

THE SENIOR CLASS BOOK

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to classes the next day. The next important thing on the program was the first Atelier election of class officers. George Herlin was made Massier, and Hal Merriman Social Representative. These two steered the class through the year with great success. Chas. Herrick Hammond had his hands full keeping the class from trying to carry off all the loose objects around the Art Institute. The Freshman class were not slow in getting acquainted with the fair damsels of the Art Department. The afternoon informals were well patronized as well as were the matinees of the popular theaters in the loop. Every circus that came to town carried away good Architectural money. In the Sophomore year, we decided to run the Atelier and we surely did. At the Atelier class meeting, R. Friedman was elected Massier, F. Sharpless, Social Representative, H. Cheney, Treasurer, and H. Merriman, "Fulcrum" Representative.

That year we accomplished great things. George Herlin won the Home Traveling Scholarship Prize and an "Architectural Department" was established in the Fulcrum. One of our men drew the frontispiece in the year book. Hal Merriman was made manager of the informals and they have been managed by him ever since.

The Junior year dawned as serene as any of the others, but failed to be such. The '11 Juniors did not have much love for their Design Prof and between pranks played on him and afternoons off, the year was mighty lively. This year at the Atelier election, we did the same stunt of carrying off the majority of offices. Friedman was reelected Massier, Rube Frodin, Social Representative, George Furst, Secretary, H. Sailor, Treasurer, Hal Merriman and H. Cheney, Integral Representatives and the former also Fulcrum Representative.

We started in to eat up the town. Did we do it? Well, I guess. We kicked the Seniors out, and plastered their faces with cream puffs, locked the Junior water color teacher out, and made more than one guard climb the wire fence. Not stopping at this, we one day hung a pail of water over the door and wet thirteen men, and gave "Pa" Shattuck a shower bath. Not satisfied with these minor pranks, we took off the majority of the honors of the Home Travelling Scholarship Contest. K. Saam won the prize and two others of our men received mention.

The last year of our famous regime is now at hand. This year we have held strictly to our former policy, and have carried it through to the end. The class and Atelier officers are R. Friedman as Massier for his third term, Hal Merriman, Chairman of the Social Committee, and R. Smalley, Secretary. This year we again captured the honors in the Home Travelling Scholarship Contest, Bernhard Greengard being the winner. It is with pleasure we step out May 25th and surrender ourselves to the oncoming men. May they fill our places with as much credit as we have.