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ROLLINS ENDOWMENT FUND IS NOW ASSURED

Charles H. Morse Withdraws Conditions Attached to His Gift—\$23,000 Yet to Raise on First Half Million

The absolute withdrawal of all conditions heretofore attached to his pledge of \$100,000 to the Rollins College Endowment Fund was announced by Charles H. Morse at a luncheon given to a group of twelve at his home in Winter Park a week ago.

Stirred by this announcement, made during the final period of the campaign to raise the first \$500,000 of the Million Dollar Endowment before February 22, the guests of Mr. Morse pledged in quick succession \$29,000. These gifts bring the total amount now pledged to \$467,000, and in the opinion of the campaign executive committee make the goal of \$500,000 within certain attainments.

Mr. Irving Bacheller pointed out the significance of educational institutions of the Rollins type in American affairs, and he called particular attention to the values which accrue to the immediate community in which Rollins is situated.

W. C. Comstock, chairman of the state endowment committee, presented the results of the campaign to date and aroused his auditors to the necessity of a maximum effort to obtain pledges to cover the entire first half of the fund before the expiration of the campaign period, by stating that the recommendation of Dr. Ward as president of the college was almost certain to follow in case the endowment drive was a failure. Mr. Comstock entered a pledge of \$10,000 in addition to a substantial subscription which he had formerly made.

"The goal which the trustees set out to reach is rapidly being accomplished," said Mr. Morse.

"Rollins is very dear to me and to every citizen interested in the best development of Florida. I am deeply moved by the splendid response accorded the Rollins appeal by the people of Florida, particularly the residents of Winter Park and Orlando, who have the distinction best. The trustees have taken new heart because of these evidences of interest.

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Program of Founder's Week

- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH
- 7:00 p. m. Annual Pan-Hellenic Dance, Woman's Club.
- FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH
- 10:00 a. m. Student Assembly in Knowles Hall. Awarding of football sweaters and letters. Presentation of Brown Rowing Cup.
 - 4:30 p. m. Irving Bacheller Prize Oratorical Contest for Florida High Schools. Dr. E. W. Bok, chairman.
 - 6:00 p. m. Twenty-ninth Anniversary Dinner of Delphi Literary Society, in the College dining hall. Major Alexander Powell, principal speaker.
 - 8:00 p. m. Basketball games in Lemen Gymnasium. Rollins vs. Southern; Rollins Girls vs. Orlando Girls.
- SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH—ALUMNI DAY
- 9:00 a. m. Annual Tennis Tournament on Pinehurst courts.
 - 10:00 a. m. Annual meeting of Phi Alpha Association in Carnegie Hall.
 - 10:00 a. m. Twenty-third annual meeting of Alumni Association. Arthur L. Slater, '00, President.
 - 11:00 a. m. Home-coming of all former students in Knowles Hall.
 - 12:00 noon. Annual Alumni Luncheon. Treasurer W. R. O'Neal, Toastmaster.
 - 2:00 p. m. Annual Regatta on Lake Virginia.
 - 3:00 p. m. Twenty-seventh Annual Dinner of "Rollins Sandspur" in the College dining hall.
 - 9:00 p. m. Junior Prom in honor of Seniors.
- SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH
- 11:00 a. m. Founder's Day sermons in local churches.
 - 3:15 p. m. Academic procession, forming at Carnegie Hall.
 - 3:30 p. m. Founder's Day exercises in Knowles Hall. Addresses by Mayor Keezel of Winter Park and Dr. Arthur E. Hooper of Chautauque Institute.
- MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH
- 10:00 a. m. Annual meeting of Board of Trustees in Carnegie Hall.
 - 10:15 a. m. Chorus: Presentation of prizes for tennis tournament and regatta.
 - 6:00 p. m. Annual dinner of Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. in the College dining hall.
 - 8:00 p. m. Dramatic Recital by Miss Sydney Thomason in Knowles Hall.
 - 9:00 p. m. President's Reception to Seniors in Carnegie Hall.

This very interesting program, which has been arranged for the enjoyment of all in any way connected with the college, is one which is always looked forward to with great interest. None of the events can afford to be missed, and the students and faculty are urged to be present and help to make Founder's Week a success.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

The citizens of Winter Park are reminded that beginning Friday, February 25th, and ending with the President's Reception on Monday evening, February 28th, Rollins College will celebrate "Founder's Week" by appropriate exercises, to which the public in general is invited and urged to attend.

You are requested to make no appointments that will conflict with above dates, and places of business are urged to make it as convenient as possible for their employees to attend all of the exercises.

ED. F. KEEZEL, Mayor.

The Sandspur Bulletin:

Twelve Members of the Faculty Pledge \$1,940.00 and 200 Students Pledge \$3,310.00 Toward Endowment Fund.

Cathedral Defeats Rollins Girls in 33-22 Basket Ball Game.

Pan-Hellenic Dance Postponed on account of Closing of Woman's Club.

No Dates for Junior Prom

Three Basket Ball Games Friday Night. Varsity Plays Saturday.

IRVING BACHELLER MAKES APPEAL FOR ROLLINS

Noted Author of "The Light in the Clearing," "A Man for the Ages," Etc. Gives Value of College and Needs

Florida is having a phenomenal growth. In the last decade, one of its cities outstrips all competitors in the United States, its population having increased 440 per cent. It is today the most prosperous state in the Union. Its leading banks, protected with deposits, are lending to the planters of Georgia. I believe that a great development, like that we have witnessed in Oklahoma, would seem with ample surpluses and well filled.

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DEATH OF MRS. SUSAN DYER

Mrs. Susan Hart Falmer Dyer, widow of the late Commodore Dyer, U. S. N., passed away last Sunday morning at her late residence "The Anchorage," at Winter Park.

Mrs. Dyer was president of the Winter Park Woman's Club and has been very active in the social, educational and literary circles of Winter Park. She was a very loyal supporter of Rollins and her daughter, Miss Susan Dyer, an everyone knows is director of music at the conservatory.

The entire town is in a state of mourning for Mrs. Dyer was one of the most beloved and highly esteemed citizens in this community. On account of the loss of her most-loved and honored Sorority mother, Mrs. Dyer, Sigma Phi Sorority has withdrawn from all social activities for the present.

The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at The Anchorage and were most impressive. Hundreds of friends attended. Dean Pardee read the beautiful Episcopal service after Miss Jane Knowlton of the Rollins Conservatory, had sung several beautiful numbers.

The body was shipped to Washington D. C. Tuesday night and burial took place in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va., after Commodore Dyer was buried.

The faculty and members of the college extended their heartfelt sympathies to Miss Dyer and to the other bereaved relatives and friends of Mrs. Dyer.



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Established in 1894 with the following editorial:

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ALUMNI OF ROLLINS—WELCOME

One of the most joyous times in the life of a student after he leaves college must be when he comes back to the old campus for a visit, and especially so if he can have some buddy along with whom he went to classes. To live over once more those scenes and events which went to make up some of the happiest days of his life, to be once more (in mind) on those young chaps who are scrambling into class, or those lads sweating out there on the athletic field, or possibly to be the second party of any one of the several couples who are sauntering with laxy, care-free step back from the "benchery," must indeed be a pleasure of the highest degree. It must be great to look with curious eye on the new student body and wonder what kind of a bunch they are now, and to contrast them with the old crowd—they never can be as good as the old bunch. Such a thought, although a bit erroneous, is pardonable, however. We, who are carrying on the work that has been handed down to us, should bear this examination with luted breath, for the job is not an easy one, and these alumni are expecting us to do as well as they did and better. We should take it upon ourselves to see if we are making as much out of Delphia, the Sandspur, Athletics, Y. M. and Y. W. as we could. Let it not be said that we have not kept faith or have failed to appreciate the heritage passed on to us. We welcome you, alumni of Rollins, and hope you will find that we have indeed measured up to our responsibilities. May your visit be most pleasant.

THE DELPHIC LITERARY SOCIETY

We are exceedingly glad to note the progress shown by the Delphic Literary Society this year. Under the excellent leadership of Alford L. Stone, the society has taken strides which, if continued, will be sure to bring much credit to the college and to itself. The latest development is the debate with Mercer. We are pleased to note the increased interest of the students in debates. A strong debating team is a great asset to an institution and the experience gained through debating is of lasting benefit to a student after leaving college, as one never knows when he is to be called upon to say something in public. Quite often the subject bears quite a little responsibility, and if it is not presented in a forceful manner its effectiveness is greatly hampered and failure of intent is not infrequently the result. Then, too, the regular programs have been very interesting and helpful. The meeting last week, in which the poems of Robert Service were discussed and read, was a good example of what has been and is being done. Whitford Stone, the new president, has had former experience in the Delphic and is sure to carry on the good work. The Delphic can be made one of the finest things on the campus and should receive the support of all the students.

Fraternity News

L. E. KINGS

Helen Dickinson gave a dinner party for Pauline Phelps Thursday evening. After the delicious dinner, the evening was spent in dancing. Twenty brides and five hundred, as you may wonder Florence had had brains that night, considering the circumstances!

Pauline Phelps left Friday for her home in Ohio. Thursday evening her study had Mary gave a spread to "Pud's" honor. There were all kinds of good things to eat, among them sandwiches, salad, pickles and hot chocolate. Madge Kva entertained the party with the ukulele, songs and dancing until lights flashed.

Friday afternoon Helen Dickinson collected a mob of K. E.'s and took them to the fair in her car. They "did" the place and missed nothing. Ed Dally went happened on the Ferris wheel, and ask Mary how many times the palmit told her she would be married.

Ed Dally knew Morley had met her sister. Let's all count stars.

ALPHA ALPHA SCANDAL

A Future Brother

Congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Kart! The smokes are on you this time brother! We all know that Junior will grow up to be as big (7), as loyal and as good an Alpha Alpha as his father. Congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Kart.

Believe us, brethren, a surprise is due very shortly. Just at present it is impossible to state just when this big blowout will come off. However, this much is definite. Whenever it comes and whenever it is, it will be a "buck."

Brother Arrants has practically cured "Fat" of snoring. George threatened to pour a bottle of Bromo-Quinine into "Fat's" open mouth when he started to snore. "Fat" overheard the plot and for the last two nights the house has been quiet.

"Fat" likes fish. In fact, he likes to eat fish. But—does he like to clean fish? No, \$7 (1/2) —? Ask him.

William Sherman is still losing weight worrying over Mary. Some day the fellows will feel so generous that Bill will be presented with a license, a ring and a ticket for—?—, Ky., and told to dash up there before he passes out.

Oy Yoy! Spring she am coming. The fellows are beginning to dust off the small "vic's" and to clean out the canvas, for who can study when there is a full moon? Can't he did? Let's go!

Ed Dally Vaddell why he love a lady.

PII ALPHA FOAM

Homo

The "Homo" was almost deserted last week-end. Ken Warner and Bud Palmer went home; so did Harry. Freddie Hanna attended the Washington Hall in "Pam" Beach. Tom Clog and Ray Gevane had their babies of seven beds.

W. W. W.

Billy Wilson, who has been staying at the house lately, returned to Ohio Friday.

Ask Harley

How to drive a Marmon.

A Royal Decree

King says: "Hold him in the road, Fanny, he is headed for the Barnes."

Missing

We hardly see Ray any more. We don't know if it is Endowment or—

Book Review

"The Shining Light of a Pathless Success," by Edward B. Lewis, an autobiography describing Mr. Lewis' life from a business of shining shoes on a small scale to Assistant Advertising Manager of one of Winter Park's greatest weeklies, The Rollins Sandspur.

PERSONALS

Pauline "Pud" Phelps left Friday afternoon for her home in Ohio, after visiting here for several days.

Margaret Sedwick left Saturday for a visit with her family in Palm Beach. While there, she will attend the Washington Hall.

Frank Palmer and Kenneth Warner spent the week-end in Emula and Crescent City, respectively.

Harlan Proemke went to Orlando Thursday afternoon to see his brother, Gerald, who has just received his degree from the University of Michigan.

Everyone was glad to see the well known face of John T. McGauchey on the campus for a few days last week. "Mac" doesn't know whether he will stay with us or not, but here's hoping that he will be back with us for the rest of the term.

Coach: "How did you cut out your finger, Pat?"

Sullivan: "Well, it was this way—Whoop! There goes another one!"

At the Opening Dance

Evans (ex-football hero): "There, we've done ten yards, and still another down to go."



Sydney Thompson Will Come to Hoffman

Miss Sydney Thompson will appear in Original Plays and Folk Ballads in costume in Knowles Hall, Monday evening, February 28, at 8 p. m. New York's most fashionable woman's club, and has given programs at it. Miss Thompson has recently given a rental at the Colony Club, New York, and clubs as well as private houses all over the East. She has also appeared several times with the 50-actors Play House players in New York.

Miss Thompson is a sister of Vance Thompson, the aviator.

The following press notices will be of interest:

New York City: A young actress of unusual distinction and most admirable qualities was disclosed in Miss Thompson at the Park and Jod Theatre yesterday afternoon. Most admirable of the qualities is that she is very good to look at. She has also a good voice, a fine discretion in the use of it, a remarkable sense of values and graceful motions. Given a big part she would be an actress of rare power.

Pittsburg Dispatch: Medeval ballads recounting the deeds, though generally funny love affairs of brave knights and beautiful ladies, made a charming entertainment as related by Miss Sydney Thompson at the President's Day reception of the Twentieth Century Club yesterday.

New York Telegraph: To the instant joy of her hearers she began the program by "putting on" two original comedies, in which she appeared straight-up only as the star, the playwright, the producer, and the entire cast—a feat in dramatic entertainment which done in the Sydney Thompson style, is better acted, and far more worth while as an entertainment than many a costly and crowded "show."

Miss Thompson will give the following program at the college:

Program

Two Original Plays—

The Letter of Introduction.

The Woman.

Her Husband.

The Baron.

An Official Cure.

The Girl.

Kenneth, Her Prince.

Aunt Ellen.

Intermission

Slide—J. J. of Marie de France

Part 2 1189.

Old French Ballads—

The Lord Turned Serving Man.

The Lord of Man's Daughter.

The Farmer's Christ Wife.

Intermission

Spanish Ballads—

Zaida of Toledo.

The Moor Barakat.

The Mother to Her Daughter.

The Dovey.

Mrs. Edward McDowell Recital

The next concert is the fourth in a series being given by the Conservatory for the Hoffman Endowment Fund. The concert will take place in Knowles Hall on the night of the 27th of February, when Mrs. Edward McDowell, widow of America's greatest composer and exponent of his works, will give a program of McDowell music and talk on the composer's life. She will also speak of the McDowell Colony at Peterborough, N. H. The talk will be illustrated with lantern slides. Mrs. McDowell is well known throughout the country as a concert singer.

DELPHIN LITERARY MEETING

The newly elected Delphin officers were initiated into service Wednesday night, February 16. Miss Whitford Stone, the new president, conducted a very interesting business meeting, which was followed by a literary program arranged by Miss Nina Walls. Miss Madeline Amesby gave a short account of Robert Service and his poetry, after which some of his poems were given as readings by W. A. Bountree's pupils from the Expression department.

Program

Carry On—

Harry Wendler

The Reckoning—

Harry Wendler

The Soldier of Fortune—

Eddie Bell

The Men That Don't Fit In—

Wallace Stevens

The Spell of the Yarn—

Ruth Scudder

Miss Harris gave a very favorable criticism, referring especially to Wallace Stevens, but thought that the whole program was very well done.

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**PRESIDENT CHAUTAQUA INSTITUTE
IN FORUM NEXT SUNDAY**

The Community Forum has been very fortunate in securing the leading men of the country to speak on Sunday afternoon. Last Sunday Dr. Telford Erickson, a missionary statesman of several year's experience in the Balkan States, and at present official representative of the Albanian Government to the United States, gave a very instructive lecture on "War's Aftermath in the Balkans." He was connected with the American Red Cross and honorary delegate for the Peace Conference from Albania. Being so well acquainted with the Balkan situation, he clearly presented the facts in very impressive manner, showing in what condition the Balkan States are at present.

The speaker for February 27 will be Dr. Arthur E. Bester, president of the Chautauque Institution of America, the greatest educational institution in the country. His topic will be "The Old World and the New Order."

FRANK DEWANEY'S LECTURE

Frank Dewaney, with his many interesting college activities, helps to bring forth the very highest and best college spirit that Rollins possesses. The varied events that take place on the campus gives every one a chance to show his or her ability. Everything goes off with a "bang" from the hilarious and often disastrous "tub races," which are thoroughly enjoyed by the youngest Academy boys, to the Delphic Dinner, which is looked forward to with much pleasure by the more wide-awake students and many of the Alumni.

This year the society has been very fortunate in securing for its speakers several charming people. Major Alexander Powell will be the main speaker. Among others is Mr. Boston Johnson, who last year served as president of the society; Mr. Comstock, of Winter Park; Miss Kendall, of Winter Park; and Mrs. Hiram Byrd. These delightful people have all promised to be brief, and this fact, we all being human, will certainly lend enchantment.

One of the most interesting features of the dinner will be the presentation of the debating cup. This year the Delphic Society has inserted a regular monthly debate into its program and many contestants have fought hard for the honor of a coveted place on the team. The subject, which seems to have been of most interest, was whether we should have open or closed shop. So it will be of college as well as inter-class interest to see who will be the successful winner of the cup.

A delicious menu is planned which will be enjoyed by all, and especially by those who dine at the college. The color scheme will be blue and gold and many gay and festive pennants will decorate the walls. Lovely blue corn flowers and yellow asters will be arranged artistically on the table.

**MERCER U. DEBATING COUNCIL
ACCEPTS CHALLENGE OF ROLLINS
FOR DEBATE, APRIL 29**

The Debating Committee of the Delphic Literary Society sent a challenge to the Debating Council of Mercer University for a debate to take place in the early spring. The Mercer Debating Council accepted the challenge by wire and requested that we choose the subject and draw up a contract.

A special committee on "questions for debate" was appointed, with Professor Pedmore as faculty advisor. List of good debatable questions was submitted by the committee at the regular weekly meeting of the Delphic last Wednesday evening. After much discussion, the subject, he advised: "That the immigration of unskilled and unskilled laborers be totally restricted for a period of at least five years," was decided upon.

The contract was drawn up, the date being set for April 29. Each team is to consist of two men, having fifteen minutes for the main speech and five minutes for rebuttal. Mercer University is to bring one judge, of their own choice; Rollins is to bring one judge and submit a list of names from which one judge is to be chosen by the Mercer Debating Council.

It is expected that the Mercer Debating Team will arrive in Winter Park on the afternoon of April 29, and stay over until the following Sunday.

Our debating team has not yet been selected. All men are urged to get busy and "try out!"

**LECTURE ON RACES OF EUROPE
By DEAN SPRAGUE**

A very interesting lecture on "Races of Europe" was given in the high school auditorium Saturday, February 19, at 8 o'clock, by Dean Sprague. This lecture was given in the interest of the Rollins Endowment Fund.

Dean Sprague is a very fine speaker and is thoroughly conversant with the question of races in Europe. He took up the history of the migrations to, and settlement of Europe as the foundation of the numerous racial difficulties of the present day. Among other things, he spoke of the characteristics of the various races as shown by their cephalic indexes. The lecture was illustrated by some very good slides. All who attended expressed themselves as very greatly benefited by Dean Sprague's explanation of this great question.

The Way of Girls
Florence: "Helen's not satisfied with her pictures."
Marina: "What's the matter?"
They make her look younger than she is."

Flo: "But she expected them to make her look younger than she says she is." (Impossible.)

Vanderbilt University
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THE TENNIS TOURNAMENT MAKING PROGRESS

The Annual Elimination Tournaments are making fast progress and some real tennis has been displayed. The girls have played off some of their matches and the winners so far are Eva Mauldin and Frances James. The brand of playing put up by their way first class and the finals will be excellent tennis.

The boys have completely played off their matches, except for the finals and one semi-final match. Romberger defeated Vincent in a hard-fought match and he will play the winner of the Thayer-Smith match for the finals. He has more than an even chance of winning the singles championship, as he can put up a first-class offense in tournament play. The champions of the boys' doubles are expected to be Wright and Ward when they go up against Thayer and Warner for the finals. A mixed doubles match has been put on between James and Vincent versus Sedgwick and Palmer. It will be a close match. Everyone should be out the morning during Founder's Week, in which the finals are played, as it will be a sight worth seeing, and give them a chance to back up their favorites. None of the girls' doubles have been played yet.

BOYS' BASKETBALL

Basketball is almost over. The boys' season will probably close next week with a game with either Stetson or Southern. The first game of the year was at Stetson, January 9, when Hollins lost 42 to 15. But on Saturday, January 22, the team came back and won from the Winter Park team 41 to 14. During the first week of the second semester the team invaded South Carolina. Here under the handicap of playing every day and on strange floors, Hollins won one and lost four by small margins. Furman lost 24 to 20, while Presbyterian, Bailey, Columbia Y. and Newberry College won by the scores 24 to 19, 39 to 27, 34 to 19 and 35 to 24. On the night of February 11 we again defeated the town team by a score of 23 to 17. Plans are completed for a game with Southern for tomorrow night, and the season will close with a game next week. The second team has won twice from Ocoosa High School of Kistmace and from Winter Garden H. S., while Orlando and Sanford cancelled.

Capt. Starr—well, his name tells all about him.

Fletcher, captain of last year's

team, is the star basket thrower of the squad, while it is usually the "key" work of Dow, the other forward, that gets the ball into his hands.

Warner and Stone at guards are a hard pair to get around, as several of our opponents can testify.

In case of accident, Palmer and Sullivan are always ready to hold down one of the forward positions. The latter is probably the hardest worker in the bunch.

Runinger, if he had come out earlier, would probably have earned a chance in the line-up.

Charley Ward is the other member of the squad and is an able assistant for the thankless job of a guard.

Credit should be given to three of the faithful ones who have come out every day to help build up the team. Let it be said that Caldwell, Seelye and Vincent have the real college spirit.

FOUNDER'S WEEK WATER MEET

Lake Virginia is being overworked at late because of the water meet scheduled for Founder's Week. All the contestants are working hard to win the cup or silver K's that are to be awarded. The events are going to be close and well contested as everyone is working to make it a success. All the old-time champions of the regattas of last year will be entered, but they will not have a walkaway.

Some first class diving is expected from the entries, as they show up well in practice and all those who saw Doug Robbins dive in the Fall Regatta want to see him again.

A great amount of interest is centering around the canoe sailing races because of the newness of the event. A pennant is going to be given to the winner and he will be allowed to fly this pennant only as long as he remains undefeated. This will give all the others a chance to wrest the prize away from the holder and fly it from their masts.

Wardler, Ray and Shriever wish to issue a challenge to all those who wish to race them in their new boat they are rigging up in a manner similar to the Kangaroo. Their opponents must use the Kangaroo, but they will be allowed to use all the sail they can crowd on it. It is hoped that a group of boys will accept the challenge and race them, as it would add much interest to the occasion. The events will be snapped off quickly and they are hoping to set a new record for speed in getting off the regatta. Professor Blair is in charge and any information may be secured from him.

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VALENTINE PARTY

The Misses Alice Eaton and Lorna Folsom were the hostesses at a very charming Valentine Party given in their rooms last Monday night. The party was wonderful, consisting of salad, sandwiches, punch and cookies. Each guest departed well-filled and with a dainty souvenir. Those honored with invitations were: Mary Rowley, Louise Hoskins, Charlotte Swain, Marguerite Harris, Margaret Sedgwick, Ross Brooks, Charlotte Voss, Gertrude Davis, Hazel Watts, Lavonne LaDua, Marie Barnes, Esther Miller, Amy Louise Kerr and Miss Frances Kerr.

TOURIST CLUB

On February 16 a very enjoyable dinner was held at the Tourist Club by the "Social" (Ladies) for the benefit of the Central College Endowment Fund.

The dinner was well attended and proved to be a most enjoyable affair. Harriet's Christmas was at its best and it was really seen why this group of manufacturers has made such a big "ke" where in Florida and the surrounding areas.

IRVING HARRIS' PLANTS A SPECIAL FAVOR FOR ROZINS

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to be under way in this land of the palm and pine, where one finds a grateful soil and the kindest climate in North America. It is a time for looking forward.

One thing looms big in the prospect, the need of educational facilities. Celery and potatoes and oranges are all right, but what's the matter with mind culture? With all our planting and cultivating, let us not forget the brain tree. Able intellects will bring more fame and profit to this state than citrus fruits. Moreover, they will be needed to lay the foundations of the great future toward which this state is tending, nothing can be more important in shaping the character of Florida. To a state, as to an individual, character is a matter of some importance, and this is intended as no reflection upon the present. Many of the best people of the north say:

"I would like to spend half the year in Florida, but we cannot bear to be so far from the children, who are in school or college."

They seem not to be convinced that thoroughly sound and well-endowed colleges and preparatory schools are to be found here. Let us convince them by giving generous support to the cause of education.

We have a worthy institution of learning in central Florida, accessible from all sections of the state.

For two years I have lived near it and know whereof I speak. It has buildings and resources of the value of \$300,000. It needs only \$150,000 to put it on a secure basis, a sum that appears trivial when compared with the advantages to be derived from it. If the citizens of Florida appreciate its value to the state and give it the support it deserves, this college will speedily take rank with Amherst and Hamilton and Union in the North and also stimulate the growth of similar institutions on the peninsula. No similar institution can be found anywhere than is now offered in its library and musical departments. But it cannot go on and achieve the full stature of a real college without adequate endowment. This it must have, and at once, or its lamp may go out. The finances of Rollins have come to a crisis.

The location could not be improved. Winter Park has more natural beauty than any village I know on this continent. Its streets and avenues are surrounded with the culture of that soil as charming as the immortal sites of New England. Its trees and gardens and golf courses and drives and waterways; its people interested in the best things, furnish a proper background for a seat of learning in winter garden and college.

Rollins needs a reputation for teaching facilities oranges and citrus. Let us have more colleges and research for my man's son or daughter. They will help every town and city in the state.

Here is the most important bit of planting and building that Florida can do. I hope that she will not neglect it.

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Y. M. C. A. TO COME FOR ANNUAL DINNER MONDAY

This year the Y. M. C. A. will come to the Y. W. C. A. at the latter's annual dinner, which is scheduled for Monday evening at 6 o'clock in the college dining hall. Mayor Backworth and Mrs. W. H. O'Neal, both of Orlando, will make short talks appropriate to the occasion. A student representative from each association will also speak.

The work of these organizations is steadily becoming one of the most important factors in the life of the school, and each year is being carried on with greater enthusiasm and interest.

MANY SCHOOL AND STATE EDITORS ARE TO SPEAK AT SANDSPUR DINNER

The Sandspur Dinner, which will be held Saturday evening, is one of its largest events of Founder's Week. Considerable difficulty has been experienced in getting the principal speaker, due to a series of unfortunate circumstances for which no one is to blame. It was the hope of the staff that Mr. Rex Beach, an alumnus of Rollins, could be obtained, but due to his being out of the state the pleasure of having him will have to be foregone. The events here to be of great interest just the same, for a number of prominent state journalists will be present, in addition to the editors of the college papers of the state and a few of the editors from some of the principal high schools.

A most sumptuous dinner has been planned by Mrs. Graves, in charge of the dining hall. With the addition of music by Jump's Orchestra from Orlando during the meal, and a series of short after-dinner talks in the form of an informal round table, the occasion is sure to prove one of much enjoyment to all who attend.

After the dinner the guests will go en masse to Lyman Gymnasium for the Junior Prom and dance all evening until eleven thirty.

MRS. KENDALL ATTENDS MEETING OF SUPERINTENDENTS AT LIVE OAK

Mrs. Amelia Kendall has just returned to the campus after having spent several days at Live Oak, where she went as a delegate from Orange County to attend the State Convention of Educational Officers. She reports a large attendance and sessions replete with interesting features. The State Officer of Public Instruction, W. N. Sheets, was the leading officer. The subject of greatest importance was the Standardization of the Florida High School Curriculum.

Mrs. Kendall was one of the speakers and used as her subject, "Standardization of Schools Below the Junior High." Another prominent Rollins graduate to speak was Hon. T. J. Lavitt, of Sanford.

BASEBALL NOTES

Has baseball started? It surely has! Coach Brewster and his gang of aspirants have been out on the field for several weeks and the fellows are slowly rounding into shape.

The diamond is being "over-hauled" and Coach says that it will be a real field when it is finished. The football squad contributed their share last fall by carrying off with them most of the sandspurs. All that is left now is to level off some of the high spots and a few loads of sand, together with a good rolling, will accomplish wonders.

It is impossible to give out any hope as to the possible lineup for this year. Several practice games are scheduled to be played soon and not until then will the lineup be known.

Rollins is looking forward to a very successful season and from what he fellows say they are out for the championship of the state.

LET'S GO!

ROLLINS COLLEGE ENDOWMENT FUND IS NOW INSURED

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out in the college. I wish to express my appreciation of this diversified support by giving to the college the total sum of my own pledge of \$100,000 without any reservation whatsoever. I am confident that the fund will be completely raised and that the future of Rollins is assured."

The following were present at the luncheon: W. C. Comstock, Irving Backeller, R. D. MacDonald, T. E. Spooner, E. H. Brewer, W. H. Johnson, D. K. Dickinson, Dr. C. R. Switzer, E. A. Potter, E. W. Packard, James B. Forgan, R. D. Jenkins, C. H. Morse, Jr., C. H. Morse.

MRS. BOK INVITES CHANCELLOR TO GIVE "STAR TALK"

Talk to Be Along Lines of Those Given in Chapel—Will Be an Outdoor Affair

Chancellor Brooks has been invited by Mrs. Edward W. Bok to give an informal outdoor "Star Talk" before a group of her friends on Monday evening, February 21, at the Seminary. Professor Brooks displays any special proficiency as a "star" in the fascinating field of Astronomy. The invitation, we understand, came through the report of a series of "Chapel Talks" regularly given by him to the students with the view of arousing interest in the sublime challenges of the starry skies. Mrs. Bok wishes this a graceful occasion of presenting, through Professor Brooks, a hundred dollars toward the Endowment Fund of Rollins.

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