

## SOCIETY NOTES

### Thirteen Welcomed Into Clay Fold at Last Meeting

In its third regular meeting of the year, the Henry Clay Literary society welcomed into membership 12 new members and reinstated one old one, giving the society a total membership up to the present of 43.

The first number on the program for the evening was a debate "Resolved, that the government should control the distribution of coal," but it was voted by the society to postpone the number to allow for an early adjournment. The second number on the program was an oration delivered by Russel Branson to whom much credit is due for his careful preparation. The program was ended with a collection of "Campus Notes" by James Joyce.

The society was glad to have with them two old Clays, Ed McBane of Greensboro, N. C., and Gladstone Hodgkin of Guilford College. The later being re-instated into the society. The society was also glad to welcome into membership the following new men: Grady Conrad, Alonzo Russell, Silas Starnes, J. E. Thigpen, Theodore Doub, Ray Boose, Jim Lineback, Alton Watson, Sidney Winslow, Charlie Friddle, Joe McCollum, Frank Baker.

### Jewell Edwards and Ina Mixon Entertain Zays

The chief number on the program given by the Zatasian Literary society, Friday evening, Sept. 23, was an original dialogue between Jewell Edwards and Ina Mixon. In costume and appearance which made a very appropriate setting for the scene, Misses Edwards and Mixon posed as old Zays twenty years hence. In the course of their conversation the future fortunes and scandals alike, which are in store for number of present Zay members, were predicted in a witty and humorous manner.

Pherlie Mae Siske read an original short story which satisfactorily fulfilled the expectation aroused when the title "An Exciting Night" was announced.

Prior to this, a musical selection given by Mildred Townsend was enjoyed.

### Milton Occupies Place on Philomathean Program

Milton, his life and work, was the theme of the literary program given by Philomatheans on Friday evening.

Edith Macon, in "Sketches From the Life of Milton," gave a brief but comprehensive review of the outstanding facts of the poet's life and furnished a good background for the appreciation of his work. Milton's discussion on education was interestingly reviewed by Maud Simpson who pointed out the contrast in his views and the modern view concerning this subject. Fairy Staley read several of his representative poems including "On Reaching My Twenty-third Birthday" and the sonnet on his blindness.

The musical number "Butterfly" by Grieg played by Leora Sherrill was much enjoyed, and Clara Coble with "Current Events" furnished an interesting note of humor to the program.

At this time Misses Antonette Williams, Anna May Newlin, Artina Jack and Isa Wilson were welcomed into membership of the society.

### Websterians Debate Tariff; Three Men Join

The first number on the program in the Websterian society last Friday night, was a debate, "Resolved: that legislation should be shaped toward the abandonment of the protective tariff."

John Cude and Joe Willborn defended the affirmative, while Ernest Cude, who spoke in place of Elton Warrick, absent on the football trip, and Lee Cude maintained the cause of the negative, and won the two-to-one decision of the judges.

Jokes by Raymond Ebert and reading from Edgar A. Guest by Hershel Macon completed the literary program.

Ten Websterians were absent on the foot-ball trip. Several new men were present and made speeches.

The society was pleased to receive Messrs. Lonnie Russell, Julian Satterfield and Jones as members.

### THE FUTURE OF THE JOB

John Hays Hammond is quoted as having made the startling statement that he never hires a man who asks, "What is the future in this job?"

Mr. Hammond explains that he cannot tell what the future will be for any man in any job, and that the man who asks such a question will not make good on the job.

Reading this was quite a jolt to me, because I can recall having asked that question myself and I know the question has often been asked me.

But Mr. Hammond's bold statement does lead to an interesting thought, namely, that the future of the man holding any job depends entirely on the man himself.

The lad who is running errands today may be at the head of the business in twenty years, and the first vice president may still be the first vice president in twenty years.

Such a thing has happened many times, and it will happen again.

Victor Sincere says: "Opportunities are everywhere. The trouble is that folks don't recognize them. Why, it is an opportunity just to have a job where you can express yourself! Punctuality, veracity, willingness to work, loyalty, reliability and readiness to take responsibility—all create opportunities for advancement; especially readiness to accept responsibility."

Possibly Mr. Hammond discovered, as the result of hiring thousands of men, that he could just as truthfully paint a rosy picture of the future to a new ditch-digger as to a new department head. In other words, he could not guarantee a future to any one, and he did not think it wise to commit himself.—T. M. Magazine.

### TRAFFIC IN 1786

#### What Would They Say Now?

Compare the modern speed mania with the traffic situation of long ago:

"On Saturday a child was run over in Walter Street by a cart and horse. That more persons are not injured by coaches, carts, etc., is certainly owing more to good fortune than to good management, considering the reckless manner they are allowed to run through the streets."

At the time this state of affairs existed in New York the city had a population of 23,614.

Mr. Grady Smith was on the campus Sunday.

### COACH DOAK IS MAKING SOME SHIFTS IN LINE UP

The Trinity cyclone which passed over the Guilford football affair has caused Coach Doak to make some shifts in the Quaker line-up. He doesn't predict victory when he take his chorts against the Baptists next Saturday but he is sure that there is going to be some more effective fighting done. Another thing that lends a hand to holding the Wake Forest scrappers to a closer score is the fact that Guilford stood them to a 0-0 score last year, and the team's morale is calculated to be stronger.

All in all, the games that are next to the Guilford man's heart are those that are coming toward the last of the season, the ones with Elon and Wofford.

Elton Warrick from Goldsboro who has been playing center for the Quakers in the past two seasons, and whose defensive plunges have been the features in the Guilford games, is now working out at left end. Holt of Saxapahaw is taking Warrick's place at the pivotal position. Fred Thomas is again out for practice and in all likelihood will start at left half next Saturday. Thomas played on the varsity last year.

Tough scrimmages will be staged until Friday. Luckily none of the Quaker artists were injured under the fire of Steiner's machine last Saturday in Durham.

### MISS BYRD PLAYS PIANO AT CHAPEL EXERCISES

Playing a short program of light piano classics Miss Byrd gave to the student body a novel chapel program last Tuesday morning.

The first two numbers were from Grieg and Godard, and fitted well into the spirit of a fresh morning. They were played in a light, capricious, and somewhat brilliant style. The third number, in contrast was the sonorous prelude in C minor, one of the three favorite preludes of Chopin. This work, which approximates a funeral strain, was played with deep feeling and remarkable chord work. The delicate little "Sous les Bois" completed the program.

For encore Miss Byrd played her own arrangement of "Believe Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms," which number was enthusiastically received and enjoyed.

### Professor Rhesa Newlin Elected to "Math" Society

Professor Rhesa Newlin, of the Mathematical Department of Guilford College received a letter this week from Secretary Richardson of New York City, informing him that he had been elected a member of the American Mathematical Society. This is quite an honor tendered Professor Newlin as this Mathematical Society is the largest in America, and election to its membership will mean much to Mr. Newlin in his mathematical work.

### Faculty Picks Marshals For the Coming Year

At the regular meeting of the faculty on Tuesday night, Fred Winn was elected as chief marshal for the year. The other members of the junior class who will act as marshals with him are: Nellie Chilton, Ruth Levering, Robert Marshall and Edward Holder.

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