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CALENDAR

Wednesday, 6:30—Freshmen class meeting.
Thursday, 6:30—Christian association meetings.
Friday, 7:30 P. M.—Literary Societies.
Saturday, 8 P. M.—Memorial hall, lecture, J. E. Latham.
Sunday—Regular Services.
Monday, 7 P. M.—Chorus practice.
Tuesday—Senior Class meeting.
Wednesday, May 12.—Concert quartet.

This issue of the Guilfordian marks another milestone in the history of the college paper. Before the next number of the Guilfordian, the new board will have come in and assumed the duties and responsibilities of the paper. As we, the retiring members of the board, step off the stage of journalism there comes to us a feeling of both relief and regret. A relief because the responsibilities of the position are no longer ours; a regret because we are giving up a work that we have learned to love and an experience which no other part of college life could have offered. We are indeed glad to have had a part in this work and although the task has not always been most pleasant, yet we feel that in doing this work we have derived lasting benefit.

And now we have no long farewell speech to make. We can only say that we are aware of the many mistakes that we have made and we wish to thank our readers for having borne with us so patiently in our faults and failings. We have

done our best toward maintaining the standard of our paper and the interests of the college as a whole. It is our hope, our desire and our belief that the new board will be able to carry this work to the greatest success possible.

PROGRAM

Commencement Exercises

May 29 to June 1, 1920.

Saturday, May 29, 8 P. M.—Annual recital of music department.

Sunday, May 30, 11 A. M.—Baccalaureate Service. Charles M. Woodman, pastor West Richmond Friends Church, Richmond, Ind.

8 P. M.—Address before the Christian associations. Samuel P. Hayworth, pastor Friends Church, High Point, N. C.

Monday, May 31, 4 P. M.—Class Day Exercises.

6:30 P. M.—Business meeting of Alumni association.

Tuesday, June 1, 10 A. M.—Commencement.

Baccalaureate address. Elwood C. Perisho, president State College of South Dakota, Ipswich, S. D.

CAMPUS NOTES

Grace Taylor, '17, and Spot Taylor were week-end guests of Lina Taylor for the pageant.

Miss Mary Lou Raiford visited her sister Lulu Raiford this week-end.

Mrs. Binford is still in the hospital at Greensboro, but is improving rapidly.

One of the most unwonted acts of vandalism occurring on the Guilford campus in some time was the slashing of the young trees planted some three years ago along the entire entrance to the college. It is not thought that any Guilford student is so devoid of principle as to do a thing like that and no reason has been advanced why any one should wish to do such a despicable deed. Mr. Farlow has offered a reward of \$25.00 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons concerned in this act.

Miss Mary Price was at the college this week-end for the pageant and to visit her brother.

Miss Ethel Speas, '17, and two of her assistant teachers, were here for the pageant.

Ira G. Hinshaw, '18, was on the hill for the pageant this week-end.

Miss Eula Hackett, '19, and the Misses Estelle and Etta Neece visited Vanner Neece this week-end.

Mrs. Hal Gilbreath spent the week-end with her son.

Mr. Maddox represented the Science Department at the annual meeting of the Academy of Science held in Raleigh on Friday and Saturday. He read a paper on "Some Investigations on the Compounds Extracted from Stereum Lobatum," being a report of some research work he has been conducting in the Biology Laboratory.

Guilford was represented at the inauguration of President Chase as president of the University of North Carolina on April 28, by President Binford. Professor J. W. Pancoast also attended the inauguration as the official representative of his alma mater, Swarthmore College.

WITH THE Y. W. C. A.

Subject—"The Mop and Faucet."
Leaders—Josephine Mock and Nina Robertson.

Josephine Mock opened the meeting last Thursday evening by reading from two books of the Old Testament, Micah and Amos. Nina Robertson then gave a talk on the subject, "The Mop and the Faucet." From the faucet is coming into our country dirt, ignorance, disease, crime, poverty, under-nourishment, ugliness and bare and barren lives. We are trying to mop them up with jails, reform schools, poor farms, hospitals, settlements, Red Cross work and charity.

These are all necessary, but there is need to go farther than that and prevent these evils, or turn off the faucet, by the strong arm of the law. The law should insure a living wage to the women. Three-fourths of the wage-earning women of the United States receive less than a living wage; it should also prevent child labor, thus preventing ignorance and pre-mature physical breakdowns; it should provide for more night schools, shorter hours of labor, better working conditions, decent housing for the poor, pure milk, and regulation of harmful amusements.

To wield the mop is to do social service; to turn off the faucet is to take social action. Miss Louise Holmquist, at the great Student Conference at Evanston, Ill., said "We need to beware lest we substitute social service for social action." Both are great, but social action is greater, because it destroys the cause of the evils—it turns off the faucet.

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