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THIRTY-SECOND COMMENCEMENT MOST IMPRESSIVE EVER HELD

A Grand Outlook from a Brilliant Present.

The commencement exercises which were held on the campus Thursday morning, May 31st, were the most beautiful and impressive ever witnessed at Rollins College.

Promptly at eight-thirty, the band, seated beneath the trees near Knowles Hall, began to play lively music, while faculty, trustees, alumni and students, together with a number of distinguished visitors gathered in Carnegie Hall, where the procession was formed.

At nine o'clock, the procession, headed by the marshal, James I. Noxon, began its march around the campus to the strains of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

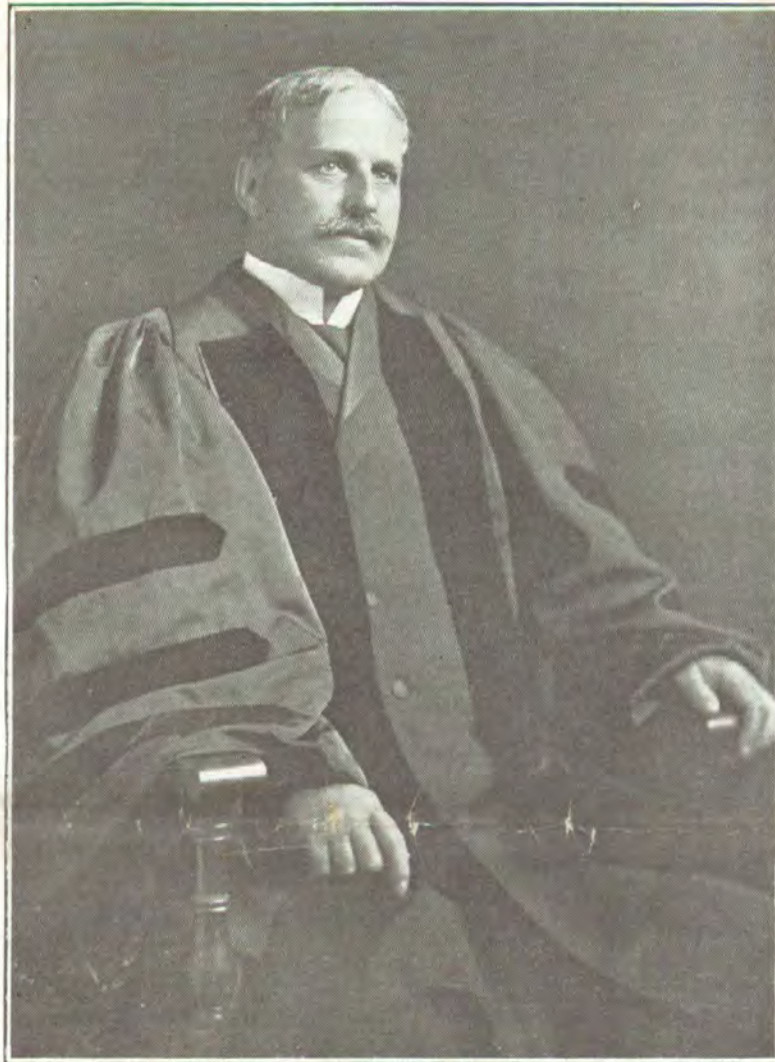
The first halt was made before Knowles Hall where Miss Elizabeth Russell, '18, in the language of a college girl, expressed very briefly the sentiment of the students in esteeming the Hall as a factor in school activities. Following an appeal for loyalty and reverence for our Alma Mater, one stanza of America was sung, and the procession moved to Cloverleaf Cottage, the home of the girls, where Miss Russell spoke of the place which Cloverleaf and its girls occupy in campus life. The procession then passed to Carnegie Hall where the same ceremony was repeated.

From Carnegie the procession took its way to the sun dial, which the Class of '17 has left as its gift to the college. The pedestal was given by the graduates, while the dial itself was the gift of Dr. Ward, the honorary member of the Class of '17. The gift was presented to the college by Paul L. Thoren and accepted by Dr. Ward. The Senior Class Song, the words and music of which were written by Prof. Palmer, the Faculty Adviser and Mrs. Palmer, respectively, was sung by the students. Leaving the dial, the procession moved to the class tree, where the class poem was delivered by Miss Funk.

After greeting Lakeside Cottage, the procession then marched to the campus near Knowles Hall where chairs had been placed in the shade. There the class history was read by Mr. Edwin A. McQuarters, after which the class prophecy was given by Miss Mary Conaway, who predicted a brilliant future for all her classmates.

Following the prophecy, an appropriate farewell address was delivered by Mr. Alfred J. Hanna, president of the Class of '17.

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REV. GEO. M. WARD, D.D., LL.D.

STATE EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE VISITS ROLLINS

Superintendent Sheats Here.

Carrying out the education laws of the State of Florida in regard to granting teachers certificates to graduates of Florida colleges, a committee appointed by the State Board of Education of the State of Florida, headed by Superintendent W. N. Sheats, LL.D., spent half a day of the past week on the campus inspecting classes and investigating student conditions. Other members of the Committee were Dr. Harvey W. Cox, Dean of the Teachers College and Professor of Psychology in the University of Florida, and Professor W. S. Cawthorn, formerly at the head of the Department of Mathematics of the University but now State High School Inspector.

At the invitation of Dean Enyart, Dr. Sheats made a brief address during the chapel exercises and took occasion to speak of the progress of the college. (Continued on Page Six.)

THE ROLLINS COLLEGE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

Music in Wartime

Now that all patriotic citizens are curtailing their expenditures, and denying themselves many of their accustomed luxuries, the question arises, "Is music a luxury?" Should we "hang up the fiddle and the bow" and "take down the shovel and the hoe?" (So an editorial on the threatened food shortage put it.)

A strong answer in the negative was recently given to this question by Mr. C. H. Chandler, who spoke at Rollins on the Y. M. C. A. work in the prison camps of Europe. He stated that one of the very first measures taken to better the mental condition of men is to furnish them with music. Instruments are provided the prisoners are taught to play, bands and orchestras are formed, and in the making of music the men find an anaesthetic for their hardships and homesickness. (Continued on Page Eight.)

BACCALAUREATE SERMON DELIVERED BY DR. GEO. M. WARD

A Grand Outlook from a Brilliant Present.

The Baccalaureate Services were held Sunday evening, May 26th, in Knowles Hall.

The sermon was delivered by Dr. George M. Ward, who was assisted in the service by Dr. R. T. Jones of the First Baptist Church. Special music was furnished by the Girls' Glee Club, which sang, "List the Cherubic Host," from Gaul's "Holy City," and by Miss Waterman who sang an Aria from "Solomon," by Handel.

Dr. Ward's sermon was one which appealed strongly to all his hearers, but especially to the graduates who are just entering their lifework. The text was taken from the fourth chapter of Ephesians, where the Apostle Paul admonishes "to walk worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called."

Dr. Ward said in part: "It was no trifling proposition that St. Paul laid down in asking Americans to walk worthy of the vocation to which they are called. The most glorious land on which the sun shines is not that nation which offers its people ease and comfort and wealth; but the country which furnishes them opportunity for growth, physical, mental, moral and spiritual,—which inspires the loftiest characters.

"The vocation to which Americans are called is as high as their ability will enable them to reach. We ought to be the greatest people of history. Our absolute freedom from political restraint, our great natural wealth, our system of schools (which puts education within the reach of everyone), offer the individual privileges heretofore unknown. We dodge the logical inference. But if much is required of him to whom much has been given, then we have a right to expect of America and Americans, the greatest accomplishments for the benefit of man and the glory of God the world has ever known.

"It is easier to be truthful than it used to be in matters of real moment. If your ambition is to shine in conditions as you find them, this is not true. When they are dead, we honor men like Agassiz, who are so busy with worthier aims that they haven't time to make money. We rank them among the greatest Americans. * * * Most men want to attain proof of success in a material way, and while they are alive. * * * But there is a growing conservative element today that is coming to see that (Continued on Page Six.)

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SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1917

Before this issue of The Sandspur is off the press the Class of '17 will have gone forth from the halls of Rollins College, its activities as a class in the school, at an end.

The last farewells will have been said, the last congratulations and best wishes extended, but to these, even though late, The Sandspur wishes to add its heartiest of congratulations to the members of the Class of '17, both as a class, and as individuals.

We owe not a little to this Class for the interest which certain of its members have manifested in the paper, and for the hours of work which they have given to us.

Success, prosperity, happiness, to the Class of '17.

The Commencement Number of The Rollins Sandspur marks the close of the paper's second year as a college weekly.

During the past year the paper has received the co-operation and support of the faculty, students and alumni, all of whom have contributed in various ways toward its success.

The Sandspur is published by the students of Rollins College and its one aim is to be a vital factor in student life, and to serve as a bond between the students of the present day and those of former years.

The paper is for the College; it stands for the highest and best which the school can offer; it cannot live without the loyalty and active support of all students.

Would it not be well then, when thinking of next year's program, to save a bit of time for the Sandspur?

Doesn't the whole purpose of the paper make you feel that it is worthy of your interest, that it is big enough to compel your effort in its behalf,

and that it has a future broad enough, that, for the sake of the future as well as for the present, you are glad to "Stick to It?"

In another column of this paper will be found a communication from P. P. Claxton, Federal Commissioner of Education, wherein he urges those who are in college now to remain in school until their education is complete. Read this and act upon the advice which is given there.

The most patriotic thing that you can do is to get training so that when the country needs you later on, you can give her your ability, energy and intelligence, not in their native state, but trained, developed and strengthened to the highest and best of which they are capable.



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DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLASS VISIT CANNING EXHIBIT

On Wednesday of last week Miss Hills treated the Domestic Science Class with a trip to Orlando to see a canning exhibition. The exhibit, under the auspices of the Woman's Home Guard, was demonstrated by Mrs. Taylor, who is travelling over the country giving instruction concerning the preservation of fruits and vegetables. Miss Hills emphasized the necessity of conserving all available food stuffs during the present critical condition of our country. The class gained many helpful points during the canning demonstration.

Before returning to the college the young ladies repaired to the drug store for refreshments as the guests of Mrs. William Roxby.

Mrs. Wm. Roxby of Daytona, was a visitor on the campus during the Commencement week. She was a student of Rollins, graduating from the Academy in 1894.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gates, of Winter Haven, were on the campus Wednesday and Thursday, visiting their daughter, Katherine.

Miss Katherine Sims is visiting in Cloverleaf with her cousin, Irene Sims, for a few days.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR Bureau of Education.

To Women in Colleges, Universities, Normal Schools and Technical Schools

It has been reported to me that many young women now in the colleges, universities and normal schools in the U. S. may not return to continue their work at the beginning of the next school year, either because of their desire to serve their country in some capacity while it is in war or because of lack of money to pay expenses.

The country will need the services of many women of good native ability and education in the Red Cross and to take the places in the trades, industries and professions made vacant by

is long there will be need before it is ended for all the trained women our schools can turn out. Even if all continued at their full capacity there will be need for them in fields of service where as yet there is little or no need.

When the war is over and the world must be rebuilt with greater wisdom and more skill than have gone into the building of the world that is now passing away in the horrors of war. In the new world women will play new roles; they will take a more important part in industrial and professional life than they have taken in the past, and will have much greater and much more direct influence on the public policies of city, State and Nation. In our country there will be need for a much higher level of general intelligence than we have yet attained, and to our country will come from all the world greater demands for both men and women of education and training than has ever come to any country at any time. Therefore, all young women who would serve their country and the world most effectively in this time of their greatest need should take advantage of every possible opportunity to gain preparation for it. No one should leave school or college for any service which can be given as well by another whose preparation for greater service will not be prevented thereby. To prevent any having to leave because of lack of means to pay expenses, colleges should reduce their expenses and lower the cost of living as much as possible, and societies, and individuals should endow temporary scholarships or lend money to students at low rates of interest until they can repay it.

I do not forget, nor would I have any one forget, that necessary immediate service to the country must have precedence over all else. But when the immediate service can be rendered by others, those who are preparing for such service as can not be rendered by most should continue their preparation with as little interruption as possible.

Therefore, I make this appeal to all young women in college, university, normal school, and technical school who can do so to continue their studies to graduation so that they may be prepared to render the fullest and best service in years of war if they continue and in the years of peace which will surely come.

Yours sincerely,
P. P. CLAXTON,
Commissioner of Education.

JUNIORS ENTERTAIN

Mrs. Mary B. Patterson and Dean Ferguson were honor guests at a dinner given by the Junior Class on Saturday evening of last week.

The table was spread on the outdoor stage overlooking Lake Virginia. The place cards bore phrases indicative of the summer occupations of the guests, and a discussion of these caused much merriment.

The party disbanded reluctantly in time for the Students' Recital.

STATE-WIDE ATHLETICS

INTERCOLLEGIATE CONVENTION HELD AT ROLLINS

"Rotten Collegiate Athletics" received a death blow Saturday, May 5th when Representatives from the Florida Colleges came together in conference here and organized the Florida Collegiate Athletic Association.

Dr. W. L. Summers representing University of Florida, Dean J. A. Smith and Professor W. Y. Mickels representing Stetson University, Dean W. B. Jones representing Columbia College, Coach W. W. Alderman representing Southern College and Professor E. S. Palmer, R. W. Greene and J. Harold Hill representing Rollins College, were present at the Conference.

Dr. W. H. Ball, secretary of the Physical Department of the International Committee Y. M. C. A. who met with the Collegiate Athletic Committee in the Tampa Conference was also a member of the Conference. Dr. Ball had visited the colleges previous to the Conference on May 5. He addressed the students of each institution at Chapel, addressed the members of each of the faculties and held other meetings with student leaders. The program of athletics he presented was of the highest standard, emphasizing the importance of athletics for the individual, rather than the group. Every College gave Dr. Ball a warm welcome.

The Conference opened at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Judge J. M. Cheney of Orlando, presiding. After a representative from each of the Institutions had expressed his sentiments on the question pending, it was unanimously voted to organize at once and steps were taken to form and adopt a Constitution and By-Laws.

The one thing most noticeable in the meeting was the spirit of the men representing the several Institutions. The project had been "deemed" impossible, but there was not a sign of the "impossible" during the whole conference. Each institution in its turn made its honest confession. Each one had had enough of the old system. They knew it had all been wrong. Now everyone was willing to get-together and do the right thing, and they did it.

The new organization will be an experiment, but a successful experiment because of the Athletic officials now in office, and the spirit of each student body who stands loyal to the clean athletic program. The responsibility for the success of the Association rests with each individual institution. Each Institution will clean its own house and keep it clean.

Dr. W. L. Summers was appointed a special committee on By-Laws, and R. W. Greene was appointed temporary Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Association.

As far as possible, the Conference adopted the Eligibility Rules of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association. The Constitution and most

important By-Laws are printed below:

Article 1.—Name

The name of this organization shall be the Florida Collegiate Athletic Association.

Article II.—Object

Its object shall be to foster Intercollegiate Athletics thruout the State of Florida.

Article III.—Membership

All Colleges and Universities in the State of Florida which will adopt and sign this Constitution and By-Laws are to be eligible to membership in the Association.

Article IV.—Board of Directors

All powers of this Association shall be vested in a Board of Directors, consisting of one official faculty representative, not a coach, from each Institution, that is a member of this Association.

It shall be the duty of this Board:

- 1—To pass upon the admission of new members.
- 2—To discipline members.
- 3—To determine and enforce rules of eligibility.
- 4—To promote an athletic educational campaign throughout the State.

Article V.—Officers.

The officers of this Association and Board of Directors shall be a President, Vice-President, and Secretary-Treasurer. These officers to be elected by the Board of Directors, from their membership, at their annual meeting

BY-LAWS

Article I.—Platform.

We believe in the spirit of Amateurism.

Definition of Amateur:

An amateur is one who participates in competitive physical sports only for the pleasure, and the physical, mental, moral and social benefits directly derived therefrom.

The Spirit of Amateurism carries with it all that is included in the definition on an amateur and much more. The spirit of amateurism stands for a high sense of honor, honesty, fairplay, courtesy and temperate living on the part of the participants, hosts, guests, officials and spectators. It stoops to no technicalities, to twist or avoid the rules, or to take an unfair advantage of opponents. It implies a recognition of the marked influence of athletics in developing organic vigor, physical fitness, intellectual efficiency, moral qualities and sound habits. It seeks to increase their value by exalting the standards of all sports. It is opposed to all practices which are harmful to individuals or to amateur athletics in general, such as playing for money or gain of any kind, betting, sellings, prizes, over-specializing of "star performer" to the exclusion of the "rank and file," etc.

It recognizes the need of wise organization and supervision of athletics and co-operation in making these efficient. And believes that the spirit as well as the letter of the law should be enforced.

Receiving Compensation

No player or contestant of any university or college shall be paid, or receive, directly or indirectly, any money or financial concession or emolument as past or present compensation for or as prior consideration or inducement to play in or enter any athletic contest, whether the said remuneration be received from or paid by or at the instance of any organization, committee or faculty by or at the instance or any organization, committee or faculty of such university or college, or by any individual whatsoever.

Fifteen Day Matriculation Rule

No person shall be eligible who is not a bona fide student of the college on whose team he plays, duly matriculated or enrolled in person for the current college year within fifteen days after the beginning of said college year (not including the opening day), and regularly pursuing a course in said college that requires ten hours of lectures or recitations per week, counting at least two hours of laboratory or practical instruction as equivalent to one hour of lecture or recitation.

Four Year Limit.

No person who has participated in intercollegiate contests, in any sport, in or out of this Association, for any part of a game or games for four sessions, consecutive or not, shall participate in contests of this Association in that branch of sport. Provided, that his total time of participation in inter-collegiate athletics shall not include more than five college years.

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CONSERVATORY CONCERTS

Rollins Hears Modern Music

For perhaps the first time in Florida a program of modern sonatas was heard in Knowles Hall Thursday evening, May 10, played by Dr. Julia C. Allen and Miss Marion Rous of the Conservatory. The following was the order of the selections:

Reinecke—Sonatina, Op. 108, No. 1
Allegro Moderato, Andante con Moto,
Allegretto Grazioso.

Susan H. Dyer—Sonata in C Minor
Allegro agitato

Edward Schuett—Suite, Op. 44.
Allegro risoluto, Canzonetta con Variazione, Rondo a la Russe.

Probably the most interesting number of the program was the Sonata in c minor for violin and piano, written by Miss Susan H. Dyer, Director of the Rollins Conservatory. This composition was distinguished by the strength and freshness of its thematic material and the sustained interest of its development.

As ever the Reinecke Sonatina was tuneful, and graceful, and the Schuett Suite an excellent example of the marked modernity of the Russian school.

All of these difficult compositions were splendidly played by Dr. Allen and Miss Rous, who, wonderfully equipped in technic and interpretative temperament, have assisted in making this season a gala one musically at Rollins.

MRS. LENFEST GIVES RECITAL

On Monday evening, May 14th, the students, faculty and townspeople were entertained by the graduation recital of Mrs. Hazel Coffin Lenfest, who has completed the course in organ under Dr. Henry Hanchett, of the Conservatory. The concert was very much enjoyed by those present, the selections being well rendered, and covering a large range of subjects. Mrs. Lenfest was assisted by Miss Frieda Siewert, who delighted the audience with her interpretation of two songs. The program follows:

Bach—Prelude and Fugue in B. Flat.
Haydn — Introduction and Allegro
from the Military Symphony in G.

(Arranged by Westbrook.)

Mendelssohn — Adagio and Finale
from the First Organ Sonata,
Mrs. Lenfest.

Alicia Needham ----- Haymaking
Campbell-Tipton ---- A Spirit Flower
Miss Siewert.

Dubois—(a) Nuptial Song; (b) Grand
Chorus.

Fumagali—Rustic March.

Bartlett—Grand Fantasia in C Minor,
Op 116.

Mrs. Lenfest.

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INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

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General One-Year Rule.

No student who has ever been connected with an institution where he has participated in an intercollegiate contest in football, baseball, basketball or tract athletics shall become



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eligible to participate in an intercollegiate contest of any institution in this association irrespective of branch or sport, until he has been in attendance for one college year.

A student entering one institution of collegiate rank from another shall not be eligible to compete in intercollegiate football until he has been for one year a student of the institution engaged in intercollegiate athletics or not.

No student shall participate in intercollegiate athletic contests in any game to which a member of this association is a party unless his standing is at least that of a Freshman without conditions or his entrance to the college he represents was at least fourteen Carnegie units; provided that: there shall be enrolled as candidate for a Bachelor Degree in this institution which he is attending, fifty or more male students, and if the enrollment falls short of this, the student shall be eligible if his standing is equivalent to that of a graduate of a standard Junior High School without condition and provided that Academic students must have been in attendance in the same institution for one college year previous to their participation in athletics.

al agreement.

Summer Baseball

A student after he has been in college one full year and has met the scholarship requirements of said institution for athletics eligibility may play summer baseball on any team he may elect, provided said team is not a member of a league operating under the terms of the so-called Nation-

Local Governing Committee

For the purpose of regulating and controlling athletics in each institution, there shall be appointed by each institution a committee composed wholly or for the most part of members of the faculty, which committee shall be responsible for the proper enforcement of the laws of this Association. It shall be also the duty of the committee to require each candidate for a football, baseball, basketball or track team to file with the committee a certificate containing answers to the following questions:

Conduct of Player on the Field.

Any person using insulting language to another player or to an official of this Association, shall immediately be disqualified from further participation in said contest. Either umpire or referee may enforce this penalty, and shall notify the Board of Directors of the Association of his action within one week thereafter. If the Board of Directors finds, upon investigation of the case, that the offense was sufficiently aggravated, the offender shall be permanently disqualified.

JUNIOR-SENIOR RECEPTION

Brilliant Event.

The class of 18 entertained in honor of the Seniors in the Phi Alpha Fraternity rooms Saturday evening, May 12th. Tastefully arranged were decorations in the class colors of the honorees, green and pink, which scheme was also carried out in the supper courses. After refreshments an informal musical program was given, Miss Yancey and Mr. Noxon playing a piano duet, followed by vocal solos by Mr. Noxon and Mr. Hutchinson. A happy hour of dancing ended the evening which all declared had been most enjoyabl spent. Those present were Mrs. Geo. M. Ward, Dean Enyart, Dean Ferguson, Miss Ethel Enyart, the Senior Class, Miss Conaway, Miss Funk, Mr. Hanna, Mr. McQuarters and Mr. Thoren, and the Juniors, Miss Waldron, Miss Russell, Miss Yancey, Miss Sadie Pellerin, Miss Muriel, Miss Annie Stone, Mr. Hutchinson and Mr. Noxon.

RESOLUTIONS

1.—Resolved, That the faculties of the Colleges represented in this Association be requested to establish proper scholarship requirements to which members of the athletic teams must attain.

2.—Resolved, That it is the sense of this Association that it is the duty of every member of this Association to report to the Board of Directors any and all irregularities known or suspected by them at any college in this Association.

3.—Resolved, That the Secretary of this Association shall cause all of the eligibility rules to be neatly printed in heavy ink and framed, with the title "Rules of eligibility of the Florida Collegiate Athletic Association" and with this inscription in red ink at top: "Every student of this college who participates in intercollegiate athletics pledges his sacred honor that he is eligible within the letter and spirit of the following regulations," and with the following inscription in red ink at the bottom:

"The above rules forbid that a student shall receive financial aid in any form from persons whose only or chief interest and incentive to render such aid is that such student shall engage in intercollegiate athletics," and each member of the Association shall at all times keep three copies thereof to be furnished by the Secretary—posted in and about the college where the students are wont to congregate.

Teacher: "Name five animals of North America."

Tommy: "Four polar bears and a monkey."—Ex.

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COMMENCEMENT DINNER

Many Alumni Dine

Following the graduating exercises Thursday morning, the annual Commencement Dinner was served in the College Commons. The toothsome banquet was prepared under the efficient direction of Miss Ruth E. Hills, to whom much credit is due. As trustees, faculty, alumni, graduates and friends met at the table, a spirited and congenial feeling spread, unified by a common college loyalty.

After the last course was served, Dr. Ward arose and as he introduced the first speaker, Miss Conaway, of the Senior Class, said he wished to relieve her anxiety as she hadn't eaten a mouthful. The winsome speaker spoke eloquently and thanked Dr. Ward and the faculty for speeding the parting of the Class of 1917.

Mrs. A. B. Whitman, '95, was introduced. Reflecting upon her student days on this same campus, she paid worthy homage to Dr. Ward's ever present thoughtfulness with the force in inspiration which this characteristic always brings. With humorous stories of bright little incidents, sweet in their simplicity she showed the deep interest taken by our well-loved president, in all students' burdens and trifles. Mrs. Whitman is held a leader in thought in her home community, and we esteem her loyalty a great gift to Rollins.

The Master of the Feast then wittily told his favorite story of his first administration, the April Fool prank his boys tried to get on him and his delight in turning the joke back on them. He then called on one of the

boys who he declared knew something of the flight of the clapper of the Old Knowles Hall bell.

In responding, "Willie" Lawton, '03, continued the thread of the story showing how the joke was still on the old faculty as it was vouched for that the bell clapper was found under the bed of Miss Lamsen, then mother to all the girls, now trustee of the

Ray Greene was next called on for a few words with reference to the plans for the summer campaign for new students. He spoke briefly.

Dr. C. H. French, the last speaker, was then introduced. Following a brief tribute to Rollins in which he expressed satisfaction and gratification of our ideals, he spoke with the forceful and inspiring words of an ex-



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college. In the jubilant spirit of a loyal alumnus and with witty stories of Alma Mater he paid tribute to Miss Lamsen, Dr. Baker, Miss Lord, and his dormitory mother, Mrs. Abbott. Most of all he expressed with deep feeling his gratitude for the inspiration of the six years with Dr. Ward.

Dr. Ward next, in calling upon Miss Susan H. Dyer, sounded a deep-felt note of appreciation for the untiring labors of the Director of the Conservatory who has so efficiently given that department the esteemed rank it has today. In words of response Miss Dyer liberally shared the credit for the work accomplished with those who have, as she said, so adequately co-operated with her.

perienced educator. The speaker mentioned the great work of a college in building up a state. He said, "college training is the means to an end which is life itself." Briefly he appealed to the guests to urge the return of all students that they might be the better prepared for either peace or war. In closing he said, "an institution is the length and breadth of a man," and declared the present evidence of the rallying of both students and alumni to Dr. Ward was not of phenomenal but of natural causes.

Miss Margaret Rogers is again welcomed to the campus for a few days during Commencement week. She is accompanied by Miss Jackson, a cousin of Fred Hanna.

STUDENTS' RECITAL

The Students' Recital which was given in Knowles' Hall on Saturday evening, May 26th, was the best of its kind ever heard here. The Conservatory is larger than ever before, and the students are showing rapid advancement in their work.

A complete program appears in another column.

Paul Harrison, a graduate of the Academy in the Class of 1917, has been recently notified that he has successfully passed the examinations as Principal for West Point. This appointment comes by Senator Duncan N. Fletcher, after five distinct appointments which were all alternative. His many friends know him to be worthy of this honor, and his record at Rollins will prophesy unmistakable accomplishments ahead of him.

Dr. Calvin Harvey French of New York has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Ward the past week. He has willingly taken part in many events of the week and deep respect for him has been imprinted upon the many students who have been in his presence. Dr. French was president of Huron College from 1898 to 1913; since he has been a member of the College Board of the Presbyterian Church of U. S. A.

It's a great joke that can be seen in a moment, but the really great joke has to be read twice.—Ex.

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wealth is not a proof, only an indication, of success.

"There is a call in America today for worthy men, such as Paul called for, intelligent, honest, truthful men. —There is no lasting success for the hypocrite.

"This is the day in America of the average man. Heretofore one had to have all the talents in the Almighty's gift to get anywhere near the top. * * * Individual greatness in the days of old presupposed servitude for the many, was based upon it. There is dawning upon the public conscience today the great truth that rise or fall, to be normal and permanent, must be universal. Individual advancement shows the possibilities; but only a raising of the whole level stands for real progress. * * * The day of the genius is on the wane. This is the day of the average person; but the average is much higher than it ever was before. To get to the top now means to get to the surface, to the surface of that great broad ocean of God's love and intelligence.

"Christ wasn't a genius. He was a perfect man and that means an average man. A genius is an imperfect man, oftentimes a freak. * * * We don't want geniuses; we want men and women to do the work of today.

"America is a republic and a republic is an imitation of Christ's design of a self-respecting place for everybody, on earth as well as in eternity. America is broad enough and big enough to give everyone a field for all the work he is capable of. If you are worthy; if you are honest, truthful, intelligent, reverent—then America needs, must have your help.

"Society awaits your service. Her call is especially clear to you young women. You carry a nation's morals in your keeping, for society is the ruling aristocracy of the world. It is the only aristocracy that does rule—now that Hohenzollerns are at an end. In the lower walks of life, in the realms of immorality and sin man is generally the aggressor and woman his loving tool. But in society woman dominates. There wouldn't be any nasty divorces if you women made it mighty clear that no decent woman would marry a beast, even if he were the head of the greatest business in the world and could tempt an unfrocked minister to sanction his sin. There would be mighty few drunkards and gamblers and rouses of such indulgence. Cut a man's name from every decent visiting list, no matter what his wealth and his birth. Its up to every woman.—Society needs you.

"The American home needs the worthy Christian. Since the birth of a Saviour made a virgin Divine, woman has been a little nearer to God than man will ever be. The home is the earthly hope of heaven, the place of

thot for others, of glad and willing self-sacrifice, and the woman's place in the home is an enshrined one. She is next to his God in an honest man's heart, and to her children, she is the manifestation, the personification, of the love of God. We all acknowledge that in the purity of the home is the safety of the nation.

"The American business world needs the worthy Christian man. We have no end of geniuses, of Napoleons of Finance, who, like Napoleon the Great, believe in themselves and destiny, rather than in God.

Greatness and destiny, brain and self-confidence, may conquer a world for a time—but it leaves nations in ruins, takes thousands of equally valuable souls to feed its ambition and generally ends in Elba. Napoleon and destiny are not half so helpful a factor as worth and God.

"The American church is crying for devoted men of average intelligence. * * * What the church wants today is men with enough theology to recognize their relation to God on one side and with humanity enough to acknowledge their obligations to their fellow men on the other—men who will recognize that a Christian life is not a belief, a cloak for insincerity, or a theology, but that it is a career, a life-long invitation of that great average man, Jesus Christ.

"What has God not a right to expect of you? Do not shrink and feel that you are handicapped by all this. There is a very simple rule for success. Accept as your own the inspiration of Paul's life, that passion for service that never fails; and as in your normal walk of life you grow into the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, there shall open around you and ahead of you not only dignified, honored, successful careers, but an abundant entrance into the Kingdom of God. May God through its worthy Christian citizens save our great Republic."

At the close of the sermon the graduates rose to receive the final word of counsel and guidance from Dr. Ward, who will ever be enshrined in their hearts. His words were especially impressive as he told them that consciously or unconsciously, he had measured the success of the first year of his present administration by the ambition and the ideals which this class is bearing away.

GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATED BY WELL-KNOWN COUPLE

Nuptial Anniversary of Former Rollins President.

At their residence at Spuyten Duyvil, New York, on the afternoon of Tuesday, May 8, 1917, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Fairchild celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Over 20 of the children and grandchildren were present, besides many friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild are well-known to Suffern folk.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairchild of Haverstraw Road, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McKelvey (Helen Fairchild) of Viola, and Miss Julia W. Fairchild, represented the Suffern neighborhood. Other children present were, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph P. Fairchild of Roslyn Heights, L. I., Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fairchild of Bristol, Conn., and Mrs. Clarissa Fairchild Cushman.

Mr. Fairchild has spent his life in educational work. For many years he represented Berea College, Kentucky, and Oberlin College in Ohio, and for several years was president of Rollins College in Florida.

An event of the occasion was the passing down a gold headed cane, which was presented to Mr. Fairchild's grandfather by his children at his golden wedding, in 1864. Mr. Fairchild, the grandson, who now passes the cane along to his own grandson, was not present at the 1864 celebration being with the United States Army besieged at that time in Knoxville, Tenn.

The story of the gold headed cane is an interesting one and was retold and in condensed form was read by Miss Helen McKelvey, a granddaughter and was as follows:

"My grandfather, Grandison Fairchild, and his wife, Nancy Harris Fairchild, with their three babies left old Stockbridge, Mass., nearly a century ago (1818) and settled on a densely wooded section of land in Brownhelm, Ohio. They built a log hut, cut down the forests, supported themselves by labor upon the land, raised to manhood and womanhood four sons and four daughters, and gave seven out of the eight a college education. Through all these years they constantly increased the comforts of their home

life, and gave generously of money and time to the school and church and of other interests of the community. My grandmother lived many years after her golden wedding, exercising to the end a generous hospitality and a warm interest in the dresses of her granddaughters, and was finally laid in her last resting place by her four sons. My grandfather lived to be nearly one hundred years of age.

This is the record that goes with the cane of my grandfather, Grandison Fairchild, given by me, C. Grandison Fairchild on my golden wedding to my grandson, R. Grandison Fairchild.

I wish the noblest and best for each of my grandchildren, but I cannot expect lives nobler in aspiration or richer in achievement than these lives whose memory is freshened by this cane.

New York City, May 8th, 1917.

The above clipping from The Suffern Independent of Suffern, N. Y., will be of interest to many of the old residents of Winter Park and Orlando, as well as to many students of the earlier days of Rollins.

Dr. Fairchild was president of Rollins in 1893-95, and his four sons and two daughters were students here then.

The Rollins Sandspur was established during that time, Paul Fairchild, one of the sons of the president, being one of its first editors.

JUNIORS MAKE TRIP TO SINK HOLE

On the afternoon of the 19th, a party of Juniors, chaperoned by Miss Enyart and Dean Enyart, the Class officer, motored to the sink hole, west of town and enjoyed a frolic with nature and a tempting picnic lunch. The walk home formed the finale to another of the many good times which the Juniors have enjoyed this year. The members of the class enjoying the trip were Katharine Waldron, Sara Muriel, Elizabeth Russell, Annie Stone, James Noxon and Robert Hutchinson.

SHORTHAND MEDALS GO TO MAURICE WHELDON AND HARRIET MANSFIELD

The two beautiful silver and bronze medals which were offered by Isaac Pitman Publishing Co., of New York, for the speediest and most accurate graduates of the Shorthand Department of the Rollins College Business School have been won by Maurice Wheldon of the Freshman Class, and Harriet Mansfield who graduated from the Academy.

The medals are struck with the likeness of Sir Isaac Pitman, the inventor of shorthand.

VISIT BY STATE EDUCATORS

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casian to compliment the students and faculty on the ideal location of Florida's oldest college.

After visiting the classes in Pedagogy and several other advanced lecture courses the committee met with the senior class, who are now candidates for State teachers certificates, and later were guests at the Dining Hall for dinner.

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Commencement

COMMENCEMENT CALENDAR

Friday to Tuesday, May 25 to May 29.

8.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. Final Examinations.

Saturday, May 26.

8.00 p. m. Students' Recital, Knowles Hall.

Sunday, May 27.

4.30 p.m. Commencement Sing, Chase Hall Terrace.

7.30 p. m. Baccalaureate Sermon Rev. George Morgan Ward, D. D., LL. D., Knowles Hall.

Monday, May 28.

6.00 p.m. Delphic Society Dinner, Dining Hall.

8.00 p.m. Class and Fraternity Re-Unions, Lyman Gymnasium.

Tuesday, May 29.

3.00 p. m. Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association, Carnegie Hall.

8.00 p. m. Graduating Exercises, Senior Class, Academy, Chase Hall Terrace.

Wednesday, May 30.

7.30 p. m. Commencement Concert, Knowles Hall.

8.30 p.m. President-Senior Reception, Lyman Gymnasium.

Thursday, May 31.

9.00 a.m. Academic Procession formed, Carnegie Hall.

10.00 a. m. Graduating Exercises, Knowles Hall.

1 p.m. Alumni Dinner, Dining Hall.

STUDENTS' RECITAL

Conservatory of Music, Saturday, May 26, 8:00 P. M., Knowles Hall

Program

Etude Mignonne (For Piano, Schuett. —Mary Noe.

Gavott (for Quartet) Scotson Clark —Laura Beggs, Geraldine Barbour, Eleanor Herring, Mrs. Krauss, Sarah Wight, Virginia Straley, Howard Phillips, Lyman Mead.

Sonata in D (for Piano) First Movement, Haydn—Okle Curry.

Introduction and Polonaise (for Violin), Allen—Sarah Wight.

Serenade (for Soprano), Strauss—Gertrude Hall.

Fantasie Impromptu (for Piano), Chopin—Vanetta Hall.

The Two Grenadiers (for Baritone), Schumann—Edwin McQuaters.

Ave Maria (for Piano and Violin), Bach-Gounod—Edna Galloway and Elizabeth K. Krauss.

Jamie Come Home (for Contralto), Train; Thine Only, Bohm—Lillian Eldredge.

Allegro de Concert (for Violin), Dancia—Eleanor Herring.

Pilgrim's Song (for Baritone), Tschaikowsky—James Noxon.

Saltarelle Caprice (for Piano), Lack; Prelude, Op. 28, No. 15, Chopin—Gertrude Hall.

Haymaking (for Soprano), Needham; A Spirit Flower, Campbell-Tipton—Frieda Siewert.

ince, Harold Tilden.

Due Jung Fah, Second Wife of Wu Sin Yin, Sara Yancey.

Tso, Maid to Due Jung Fah, Rose Powers.

Chee Moo, First Wife of Wu Sin Yin, Marian Phillips.

Tai Fah Min, Father of Due Jung Fah, Stanley Mansfield.

Suey Sin Fah, Wife of Lee and Maid



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KNOWLES HALL

Gondoliera (for Piano), Moszkowski—Celia Saloman.

The Place of Breaking Light, The Thunder Birds, Cadman—Katherine Gates.

Concerto, No. 9 (for Violin) de Beriot, Adagio Rondo-Finale—Mrs. Krauss.

Still Wie Die Nacht (Duet for Soprano and Baritone), Goetze—Gertrude Hall and James Noxon.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

Sunday, May 27, 7.30 p.m., Knowles Hall.

Voluntary Prelude, James H. Rogers—Miss Vanetta Hall.

Anthem, "List, the Cherubic Host," Gaul—Mr. Noxon and Woman's Glee Club.

Sermon, Dr. Ward.

Aria From "Solomon," Handel—Miss Anna B. Watermann.

Postlude, Marche Religieuse, Guilmant—Miss Vanetta Hall.

GRADUATING EXERCISES, SENIOR CLASS, ACADEMY

Tuesday, May 29, 8.00 p. m., Chase Hall Terrace

"THE YELLOW JACKET"

(A Play in Three Acts.)

Dean Enyart and Miss Bellows, Directors.

Property Man, Randolph Lake.

Chorus, Paul Harrison.

Wu Sin Yin, Governor of the Prov-

to Chee Moo, Harriet Mansfield.

Lee Sin, The Farmer, Warren Ingram.

Ting Wou, A Spirit, Brock Hill.

Wu Fah Din, Son of Second Wife, George Arranta.

Yin Suey Gong, Purveyor of Hearts, Leon Lewis.

Wu Hoo Git, Son of First Wife, Maynard Froemke.

See Quoe Fah, Four Season Flower, Dorothy Richards.

Mou Dan Fah, Peony, Alice Waterhouse.

Yong Soo Kow, Hydrangea, Antoinette Barbour.

Chow Wan, Autumn Cloud, Vivian Barbour.

Moy Fah Toy, Daughter of Tai Char Shoon, Mrs. Barze.

See Noi, Nurse to Moy Fah Toy, Katherine Gates.

Tai Char Shoon, Purveyor of Tea to the Emperor, Fred'k Ward.

The Widow Ching, Eleanor Backus.

Vaid, Irene Simms.

Git Hok Gar, Philosopher and Scholar, Raymond Phillips.

Kom Toi, Spider, Marion Matlack.

Toy Genz, God of Thunder, Edward Douglass.

Assistant Property Men, George Roberts and Aaron Taylor.

The Yellow Jacket is a modern novelty drama, modeled on the pattern of the ancient Chinese drama. The play has been presented in every capital and metropolis throughout the civilized world. New York, London,

Berlin, Munich, Vienna, Buda-pesth, Petrograd, Madrid, Moscow, and a number of South American capitals have in turn, set upon it the seal of their artistic and popular approval.

"Every man must look into the garden of his soul alone," Act III.

FACULTY CONCERT

Wednesday, May 30, 7.30 p. m., Knowles Hall.

Program

Handel, Sonata in G. for Two Violins and Piano, Passacaille Gigue—Miss Dyer, Dr. Allen, Miss Rous.

Schubert, (a) Liebesbotschaft; (b) Auf dem Wasser zu Singen; Saint Saens, Spring Song—Miss Waterman.

Raff, Rigaudon; Weber Invitation to Dance—Miss Rous.

Godard, Duettini, (a) Berceuse, (b) Serenade—Miss Dyer, Dr. Allen, Miss Rous.

GRADUATING EXERCISES

Thursday, May 31, 9 a. m., Campus.

Formation of Academic Procession, Carnegie Hall

Class Poem, Miss Anna Funk.

Presentation of Class Gift, Mr. Paul Thoren.

10.00 a. m. Knowles Hall

Triumphal March, Sir M. Costa—Miss Vanetta Hall.

Prayer, Dean Enyart.

Class Song, Palmer.

History of Class '17, Mr. Edwin A. McQuaters.

June in the Meadows, Mabel Daniels—Woman's Glee Club.

Class Prophecy, Miss Mary L. Conaway.

Address, Dr. Harvey W. Cox.

Fly, Singing Bird, Elgar—Woman's Glee Club, (Double Violin Obligato, Miss Dyer and Mr. Krauss.)

Presentation of Diplomas and Certificates, Dr. Ward.

Farewell Address, Mr. Alfred Hanna.

Benediction.

Postlude, Adoration, Borowski, Miss Vanetta Hall.

Rev. Charles DeW. Brower, a former pastor of the Winter Park Congregational Church, has recently accepted a call to the pastorate of the Congregational Church in Sanford. Mr. Brower filled the pastorate here for several years, more than a decade ago, and was instructor of Greek in Rollins College during the year 1906-'07.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Brower were held in high esteem by the members of the church, and by all the people of Winter Park, and their many friends here will rejoice that they are to be located in a neighboring city.

THE ROLLINS CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

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sickness. In many cases, the speaker said, music is the only thing that keeps them sane.

It is well known that the German soldiers are made to sing, for the sake of the psychological effect of musical expression upon them. A hundred incidents might be cited to illustrate the value of music in the great emergencies of life, tho one alone would seem to be the epitome of them all,—that of the heroic band who played as the "Titanic" went to her doom. But it is in our every day life that we need music most of all, and for those of us who stay at home, and bear the economic burdens of the war, it would seem more necessary than ever that the idealistic part of life be emphasized.

So far as the question concerns the children, it is a short-sighted parent who will consider music a superfluous luxury for them. War or no war, now is their only time to be educated, and there are many material things which should be dispensed with before their music lessons are given up.

The College Conservatory

Except in New England and a few of the Middle States, in the country at large, more than ninety per cent of the colleges have music departments on the conservatory basis. These College Conservatories are doing work of the highest order, quite on a par with the independent music schools, indeed, often surpassing all but those whose location in the large cities, is their great asset. The supreme advantage of the college conservatory is, of course, the atmosphere of the academic institution which furnishes a broadly educational background and lends dignity and strength by its affiliation.

When we think of the great expanse of our country, remote from the metropolitan centers, where there is no chance of hearing the great artists, or of studying with any but the most mediocre or private teachers, we realize that the hope for the future of our American music must lie, first with the Public School, and then with the College Conservatory. Through the latter can be reached educated men and women who in turn can lead and direct the taste of the communi-

ty in which they live. For the college graduate is instinctively looked to as a leader in cultural and intellectual development, especially in the small towns and villages, and therefore it is of the utmost importance that the training offered by the college conservatory should be strong, sound, and withal attractive. And it is also of great importance that the college, particularly in small communities, should co-operate with the grade and high schools, in order to insure a thorough and systematic education in a subject which above all others can be absolutely mastered only if correctly taught in childhood.

Music Instruction in Florida

The firm conviction of the Director

of efficiency, but has done good work along community lines as well.

The Community Chorus.

under the leadership of Miss Susan Dyer, Director of the Conservatory took part in the Christmas celebration at the Community Tree, and was shortly afterwards merged with the Orlando Chorus, and participated in the March Musical Festival, when Mendelssohn's "Elijah" was sung.

It is proposed to begin early next fall and give a local concert before Christmas. The chorus will undoubtedly co-operate with Orlando again later in the season as was done this year.

Public School Music.

Miss Anna B. Waterman, head of

Herring, Robert Hutchinson, Elizabeth K. Krauss, Hazel C. Lenfest, Lyman Mead, Edwin McQuarters, Mary Noe, James Noxon, Marie Pellerin, Howard Phillips, Dorothy Richards, Cecil Saloman, Frieda Siewert, Irene Sims, Florence Smith, Ellis Stubbs, Olivia Taylor, Hope Townsley, Jean Wagner, Sara Wight, Margaret Smith.

The Woman's Glee Club

under Miss Waterman's direction, has done exceptionally fine work this season, giving successful concerts in Winter Park, Winter Haven, Florence Villa, Altamonte, Sanford and Orlando, the latter for the benefit of the Red Cross at Rosalind Club, and has been the musical feature of the Com-

mencement Week exercises.

The Orchestra

presented a program at the May Festival concert which was far in advance of those heretofore given. It proposes to make a strong feature of organization in the coming year, and all kinds of ensemble work, the most valuable of any work for the music student will be emphasized.

College Band

Aside from orchestra and ensemble classes it is proposed to organize a military band among the students this coming winter, and a competent teacher of wind instruments will be secured to this end.

The Faculty

will give numerous concerts and appreciation lectures during the season, and a feature of the winter will be a series of "Twilight Recitals in Knowles Hall on Sunday after-

noons, when much interesting solo and ensemble music of a serious character will be heard.

Miss Susan H. Dyer, director of the Conservatory and Head of the Theoretical Department, has received her entire musical education in this country,—at the Peabody Conservatory of Baltimore and Yale University. She holds the degree of Bachelor of Music from the latter institution, where she studied composition for three years under Dr Horatio Parker.

Dr. Julia C. Allen, head of the Violin Department, formerly of Scranton, Pa., where for years she conducted her own conservatory, is a violinist of distinction, a graduate of the New England Conservatory, who has studied under the greatest masters of the day in this country and in Belgium,—men such as Adamowski, Marsick, Musin, and Ysaye.

Miss Anna B. Waterman, head of the Voice Department, is a graduate (Continued on Page Twelve.)



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THE WOMAN'S GLEE CLUB

of our Rollins Conservatory that the field in Florida affords both ability and appreciation along musical lines, is more than justified by the quick response to the opportunities offered by the school and the splendid results obtained. The commencement Student's Recital was a revelation of excellent talent, intelligently taught, and proves the claim of the college, that with metropolitan artists at the head of the different departments, representing the best institutions of the country, Florida music students need no longer wait to go north to study, but can find the results they seek near at hand.

That there is much talent in the State can no longer be doubted after this year's experience, and the slogan of the Conservatory may well be, "The best is none too good for Florida."

The Rollins College Conservatory has, in the past year, not only remodeled its curriculum, and brought all its departments up to a high standard

the voice department, has had charge of the Winter Park public school music all this year, and the fine results of her work were evident at the closing exercises of the school, especially in the unusually sweet quality of the children's choruses.

Next year the Conservatory will offer a normal course in Public School Music in co-operation with the Winter Park Public School, and plans are being made for even more extensive work along these lines.

The Past Year

has been marked by the unusual number and excellence of the musical events taking place at the college. In addition to Faculty and other recitals, students' concerts have been given monthly, in which the following students have taken part:

Margaret Boggess, Laura Beggs, Katharine Bunce, Okle Curry, Lillian Eldredge, Isabel Foley, Edna Gallaway, Katherine Gates, Thomas Gedge, Gertrude Hall, Vanetta Hall, Eleanor

THIRTY-SECOND COMMENCEMENT MOST IMPRESSIVE EVER HELD

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The commencement exercises proper were held in Knowles Hall immediately following the outdoor program. The entire assembly arose as the graduates were ushered to their places.

After a most impressive prayer by Dean Enyart, the Commencement address was delivered by Dr. Harvey W. Cox of the University of Florida. He offered to the graduates five keys to happiness. First of all, it is necessary that the foundation of happiness be a sound and healthy body firmly and securely established. Neglect of the physical man can mean only unhappiness and disaster. The day has passed when it is thought that the flesh must be mortified and that the finest, strongest intellect dwells within the weakest, most emaciated body.

The next key to happiness is vision. "Where there is no vision, the people perish." What the world needs today is men and women of vision who have the strength to work for their ideals.

After vision comes faith, without which vision is useless. Every act, however simple, is performed because we have faith in the things that we feel sure will happen. The man who must have everything proved lives in a world confined within the narrowest limits.

Faith, however is valueless unless a person has the courage which is necessary to keep faith strong. Moral courage enables a person to stand fearless before the world.

But courage, faith and vision are of no avail unless they are made of value to the world through service.

The speaker made an eloquent appeal to the graduates to use for the good of their fellowmen the health, vision and faith and courage which they have gained through their college careers. This service, too, must be made broad and really valuable by the touch of the Divine Power which, for want of a better word, is called spirituality.

Diplomas and certificates were awarded the graduates of the Academy, Conservatory and Business School immediately following the address. Those receiving Academy diplomas were: Eleanor Backus, Evelyn Haynes, Harriet Mansfield, Katherine Gates, Marian Phillips, Katherine Doyle, Leon Lewis, Fredrick Ward, Stanley Mansfield, Brock Hill, Randolph Lake, Warren Ingram, Paul Harrison, Marion Matlack, Raymond Phillips, Edward Douglass and Harry Tilden. Mrs. Hazel Coffin Lenfest received a certificate from the Conservatory of Music; Aaron Taylor and Herbert Campbell received certificates from the School of Business.

The candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Arts then received their diplomas from the hands of Dr. Ward who briefly but impressively expressed his best wishes for the future of the graduates. As the candidates left the rostrum they received their hoods from Miss Anne C. Bel-

lows, '15, who was assisted by T. W. Lawton, '03. Those receiving degrees were Anna Funk, Mary Conaway, Alfred J. Hanna, Paul Thoren and Edwin McQuarters.

Dr Ward then expressed his gratitude to all those who have assisted so materially in making the past year one of such marked success.

as a memorial to Miss Abbott, \$100; W. S. Southworth, of Lowell, \$250; Palmer fund, by Rev. F. S. Child, \$1,500; Mrs. W. R. O'Neal, \$1,500; Congregational Educational Society, \$2,000; Mr. E. H. Brewer, \$5,400; Mrs. Chas. L. Smith, \$6,900; W. C. Comstock, \$9,400; Charles H. Morse, \$35,000; and pledges for \$25,000 per



Courtesy of The Tomokan THE SENIOR GIFT

The Following List of Gifts was Read:

The following gifts to Rollins College are acknowledged:

Miscellaneous books for the library as per librarian's files.

Also similar lists for museum as per Dr. Baker's list.

Dr. E. M. Hyde, large collection of language books.

Mrs. W. R. O'Neal, use of grand piano.

Class of 1917, sun dial.

Mrs. Albert Weaver, baths for Cloverleaf.

Photographs of Mr. Knowles, Mr. Rollins, Mrs. Rollins, Mr. Temple, Mr. Morse, Mr. Comstock and Mr. Cummer.

Miss Frances Gonzales, one year's services.

Miss Susan H. Dyer, \$60 for two scholarships in the music department.

H. A. Weaver, \$400 tennis court.

Tomokan Editorial Board, \$105 in cuts of college activities.

Rev. E. P. Herrick, \$10; Miss Anna Thompson, of New York, \$50; H. B. Gibbs, \$100; Mrs. Wadsworth Smith,

year for two years, making a total of \$112,210.

As Dr. Ward finished the list, Mrs. Carrie Price Green, '99, of Tampa, rose and asked permission to make a correction. She stated that the greatest, most valuable and most valued gift which had come to the school was the gift of Dr Ward himself, who without remuneration is working unceasingly for Rollins.

In closing, Mrs. Green, in behalf of former students and alumni, pledged their heartiest support and deepest loyalty to the administration. There was a moment of intense silence as Mrs. Green ceased speaking. In acknowledgement, Dr. Ward merely stated that he could say nothing in response to such a show of devotion and loyalty, save that it was such things as that which repaid him entirely for whatever he had done and made him say honestly, "The bills are paid."

Special music was rendered by the Woman's Glee Club which has contributed so much to the beauty of all the commencement exercises.

CLASS POEM, ROLLINS, 1917

This sombre robe and cap today we wear,
Relieved by Alma Mater's blue and gold,
Tradition weighted brings form days of old
Both privilege and duty fine and fair.
From Parabelsus to Carrel, from keen Voltaire
To Shaw, from alchemist with dreams o'erbold
To Kelvin, Lodge, a mighty list unrolled
Behind us lies of those whose badge we bear.

Their labors won the gem surpassing key
Our Alma Mater gives; and so we stand
Today coheirs with many more and free
Of all the future, free to toil and be
Each one a member of that glorious band
Or sink unsung in self's dark sea.

Across the world the cannons' thundered roars
Ring to our ears, and neath the helish din
The wail of direst need shrills keen and thin
And draws from out our hearts a vow that soars.
Before us lie the future's opening doors
And Alma Mater lays our hands within
The tools to till its fields and kill the sin
That rankly ripens myriad poisoned spores.

Now by God's help, we pledge to live and die
Nor will we swerve, nor halt, nor cease to cry
Our fellows up and out and on, nor shy
At any cost to self till victory
Is ours—Or broken but unbent we lie!

Mr. William Lawton, '03, of Oviedo, County Superintendent of Schools for Seminole County, witnessed and participated freely in the Commencement Day program.

Mrs. A. B. Whitman was among the many alumni who were on the campus during commencement week. She is a graduate of the Conservatory of the Class of 1895.

Mrs. Carrie Price Green has been enjoying the hospitality of Dr. Ward's home during this past Commencement week. She entered Rollins in 1889, and was a class mate of one of the present faculty, Miss Gladwin.

Mrs. C. L. Phillips of Sanford, a former instructor at Rollins has been frequently on the campus the past week. She has a son and daughter in the academy graduating class this year.

The commencement of 1917, will ever be a most memorable one, closing as it does the most remarkable year in the history of Rollins College.



Courtesy of The Tomokan CLOVERLEAF



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TOMOKAN FINANCIAL SUCCESS

Gives \$245 to College for Press Building.

The following report of the 1917 Seniors, publishers of the Rollins College Year Book, The Tomokan:--

Receipts

Advertisements	--\$287.50	
Contributions:		
Mr. W. C.		
Comstock	50.00	
Armour		
& Co.	5.00	
Subscriptions	383.00	
Cuts and Engravings	255.00	
Subscriptions to be sold	87.50	\$1,068.50

Disbursements

Cuts and Engravings	262.78
Printing and Binding	500.00
Expenses	60.72
Balance	\$245.00

Cuts to the value of approximately \$85.00 were borrowed. Advertising space to the value of \$50.00 was used for paying bills, and \$50 worth of subscriptions were given as complimentary, to libraries, colleges, patrons, and in part payment of bills.

At the final meeting of the Editorial Board of the 1917 Tomokan, it was unanimously voted to donate this fund to the College, to be taken care of by the Treasurer of the College, and to form the nucleus of sufficient funds to be known as Press Funds for the erection of a Press Building for the exclusive use of student publications of Rollins College, or for the provision of adequate accommodation for such publications in a student building, the raising of future funds as well as their proper expenditure being invested in a self-perpetuating committee to be known as the Press Committee, composed of four members; namely, the President of Rollins College, chairman; the President of the Rollins Alumni Association, the Editor-in-Chief of The Rollins Sandspur, and the Editor-in-Chief of The Tomokan.

In case no additions to the fund are made for a period of five years, the money automatically reverts to the treasury of the Class of '17, to be expended by that class on some worthy

purpose for the betterment of the College.

The above plan was submitted to the student body and received its approval.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED J. HANNA, '17,
Editor-in-Chief.

Mrs. Florence Hudson of Orlando, a former student was a guest of Rollins Thursday.

Dr. James Griswold Merrill of Lake Helen, president of Fisk University, 1901-08, was a commencement visitor.

BROTHER JONATHAN

By Charles Alexander Richmond,
President of Union College.

I

Brother Jonathan sat by the kitchen fire,
Nursin' his foot on his knee.
"It's a terrible fight they're havin' out there,
But they can't git over to me."
And Jonathan jingled the coins in his hand'
An' thanked the good God for the sea.

II

"They'll be wantin' my cattle and hogs and corn
An' powder and guns mebbe,
But they'll pay on the nail! cash down,
by gum!
For all they get from me."
An' he smiled kinder slow and jingled the coins.
"It's good business," sez 'ee.

III

"They're killin' 'em off like flies, they say.
They can't blame it on me.
It ain't my war, yet I do feel bad
For them poor Belgians," sez 'ee.
And he took a few dollars out of his jeans
And sent it across the sea.

IV

Then he heard they'd drowned a thousand men,
And some from Amerikee.
So he said right out, "If you do that ag'in
You'll git me mad," sez 'ee.
And he kep' on jinglin' the coins in his han'
An' thankin' God for the sea.

V

They did it ag'in and then ag'in.
"You quit that now," sez 'ee.
"I'll give you fellows a piece o' my mind
If I git hol' o' ye."
An' he winks one eye with his tongue in his cheek;
"I'm too proud to fight," sez 'ee.

VI

Then they got to plottin' and blowin' up things,
An' he sez: "You let me be.
I won't stand these furrin tricks o' yours
In this here land o' the free."
And it got old Jonathan all het up,
An' he took his foot from his knee.

VII

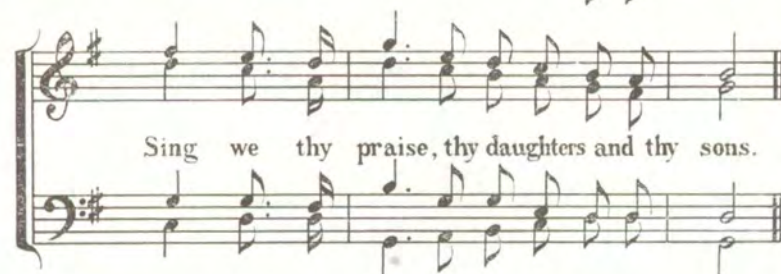
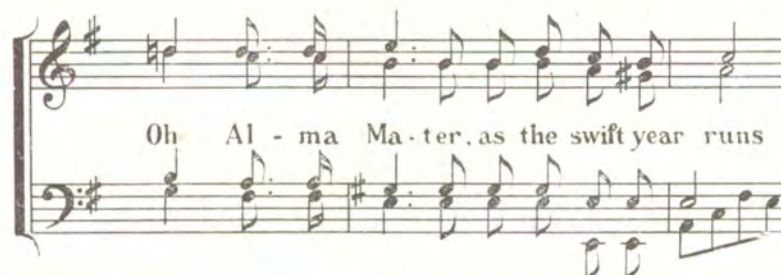
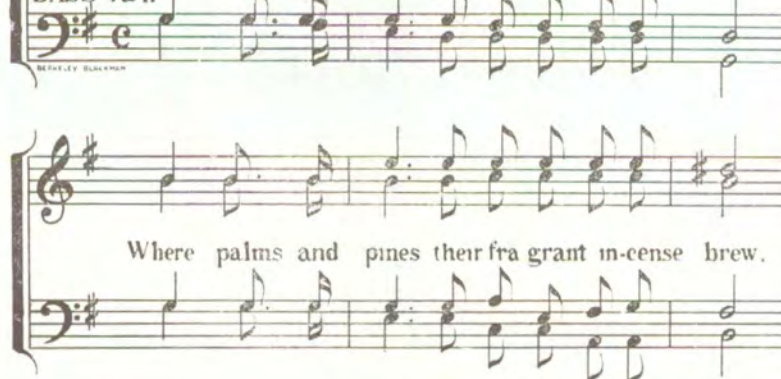
An' he got to thinkin' and thinkin' hard,
Worryin' how it would be,
An' wonderin' what in Sam Hill he'd do
'T some resky enemy
With all them dreadnoughts and submarines
Came a-rippin' across the sea.
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ALMA MATER

TENOR I & II



BASS I & II





Courtesy of The Tomokan

CHASE HALL ✓

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEETS

Plans for Future Being Made

The annual meeting of the Rollins College Alumni Association was held at four o'clock Tuesday afternoon, May 29, with Prof. Berkerley Blackman, President, presiding.

The Secretary, Miss Anne Bellows, read numerous letters from the members who regretted their inability to be present at the meeting and wished all success to the college and those interested in it. Among the matters of business transacted was a discussion as to how the alumni funds should be expended. It was unanimously decided to adopt some definite end toward which to work, and in order to expedite the matter a committee was appointed by the chair, consisting of Mr. A. J. Hanna, chairman, Mrs. C. W. Greene, and Miss Mabelle O'Neal, to consult with the Board of Trustees as to their wishes for the future work. This committee was asked to report at the meeting which was called for Thursday, May 31, immediately following the Commencement exercises.

Before closing the meeting, the annual election of officers was held and resulted as follows: President, Mr. Alfred J. Hanna, '17, of Tampa; Vice-President, Miss Mabelle O'Neal, '11, of Orlando; Secretary, Miss Susan T. Gladwin, '99, of Winter Park; Treasurer, Miss Mary Conaway, '17, of Fairmount, W. Va.; Executive Committee: Miss Kathleen Hill, '14, of Maitland, Miss Mary Branham, '11, of Orlando, and Miss Anne Bellows, '15, of Orlando.

The annual alumni social event took the form of an informal supper on the steps of Carnegie Hall, Tuesday evening. A most appetizing collation, consisting of fried chicken, salad, sandwiches, ice cream and cake was served.

After the final Commencement Exercises Thursday morning a meeting of the Alumni Association took place in Knowles Hall to complete the business of the previous meeting. The new president, Mr. Hanna, presided.

The committee which was appointed to interview the Administration re-

ported, and it was decided to get a consensus of opinion of the members of the Association concerning the future work to be undertaken. By action of the Trustees, the alumni are to be permitted to elect from its number a representative on the College Trustee Board, during the coming year.

Those present at the meetings were: Miss Clara Louise Guild, M. A., '90, of Winter Park; Miss Susan T.

Gladwin, '99, of Winter Park; Mrs. C. W. Green, '99, of Tampa; Prof. T. W. Lawton, '03, Supt. of Schools, Seminole County, Mr. Samuel J. Stiggins, '06, of Birmingham, Ala.; Prof. Berkerley Blackman, '07, (also '09, Oxford University, England); Miss Mary L. Branham, '11, of Orlando; Miss Eva McQuaters, '11, of Orlando; Miss Mabelle O'Neal, '11, Librarian of Rollins College; Miss Kathleen Hill, '14, of Maitland, Miss Anne Bellows, '15, Instructor in English at Rollins; Miss Mary L. Conaway, '17, of Fairmount, W. Va.; Mr. Paul L. Thoren, '17, of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. Edwin A. McQuaters, '17, of Orlando, and Mr. Alfred J. Hanna, '17, of Tampa.

BROTHER JONATHAN

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VIII

An' he thought of the enemy he wished he had,
"I guess I've set her long enough,
An' he reckoned up his navy.
I'll have to git busy," sez 'ee.
But the last I saw he was a-settin' there yit
An' strokin' his long goatee.

IX

It ain't time to be settin' round,
I kin tell ye—no siree.

He better be gittin' up out o' that cheer
An' git outdoors and see,
An' do his chores an' fix things up
The way they oughter be.

X

He might be helpin' them cousins o' hisn
To fight fer liberty,
An' he might git in a few licks hisself
Jes' fer humanity.
Anyhow, I wish he'd quit jinglin' them coins
An' thankin' God for the sea.
—The Outlook.

A THOUSAND COPY EDITION

This issue of the Sandspur sets, in many ways, a high water mark in the history of Rollins College journalism. Never before, to our knowledge, has any paper, magazine or book, edited by students of Rollins had so large a circulation. It is very significant of what the future of the paper may be.

Circulation is the life of a paper. Without sufficient readers, the enthusiasm of the editors will cool. The Sandspur is not conducted for material profit; the only return solicited is the appreciation of the readers. The editors are gratified with their opportunities in this edition.



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ENTRANCE TO ROLLINS ✓

✓ "THE YELLOW JACKET"

On the Out-Door Stage on Chase Hall Terrace.

On Tuesday evening, May 29th, the Senior Academy Class presented with great credit the unique Chinese drama, "The Yellow Jacket."

The scene is laid in ancient China, where Wu Sin Yin, the governor of the province contrives to dispose of his first wife, Chee Moo, who has borne him an ugly male heir, Woo Hoo Git. Through the ancestral spirit's aid the babe is saved, but the mother is called to heaven. One, Jung Fah, the second wife, then takes the place of the first wife and rears her one son, Wu Fah Din (Daffodil), to rule in his father's province. The rest of the play is taken up with the contentions between the two heirs. A thread of romance is interwoven, Woo Hoo Git braving all the snares laid for him by the "august brain and the mighty fair of the renowned Daffodil," in order to win his throne and his love, Moy Fah Soy.

There was much humor throughout, offered in most unusual ways. The ascent of Chee Moo to heaven by means of a sturdy ladder of bamboo, the mountains of tables and stools, the changing of scenery by the simple act of walking three times about the stage, and the impressive entrance of Tai Fah Min on an invisible prancing steed, were all effective, original touches.

The pastry-faced, stolid, dutiful, uncomplaining property man was easily the star.

Everything was typical of China and the Chinese, from the vari-colored paper lanterns and black dragon hangings to the elaborate costumes worn by the cast. The entire program is printed in another part of this paper.

The music produced by the Chinese orchestra, composed of Miss Dyer, Mrs. Krauss, Mrs. Palmer, Miss Meriwether, Getrude Hall, Sara Yancey, and Karl Tompkins deserves especial mention. Without it the effect of the costumes and the setting would have been greatly impaired.

Between the second and third acts, several commencement announcements were made by W. R. O'Neal, after which Leon Lewis, as president of the Senior Academy Class, voiced in a few words, the gratitude of his classmates to the officers and members of the faculty, who have made the career of the class a most pleasant one.

The moonlight added to the beauty and charm of the out-door setting.

The play was an entire success, due to the unceasing work of Dean Enyart and Miss Bellows, who were in charge.

An unusually large audience witnessed the performance.

Miss Kathleen Hill, '14, of Maitland, has enjoyed most of the commencement programs and the dinner at the dining hall last Thursday.

THE ROLLINS CONSERVATORY

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of Oberlin Conservatory, from which institution she holds the degree of Bachelor of Music. She is a teacher of wide experience as well as a fine concert singer, and has studied with the leading teachers in this country and in Italy.

Miss Marion C. Rous, head of the Piano Department, is a graduate of the Peabody Conservatory of Baltimore, where she took the Piano Di-



MISS SUSAN H. DYER, DIRECTOR OF CONSERVATORY

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ploma, and has since taught at the Peabody for a number of years. She is a pupil of Harold Randolph and Ernest Hutcheson, in this country and also of Stavenhagen in Munich.

The Conservatory has been extremely fortunate during the past year in having on its faculty Dr. Henry G. Hanchett, a distinguished artist of years of experience as both teacher and performer. Dr. Hanchett gave a series of educational lecture-recitals during the winter, which were greatly appreciated.

On Tuesday the work of the sewing class was on exhibition at Cloverleaf.

It was a fine display, and the hand work, which is almost a forgotten art, showed care and painstaking effort, as was shown in the short, dainty stitches.

It was surprising to see the articles made, dresses, shirt-waists, lingerie of all kinds, and even a soldier's shirt were among the many things shown.

Dainty refreshments were well served by the girls of the class, and a goodly number of appreciative guests were present.

It was a surprise to many that such work was so successfully carried on at Rollins, and one heard on all sides words of commendation.

Miss Hills deserves much credit for her very successful work.

THE FACULTY CONCERT

The Faculty Concert given last Wednesday evening by Miss Dyer, Dr. Allen, Miss Waterman and Miss Rous has been justly considered by the music loving circle about Rollins as the most accomplished program of this order ever given on the campus. It was a fitting crowning event of the honest labors of the artists who have so unstintingly given of themselves in developing the Conservatory to its present rank which we are proud to say is not surpassed by any college

THE DELPHIC DINNER

Many Guests Enjoy Social Meal.

The Delphic Society held a dinner in the dining hall last Monday evening, according to the custom established by former Rollins literary societies. The tables were arranged in the shape of the letters D and S. Each was decorated with a centerpiece of flowers and appropriate place cards. A large American flag divided the dining hall into two rooms, one of which was occupied by the honorary and present members. The rooms were decorated with vines and cut flowers.

Mr. Alfred J. Hanna, president of the society was toast master for the occasion. As the Delphic Society originated in the "Friends in Council" and "Demosthenic Society" it was thought appropriate that Mrs. C. F. Ward, a representative of the "Friends in Council," should address those present. Mrs. Ward in a pleasing manner told the reasons for and the purpose of organizing the society, and of its accomplishments, during her term of membership, of which the founding of The Sandspur was perhaps the most important.

Dr. Hyde next was called upon to discuss the "Future of The Delphic," which he predicted would live up to its former reputation. Miss Gladwin then spoke upon "The Delphic at Present." Dr. Baker, Berkerley Blackman and Prof. Palmer then spoke as representatives of the town, alumni and faculty, respectively.

The number of honorary and active members present testified to the live spirit which pervades the society, and gives certain evidence of a prolonged and successful continuance. The dinner proved to be a most enjoyable affair, and no doubt marks an important stage in the history of the present "Delphic Society."

TRUSTEES HOLD FINAL MEETING

The adjourned meeting of the Trustees was held on Wednesday morning May 30, at ten o'clock, in the President's office, Carnegie Hall.

Business of importance was transacted. The policy for the coming year was outlined by Dr. Ward and approved by the Board of Trustees, and the following new Trustees were elected: Rev. W. H. Hopkins, of Atlanta; Rev. Edward S. Burleigh of Tarvares; Rev. Oliver C. Morse, D. D., of New York. Fred R. Marsh, of Jacksonville; Mr. City, and Rev. F. M. Sheldon, of Boston.

It was decided to make two changes in the constitution of the College. First, the end of the fiscal year was made June 30, instead of September 30 as heretofore. Second, the by-laws were so altered as to provide for a President of the Board of Trustees and a President of the College.

The list of diplomas and degrees was voted as recommended by the Faculty and the meeting adjourned to the call of the President.

in the country. Every number rendered was authoritatively done with a true artist's appreciation. In every number interpretation was perfect, making the selections the more delightful to the audience. We publish a complete program elsewhere in this issue.

The entire class of 1911, consisting of Misses O'Neal, McQuarters, and Branham, was on the campus Thursday morning. While at Rollins this class won for itself the name "The Three Graces."

Freshman: "I went to New York last summer and my uncle let me go to the top of the Flat Iron Building while he stood on the sidewalk."

Senior: "Could you see your uncle when you looked down?"

Freshman: "Yes, but my uncle looked like an ant."—Ex.

Teacher: "Give me the life of Julius Caesar."

Pupil: "Sorry, but Brutus beat you to it."—Ex.

English Teacher: "What figure of speech is, I love my teacher?"

Student: "It's sarcasm."—Ex.

"He'll be scent up for ten days," remarked the skunk pensively as the police led his victim off.—Ex.

Quality Did It.

A SPECIMEN COLLECTED BY AGASSIZ

Among a very interesting collection of lichens recently received for the museum from Miss Mary L. Wilson, was a small specimen of umbilicaria liragenes, from the summit of the Yungfrau, collected by the famous naturalist, L. Agassiz. She writes that this rare specimen was found in

ARMY Y. M. C. A.
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ing large opportunities for the work of the Association in the Army Camps to be organized. It cannot now be said with certainty but there is every chance that the Y. M. C. A. Secretaries will all be regularly recognized, thus giving them regular army standing.

machine. A call to be a Secretary, therefore, is a call to the very highest patriotic service. It is volunteering for a most difficult task and a most needed service.

Already certain colleges in the South have volunteered to pay the salary of a secretary representing their college, either in the person of one of their own secretaries or one of their chosen alumni. Every college in

Trained Leadership Needed

Not only is there a great need for trained men to be secretaries but there is more urgent need today for trained leadership among college men than ever before. If a man is to return to college he must take up the burden of the Association laid down by the older students who have gone to the Army Camps. If he is to be



OUR FRONT YARD

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an out-of-the-way place among her things, evidently having been overlooked in the previous arranging of her collection.

The small contribution from one of the greatest naturalists that the world has produced is naturally one of our choicest possessions.

Miss Wilson is a botanist of wide distinction, and is especially a very industrious collector. Among her contributions to other scientific collections are many specimens to the U. S. National Museum, and a large collection of lichens, the gatherings of many years, to the Vanderbilt Herbarium at Biltmore, N. C. She has made several contributions to the Rollins College Museum.

The last issue of the Red and Black has been received. It contains several very interesting original stories written by members of the senior class.

The Argosy, published monthly by the students of Proctor Academy, Provo, Utah, contains a column devoted to experiments and inventions of eminent doctors, chemists, etc., entitled "With the World's Workers."

A Supreme Chance for Service

Perhaps there is no place in the war program where a man with recognized training in service has any larger opportunity than in the secretaryship of the Association. Each man will be in direct relationship to at least one thousand men and if he can help a thousand soldiers to live a more wholesome, normal and manly life, he will have done more than almost any other man to make a real fighting

the South should be represented in some fashion. Certainly there is no College that ought not to have from one or more of its very strongest students, seniors or alumni, attend this Conference for the sake of entering the secretaryship of the Association provided they prove to have sufficient qualifications. Already the Committee of one hundred is raising \$3,000,000 to defray the expenses of this work the first year.

in the ranks of the Army, all the training possible will be needed to help him to do his share in stemming the tide of temptation that will face every soldier in camp. This ought, therefore, to be the greatest year for training that the colleges have ever had and let no one think that we should have a smaller Student Conference. We should have from one to two hundred more men at the Student Conference than ever before.

This war is a war for moral principles and it can not be waged except by men of moral character. If ever men needed to make real sacrifice for getting ready to do battle now is the time. It should not be said to our shame that this war for moral principles has under cut our preparation for moral living.

The Fraternities have decided to rule out dancing from commencement week as it is thought that while the nation is in such a state of affairs, and with so many students leaving for the training camps it would be very inappropriate to have as many festivities as in former years.

—The Florida Alligator.

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College Sing

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On Sunday afternoon, May 26th, at 4.30, the students and faculty of the College, with a large number of friends from Winter Park, Orlando, and vicinity, gathered on Chase Hall terrace for a College Sing, such as is very popular among the students of many northern colleges.

The program opened with the singing of America. After a short but impressive prayer by Dr. R. T. Jones and responsive reading led by Dr. Ward, Miss Susan H. Dyer, Director of the Conservatory, took charge of the singing. Many favorite hymns were sung, the audience rising when the Russian Hymn, with its sentiment so appropriate to present times, was requested.

The audience rose also when the Rollins Alma Mater was sung. A short prayer by Dr. Enlow, followed by the Vesper hymn, and the benediction pronounced by Dr. Ward, closed the program.

Miss Vanetta Hall acted as pianist, assisted by a number of musicians playing wind instruments.

GLEE CLUB SINGS FOR BENEFIT OF RED CROSS

The Girls Glee Club sang at an entertainment given at the Rosalind Club in Orlando, Tuesday evening, May 15th. The evening's program was given for the benefit of the Red Cross Association. Besides the music furnished by the Club, there were several readings by Mr. Tilden, and a very interesting playette, entitled, "How The Vote Was Won."

The Choir of the Congregational Church enjoyed a picnic on Tuesday, May 22, as Miss Dyer's guests at the Anchorage. The supper was spread beneath the trees on the slope overlooking Lake Maitland. After the good things were disposed of, the picknickers gathered on the dock and sang rounds and old songs until time to return home.

Those enjoying the outing were, Miss Dyer, Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. Lenfest, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Barze, Florence Keezel, Eleanor Coffin, Frieda and Elsa Siewert, Gertrude Hall, Hope Townsley, Winifred Hanchett, Percy Dale, Ellis Stubbs, James Noxon, Norman Fletcher and Ray Greene.

PROF. TAKES FINALS

In a match of the fastest tennis seen on Rollins court this year Prof. Palmer defeated Maynard Froemke by the close score of 6-2, 4-6, 8-6, 3-6, and 6-2. Professor's steady, persistent placement shots won in the end over Maynard's swift slashing strokes. The match was full of fast, hotly contested points, and during it all the play was swift and brilliant. Prof. is to be congratulated, for by this final victory, he has proven what he is, champion of the Rollins Tennis Stars.

Y. W. C. A. Meeting

Closing Service Held On Campus Lawn.

The last meeting of the Y. W. C. A. of the college year came at an earlier hour than usual on Tuesday, May 22. Instead of an after-supper meeting in the Cloverleaf parlors, the girls gathered in the late afternoon on the lawn in front of Cloverleaf. The leader for the meeting was the president, Virga West. After a number of hymns, Elizabeth Russell began the talk of the afternoon. The message was taken from a pamphlet prepared by Miss Alice Coutler, entitled, "Being Good Friends with One's Family." Practical suggestions from the talk will help many Rollins girls during their summer vacations in being successful daughters and sisters.

At the close of the program, a number of the girls, loathe to leave the cool lawn, remained there to sing Alma Mater and other favorite songs.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Abbott, a former teacher of Rollins, has spent the past two weeks the guest of Mrs. Hills, Miss Hills and Evelyn Haynes.

Katherine Gates spent the week-end at her home in Winter Haven, week before last.

Bill Giddings and Stanley Mansfield spent the week-end in Winter Haven, at the home of the former.

C. S. Hamilton of Atlanta, Ga., was a visitor on the campus recently.

Ernest Bulwinkle with his wife, and baby, stopped at the college for a few hours on their way to their home in Alabama. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bulwinkle are former students of Rollins.

George Cutler, after passing the examination for entrance to the Mosquito Fleet, returned to the college for a few days, before going to Key West, where he will go into training.

Vannie Clark returned to the campus Tuesday to spend commencement with her many friends.

A number of Rollins folk enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stone and daughters at Stonehurst on Monday and Tuesday evenings of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rowland of Moose Jaw, Canada, have a young son. Mr. Rowland was Professor of Modern Languages at Rollins, 1903-1905, and Mrs. Rowland was formerly Miss Marian Evelyn Orr, a graduate of Manitoba College, Winnipeg. The boy has been named for a cousin, Leslie Orr, who was killed at the front.

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Son: "Well-I-why, er that's the temperature of the room."—Ex.

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At a meeting of the Council of the Authors' League in the City Club yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected:

Rex Beach, president; Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, vice-president; Booth Tarkington, Augustus Thomas, Mary Wilkins Freeman, Victor Herbert, Winston Churchill and Charles Dana Gibson, honorary vice-president; Eric Shuler, secretary and treasurer.

The following members were elected to the executive committee: Leroy Scott, Ellen S. Woodruff, Harvey J. Higgins, Thompson Buchanan, Louis Joseph Vance, Julian Street, George Barr McCutcheon, Channing Pollock, Dana Gatlin and Gelett Burgess. Alternates, Gertrude Atherton and Ernest Pool.

The Historical Pageant of Florida given by the girls at the State College was a great success. It traced the history of Florida from the time when it was inhabited by Indians up to the present. "The pageant was written by Thos. Wood Stevens, President of the American Pageant Association, but the historical material was all collected and prepared in manuscript from Miss Carolina Mayes Brevard, teacher in the college."

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THE PASSION FLOWER

A few hundred yards southwest of Cloverleaf Cottage there is growing, near the railroad, several stalks of that interesting climber, the Passion Flower.

The plant is so named from the

instrumentalities associated with our Saviour's passion and death. Its palmate leaves symbolize the hands of Christ's persecutors, and its long and strong tendrils, their scourges. The five sepals and five petals, taken together, stand for the disciples, two of whom—Peter who denied Christ, and Judas, who betrayed him—are not included in the number; the fringe, made up of appendages of the corolla, represents the crown of thorns, or halo of glory; the five anthers are symbolic of the five wounds; and the three styles, with their capitate stigmas, stand for the nails, with which the body was nailed to the cross.

The plant produces a fruit which is eaten in some parts of the South and is often made into jelly.

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fancied resemblance of its parts, especially those of the flower to the vision on the hillsides at Blue Ridge while the purple haze of evening is getting down over the mountains.

Have you ever really talked with Christ, felt God's presence in your soul, made a great decision, and risen to the joy of sacrifice. It seems natural at Blue Ridge.

Do you think I have said too much? Come and prove it to me at Blue Ridge.

Tommy, "Did you know they are making actors and convicts go to war?"

Chaffee, "No!"

Tommy, "Yes indeed! They want the stars and stripes at the front."

THE GENESIS OF "THE BLUE AND GOLD"

In a letter recently received by Dr. Baker from Mrs. Mary Leffler Strong, of Sanford, the following suggestive sentence occurs: "The Pink of the Oleander was our college color then, but was changed the next year ('94) to Royal Blue and Gold—from a little china pitcher in the studio. The Pink, Miss Dalrympee said, had no character"

Mrs. Strong was a student at Rollins in '92-94. Her continued interest finds expression in best wishes for the college.

Two students of the olden time of our college paid us a visit last week, and were greatly interested in the new and greater Rollins. They were Dr. Herbert Hawley, dentist of Blue Hill, Nebraska, and his sister, Miss Mary A. Hawley, of Bradentown, Florida. They are two of the five of the same family who entered here as students in 1889 and there are only two persons here now that were here then. We were just as glad to see these well remembered students, as they were to see us. They were making a visit of a few days to our Mr. H. A. Ward.

The Junior Class at Middlebury College recently presented "The Lady of Lyons." The play was an entire success.

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