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CANE CARRIERS FALL TO JUNIORS IN FINAL CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE

"SHORTY" BARNES INTERCEPTS FORWARD PASS AND RACES THIRTY YARDS

SCORE IS FOURTEEN TO ZERO

Co-Eds Bave the Rain and Cheer Their Heroes to Victory on a Muddy Field

On last Friday afternoon the Class of '26, the present Junior Class, won for itself the title of Inter-class Football Champions for the third time in its history. In this, the last game of the class series, the Jolly Juniors showed real football ability, and defeated the fast and scrapping Senior team by two touchdowns, the score being 14-0. A slow drizzling rain that fell during the early periods of the game did not dampen in the least the ardor of the little band of exponents who followed the team, or by play up and down the sidelines. The proportionately large number of co-eds who braved the rain and the mud to see their hero do the "Grit" was a sure sign of great encouragement to these heights of the gridiron.

Halt! Halt! Halt! Shorty's got the ball, was the wild cry from the grandstand when perhaps the most sensational play of the game was made. It was then that Shorty Barnes, tall Senior guard who runs like a gremlin, Co-Eds in the line, intercepted a long pass and ran for 30 yards without interference toward his enemy's goal line. He was finally pulled down by the Junior safety man who clung tenaciously to his belt.

The battle was fought up and took most of the latter part of the fourth 8 minute quarter when the Juniors finally got things going their way. They broke through the Digitaries' line time and again for first downs until they secured the Senior goal line. The ball went over, a punt, a fumble, and it was the Senior's ball. Barnard, junior right end, intercepted a pass and raced for nearly 20 yards to the Senior goal line. He was tackled by the Junior line, but he was not content with so small a score. Underwood, junior line, intercepted a pass and raced for 18 yards to the Senior goal line. He was tackled by the Junior line, but he was not content with so small a score. Underwood, junior line, intercepted a pass and raced for 18 yards to the Senior goal line. He was tackled by the Junior line, but he was not content with so small a score.

"Gandy Ball" Smith, Senior quarter back, then cut loose with two punts, passes to Jim Farris, but their rally was too late, and their last chance to win a class championship in football had gone as a shimmer.

Line-up and summary:

Seniors	Juniors
Crews	Barnhart
Hatch	B
Stevens	T
Dowsey	G
Barnes	C
Merritt	G
Lawrence	T
Farris	B
Bradshaw	H
Whelan	P
Smith	H

Substitutions: Senior McGregg for the "Stunt Coach"; Juniors: Harrison for Herring; Herring for "Pete"; Pete for Harrison; Latta for "End"; Johnson; Ellis for Black; Watson for Smith; Cannon for Ellis. Time of quarters, 15 minutes. First downs: Juniors, four; Seniors, six. Referee, Steiner, Syracuse. Umpire, Taylor, Trinity. Line Coach, Burroughs, Auburn.

Prof. "Now will you decline the Latin verb 'amo' please?" Student: "Yes sir. I'm afraid I'll have to." The State.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

Thursday, 7:00 P. M.—Chronicle Staff Meeting.
Thursday, 8:00 P. M.—Lecture by Gutzen Borglum, Sculptor, in Craven Memorial Hall.
Friday, 7:00 P. M.—Ministerial Club Meeting.
Saturday, 7:00 P. M.—Columbia Literary Society Meeting.
Saturday, 7:00 P. M.—Hesperia Literary Society Meeting.
Saturday, 8:30 P. M.—Trinity-Washington and Lee Debate, Craven Memorial Hall.
Sunday, 10:00 A. M.—Y. M. C. B. H. Class Meeting in Trinity City Hall.
Sunday, 5:00 P. M.—Vesper Service.
Monday, 7:00 P. M.—Taurian meeting.
Tuesday, 7:00 P. M.—Student Volunteer Band Meeting.

MONEY IN TRADE TO GO TO THE WINNERS

DORMITORY AND FRATERNITY TEAMS TO PLAY IN CONTESTS

CHAMPIONSHIP MEN GET PRIZES

Durham Merchants Offer Three Dollars in Trade to Each Man on Winning Teams in Basket Ball

In order to make an indisputable manifestation of their interest in athletics here at the college, several firms have now set forth the proof in concrete form. They believe that they are assisting the development of a more fervent spirit among students by promoting contests among divisions of students. At present it is their desire to see fast dormitory and class basketball teams organized; very generous rewards will be given to winners. Among the champion class and dormitory quints for the current season these firms will develop approximately \$200 in prizes. The following firms have graciously offered to make gifts of goods amounting to \$300 to each member of the champion class team: Very Horton Shoe Company, 137 West Main Street.

Raywood & Boone, 100 West Main Street.
Lipscomb-Gattis Company, 213 West Main Street.
Durham Book and Stationery Company, 122 West Main Street.
Kintons Jewelry Company, 107 South Main Street.
James & Frazer Company, 121 West Main Street.
Durham Men's Shop, Incorporated, 121 West Main Street.
Pritchard-Bright Company, 122 West Main Street.

Each player on the champion dormitory team will receive a gift of \$300 in trade from each of the following firms:

Blackwell's Drug Store, 102 North Courtman Street.
Durham Sport Shop, Incorporated, 209 West Main Street.
Dickey-Robbit-Poston Company, 103 West Main Street.
Markham-Borglum Company, 104 West Main Street.
Fridgen & Jones Company, 107 West Main Street.
W. C. Woodall Company, 308 West Main Street.
Lamb-Burch-Bowen Company, 119 West Main Street.
W. F. Farmer Mercantile Company, 118 North Church Street.

Coaches Steiner and Buckheit are organizing leagues so that the winners may be justly determined. The Inter-class League will be opened in the gymnasium tonight with the seniors playing the freshmen and the juniors playing the sophomores. Inter-dormitory matches will not be held until after the holidays.

Fraternity men are ineligible to play in either the Inter-class or the Inter-dormitory Leagues. After the holidays an inter-fraternity league will be organized, and a reward will be given the winner of the series.

Prof. Ritter Makes Talk at Vesper Service Sunday

The Vesper service Sunday afternoon was unusually good. After a prayer by Arthur Kale, Charles Farris sang a solo and Prof. Ritter, of the Bible department, gave a very interesting talk on life and conditions in China.

Gutzon Borglum to Deliver Address at Trinity College Tomorrow Night

Gutzon Borglum, who is to speak in Craven Memorial Hall tomorrow evening, December 11, is not only one of the greatest sculptors and artists in the world, but he is equally as great an engineer and craftsman—a strange combination for a sculptor. However, Mr. Borglum could not accomplish the sculpting feat on Stone Mountain if he were not a great engineer and a splendid orator.

The carving of such a gigantic figure as Mr. Borglum has undertaken requires as much engineering skill as artistic skill. In this piece of sculpture General Lee and a dozen other men will be as high as a sixteen story building. Huge drills, especially designed machinery, and many mechanical devices must be used in the work.

The details of the work, illustrated with stereoscopic slides, will be explained in Mr. Borglum's lecture of tomorrow evening. He will likely speak as much time discussing the engineering work as he will on the purely artistic phase of the subject.

In order to accomplish this work a vast sum of money is necessary, for it will

HESPERIA HAS WON TWO MORE OF INTER-SOCIETY DEBATES THAN COLUMBIA

Recently Defeated Part Bill Will Be Overy in Thirty-Third Annual Debate Between Ancient Rivals

Although the Hesperia Literary Society has won seventeen decisions while the Columbia Society has won only fifteen in the annual inter-society debate between the two rival societies, the fact that Columbia has won four of the debates during the past five years indicates that Columbia is giving Hesperia a close race for the number of victories. The subject of the debate this year is "Resolved, That the power of the Supreme Court should be limited." The men representing Columbia were J. P. Boyd, A. W. Kale, and A. B. Gibson, while Hesperia was represented by G. V. Allen, P. Ewald, and W. F. Graves.

The subject of the debate this year is "Resolved, That the port bill recently defeated in the general elections should have been passed." The representatives for Hesperia are Messrs. Horton, Horn, and G. B. Johnson, while the Columbia debaters are Messrs. Wall, Pratt, and Jerome. A hot clash is expected when the debate opens in the gymnasium. Trinity College has always retained the importance of careful training in public speaking, which is the sign of the strong practical tendency of modern education, and both of the literary societies have given special attention to debating and public speaking, for they see that the proficiency in practical public speaking is necessary to the student, and both of the literary societies are likely to be taken an active part in public affairs. The well trained public speaker and the skilled debater are likely to be among the most influential and most useful members of their community.

Books Must go Back to Library Before Holidays

All books loaned students from the library are due back by one o'clock, Friday afternoon, December 19, 1924. Every student is urged to begin today to get the library books back.

The cancelling of all the books out of the library now cannot be done in a day, and if you will until the 19th to return your books, you will forget some of them. A fine of five cents per day will be charged on each book not returned the 19th, and each succeeding day until it is returned.

No matter what day a book is taken out, it will be due back December 19th, 1924.

The following regulation has been issued by the Library Committee: "The Librarian is authorized to collect a fine of 25 cents from any student who carries a book out of the building when the book has been obtained for use in the reading room only. Reserved books will not be issued for use out of the building earlier than an hour before the Library closes."

Letter from daughter at Atlantic City: "Papa, dear, I enclose bill for hotel."

Letter from father: "I enclose check, don't buy any more hotels." The Horner.

STUDENTS PETITION THE FACULTY FOR EXTENSION OF CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Students Ask That Holidays Begin Saturday, December 20, and Include New Year

A petition for the extension of the Christmas holidays has caused a great amount of speculation among the students for the past few days, and it has not been absolutely devoid of any effect upon the various members of the Faculty for some professors have already committed themselves to be heartily in favor of this move.

There are very few students on the "Park," who are not in favor of this petition, but the number of these are steadily declining as the days pass. The most concrete proof of this is the fact that each day several new sheets of names are attached to the original.

The petition is to be presented to the proper officials Wednesday or Thursday for by that time it is expected that the petition will be signed by nearly one hundred per cent of the students. The names of the petition are to the effect that the student petition the faculty for the Christmas holidays to begin Saturday, December 20 instead of Friday, December 19, as scheduled; and that the school year be extended to January 2, instead of January 2, as scheduled; thereby, obviating the necessity of the students' leaving the college to travel a great distance from the college, or they would have to travel all New Year's Day.

This movement does not save of individualism, as some of the ill-informed students seem to say, but it is in fact follows the precedent of best judgment.

PREACHERS AND LAWYERS CALL OFF GRID CONTEST

Preachers Agree to Play Tag Fashion but Lawyers Consider this Form Too Mild

There will be no lawyer-preacher football game this year. No one in the rank and file of the ministerial association seems to know anything regarding the matter, and it is certain that the committee appointed by the ministers have failed to arrive at any definite conclusion. They agreed that a nice game of grid would be appropriate, but the lawyers refused to consider this form of football. The coach for the lawyers reports that the lawyers team is in readiness for the conflict in case the preachers should reverse their decision and decide to play at the last moment. Unless the ministers change their minds and play, they must agree, with the lawyer coach that the lawyers are the undisputed champions of the two aggregations.

That Davidson need to be a wild and woolly piece of back in 1888 is surmised from a clipping from the college paper of that year: "Ladies should no longer fear wild beasts and robbers when coming out of church at night, for 15 or 20 men will be waiting to catch them on their services to see that no one is hurt." The company forms immediately after the benediction. The Davidsonian, Davidson College.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Those who still have the Trinity Band at heart will have a chance to contribute more to the fund, and at the same time be furnished real enjoyment. Southgate inhabitants have produced the following program:

The Basketball team of the Delta Phi Beta Alpha, the athletic organization of the co-eds will meet a picked team of Trinity girls next Friday night at the Memorial Gymnasium.

The game will start promptly at 7:30. Admission 25 cents. All proceeds will go to the band fund.

DEBATE WITH W. AND L. ON SATURDAY EVENING

WILL BE THE FIRST INTER-COLLEGE DEBATE OF THE YEAR

CRABER AND GIBSON OF TRINITY

Question Involving the Supreme Court To Be Debated with Trinity Men Faced with W. and L. Men

The first inter-collegiate debate of the year will be held in Craven Memorial Hall on Saturday night, December 13th when Trinity will meet Washington and Lee University in an open forum debate. W. F. Crabar, Jr., an inter-collegiate debater, and A. B. Gibson, who represented Columbia in the inter-society debate last year will compose the Trinity team.

The query is: Resolved, that when the Supreme Court decides upon the constitutionality of a federal statute, the title of the judges shall concur in the constitutionality of the statute to be waived. This subject should prove to be a very interesting one which is in the minds of the people at the present time.

The open forum style of debate is becoming more and more popular with the general audience, and several debates of this nature were held here last year. According to this style of debating, Trinity will be represented on each side of the question, and the audience will decide the side which wins and not the college.

A return debate is scheduled to be held with Washington & Lee at Lexington, Va., some time in the spring.

DURHAM COUNTY ALUMNI GIVES BANQUET FRIDAY FOR TRINITY GRID MEN

Coach Jones and "Bobby" Flowers Make Brief Talks Thanking Team for Spirit

A banquet in honor of Coach Jones and his varsity players held Friday evening, which was given by the Durham County Alumni Association, at the Hobgood residence, closed the 1924 football season at Trinity College. Several prominent Trinity alumni and members of the faculty spoke at this time. Coach Jones briefly thanked the players for the good spirit they had shown and the co-operation and hard work which they had rendered during the season. After a short speech by R. M. Gantt, a prominent attorney of Durham, and an address of the college, several members of the football squad made brief talks.

The evening closed with an excellent address by Professor R. L. "Bobby" Flowers, secretary-treasurer of the college. He declared, "While the team lost more games than it won, there has been evidence of the finest type of spirit throughout the entire season. There was never a time when a member of the team caused his team to be penalized because of improper tactics while playing a game. The effect of a clean record is world-wide, and many colleges cannot boast of a similar record."

Paper on "Quo Vadis" is Presented to Classical Club

The Classical Club held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, December 9, in the Greek room. The most prominent features of the program was the reading of a paper by Mr. J. E. Kale on the subject of the book, "Quo Vadis" by Henryk Sienkiewicz. The book deals with Roman life at the time of Nero. The remainder of the time was taken up with a discussion of the work.

NEGATIVE GAINS IN DEBATE WITH STATE HELD LAST EVENING

CHILD LABOR DEBATED WITH STATE IN EDEBTON STREET CHURCH

BLAKENEY AND BOYD DEBATERS

Blakeney Represents Trinity on the Winning Side While Boyd Does Credit to College

The first open forum debate participated in by Trinity men this year was held in Edebon Street Methodist Church, Raleigh, with State College last night. The negative side of the question, "Resolved, that the proposed amendment to the Federal Constitution authorizing the regulation of child labor should be adopted," was won by a 31-21 vote. Trinity was represented on this side by W. S. Blakeney and State by Henry H. Rogers. The affirmative side was upheld by Julian Boyd of Trinity and Ralph J. Feder of State.

Hon. Joseph Daniels was the chairman for the debate. The Quartette of North Carolina State furnished music for the occasion. Much interest was manifested in the debate and the relatively close decision shows how hotly the proposition was contested. This was the final of a series of constant propositions in by Trinity this year, Trinity having introduced the open forum debate into North Carolina inter-collegiate circles.

BASKETBALL STOCK IS GETTING STILL HIGHER

SEVERAL FOOTBALL MEN ARE STRONG OPPOSERS FOR BERTHS

BULLOCK REPORTS THIS WEEK

Freshman Team of Last Year Shows Some Good Material—Prospects Seem to Be Much Better

With the addition of the men who were out for varsity football the basketball squad has grown until the Gymnasium is crowded with men every afternoon. Kimball, Frank, Caldwell, and Johnson, all Varsity football men, have joined the basketball team, and are their coming the Trinity basketball stock has gone up several points. Kimball, who made the squad last year and played in several games, is showing up well and can be depended on for some good work this season.

Frank did not play last year but he is showing up pretty well and he may develop into a good basketball player just yet. The other freshmen who were out for football last year, however, are not the only ones who are hiding on varsity berths. Graham, who was a first string substitute of last year, is perhaps the best player now out but he is being held rather closely by some of the squad. Lester, Bagg, Brooks, Flyer, Rhodes, and Butler are all showing some real basketball ability and they are going to make some work mighty hard to keep them off the first team.

Lester, although not in school last year, has done some good work for Trinity in the past. Bagg, who became famous for his long shot while on the Freshman team last year, now has a mark which enables him to throw his glasses and he is even better than he was last year. Brooks, another old Trinity player who was out in school last year, is one of the best on the floor at passing and dribbling. Flyer is a new man but bids fair to follow in the footsteps of his father, who made that wonderful all-around football team back in the twenties. Rhodes was high scorer for the Freshmen last year and Butler is one of the fastest men out besides being a good shot when close to the basket.

Couch Buckheit never has very much to say about the prospects of the team and he shows proof to plainly that he thinks they are going to make a good team. He takes work into the prospect of a basketball team. He also states that he is expecting Bullock out in the next few days. Bullock is suffering from an injury sustained at the first of the football season and was thought for a while that he would not be able to play any before Christmas. He is in only first string man of last years team to return and his temporary loss has been keenly felt. Consequently his return to the squad will make Trinity basketball stock rise still higher.

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EDITORIAL

PARAGRAPHS

But where will you be one month from tonight, two months, yes, even three months from now? Back at the same old grind.

The most comforting thought of all, however, is that just exactly thirty days from tonight the mid-term examinations will begin. It would be well to keep this thought in mind as the spirit of the holidays begins to permeate you.

Please do not forget that in the next issue space will be provided for all students who wish to send in their pictures for the all-class theme. There was a wealth of material evident on Hanes Field, and certainly there were several outstanding stars of the game who deserve public recognition by the students; however ability as a football player need not be counted.

Elon and Guilford have severed relations because Elon refused to play Guilford in the regularly scheduled game at Winston on Thanksgiving. In representing her case Guilford emphatically states that there would have been at least a thousand people at the game if it had been played.

The editor of the Guilfordian, the college paper of the Quakers, accuses Elon most maliciously for breaking the contract for the big game of the year, and editorially he demands that Elon states whom she expects to win from this state who has dropped Guilford.

The petitioners for the change in the date of the holidays feel that they are asking for only slight shift of the schedule, but they have failed to see just why classes always begin on the week-end instead of the beginning of the next week. But the change would be slight, if this useful regulation was avoided, wouldn't it?

Several college papers have followed on like sheep and have produced some very wretchedly crossedword puzzles. But there are two objections to the puzzles: the students are now in danger of finding their work because of wasted energy on such trash, and because there are not enough brains on the staff to compose such a puzzle. As a rule the most interesting of the average college paper makes it a veritable crossword puzzle, anyway. However, if there is any talent at Trinity, and if any student thinks he can produce, we promise to give him space, provided he sends in the answer to his composition.

ANTIQUATED CUSTOMS

Within the few years the number of students has increased and the old ways have reached the size of a large community. With this growth there seems to be an accompanying tendency to abandon some of the older customs which have been in vogue among the students and to forget some of the traditions which have been a great force in binding the students and faculty together in the spirit of the college.

In past years, even in recent years, some of these customs almost had the force of law on the campus so common to their usage, but with the increase in numbers both in students and faculty the former congeniality and politeness to each other seems to be dying out.

Especially noticeable is the fact that students are far less civil toward others than they should be. The custom of speaking to everyone is followed by one sarcastically few now, and groups of boys pass other groups without exchanging the "Hi!" as was once the custom. There is no reason why this practice should die out. The association here is too close, although the college is larger than it once was, for boys to act as strangers toward each other.

The one firmly established custom of raising the hats to faculty members is likewise on the point of abandonment. It is no longer in vogue among the students and it is impossible for the professors and the students to be acquainted intimately as when the college was small, but this custom was once one of the most highly prized here, both among the students and the professors.

Perhaps there has been some carelessness among the newer faculty members, who did not understand the custom at Trinity, and they may have failed to acknowledge the salutation. Also the new students have not been instructed in the matter as they have in the past, but even this is no excuse. The custom should get stronger as the college grows larger, and certainly the influence, as far as politeness and respect goes, will be just as great.

In the same connection another bit of negligence comes to mind. The custom of preserving the beauty of the lawn has almost become antiquated. At one time at Trinity it was a serious offense in the eyes of the students for a man even to walk across the grass, but now a casual glance across the campus on any afternoon will show just how far out of date this custom has become. A sense of pride in the beauty of the lawn, if nothing else, should be enough to stop this abuse.

THE PURPOSE OF CANE CARRYING

Since the Seniors have definitely decided to carry canes as the distinguishing feature of the class of 1925, there must be some motive behind the scheme, and as the plan goes into effect at an early date, perhaps it would be wise to stop to find a reason for their eagerness to adopt this form of insignia.

Since the Seniors have given no reason themselves there are several theories which might be advanced as an explanation, or rather there are several questions which might be asked in this connection.

Do they wish to imitate the class of last year? Have these men grown so infatuated during their four years of constant application to their studies that they are physically unable to prop themselves about the campus without any mechanical assistance? Are they laboring under the impression that cane carrying gives them a prestige that belongs to the most select groups? Have they reached that economical stage of

diminishing returns, at which stage they have become as freshmen again, and some distinguishing insignia is needed to avoid confusing the members of the two classes?

The first theory need not be considered. No one would assume the present senior class of deliberately attempting to imitate the custom of the senior class of last year. The solution must lie in the remaining three. The second theory is almost as improbable as the first. The idea that a whole class has rendered itself physically weak by over-studying is a well-worn ridiculous, especially if the example is to be taken from the local campus. Individual cases of this sort have happened occasionally, and perhaps at Trinity, but if the class as a whole can boast of bodily harm through over-study, then the seniors at Trinity have set a record which can neither be equalled nor equalled.

Probably the third suggestion comes nearer the explanation of the cane carrying, but in this case the proponents of the scheme are laboring under a misapprehension. No doubt the masculine members of the most select groups and the most exclusive club carry canes, but is the balloon seller at the football game also swings his stick with as much ease as the most aristocratic banker or financier. It is true that the type of cane might designate the character of the carrier, but if this argument is produced, the seniors are on the wrong side. Their canes should be skillfully carved from woods other than pine and should be of gold bands and other accessories if the sophisticated dealer is desired, whereas now the canes under consideration place the class among the balloon sellers and the umbrella men.

If the financial outfit constitutes the main problem, the seniors should be comforted with the time-worn adage that all good things are costly. The last theory, however, is the most reasonable one, although it may be somewhat objectionable, but is in order not to be too hard on the present class and with the purpose to present as good a case as possible, we will apply the economic law of diminishing returns in this manner: The Seniors have worked for four long years, they have worried into distraction, and now as the end of the time draws near, they have reached that inevitable stage at which their ability ceases to be as great as formerly, their capacity to absorb has become lessened, their brains more inclined to blankness, and their thoughts have shrunk to the size of a mustard seed. But such is not to be wondered at. The Seniors are victims of circumstances, for after a period of extensive service all machines, both mechanical and human, begin to decline in usefulness until they again reach the inevitable stage.

This solution suits the present case as so to leave no room for insinuations or improper remarks, but it explains the action of the class in a fitting manner. The seniors, unable to avoid the inevitable law, have reached the stage at which they have become as freshmen again, but they must not be confused with freshmen. There must be some means of distinguishing between the two, for the freshmen badges are coming off within the month. There is only one way out: The Seniors will have to carry the distinguishing insignia. So they have ordered canes. Their motive is justified. The seniors are seniors, the freshmen are freshmen. No matter how closely the two classes correspond, they must never be confused.

COLLEGE COLLECTIONS

Among the choicest bits of literature that came out of the affair was a letter from the Elon coach, in which he informs Guilford (in a reply to a letter from Mr. Herring cancelling the baseball game), much in the spirit one would expect, that Elon "could get along without Guilford." This was an immense surprise to Guilford. We thought she couldn't. If Elon ceases to play Guilford, from whom else can she hope to win? The Guilfordian, Guilford College.

A professor at West Virginia Wesleyan College has discovered a new method of cribbing employed by the co-eds. Girls wearing thin flesh-colored stockings had written notes on their ankles. The notes were legible when the fabric was drawn taut. The new method.

"The muffled drum's roll has beat the soldiers' last tattoo," etc. In other words last fall fate has turned the pages of a disastrous football season. At the first of the year we anticipated victory, later we hoped for a victory, and still later we longed for a victory, and after all the fact remains that one touchdown represented the sum total of our scoring efforts this year. The Maroon and Gold, Elon College.

And while we are speaking of football we might as well ask what Shakespeare had to say about it: "Down, down!"—Henry IV.

"Well Placed!"—Henry IV.
"An Excellent pass!"—The Tempest.
"A touch, a touch I do confess!"—Love's Labor Lost.
"Full! Well, down with them!"—Henry VI.
"The Shoudering of each other!"—Henry VI.
"Being down to have the placing!"—Cymbeline.
"Let him not pass, but kill him rather."—Macbeth.

"We must have bloody noses and cracked crowns."—Henry VI.
"Worthy Sir, thou Model of a Soldier has been too violent."—Coriolanus.
"It's the first time I ever heard of breaking ribs was a sport."—As You Like It. Boston Transcript.

"What kind of a shot are you?"
"Oh, I just think it's loads of fun!"
"Just you wait—I'll be a dead shot before I'm through." These are a few of the remarks that were being made the first day of the target-shooting experiment, which one of the psychology classes is trying out on a large number of students. Each subject must shoot five minutes each day for sixteen consecutive days, the shooting being done with air rifles. The experiment has created much excitement and enthusiasm, and the number of subjects is increasing daily. The Davenport Weekly Record, Davenport College.

Buckheit is Conducting a New Class in Coaching

Coach Buckheit, basketball mentor, is conducting a class in high school football coaching two afternoons each week in West Duke Building. The course prepares men to coach the fundamentals of basketball and the most popular and effective system of play. Beginning with the best methods for choosing a team, coach Buckheit will cover the entire subject of successful basketball coaching. There are approximately twenty men enrolled in the class at present, with new additions at each meeting of the class.

The scheme of the faculty to send the reports home before the darling son gets there defeats many well-set plans. About the only thing to it is to get some new thesis. The old ones are no good now, and it's almost too late to write.

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TRINITY LOSES STATE CROSS COUNTRY MEET

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RUNNERS AND TRINITY
COMES THIRD

MARRY SECOND MAN IN RUN

Several Men in Pure Condition for Run-
Three Men on Team Make Last
Cross Country Race

Trinity's hopes of winning the state cross-country championship were blasted last Saturday at Wake Forest, when several of the Blue Devil runners failed to stretch their legs as they should, and as they had done in previous meets. Although "Track" Mory delivered the goods true to form, he could not win the meet, for the Carolina and State teams hauled their runners and took third, fourth, and fifth and sixth places respectively, which did much toward making these teams high scorers. Bailey, of Wake Forest, led the field and ran the three mile course in 15 minutes and 47 seconds, just five seconds ahead of Mory, but the Wake Forest team failed to back their star runner and therefore they had to take fourth place in the meet.

The scores of the respective teams are as follows: Carolina, 43; State, 46; Trinity, 59; Wake Forest, 71; Davidson, 107; and Elon taking last place because only three men entered. The winning team of course taking the lowest score. The Carolina individual scores were as follows: Lambeth, 21; Keel, 45; Turner, 9; Goodwin, 10; and Bass, 14; making the total of 42 for the University team. The State runners came along so slow that the best that they could do was to take fourth place with 71 points.

Redman, who was considered by many to be Trinity's second best runner, seemed to have hard luck in this run, and the effect of his irregular practice and training caused him to fall entirely in the last half mile of the race. Hatcher and Overton, both running their last cross-country race for Trinity, showed up better than they had been heretofore. Withrow was another who was taking the cross-country jump for the last time in the Trinity uniform, and he ran true to his form. Holt ran an exceptionally good race considering the fact that he had been sick during the previous week. It was really a surprise that Trinity did not take at least second place, and it was thought that the Blue Devils had an even chance of winning. But their failure to place a second man close behind Mory spelled defeat for them.

SPANISH CLUB ORGANIZED BY STUDENTS TO PROMOTE MORE STUDY OF SPANISH

New Club Will Send Out Bids This Week
—Plan to Bring Spanish Diplomats
to Lecture at College

On last Monday night the Spanish Club held its meeting in the Hesperia Literary Society Hall. Although very little is known and has been heard about this language club, it promises to be an organization which will not only help to make the study of Spanish more interesting to the students who are taking this particular language, but it will serve as an incentive for Spanish students to make better grades. This Club was organized by Prof. Steinhilber, and during the last year several members were taken in. The requirements for membership to this club are that a student must have had at least three terms of the Spanish language, and must have made creditable grades during these three terms. Bids will be sent out during the next two weeks to eligible and promising Spanish students.

The program on last Monday evening consisted of a very interesting and extraordinary Spanish reading, after which a series of "tongue twisters" in Spanish were given by the president, Mr. R. McIntosh. General business was brought up and many things of interest were discussed.

Through the efforts of the officers of the Club, prominent Spanish diplomats will be brought to Trinity to lecture to the members in the near future. This is really the first move of its kind to be made at Trinity, and it is hoped that these lectures will create a greater interest in Spanish courses.

The officers of the club are: C. R. McIntosh, president; L. E. Rock, vice-president; Annie McSwain, secretary and treasurer; and M. L. Black, Jr., publicity agent.

He cedar.
"Willow," he asked her.
And the trouble began.—The Plainsman.

TIMELY SUBJECTS ARE DEBATED BY COLUMBIANS

Pratt, Farris, and Lewis Decided Best
Speakers in Unusual
Program

Orations by W. G. Pratt and L. F. Farris and the debate on the query resolved, that capital punishment should be abolished in North Carolina were the outstanding features of the program of Columbia Literary Society last Saturday evening.
Pratt, the first orator, spoke on "The Ku Klux Klan and Immigration". He pointed out the fact that the Klan sought to create sentiment against all people for whom they were not of the Caucasian race. Another oration was then given by L. F. Farris on the subject, "Citizenship in College".
The debate on the old but important question of capital punishment was held by Farris and L. F. Farris and L. H. Thompson of the affirmative won the decision of the audience over J. G. Willerson and M. A. Lewis of the negative. The judges chose W. G. Pratt the better orator, J. J. Farris the better speaker of the affirmative, and M. A. Lewis the better speaker of the negative. E. W. Harris made an extemporaneous speech on "Immigration". The president appointed J. P. Leeper, Chief of the Tribunal and W. S. Grant and W. A. Mory his assistants. J. J. Farris, J. G. Willerson, and M. A. Lewis were taken into membership of the society.

R. P. HARRIS PRESENTS AN INTERESTING PAPER

Sigma Upsilon Hears an Interesting and
Informative, Critical Analysis
of State Newspapers

Instead of the usual distribute on some "high brow" literary subject the paper presented to the Sigma Upsilon fraternity, Thursday evening, December 1, was devoted to a critical analysis of the state newspapers, especially the three leading ones. Mr. R. P. Harris, one of the publicity agents for the college and a former member of the editorial staff of the Durham Star, presented the paper.

After explaining the great service that these papers render to the state, Mr. Harris began his critical discussion. His introduction he gave a graphic and succinct summary as follows:

"Roughly speaking, the three newspapers are generally classified, in the minds of the average layman, as follows: The Greensboro News—non-partisan, strictly independent as to policy, with a constructive, intelligent editorial page; rather poor as to make-up, or arrangement; a rather 'literary' sheet, with complete, but uncolored news."

"The News and Observer—biased and partisan as to politics, with violently democratic party leaning; good eastern news service; make-up ranging from fair to rather good, but with occasional poor proof-reading; editorial page rather and boring to anyone except those interested in the Democratic party for politics' sake; none too well edited, somewhat slovenly, and the personal organ of Josephus Daniels."
"The Charlotte Observer—a well-edited, prosperous newspaper, catering strongly to western North Carolina and Northern South Carolina readers; excellent make-up—best in the state; editorial page seldom contains anything interesting and never anything startling; the whole paper 'plays up' over-much, the industrial interests of the state, particularly the capitalistic interests in and around its territory."

The entire paper was interesting, informative, and decidedly the best that has been presented to the Sigma Upsilon this year.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED BY HESPERIAN LAST MEETING

Lawrence is Elected President—Talks by Several of the Members
Features Program

The regular of the Hesperia Literary Society was held last Saturday at 7:30 o'clock. As it was time for the election of officers, there was no regular program. Orations were delivered by O. C. Peeler on the Philosophy of Thinking; by S. D. Withrow on the Organization of Thought; and by C. R. Hamilton on City Extension. Short and amusing extemporaneous speeches were made by M. L. McIntosh, R. E. Rock, and J. G. Willerson. An election of officers was held and the following officers were elected for the coming term: M. W. Lawrence, president; R. E. Rock, secretary; J. E. Oltman, secretary; L. Q. Mumford, secretary; C. A. Waggoner, chairman of the executive committee; and O. P. Johnson, marshal.

One I met a girl from Michigan
Who met to meet again I don't wishgain.
She uttered ice cream
Till I thought I'd seen her.

For she ate fish and dish and dishgain.
"Say, Simple, what poet said, 'Water, water everywhere, and not a man will drink it!'"

TAURIANS EXPECT TO GIVE ONE-ACT PLAYS

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETINGS
ARE DECIDED UPON BY
MEMBERS

MAY CONTRIBUTE TO LIBRARY

Profits from Recent Production May Be
Used to Add to Collection of
Books of Drama

The Taurians Players have decided that they will not make producing plays their only function, and they are now working out plans which will make it possible for them to present an interesting program at each of their monthly meetings. Each meeting will be in charge of one of the chairman of the special committees. At one meeting in the near future the costume committee will arrange a program, later the scenery committee will present one, and then each committee in turn, including publicity, finance, etc.

At the regular meeting Monday evening, December 15, these tentative plans will be discussed and definite arrangements made for the various programs to be presented during the remainder of the year. The work of the Taurians Players aside from their function of producing plays for the college community, should make the college realize that the Taurians Players are becoming one of the most important extra-curriculum activities at Trinity.

One Act Plays May Be Produced
The surprising success of the Oryza Second Year production has made the Taurians Players consider producing several one act plays during the spring semester. However, their plans for the spring have not yet crystallized, and it is likely that no definite action will be taken before the Christmas holidays.

Another important thing that the Taurians will decide at their next meeting will be the spending of the profits realized from their recent production. A suggestion that the Taurians start a library (although the Trinity library is rated as the third best in the state, it contains a very meagre collection of books of interest to the student of drama) has been made.

SWIMMING POOL CLOSED FOR INDEFINITE PERIOD

Motor on Pump Causes Trouble—Swim-
ming Pool's Plans Are Held Up
Until Pool Opens

It is still uncertain as to when the swimming pool will again be opened. "Oup!" Card says that he is doing all that is possible to get the swimming pool again in shape to accommodate the many girls that enjoy this form of exercise. It seems that the motor that pumps the water into the pool was entirely too much electricity, and the pool director, "Oup!" Card, and others are trying to remedy this.

The fact that the pool will be closed for some time is a great hindrance to the plans for a good swimming team, for the swimmers need the practice training that they would get while the pool is under repair. But next spring they will have main time for the training of the swimming team, and it is hoped that much interest will be taken in this new branch of sport.

GLEE CLUB BACK AFTER VERY SUCCESSFUL TOUR

Thirty-Five Musicians Took Trip by
Bus and Covered Much
Territory

The Trinity Musical Club, including Glee Club, Mandolin Club, Classical Orchestra, Jazz Orchestra, Vocal and Instrumental Quartette, and the Specialty Entertainers, returned to the College last Sunday morning after completing one of the best tours ever taken by the musical organization.

Thirty-five talented musicians, including W. B. Brown, "Song-bird" president of the club, and "Big Boy" Warner, manager, made up the large white bus; one of the buses used by a local transit company, which plays blue tunes at the Greensboro. It was the purpose of the tour to cover more territory in the limited amount of time allotted to the members of the club, by means of this long haul method of transportation, and it is probable that future trips will be taken in the same manner.

According to newspaper reports received at the college, a record breaking crowd was on hand to witness the concert given by the Trinity musicians, which shows that the people of the state are greatly interested in collegiate musical organizations. Manager Warner has already begun to make contracts for the spring tour which will include the Western part of the state, and will take place after the mid-year examinations. There is still much talent available that has not tried out for places on the club, and all members of the student body who are interested in music are urged to lend their services to the club.

ALUMNI REGISTER FOR DECEMBER OFF PRESS

Resume of Football Season and Article
on the Value of a College Edu-
cation Are Features

The December issue of the Trinity Alumni Register has been published and is now ready for mailing. This issue contains many very interesting articles, among which the resume of the 1924 football season is likely to be of most interest; however, the article admiring the value of a college education is very good.

R. L. Thigpen, the Alumni Register, has been very busy of late making preparations for the coming year. Among his various projects of the State in this capacity he was in Greenville, North Carolina, December 1, making arrangements for the Pitt County Alumni Banquet to be held there soon. He was in Winston, December 4, on a similar mission.

Friends of W. Bryan Bolich, 17, Law, 21, will be pleased to hear that he has completed his three years residence at Oxford University, England, and they will be glad to learn also of his very creditable record that he made while at this place. His honors do not come from the academic departments only, but also from the extra-curriculum departments. He is a debater and athlete as well. During his residence at Pembroke College, he was President of the Pembroke College Debating Society and also of the Pembroke Law Society, and he was also a member of two honorary literary clubs. In addition to these activities he played Rugby football, rowed in Pembroke's second boat, and played on the tennis team of his college.

FROSHES OUT-RUN CHAPEL HILL FRESHMEN IN MEET

Carolina Freshmen Take Away Three
First Places—Bracy Proves to Be
Fastest on Team

The Trinity Cross-Country Team met the Carolina Freshmen in a two and three-quarter mile Saturday afternoon at Chapel Hill. The Carolina Freshmen won the meet, set on sheer running ability, but on a technicality, Carolina Freshmen took the first three places, but lost the second and third places to their own failing to complete the run. Heater, Trinity's first man, came in fourth, time 15 minutes and 55 seconds. The order of the Trinity runners was: Bracy (5), McDowell (6), Warner (7), Peppers (9), Greene (10), and Johnson (11).

Junior Class Gridsters Win Football Championship

The junior class gridsters at Trinity are the champion intra-mural football players, having won the right to first place in the four class teams of the season. The Carolina Freshmen, who defeated the seniors in a hard fought game, the last of the inter-class football games at the college for this season. The highly skilled, conquerors of the Freshmen, were the juniors, who sent the sophomores down to defeat, although they had difficulty in doing so, staged a terrific fight for the championship title, but senior sophomores had to give way to junior brawn, and the highly seniors lost in the final battle of the season.

WRESTLING TEAM IMPROVES WITH BAILEY'S COACHING

Match with Raleigh Called Off—No
Team to Be Met Until After
the Holidays

From all indications the Trinity Blue Devil Wrestling Team bids fair to surpass its last year's record, if that were possible. The thirty-five men who have won the right to fight for a month under the direction of Captain Hardaway are now under the mentorship of Coach Bailey. Last year Coach Bailey piloted the Trinity Matmen through the season undefeated, winning Southern honors. Each afternoon from two until five-thirty, the wrestling room is a scene of exciting struggle with the old men for berths on this year's team. Bailey is fully whipping the squad into form. The old men are rounding into splendid form, while the new men are fast learning the ropes of the game. It is not mere guesswork to predict a successful season for the Blue Devil Matmen.

Coach Bailey announces that the meet with Raleigh W. M. C. A., which was to have been held sometime before Christmas has been called off. This means that the Trinity Wrestlers will not grapple in a regular meet before the holidays. Bailey announces that he may, and probably will, give an exhibition with his matmen in the near future, the date to be determined upon later.

The schedule, though as yet incomplete, is to be one of the heaviest ever taken on by the Trinity Grids. Among the heaviest will be Washington and Lee and the Navy.

