Home Concert

The Home Concert of the Glee and Mandolin Club was held in the Mission on Friday evening, March the thirteenth. The Concert was without a doubt the best concert the Glee and Mandolin Clubs have ever given at Armour, and everybody that was not present certainly missed an exceptional treat. Due to a sudden illness, it was not possible for Mr. Evan Williams to be present. The numbers that were to be sung by Mr. Williams were filled by the Central Church Choir, Mr. Prothero and his daughter. This substitution was made possible through the efforts of Dr. Gunsaulus, who deserves a hearty vote of thanks for the keen interest shown.

We should have greatly appreciated Mr. Evan Williams, and regret that he was unable to be with us, but we must take off our hats to Dr. Gunsaulus with the Central Church Choir, Mr. Prothero and his daughter. Their music was enthusiastically received.

The opening number on the program was given by the Glee Club. It was quite evident from the applause that the Club had made a decided hit. The work of the Mandolin Club was excellent, and the audience showed its appreciation by its hearty response. The new Armour song, written by S. W. Anderson '15, was well received and due credit must be given to its author. The success of the Glee Club is mostly due to the constant work of Mr. W. G. Smith who has been untiring in his efforts to bring the Glee Club up to its present high standard. The Glee and Mandolin Clubs have been efficiently managed by Mr. John Jucker, Jr.

Two of the selections by the Mandolin Club deserve special mention: "Timbuctoo" and selections from "Il Trovatore." Both clubs appeared in the feature numbers "Dream Days" and "Swing Along."

One of the main attractions of the evening was a dance by Mr. and Mrs. Castle. The dance was a take off on the tango by Mr. Lauletta and "escort." The possibilities of the dance were unfolded at a mile a minute rate which showed considerable dexterity on the part of the dancers. The feats accomplished were indeed remarkable and at times it was difficult to distinguish one from the other in the mad whirl.

The crowd that assembled nearly filled the Mission. The alumni responded in large numbers as did the parents of the students. It was indeed gratifying to see the interest shown by so many of the alumni and the parents of the students, which only goes to show that there is a far wider interest in the school and its doings than we sometimes think. The way to keep up this interest is to have a Home-Coming that will bring out this true Armour spirit.