

Euphradian

Now that the days are growing longer Society will convene at 8 o'clock instead of the winter hour, this going into effect on March 14th.

At the last meeting of Society the retiring president and the newly elected president delivered their ex-augural and inaugural addresses respectively. At this meeting the election of Junior Orator and Valedictorian for the commencement exercises of this Society was also held.

Mr. Roy Webster, of the Law Class of 1909, was elected Junior Orator, and Mr. J. M. Hemphill, of the Graduating Class, elected Valedictorian.

The preliminary for State-Oratorical contest will be held in the chapel on the evening of March 20th. The speakers and officers from this Society for this contest are as follows:

Speakers—J. C. Sheppard, Jr., '09, Edgefield; J. D. Lee, '09, Sumter, and M. R. McDonald, '10, Westminster.

Officers—J. E. Hart, '08, York, chief marshal; C. E. Vance, '11, Richland, and J. I. Hazard, Jr., '11, Georgetown, assistant marshals.

Due to the fact that we are engaged in so many contests during the spring, it was decided that as every contest is practically an inter-Society contest, that the regular inter-Society contest that takes place in April could be easily dispensed with, and a motion was unanimously carried to abolish for all time the Annual Inter-Society Contest, this to go into effect this collegiate year.

The Euphradian department of *The Centennial Catalogue* of the two Societies is now rapidly nearing completion under the guidance of their most efficient editor-in-chief, Mr. J. Rion McKissick, '05. We hope to see the catalogue, complete in every detail, on sale before the opening of another session.

Mr. P. Ross Moore, '07, is now adjunct professor of history in the Barnes School of Montgomery, Ala.

Mr. J. H. Rogers, a loyal Euphradian of '06, is now teaching in his home town, Society Hill.

Mr. W. C. Hughes, '07, is now the Junior member of the law firm of Shelor, Carey & Hughes, Wall-halla, S. C.

On February 29th the query: *Resolved*, "That the United States Senators should be elected by the people," was won by the affirmative, represented by Messrs. C. W. Carroll and E. H. Hand.

Readers—Ross, T. M., Simpson, R. F., Barringer, T. R.

Declaimers—Palmer, H. R., James, J. A., Jr., Matheson, A. D.

Orator—J. E. Hart.

Debaters—Affirmative, Davis, J. B., Griffith, L. M.

Negative, Cooper, R. M., Jr., Belser, I. F.

Resolved, "That a student who fails on three examinations should be requested to withdraw from the University."

Clariosophic

A few days ago some of us had called to mind the happy vision of other college days when the drooping form of a Weinburg—not to mention the other celebrities of that day and time—moved and had its being upon the old campus, by the presence among us of Milton Weinburg himself. He is now studying medicine at John.

Walter C. Taylor, '06, is superintendent of the Liberty Graded School, and has, he adds, six young lady assistant teachers.

The Clariosophic Society gladly notes the tribute of a memorial statue of John C. Calhoun to be erected at Washington, he being an honorary member of this Society.

At its January 4th meeting the Clariosophics elected the following officers: R. E. Gonzales, President; L. W. Perrin, Vice-President; T. C. Callison, Secretary; S. S. Williams, Treasurer; M. S. Whaley, Literary Critic; B. S. Beverly, Librarian; J. O. Allen, Recorder, and M. B. Camack, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Comings and Goings of Alumni Clariosophics.

W. H. Muller, '05, who has for a great part of the time since his graduation been with Associate Justice Woods and with Chief Justice Pope, respectively as secretary, is now going to practice law with Col. Knox Livingston, at Bennettsville.

Frank Todd, '03, has recently located at Columbia with J. F. Lipscomb, broker.

W. P. Robinson, Law '05, who has been secretary to Associate Jus-

tice Jones, represents Lancaster County in the House of Representatives.

F. F. Covington, Jr., of Marion, a first honor man of '06, writes for a copy of the first issue of *THE GAMECOCK*.

J. E. Harley, Law '02, is now serving his fourth year in the Legislature as a representative of Barnwell County.

Some of the great newspaper men of the State have been South Carolina College men. At the present time the University has both in the State and abroad a goodly number of sons who are always recalled with pride as alumni, men also most loyal to their alma mater. In Columbia, with *The State*, are Mr. F. C. Withers, A. B., '91; Mr. Fitz Hugh McMaster, A. B., '88; Mr. J. H. Bagot, B. S., '01; Mr. George Kohn, A. B., '02; Mr. C. M. Galloway, LL. B., '07; Mr. L. M. Green, A. B., '07; Miss Bessie Davis, '03; Mr. L. B. Martin, '05. Mr. Zach McGhee, A. M., 1900, is the Washington correspondent for *The State*. Miss Jean Flinn, '04, is one of the staff of *The Record*, Columbia. With *The News and Courier*, in Charleston, is Mr. W. W. Ball, one of the editors. The Columbia office of *The News and Courier* has been for many years in charge of Mr. August Kohn, A. B., '89; its Washington correspondent is Mr. P. H. McGowan, LL. B., '93, who is assisted by Mr. McGowan Holmes, '07. Prof. Yates Snowden came from *The News and Courier* to the chair of History and Political Economy in the University. Mr. John A. Faber, A. B., '71, and Mr. William H. Faber, LL. B., '73, sons of Professor Faber, are connected with *The Deutsche Zeitung*, a German newspaper in Charleston. Mr. A. K. Lorenz edits the *Aiken Herald and Recorder*, Mr. Rutledge McGhee, B. S., '03, is business manager of the *Greenville Daily News*. Mr. Hartwell M. Ayer, A. B., '87, edits the *Florence Times*. Messrs. Junius Parrott, '96, and S. F. Parrott, A. B., '97, are owners and publishers of *The Cherokee News*, Gaffney. In New York Mr. John N. Trump, B. S., '97, is editor of *The Dramatic Mirror*, and Mr. Vivian M. Moses holds the editorship of *The People's Magazine*. Mr. James Henry Rice, A. B., '86, who is secretary for the State Audubon Society, has not altogether severed his connection with the newspaper world, but is writing for the *Spartanburg Journal*.

Mr. George C. Bowen, '03, has just finished at West Point. Lieut. Bowen is a native of Columbia.

The Legislature recently elected Mr. Fitz Hugh McMaster to the newly created office of Insurance Commissioner. Mr. McMaster, who graduated from the University in 1888, and also from the Law School in 1889, has been in the newspaper business for several years, being at present circulation manager of *The State*. He has had four years' experience in connection with insurance, so that he is well qualified to fill the office of Commissioner.

Lieuts. Emile P. Moses, '99, and Saye Dusenbury, '01, have been advanced from second to first lieutenant. Lieut. Moses is in the marine corps and stationed at Boston. Lieut. Dusenbury is stationed at Fortress Monroe.

LOCALS

RANDOLPH MURDAUGH.

Now that baseball is all the go it might be interesting to the lovers of the game to know that it is of ancient origin. We read in the Bible that Rebecca went down to the well with the pitcher and caught Isaac.

A woman takes no interest in baseball because she is prejudiced against bats, especially when her husband is partial to them.

Senior Perrin to Fresh Perrin—"Billie, I got a letter this morning from uncle telling me to get tickets for Sousa's concert."

Fresh Perrin—"For what?"

Senior Perrin—"For Sousa's concert, and I want you to go up town and get tickets for you, he and I."

Fresh Ligon, seeing the palmetto tree monument on the capitol grounds said, "Why don't they protect that tree in winter? Won't the cold kill it?"

Ross and Sheppard (mostly Ross), went up to the Garren Electric Company a few days ago and persistently demanded an *effervescent* light.

Prof. Carson—"Mr. Heyward, what is gravity, and tell us something about its discovery?"

Ben Heyward—"Gravity was discovered by Isaac Walton. It is chiefly noticeable in the autumn when apples are falling."

Prof. Easterling—"Mr. Cartwright, what is a parallel straight line?"

George Cartwright—"A parallel straight line is one when produced to meet itself does not meet."

Prof. Snowden—"Mr. Laird, what is the Diet of Worms?"

Soph. Laird—"It is the grub that blackbirds and thrushes feed upon."

Prof. Smith—"Mr. Thomas, decline the first person."

Fresh. Thomas—"Adam."

WANTED.

To know why the "Belt Line" is so popular on Friday afternoons.

To know if a man addicted to smoking marries a widow does it follow that he must abandon his cigar because she gives up her weeds.

To know why is it that students are never satisfied that a lady understands a kiss unless they have it from her own mouth?

To know if a pretty woman is a toast because she is exposed to the fire of so many glances.

The Song of the Students.

"I'd rather have beefsteak than hash,

I'd rather have coffee than slops,
And as for my eggs,
I don't like them with legs,
I'm awfully scared when one hops!"

A certain student on the campus said that he was suffering from room-mate-ism.

His name was Wrath, and when he asked his girl to marry him she gave him a soft answer, and a soft answer turneth away wrath.

Strange things will never cease to happen. Henry Hughes received a check from home and borrowed the money to pay the exchange on it.

Ashley—"John Barringer looks rather seedy this morning."

Bouchier—"What is the matter, wild oats?"

Ashley—"No, rye."

Professor of Psychology—"Mr. Smith, if your knife were in your pocket and your pocket were sewed up, how would you get your knife?"

Wardlaw Smith—"Why I'd take my knife and cut open my pocket."

Professor of Logic—"Mr. Sheppard, what is the difference between logic and psychology?"

John Sheppard (Sleepily)—"Psychology is the science of mental process and logic is—"

Prof. Moore (in Philosophy of Religion)—"Mr. Shealey, what do you mean by heaping coals of fire on an enemy's head?"

Shealey—"That means do him if you can."