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Professor Duggan's "Colleges."



HEN one of our editors approached Professor Duggan for "news" of the Evening Session, he modestly replied that "it still keeps the even tenor of its way," which was, of course, very delightfully punned. But the qualification, "even", does not do justice to the progress of the Evening Session.

In October, 1910, the Session began its work with an enrollment of 342 students,

an increase of no less than 70% over the initial enrollment of 1909. This makes a student body larger than that of such institutions as Hamilton, Union, Adelphi and most of the thirty other colleges in New York During the October-February term only 24% of the students dropped from the roll. This is a remarkably low percentage for night work. By February 1st the Evening High Schools of the City dropped between 50% and 70% of their enrollment. The low percentage in our case is accounted for by the inspiring earnestness and enthusiasm of the Session students. most popular course, that is, the course having the largest enrollment at present, is the course in English Composition which is being taken by 60 students. Elementary Economics and English Literature are second and third, with enrollments of 51 and 50, respectively.

The Extension Courses, too, are growing increasingly popular. In October, 1910, work was begun with a registration of 3067, an increase of 36% over the registration of 1909. So far as Professor Duggan can learn, our Extension Courses form the largest Extension System in the country. And, judging from results, it is probably the best. Gratifying evidence of the good opinion in

which the Extension Courses are held is shown by the invitation of the Brooklyn Teachers' Association to extend the work to Brooklyn. The Association for Training in Citizenship has requested Professor Duggan to add a course in School Self-Government at the expense of that association, and the Ethical Culture Society has requested that a course in Moral Education be added.

The success of the Evening Session and of the Extension Courses is assured. Professor Duggan cannot be given too much credit for his work of planning these two "colleges," directing them and lifting them into the prominence and favor they now enjoy.

"Auxiliarate Your Movements."

Mrs. Malaprop kindly informs us that the Varsity Show which will be held at the Carnegie Lyceum, Saturday evening, March 25th, will be a "progeny of artistic skill." The cast is hard at work rehearsing daily under the direction of Dr. Taaffe who is expending every effort to make "The Rivals" a glorious success. During the past week and a half the concourse and the campus have been overrun with the energetic ticket agents of the Dramatic Society. That their efforts are not going unrewarded is evidenced by the fact that the entire balcony is almost sold out and the rest of the house is rapidly filling. As Mrs. Malaprop would caution: "If you want a good seat, auxiliarate your movements."

On Thursday, March 20th, Professor Friedburg will lecture before the German American Technological Society of Brooklyn, on the "Latest Results of Synthetic Chemistry."

Discord In The Faculty I

There is discord in the Faculty! By his kegs and alleys, Dr. Saxton vowed that his clan of Jersey bowlers could give points to the members of our own Faculty Bowling Club. The challenge was no sooner made than accepted. On the evening of March 24th, the contest takes place. Best luck to our Keglers!

Debating Team to be Chosen.

Though marred by a single defeat, the College's reputation in intercollegiate debate is an enviable one. Twice we triumphed over Hamilton College, once in 1905 and again in 1906. In 1908 we came away victors in a warmly contested debate with the University of West Virginia. Last year the decision went to Bates College. Let not our debaters be disheartened, therefore. From now on, the eyes of the College will be upon them and its fondest hopes will be with them to the very end. Let them but feel the glory that is at stake, and they cannot help but "put up" a strong debate.

As a result of the trials, held two weeks ago, the judges chose the following, four of whom will compose the team: E. Drachman, '12; R. Dressner, '11; I. Eisenberg, '11; J. Perlman, '12; J. Schwartz, '12; R. Stern, '11. This afternoon, the first three men will debate the remaining three for the purpose of determining those who will ultimately constitute the team. The judges are Professor Palmer, and Drs. Redmond and Freeburg.

Classical Journal Club.

Members of the Departments of Greek and Latin have formed a Journal Club which meets regularly on the second Wednesday of each month, the chairmanship being held in rotation. The members report upon articles of interest appearing in the domestic and foreign periodicals devoted to classical philology and archaeology. Last Wednesday, articles were discussed which have recently appeared in Hermes, Mnemosyne, and the Revue de Philologie.

An Attractive Offer.

The business manager of the *Microcosm* is offering an exceptional opportunity to all college men who desire to solicit advertisements for the book. A flat rate of 20% will be given on all advertisements secured. For further information communicate with D. R. Bernstein, '12, Business Manager, who will be pleased to give advertising rates.

An III Wind.

Even fresh air is not without its dangers. Last Friday afternoon, in the Political Science Library, the heat was unusually oppresive. In order to let in a little air, one of the students slightly raised one of the windows. The next instant a terrific crash was heard, the sound echoing from end to end of the building. Instead of a "little air," the student had admitted a miniature hurricane with the result that a heavy plate glass door of one of the bookcases was swung violently against a chair. Mr. Bonney's corps de broom had the time of their lives gatherng up the thousands of bits of glass into which the door had been shattered. Luckily, no other damage was done.

"The Serenade of the Bacterium."

At last Thursday's meeting of the Biological Society, two very interesting illustrated lectures were delivered by Pels, '13, and Cohen, '12, respectively. The former spoke on "Mosquitoes as Disease Carriers;" the latter chose as his topic "Sexual Selection." Adlerblum's reading of George Ade's "Serenade of the Bacterium" proved very entertaining.

To-morrow evening, Dr. Crampton, '93, associated with the Museum of Natural History, will lecture before the Society on his "Travels in the South Seas." Dr. Crampton has just returned from a two years trip, bringing back with him a set of beautifully colored views which will be shown. The students are invited to attend.

In the list of committees of the Eigth International Congress of Applied Chemistry just issued appear the names of Prof. Baskerville, Prof. Friedburg, Prof. Moody, and Mr. Hamor. The section on inorganic chemistry which convenes in this city during the month of August will hold a number of its meetings at the College.

The Student Council will meet Friday afternoon at 3:15 P. M. Prompt attendance is requested. Proxies must come with written statements from absent councilors.

ATHLETICS.

Best Wishes to Perlman.

At the last meeting of the A. A. Board, Solomon E. Perlman, '12, was elected this year's Basketball Manager. Not only will Perlman have on his hands the arrangement of next season's basketball schedule, but he will also have to devote much of his time to the activities of the Student Council, of which he is vice-president. These added duties necessitate his regretted retirement from THE CAMPUS staff. His delightfully snappy and witty narratives, especially of the basketball games, won him many admirers. We trust that he will attain even greater success as Basketball Manager and Vice-President of the Council. His place as Athletic Editor will be filled by William M. Finger, '12.

(Editor's Note.)

An Indoor Meet.

Yes, we're going to have an indoor meet. After much hard and persevering work, Manager Judelson, of the 'Varsity Track Team has succeeded in arranging a series of events which will bring out some of the latent running ability of our students. This meet has been set for the evening of April 1, 1911. Not only will there be a 30-yard handicap and a 600-yard novice but there will also be events for the classes, and for the fraternities and also one for Townsend Harris Hall. The dignified Senior, the calm Junior, the loud-socked Sophomore and the timid Freshman will struggle for interclass supremacy in a mile relay.

The fraternities will be there in full blast, each trying to outrun the other in a 1200-yard relay. Our smaller brothers from Harris will have a chance to display their speed in a 220-yard handicap race. The prizes will be handsome gold and silver stickpins. Should this series of events still be insufficient (which we doubt), we add that as a grand finale there will be a basket-ball game between the 'Varsity and Alumni. This will be no small part of the meet. Among our worthy opponents

will be Barbanell. "Dave" Perlman, Gorschen and Heskowitz, our old standbys. Now fellows, its up to you. The situation is in your hands. Do you want this to be an annual event? If so, then come out and help. If you cannot run, then at any rate support the meet by buying tickets for yourselves and friends. Don't forget! Saturday evening, April first. This day is known as April Fool's Day—the Alumni imagine they are going to defeat us. Draw your own inferences.

The New Leaders.

The elections of the captains of next year's swimming and basketball teams, were held last week. "Rouge" Friedman, '12, who shone so brilliantly during the season just closed, was honored with the basketball captaincy. George Coughlin, '12, our greatest point-winner in the inter-collegiate dual meets will be leader of the swimming team, while D. Levinson, also of '12, will guide our water-polo squad.

The Good Old Game.

Baseball has again come into its prime. Our 'Varsity nine which has been practising for the past month, will next Wednesday trot out upon the diamond to do battle with our Fordham rivals, and incidentally snatch a victory from them. Manager Mahon, although the line-up has not yet been selected by Coach Holton, promises that our team will return to our campus with a victory. Most of our veterans of last year will again be seen, among whom are Kieran, Michaels, Hatch, Kelly, Raggie and Polley. There is a rumor going the rounds that Fordham does not possess as good a team this year as formerly. This undoubtedly will gladden the hearts of some of us. But what follows, will not. graduate of Stuyvesant, and the second best batter in the High School Tournament last year, has been declared ineligible and will be unable to pitch for us. However we have candidates almost as good as he, and we should win this, our first game of the season. We have the team, the manager and the coach, (also new suits). What we need, is a strong body of rooters at the game. Come

The 13th.

On Monday, the 13th we invaded New Haven. we may have frightened you, we shall state that our relay team did not go there to wage war against Yale, but simply to participate in a three-cornered relay race against Wesleyan University and Massachusetts Agricultural College. This contest was held in conjunction with the games of the first Naval Militia of the Connecticut National Guard. Our quartet was composed of Ward, Groggins, Bogin and Dolan, who ran in that Our team also tried to bring to our gymnasium Manager Judelson entered "Tom" the point trophy. Dolan in the inter-collegiate 880, Ward in the mile and Bogin in the dashes. As we go to press the results have not yet arrived; but we hope that they have given good account of themselves.

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Forseeing A Calamity.



T IS a matter of common agreement that the so-called Honor System is not without its merits. It is operative in a large number of the smaller universities and colleges. praises are sung by professors and students alike. But the overzealous champions of

the Honor System make it appear by their arguments that an institution which has not the Honor System has a No-Honor System, the inspiring business of the Faculty being to watch "lynx-eyed" for cheaters, and the eternal ambition of the students being to evade the vigilance of the authorities.

It is to be regretted that such a fallacy is permitted to blind the Honor-System-ists to the truth of things. Instructors, to a man, detest any practice that makes of them policemen and spies. They proctor because the purpose of proctoring is not to catch cheats, but to deter cheating on the part of the weaker minded-students, a number of whom may be found in any institution. Furthermore, the presence of an instructor in an examination room, is always desirable in order that he may clear away unnecessary difficulties of the test paper.

Above all, it is the general sentiment that those who

see anything suggestive of a lynx in the eye of a proctor, are "seeing" things, or they are violently exaggerating. We are inclined to the opinion that the "Honor System" has already become monotonous at this institution. Indeed, if the Honor System were unnecessarily instituted at the College, might not the literary monthly find itself short of editorial matter

Waiting.

The students will be pleased to learn that the Faculty has under advisement the matter of curriculum reform. Hope is entertained by many that before the present year is out, a number of important curricular changes will have been settled upon. The students must not be impatient, however. Cataclysmic changes in curricula are as unnatural as cataclysmic changes in society. Reform is coming slowly but surely.

Mr. Stroock, '86, Appointed Trustee.

In the place of Mr. Charles Strauss, who resigned recently from the Board of Trustees, Mayor Gaynor has appointed Mr. Moses J. Stroock. Mr. Stroock is a graduate of the College of the Class of 1886. He is prominent in the law profession and was for many years the law partner of Judge Platzek, a former trustee of the College.

M. Jusserand Coming.

Professor Downer entertains high hopes that the College's second French Day will prove even more of a success than that held in November, 1909. Ambassador Jusserand has already assured Professor Downer that he will be present. Upon the return of President Finley from the Sorbonne, the date of the celebration will be fixed. French Day will also be the occasion for the dedication of the French Library, the gift of the Class of 1885. In connection with the library, it is to be mentioned that Mr. Chase, of the Department of Art, has designed a beautiful book plate to be used in the volumes comprising the collection.

A Review.

In the March number of the Journal of Industrial and Engineering Chemistry we note a review of Prof. Baskerville's "Municipal Chemistry." Mr. L. H. Bakeland refers to it as "a volume which ought to be in the hands of everybody who is interested in the sanitary or other chemical engineering problems which confront large and small cities. * * * The whole subject is treated in such an accessible style that even those who know nothing about chemistry can easily read the book and will find it a fruitful source of information." Coming as it does from one of the foremost authorities on the subject, this review is highly gratifying to all friends of Prof. Baskerville.

"The Quarterly"

The next issue of the Quarterly which will appear in a few weeks, has gone to press. Among its many interesting features will be the speeches heard at the recent Alumni Dinner. The frontispiece will be a picture of Professor Herbermann, reproduced from the portrait presented to the College in commemoration of Professor Herbermann's fifty years of teaching.

Class Socials.

We note with interest that "1913" and "1915" contemplate holding informal socials not unlike those held by the upper classmen. There is nothing like these getto-gether affairs for wielding fellowship and encouraging healthy class spirit. We should have more of them.

Visions of bier-fests are aroused by the good news that interest in a Deutscher Verein is being revived. Students who consider this announcement too unexpected to contain much truth, will dispel their fears and doubts by communicating through the Students' mail-box with Carl Schloss, '12.

Graduates of Boys' High School, who are students at the College, have organized a Boys' High Club. The officers are Berenberg, '11, President; Dann, '13, Vice-President; Friedland, '12, Secretary; Tepp, '15, Treasurer. Professor Mead is the Faculty member.

From Turkey To Abyssinia.

Before an audience that filled the Art Lecture Hall last Wednesday, Prof. Richard Gottheil of Columbia, spoke on the "Jews of the Orient." Starting from Turkey, the speaker carried his hearers east to China and Japan, thence south to India, and leaping over to Africa, passed through Egypt, finishing the trip in Abyssinia. The Jew of each country was described, from the long-bearded typical Turkish Jew to the black-skinned Talashi of Abyssinia. Owing to its importance, Palestine will be dealt with separately by Dr. Gottheil, to-day at 1.15 p.m., in Room 306. Dr. Magnes' lecture scheduled for 1.15 p.m. to-day, has been postponed until Friday, at 3.15 p.m.

Here and There.

Prof. Clark is giving a course of eight lectures on Monday evenings at Erasmus Hall High School, Brooklyn. He treats of Immigration, Tariff, Trusts, and Rising Prices.

We note that in the preface to Civic Bibliography for Greater New York, issued by the Sage Foundation and edited by Mr. James B. Reynold, former Secretary of the State of New York, Professor Woolston is given no little credit for his compilation of material for the book.

Dr. Goldfarb of the Department of Natural History has been invited to give a course in Comparative Zoology at the Fordham University Medical School.

Exactly one month from to-day, the Tremain prize essays will have to be in the hands of Professor Reynolds. Contestants are advised to bear this in mind for no essays will be received after April 15.

Charles Danziger, '10, who at present holds a position in the curator's department of the Museum of Natural History, informs us of the acquisition in the museum of a new gem called Morganite. With this information he sends also a description which is at the disposal of all who may be interested.

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Briefly Told.

On Friday, March 3rd, the Executive Board of the A. A. granted Coaches Palmer and Williamson their letters in recognition of their untiring services in behalf of the Varsity and Freshman basketball teams, respectively.

Our chess team will entertain the representatives of N. Y. U., next Tuesday, the 21st, at our College. This match will decide the championship of the Inter-state Collegiate Chess League, as both colleges are at present in the lead. Eolis, Rosowsky, ex-Boys High School star, Hacker and Frankel will play for us.

Our basketball squad is practising regularly on Thursdays, at 4.15. About twenty-five men reported. It wi delight most of us to note that Kaufman, 12 is "up and doing". He is in fine trim, although he has just recovered from the serious illness which incapacitated him last season.

To help support the base-ball team, it is rumored that season tickets will be sold for .25. Although the few home games that we do have will be played on Jasper Oval and may be witnessed without this charge, still the students should aid this scheme by paying up

The meeting of the Executive Board of the A.A. postponed from last week, will be held this Friday afternoon. An assistant manager for the basketball team will then be chosen from the "1913" class. Nominations, which must be signed by 15 A. A. members, may be handed to the Secretary of the Board.

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T. H. H. NOTES

On The Diamond.

Rudolph V. Gorsch, Captain and Pitcher of the last year's Bareball Team of N. Y. U., has been appointed to coach the T. H. H. Team into proper form. Although we are unfortunate in having lost Rost, last year's boxman, and James and Sheridan, last year's catchers, still from the material that has thus far turned outfor practice, Manager Francis looks forward to a successful season.

A rifle team is forming. All students who are interested, kindly see Mr. Lenahan in Room 6,

As Others See Us.

Dr. Krotzky, the German Exchange Professor to Columbia University, visited many of the German and French classes in T. H. H. last Thursday. On leaving, he said: "I admire the ambition of your students. I have visited many institutions but have never seen such discipline as here."

The office will issue shortly student record cards. These are intended to inform parents of the nature of the work their sons are doing.

Track News.

Dr. Cosenza has entered his charges in the Hamilton A. A. games, which take place Saturday, March 18th. Although five of the eight entries are novices, judging from practice "dope", we should score more than one win.

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