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Editorial Remarks

We wish to call the attention of our readers to the calendar of coming events, which is now running on our back page. This calendar we will endeavor to keep as complete as possible, and make it include all important events of general interest in the University. Suggestions will be received with thanks, and anyone having in view any event concerning University people, that is fitting and appropriate can have it listed in the calendar by merely handing us a notice of it.

Smoking at University functions is something that should be discouraged. It is not essential to anyone's pleasure upon such occasions, and is in fact a nuisance and entirely out of place. Complaints are made of the prevalence of the practice at the Senior Prom., and we heard expressions of disgust regarding it. We do not select the Senior Prom. as a glaring example, for it is but one instance among others. All of our University functions are conducted on a comparatively high plane, and the elimination of smoking at these would make a step of improvement. The whole case rests with the men themselves, and their action will be received with approval if they exercise the proper restraint in this regard.

Tomorrow the Rhodes Scholarship examinations begin, and we trust that every student in the University has had the matter brought prominently before his attention. Every effort possible has been made to advertise these examinations. There will be no difficulty at all in getting entered. All that is expected of any candidate is to show up tomorrow at the place of examination, armed with a fountain pen. No one need be timorous about entering, as the examination is merely a qualifying one, so even if he has not had time for a thorough review of the branches he desires to be examined in, he still has a show of success. Viewed from a certain standpoint, the prize held out is very desirable, and any student having the qualifications, who desires the kind of training that is offered, will not be acting amiss by showing up for the examinations.

The merging of the three debating clubs into one organization should be productive of good results. If a complete unification of all the interests of each individual body were thus effected, then there could be no doubt of the success of the new organization. But it is not unlikely that there has been some waste, as this might be expected, and must be taken into consideration. However, one large and compact organization has better chances for success than three smaller bodies, each having an independent claim. Three interests working in harmony

ought to yield better results than each one striving independent to preserve an entity of its own. We hope that the new organization will succeed in arousing additional enthusiasm in debating; for the training that is given is lost upon no one making a conscientious effort to profit by it. It has plenty of room to work in and we hope to see each member working enthusiastically in its interests.

Ready made orations and essays can be secured at reasonable rates from eastern parties, who evidently find that their profession yields sufficient returns to enable them to subsist. Yankee ingenuity has been responsible for so many innovations that a person no longer is surprised when some one of a unique and astounding nature is suddenly sprung. But the idea of a syndicate being organized, no matter how limited its membership may be, for the purpose of supplying orations and essays as articles of merchandise naturally leads one to wonder as to what can come next. We can not help but think that if a student is so far compelled by lack of mental equipment as to look to others for assistance, that there is absolutely no excuse for plagiarism when a reasonably good article can be secured at a moderate rate. At least we think that it would be ruinous economy for him to risk his standing and reputation when a small outlay would preclude the necessity of so doing.

Farewell Talk.

Dr. Fletcher L. Wharton, who has just resigned the pastorate of the St. Paul's M. E. church, of this city, gave a farewell address to University men Sunday afternoon in the chapel. He spoke on "The Possibilities of Young Men of Today." Two special points were brought out in his talk, namely the call of the Christian college man to build up civilization in the Orient, and the call of the Christian young man to his home town to better his former associates. A large crowd heard Dr. Wharton's address and bade farewell to the man who has been so prominent among University men for the past several years.

Mr. Harry Wharton, son of Dr. Wharton, sang two selections, which won the hearty applause of the audience.

SENIORS.

Will you kindly pay me the two dollars for the Senior play at once. Some money is needed now. Of course it is understood that no Senior will be allowed to obtain tickets, invitations or anything connected with commencement until he has paid me. The money must be paid in at once.

MABEL H. STEPHENS.

All Senior Baseball men meet on athletic field for practice Tuesday at chapel time. All men who ever saw a baseball must be out.

B. A. NEWTON,
Captain.

FOR SALE—At a large discount, a new \$25 or \$50 bicycle, latest model, a life scholarship in a business college, a \$300 piano and a Marlin shot gun or rifle. Can be had cheap. Address A. G. Shreiber, business manager.

FRESHMEN.

All candidates for the Freshman baseball team will practice on the athletic field at chapel time every morning, and provide themselves with the necessary material.

Junior meeting in U. 107 at 10 o'clock today. Important business. Caps.

Box of cigars given away every day at Powell's Oliver theatre building.

Leming's, ice cream and candy: 11th and L Sts

Special rate to students at Hendry's.

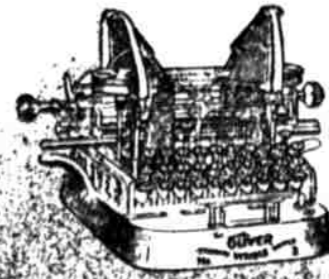
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