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ANNUAL CLASS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT IS WON BY THE FRESHMAN CLASS THIS YEAR

Seniors Win From Juniors, Freshmen from Sophomores and Seniors—Won by Single Point.

GAMES HOTLY CONTESTED

Everything From Football Tactics to Broncho-Busting Called Into Use During Series.

The unexpected happened Wednesday afternoon when the Freshman class won the basketball championship from the Seniors. The Class of '23 has held the championship each year since its entrance in college and odds seemed in their favor this year. But fate decreed that the victory should go to the class of '26 this time and give them the same right to rejoice that came to the class of '23 when they were novices in the game of college life.

The first game of the tournament was played Monday afternoon between the Juniors and Seniors. The game was a rough and tumble affair, a feature which always characterizes inter-class games. Everything from football tactics to broncho-busting was called into use on the gym floor. The Seniors, however, managed to come out on top with a score of 20 while the class below them was successful in piling up 14 points against them.

The second game was played Tuesday afternoon between the Freshman and Sophomore classes. The Sophomores going after the scalp of the Freshman with the usual vim and vigor that they go after them when things don't run smoothly between the two classes. This time, however, the Freshman (Continued on page two.)

ELON PEOPLE HURT IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilkins, Former Students of the College, Are Severely Injured.

An accident of a rather serious character occurred here Friday at about 10 p. m., when Mr. J. E. Wilkins, of this place, and his wife, going home after attending the debate in the college chapel between Elon and Emory and Henry colleges, were hit by a car driven by a man who lived in Mebane, as they were crossing the highway, and sustained bad injuries.

Few facts are obtainable. It would appear, however, that after the accident the driver stopped and assisted in carrying Mr. Wilkins and his wife to the hospital. The wife of the man driving the car was also with him at the time of the accident.

Mr. Wilkins was unconscious for sometime, but outside of being rather badly bruised his hurts were not serious. Mrs. Wilkins, however, received injuries of a more serious character, her nose being broken and a large gash cut in her face.

At the time of the accident, which occurred at the crossing at Dr. T. C. Amick's, it seems that two cars were passing from opposite directions, and because of the dense fog which had settled here at that time, and also blinded by the lights from another car, neither the driver nor Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins were able to see each other until too late to avoid the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins are both former students of the college, and resided in the town here. Mrs. Wilkins was formerly Miss Purnie B. Somers, of Altamahaw, until her marriage a short time ago.

CUPID IS DOING A THRIVING BUSINESS

Cupid seems to be doing a thriving business in the hearts of Elon students.

J. H. Dollar will be married to Miss Fannie Mae Elder on December 23. Mr. Dollar is a member of the class of '24, and very active in college life. His marriage is not expected to interfere with his work here. Mrs. Dollar will come to Elon with her husband and enter college for the study of piano and voice.

On January 24 Miss Kathleen Harden will become the bride of Mr. Dover Heritage, of Burlington. Miss Harden is a very popular Elon student. Mr. Heritage is a young business man of Burlington, and very prominent in business circles there. Miss Harden's home is in Graham, North Carolina.

DELTA UPSILON KAPPA HOLDS ANNUAL BANQUET

Delightful Occasion of Merrymaking—Holiday Decorations—Miss Dimmick Toastmistress.

The annual banquet of the Delta Upsilon Kappa sorority for the young ladies and their invited guests occurred Saturday night, and was an occasion of great entertainment and merrymaking for those participating. The banquet occasion is a regular annual affair of the club, and elaborate preparations had been made both as to decorations and in the culinary department, the domestic science hall of the college being the scene of activities for the young people.

Green and white being the club colors, the scheme was carried out through all the decorations and even to the menu and place cards. Small cedar trees lined the walls around the entire circumference of the hall. They were flecked with artificial snow and shiny tinsel particles to produce the green and white of the color arrangement. Honeysuckle vines trailed in streamers from the ceiling, and their fragrant odor blended with the balm of the cedar to produce a delightful incense of the woods. A soft carpet of fur and fresh pine needles covered the floor, and in the spacious center opening the tables were placed in the shape of a cross. Candles were used for lighting and added a beautiful finishing touch to the already sparkling effect.

During the course of the sumptuous dinner, which began with fruit cocktail and ran through the full list of soups, meats, salads, and desserts, with all accessories, toasts, speeches, jokes and general merrymaking went the rounds. Miss Freda Dimmick served in the office of toastmistress and opened the evening with words to welcome the members and guests. W. E. Marlette responded to the opening toast of welcome and spoke the kindly sentiments of the guests. Coach Corboy was heard in a speech of a general character, and afterwards followed bright bits of humor and wit from impromptu sources. Socializing, enjoyment and a general good time was the purpose, the occasion, and the result of the ladies' banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Corboy were present as the honored guests of the (Continued on page two.)

POPULAR MEMBER MUSIC FACULTY NOW ON TOUR

Professor Walter Greenwood came to us last fall and is the head of the Voice Department of the College. He is held in high esteem by both students and faculty, and was recently elected to honorary membership in both the Clio and Philologist Literary societies. Before taking charge of the work here, he was engaged in concert work, and has sung in the majority of the large cities of the country. His voice is a rich baritone, displaying wonderful training and quality, and his services are much in demand for solo and concert work. His friends wish him success on his latest tour.



PROF. WALTER GREENWOOD LEAVES FOR TRIP NORTH TO GIVE VOCAL RECITALS

Will Take Part in Concerts at Springfield, Mass., and Brooklyn, N. Y.

ANNUAL MUSICAL EVENTS

Professor Walter Greenwood left Thursday night for a trip to several northern cities. On this trip he will give vocal recitals at Springfield, Mass., and at Brooklyn, New York.

The first engagement is at Springfield, Mass., on the evening of December 18. The Orpheus Choral Society of that city will give Deems Taylor's "The Highwayman." Professor Greenwood will sing the baritone solo parts, these being the leading parts in the choral. In connection with this he will sing several groups of solos.

On Tuesday evening, December 19, Prof. Greenwood will appear before the Conard Society of Brooklyn, N. Y. His recital there will be identically the same as the one which he gave there two years ago. The repetition has been especially requested by the society.

These societies have annual musical recitals, which always come the week before Christmas. This is the third consecutive year that Professor Greenwood will have appeared before them.

The Buffalo Courier said of Professor Greenwood: "Walter Greenwood, the popular young American baritone, is an artist in the proper sense of the word. His treatment is interpretative, his diction excellent, and his manner pleasing. He displayed his art at its best."

The Brockton Daily Messenger said of him: "Mr. Greenwood possesses a voice of rare quality. He proved himself an artist of finished ability."

After the concerts in the North Professor Greenwood will return to Elon and spend the holiday season with his friends.

REPRESENTATIVES ARE CHOSEN BY SOCIETIES

Lynam and Scott Will Represent Phi's; Haslett and Colclough Will Represent Clios.

The young men's literary societies have selected their Commencement orators. These men come from the junior class and speak in the College auditorium during Commencement.

Sion M. Lynam and Wm. T. Scott were chosen by the Philologists, while the Clios chose W. L. Haslett and Geo. D. Colclough as their representatives for this annual contest. Each society gives a gold medal to the best orator of his society, in the minds of the chosen judges for the occasion.

Sion M. Lynam, of Apex, N. C., is one of the most promising young men ever entering Elon. He is a graduate of the North Carolina State Blind Institution, and is making a splendid record here in his classes. He is a member of the Kappa Psi Nu social club.

Aside from his literary work, Mr. Lynam is doing active pastoral work and is managing editor of the College paper. He has quite a record in his society as an orator, having won the Philologist orator's medal last year. He represented his class as debater in his freshman year.

Wm. T. Scott, of Greensboro, N. C., is also a ministerial student and is doing active pastoral work aside from his college duties. Mr. Scott has made (Continued on page two.)

Elon Divides Honors With Emory and Henry In Debate

Negative Team Wins at Emory and Henry—Affirmative Team Loses at Home—Both Decisions Two to One—Perry, Bray, Scott and Helms Representatives.

DEBATE SUBJECT OF CANCELLATION OF WAR DEBTS

Last Friday evening Emory and Henry and Elon College divided foreign honors in a dual debate. One contest was held here with the visitors defending the negative, and another at the rival college in which the opposing college opened the battle of words. In both contests the negative carried the decision of the judges.

The Debate at Elon

The debate held in the college chapel Friday evening between Elon and Emory and Henry was the first inter-collegiate debate that Elon has engaged in this season. It was one of the most interesting debates ever heard in this auditorium, the argument on both sides being especially good. The debate ended in a two-to-one decision in favor of the visiting team.

Dr. Harper served as president for the occasion and in welcoming the visitors, read some interesting facts about Emory and Henry showing the splendid record of the college.

L. J. Perry and L. J. Bray, Elon speakers, upheld the affirmative side of the query, "Resolved—That the United States and associated powers engaged in the recent war against Germany should cancel the inter-allied war debt," while C. H. Rollins and H. M. Jones defended the negative side of the question.

L. J. Perry began the argument for the affirmative by saying the cancellation of the war debt is the hope of Europe and humanity today. These loans were made to help in a time of need and to help end the war, and America was thinking of the need of humanity and not of the payment of these debts when the loans were made. Financial and human contributions were the same and America only defrayed its share of a common burden in lending money.

Even if the allies were willing to pay, America should not demand that they pay because most of the gold is in the United States and they would have to pay in goods which would kill U. S. manufacturing interests.

Mr. Rollins opened the discussion on the negative by saying cancellation of the debts would leave a sense of injustice in Europe by the United States. Europe does not need charity in working out its reconstruction but work. It would not be a sound economic policy because it would cause confusion in the industrial world.

American Congress and public opinion would never consent to it because it would not only be unfair to Europe but untrue to American citizens, thereby causing America to be afraid to invest in its own government.

Mr. Bray continued the argument for the affirmative by saying Europe can not pay her debts and America to a certain extent is responsible for conditions. He made a brief survey of the most important European countries showing that at the present Europe is bankrupt, and another world war would be the only way they could be paid.

America does not even need the \$11,000,000 surplus while Europe is a (Continued on page two.)

EXPRESSION STUDENTS GIVE ANNUAL RECITAL

Students Show Result of Excellent Training in Department.—Humorous Program.

Dr. Anna Helfenstein's expression class gave a very humorous and entertaining recital in the college auditorium Wednesday evening. The class is made up of first, second and third year pupils. The old students showed marked improvement and the new students showed excellent training.

The first three numbers represented the three periods in a woman's life. The first is a young girl who hesitates to enter society, the second is a girl in society, and the third a married woman. The remainder of the program was composed of varied selections which were well received by the large audience.

Program

Nan's Soliloquy . . . Margaret Balentine
The Next Morning . . . Marjorie Oldham
Umbrella Lecture . . . Eunice Morrow
Dick's Christmas . . . Hilda Burgess
Vocal duet
Annie Belle and Lucille Cardwell
At the Matinee . . . Zena Gibson
Visiting the Afflicted
Mary Lee Williams
Tragedy of a Shirt . . . Grace Rainey
After Twenty Years . . . Jennie Guntel
Sweet Girl Graduate . . . Agnes Whitt