

History of the Class of 1913



ALTHOUGH the class is under the old superstition that the number '13 is an unlucky one, nevertheless there is not a man in the class who would be willing to change places with a man in another class, on account of superstition. Every Freshman can already see that their class is THE CLASS of the school, not only in athletics but in society. The college teams in nearly all branches of athletics would be greatly handicapped if it were not for the freshmen who have come forward and made the teams what they have been. In society, it can be proved that as many freshmen have attended each social function, as all the other classes combined.

At the opening of school, September 7, the freshmen class which reported for registration, had a greater number than any other previous class in the school's history. And it will be hard for any succeeding classes to equal the class of '13 in quality and quantity.

At the first meeting of the year, class officers were elected and we are proud to announce them as the following: President, Dudley Simpson; Vice-President, Donald Weart; Secretary, George Adams; Treasurer, Font Moore. The social committee and colors were voted on at the next meeting and after various combinations of colors were taken into consideration, Maroon and Pearl Gray, were finally adopted as the colors of '13. The social committee which was elected by the class consisted of G. Adams, P. K. Brown, R. Kirkham, R. E. Agee, and F. Moore.

The class was entertained and enjoyed a very pleasant evening, September 18, when the Y. W. C. A. held the Freshmen Handshake and the program for the evening, followed by refreshments, gave everybody present a kind feeling toward the Y. M. C. A. and a loyal feeling towards the institution.

Again, the evening of November 19, the freshmen were guests of the upper classmen, at the most successful Smoker ever held and the entertainment during the evening and the way the class was treated by the upper classmen, will always be remembered.

After watching the good points which were brought out by the upper classmen's dances, the freshmen came along and gave a dance which out-classed all preceeding dances, not only in attendance, but in the quality of programs and music.

It is the sincere hope of all, that as many members of the freshmen class will return next year to help support the class of maroon and gray, which has passed such a remarkably successful year.

"All asses do not go on four feet."