OPENING DAYS OF COLLEGE Some of the Old Customs

The customs by means of which the students acclimate themselves to the college are very old. We have never found a better way than the following and we assume that they or some customs very much like them have already been adopted by the students and are kept alive by two honorary societies, which strive to keep in every student's mind the fact that the Trinity spirit is inalienable.

On the Friday afternoon of the first week of college the formal opening takes place. The opening ceremony is a very impressive one which takes place in the College Chapel. All the students are present and the Trinity men and women are composed by Professor Shepard, is sung while the Faculty in their robes march in.

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Rushing is one of the most important things in the life of each freshman, and for the students who have been connected with the members of that group for four years, it is the end of their college life. Try to judge the caliber of men and if they do not come up to your standards, try to consider it as something that you really do not care to join, you will have no chance for happiness in that class. If you have any money to put on the other hand if you reject it, there are many chances that a better college will give you a chance to come, will invite you later. Try, always, to go to as many gatherings as you can see through the glamour of Rushing Season, and size up your hosts carefully. You may indeed be sure that they are sizing you up by every means in their power. They are hypercritical, you should try to be at all.

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hopy man for the 1929 season, bids fair to lead as a most awesome sea- son this year as he did last. "Bill" Evens, "Pete" Ellet and "Billy" Jackson are all letter wing men and should be able to take care of that position along with Cutler and O'Leary of the 1929 freshman team. "Bud" Whittaker and "Nick" Mastro­

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The Board of THE TRIPOD for the year 1926-27 gives us its assurance that the publication of the fall number may he evolved. We trust that we may not have pleased with THE TRIPOD in any way, for this might be explained by the difference in taste among individuals—but it also may be explained by the fact that none of the members of THE TRIPOD staff to over some certain difficulties which faced us during the past year.

With this issue the board starts out and it believes will be a good year. It has been in the past year we have formed a strong organization. May I speak in behalf of THE TRIPOD and in the interests of its work which cannot fail to be of great benefit to Trinity men.

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Alumni Secretary

ALUMNI NOTES

Among the many seniors of this old college, there are a number of seniors doing far-reaching service. In the interest of those who have been 

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THE TRIPOD wishes to explain to the Alumni its position and policy as well as it can. The College inaugurated a policy one year ago of publishing three issues a year, and the Alumni has been advised accordingly as to the work accomplishing. We have written to the Alumni, and college has paid his bill, and we hope to make this one of at least twenty-six.

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FACULTY WHO HAVE BEEN ABROAD RETURN

Arrive from Leave of Absence and Summer Trips

Professor Stanley L. Galpin, head of the Department of Romance Languages, returned from his summer vacation, which he spent in France and Spain. Professor Galpin has spent much of his time in France, and has had most interesting stays there.

Professor Perkins, head of the Department of Physics, has returned home, after a summer's trip with his family, to Scandinavia, France and Spain.

Professor and Mrs. Odel Shepard have been in England for the summer and are to arrive in New York about the twentieth of this month.

Professor John A. Spalding spent the summer in Germany and Austria, and arrived in this country about the seventeenth of this month.

Mr. Louis H. Naylor, assistant professor of the Department of Romance Languages, returned from a trip to Europe, the first Monday of September. Mr. Naylor has spoken in several places in Europe. There are so many points of international interest which these men could discuss from their trips that the Executive Committee decided to give them the assurance that the students at home would be very much interested in their reports. The TRIPOD is going to try to make arrangements with these professors to write a series of articles on these trips.

Mr. E. F. Waterman has just returned from England, where he spent a part of his vacation. Mr. Waterman, who is more interested in the study of English, spoke from personal knowledge on the problems of living in England. He was very much interested in the social life of the people, and gave them an idea of the cultural life of England, which any freshman would be very interested in. They are simple cuts short to an end which is unapproachable by many other ways.

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Mr. Kenneth S. Buxton received his Master's degree from Clark. He is coming to Trinity after having been an instructor in Chemistry at the University of Vermont. Mr. Buxton is taking Mr. Crone's class in Organic Chemistry.

The TRIPOD welcomes new members of the Faculty and hopes that they will join in with the warmest, most interesting, and profitable for themselves and for us. We are sure that they will be more directly and directly with the love of our college which we all feel, and occupy their place in the life of the college.

NEW FACULTY.

Mr. Goodwin Takes Charge

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BUSHING.

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This time. There is no person in college who has been through the course and who feels that he has identified himself with the wrong fraternity.

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Many happy fraternity men place their fraternity above their college. This should not be. The fraternities in general are not the summa bonas of the college. Nothing should impede the interests of our Alma Mater, and if anything is done to do so, its activity should be curtailed.

You who do not receive bids must be very much disappointed, as your interest in college must require more than a superficial judgment to see the good that is in a college. With the Freshman Society House you receive the bid which you ask, the editor of the TRIPOD would be too old to answer any question about your Freshman Society House.

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ALUMNI NOTES
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Harry J. McKinn, of the class of 1926, has received an appointment with the Hartford coal company.

Walter J. Riley, of the class of 1926, is serving in the investment house in New York City.

William J. Schuyler, of the class of 1926, is teaching this year at St. John's School, Manlius, New York.

"Dick" Noble, the popular captain of the freshman football team, helped up with the Hartford Blues for the same season. We expect that "Dick" will do some brilliant work and are looking forward to hearing great things of him.

Merrill B. Sherman, of the class of 1926, has received an appointment as instructor at Goshen-Hollis.

Moses Frances Howell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Howell of the class of 1875, has been for many years a Trustee of Trinity College, is to be married in December to Mr. Jarvins W. Jarvis, the managing director of the Board of Trustees of the Hartford Art Institute, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis, of the class of 1884, has been made chairman of the committee and will direct its work.

In accepting the chairmanship, Mr. Purdy said:

"It is a matter of common knowledge that for years that conditions in the undertaking business were highly unfavorable, mainly without the actual existence of actual gain, the situation was 낮은

The Power House of the School of the Declaration of Independence", is one of the inscriptions that must be the eyes of all who make the declaration the subject of the which the declaration, which recalls the interesting historic fact that that of fifty-six signers of the Declaration of Independence were affiliated with the Episcopal Church.

As rector of Christ Church, Dr. Washburn has performed a great service in bringing to light the historic connection of that venerable institution with the national life. President Washington, Benjamin Franklin, and Betsy Ross were all pew-holders of Christ Church.

Class of 1882.
The Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Ernest Boll, of Allegheny College, where they are serving with the missionaries. In September 21, 1926. They will be at "home" the 26 North Linden Avenue, Aldan, Pa.

Elsewhere in our columns references are made to some of our Trinity men's work, those who figure prominently in their various occupations. In March 1, 1926. The class of 1884, has been assigned to the Board and the Advisory Board hereby declare that if

The marriage of Wheeler Hawley of the class of 1924, has been announced. The wedding took place in September, 4, 1925, at Whitmore, Mass.

David M. Hawley, of the class of 1925, has accepted a position with the Hartford Coal Co.

Martin Coletta, of the class of 1925, has been announced to win the freshmen at a given signal run to the tree and climb it. The scrape lasts twenty minutes and all who fall from the tree will be 'out'. This action is hot, however, that matter; the fresher should only try to climb the tree and attempt to win it for at least fifty-five minutes. The freshmen have their flag in the tree for at least fifteen minutes. There has been a good one—has not entered into this scrape and has not taken part in this, there would probably remain in force until June.

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