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### SALUTATORY.

It is with a mingled feeling of anxiety and solicitude that we make this our first appearance before the public. We confess that we are inexperienced, and fearful lest our first effort should not meet with the approval of our friends and fellow-students, yet we sincerely trust that the scrutinizing public will not judge too severely our first literary labor. Our aim will be to publish a paper devoted to the best interests of the University and her students, a paper which shall be a means of communication between older students who are now battling with the world, and which shall serve as a vehicle of the thought of the undergraduate student.

With regard to its literary department, this paper will be open to any student, provided that his production shall be of sufficient merit to warrant publication, and we sincerely hope that our fellow-students will take advantage of this opportunity to improve their style and mode of thought, by presenting to a critical public their literary work.

In College politics this paper will be independent, not the organ of either side, although gladly receiving articles from either party on any discussion, it will incline to neither. As to the views of correspondents it will not be responsible; publishing any communication, whether personal or partisan, except if it be extreme, we only ask that our correspondents be able to give to any man "a reason for the be-

lief that is in them." It is our intention to conduct this publication entirely from under the restraint of the Faculty, it is simply the organ of the students, in which they may express their opinion in regard to any action of the Faculty or concerning any matter which they may see fit to discuss. And yet, while this is so, we solicit communications from each and every member of the Faculty, and will gratefully receive them.

Our motto is: "Be just and fear not." This shall be our rule of action in all articles, editorials, etc., giving justice to every man, but fearing not to express our opinion, whether favorable or unfavorable. While endeavoring to carry out fully the promises made above, we hope to meet the cordial approval and patronage of the Faculty, our friends and fellow-students. Should we be favored with the smiles of the public, it shall be our utmost endeavor to please them in every way possible, by advocating the best interest of the University, by presenting the literary productions of her students and by publishing the news of not only the University but also of the village. Hoping to be favored with an assured success, we are

THE EDITORS.

### The Freshman Class.

It gives us pleasure to say a few words in regard to the Freshman Class of this year. A more gentlemanly, handsome, and, on the whole, more clever set of young men, we venture to say, cannot be found in this country. Especially are they to be complimented for their studiousness. In this they are second to none in the University. We would not lose sight also of their valiant stand in the Fresh tread, when only a little more organization would have enabled them to defeat the Sophs. We also congratulate them upon their gentlemanly set of officers, an account of whom is given elsewhere. In conclusion we would urge them not to be satisfied with the reputation which they have already

made, but to endeavor to increase and brighten the respect felt for them by continuing steadfastly in the course which they are now pursuing.

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