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MAROON AND GOLD MACHINE DEFEATS HAMPDEN-SIDNEY IN A HARD FOUGHT STRUGGLE

Elon Eleven Makes Two Touchdowns and Drop Kicks Goal.

THRONGS OF SPECTATORS

Perry and Kirkland Score for Elonites—Blankenship for Hampden-Sidney.

In a game marked by hard fighting on the part of both teams, Elon came out victorious over the Hampden-Sidney eleven on Comer field last Saturday by a score of 13 to 6.

In the very beginning of the game Perry, of Elon, gave the fans a thrill by intercepting a forward pass and dashing 65 yards through a broken field for the initial touchdown.

After failing to make the extra point the Corboy men again kicked off, but Hampden-Sidney ran a good interference and brought the ball back to the home team's 38-yard line. A fumble placed the ball in the hands of Elon through the splendid work of Kirkland, who carried it for a first down. But Hampden-Sidney tightened and Elon was forced to kick. At this point in the game, G. A. Brown, Elon's left tackle, in a sensational attempt to stay the racing Hampden-Sidney warrior, fractured his collar bone and was forced to leave the game. A. Brown was substituted. Failing to make first down, Hampden-Sidney was forced to punt. The ball was blocked by Braxton and covered by Clark. The Maroon and Gold squad gained 20 yards on a forward pass, followed by a series of sensational line plunges by Kirkland, which placed the ball on the five-yard line. With the largest attendance that has ever been seen on the Comer field crying for a touchdown, the first quarter came to a close.

In the first play of the second quarter Kirkland skirted the right wing for Elon's second touchdown. Perry drop-kicked a goal. Neither team seemed to make any progress for a while, but as the home team punted Smith and Flynn tackled the receiver in his tracks. A fumble by Hampden-Sidney placed the ball in the hands of the home team on the 20-yard line. Here the progress was halted and the pigskin was given over to Hampden-Sidney, who by a criss-cross made nine yards but failed to make a first down. Perry whipped a forward pass to Clark who completed it for 14 yards. A fumble (Continued on page four)

MISS PRITCHARD WILL BE AT ELON NEXT TUESDAY

Will Speak at Chapel on Tuesday Morning—Much Interest Manifested in Visit.

Miss Virginia Pritchard will visit Elon on Monday and Tuesday, October 30 and 31. As has been previously stated in an earlier issue of "Maroon and Gold", she comes in the interest of the Student Volunteer Movement and the Y. W. C. A.

Miss Pritchard is a graduate of Randolph Macon College. This year she is traveling for the movement. Her visit is looked forward to by many of the students. She will speak to the student body at the chapel services next Tuesday morning and afterwards will be glad to meet any one who wishes a private talk with her concerning their life's problems.

Arrangements for these individual interviews must be arranged through either the president of the Y. M. C. A. or the Y. W. C. A.

WILL GIVE TWO PLAYS HERE THURSDAY, NOV. 2

Company of Artists to Appear in Matinee and Night Performances

Clifford Devereux, supported by Zenita Graf and company of artist players, will appear here in two plays on Thursday, November 2. "Romeo and Juliet" will be staged at a matinee performance, while "Arms and the Man" will be given at night.

These two numbers, which will be presented in the college chapel, are given as added attractions to the lyceum course fostered by the Music Lovers Club. Holders of season tickets are entitled to see these plays without extra cost but a charge of \$1.00 will be made for single admissions.

This company of artists has gained a wide reputation for putting on shows of the highest order. "Romeo and Juliet" is a play which needs no introduction and "Arms and the Man" maintains equally as high a standard.

The story describes the adventures in love and war of a soldier the like of which you never heard or saw. Unromantic in war and prosaic in love and an enemy to boot, he nevertheless succeeds in securing the matrimonial prize where the romantic soldier of gallant exterior and empty head, fails. Seeking assistance from the "girl" in the story he is enabled to escape in an old coat of her father's. The subsequent adventures of this coat bring about enough trouble and good fortune to provide excitement and laughter for several plays. Mr. Devereux plays the unorthodox hero in his well known intelligent manner and Miss Graf charmingly enacts the "girl."

Reina Petkoff is engaged to Sergius, an officer of rank in the Bulgarian army. On a night when Sergius has consummated a brilliant victory Raina shelters a Servian, Captain Bluntschli, in her room. She discovers, through him, that Sergius' brilliant attack was sheer spectacular foolhardiness. Nevertheless, by her help and that of her mother, Bluntschli escapes, disguised in her father's coat.

Peace is declared—Sergius and Major Petkoff, Raina's father, return home and relate a story they have heard, of a fugitive being protected by two Bulgarian women, not knowing that they are Raina and her mother. The women wish to maintain it a secret, but at an inopportune moment Bluntschli calls to return the coat. Sergius and Petkoff meet him—Raina appears and unguardedly nearly betrays the previous acquaintance with Bluntschli.

Bluntschli is pressed by Petkoff to remain as a guest. The servant Nicola, who has been instructed by Madame Petkoff to remove the coat from Bluntschli's bag, returns it to its accustomed place and Major Petkoff, much to his amazement finds the coat in the identical spot where half an hour before it could not be located. He is suspicious that it has been worn, and finds Raina's photograph in the pocket, subscribed by her to Bluntschli.

Louka, Raina's maid, tells Sergius the incident of Raina and Bluntschli's meeting. Sergius is furious and challenges Bluntschli to a duel through which his infatuation for Louka is discovered. What is the outcome? Who but Shaw could contrive such a human and laughable conclusion.

STUDENTS HEAR MANY CONVENTION SPEAKERS

Prominent Men in Religious and Educational World Address Students at Chapel.

While the American Christian Convention was in session in Burlington the Elon students had the privilege of hearing a number of the best speakers of the Christian Church.

Dr. Frank H. Peters, Pastor of the Defiance College church, began the series with an inspirational talk. He said that it was not advice but sentiment that students wanted, and following in this line the speakers brought messages of inspiration and sentiment which pleased the students. Dr. E. A. Watkins of Lima, Ohio, followed Dr. Peters, and his humorous stories in which he brought the great message of character building won for him a place in the hearts of his hearers.

Dean Enders of the Defiance Seminary brought a deeply spiritual message. He was followed by two Christian college presidents. Dr. W. S. Alexander, of Union Christian College, talked on the opportunities of youth in this age. Dr. Alexander understands student life, and his address was filled with that understanding and sympathy.

Dr. A. G. Caris, President of Defiance, spoke to the students on "Great Expectations." He was careful to explain that the great expectations were not what the world owed the individual, but what the parents, the community, and the God who had invested in the individual had a right to expect from him. Dr. Caris presented his subject with emphasis and power.

Dr. A. M. Kerr, Editor of the Herald of Gospel Liberty, gave a fitting close to the series. Dr. Kerr is an able speaker and thinker, and he understands the trend of the times and believes that life is good. He plead for vision and understanding of the coming age in which the present students will live and work.

In the early eighties at a charity bazaar in Baltimore, patrons were allowed to talk over Mr. Bell's telephone for 10 cents. Only \$10 was realized, however, as most people ridiculed the invention.

CONVENTION AT BURLINGTON COMES TO A CLOSE THIS WEEK

New Office Created for Correlation of Educational Work—President Harper Asked to Serve as General Secretary—May Resign Presidency.

After many days of deliberation concerning the problems confronting the Christian Church, the American Christian Convention Tuesday night adjourned its quadrennial session held in Burlington, October 17-25.

One of the many decisions reached by the convention in its session was the consolidation of the various boards of educational work. Dr. W. A. Harper was chosen to head this general board.

The closing days of the convention were filled with the adoption of reports and the shaping of church policies. During these last few days the Christian Church took the most forward-looking step in Christian education in all history.

Hitherto, the church has had three departments: one of Christian Endeavor, one of Sunday schools, and one of schools and colleges. At the sitting of the convention it was decided to merge these departments into a central board of Christian education. This is the first time such a step has been taken by any church. It is the purpose of

TWO SPEAKERS HERE FOR SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE

Dr. John Warner of Buenos Aires and Mr. Hermon Eldredge Speak to Students.

Two unusually interesting speakers appeared at the college chapel Sunday evening, Dr. John Warner, of Buenos Aires, Brazil, and Mr. Hermon Eldredge, of Erie, Pennsylvania, being the speakers. Both men are Y. M. C. A. secretaries, and each discussed the problems which are met with in their respective countries.

Dr. Warner was the first speaker, and in his talk he told why the needs in South America are greater and different from those of North America. He claimed that the pioneers of South America were in search of gold, while the pioneers of North America were in search of God. He stressed the point that the people in South America lack the Christ which the people on the northern continent have the privilege of knowing. Mr. Warner gave five points why the standards of Brazil are low; namely, the vastness of the frontier, the great amount of intemperance, the extensive gambling, the low moral ideals, and the lack of Christian religion.

After the first speaker a special music number was given. Misses Madge Moffitt and Irene Goff and Mr. C. P. Flynn sang a trio which was very suitable for the service.

Mr. Hermon Eldredge then spoke about the work in the United States. The general theme of his address was on Life Recruit work. During his talk Mr. Eldredge said that there are two forces which control the lives of people,—the force within and the force without. He also discussed three questions which he maintains are essential to every life: first, am I a Christian? second, what does Christ want me to do? and third, am I ready to do what Christ wants me to do? He declared that the trouble with the world is that people will not apply Christianity when they have the opportunity. In closing, Mr. Eldredge made a strong appeal for young people to give themselves for some phase of Christian work.

Premier Lloyd George will receive 90,000 pounds for his memoirs.

PRACTICE TEACHERS AND TEACHERS IN ASSOCIATION

Organize to Discuss the Various Problems Confronting the Teaching Profession.

The supervising teachers of the Elon Graded School, the students of the college, who are doing practice teaching, together with several members of the college faculty, met Friday evening, October 6, for the purpose of organizing an Elon Teacher and Student-Teacher Association.

Dr. W. C. Wicker, head of the education department of the college, in a very pleasing and helpful talk, stated the object of and the benefits that would result from such an organization. Dr. Wicker believes that this association will be a source of great help to all its members. The teachers were urged to bring all their problems to the meetings of the association, and there feel free to discuss these problems and to ask advice concerning them. It is intended that these meetings shall be a means not only of gaining helpful ideas and suggestions, but also of aiding others by a discussion of the successful plans and practices that each is carrying out in his or her daily program.

It was agreed upon that this association should meet each Friday evening from seven o'clock until eight except on those Friday evenings on which there are public programs given at the school.

The following officers were elected: President, Supt. J. H. Hornaday; Vice-President, Pattie Lee Coghill; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. R. S. Rainey. This Elon Teacher and Student-Teacher Association is composed of members of the college faculty, the graded school faculty, and thirty-two college students who are doing practice teaching.

The following is a list of the names of the student-teachers:

Nannie Aldridge, Lucy Austin, Effie Bowden, Annie B. Cardwell, Lucile Cardwell, Sarah Carter, Mrs. L. M. Cannon, Essie Mae Cotten, Pattie Lee Coghill, Freda Dimmick, Minnie Edge, Esther Farmer, Margaret Harden, Lillian Harrell, Nettie Harris, Margaret Homewood, Mary Nelle Holland, Lois Holland, Opal Howell, Bertha Isley, Helen Johnson, Annie Mae Lackey, Doris McLean, Mamie Moore, Anna Laurie Phillips, Herbert Scholz, Agnes Whitt, Worth Wicker, G. D. Underwood and Mrs. R. S. Rainey.

KAPPA PSI NU FILLS ITS RANKS WITH NEW MEN

Endeavors to Maintain Its High Standards in Scholarship and Character.

The vacancies made in the ranks of the Kappa Psi Nu social club by the graduating class of the last year have been partly filled. The past weeks have been busy weeks for the Kappa Psi Nu. Six new men have been received into full membership, and definite plans formulated for the year's activities.

In the selection of the men recently received, the club has strictly adhered to the high standards of scholarship and morals set by the organizers. Men have been selected for these as well as the social requirements of the club. It is the endeavor of the Kappa Psi Nu to maintain the high standards, and to raise them gradually as the men grow to them.

The following men have been recently made members of the club: M. J. W. White, Jr., G. C. Donovan, J. H. Dollar, R. D. Clements, T. E. Hanner and G. D. Colclough. All of these men promise a larger and better Kappa Psi Nu.