended upon. He was high scorer in a few of the games. The other substitutes; Russell; F. Smith; Smutt Smith and Marshall played good ball in all the games in which they participated.

Considering the fact that 9 out of 20 games were won by Guilford against strong opponents with experienced material, Guilford had a successful season.

With all the basketball men returning next year, with possible one exception, Guilford looks forward to one of the best basketball seasons in the history of the institution.

PHILOMATHEANS HAVE A GUILFORD PROGRAM

At the regular meeting of the Philomathean Literary Society last Friday night, a Guilford Program was given.

The first number was "Guilford of the Past" by Ruby Hall. In this selection Miss Hall traced the development of Guilford College since 1830 (A humorous dialogue in which "Miss Philomathean of 1926 and "Miss Philomathean of 1989 were represented by Lalah Hassell and Galdys Gardner, respectively, was the second number on the program. The third subject "Guilford Spirit" was given full justice by Lalah Cox. "Guilford of the Present" was discussed by Mary Pearson. The last number was "Guilford of the Future" by Ruth M. Ipass.

Two new members, Anna Finch and Allen Robertson, were welcomed into the society.

BASEBALL PRACTICE IS ON WITH SMITH AND FERRELL DEVELOPING SEASON FORM

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garden for the Guilford varsity before, but has never played enough games to get a letter. He is probably the teams hardest hitter. French Smith is another letter man who bids fair for a good season with the varsity. Hughes played with the scrubs last year and is being given a chance in left field this spring. Little need be said of the already famous Guilford battery. "Shirt" Smith starts his third year with the varsity this spring, and much is expected of the speedy little southpaw. He made an excellent record in the Palmetto League last summer "Rick" is probably the best catcher Guilford has turned out in several years. He played first amateur ball last summer.

Besides R. Smith, the pitching staff is composed of Paul Coltrane, who pitched for Guilford College High School last year and the County League last summer; Knox Poole, freshman pitcher at Davidson College last year; Rabb, captain and pitcher for Lenoir Rhyne High School last year; and Worth Mackie.

Bryant and Melvin are running a close race for second string catcher's position. Hodgkin and Murray White are battling furiously at first base and Marshall is playing a bang-up game at short. "Muddy" Taylor is running. Griffin a close race for the hot corner, Taylor having played some last season. The outfield is well taken care of with McIne, Parrish, Russell, Stuart, Ira Newlin, and May backing up the varsity. Others who are making good progress are A. Cor, Andrews, Edwards and Wilkins.

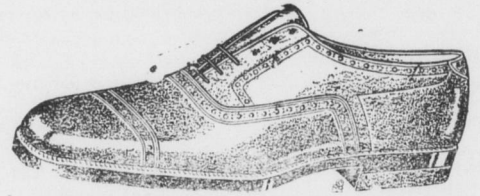
Captain English believes that his team has a good chance for the state championship. "Nee" thinks that the Quakers can hold the opposition to a low score, but that the hitting ability is rather an unknown quantity. The general impression is that the team will win more games than last year's varsity.

Coach Doak says the pitching department is much stronger than it was last year. The infield is practically the same, while the outfield is a little weaker in hitting. However, coach thinks this will be off-set by the increased strength in the pitching staff. Pitching was the weak spot of the 1925 season, according to Coach.

Guilford's first game is with the Quantico Marines at Greensboro March 22. April 1, the Quakers encounter A. C. C. at Wilson. April 2, Guilford meets Wake Forest at Wake Forest; April 3, Carolina at High Point; April 5, Lenoir at Hickory; and April 7, Wake Forest at Guilford College.

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