SELECT MEN AS SPEAKERS

Six Are Chosen To Compete for Two Gold Medals At Exercises During Commencement Week.

The Presbyterian college commencement orators and declaimers were chosen on Tuesday evening.

Those selected were: T. G. Ellis, B. H. Dickson, and W. H. Jackson as orators; and R. H. Gillespie, L. B Stephenson, and M. T. Murphy, as declaimers. These men will speak on way after an illness of several weeks the night of May, 27th for two gold due to the infirmities of old age. medals which are given annually to the best orator from the junior and Confederate war and was wounded at senior classes and the best declaimer Appomatax. His wife, who was Miss from the freshman and sophomore Avaline Porter before her marriage, classes.

was held in Prof. Gignilliat's room. T. J. Cole, the winner of last year's orator's contest, presided, while Prof. Brown, Prof. Graham and Dr. Woods acted as judges. Those speaking were: W. H. Jackson, "Successful Defeats"; J. T. N. Keels, "Our Wilson In Paris"; and E. D. Brunson, "The Solid South."

The declaimers contest was presided over by J. R. Kennedy. J. B. Parrott, Lieutenant Taylor, and Rev. S. P. Bowles were judges. Those participating in this contest were: G. C. Adams, W. M. Blakely, L. B. Stephenson, R. H. Gillespie, M. T. Murphy, H. A. Copeland and J. S. Eubanks. From this number the following were chosen: R. H. Gillespie, "The Hilarious ing of the Declaration of Indepen- Think Ye of Christ?"

Local Citizens Lose Father

Friends of C. P. Robinson and Mrs. J. N. Conrad of this city, sympathize with them in the death of their father, W. S. Robinson, a beloved Confederate veteran of Fairfield county. The following account of his death

is taken from The State: Ridgeway, May 8 .- William S. Robinson, 84 last Christmas day, died Monday night at his home near Ridge-

Mr. Robinson served throughout the died several years ago. To this union The try-out for the orators contest 12 children were born and survive as follows: Mrs. J. S. Young of Chester, Mrs. M. L. Murry of Falston, N. C., Mrs. E. G. Hollis of Spartanburg, Mrs. H. W. Hollis of Columbia, Mrs. R. C. Parnell of Columbia, Mrs. J. N. Conrad of Clinton, Mrs. Clifford Smith of Ridgeway, Mrs. J. W. Ballentine of Einstein pamphlet will read this. T. G. Ellis, "The Modern Ulysses"; St. Petersburg, Fla., Mrs. Davis Bal-T. E. Davis, "A Man of Destiny"; lentine and Mrs. D. W. Graddock of Ga., confessing to chicken stealing on Blythewood; two sons, C. P. Robinson

> and great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held at the are ready for my sack." home at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, with interment following at us than the distance of the farthest Aimwell cemetery.

WHAT DO

P. S. JEANES

Horde"; L. B. Stephenson, "The Mean- dence"; and M. T. Murphy, "What

By Arthur Brisbane

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HE SPRAYS HENS THE NEW FARM PLAN HEADS AND FISTS FIRST AID FOR HOOVER

Thousands that would not read an

Walter Dorsey, colored, of Atlanta, a wholesale basis, tells the judge, "I B. H. Dickson, "Walter Hines Page"; of Clinton and D. S. Robinson of just sprays 'em with chloroform. Then Ridgeway, besides 86 grandchildren stands back and waits. In about five minutes they flop off the roost and

That's more interesting to many of

The "William and Mary" plan to subsidize exports of farm products is rejected by Mr. Hoover. The senate, nevertheless, plans to try it.

The plan is to give farmers exporting wheat, etc., a bonus of one-half the American tariff on all the wheat or other farm products exported.

After consulting the departments of agriculture, commerce and the treasury, Mr. Hoover says the plan would enrich the speculators and reduce world prices, since foreign markets would have to meet the competition of subsidized products.

Also, says the president, the plan would cost the country \$200,000,000 a year, cause much bankruptcy and it would not solve the farm problem.

Farmers will cease moaning when they realize that the bonus money would be paid not direct to them but to merchants exporting products.

It needs "no ghost come from the grave" to tell farmers how little they would get of that bonus. Wheat gamblers and the middle-men would get it. The farmer in his taxes would have to pay part of it.

Mr. Tunney, world heavyweight champion, retired, has been visiting George Bernard Shaw on a small, sunny island in the Adriatic sea.

Tunney is barely thirty. Shaw is seventy-three. And Shaw, who has not retired, has no idea of retiring. The head lasts longer than the fists.

Eight hundred delegates to the Red Cross convention called upon President and Mrs. Hoover, and contributed "first aid" by refraining from the usual hand-shaking nonsense.

Why eight hundred intelligent human beings should want to squeeze the joints of the hand and tug at the muscles in the arm of a busy man is not easily understood.

Handshaking should be abolished, since it means nothing and spreads

Germany permits all survivors of the Emden to add "Emden" to the rest of their name. Thus Frederich Garbe is Frederich Garbe-Emden. The Emden destroyed eighteen steamers and cruiser before an Australian cruiser ended its career.

On the same basis Colonel Lindbergh would call himself Colonel Lindbergh-Atlantic Ocean.

BLOCK "P" FEAST IS INTRODUCED

First Gathering of Athletes Is Held Thursday. Hope To Make It a Permanent Function.

The first Block "P" banquet in the history of Presbyterian college was held in Judd hall at eight o'clock on last Thursday evening. This is an affair that has long been planned by Coach Johnson and the leaders of the club. The hope is that it may become a yearly event to honor those who have won distinction for their alma

Roy Hogrefe, football and track star, and president of the Block "P" club, presided as toastmaster. The honorary guests were W. J. Bailey, donor of the Bailey Memorial stadium; W. P. Jacobs, chairman of the recently organized Clinton \$50,000 drive for Presbyterian college; John McSween, president of the college; Coach Walter A. Johnson; J. H. Hunter; Prof. H. E. Sturgeon, and Dr. J. B. Kennedy. Fifty-four letter-men, representing outstanding athletes in football, basketball, track, baseball, boxing, and tennis, were present to receive their certificates.

The excellent dinner was planned by Mrs. Myrtle Hunter, matron of Presbyterian college. It lived up in every way to the reputation that she has long held for events of this kind.

After the meal Roy Hogrefe said a

few words as president of the Block ers of the "P" were asked to remain "P" club. He then spoke of the gen- for a few minutes for the purpose of erosity of Mr. Bailey, whose gift of electing officers for next year. Philip \$10,000 made possible the erection of A. Roberts, of Carthage, N. C., was the splendid stadium that stands at named president for 1929-1930. The Johnson field. The first speaker of the other officers elected were R. B. Caldevening was John McSween, president well of Chester, as vice-president, and of the Presbyterian college. His message of commendation for the work of the athletes this year was preeeded by his usual witty and delight-************************************** ful appetizer. Mr. McSween was followed by W. P. Jacobs.

The closing item of the program was a talk by Coach Walter Johnson. He thanked the assembled men for their faithfulness in their work for with especial warmth of the graduating men who have been laboring for four years on the field. After this, the certificates were awarded to the vari-

After the guests had left, the wear-

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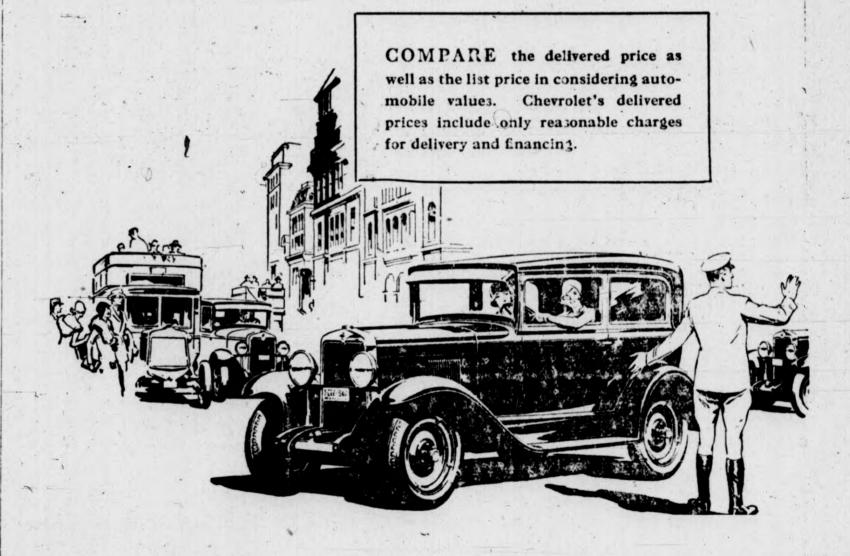
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