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TWO CLASSES HOLD MEETING

SENIORS AND FRESHMEN HOLD JOINT MEETING

New Men Advised as to Their Position. They Go On Record as Opposed to Hazing

A meeting the most significant, perhaps, that has been held by students here in recent years, was held jointly by the Senior and freshmen classes Saturday afternoon. The purpose of the meeting was to help the new men in choosing the proper attitude and to inspire them with the best ideals of the University. Particularly in point was the question of hazing, against which all classes at the University are using their influence.

ATTITUDE OF NEW MEN.

Mr. W. A. Dees, president of the senior class, after a few words in explaining the object of the meeting, called Mr. G. W. Thompson as a representative of the senior class to address the new men.

Mr. Thompson spoke of the attitude which members of the freshman class should take in University life. He congratulated the class on entrance into the University with its opportunities and privileges. He asked the co-operation of the new men in making the University what it ought to be from the student standpoint. In some colleges freshmen are distinguished from other classes by some mark. It is not so here. What should be the attitude of the freshman class? What should be our attitude to this class? The question is answered in a word—every man who enters the University should conduct himself as a gentleman. Nothing more can be asked. Then it is the duty of every other man to respect him as a gentleman.

LOOKING TO NEXT YEAR

Mr. I. C. Moser, who was next called upon, spoke of the part which the present freshman class will have to play in college life next year. The first lesson which a University student should learn, he said is the lesson of loyalty. When loyalty to the University becomes a guiding principle in the life of a student there is no danger that he will do anything that would tend to injure the University. As members of the sophomore class next year, your attitude will largely determine the conduct of the campus. Your condition is unique. Practically the whole of the three upper classes have united in the purpose to put hazing out of this institution. It largely depends upon you as to whether this good beginning shall continue. Will you use your influence to this end?

Mr. B. C. Stuart was next introduced. He said the present sophomore class had done more than any class heretofore to remedy the worse evil in the University—the evil of hazing. He asked every freshman who was willing to take a similar step to that already taken by the sophomore class to rise. The class rose in a body amid the enthusiastic cheers of the members of other classes present.

The president then called Mr. Thompson Webb who read to the class the following resolution:

In view of fact that the class 1914 at the beginning of its college course

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STAR COURSE COMING THIS WEEK

Edwin R. Weeks Company to Open Season With Entertainment Saturday

In the Edwin R. Weeks Company which will appear here Saturday night October 1, Chapel Hill will have what the Star Course Committee consider one of the best entertainments of the year. As to the nature of the entertainment The Alkahest Lyceum System has this to say:

"Mr. Weeks has the prestige of a European tour, was the first entertainer selected by the International Committee to go to Panama and has repeatedly played return engagements on the largest courses throughout the country.

"He gives original monologues, humorous and pathetic recitations, parodies and medleys of his own arrangement, operettas and musical extravaganzas of his own composition, humorous character sketches and last, but not least, impersonations of famous men, past and present. In fact with his unusual versatility he is enabled to give, with the co-operation of two assistants, all the variety usually furnished by half a dozen artists, and to those who enjoy wholesome humor and high class musical features, we highly recommend this company."

The following is Weeks' own introduction to himself which is forwarded to the papers of the towns in which he is to appear:

Dear Editor:

The Edwin R. Weeks Company, a trio of Mendicant Musicians, migrating from Maine to Mexico with a melange of music, mostly melodious, and mirth, mainly merry, mean soon to meander into your midst.

Your local committee under whose auspices we appear, need your valued assistance and need it with an exceeding muchness. I have heard editors and newspaper men say that they would willing help along the cause of the Lyceum Course if they could be furnished "stories" concerning the talent that would make interesting reading.

To that end I have compiled some of the Good Stuff. Like the bread of life, partake of it freely. My first occupation in life was that of a "printer's devil." I know something of the Power of the Press. I helped turn one by hand. I may say in passing that I have likewise chased this elusive "round try square" and have been "soaked" with the well known "strap oil."

I was introduced to an audience in my native town not long since by a gentleman who commented on my early occupation. He said: "I feel in presenting this erstwhile printer's devil to this sea of upturned faces that I am literally 'between the devil and the deep sea.'"

That is why I subscribe myself, Fraternally yours,

EDWIN R. WEEKS.

Lieut. Hollis Winston, ex-'97 is on the Hill, the guest of his brother and sister, Professor and Mrs. P. H. Winston. Lieut. Winston after leaving the University entered the Naval Academy at Annapolis. Sometime after graduation he was made an instructor in that institution which position he now occupies.

MUSIC ASSOCIATION AT WORK

County and High School Clubs Meet. Other Happenings of the Week

The devotees of the pleasing arts of singing and playing met Monday afternoon in Alumni music hall and elected officers for the coming year and discussed prospects for another season. The members, about 20 in number, include all those who have represented the University in the band, Orchestra, or Glee Club.

The officers elected were: President W. B. Ellis; Vice President, M. B. Wyatt; Treasurer, J. R. Wildman. The election of the manager will take place later.

The band this year is in good shape. Eighteen men have gathered each afternoon in the music hall, and under the efficient direction of Leader Ellis, have been rounding into shape the kind of music that will help Carolina knock V. M. I. out in the first round. There are instruments of all kinds, shapes, and sizes. The piccolo is handled by Wyatt, and Wildman works on a clarinet. Pickard, Parrish, and Kennedy operate altos, and Vogler and Whitfield play the baritones. Whitaker, Solomon and Huffman alternate with drums and in vain try to catch up with McKay and Towland who practice calisthenics on the trombone. Rights, a puffing puffer, puffs the big base horn. The big racket of the band is kept up by Ellis, Thomas Proctor, Warren and Stephens, who with their cornets make more fuss than the whole sophomore class did on the nights during registration.

A call for candidates for the orchestra and Glee Club will be made this week and all who know anything about music are invited to make their application. They will be "tried out" and from the number will come the University Glee Club and Orchestra.

The Rockingham County Club met last Friday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: T. M. Price, President; P. H. Gwynn, Jr., Vice President; B. C. Trotter, Secretary and Treasurer; F. N. Cox, corresponding secretary. Eight new men were admitted to membership and the Club this year has the largest membership in its history. This is among the largest of the county clubs in the University.

The Warrenton High School Club met Monday night for reorganization. The following officers were elected for the year: President, Norman Vann; Vice-President, Sam Gattis; Secretary, James Royster; Treasurer, William Burwell. A committee was appointed to arrange for a banquet sometime in the fall. As a token of remembrance a picture of the club and a copy of the Yackety Yack are to be sent to Prof. John Graham, Principal of Warrenton High School.

A large crowd of prospective track men met with Coach Cartmell in the track room of the gymnasium Saturday afternoon to learn about the tournament which is to be held on the 29th of October. It is thought that this tournament will make more men come out to try for the team as well as keep the old men in training during the fall.

BIBLE STUDY RALLY

ANNUAL CAMPAIGN TO ENROLL FOR BIBLE STUDY BEGUN

Rev. Melton Clark of Greensboro the Speaker. Many Students Enlisted for the Courses

The Bible Study Rally, which is conducted annually by the Young Men's Christian Association was held for this year Sunday afternoon in Gerard Hall. The speaker of the occasion was Rev. Melton Clark, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Greensboro. Mr. Clark's subject was the Bible. He said in part:

A man is not crowned unless he strives loyally. Suppose a person's support depends upon his knowledge of the game of chess. He will strive to be as proficient as possible in the game. Our spiritual support and welfare depends upon our knowledge of the Bible. No one has a thorough education who does not know the Bible. It is read and studied more than any other book. A quotation from it can be understood and appreciated by any intelligent audience. The Bible has had a vast influence over our ancestors and Christianity has been the religion of all the leading nations since its birth.

A man in order to understand the Bible must read it consistently and with concentration of mind. He should study it for the great truths there are in it and not for apparent inconsistencies. Many men seem educated; yet they lack culture and refinement of character. The Bible gives us this culture and refinement. It teaches us how to live and how to die. It stands for the principles which lead to true success in life. When once we get interested in the Bible great mines of wealth are opened up. We get from it a spiritual satisfaction and peace. It is the duty of Christians to study the Bible in order to strengthen and fortify their own faith. It is the duty of non-Christians to study the Bible to seek for the truth.

Mr. Clark forcefully presented his arguments with very appropriate illustrations, and those who fortunately heard him had their interest in the Bible greatly stimulated.

The Bible Study Rally was the preliminary move toward organizing classes for the study of the Bible. The courses of Bible study which the Y. M. C. A. offers this year are:

1. The Life of St. Paul.
2. The Life of Christ.
3. A Study of Old Testament Characters.

Classes in each of these courses are led by men specially prepared for the work. Last year more than 400 students were enrolled in these classes and a larger number is expected this year. A cordial invitation is extended to each student to join a class. Over two hundred men have already been enrolled as a result of the meeting Sunday afternoon and the canvass made by students Sunday night. It is expected that fully as many more will be enlisted in the Bible Study Courses.

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