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## CALENDAR.

Wednesday, 6:30 — Freshman class meeting.  
Thursday, 6:30—Christian Association meetings.  
Friday, 7:00—Literary Societies.  
Saturday, 8:00—Zatasian Oratorical Contest.  
Sunday—Religious services.  
Monday, 6:45—Chorus practice.  
Tuesday, 6:30—Senior class meeting.

The near approach of Spring has been heralded at New Garden by Sunday step-singing. This is a good old custom that we are glad to see revived at Guilford and we hope it will spread so as to embrace the entire student body.

Despite all Sophomoric laws to the contrary, Freshmen, Preps, Juniors, Seniors, Faculty, and even Sophomores themselves are occasionally seen cutting corners and starting new paths across the campus. This seems a small thing now, but when spring's return is announced to us by the springing up of green grass—yes, I said green—from the brown stubble that has been covered with leaves all winter, and we see the ugly bare spots our unthinking feet have made—well, perhaps we

won't, but we ought to wish we had taken a little more time and kept to the walks.

Six years ago Miss Josephine Rhodes, one of the most devoted music directors Guilford has ever had, was instrumental in securing for the college chapel an ample supply of well bound hymn books. With proper care these books should have supplied our needs for at least fifteen or twenty years. Sad to say, though, there are now very few of them which have not been defaced or marked in some way. We cannot mend them now, but if we exercise at least the respect due them as sacred hymnals from now on they will give service for a long time yet. By properly caring for the things we have already here at Guilford we will be adding to the college assets as much as by giving the same amount to the endowment.

It is a far shot from this Quaker campus to the United States Senate, but nevertheless friends, did you ever stop to think that the obstructing of the legislation that is to bring about the Treaty of Peace and the establishment of the League of Nations should be of vital importance to each of us? Leaving out religious doctrines, though the proposed League is a step forward, to defeat it or amend it so as to leave the United States a part of it but yet independent of it is to throw away the billions of dollars, and what is more important, the seventy-five thousand young Americans who gave their all in the belief that by so doing they were helping to make the world a safe place in which to live. Can we allow a few senators, who are willfully blind to the fact that our place in the sun can be better filled as a member of the League of Nations than as the Big Stick of the Western Hemisphere, break the unwritten troth that is ours with those who lie in Flanders' fields?

## ZATASIANS ENJOY AN EVENING WITH LONGFELLOW

On Friday evening, Feb. 20, the Zatasians enjoyed a very pleasant evening with Longfellow. An interesting account of the "Life of Longfellow" was ably given by Miss Gertrude Bundy, followed by an instructive outline of his works by Miss Roxie McDonald. The third number was especially enjoyable, as Miss Genevieve Lindley, in her charming manner, gave a vivid account of the beautiful life of "Evangeline." To the soft accompaniment of "Meditation," Miss Edith Harrison gave "The Old Clock on the Stairs." Last but not the less enjoyable was the reading of two of the poet's beautiful poems, "The

Bridge" and "Excelsior," by Miss Vera McBane.

Miss Marianna White then gave a constructive critic's report. The society was pleased to note the recovery of several of its members.

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