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SEASON'S SOCIETY EVENT PROVES A HUGE SUCCESS

Junior Ball at Leamington Thoroughly Enjoyed by Brilliant Assemblage.

Decoration Scheme Harmoniously Carried Out in Ballroom and Banquet Hall.

The 1913 Junior Ball remains only a pleasant memory. In a setting of soft light and artistic decorations, girls in beautiful gowns, all aglow with the enjoyment of the occasion, glided and flashed before the vision. Everything was complete to make the affair one of the most successful balls that has ever been given. Decorations, programs refreshments and entertainment fitted into one harmonious whole.

The ball room was decorated with flower baskets containing ferns and roses, which hung from the chandeliers. The lamps were shaded with colours which blended with the regular color scheme. The dining room was banked with palms and at each place at the table, favors in the shape of red silk heart shaped candy boxes filled with dainty red and white hearts were found. The lights were dim and illumination was furnished by candelabras on the walls and shaded candle sticks on each table. When the screens between the ball room and dining room were removed, the tables presented a beautiful spectacle with the colored shades and heart shaped favors.

The programs were very artistic, those of the ladies' being finished in white leather with J. B. embossed with mother of pearl and 1913 in gold on the front cover, the seal of Minnesota being found on the back cover. The programs were decorated with white silk cords and tassels. The color scheme was carried out in the men's programs by the lavender cords on gray marble leather. The J. B. was embossed on the men's programs with maroon and gold.

Much amusement was afforded by the trio of colored musicians at one end of the lobby, who by clever songs and dances attracted the attention of the dancers and prevented the ball from becoming overly crowded. Billiards in the basement also attracted many of the dancers and was sufficient inducement for some of them to remain there.

The list of guests was as follows: Pres. and Mrs. George E. Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Sommers, Dean and Mrs. John F. Downey, Dean and Mrs. Francis O. Shenehon, Dean and Mrs. Frank F. Fairchild, Dean and Mrs. George F. James, Prof. and Mrs. Nicholson, Major and Mrs. Butts, Dean and Mrs. Wulling, Dean and Mrs. Henry T. Eddy.

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DEAN WOODS SPEAKS ON AGRICULTURE IN CHAPEL

The Reorganization of Country Life is Greatest Rural Problem of the Day.

Up-to-Date Farmer is Well Versed in a Wide Range of Subjects.

"The problem of the reorganization of country life is the greatest problem of the day," said Dean Albert F. Woods, of the agricultural college, in his chapel lecture yesterday on, "Agriculture as a career for college men and women." Dean Woods spoke of the many phases of agriculture available to college graduates, and emphasized the importance of this line of work to any community.

That the demand for well-trained men to fill positions in agricultural schools, (Continued on page 4.)

DR. BURTON RETURNS.

Takes Important Part in Dickens Celebration in New York.

Dr. Richard Burton has just returned from his annual lecturing tour through the East. In the course of a three weeks journey, Dr. Burton delivered thirty-four lectures in the large Eastern cities including New York and Boston, fifteen of these being on Dickens.

Dr. Burton was present at the great celebration in New York in honor of Dickens and met many well known literary men. Among them Hamilton Wright Mabie and William Watson of England. He also attended the annual dinner given by the Poetry Society of America and was one of the speakers at the meeting of the Dramatic League of America of which he is one of the Vice Presidents.

CONSTITUTION CORRECTED

Women of the University are Put on an Equal Basis with the Men.

The proposed constitution for an all-university student council will be put up for ratification Saturday and ballot boxes will be arranged conveniently for students of all the departments.

Some time before Christmas the constitution committee met and made arrangements so that the women could have representation on the council. Owing to a mistake, this change was not noticed when the constitution was published in the Daily, and a misunderstanding has arisen among the students on that account. Under the present arrangement, the women of the university are put on an equal basis with the men.

The constitution is merely a working basis for a council, and as the whole function of the council should not be determined at the present time, the powers are not definitely specified. There are no real powers given to the council, but it is known that such a council as has been proposed, could become useful to the student body, and would take a prominent part in student affairs.

In nearly all the larger colleges of the country such councils have been formed and are among the most important of all student institutions. It is thought that because of the scattered character of the student community at Minnesota, the council will be especially convenient and useful.

If the constitution is ratified at the polls next Saturday, elections will be held for positions on the council in about two weeks.

The proofs of the Gopher pictures for all organizations must be selected at once. The organization section of the Gopher will be completed by Saturday of this week and all organizations which have not had their pictures taken and selected proofs will be left out. Gopher Board.

STATISTICS COLLECTED FOR VOCATIONAL SCHEME

Questionnaire Instituted in Academic College to Obtain Student Aims.

Groups May Be Organized of Those Choosing Similar Occupations.

The faculty committee on statistics provided a list of questions on vocations, which were answered by approximately 95 per cent yesterday of the students of the academic college. The purpose of the questionnaire was to induce to the students to think over their aims, as well as to give information concerning future occupations. The census was suggested at a conference recently at the home of President Vincent. Professors J. B. Minor, T. W. Mitchell and R. R. Shumway compose the committee, which is conducting the census.

Visits were made yesterday to all the classes in the College of Science, Literature and the Arts from 9 o'clock until 3, and it is estimated by the committee that only a small percentage of the students was missed by that method. Printed questions were given to all the students to answer. These included questions concerning previous occupational training, as well as future occupational aims and preferences. The questions were not all specific, but left the student opportunity to fill in with his individual alterations. The names of the students will be cut from the list of questions and the committee has promised that the answers will be held strictly confidential.

In connection with the series of vocational lectures and classes which have already been started, this census may be used to help organize the different groups, according to their preferences. The opinion of some of the educators was that the vocational ideas of the students were not sufficiently developed, and it was thought that the census would be not only an indication of how much the students considered their futures while still in college.

An attempt was also made to determine what percent of the students were getting their education for other than purely utilitarian views, and it was thought that by setting these questions before the students in this way, many more of them would be induced to think more seriously of their future occupations.

CRACK SQUAD INFORMAL.

Second Party Promises to be More Successful Than First.

Dean and Mrs. Shenehon will chaperone the Crack Squad informal to be given Monday evening, February nineteenth. As dancing will begin promptly at half past eight, friends of the squad have been requested to be in the Armory to fill out their programs shortly after eight o'clock. The exhibition drill will come at ten. A six-piece orchestra from downtown will furnish the music, and orderlies will be in attendance.

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CLEARING UP MISTAKES.
 Two matters seem to need elucidation in connection with the proposed constitution of the all-university student council. One of these is due to a mistake, on the part of the Daily, the other to a misapprehension on the part of the students themselves. Some time ago the committee changed the constitution to give the women students representation on the council, and it was so announced, but through a mistake, this was not changed when the constitution was published some time ago. The other is that the establishment of the student council means the establishment of the honor system. This is entirely an erroneous conception, and should be dispelled as soon as possible.

Article II of the constitution gives the purpose of the council, and there are no intimations of the establishment of the honor system in this article, and there was no intention of relating the two in the minds of the originators of the idea of the council.

The main points in the object of the council are to represent the whole student body where it is concerned as a whole, and organize and promote interests of all the students. There are no hidden powers lying under announcement of the intentions of the council. It is only an honest effort to create a unified and co-operating student body, in place of the anarchistic state of affairs that has hitherto existed. The council is not meant to force anything on the students which they do not want, and the honor system will never work until nearly all the students are willing to have it established. There should be no hesitation on this score.

The council has been confused by some students as an enlargement of the academic council. This is also a misunderstanding, as there has been no relation between the two, and if the new council is established, the powers of the two will be of different kinds.

It is necessary that the students take an interest in the council if it is to amount to much. Its importance will be measured by the assistance and co-operation which it receives from the students. The constitution as it is proposed by the committee may have some faults which have not been seen, but it will be worth every student's while, to vote for it next Saturday as it is. It is but a frame work, and can be easily amended to suit the changing conditions under which it will grow.

Vote for it Saturday, and give the council an opportunity to prove what it can do.

The honor system has been recently instituted at the Univ of Kentucky

PROF. BELLOWS ECTURES.
 Large Audiences Continue to Attend University Public Series.

Professor Henry Bellows of the Rhetoric department delivered the fourth lecture of the university public series, in the Physics lecture room at four, yesterday. His topic was "The Twelfth Century and Medieval Narrative."


In introducing his subject, Mr. Bellows said, "Most people know almost nothing about the literature and very little about the period from 200 to 1300. This is unfortunate for it was during the period that modern civilization was shaping itself.

Chanson de Roland and the Niebelungenlied were mentioned as the only epics that remain of over half a million lines that were written during this period.

Last night President Vincent left for Chicago and the East on a business trip. He will return Monday, February, 19th.

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Hoosiers are Bringing Fast Aggregation Here Saturday Night.

On the evening of Saturday the seventeenth the Gophers meet Indiana on the home floor. On account of the rapid strides that Indiana has made lately, as evidenced by the struggle which they put up against the Maroons last Saturday, the game should be a more interesting one than was originally expected. The Hoosiers have built up a mighty fast aggregation and according to reports were robbed of the game with Chicago by the worst kind of hard luck.

As expected the loss of Robilliard the star guard was very keenly felt on the recent disastrous trip. The feature of these games from the Minnesota point of view was the splendid guarding of Giltinan, who took the place made vacant by the loss of "Robie." Malarky the star forward of the Purdue team was held to two baskets while Hall the crack Illinois man was held to a single field basket. In the Purdue game, McVaugh the Boilermaker's center got away with five field goals contributing largely to the Gophers's defeat.

Since their return the Gophers have been hard at it remedying the defects that showed up during the recent eastern trip. On account of the loss of Robilliard the teamwork at Purdue and Illinois was hardly up to the Gopher standard, but a week's practice ought to strengthen the line-up considerably. The remarkable showing of Giltinan has given the Minnesota rooters hope of finishing

the season with an unbroken string of victories. Another thing in our favor is the fact that most of the remaining games must be played on the Minnesota floor. It is hoped, and not without a basis of truth, that the team that meets Purdue and Wisconsin here on the home floor will present a much better opposition to the hitherto invincible leaders than they have done on their trips. In fact the more sanguine supporters of the Gophers are already predicting a victory for the maroon and gold.

FRESHMEN LAWS BANQUET.

In Contrast to Middle Laws Will Invite Faculty.

President Vincent will be honor guest at the banquet to be given by the Junior laws, on Tuesday evening, February 20th, at the St. Anthony Commercial club rooms.

The middle laws had their annual banquet last Monday evening, and a distinctive feature of the program was the noticeable absence of the faculty. As a feature of contrast, the freshmen laws have tendered an invitation to every member of the law faculty and President Vincent.

The banquet committee under the direction of James Lovejoy are planning to have the banquet excel the one given by the Middle Laws. The class is united in this one effort at least, as regular students, special students and even senior academics signed the banquet petition.

Thursday, February 15th.

11:40 A. M.—Chapel Assembly, University Farm. Address by President George E. Vincent.

12:00 M.—Y. W. C. A. Meeting.

Address by Rev. George A. Merrill: "Missions in Minnesota." Shevlin Hall.

Friday, February 16th.

11:00 A. M.—Address: "The State and National Pharmacy Laws," Mr. E. A. Tupper, Secretary of the State Board of Pharmacy. College of Pharmacy.

12:00 M.—University Chapel Assembly. Vocational Series Lecture: 6. "The Practice of Law as a Vocation for College Graduates," Honorable David F. Simpson.

(Continue from page 1.) as well as in scientific investigation, and extension work is greater than the number of graduates was proved by Mr. Woods from his personal experience. Five thousand men are employed in the Department of Agriculture at Washington, while at least four thousand more have positions at the various stations throughout the country. This shows the importance of men being trained for this line of work, which is usually a well paid position. At the present time there are three places for every man or woman who has the necessary training.

In speaking of the curriculum of the agricultural college of today, Mr. Woods said that it had been broadened to include many branches of learning in addition to the special courses. It is necessary for the agri-

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