
THE FORUM

WHAT CAN WE DO TO MAKE STUDENT LIFE MORE ATTRACTIVE NEXT YEAR?

What can we do to make student life on the campus more attractive next year is a question that we are beginning to consider seriously. Really, what can we do?

One thing, we can give the freshmen such a warm welcome that they will feel at home from the moment they enter the gate. Y. W. A. and B. Y. P. U. social committees, get busy. What can you do that will be better than anything we or any other college has ever done? Juniors, begin planning for your "little sisters". Make them feel at home before they get here. A letter from the class secretary will not be sufficient. Find out from her who your "little sister" is, and make her feel your "big sister" spirit through a real friendly letter. Each of us can have a part in giving each new girl a warm welcome. Let's do our bit.

Another thing we can do is to make our social life mean more. The "open house" idea is a splendid one. This will not only be enjoyable, but it will be of real social value to us. Let's strive to make this something that will be worth looking forward to each month.

What about athletics? Don't you think we need more pep? Which class is going to win the championship in basket ball, baseball, soccer, and track? Let's have more class

games, and enter the contests with more enthusiasm. Next year the Athletic Association is going to give more monograms. More of us will have a chance to win one. Everybody begin planning now to win a monogram, and let's show more interest and enthusiasm in all the sports.

We need to have a feeling that the things we do on the campus are for ourselves. Of course, we are always glad to have the people from up town and elsewhere, but we need to plan more campus activities that will help us. We feel that we do not have to put forth very much extra effort unless the folk from the outside are coming. Let's get away from that idea, and put our best into our student activities. Then we will really get something worth while from student life.

—ESTELLE CARLETON, '26.

A LETTER TO '05

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 students, you would determine then and there where you would send your daughters, or if you have a son, you would surely use every effort to get introduced into Chowan Domestic Science Society.

Surely you think I've said enough, but I can't stop until I say let's meet at Commencement and plan to be a hundred per cent class at work for our Alma Mater.

Yours for a greater Chowan,
 LOIS VANN WYNN.

Ella Mae—What does Howard call you, Aurelia Jane Quarrels?
 Aurelia—No, he calls me Jane for Short.

MISS CALDWELL THINKS GIRLS CAN LEARN MATH

Members of Her Department Are Doing Fine Work; Interesting Programs

"Girls can learn Mathematics as well as boys," emphatically declared Miss Minnie Caldwell, instructor of Mathematics. She seems to be very sure of the fact and she knows because she has taught both.

Miss Caldwell is a graduate of the University of Missouri where she took the A. B. and B. S. degrees in Education. She later received an A. M. degree at the same University and has been presented with a life certificate to teach mathematics in secondary schools in Missouri. This is her second year at Chowan and although she had taught in the high schools and colleges of Missouri until she came here, she says that Chowan girls show a spirit of loyalty and cooperation that is not found in many schools.

The department is a very active one and the members have been doing splendid work. On the afternoon of March 14th the Math Club met according to custom. At this meeting two very interesting papers were read on "Times of Women Mathematicians" after which refreshments were served. At the next meeting Miss Jessie Marie Parker is planning to illustrate the use of the abacus. There will also be a debate: "Resolved, that from the time of Newton to the middle of the eighteenth century, England contributed more to mathe-

tics than Europe."

The purpose of this club is to discuss many interesting and helpful topics in mathematic, for which there is little time during the class period.

*** YES! WE HAVE *
 * CHICKEN AT CHOWAN ***

Last Thursday evening the Sophomores had a very pleasant surprise awaiting them as they took their places in the dining room. The hostess was given orders not to serve the plates. Every one sat in amazement. In a few minutes a regular chicken dinner was brought in. The Sophs declared that it had been brought by mistake, because they knew nothing of it before. Then the hostess announced that this dinner was given by Miss Myra Benthall, a sophomore.

It is useless to say that the dinner was enjoyed for "actions speak louder than words"—not even the head was left. Yells were given for Miss Benthall at the end of the meal.

 A Duplin County farmer taught to cull hens by an extension worker from State College, culled out 26 hens for a neighbor. These were put in a fattening pen and laid seven eggs during ten days. The remainder of the flock is now producing more eggs than the original number because of more feed and better attention.

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IMAGINATION is the key which unlocks the door to opportunity. **Our job today is to get ready for tomorrow.** Money is the trade token of labor. Labor is power—and power is good—when it is used with a thought of tomorrow.

The man standing behind the door is the YOU of tomorrow. Who is he and what he is depends upon you and you alone.

Initiative is the individual need of today—it's the word with four "I's" in it. Put that word in tomorrow's tool box—and use it. It will get you somewhere.

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