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CLASS FOOTBALL

The man who writes about the class athletic team of today is writing about the varsity of tomorrow. It is great pleasure, then, to note the rapid improvement of class football.

Two years ago class football was a rather haphazard, loose affair. Last year a class football coach was secured, off the Hill games were arranged, a definite class series was put through. This year is seeing progress in that program. The schedule and the off the Hill games are contemplated as before. Mr. DeWitt Klutz is again on the job. A new feature is the Greater Council Athletic Committee which has powers in regard to class athletics similar to the Athletic Council in regard to varsity athletics. This committee will, upon the recommendation of the coach, award numerals to the championship team.

Another step of great importance is the effort to secure a game for the Carolina Freshmen with the Wake Forest Freshmen and a game between the class champions and the State High School champions.

UNIVERSITY DAY.

The University celebrates its one hundred and twentieth birthday Monday, October the 12th. A much better program than usual has been arranged. The morning parade will be a better thing than heretofore. Every student in the University will be expected to be in it, and to be wearing his class colors. The graduate department is now organized and will have a regular place in the line.

The speaker in the morning, U. S. Commissioner of Education Claxton, is a man of national reputation. A new feature is the football game in the afternoon. The University of South Carolina will be the opponents. This will be the last opportunity of the season to see the team in action on the home grounds. With only twelve leaves of absence granted last year it is natural to suppose

that with the added attractions there will be a fewer number than last year.

WAR AND TYPHOID.

Most people really love the idea of war when it is at a distance. There is a romance and glamour about it hard to dispel. The whole world stands aghast at the present conflict, however, because the war is so uncalled for, so selfish and commercial. There is no principle at stake to give justification or palliation to the destruction of hundreds of thousand and the misery of nations.

It is the same way about typhoid. If a person dies nowadays of typhoid it is a crime. Vaccination is an absolute guarantee of immunity. The state supplies the vaccine, the University supplies the physician, you supply the arm. Death is always sad, but it is saddest when it is useless and could have been prevented easily.

THE TRACK.

Captain Woolcott and his track athletes are going to attempt to develop a track team without a hired coach. The plan is to have the older men coach and instruct the new men. Active work has been under way for some days. The first goal is the class track meet to come off this fall.

Track practice is largely a question of patience and careful training. With the exception of a little oversight and advice, success is very largely a matter of the individual. We believe that with the large number of old men here the track team will be a good one.

South Carolina Organizes.

The South Carolina Club met in informal session last Thursday night and elected the following officers: President, R. S. Siddall, Sumter, S. C., Vice-President, Hugh Black, Greenville, S. C., Secretary-Treasurer, A. M. Elliott, Columbia, S. C. The number of men from South Carolina this year is unusually large, being about twenty-five. It is the purpose of the club this year to become a potent factor in securing new men from South Carolina for the University, and to model its operations after the North Carolina Club. However, the social side of the club is not to be neglected.

Bible Study Groups Begun Work.

The Bible Study Groups started last Sunday with an attendance of a hundred and sixty out of a total enrollment of three hundred and seventeen. There are thirty groups which are taking up the same three subjects that were studied last year—The Life of Christ, Men of the Old Testament, and New Studies in Acts. Of these, The Life of Christ is the most popular and Men of the Old Testament next.

Omega Delta Initiates.

Omega Delta, a literary fraternity whose object is the study of the drama, has recently initiated Mr. McKie, Dr. Bain, Dr. Greenlaw and Dr. Howe from the faculty; from the students: Allen Mebane, George Eutsler, Don Harris, Mebane Long and Dorsy Pruden.

MR. HOUNSHELL'S ADDRESS

Y. M. C. A. Secretary Delivers Excellent Talk.

Mr. Hounshell, general secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement, spoke before an audience of one hundred and fifty in Chapel Sunday afternoon. His subject was missions.

He spoke of two college graduates, one of whom had been honored in college. The honored one had made money, the other had a purpose in life—the saving of souls. Mr. Hounshell dwelt upon the difference between the happiness of the two men. The money maker had accomplished his ideal and yet was not happy, because he had "missed it", the higher Spiritual happiness.

The speaker then went on to say that two out of three people in the world cannot read nor write their own names, and that the need is so great in the foreign field that there are many more places vacant there than there idle men in the United States. He spoke on the need of teachers, of physicians, of writers, of educated men in any line.

He ended with a strong plea for men, men who are willing to work hard with small hope of worldly reward, to hasten the day when the kingdoms of the world shall be the kingdoms of our God and His Christ.

Rally Day to Be Held Oct. 16.

Prof. Noble is planning a rally day similar to that of last year to be held for the people of the surrounding country on Oct. 16. Free moving pictures at the Pickwick, speeches in Memorial Hall and a singing contest between the county Sunday Schools will characterize the day; all these will go to make the day enjoyable as well as profitable for those in attendance.

Dramatic Club Tryouts Held.

The preliminary tryout for the Dramatic Club was finished last week, and Bernard Shaw's play, "Arms and the Man" was selected for this year's production. The preliminary tryout for the caste will begin this week with all the old members eligible as well as those who passed the first preliminary. The first performance will be given sometime after the Thanksgiving game, probably Dec. 4.

Junior Orders Initiate.

The Order of The Gorgon's Hea has initiated J. M. Huske, R. N. Page, Jr., G. C. Royal and A. T. Thorpe of the student body; and Dr. E. A. Greenlaw of the faculty.

The Order of Gimghouls has initiated J. H. Jones, T. C. Linn, G. M. Long, E. S. Reid, and D. T. Tayloe.

Recent Initiations.

The following men have lately been initiated into fraternities: O. A. Pickett into Alpha Chi Sigma, George Tandy and Hugh Cuthrell into Sigma Chi, and Joe Bates into Kappa Alpha.

T. I. Jones is principal of the High School at Helton, N. C.

W. C. Lord is in the insurance business at Wilmington, N. C.

T. W. Ferguson is teaching math at the Greensboro High School.

Meade Hart is teaching at Freindship, N. C.

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