

## THE FRESHMEN REGISTRATION BIG SUCCESS

The Freshmen of E. C. T. C. arrived Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning, September 28 and 29th. They were met at the train and bus by the members of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet. The rooms were assigned to them at Cotton Hall by the Dean of Women, Miss Annie L. Morton.

Lunch was served Tuesday at one o'clock and following that all students gathered in the Social Religious Building. Dr. Meadows talked to them a few minutes on the "Purpose of Freshmen Week." Following his talk Dr. Wright, President of the college, made an address. He welcomed the Freshmen most cordially and let them know that he was a friend of the Freshmen.

Miss Kuykendall conducted some music that was much enjoyed by all the new girls.

"Student relationship to the Treasurer" was discussed by Mr. Spillman, and "Student Relationship to the Registrar" was discussed by Mr. McGinnis.

Mr. Fort, chairman of the appointment committee, gave them a brief talk on "What Course Shall I Take?"

From four o'clock to five all Freshmen toured the campus under the direction of the student council.

Dinner was served in the old dining hall at six o'clock.

The students gathered once more in the auditorium at seven o'clock, and were introduced to the student government officers and the dormitory officers. A short talk was made by Miss Morton, and was followed by college songs and yells by the cheer leader.

Wednesday morning they registered and paid their bills. In the evening they assembled in the auditorium where they were introduced to the major organizations on the campus. College customs were discussed by members of the student body. Rules and regulations were explained and pointed out by Millie Moore, president of the student government.

Conduct at entertainments was discussed by the chief marshal.

Other courtesy talks were made on the use of the Library, dining halls, postoffice, chapel, quiet hour and study hour.

Thursday morning they met with the House Directors in the dormitories. This was followed by a physical examination at the infirmary.

At seven-thirty a free moving picture was shown in the auditorium of the Austin Building.

## STUDENT BODY ENJOYS TWO GOOD PICTURES

Two shows have welcomed the student body to their coming year at the college.

Thursday evening, after registration, the students were thrilled by the breath-taking experiences of "The Lady Who Dared." Billie Dove gave a superb performance as the wife of an American Ambassador, Sidney Blackmer, Conway Tearle, who was once with the Carolina playmakers, was excellent in the role of a smuggler.

Saturday the student body again flocked to the auditorium to see the less exciting but just as interesting story of "The Children of Dreams."

Although the two pictures were of entirely different types, they were both accepted heartily by the students.

## THE EMERSONS WELCOME YOU

As the new year begins, once more the Emersons welcome the new girls to our campus. In 1926 we began the blazing of a trail into new fields of literary endeavors, and to every new girl we say, "Will you not go with us on our adventure?" We're glad you are here and we're willing to help you any way to become adjusted to your new surroundings.

RACHEL McKEY.

## AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE FACULTY

"Teacher, teacher, where have you been?"

"I've been—"

The answers are numerous. Some have traveled, and others have stayed at home.

Mr. E. L. Henderson remained in Greenville.

Dr. Adams spent two weeks vacation in Richmond and Washington, "seeing ball games and shows, looking at the stars, and lots of other things."

Mr. McGinnis took a ten day trip, passing through North Carolina and Virginia, and over the mountains of West Virginia, to his childhood home in Danville. There he stayed part of the week. After traveling through Maryland, he spent a few days in Washington, and then returned home.

After staying awhile at her home in Salem, N. J., Miss Newell studied for six weeks at Columbia University, and then went to camp.

Miss Charlton stayed in Savannah, Georgia.

Dr. Meadows went, during the summer, to his home in Shelbyville, Tenn.

Miss Mamie Jenkins after teaching here in summer school, went to Nags Head, Pen Mar, Md., Baltimore, and New York.

Miss Lois Grigsby stayed at White Iron, Tenn.

Her home in Abbeville, S. C., claimed Miss Greene through the summer.

Miss Turner stayed at home, also in Pulaski, Tenn.

Mr. Deal stayed four days away from Greenville. Two he spent in White Lake, and two in Richmond.

Miss Thompson stayed in Leasburg, North Carolina.

Another who chose to stay at home is Mr. Picklesimer.

Mr. Cummings taught during summer school in the North Texas State Teachers College, in Denton, Texas. The remainder of the time he stayed in Trenton, Tenn.

Dr. Frank stayed in Savannah, Tenn. He remarked, "That's a big town. It has a blacksmith shop, and a grocery store; and I stayed, most of the time, in the grocery store."

Mr. Holler went to Peabody College, in Nashville, Tenn. One week of his six weeks vacation he stayed in Richmond. During the time, he saw Jamestown and Williamsburg. The remaining five weeks he stayed at home, "helping Mrs. Hollar make preserves, and can things."

Miss Sallie J. Davis spent her vacation at Camp Toxanay.

For six weeks, Miss Laura T. Rose was at the Wisconsin University summer school. The rest of the summer she "washed dishes" at her home, Marine-on-St. Craix, Minn.

During her vacation, Miss Katharine Holtzclaw saw New York, Clarksville, Tenn., Black Mountain, and Asheville.

Miss Dora Meade was in Victor, New York.

Mrs. Bloxton stayed in Williamsburg and Driver, Va.

Miss Kuykendall stayed in Lexington, Ky.

New England called the Misses Gorrell and Gray. Miss Margaret Sammon and her mother stayed for a week at Ridgecrest.

Miss Lewis went to New York, and Miss Bonnewitz stayed in Van West, Ohio.

Dr. ReBarker stayed "on the campus"—in the library and in Austin Hall.

Miss Graham preferred to remain at home in Warrenton, N. C.

Miss Williams stayed in Greenville, Kentucky.

Dr. Slay taught for six weeks in the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill.

Miss Cassidy stayed at her home in Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Wilson seems to want, not only to "keep her vacation instead of spending" it, but also to "keep" to herself what she did during the summer. However, from the information she gave, we find that she stayed mostly in Chapel Hill. She traveled quite a bit, having gone to Pennsylvania, and "the states in between."

For about three months Mr. Beecher Flanagan haunted the state library in Raleigh, delving into "old books and dusty records." Afterwards, he traveled in Tennessee, Arkansas,



## MISS MORTON SPEAKS TO THE NEW FRESHMEN

In ending up an interesting talk to the Freshmen Miss Annie L. Morton, Dean of Women said:

Of course we have regulation here, because there certain inhibitions and prohibitions in the college experience that the wise, discreet, respectful person will recognize and cooperate with.

Q. How to fit into your environment?

1. Ask advice freely.
2. Accept help freely.
3. Put your best foot forward.
4. Make the best start possible.
5. Succeed as a roommate.
6. Be business like.
7. Consider your house director your friend. Make every effort on her part to make you comfortable and happy.
8. Form good study habits.
9. Meeting school social obligations.
10. Observe the requirements of the school. Loyalty to the institution.
11. School organizations.
12. Be sure to write letters home.

## COLLEGE OPENS ITS TWENTY-SECOND YEAR

E. C. T. C. opened its doors for the twenty-second year on September 28th, with an enrollment which amounted to about 827 students.

The faculty, student council, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, and the girls who hold working positions on the campus cooperated wonderfully in making Freshmen week a great success.

The president of the Y. W. C. A. and the student government president and officers met the trains and busses that were loaded with Freshmen, and showed them the way to the deans office and to their rooms.

The dormitories are all filled. The Freshmen finished their registration on Wednesday. The upper classmen registered on Thursday. Friday the regular class work began.

There have been several changes made this year. Freshmen and Seniors are not allowed to carry but six hours of work, while Juniors and Sophomores maximum of work is eighteen hours.

No student is eligible to practice teaching or graduation without an average grade of a three.

Georgia, and other Southern states.

Miss Annie Morton stayed at her home in Beaufort, North Carolina.

Mr. Fort went to York, S. C.

Miss Redwine taught summer school here for six weeks, and spent the remainder of the summer at her home in Monroe, North Carolina.

Miss McGee stayed at her home in LaGrange, Georgia.

Miss Elizabeth Hyman went to summer school at Columbia University. The latter part of the summer she spent in Rocky Mount.

Miss Frances Wahl stayed in Arkansas, "running around everywhere."

Miss Willis went to Raleigh and Wilmington.

Mr. Ginn stayed in Goldsboro.

Miss Wadlington was in Cadiz, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Henderson went to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wright, Mrs. Spillman, and Miss Ross spent a week in New York City.



## PRESIDENT ROBERT H. WRIGHT ADDRESSES THE FRESHMEN

Young friends, we are delighted to have you with us at this beginning of this college year. Dr. Meadows says you have started on a four-year voyage and will get acquainted with each other—he took a trip and got seasick, but still made friends—I expect you will get homesick, in fact, hope you will. If you want to cry go ahead. There is no regulation against it. But seriously, we are delighted that you are here now just to be of service to you. The college authorities haven't required these girls to come back, and the State of North Carolina hasn't paid the expense of it; they have come just because they want to help you. And that spirit runs all through this college. Acquire knowledge, get all the information you can, and when you don't know, ask.

Ignorance, I sometimes think, is the worst influence in the world. Ignorance, the world over, has done more damage to the human family than war, famine, and pestilence combined. George Washington probably died because of the ignorance of doctors who attended him. Many, many young men and women have died because of the ignorance of those who were supposed to doctor them. The terrible condition this world is in today is because of the ignorance that has dominated the ruling classes in the various nations of the world. We are here as a hand or an army with our faces to the world's worst enemy—ignorance, and endeavoring to help subdue that enemy. You have come to join the ranks and we are here to help you. We want to help you make the fight.

You are not going to find things here like they were back home. I had a girl come to college here one time who brought a feather bed in her trunk. She stayed about three weeks came to me in tears; was going home; just "couldn't stand it"; etc. Finally said the food was the trouble, said there wasn't anything she could eat—said she wanted some corn bread, collards, and fat meat: That girl did go home—and married three weeks afterward. But I do want you to realize that it will not be like home, and there will be a lot of things to learn. This organization is built to fit on top of your high school education. Down in the lower grades you didn't have much choice; in high school you had a little more and with the greater liberty came greater responsibilities. As you go along in the scale of education the greater the liberty the greater responsibility. We are not going to try to make you study your lessons; we are going to give the opportunity. Be not deceived; God is not mocked; whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap. If you do your task your career in college will be worthwhile, but it is your responsibility.

You will have a few, not many, but a few rules and regulations to observe and I think you should realize that most of them are made by the students themselves out of their experience in the college. They have made a number of regulations to govern themselves. And young friends, the world today is suffering for the lack of intelligent leadership, more than it has during the past fifty years. We need young men and women with vision. We need young men and women with ideals, who are willing to sacrifice to accomplish the worthwhile. I hope that you will join the

There is one thing that I find not only among college students but a large number of people in the world—the horror of saying "I don't know." If you don't know, say so. That's why you are here to learn. A high school graduate went with his father to see the president of the college in which he planned to enroll and when

## THE Y. W. C. A. MAKES GOOD BEGINNING

Friday evening at 6:30 the Y. W. C. A. held its first meeting of the year with a large audience of both old and new girls. A very interesting program was carried out. The Y. W. was delighted with its leaders and its crowd. They extend a welcome to every one to morning watch held at 7:30 in the mornings.

## ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE HAS STARTED WORK

The entertainment committee is working hard to bring to us good entertainments this year among those that they have already secured contracts for are—Don Cossox, Russian male chorus, November 16, Galli-Curci, January 31 and Abbee Theatre Irish plays, March 19.

The members of the entertainment committee are Mr. E. L. Henderson, chairman, Miss Mamie Jenkins, and Mr. Parnell Picklesimer from the faculty, and Dorothy Sloan, Anne Horn, and Millie Moore from the student body. This committee serves the college without any pay for their services. Give them your support and cooperate with them by boosting the entertainments.

## WELCOME TO FRESHMEN, NOTHING MORE

With "The Bells" on our toes and the spirit of "Israphel" in our hearts, the Poes welcome you to our campus and into our social group. Even Felix, our mascot, spreads his small mouth in friendly greeting.

If you sing highly, dance gracefully, argue convincingly or twittle smoothly, we have a place for you—

So—

Come on girls and take our hand,

We are the Poe Society band,

We're the gang who want to be true,

What we need is only you.

Welcome girls! We need you so.

Don't forget to be a Poe!

MAJORIE FLYTHE, President.

## THE SIDNEY LANIER SOCIETY

"Baa! Baa! Baa!" which when translated means "we welcome all new girls. This is the message that our Goat sends to welcome every new girl to our campus. He joins with us in "singing a song of praise" to the Sidney Lanier Society and hopes that you will join us in helping to make our society a bigger and better "flock."

I saw a statement in the paper today to this effect: Seventy percent of the men in WHO'S WHO in America are college men, and only one person in a hundred goes to college. One college man in forty achieves distinction, while only one non-college man in ten thousand achieves distinction. Twelve per cent of the white population in North Carolina are illiterate. Young friends, there is a great task lying out in front of you; to remove the bondage of ignorance from the citizenship of your state; to break the shackles and to set the youth of North Carolina free; that you may make your whole state the thing that Aycock dreamed it would be. You are here to make your beginning in this great war against ignorance in our state.

And may Jehovah give to each of you the opportunity to accomplish your life's purpose.



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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD.

Knowledge comes, but wisdom lingers.—*Tennyson.*

We are surrounded by traditions that once were living but now are dead.—*Harlock Ellis.*

I judge people by what they might be,—not are, nor will be.—*Robert Browning.*

Most schools in America today are simply places for parroting facts.—*John Gould Fletcher.*

We perpetually believe that a serious subject makes what is said about it important.—*H. C. Bailey.*

The purpose of an education is to help the truth in order that we may do the right.—*Dr. Boyd Edwards.*

Large streams from little fountains flow.  
Tall oaks from little acorns grow.—*David Everett.*

It will be well for any of you who are thinking of running for the presidency in the future to remember that the locusts will be with us again in 1948. That year will certainly be a bad one for the White House.—*William Castle, Jr., Under Sec. of State.*

The Teco Echo urges the faculty and officers to use the columns of the paper for official announcements, mass meetings, club meetings, and class meetings.

## WELCOME FRESHMEN!

This issue of The Teco Echo is for you, Freshmen! All the week you have been welcomed by various organizations, and now the College Newspaper greets you.

You will find in this issue a message from President Wright, Miss Morton, and the president of the major organizations on the campus. They were written for you. Keep them—you will find that they will be of value to you throughout your college days.

It is the hope of the staff that this issue of The Teco Echo will be of value to you for information, and also for a record of your first week at E. C. T. C.

## BOOST YOUR COLLEGE PAPER!

We want a better paper, do you? But we can't make it a better paper without your support. Do you write poetry? Can you write editorials? Have you anything to contribute to make The Teco Echo a bigger and better paper?

This year we are beginning a Reporters Club which will be composed of all reporters, who want to contribute. This club will meet every two weeks, each time to learn something new about journalism. The success of next year's Teco Echo, as well as that of this year's paper depends largely on this club. Would you like to be a member? Cooperation will make our paper the kind of a paper we want to send out. Can we count on you?

## Open Forum

In each edition of The Teco Echo this column is set aside for the discussion of problems of our readers. In this column you may give your opinion on any question, or problem in which you are interested. Your opinion may be worth something to someone else. This column has been given to you. Take advantage of it!

## READ THE TECO ECHO.

This is the first issue of The Teco Echo to be published this term. The staff has been handicapped by the lack of news and time, but finally some sort of scrap paper has appeared. I wish to urge that before we come forward with our criticism, that we know just what is wrong or good about the paper, and go to the staff and make our criticisms and suggestions to them. Let us be sure that we don't give The Teco Echo a glance then toss it aside and say there is nothing in it. Form the habit of reading every word of it—Ads and all.

## REQUIREMENTS OF A SCHOLAR.

Understanding and appreciation of other races and cultures contemporary or remote.

Ability and disposition to weigh evidence in controversial matters.

Ability and disposition to mentally project an understating through its successive steps before undertaking it.

Skill in explanation and prediction.

Ability and disposition to look beneath the surface of things before passing judgment.

Ability to do reflective thinking.

Disposition toward continued study and intellectual cultivation.

Critical and questioning attitude toward traditional sanctions.

Clarity in definition. Discrimination in values in reacting to environment, social and physical.

Analytical approach to propositions leading to the detection of fallacies and contradictions.

Ability and disposition to observe accurately and systematically.

Understanding and skill in the use of process of induction, deduction and generalization.

The ability to see relationships and accuracy in their interpretation.

A freshness of interest with respect to the developments of knowledge. — *InterCollegiate Press News*

An elderly looking patient was shown into the doctor's surgery. "So you have severe headaches, pains in the back, and bilious attacks?" said the doctor. "H'm! What is your age, madam?" "Twenty-five," she replied coyly. The doctor continued to write. "Yes—and loss of memory, too," he murmured.—*Christian Observer.*

There had been several earthquake shocks in a certain district; so a married couple sent their little boy to an uncle who lived out of the dangerous zone. A day or two later they received a telegram: "Am returning your boy; send earthquake."—*Pearson's*

E. C. T. C.  
Oct. 1, 1931

Dear Ma and Pa and the folks:  
I'm miserable! If you don't come after me right away I'll jump out of a window or something; just see if I don't. Honestly ma and pa, my eyes are all swollen from crying and look so ugly that nobody pays me any mind. You'd think they didn't even know that I was president of my class in high school and voted the prettiest girl and everything, but they can't fool me. Of course, when we have a class meeting I'll probably be elected to something or other, because all the teachers last year said one look at me showed that I had powers of leadership. I don't care about that though I WANT TO GO HOME.

The girls up here aren't a bit nice like I thought they would be. Why, I always thought when you got to college that they came around and invited you to feasts and things but all I've seen to eat around here is hash in the dining room. Gee! the girls aren't even polite. I smiled at one this morning and all she said was "hello, Freshman." I wonder how she knew I was a Freshman? Anyhow she must be somebody important because I saw her walk right up to one of the professors and speak and he actually answered her.

Speaking of professors; in one of my classes this morning Mr. Flanagan (oh! ma, he's kinda young, and human looking—not a bit like a professor) called me Miss Jones, and I told him that it would be alright to call me Mary, 'cause all the folks at home did. Something funny must have happened about then because everybody laughed and Mr. Flanagan got all red in the face, just like he had a fish-bone in his throat.

Well, ma and pa, I guess you all are getting ready to go to bed now. The lights go off here at 10:30 and I never do have time to brush my hair one-hundred times like it says in the beauty book and roll it up on paper. The old beds are so hard that I just wish and wish for my feather-bed on if I were there I wouldn't even fuss a Sis for crowding.

Ma, I'm trying to do just what you told me about being polite to everybody and not eating too fat at the table. I don't have to remember about the forks, because we don't have but one. Some of the girls were greedy enough to take orange out of the diningroom at breakfast but not me!

Guess I'll have to close and go to bed. Please, please, come to see me and bring some good old fried chicken.

Love and kisses,

MARY.

P. S. Send my tooth-brush.

Dear family:

What I'd give to see real folks again and to be treated with a tiny bit of consideration. This place is awful and I know I shall be gray-headed if I stay here very long.

I got here about 2:00 Monday, rather shaken up after riding over that twenty miles of rough road in our old tin lizzie. I wish you could have seen that green-looking daughter of yours as she got out of that mud-spattered car with old worn-out suit cases in her hands and numerous bundles wrapped in newspaper tucked securely under each arm.

I had not the faintest idea which one of the many buildings I was to call my home for the next nine months. Nevertheless, I started out up the board walk, heavy of feet and heart.

Walking aimlessly for several minutes I at last caught sight of several girls coming down the walk toward me. As I approached them I became more and more aware of my tight fitting waist, short skirt, old run-over shoes, cotton stockings and faded tam. Nearer and nearer they came and weaker grew my heart. Just as I came even with them I asked them if they were Freshmen. Honestly if I insulted them I did not mean to. Just the same they turned their noses up a block or two in the air and completely ignored me.

With my feathers slightly ruffled, I proceeded on up the walk. Again I saw some one—a girl. When I reached her it seemed I could not speak, but I knew I must or walk on green as ever. I heard myself as in a far-off voice—"Where is Wilson?" She thawed a little, enough to point out the building. Stuttering my thanks, I fairly flew up the pavement; into the building and stumbled into room 4.

On reaching my room I found myself alone in a forsaken-looking place, with bare beds, a table and two chairs. No one can imagine my feelings.

Just as I was about to burst into tears I saw everybody running toward the dining hall. Half-heartedly I entered the race and arrived breathlessly at the table of upper classmen. None of them spoke to me or seemed at all interested in whether I starved or not. I know that meal was the least digested of any I have



## Jokes

You're too conceited about your looks."

"Not at all. I don't think I'm half as good-looking as I really am."—*Rotunda.*

"Meet me at the corner to-night at seven."

"All right, what time will you be there?"

After all, you know, the best jokes aren't printed; no indeed! They're running around all over school!—*Rotunda.*

Miss Wilson to coed: "I don't know whether you belong here or not, but I'll take your name any way."

Senior: "Have you seen a government book by mistake?"

Freshman: "No, I haven't; did she write one?"

An old German woman went into the drug store and up to the clerk with the question mark beaming up in her face, and said:

"I want another bottle of dat same medicine vot mein old man got."

"Oh, yes," politely said the clerk.

"What was the name of the medicine?"

"I don't know; he said you knew him."

"What is your name?"

"Same as mine husband."

"What is your husband's name?"

"Jacob."

"Jacob what?"

"Yah, dot's right."

"What's right?"

"Jacob Wott."

"I mean what is his last name?"

"Wott is his last name. Jacob is his first name. Jacob Wott is his whole name. Wott is his name. Wott is my name. Wott is both of our names."—*Christian Observer.*

He: "I've never seen such dreamy eyes."

She: "You've never stayed so late before."—*Judge.*

"Do you believe in heredity?"

"Of course I do," replied the gently egoist. "Why, I've got one of the brightest boys you ever saw."

He: "Dearest, will you marry me?"

She: "No, I can never marry you, Jack; but I shall always respect your good taste."—*Montreal Star.*

## SCHEDULE.

School Hours

Rising Bell—6:30 A. M.

Breakfast—7:30 A. M.

Recitations—8:15 A. M. to 12:25 P. M.

Lunch—12:50 P. M. except Sunday.

1:00 P. M.

Recitations—1:25 P. M. to 4:25 P. M.

Dinner—5:55 P. M.

Study hour—7:30 P. M. to 10:30 P. M.

Lights out—10:30 P. M.

Office Hours of the Dean of Women

8:30—10:30 A. M.

1:30—2:30 P. M.

Conference by appointment.

There are no office hours on Sunday.

House Keeper's Hours

8:15 A. M.—10:00 A. M.

Infirmary Hours

8:00—9:00 A. M.

1:30—2:30 P. M.

6:30—7:30 P. M.

Girls needing medicine must get it before 7:30 P. M. In case of emergency girls may go to the infirmary at any hour.

1. There must be quiet in the dormitories from 7:30 P. M. to 6:30 A. M.

ever eaten.

When the girls finished eating I left a plate hardly touched; and followed them out of the dining hall. Once out I found myself alone in the night.

After a long time I gathered courage to face the loneliness of that dreary room. To tired to take off my clothes, I threw two sheets on the bed, crawled in between them and flooded my room in tears, too sick and lonely to have any interest in anybody or anything.

Thus passed my first day of my college life. Today I feel better for my tears but not. I still want to come home. Write to me real soon and give me

a little encouragement or I am coming home C. O. D.

Heaps of love,  
MARGARET.

What every college girl needs is an unbreakable father.—*Rotunda.*

Miss Green: "What is the number of the noun pants?"

Freshman: "Wh, uh, pants is an uncommon noun, because pants is singular at the top and plural at the bottom."

## GOODYEAR SHOE SHOP

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COME TO SEE US!

McKay-Washington Co.

"The Ladies Store"

400 Evans Street





#### FRESHMEN FACULTY TEA.

Wilson Hall parlor proved to be an excellent sitting for the Freshmen Faculty Tea held Wednesday afternoon. This tea, which is an annual event on our campus, seemed to be unusually pretty this year because of the abundance of flowers used to decorate the room.

The first guests arrived shortly after five o'clock and were introduced to a receiving line composed of Dr. R. H. Wright, Miss Wright, Miss Morton, Cullie Stafford, Y. W. C. A. president, and Millie Moore, Student Government president. They were served punch and wafers. Music was furnished during the evening by Dorothy Sloan.

The new girls met and chatted with others for one short hour. The afternoon proved to be an enjoyable one for all.

#### THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION WELCOMES YOU.

This is the only organization of which all students of the college become members as soon as they enter.

In order to know just what student government means, it is well to remember something of what it does for us in our own college. It develops self control and encourages right ideals and personal responsibility in the students. Our student government also keeps in close touch and cooperates with the student government movement in other colleges.

With good spirit and cooperation of every girl, let us make this year the most successful one that we have ever had.

#### Y. W. C. A. AND STUDENT GOVERNMENT ENTERTAIN THE FRESHMEN

Saturday night the Freshmen were delightful entertained at a dance in the auditorium of the Social Religious Building. New girls and old girls danced together harmoniously. It was a big time for all students. This dance is given annually in honor of the new girls.

After refreshments had been served the girls gaily left for the show in the Austin auditorium.

#### WELCOME NEW GIRLS.

We're glad you're here and we hope you'll like it. It is our wish to make you happy and to make you feel at home. Call on us at any time.

CULLIE STAFFORD,  
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#### NOTICE.

As soon as you get organized for this year, elect your Teco Echo reporter so that your activities can be published in your college paper. Send the name of all reporters to the Editor of the Teco Echo.

#### PORTRAIT OF A FRESHMEN.

A wistful look  
A bit of bravado  
A brand new dress  
Hatboxes adorned with recently acquired stickers;  
A noticeable movement about the knees.  
Tears about to spill over and ruin that brand new complexion.  
A look of wonderment as two old girls pass who actually look happy.  
Blistered heels.  
With flustered parents in town.  
A box of grapes in hand from the grape vines back home.  
A shiny trunk.  
A sweater over one arm with a high school letter carefully placed on the outside.  
Questions.

#### CELEBRATED SAYINGS

It isn't the original cost; it's the upkeep.—Solomon.  
The first hundred years are the hardest.—Methuselah.  
It floats!—Noah.  
An Apple a day, keeps the doctor away.—Adam.  
Is it hot enough for you?—Nero.  
It won't be long now.—Sampson.  
Step on it.—Sir Walter Raleigh.

Baby needs New Shoes.—Cleopatra.  
Oh Henry!—Ann Boleyn.  
What a whale of a difference.—Jonah.  
Came the Dawn.—Mayor Walker.  
Don't give up the Ship.—Sevine.  
After me the deluge.—Volstead.  
—Queems Blues.

#### COLLEGE SONG.

Hurrah for our college so free!  
May her banner sweep onward for ever.  
The college for you and for me,  
With standards of the right,  
Then we'll cheer for our college always  
As she fights with a mighty endeavor,  
From the depths of our hearts we will say,  
That by her right and by her might,  
She'll live forever!



#### MEET ESSIE ESSIE

Seniors vs. Freshmen.

E. C. T. C.

Freshmen to-day — Seniors to-morrow!

E. C. T. C.

The one comforting thought that all Freshmen have, is that no one expects him to be anything but green. The Seniors have to appear wise when all the time they know they are the dumbest on the campus.

E. C. T. C.

If you walk into a room that is spotlessly clean and orderly it belongs to a Freshmen, but if the beds are unmade and articles are lying where they hit—that room belongs to a Senior.

E. C. T. C.

If the Freshmen haven't been welcomed enough to make them feel at home, it isn't the fault of the word welcome.

E. C. T. C.

"No news mean good news." Times must be picking up around here.

E. C. T. C.

"My word is law" say the upper classmen to the Freshmen.

E. C. T. C.

"Keep your Sunny Sides Up" Freshmen—it won't last forever.

E. C. T. C.

Tales about the laundry list, black cats, bull dogs, and billy goats are already hovering about the campus.

E. C. T. C.

Don't cry! It isn't but 3 months before Christmas.

E. C. T. C.

The Seniors look pityingly at the tears in the Freshmen's eyes and say, "There sits me four years ago."

E. C. T. C.

We're back again. We hope everybody had the happiest vacation ever.

E. C. T. C.

We congratulate our college on its Freshmen.

E. C. T. C.

Even the smallest Freshmen might grow to be the biggest of Seniors. Freshmen! Read the advertising column, and patronize the stores

whose ads appear in The Teco Echo.

E. C. T. C.

Read the Inter-Collegiate Press News. You will find it interesting. Now that you are here aren't you glad you came to E. C. T. C.?

E. C. T. C.

Usually the E. C. T. C. girls wait until they have been here a week to say, "I'm broke," but this term they say it with the same breath they set their hat boxes down with.

E. C. T. C.

She—"Best girl I saw you with last night?"

He—"Necks best."

Moscow—An ancient city, believed to have thrived in the second to fourth centuries before Christ, has been discovered by Soviet archeologists, buried on the floor of the Black Sea on the southwestern extremity of the Crimean Peninsula.

Divers found the city under 40 feet of water, and reported the ruins to be those of a city in the shape of a great horse shoe, with walls, towers, houses and underground tunnels honeycombing the whole.

The archeologists believe the city was destroyed in the gradual sinking of the land, which is known to be creeping rapidly into the sea.

The approximate dates of the city were established by red clay earthenware and crockery lying about.



#### Campus Gossip

We heard this on a Freshman: She was trying to register. Having acquired all the necessary cards and waded through the complicated procedure without mishap she began to feel better about the matter. But lo! There was the table marked "Information" that she hadn't visited. With a downcast expression, she asked an upper classman, "Do I have to go there?"

Here's another one! One Senior ate breakfast with five Freshmen this morning. They had oranges. But the Freshmen were too polite. They left their orange on the plate. They happened? The Senior has one half dozen oranges in her window.

And yet another: Maggie McPherson was looking for somebody to type The Teco Echo. She asked several Freshmen if they knew anyone who could type. "No," said one, "but I'll find the editor of the paper. If she can't type then she'll tell you who can."

Don't cry little Freshmen,  
Don't you cry  
You'll be a Sophomore  
By and by.

Millie Moore, while kindly assisting the Freshmen, called out to one going by the office, "Have you checked in?" Imagine how she felt when some one told her that the girl graduated from here four years ago.

Elizabeth Highsmith asked an old girl if she could direct her to the campus. Lets hope she found it.

'Twas said that Rebecca Pittman was asked to go call Cullie Stafford. Rebecca hesitated a moment, then said—"Er—shall I call her Miss?"

"Are Johnnie and Henrietta self-centered?"  
"Self-centered? Why they think that 'Hail, Hail, the gang's all Here' is a duet."

Mr. Henderson: "Miss Norris, have you had any education?"

Adelia Norris: "Batting her eyes and looking indignant. 'I reckon I have! I've graduated from Beaufort High School.'"

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## INTERCOLLEGIATE LETTER

New York (IP)—The College senior fared rather more badly than the college freshman in a report issued this past week by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

According to this report, based on tests given more than 10,000 college students in Pennsylvania colleges and universities, the "savages of forgetting" caused the senior to lose, ever before getting his sheepskin, much of the knowledge he had acquired during four years at school.

"The college senior recognizes only 61 out of 100 words in familiar use by educated persons," the report said. "The effect of college on the word supply of the ordinary student appears to be almost negligible and in some cases positively injurious."

"The school and college curriculum," the report added, "consists of little else but isolated packages of specific ideas, segregated for the time being in self-contained courses, elected semester-wise and cut off by examinations and credits from any other living conditions. The sacredness of such systems of credit coinage dominates both teacher and pupil."

"The raw information which the courses had presented and which, with proper treatment, might have contributed to a fine body of intellectual equipment, was dumped outright at the close of the successive terms, and when the student came out of college his effective knowledge amounted to little more than when as a freshman he entered the institution."

Sindia, India.—The ten commandments which he says have guided his own conduct were given as follows by Mahatma Gandhi:

Truth; Ahimsa, which may be translated into English as love; Brahmacharya, which may be inadequately expressed as chastity; Restraint of the palate, which he elaborates as eating for the mere sustenance of the body, abstaining from intoxicating drinks and drugs such as opium and tobacco; Abstaining from the possession of things for themselves; Adherence to life's law that one's bread must be earned by the sweat of one's brow; Swadeshi, the belief that man's primary duty is to serve his neighbor; Belief in the equality of all mankind; Belief in the equality of all the great faiths of the world; Fearlessness.

Ocean Grove, N. J.—The present generation is "cynical, scoffing and self-willed," Rev. Dr. Walter A. Maier of Concordia Theological Seminary, St. Louis, said here in an address before a Luther Day celebration audience.

Chicago.—The mud pies that children often make could be eaten with enjoyment by many adults in various parts of the world, according to facts revealed in "Geophagy," a book published recently by Dr. Berthold Laufer, curator of anthropology at the Field Museum of Natural History.

Dr. Laufer has made extensive research in geophagy, which is the practice of eating clay, loam and other types of soil, and has published the results of his studies throughout many countries in both ancient and modern times. His investigations began with records of earth eating in China.

Traces of the custom have been found in Indo-China, Malaysia, Polynesia, Melanesia, Australia, India, Burma, Siam, Central Asia, Siberia, Persia, Arabia, Africa, Europe, North America, Mexico, Central America and South America.

As a rule not every kind of earth is eaten, according to Dr. Laufer, but only those kinds which recommend themselves through certain qualities of color, odor, flavor, softness and plasticity.

Geophagy occurs among the most civilized nations as well as among primitive tribes. It bears no relation to climate, race, creed or culture. It is a habit that occurs among individuals and not among any particular tribal or social group.

The women of Spain, says Dr. Laufer, once believed the eating of earth was an aid to a delicate complexion and the ladies of the Spanish aristocracy in the 17th Century had such a passion for geophagy that the ecclesiastic and secular authorities took steps to combat the evil.

Austin, Texas.—Professor Alfred Kemngott, instructor of romance languages at the University of Texas, while on a visit to Germany this summer, met a woman salesman in a hat shop, liked her looks, and three days later married her. The couple made a wedding trip to Locarno, then returned to the United States Aug. 12.

South Hadley, Mass.—Speaking be-

fore the tenth annual meeting of the International Student Service at Mount Holyoke College here, Dr. W. M. Kotschnig of Austria said he believed the unemployment situation could be blamed on the colleges for their failure to cope with vital economic problems.

Philadelphia.—Five hundred thousand dollars which he had in his original will bequeathed to Yale University, will go to Lehigh University instead, under a codicil discovered in the will of the late Dr. Charles W. MacFarlane, economist and engineer, who died last May.

The codicil explained that the exchange was made because the donor believed the money would do more good in the smaller school.

The bequest will enable Lehigh to complete an economic history of the Roman Empire started by Dr. MacFarlane, who was engaged for many years in the preparation of the history and who gathered many thousand excerpts and references to sources, which he partly catalogued.

Delaware, O.—Scientists at Perkins Observatory at Ohio Wesleyan University hope that before the solar eclipse visits this part of the country next year they will have ready for use the mammoth 69-inch mirror, the third largest in the world, now being installed in the observatory.

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