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Freshman Handshake

About a week had passed when the Freshman began whispering to one another, "This is some grind; nothing but work, work, work!" Ah! they did not know what was coming, but they soon found, from the notices on the bulletin boards, that the Freshman Handshake would be held the next week, on September thirtieth. Well, things were getting brighter for the Freshmen!

On Friday night the mission was crowded at 8 P. M. The Freshmen were then officially received by the faculty, student body, and the Y. M. C. A. The meeting was opened by Mr. Schultze, president of the Armour "Y." President Raymond then welcomed the Freshmen to Armour and enlightened them on the standards of the school. The jazz band then rendered a few peppy selections. Mr. Hollister, Executive Secretary of the Central Y. M. C. A., gave a short talk on the relation between the Central "Y" and the Armour branch. "Gerry" Schumacher was called upon to say a few words concerning athletics at Armour. Dr. Scherger gave an interesting speech on his trip to Europe and the conditions existing over there at the present time. The speeches were interspersed with wild outbursts from the cheer leaders in an effort to teach the Freshmen the Armour yells.

Later everyone filed downstairs where doughnuts and cider were served. After all had been well satisfied, they went to the Gym to witness the basket-ball game between the Juniors and Sophomores—a game that was hotly contested, with the Juniors winning by one basket.

The Frosh Frolic

The Frosh Frolic was held on December thirteenth. A cup was offered by the Athletic Association to the group having the best act, thus making the competition keener and all the acts comparatively better. Mr. Hauth and Mr. Cox sponsored the affair throughout. Four Freshmen were placed in charge of the Frolic activities, and it is to them we can credit much of the success of the Frolic.

The judges awarded the cup to the act entitled "Wild Nell, or, The Pet of the Plains," a take-off on a movie scenario typical of its name. In this feature, Nazimova's only rival was discovered in no less a personage than that of Wild Nell herself. All the presentations of the evening were of nearly equal merit and each received due credit.

The Frosh Frolic was declared by all to be successful in every way, and we can offer no better testimonial to this fact than that the Sophomores themselves acclaimed it a triumph.

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