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# PULLEN LITERARY SOCIETY BANQUETS AT THE BLAND

Dr. Riddick and Mr. Powell Address Society at Close of Year's Work; R. W. Cline Leader Next Year

At. 8:30 last Friday evening the doors leading from the lobby to the banquet hall of the Bland Hotel were opened and a goodly representation from Pullen Literary Society marched into the artistically decorated banquet room. On the walls hung quite a number of pennants and banners, and on each table was a bunch of sweet-smelling sweetpeas. An elaborate feed was spread which was much enjoyed and was seasoned by continuous bursts of laughter and merriment.

Immediately after the supper was served, the meeting was turned over for speeches and the election of officers. Honorary guests, Dr. W. C. Riddick and Professor Powell, were given a chance to talk. Both speeches were much enjoyed, especially when, at the suggestion of Mr. Langley, Dr. Riddick promised to provide the English Department with a man whose business it will be to coach debating and public speaking. The meeting was then opened for voluntary speeches, and nearly every one present responded with a few words.

After two hours of eating and speaking, those present proceeded with the business of the election of officers. Because of the interest and sincerity manifested by R. W. Cline during the past three years, "Shorty" was elected president for next fall. With him the following other officers were elected: Vice president, E. G. Moore; secretary, L. A. Whitford; treasurer, R. H. Raper; critic, W. L. Trevathan; censor, C. D. Killian; sergeant-at-arms, C. R. Reed; reporter, J. L. Andrews.

The retiring president, Mr. Charles H. Warren, made a short talk in which he thanked the members for their excellent spirit of co-operation during the year, after which he turned over the meeting to the new president. Mr. Cline expressed his appreciation for the honor bestowed upon him, and in a condensed form told the society what he wished to accomplish.

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### SENIOR TEXTILE CLASS VISIT ROSEMARY MILLS

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On last Wednesday morning at the wee sma' hour of 4:30 a.m., to the tune of a sixty-miles-per-hour wind, the Senior Textile Class sped away from Raleigh to the little town of Roanoke Rapids, to be the guests

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# PINE BURR SOCIETY ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

Hamrick Succeeds Fountain as President; Prof. Browne First Non-Alumni Faculty Member

The Pine Burr Society, the honor scholarship society of State College, held its last meeting of the college year Thursday morning and elected the following officers to serve for the next year: President, H. D. Ham-

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# CARL BRIDGES HEADS LEAZARITES NEXT YEAR

Possibilities for Growth of Society Seem Unlimited; Brilliant Orator Chosen for Next Year's Leader

At the last meeting of the Leazar Literary Society, the time was given over to the election of officers for the next term. A great deal of interest was shown by the members of the society as they gathered together for the selection of the men who should pilot the organization throughout the coming year. In the election there was considerable competition among the candidates for the presidency, as there were contestants who have the greatest of ability and enthusiasm for the growth of the society. The contest finally narrowed down to a battle between R. H. Scott, who happened to be away at that time with the track team, and Carl Bridges, who has this year shown so much ability in the business of speechmaking. In the hotly contested election which followed, Bridges was finally declared the winner by a narrow margin, amid much applause from his admirers. With the election of Bridges, the society gets certainly one of the most able executives it has had in many years, and stock in the society took a decided rise for the work of the coming season. Since he has been a member of the society, Bridges has never missed an opportunity to be as active as possible for the work of the society, and has shown some brilliant ability.

Leazarites over all the campus hail his election with great joy, as it seems to be the opening of a great era of growth and development in the society.

The other officers elected to work with Bridges are: Vice president, M. L. Snipes; secretary, C. E. Vick; treasurer, H. G. Moore; chaplain, R. G. Peeler; censor, L. N. Brown; critic, J. M. McGougan; sergeant-at-arms, H. S. Wilfong.

"I hope I make myself clear," said the water as it passed through the filter.—The Mississippian.

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### **EDITORIAL**

It's nice that we don't have to write so much to fill this page this week, isn't it?

Author wants us to suggest a good title for a book on domestic quarrels. Why not call it "Scraps of Married Life."

We saw a Raleigh woman the other day buying a maid's apron. Her husband probably wears it while drying the dishes.

When we were in high school, we could take things easily. It isn't that way here. Everything is kept locked up.

Barber told us the other day that our hair was getting thin on top. That's all right. We don't like fat hair, anyway.

The seniors are practically through their examinations. Almost every one of them passed. There were no seniors on the Student Council.

Somebody's pet puppy was wandering around the powerhouse yesterday and got in the way of the steam from the blow-off pipe. Hot dog!

There is a high-tempered horse over at the barns, which the fellows call the "Horse de Combat." Now, that isn't so old. We heard it during the war.

One of our professors on examination asked us how did we know that so-and-so was true, and rather than start an argument, we admitted we didn't.

Now, isn't it a relief to think that The Technician and the Tar Heel are not going to have a long-drawn-out discussion of who should take second place in baseball?

Fellow some time ago came around here fuming, and told us to keep our noses out of other people's business. But that didn't hurt our feelings any. We've been insulted by experts.

There has been some talk among the sophomores of not allowing the freshmen to smoke cigarettes any more. That will never do. Some of them wouldn't get any exercise at all.

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#### WHY, GOOD-MORNING, DAVIDSON

Last Tuesday the sturdy baseball players from Davidson College performed a stunt that had not been performed before this season. The wonder team from the institution of our Methodist friends met its first intra-state conqueror when they aligned themselves before the dauntless Presbyterians of Davidson. The game will have no bearing on the State championship, but a little thing like that didn't worry the Davidson sliders in the least. State still has a few recollections of the Presbyterian team, and misery loves company, always.

#### NORTH CAROLINA'S ONLY

While N. C. State was not exactly what one would call at the top, in the Southern Track Tournament at Richmond, it was well above the mediocre group that found itself distributed from the center of affairs on down to the In taking fifth place in competition with all the leading colleges of the South, State presented herself with a distinction the like of which went to no other North Carolina institution. The teams with which they competed were very much impressed with the showing made by the Tar Heel lads, and already offers of dual meets have been made us by teams from Virginia and Maryland. There is a great possibility that at least one or more of these offers will be accepted next year. If it is accepted, that fact, along with the coming of the State meet here next year, and the enlargement of our track, will conspire to put track at State on a more firm footing than it has ever been before. Our present Junior Class boasts of more really highclass track material than any one other class that has been here in several years, and with the aid of the many good men being developed in the Freshman Class, there can be no excuse for a team of anything but the highest type of men another season.

#### THIS SPONSOR BUSINESS

There have been a great many conflicting stories of the exact derivation of the word "Sponsor," and, therefore, any idea we may advance will very probably meet with some further discussion. Some insist that the first three letters come out of the original Greek from the word "sport," which literally translated means a good fellow or something of that kind. Then the letter "n" is put in for the sake of euphony, and the last three letters come from the ancient Sanskrit word "sorry," which has a meaning somewhat like our word "regretful," though it is not disclosed why a word of this meaning should be used. Perhaps it is used for euphony, also, whatever that is. Others retain the last part, but are firm in their belief that the first part comes from the Old English word, "responsus, responsi," which has something to do with an answer. This opens up another channel for discussion, as the derivation does not disclose what the answer should be, or to what question. Any new ideas will be welcomed.

But we will not let the derivation worry us any more. It is enough to say that the sponsor sections of college annuals have become just as much a part of those annuals as the class sections, the athletic sections, or any of the others. By consenting to be named as sponsors for the various activities and organizations that are found on a college campus, they proclaim their loyalty to that organization and to the college of which it is a part. N. C. State is just as proud of its long list of sponsors as it is of its athletic teams, its alumni, or anything else of which it should boast.

And let us add here that we are very sorry that we were unable to obtain cuts of all the sponsors. This was because of the fact that many of them live out of town and the fellows had no suitable pictures which we could obtain on short notice. Therefore, let us have your pardon.

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By defeating the hard-hitting C.E. Juniors in a six-inning slugging contest on Riddick Field, Monday, May 14, the C. E. Sophomore baseball team placed itself one step nearer the campus championship. This fast and snappy aggregation is as yet undefeated in the South and on the campus. If they defeat all of the teams with whom they have games pending, as Trinity, Georgia Tech, the E. E. Sophs, and other leading Southern teams, they will be the undisputed champions of the campus and the South.

The features of Monday's game were the Sophomores' one big inning (the fifth), in which they came from behind and changed a 3-to-2 lead into a 7-to-3 defeat for the Juniors, the stellar pitching of John Jennette for the Sophs and the air-tight backstopping by both catchers, Reed for the Juniors and Key for the Sophs, the perfect work of West on second for

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the Juniors and of Barnes at shortstop for the Sophs, both of whom accepted four chances without a slip; the heavy hitting of both teams and the alternate change from pitch to catch and return of the Junior battery, Herman Curtis and Reid.

The lineups and box score were:

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#### Senior Textile Class Visit Rosemary Mills

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that day of Mr. S. L. Patterson, president of the Rosemary Mills.

The trip was made in five sevenpassenger autos furnished by Mr. Patterson, and without a single breakdown the party arrived at 10:30 a. m. We were greeted and welcomed by the entire staff of officers, and after everybody had met everybody else the party set out for an inspection of what is considered one of the most modern cotton mills and mill villages in the South.

Our first stop was at the schoolhouse, a modern \$300,000 building, which is a credit to the State. It might seem to the outsider that a school building of this size is unnecessary in a cotton mill town of 8,000

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population, most of whom are mill operatives, but upon inquiry we learned that of that 8,000 there are 2,600 attending school. Conducted into the spacious auditorium, beautifully fitted up for motion pictures and plays, with a seating capacity for several thousand people, we there listened to an orchestra of about seventy-five pieces, composed of high school students. Later we were favored by several selections by the glee club, and then the quartet. From here we were taken to the mechanical department, where we found boys busy in the woodshop and drawing

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As the students passed from one

department to another it was clearly evident to the close observer that they were fully conscious of and highly pleased with a department that they had not seen. After resting a few minutes, Mr. Patterson led the way into the dining room of the domestic science department. After

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#### Pine Burr Society Elects Officers

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rick; vice president, J. E. Britt; secretary, J. M. McGougan; treasurer, H. L. Medford; sergeant-at-arms, W. E. Shinn. All are members of the present Junior Class and will be seniors next fall.

After the election of officers and the disposal of other business, including the election of Professor William Hand Browne, of the department of Electrical Engineering, to membership, the society enjoyed a spread of "eats," followed by several informal speeches.

After the speeches, President Fountain briefly summarized the work of the year, and expressed a desire that the society should go forward and increase in size every year. He then turned over the meeting to the newly elected president, H. D. Hamrick, who in a few well chosen words told of his plans for the coming year in the work of the society.

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#### Senior Textile Class Visit Rosemary Mills

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a few well chosen words of welcome by Senator Long, vice president of the company, we were served by high school students a dinner second to none we had ever had before. After dinner Professor Nelson, on behalf of the students, expressed his appreciation for the kindness and hospitality of the company in having the students there.

On leaving the schoolhouse. Mr. Patterson explained that it was the object of the school to give the students an all-round education which would fit them for life in the event they were unable to attend college.

From the schoolhouse we were conducted through each of the four mills, three of which are devoted to the manufacture of the finest grade of table napkins and tablecloths, requiring a large variety of Jacquard looms. The last mill visited manufactures a high grade flannel which is finished in the mills.

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The Robeson County Club, which is one of our strongest county clubs, met Sunday, May 12, for the purpose of electing officers for 1923. Under the leadership of Mr. W. C. John, the club has had a most successful year. Several feeds and banquets were enjoyed by members of the club.

Mr. James M. McGougan, of Lumber Bridge, relieves Mr. John of the presidential duties, while Mr. F. W. Tolar takes over the duties of vice president. Mr. Edwin Tialaly, of Red Springs, was elected secretary and treasurer. One other office was added to those already mentioned, that of reporter. Mr. D. L. Love, of Red Springs, was elected to fill that position.

The new president, Mr. McGougan, outlined the work for next year in a short speech which he made to the club. One thing on the program for next year is a plan to get in touch with every high school in Robeson County and put State College before every boy in the senior classes.

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To make a letter on any athletic team a man must be just a little better than those who are competing with him. To make a success in life we must be able to play the game better than those around us.

There is a lot of difference between "Having a good time" and "Having an enjoyable time." One carries with its memory regret-the other, happi-

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While this cannot be said with reference to the 1923 Agromeck staff. it is nevertheless true that the greater part of their work is done. can sit back now and rest a little, with the feeling that it is about all over but the shouting. And, judging from the few tips that have leaked out from the office, there is due to be a considerable amount of shouting when the books have come off the press. The editor, Mr. Leigh, is, as we all know, thoroughly capable of making the 1923 Agromeck "The niftiest annual yet"; and, when the present Senior Class chose Mr. Satterfield to hold the money sack, it showed rare wisdom. From two such men as these, we may confidently expect an annual which will be all that it is claimed to be-and then

However, let the Agromeck speak for itself; but let the new staff say a few words in appreciation of the old. In the first place, we feel that we have been great honored in being elected to succeed such men as Mr. Leigh and Mr. Satterfield. We know that, if we are to fill the places left vacant by them, we shall have a year of hard work ahead of us. And we know, furthermore, that if next year we make The Agromeck a success, it will be due in a large measure to this year's staff. They have handed down to us no disagreements with those

with whom The Agromeck does business; but, on the contrary, they have passed on to us the good-will of all. Also, they have helped us a great deal by offering advice and suggestions, based on their own experiences. The only way in which they have made our job harder is that they have made the 1923 book so good that we shall have to work overtime to even approach it. But we can forgive them for that, and thank them for the rest.

The end of the term draws near, and the time when we shall have to take their places approaches. Let it be known, then, that we appreciate all that they have done and that the best way we know of to show our appreciation is to make it our aim to maintain in our book the standard they have set in theirs.

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