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There can be no doubt that a degree from Guilford College binds the recipient to the institution so firmly that he never loses his interest and affection for all that is connected with the institution. The months and years of strenuous labor, however, and not the mere roll of parchment which is a record of the toil of those years, slowly developed this connection between the two—between the graduate and his alma mater.

During the days of the past commencement a great number of former Guilford students were on the campus. To them it was a rare occasion—a home-coming. Old friends, classmates, and roommates separated for a long period of time, came together to live over again in conversation the scenes and incidents of former days.

Old baseball games, receptions, pranks and expeditions of mischief were related with all the eagerness that recalled youth could muster up. It was very interesting to the members of the present student body to watch those of former classes stroll about the campus deeply interested in all the things they had known while in college and even more so in every change that has been made since they went out from the institution. Their very actions spoke loudly their loyalty to the college that did so much for them, and inspired the students with a zeal for "sticking to their knitting" until they should be able to be members of the big family that has gone out from Guilford.

## Christian Associations

The address before the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. Associations was delivered Sunday evening by Samuel P. Haworth, pastor of Friends Meeting, High Point, N. C. The devotional exercises were conducted by Herman Raiford and Florence Martin, presidents of the two respective associations. Frazier, Fox, Farlow and Casey added to this service a male quartet—"The Lord is in His Holy Temple."

Mr. Haworth took for his subject one word—"Loyalty." Perhaps no other word has been used more in the last half decade than this one. But the speaker did not refer to loyalty to country as we are accustomed to hear in patriotic assertions. Instead he spoke, first, of loyalty to self. By being loyal to self, we develop in ourselves positive convictions which are a great factor in the development of character.

Second: Be loyal to the group of which you are a member. This aspect of loyalty presents a problem. When the decision of two or more groups conflict what are you going to do? In the solution of this problem the question of the greatest good to the greatest number of people arises. Then we must act in a way that will benefit the largest number of our fellowmen.

Third, and last, we should have respect for loyalty or we should be loyal to the loyalty of others. It matters not whether or not we are in sympathy with a course, in which others are exhibiting loyalty in its high forms, we should have the deepest respect for it far positive convictions have prompted them.

The speaker concluded by emphasizing his first point. First, "to thine own self be true and it must follow as the night the day, thou canst not me false to any man." By being true to self we will naturally develop the other aspects of loyalty.

Another quartet—"Remember Me, Oh Mighty One," was then given.

### WEBSTERIAN

A considerable number of alumni and old students were present at the annual meeting of the Websterian Literary Society on commencement morning. At this meeting the treasurer's report was submitted to the society, read and audited. Leroy Miller, president of the society, presided at the meeting. Reports on the society work during the past year were given and discussed by the old Webs. A progressive policy advocating the renewal of the inter-class debates was discussed with some interest.

Among the old Websterians present were D. R. Parker, H. M. Patterson, Leroy Miller, Ira Hinshaw, J. G. Reddick, H. N. Williard, J. B. Woosley and Mr. Henley.

A review of the work in the society during the past school year shows that a great deal of progress in this most important phase of school work has about kept pace with the rest of the college.

The society co-operated with the

other three societies in arranging the High School contest which was held here in April.

The work for the improvement medal has been spirited all the year and added much interest to the society work. Samuel P. Harris finally won out in the contest, which was held Friday night before examinations. The subject discussed on that night was "Labor's Right to Strike." The other contestants for the medal were: H. Beeson, Dabney White, John Busick, Clyde Fitch, George Summers and Paul Rayle.

### ZATASIAN

When the Zatasian Literary Society met for its first time last fall it was with the old zeal and enthusiasm which is so characteristic of the society, thoughts of the old members who did not return were missed badly, the girls who became new Zatasians soon filled their places and sorrow was forgotten in the joy of the increasing membership.

Throughout the year it has been the aim of the society to prepare and render those programs which tend towards self-development and power, those programs which might fit its members for true service in the college.

Besides the usual work of the society the Zatasians succeeded in re-finishing the walls and floors of their hall in the summer of 1919. This improvement greatly increased the respect for the society.

Now that the year is over and the realization comes that this has been a profitable term the determination grows to make the next years of infinitely more value to the Zatasians.

### HENRY CLAYS COMPLETE SUCCESSFUL YEAR

The Henry Clay Literary Society held its closing session Friday evening. At this meeting the improvement medal was awarded to Bryce Holt, and the Seniors gave their farewell messages to the Society. The current business of the year was completed and the society adjourned until September.

With an efficient nucleus of old Clays back at the opening of school last fall, work began with a punch.

Membership was increased past the half a hundred mark. With this strong body work during the year has proven interesting and profitable.

The annual oratorical contest measured up to Henry Clay standard and was a creditable public evidence of the thorough working internal organization.

The society has been guided by efficient coterie of officers who have kept the machinery working smoothly. The books of the treasurer, Mr. McBane, show that the society is in good financial condition, and will have a sound basis on which to begin work next year.

To the members of the Senior class who have given to the society four years of untiring labor and earnest effort, the Henry Clays extend sincerest wishes for success.

## Faculty Notes

Professor Anscombe will spend the summer at Earlham College where he will give lectures at the summer session.

President and Mrs. Binford and family will start about the middle of June for California, where Mrs. Binford will visit relatives. President Binford, after a brief outing, will return to Guilford. During his absence Professor Balderston will remain at the college.

Professor Mills is expecting to attend the Republican National Convention at Chicago.

Doctor Hobbs, Miss Gifford and Professor Mills are delegates to the Friends Peace Conference to be held in London in August.

Miss Noles will attend Columbia Summer School.

### SENIOR CLASS DAY

Very Pretty Masque "The Forest Princess" Charms Large Alumni Day Audience

The Senior class, aided by a group of under-classmen as dancers, presented one of the prettiest outdoor plays which Guilford has ever seen. The costuming was unusually effective and as the sun dropped into the west on Monday afternoon it seemed to touch with unusual splendor the scene and the actors on the lawn in front of Founders. The acting was all of unusual calibre but special mention should be made of Vanner Neece as the witch who cast the spell over the infant princess and later over the prince who has come to release her. Mary Coble, who played the title role, was the particular star of the bright galaxy. Dressed in flowing robes of palest pink she looked the part of the Princess and easily captivated the audience by the charming way in which she repeated her lines.

Norman Fox, the president of the class, expressed the thanks of his classmates to Professor White for his unflagging efforts which were in so large measure responsible for the signal success of the play.

### ALUMNI, 3; GUILFORD, 2

Rally in the Ninth and a Long Hit by Bill Nelson Wins the Classic

In an evenly matched game the Alumni nosed out a victory on Alumni Day. Hobbs, '07, was effective in pinches, his famous drop having the collegians puzzled. The college boys had a little the edge of the batting but failed to come through when hits meant runs. The Alumni scored first in the third inning. Woosley hit one for two bags, went to third on an error and scored on a wild pitch. The college boys scored both their runs in the following inning. There was no further scoring till Bill Nelson's clout in the ninth scored two runners. Following is the Alumni lineup: A. W. Hobbs, p; E. McBane, c; R. Hobbs, 1b; N. Fox, 2b; J. Reddeck, ss; C. Doak, 3b; W. Nelson, lf; J. White, cf; J. Woosley, rf.