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THE JUNIOR BANQUET.

An Enjoyable Social Event at Pickard's Hotel Saturday Night.

The members of the Junior Class held a banquet last Saturday night at Pickard's Hotel and it was a great success. The object of the occasion, which was to draw the members more closely together and to pave the way for a more thorough and effective class organization, was fully realized.

Two members of the faculty, Messrs. M. H. Stacy and W. S. Bernard, were guests and addressed the class. The banquet was gracefully presided over by Mr. A. H. Bahnson, who opened it with a few appropriate remarks. Mr. Stacy who spoke first on "The Relation of the Class to the University," was at his best. He showed that the class could play the part it should play in University life only by concerted and harmonious action, and pointed out the advantages which would accrue to the University as a result of such action. The need of an effective organization, he said, had been deeply felt by preceding classes and it was a matter for congratulation that a movement was on foot to secure it. Messrs. W. T. Gore and V. L. Stephenson responded. Mr. Gore expressed his approval of the movement and pledged the hearty co-operation of the class. Mr. Stephenson showed the importance of the movement, made clear to the class its duty in the premises, and urged every man not to falter until success was attained.

The next speech of the evening was by Mr. Bernard, whose subject, "Harmony," was treated in an interesting and forceful manner. He showed that perfect harmony should prevail in a class, and perfect sympathy between its members. He made the point that sympathy is not a feeling for, but a feeling with each other. "Harmony and sympathy in the class," he said, "should be so perfect that what hurts one member hurts all." Mr. W. B. Love, of the class, responded to this speech. He dwelt on the need and value of genuine comradeship between members of the class as an aid in college and as an impetus to success in after life. Mr. J. W. Winborne who was also on the programme for a reply, was necessarily absent, being a member of the football team.

After the programme was finished all formality was thrown aside and many interesting, extemporaneous talks were made by various members of the class. These constituted one of the most enjoyable features of the occasion. Various means for establishing customs and differentiating the members of the class from others were proposed but definite action was postponed until a regular meeting of the class. At 1 o'clock the lights failed, and the company reluctantly dispersed, enthusiastically agreed that the Junior banquet was a splendid success.

Fire Places in the Old Buildings to be Closed.

President Venable announced in Chapel Friday that the fire places in the Old East, Old West and South buildings would be bricked up at once. He gave as a reason for this that several fires had occurred in these buildings this year caused by the students having fire in their rooms. He said that a very low rate of insurance had been obtained on the buildings as a result of the college having a central heating plant and he feared that if one of the buildings should be destroyed by fire the fact of the students having fire in their rooms would make the insurance contract void. He thought that when the fire places were stopped up the rooms would be warm enough without fire, for the large open fire places make it almost an impossibility now to heat the rooms.

Freshmen, Toe the Mark.

Copies of the following notice were found posted in several conspicuous places about the campus Saturday morning:

FRESHMEN!

READ, MARK, DIGEST.

1. Show respect to upper classmen.
2. Bear in mind the difference between an honored "Senior" at a prep school and a freshman at the University.
3. Beware of monopolizing the Postoffice and drug stores.

BE SEEN AND NOT HEARD.

Nobody claims the honor of putting up the posters but the general opinion is that the Sophomores are responsible. The upper classes have endorsed the action of the Sophomores in the following resolutions:

SENIOR RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, that the Senior Class uphold the Sophomores in any reasonable action they take for keeping the Freshmen in their places; provided, their action does not take the form of hazing.

JUNIOR RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, that we, the Junior Class, do hereby endorse the action of the Sophomore Class in the matter of abolishing hazing; and further that the Junior Class endorses the sentiment contained in the placards recently posted. It is also the sentiment of the Class that not only does the preservation of University traditions and the final banishment of hazing call for the observance of these rules, but that such observance will redound to the benefit of the Freshmen Class.

Mr. R. W. Perry left the University on last Friday for Memphis, Tenn. He goes to accept an excellent position as assistant chemist to Mr. Edwin Lehman Johnston, a well known expert in the cottonseed oil industry. Mr. Perry may return next commencement to receive his degree.

UNIVERSITY SERMON.

Strong Sermon by Rev. G. H. Detwiler on "The Larger Outlook."

The University Sermon for November was preached by Rev. G. H. Detwiler. Mr. Detwiler preached the sermon before the Y. M. C. A. last commencement and the students remembering him from that time gave him a large audience in the Chapel Sunday night.

Mr. Detwiler's theme was "The Larger Outlook." He based his remarks on God's command to Abraham where He tells him to look north, south, east and west and all the land that he beholds shall be his and his children's. The whole sermon was an appeal to the student to search in every direction for the truth.

The speaker said in part: "We have two types of men, the provincial man and the cosmopolitan man. The provincial man is the man of one locality, his interest doesn't go out to all subjects, but he narrows himself down to one section. But some say that when you take an interest in the whole world you lose your patriotism for one locality. This is not true because the broader a man gets the deeper he goes unless his breadth is mere superficiality.

"The cosmopolitan man is the man with the wide outlook. He is interested in the whole universe and takes the truth wherever it may come from. There are three aspects of this wider outlook of which I should like to speak.

"The first of these aspects is that it should be geographical. We want to begin right at the bottom in this broadening of the outlook and look at it as it applies to the physical world. It is a fact that a man makes his geographical world, that is, none of the physical world exists for him except that which he knows about. I once heard a preacher say that he had preached all over the United States, but when I looked into it I found that he had preached only in a few counties in the Western part of this State. That was the whole United States to him. A man must get an idea of the universe as a whole to get the broadest outlook.

"And then this outlook must be historical. By historical I do not mean that this wider outlook must take in the mere chronicle of events. But I mean the real life of the world that lies behind the chronicle of events. It is the sympathetic aspect of the fights that have gone on in history. It is the searching through the history of past ages and taking the truths wherever they may come from. It is the spirit of searching everything that comes to one and if true accepting it. Doubt is necessary to all progressive thought. It is the sentinel of the mind that tests every truth. I remember well the feeling that came over me when I told my congregation one day that I would follow the truths of the Bible any-

where; that if it required it I would even discard the book itself. Doubt does not lead to heresy. It isn't more of the traditional faith that we want, but more faith that comes through honest doubt. There is nothing dangerous in historical search for truth.

"The third aspect of this wider outlook is that it must be reverent. I said there was nothing dangerous in historical search for truth, but I would add: if this search be conducted by reverent minds, minds that have a respect for the truth. The only danger is that a man may enter this search in a careless, flippant way, desirous of the startling rather than of the truth. Higher criticism is not wrong if the higher critic has a reverence for the truth. The difference between the irreverent searcher is seen in Voltaire and Calvin. Voltaire was careless and flippant and paved the way for the French Revolution. Calvin was reverent and worked out the principles upon which our government was founded."

University of Virginia Musical Clubs' Concert at Richmond.

The University of Virginia Musical Clubs will play in Richmond on the night of the twenty-third at the Academy of Music. The concert will be for the benefit of the Home for Needy Confederate Women, and will be given under the auspices of Mrs. Andrew J. Montague, the wife of Governor Montague, and of the most prominent women of the city. The football teams from both Universities will be present in the boxes which will be decorated in the colors of the teams.

Owing to the fact that the desirable seats in the house are fast being sold, the management of the Clubs has decided to reserve a limited number for the students from both Universities. And if any of the Carolina students wish seats kept for them, by sending their names to Mr. W. M. James, University of Virginia, their seats will be held until eight o'clock of the night of the concert. The cost of reserved seats is a dollar. There will be a few seats at seventy-five cents.

The management of the Clubs would be glad to have as many of the Carolina men to attend the concert as can come, as it is for a worthy purpose. The seats can be paid for at the box office, where they will be held, as has been stated, until eight o'clock.

A Fire Saturday Night Cuts Off the Water Supply.

The pumping station was destroyed by fire Saturday night and as a result the water supply was cut off. Fortunately, there was a good supply of water in the reservoir and standpipe. The pipes supplying water to the dormitories and the village were closed and all the water was saved to be used in keeping the lights and heat going. The damage to the pumps was repaired Monday and no serious inconvenience was caused by the accident.