

JUNIOR WEEK CROWNED BY BRILLIANT EVENT.

Promenade a Credit to Class of 1911.

The festivities of Junior Week were brought to a fitting and most glorious close in the Promenade of the class of nineteen hundred and eleven on Monday night.

Alumni Hall was decorated most elaborately and beautifully for this affair. On stepping into the downstairs entrance one immediately entered a beautiful arbor of palms, smilax, and greens set in a covered archway of blue and white muslin, which led up the broad stairway and into the main hall above. The ceiling of this hall was completely concealed by broad strips of blue and white bunting which were hung in such a manner as to give the hall the appearance of having a low roof instead of the gloomy wall spaces which it generally has. The windows of the hall were screened in white and framed with blue. A large globe of pink roses and electric lights was hung in the middle of the ceiling and from this radiated ropes of smilax and electric lights. Greens and smilax used artistically to offset the general scheme of blue and white. At one corner of the room punch was served in a charming little bower of white and blue. The stage was banked high with palms and ferns behind which the musicians were placed. In front of the stage hung a large 1911 banner.

The Prom started with a grand march which was led by Alfred Howell, the chairman of the Prom Committee and Miss Marion Hawley. Then followed the other members of the committee and after them the members of the Senior Honorary Society. Then came the rest of the college body and a few alumni who were present.

Supper was served after the twentieth dance. Small tables were spread in the gymnasium, which was most elaborately decorated in American flags and blue and gold.

During the evening many moonlight dances were given which were greatly enjoyed. The dance ended a little after four o'clock with the playing of 'Neath the Elms and everyone on leaving voted the Prom the "best ever."

The junior promenade committee, which was responsible, not only for the dance, but for the whole management and arrangement of junior week, was as follows: Alfred Howell, chairman; Nelson F. Pitts, jr., secretary; William W. Buck, Arthur L. Gildersleeve, John W. Harrison, Paul Maxon, Earl B. Ramsdell, Clarence E. Sherman, Blinn F. Yates, Clarence S. Zipp.

The patronesses for the promenade and those who received for the committee were: Mrs. F. C. Babbitt, Mrs. C. D. Alton, Mrs. C. D. Alton, Jr., Mrs. F. C. Babbitt, Mrs. J. H. Barbour, Mrs. R. W. Cutler, Mrs. F. W. Davis, Mrs. J. H. R. Davis, Mrs. Sylvester C. Dunham, Mrs. John O. Enders, Mrs. C. N. Flagg, Mrs. E. A. Flynn, Mrs. R. G. Gettell, Mrs. H. Gildersleeve, Mrs. Oliver Gildersleeve, Mrs. J. G. Gill, Mrs. C. N. Glazier, Mrs. Francis Goodwin, Mrs. J. J. Goodwin, Mrs. R. W. Gray, Mrs. C. E. Gross, Mrs. C. L. Hall, Mrs. J. H. Hall, Mrs. I. K. Hamilton, Mrs. Wm. Hamersley, Mrs. Walter Harrison, Mrs. H. G. Hart, Mrs. E. B. Hatch, Mrs. J. Havermeyer, Mrs. J. R. Hawley, Mrs. F. R. Honey, Mrs. E. W. Hooker, Mrs. G. D. Howell, Mrs. R. W. Huntington, Jr., Mrs. W. W. Hyde, Mrs. C. E. Jaquith, Mrs. A. H. Judge, Mrs. George Keller, Mrs. C. H. Keyes, Mrs. G. A. Kleene, Mrs. E. R. Sampson, Mrs. C. H. Lawrence, Mrs. E. F. Lawton, Mrs. Thomas Little, Mrs. F. S. Luther, Mrs. Theodore Lyman, Miss McAlpine, Mrs. J. J. McCook, Mrs. L. P. W. Marvin, Mrs. E. D. F. Miel, Mrs. F. G. Moore, Mrs. E. B. Morris, Mrs. C. S. Morris, Mrs. Edward Perkins, Mrs. H. A. Perkins, Mrs. N. F. Pitts, Mrs. Robert Porteus, Mrs. F. W. Prince, Mrs. E. C. Quiggle, Mrs. E. B. Ramsdell, Mrs. H. E. Reese, Mrs. R. B. Riggs, Mrs. C. L. F. Robinson, Mrs. J. T. Robinson, Mrs. C. E. Rogers, Mrs. W. A. Sanborn, Mrs. E. Schutz, Mrs. G. H. Simms, Mrs. J. H. Sherman, Mrs. C. E. Shepard, Mrs. R. K. Sisson, Mrs. H. B. Steadman, Mrs. E. E. Stone, Mrs. H. C. Swan, Mrs. C. H. Talbot, Mrs. E. G. Taylor, Mrs. E. P. Taylor, Mrs. W. M. Urban, Mrs. David Schank, Mrs. L. S. Waterman, Mrs. G. G. Williams, Mrs. F. H. Woodward, Mrs. Blynn Yates, Mrs. C. A. Zipp, Mrs. W. D. Maxon.

JUNIOR WEEK VESPER SERVICE.

Vesper service was held in the college chapel at five o'clock Sunday afternoon. The chapel was crowded by members of the college body and a large number of guests, while the upper benches were filled to overflowing by the ladies who were here for the Prom.

Special music was rendered by the members of the Glee Club under the leadership of Mr. Davis. The solo by Whitehead '13 was the musical feature.

Dr. Luther gave a short address which was well suited to the general festive spirit of Junior Week.

John J. McCook, Mrs. F. G. Moore, Mrs. Henry A. Perkins, Mrs. Robert B. Riggs, Mrs. Charles E. Rogers, Mrs. H. C. Swan, Mrs. Wilbur W. Urban, Mrs. P. H. Woodward, Miss McAlpine, Mrs. Raymond G. Gettell.

Those present at the dance were:— Alfred Howell, with Miss Marion Hawley; Charles H. Howell, with Miss Virginia Taylor of Richmond, Va.; Blinn F. Yates, with Miss Elsie Smith of Vassar; Paul F. Herrick, with Miss Dorothy Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury, Vt.; Walter M. Farrow, with Miss Emma Clark of Lee, Mass.; Robert M. Foot, with Miss Jessie Weems of Quincy, Ill.; William A. Bird, with Miss Sarah Costello of New York; George T. Keyes with Miss Mary Wright of Philadelphia; Harry K. Rees, with Miss Mary Rees of Smith College; Frederick Kedney, with Miss Katherine Eastman of St. Paul, Minn.; John F. Reddick, with Miss Pauline Roberts; Joseph Barnett, with Miss Barnett; Allan B. Cook, with Miss Helen Nichols; John Moore, with Miss Helen Hatch; John P. Leavenworth, with Miss Mildred Quiggle; William A. Smith, with Miss Marguerite Ward of Middletown; William S. Eaton, with Miss Katherine Barr of Nashua, N. H.; Ralph H. Merrill, with Miss Margie F. Proctor, of Nashua, N. H.; Jerome P. Webster, with Miss Jeanette Rogers; Nelson H. Gildersleeve, with Miss Catherine Souther; Cyril B. Judge, with Miss Carolyn Putnam; Leonard A. Stansfield, with Miss Emily Gildersleeve of Gildersleeve; Arthur L. Gildersleeve, with Miss Louise Wright of Middletown; Alfred E. Rankin, with Miss Dorothy Cunningham of Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Oliver Gildersleeve, with Miss Adelaide Sweet of Middletown; George T. Bates, with Miss Frances Woodbury; James S. Craik, with Miss Helen Robinson; Thomas A. Brown, with Miss Helen Brown; Charles Collett, with Miss Roswell Hawley; Edward A. Barney, with Miss Katherine Parker; Harry G. Woodbury, with Miss Grace Rogers; Merritt F. Cromwell, with Miss Margaret Sage; C. V. Ferguson, with Miss Clara Preston; Clarence E. Sherman, with Miss Inez Copeland of Brockton, Mass.; George C. Capen, with Miss Margaret Chamberlain of New Britain; Nelson F. Pitts, jr., with Miss Fayoline Sedgwick; Stanley P. Grint, with Miss Marjorie Pollock of New Haven; Joseph Groves, with Miss Lois Angell; Benjamin F. Turner, with Miss Ruth Heppe; Clarence Zipp, with Miss Norma Wright; Chapin Carpenter, with Miss Nadine Bolles; James Porteus, with Miss Mary Porteus; Frederick Gilbert, with Miss Mildred Orchid of Rockville; Nathan T. Oliver, with Miss Elizabeth Gunn of East Hartford; Fred D. Carpenter, with Miss Myrtle Fallow; Carl Sommers, with Miss Helen Tarkis; Reginald Spier, with Miss Myra Johnson; William Buck, with Miss Helen Wyllie; John H. Rosebaugh, with Miss Florence Perkins of Torrington; Albert W. Smith, with Miss Alice F. Jencks; Francis P. Carroll, with Miss Carroll; Harry S. Marlor, with Miss Marjorie Barton; William C. Dewey, with Miss Marion Kavanaugh of Memphis, Tenn.; Sherman O. Haight, with Miss Florence B. Goodwin; John J. Whitehead, with Miss Marion Welles; K. Maxwell Kendall, with Miss Leila Samson; Frank J. Brainard, with Miss Ruth Humphrey of Boston; Richard W. Nelson, with Miss Evelyn Humphrey of Boston.

Howard J. Bugwin, Gordon W. Stewart, Phillip J. Flanders, Herbert McIlhiney, Harry Wendell of Detroit, Michigan; Reginald Burbank; Robert W. Thomas, Edward E. Moberley, Paul Maxon, Sherman F. Haight, Elliot L. Wild, Gay C. Hinton, John W. Wolsner.

PSI UPSILON TEA.

One of the most enjoyable affairs of all the Junior Week festivities was the tea given by the Beta Beta Chapter of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity at their chapter house at 81 Vernon street.

The house was charmingly decorated in garnet and gold, the colors of the fraternity. The tea was very largely attended by members of Hartford society, a large number of out of town guests who were here for the Prom, members of the faculty, and upperclassmen of the college.

Those ladies who received were: Mesdames, F. S. Luther, C. D. Warner, J. R. Hawley, William Hamersley, E. W. Eaton and Miss McAlpine.

Those who poured were: Misses Marion Welles, Roswell Hawley, Margaret Sage, Leila Samson, Jeanette Rogers, Alice Phillips, Dorothy Allyn, Katherine Parker, Nadine Bolles, all from Hartford, and Misses Catherine Souther of Philadelphia, Harriet Rankin of Wellesley Hills, Carolyn Putnam of Brooklyn, Katherine Barr of Nashua, Emily Gildersleeve of Portland, Margie Procter of Nashua, Margaret Ward of Middletown, Adelaide Sweet of Middletown, Frances Woodbury of Frances-town, Helen Robinson of Louisville, Dorothy Cunningham of Wellesley Hills and Louise Wright of Centerbrook, Ct.

with Miss Clara Preston; Clarence E. Sherman, with Miss Inez Copeland of Brockton, Mass.; George C. Capen, with Miss Margaret Chamberlain of New Britain; Nelson F. Pitts, jr., with Miss Fayoline Sedgwick; Stanley P. Grint, with Miss Marjorie Pollock of New Haven; Joseph Groves, with Miss Lois Angell; Benjamin F. Turner, with Miss Ruth Heppe; Clarence Zipp, with Miss Norma Wright; Chapin Carpenter, with Miss Nadine Bolles; James Porteus, with Miss Mary Porteus; Frederick Gilbert, with Miss Mildred Orchid of Rockville; Nathan T. Oliver, with Miss Elizabeth Gunn of East Hartford; Fred D. Carpenter, with Miss Myrtle Fallow; Carl Sommers, with Miss Helen Tarkis; Reginald Spier, with Miss Myra Johnson; William Buck, with Miss Helen Wyllie; John H. Rosebaugh, with Miss Florence Perkins of Torrington; Albert W. Smith, with Miss Alice F. Jencks; Francis P. Carroll, with Miss Carroll; Harry S. Marlor, with Miss Marjorie Barton; William C. Dewey, with Miss Marion Kavanaugh of Memphis, Tenn.; Sherman O. Haight, with Miss Florence B. Goodwin; John J. Whitehead, with Miss Marion Welles; K. Maxwell Kendall, with Miss Leila Samson; Frank J. Brainard, with Miss Ruth Humphrey of Boston; Richard W. Nelson, with Miss Evelyn Humphrey of Boston.

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MUSICAL CLUB CONCERT.

The concert of the combined Glee and Mandolin Clubs which was given Saturday night was one of the most successful that these two organizations have ever given.

The musical numbers rendered by both clubs were exceedingly well done and showed the result of long and faithful work. The Glee Club gave their selections in a pleasing manner, the various parts being well balanced and the effect as a whole was very creditable for a club of its class. The quartet was especially popular with the audience and both they and the rest of the club were encored after every appearance. Whitehead's solo was given in a finished and easy manner and he also had to respond to the applause of his audience.

The Mandolin Club's work was a feature of the concert all their numbers being well given.

After the concert ten dances were held, the entertainment breaking up at midnight. The attendance was about three hundred, and many Hartford people were present.

The patronesses of this concert were:

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EDITORIAL.

It is with great pleasure that the Tripod announces that statistics based on the percentages of failure in college work for the past few years show that the results of the half year just passed show a highly encouraging increase in scholarship. It is hard to give any explanation of this but it shows beyond a doubt that the undergraduates are beginning to take a more serious attitude in regard to their courses and are endeavoring to keep from the ill effects attendant on failures in courses.

Another fact which may be taken either agreeably or otherwise is that over fifty percent of the men who have been placed on probation are freshmen. This shows that it takes some time for a new man to get fully in the line of work here, but it also shows that the men who have been here at least a year are able to understand conditions and keep their studies well up to the mark.

Still another gratifying fact is that very few athletes were placed upon probation. Every man who converts the Trinity T understood that if his ambition was to be realized he must begin his campaign by keeping up in his studies.

It is to be hoped that this increase in scholarship will be kept up and that next June may see a still higher average in every branch of the collegiate work.

NOTE.

Dr. Luther is at present on his annual trip to preparatory schools throughout the Middle West. It is expected that he will be gone several weeks.

HOCKEY GAME ENDS IN TIE.

Wesleyan and Trinity Each Score Once.

Trinity and Wesleyan played each other to a standstill at hockey, Wednesday afternoon, at Elizabeth Park. The score was 1 and 1. The game started with two substitutes in the Trinity line-up. The ice was soft and after a few minutes' play was covered with a heavy downfall of snow. The condition of the ice was such that Trinity's ordinarily good team play was broken up. It was a difficult matter to carry the puck any distance, and the Trinity backs had an opportunity to show their knowledge of the game. In fact, during the whole game, the Trinity team evidenced a good knowledge of the game, while the Wesleyan men showed a surprising lack of knowledge of the fine points and technicalities of the game.

The playing in the first period was fast, with both sides working hard, and blocking stubbornly, but on account of the condition of the ice the game became slower and slower.

Trinity started well and kept the puck in her opponents' territory most of the time. Rankin and Eaton blocked well, while Morris and Capt. Haight played well on the forward line. After six minutes of play Morris caged the puck by a well directed shot. The Trinity team then slowed up and was content to keep the puck out of dangerous territory for the rest of the period. During this half, Referee Cox was compelled to warn several of the players for rough work, Wesleyan being the chief offender.

The second half started with Trinity in the lead by one goal. After a few minutes of play, the puck rolled past Brainerd from a scrimmage in front of the goal, and the score was tied. Both teams then worked hard for a goal, but Brainerd managed to keep the puck away from the Trinity cage. The play was slower in this half, and rough work was responsible for the withdrawal of three Wesleyan men from the game. Rankin and Bernhardt were in several mix-ups on the side lines, but neither man was fouled. The half ended with the score still a tie. It was decided to play five minutes overtime and if the score was still a tie to play the game over before February 18th.

Both teams struggled hard to make a goal in the overtime period, but neither team succeeded in scoring again, the puck seesawing most of the time across the center of the rink. The period ended with the score still a tie.

Trinity's team work was slightly superior to Wesleyan's. For Trinity Haight and Rankin played the best, while for Wesleyan Bacon, who substituted for Simmons and Capt. Harmon excelled.

The line-up was,

Trinity	Wesleyan
Brainerd	goal
Eaton	point
Rankin	coverpoint
Haight	center
Morris	rover
Burgwin	right wing
Breed	left wing
	Simmons, Bacon

The hockey team will play Amherst Aggies Saturday at Amherst. On the 18th the team will play the Loudon Field Club at Albany and the next day Williams at Williamstown, Mass.

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ANNUAL BANQUET OF HARTFORD ALUMNI

Tribute to Professor McCook.

A large gathering of Trinity Alumni had their first opportunity to celebrate publicly the raising of the \$500,000 endowment fund when the Hartford Alumni Association had its annual dinner at the Allyn House last evening. Rev. Dr. John J. McCook, under whose able generalship the campaign was carried out and the victory won, was of course the hero of the evening, and there was scarcely a speaker who did not laud his work. It was distinctly a jubilee banquet, and as was fitting on such an occasion representatives from Yale and Wesleyan were present to congratulate Trinity College and to help her celebrate. Captain Charles W. Burpee, president of the Hartford Yale Alumni Association, voiced the sentiments of that organization, and Lewis E. Gordon, president of the Wesleyan Alumni Association, spoke for Trinity's dearest athletic rival. The climax of the celebration came when the toastmaster, George D. Howell, presented to Dr. McCook on behalf of the Alumni, congratulatory resolutions inscribed in a booklet bound in blue turkey leather, stamped with the Trinity seal. The inside of the cover was lined with old gold silk. The resolutions were signed by all the guests at the dinner. In presenting them to Dr. McCook, Toastmaster Howell spoke as follows:—

"We all love a good fighter, and you will agree with me if I say we have with us one of the best of the clan of fighting McCooks. Clear in vision, steady and unvarying in his purpose; steadfast and persistent when others doubted and all but fled the field; unacquainted with defeat and joyful in anticipation of victory, he led us on, inspired us, worked for and with us, and, as gleefully as we, he ran with us under the wire, just on time, winners. To you, Professor McCook, let me read the appreciation of this association put into permanent form.

"To Professor John James McCook, Doctor of Divinity, Greeting:—

"The Hartford Association of the Alumni of Trinity College, assembled at their annual gathering, desire to record their high appreciation of the remarkable service which you have rendered to Alma Mater. Undeterred by impaired health, unmoved by doubt and discouragement, you have raised the college to a position of financial security from which she should move on to the fulfilment of her lofty ideals. For this we thank you. May many years be given you in which to watch the growth of Trinity made possible by your self consecration, in which we may continually evince to you our admiration and regard. Hartford, February 3, 1910."

"I hand you this with our affectionate good wishes."

After the cheering, singing, and applause, which greeted Dr. McCook, had subsided, he arose and read the following address:—

Dr. McCook's Address.

For what has been so kindly said this evening to me and of me I am deeply grateful. I prize it all beyond expression,—the wreath you have woven for me. And yet, if you will believe me, I would gladly pluck the brightest of its leaves and distribute them among those who have so splen-

didly served at my side.

This has been a campaign of education—a campaign of argument; a literary campaign if you prefer that word. And therefore I must in justice first of all make acknowledgment to those who have given me the material for my argument. The most skillful advocate can do but little with a poor cause. I have had a good cause, I have only needed to make the college better known—for the college was my cause.

My respectful and grateful thanks and reverence, therefore, to the founders of Trinity College. They are long since dust, but I have felt them to be near me in a very real sense. They were vastly ahead of their times. They established this institution upon the very broadest basis. They believed in education, in a religious education even towards which the whole college world is steadily swinging; but they believed in the principle of religious liberty in education. Their plea was a part of the great movement which centuries before had given to England Magna Charta, which fifty years before had given to the world the American Revolution, which thirty years later gave to Europe, through the lips of Italy's Cavour the winged motto, Free Church in a Free State! And just as England now thanks God for George Washington, so it is one of the pleasant things of our own present that those who opposed the granting of our charter most bitterly have, in the persons of their sons, helped us most loyally in the enterprise which we have just completed.

Think what we should have been in our recent campaign without the help of Yale men!—without "The Courant" editorials from the pen of Charles Hovkins Clark; without "The Times" editorials from the pen of William A. Ayres. Who can estimate the influence here in Hartford of the letters written by Dr. Parker and Mr. Twichell, among the oldest and most influential of the Yale Corporation?

And as one recalls the piteous appeal from dear old Dr. Beecher to dear old Dr. Hawes of the Center Church "Tell Brother Hawes the Lord Jesus Christ expects him and the good men in Hartford to do their duty; and that if the college cannot be kept out of being, it must be Episcopal exclusively, at least not reared and matured by the Presbyterian Church. That would be suicide." I say, as one recalls language like this how suggestive it is to recall the hearty appeal of Dr. Hawes's present successor to this same Hartford public to help Trinity forward to new strength and usefulness!

Such things are sometimes called time's revenges. Time has no revenges. Revenge is too paltry a thing for time—which is a part of Eternity, itself a part of the Divine Being. Rather say it is an expression of the wisdom and the fairer, larger view which asserts itself, carrying men above the pettiness of momentary prejudice and passion, whenever the opportunity fairly offers. And all that time does is to give that opportunity.

But I must also make acknowledgment to those who have made the college of today. Their number is all but legion so widely are they scattered in time and space. But at least, even in the most rapid glance, we cannot overlook the President and the Faculty, who not merely make the college but are the college academically speaking, and the

trustees to whom is assigned the great responsibility of determining the general policy of the institution and of maintaining its finances.

The growth of the college has been one of my standard arguments. The system and correctness with which its finances are managed another. All honor to the President of this college, Flavel S. Luther, whose personality has had so much to do with our rapid growth. All honor to the treasurer of the college, Edgar F. Waterman, of whose unremitting care I have been a daily witness for months and to Walter S. Schutz his predecessor.

All honor to the trustees and especially to the executive committee and among them most especially to the auditing committee. I have used their names everywhere and have found them a tower of strength. To both of them Hartford is indebted in more ways than she can express. Mr. Woodward served her faithfully on the Board of Trade, and still serves her in important lines of business. Francis Goodwin's name is pronounced with reverence and affection by every citizen of Hartford, young and old. They are both old friends of mine. Mr. Woodward the older in years, Mr. Goodwin the older in time. He has allowed me to consult him freely and I have availed myself of the permission. His counsel has always been wise and his heart has always been right. A son of Hartford he has loved Trinity College for itself and also for the sake of Hartford—as I also do myself; as everybody in Trinity College does.

And that leads me to make my reverence once more to the people of this dear town. One who has joined our faculty only within a few months, a graduate of another college and a professor in a third institution, has expressed his unbounded surprise and delight at the contrast between the relations of Trinity and its home town, as he finds them, and anything that he has heretofore witnessed. He says that he has been accustomed to mutual indifference or even antagonism; and he finds here the heartiest sympathy, constant co-operation in all things, in a word not a particle of the old traditional town and gown antipathy. And his witness is true. If anyone doubted he only needed to be here the last two weeks of the year of Grace Nineteen Hundred and Nine. What generosity! What intense interest! What constant inquiries! What a storm of subscriptions the last twenty-four hours, fairly embarrassing us by the difficulty of registering them!

A kindly writer in one of our daily papers the next morning wrote: "God bless Professor McCook!" With the utmost solemnity as if I were in church, I re-echo the words:—

God bless the people of Hartford:—its men, its women.

And I cannot close without speaking particularly of the manner in which our citizens of other college affiliations have stood by. Yale, Princeton, Harvard, Wesleyan, Cornell, Williams, Union—but why particularize? Is there a college that is not represented in this town, distinguished above all others for being a college town? And was there one of them that failed to supply its contingent as ally in our campaign?

And at length I come to speak of what our own Trinity family did here. I must mention one of them by name—George Howell. What he has been to

me through his enthusiasm, his pluck, his cheerfulness, his magnificent generosity, his friendship I hope he knows; I am sure I cannot fitly tell.

And the men who worked with him, under him, around him—I wish I could speak of them all by name! but the evening would be too short. Notably that score of stout-hearted fellows, who used to be young, and are not yet very old who sallied forth on that last memorable day and night, making themselves terrible to their friends—I shall never forget them or cease to be grateful to them, while life and memory last. And now, gentlemen, I have spoken quite long enough. It was a great campaign, was it not? and it ended just as it ought. We are glad and happy all of us—I certainly not least of all.

President Luther's Address.

President Flavel S. Luther was the first speaker called upon, by the toastmaster and spoke to the toast of "The Greater Trinity." Referring to the half million dollars endowment fund, President Luther said there was nobody present who had not helped. Trinity had a special debt to Hartford, not that Hartford did it all, but where would we have been if Hartford had not helped in those last few days. It is a fine thing that we are here in this fine city of Hartford and we are proud that she helped us out so splendidly. Everybody seemed to take hold and help. We mean to be bigger and better and more splendid and we are going to do it, for Hartford, for Connecticut and for the great republic.

Hitherto colleges have never led in the leading of this nation to its high destiny. I made a guess yesterday that at least a billion dollars is invested in the colleges of this land and people have a right to expect more and more of the colleges. The last three years have been hard ones for Trinity but the college is now on a firm and sure foundation.

Dr. William Olmsted, headmaster of Pomfret School, was next introduced by Toastmaster Howell. Without money, he said, we cannot have those things in our colleges which make for success and no school or college can get along without proper endowments. A college should have money enough to be able to retire men when necessary. I know it sounds bad to be asking for money all the time, but there is no better cause than that for which you and I stand for. This \$500,000 endowment came hard, but there are plenty of people who are willing to work in such a cause, and the second \$500,000 will come 500,000 times easier than the first.

There are other college problems to be solved besides that of an endowment. Many are struggling with intellectual problems, and many much larger institutions might well solve the problem by studying under Dr. Luther.

We are all together for one purpose, to make this college strong, stronger, better, best. The opportunity is before us to make this college all that it ought to be. I'm sure the future of the college will be all that it ought to be.

After the toasts which had been planned beforehand were over, the toastmaster turned the occasion into a symposium for "three-minute thrillers." Colonel William E. A. Bulkeley gave the first "thriller." He was followed by Robert H. Schutz, who helped to voice the generosity of the citizens of Hart-

ford. The committee which presided in a down-town office was only turned down once or twice, he said. He also wished to thank the graduates of the female seminaries. The first man to start Hartford toward Trinity College was Frank Sumner, Mr. Schutz said. The next time the greatest financier in the United States put up for Trinity College, he hoped it would be a one to four shot.

Karl P. Morba of the Hartford Public High School said that he would like to have Trinity College the final step in a boy's progress toward his education and expressed a hope that the fine spirit which Trinity had shown, would bring more boys to Trinity from the high school.

The dinner was served at 7 o'clock in the large dining room, the tables being set in the form of a large "H." The Tuxedo Mandolin and Guitar Club played popular music and Trinity songs which the Alumni sang.

NEW YORK ALUMNI HOLD ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING.

Much Interest Shown in the College.

The annual dinner of the New York Alumni Association was held on Wednesday evening, February second, in the state dining room of the Hotel Manhattan, Madison Avenue and Forty-second Street.

The meeting was large, and bubbled over with enthusiasm. The atmosphere was one of push, energy and progress. Every man was proud that he was a Trinity man. Formerly there was a slight tendency to feel that Trinity was overshadowed by the other New England colleges, and therefore Trinity men were a little backward in their stand for the college. But at this dinner there was absolutely none of this feeling. Every man felt that we were more than able to compete with our neighbors with success. Our added resources and the fight made to get them has increased Trinity's prestige over all the country, and especially in New England. Increased numbers and means were bound to result, with a consequent boom in all our activities. It is now not a case of "we made a good fight against Amherst, Williams or Dartmouth and lost" but we fought hard and won.

This aggressive, fighting Trinity spirit permeated the gathering. There was determination in every heart to push Trinity to the top rank of the New England colleges, excepting overgrown Yale and Harvard. And we will do it!

The speakers: Pres. Luther '70, Charles E. Hotchkiss '82, E. S. Van Zile '84 and George D. Howell '82, were unusually strong and forceful. The dinner committee did well in not going outside our alumni body for them. The dominant note of all the speeches was progress and work and loyalty for the college.

Hon. Lawson Purdy '84, president of the New York Board of Tax Commissioners, presided.

Dr. Luther received a warm welcome. He told of the work done in collecting the fund, and gave Dr. John J. McCook all the credit for the success. The story of the fund is too well known to repeat here. Dr. Luther recounted the work the college is doing and hopes to do, and told of the increased activity of the undergraduates. As usual, Dr. Luther's remarks were interesting and entertaining, and that they were heartily ap-

proved was shown by the "Long Trin" and the song of "Mr. Luther" the speaker received.

Mr. Charles E. Hotchkiss '82, of the firm of Davies, Stone and Auerbach, was a splendid speaker. He put his audience in rare good humor by amusing stories of the old college. One of them was the working motto of the college told him by Dr. Pyncheon. The doctor said that the official motto was "Pro Ecclesia et Patria," but that the everyday one was "In Loco Parentis." Mr. Hotchkiss argued that we should consider Trinity as a filial son does his parents. We should work for the college and give it the best we had. We should hustle for the remaining half million we are to raise, and he urged us always to be proud of the old college, to work for it, to talk it to our friends, and to make it the leading "small college" of the country. Mr. Hotchkiss urged us to develop the pushing, never-give-up spirit of old Trinity to the limit, and nothing could beat us.

Mr. Edward S. Van Zile '84, author and playwright, was, as always, a brilliant success as a speaker. If laughter helps assimilate a dinner no one present suffered from indigestion. Mr. Van Zile had considerable fun in a harmless and inoffensive manner at the expense of his classmate, Toastmaster Purdy, and then read a poem about the raising of the fund.

Every Trinity man knows George Howell, the last speaker. Mr. Howell was enthusiastically greeted. He spoke of his pleasure at being with the New York Alumni, and mentioned the dinner of the Hartford Alumni at which he was to preside on the following evening. He dwelt chiefly on the raising of the fund, and of the effort to be made for the other half million. He also urged a progressive, fighting policy in all our activities. He mentioned the success of our teams and other undergraduate organizations, and said that it was a sign of the new spirit, that of the utmost confidence in our college and its success, a spirit which was already well developed.

The New York Alumni were very sorry not to have Dr. McCook with them. The mention of his name was the cause of a joyous outbreak. A telegram, felicitating him on his birthday, which fell on the same day as this dinner, was sent him, and the following minute was ordered mailed to him: "The New York Association of the Alumni of Trinity College, regretting the unavoidable absence from their annual banquet of their well-beloved associate, Professor John James McCook, D.D., are unwilling to let the occasion pass without congratulating him upon the success of his efforts in behalf of our college, without thanking him for his extraordinary services, without felicitating themselves for that their gathering falls upon his birthday, February the second, eighteen hundred and forty-three, was a great day for Trinity College. That many more years may be added to the record of Dr. McCook's active and efficient life among us is the earnest prayer of all sons of Trinity."

The dinner was closed with the singing of "Neath the Elms" and a "Herka, Herka," both given with a will. The more formal program over, the men lingered to chat and to talk things over. Football and baseball men won their victories over again, but did not

remember any defeats.

The committee in charge was: Lawson Purdy, chairman, Frederick C. Hinkel, Jr., Secretary-treasurer, Charles E. Hotchkiss, Frederick R. Hoisington, John J. Penrose, William S. Langford and Irving R. Kenyon.

DELTA KAPPA EPSILON DANCE.

The Alpha Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon held an enjoyable house dance at their lodge, 94 Vernon street on Thursday evening, February 3rd. The whole lower floor was thrown open for dancing and was tastefully decorated with the fraternity colors. Excellent music was furnished for a program of sixteen dances. During the intermission a supper was served. The orders were white with the fraternity seal embossed on the cover.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Flavel S. Luther, Mrs. Robert B. Briggs and Mrs. Raymond G. Gettell.

Those present were: Misses Lois Angell, Margaret Chamberlain, Inez Copeland of Brockton, Mass., Fay Sedgwick, Marjorie Pollock of New Haven, Helen Ehlers of Bryn Mawr, Marjorie Moore, Norma Wright, Marjorie Jervis, Clara Preston, Margaret De Love and Marion McClure. And Messrs. James Porteus, Clarence Lipp, Benjamin F. Turner, Leon A. Stansfield, Alfred Howell, N. H. Gildersleeve, Ralph H. Merrill, George C. Capen, Joseph Groves, Stanley P. Grint, Lawrence H. McClure, Clarence E. Sherman, Eliot L. Ward, Guy C. Heater, Stanley F. Marr, Nelson F. Pitts, jr., James H. Humphrey, and Charles E. Blake.

DELTA PSI COTTILLION.

The lodge of the Epsilon Chapter of Delta Psi was attractively decorated with evergreens and palms on last Thursday evening for the fraternity's Junior Week german. Novelties in favors were used and all present had a most enjoyable time.

The first half of the cotillion was led by Sherman P. Haight with Miss Marion Kavanaugh, and the second half by Frank J. Brainard with Miss Ruth Humphrey.

The patronesses were: Mrs. H. B. Humphrey of Wilton, Mass.; Mrs. Cranston Brenton, and Mrs. C. E. Taft. Those present were: Misses Marjorie Barton, Margaret Brockway, Dorothy Allyn, Nadine Boles, Leila Samson, Marion Wells, Florence Goodwin, Ruth and Evelyn Humphrey of Milton, Mass., Gertrude Price of New Haven, Jeanette Rogers, Marion Kavanaugh of Memphis, Tenn., Catherine Phillips, Katherine Parker, Dorothy Davis, Helen Lyman, Marion Hawley, Carolan Alton, Ruth Marlbor and Katherine Souther. And Messrs. Francis Stitts, W. E. Batterson, A. H. Chandler, Owen Morgan, Robert P. Butler, Chapin Carpenter, J. P. Webster, Cyril B. Judge, Blinn Yates, Henry S. Marlbor, Reginald Burbank, John R. Cook, Jr., Sherman P. Haight, William G. Livingston, Paul Maxon, Richard M. Nelson, Alfred E. Pulford, Frank J. Brainard, William R. Curtis, Sherman O. Haight, Kilbourn M. Kendall, Charles R. Whipple, James B. Baumgardner, William C. Dewey, Henry B. Dillard, Edward E. Moberly, Jr., Russell C. Noble, De Loss S. Pulford, Samuel S. Swift, Robert W. Thomas, Jr., Eliot L. Ward and Jude J. Whitehead, Jr.

ALPHA DELTA PHI TEA.

On Friday afternoon of Junior Week the Phi Kappa Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi held their annual tea at the chapter house, No. 122 Vernon street. The spacious rooms of the fraternity house were thrown open to the many friends of the college and the fraternity. The several rooms were decorated with cut flowers and palms and in the dining room the fraternity colors, green and white predominated. The centerpiece was a mass of lilies of the valley and maiden hair ferns, and from each corner of the table hung streamers of green ribbons. The orchestra was screened behind a bank of palms.

Those who assisted the chapter in receiving were: Mrs. Flavel S. Luther, Mrs. Henry A. Perkins, Mrs. Charles H. Keyes, Mrs. Henry E. Rees and the guests of the fraternity house party.

The following young ladies assisted in the serving: Miss Marion Hawley, Miss Roswell Hawley, Miss Helen Hatch, Miss Margaret Sage, Miss Alice Phillips, Miss Marjorie Barton, Miss Marion Welles, Miss Leila Samson, Miss Katherine Parker, and Miss Harriet Rankin of Wellesley Hills, Mass. Habenstein was the caterer and the music was furnished by Hatch's orchestra.

ALPHA DELTA PHI HOUSE PARTY.

One of the features of the week was the house party given by the Phi Kappa Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi. The guests arrived in time to assist at the fraternity tea on Friday afternoon, and remained until Tuesday, attending the various functions in Alumni Hall. On Saturday they lunched at the Hartford Golf Club, and took supper at the Country Club Sunday evening. Monday afternoon they were entertained by a box party, later attending the Psi Upsilon tea.

The young ladies were: Miss Katherine Eastman of St. Paul, Minn., Miss Sarah Costello of New York City, Miss Edith Taylor of Richmond, Va., Miss Emma Clark of Lee, Mass., Miss Elsie Smith of Vassar, Miss Mary Rees of Smith, Miss Jessie Weems of Quincy, Ill., Miss Dorothy Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury, Vt., and Miss Mary Wright of Philadelphia. They were chaperoned by Mrs. George D. Howell, Mrs. Charles H. Keyes and Mrs. Henry E. Rees. This was the third Junior Week house party given by Alpha Delta Phi in the past four years, and if anything surpassed the former successes.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

On Saturday, January 22d, the 'varsity met defeat at the hands of the fast R. P. I. team at Troy, 25-19. The defeat was due in a great measure to the poor light, as Trinity excelled in passing.

Last Saturday night, January 29th, the 'varsity defeated the Springfield Training School in a close game, 20-19, at Springfield, Mass. The shooting of Carroll and A. L. Gildersleeve was the feature of the game.

On Tuesday night, the second team defeated West Hartford at West Hartford in a hot game, 20-17.

Thursday, February 3rd, in a fast game the Trinity second team was defeated at Middletown by the Middletown High School, 26-20.

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On Friday night some thirty-five couples assembled in Alumni Hall to enjoy the Junior Week Cotillion. The german was one of the best of the festivities of Junior Week and will long be remembered by those who attended.

The first part of the program consisted of eight dances, while the rest of the evening, after the delightful supper, was devoted to the german proper, led by Blinn Yates and Miss Elsie Smith of Vassar College. There were several rounds of favors and then some very pretty figure dances. The favors themselves were the pride of the committee, having been obtained direct from New York with the guarantee that they were the latest and most original of the season. Among them were various imitations of musical instruments fitted with concealed mouth organs, and some remarkably pretty paper flowers and fans.

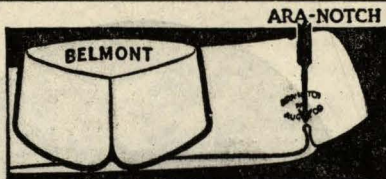
The prize round was won by Miss Catherine Rice and N. H. Gildersleeve.

The patronesses were: Mrs. F. S. Luther, Mrs. J. H. K. Davis, Mrs. George H. Howell, Mrs. J. R. Hawley and Mrs. H. A. Perkins.

Those present were: Blinn Yates with Miss Elsie Smith of Vassar College, Alfred Howell with Miss Robalie Hooper, John T. Reddick with Miss Catherine Eastman of St. Paul, Minn., Walter M. Farrow with Miss Helen Hatch, Charles H. Howell with Miss Edith Taylor of Richmond, Va., R. W. Foote with Miss Jessie Weens of Boston, Mass., George T. Keyes with Miss Mary Wright of Philadelphia, Pa., A. Erwin Rankin with Miss Mary A. Rees of Smith College, Harry K. Rees with Miss Marion Hawley, Vaughn Ferguson with Miss Harriet Rankin, Joseph N. Barnett with Miss Roswell Hawley, Paul F. Herrick with Miss Dorothy Fairbanks of Smith College, William A. Bird, 4th, with Miss Sarah Costello of New York, William C. Dewey with Miss Marion Kavanaugh of Memphis, Tenn., E. J. Brainard with Miss Ruth Humphrey of Milton, Mass., George C. Capen with Miss Majorie Howe, Nelson H. Gildersleeve with Miss Katherine Souther of Philadelphia, Pa., Joseph Groves with Miss Lois Angell, Sherman O. Haight with Miss Florence Goodwin, Kilbourn W. Kendall with Miss Leila Samson, Harry S. Marlor with Miss Marjorie Barton, Richard W. Nelson with Miss Evelyn Humphrey of Milton, Mass., Nelson F. Pitts, jr., with Miss Fayoline Sedgwick, Alfred E. Pulford with Miss Catherine Rice, William A. Smith with Miss Margaret Brockway, and Jerome P. Webster with Miss Marion Wells.

COLLEGE TEA.

One of the pleasantest functions of Junior Week was the College Tea in Alumni Hall, Saturday afternoon. Chocolate was served to a large gathering of students and friends and dancing was enjoyed during the afternoon. The following young ladies poured: Misses Marion Hawley, Roswell Hawley, Hatch, Samson, Parker, Phillips, Wells, Brockway, Barton, Sage, Allyn, Howell, Lyman, Hooker, Davis, Stedman, Hammersly, Bolles, Keller, Rankin, Rogers, Rees and Souther.



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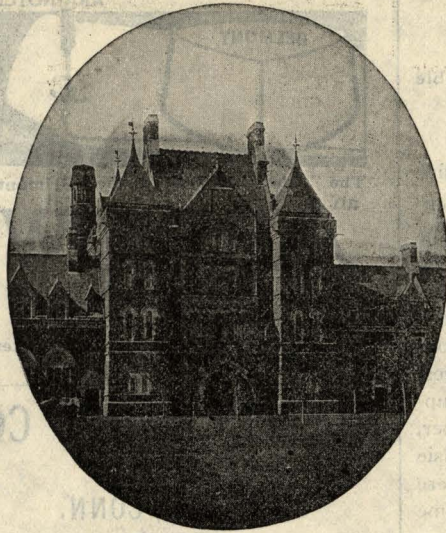
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