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Delegates Report

Interesting Talks on Des Moines Convention Given by Marshall Delegation

The delegates from Marshall to the Eighth International Convention of the Student Volunteer Movement for Foreign Missions returned Tuesday, January 6, on No. 2. Since arrangements had already been made for a speaker at Chapel the following day, the first report was given at a joint meeting of the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening. Despite the downpour of rain a large and receptive audience listened attentively to the reports.

The first report, made by Erville Sowards, summarized the history, ideals, and accomplishments of the Student Volunteer Movement for the first generation of its existence, 1886-1919. Interesting data concerning the Convention and the speakers and representatives there followed. In closing, a brief resume of world conditions showing clearly the need of immediate evangelization, and the great opportunity challenging the Christian nations of the world, was given.

The United States, by reason of its great and practical unimpaired resources of man, and man-power, and with one-third the total wealth of the world, was declared to be under bond to humanity to take the lead in any movement tending to ameliorate the condition of any part of the world so much less fortunate than ourselves. Especially is it a challenge to the students of this country to go forth and invest their lives in the best way possible by giving themselves to the service of mankind. In no better way can this be done than by going to foreign fields and showing the millions there the way of life, both physical and spiritual.

The second speaker, Prof. C. E. Hedrick, dwelt particularly with the prob-

Schedules Arranged

Ohio State, University of Cincinnati on Baseball Schedule

High class games are being arranged for Marshall's athletic teams by Archer E. Reilly, director of athletics. Among the teams which will be met on the baseball diamond this spring are Ohio State University, the University of Cincinnati, West Virginia Wesleyan, Virginia Polytechnic, Virginia Military Institute and possibly West Virginia University.

Few dates have been definitely set but Reilly said the Ohio State team would be played here on May 21 and May 22, while the University of Cincinnati team would be seen in action on April 17. Return games will be played with both these schools. V. P. I., Washington & Lee and V. M. I. will be met on the team's trip into Virginia.

Prospects are bright for an exceedingly strong baseball team. Davidson and Workman will probably form the regular battery.

Among the football dates already arranged are:

Ohio University at Athens, Oct. 2.
 Kentucky State, here, Oct. 9.
 Marietta, at Marietta, October 15.
 Davis & Elkins, here, Oct. 29.
 Transylvania, here, November 6.

— M. C. —

lems confronting us who remain here at home in this time of world need. He showed that the work of a missionary can be seriously hampered by the un-Christian attitude and acts of the people of the land from which he came. Besides, he made it plain that there are many problems right here demanding imperative consideration, and which we can only solve permanently by applying the fundamental principles of Christianity. Political, social, and economic problems are now facing the American

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Alumni, Notice!

Hitherto, since the *Parthenon* has been entered as second class mail matter, copies have mailed to many of those on the old mailing list who have not paid their subscription. Of course it is impossible to continue this practice, so this will be the last issue mailed out to those alumni who have not paid up. If you want the *Parthenon*, and the *Parthenon* needs your subscription and support bad enough, send in your money at once. All back numbers, including the special football issue, will be mailed to those subscribing immediately. Have you lost all your old Marshall spirit? Marshall is making great progress, and every alumnus should keep in touch with the activities here.

— M. C. —

Contest

Between College Classes, February 6

The contest between the First Year College Class and the Second and Third Year Classes will take place Friday, February 6, under the auspices of the Erosophian Literary Society. The committees from the classes involved met Monday and made the necessary preparations.

The contestants selected by the classes are as follows:

Oration—W. N. Frasure, Third Year.
 Ray Scott, First Year.

Reading—Emmaline Payne, Second Yr.
 Ellis Reece, First Year.

Debate—Resolved, That the United States would be justified in using military force to establish a stable and equitable government in Mexico.

TO AFFIRM—(First Year)

Russell Morris.

Lucian Harrison.

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Owing to the fact that material for
the *Parthenon* must be in the printer's
hands by Tuesday, and as yet the editor
did not return from Des Moines until
Tuesday about 5:00 P. M., no issue was
published last week. However, as every-
one was gone for the Xmas vacation up
until Jan. 6, nothing had happened here
to be published.

— M. C. —

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TO DENY — (Third Year)
Erville Sowards.
Garry Eckard.

Much interest is being manifested by
the classes, and a warm contest is prom-
ised by both sides. The First Year
Class is to be congratulated upon hav-
ing the temerity to start something
worth while, even there is little hope of
their being able to overcome the strongly
entrenched upper classes. The Second
and Third Year Classes are already plan-
ning a big celebration in anticipation of
victory over their worthy respected
rivals.

— M. C. —

“Ma, do cows and bees go to heaven?”
“Law, child!!! What a foolish ques-
tion.”
“Cause if they don't, the milk and
honey the preacher was talking about
must be canned stuff.”

I lent a book to him,
He lent it to a friend;
The friend may take a whim
The favor to extend
He'll lend it to another,
His sister or his brother.
And one of these day maybe,
My book will be lent to me.

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tional Education, Baltimore, Maryland:

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former Supervisor of Advise ment, who,
as previously announced, is recuperating
from an operation for appendicitis in
Winchester, Va., that a move to collect
a few cents from each member of the
force resulted in such a generous contri-
bution that besides the flowers which
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tiful bouquet of rose buds to help cheer
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“Beauty Hints”..... Eric Dam
“Snappy Stories”..... Elena Me
“Ladies' Home Journal”..... Opal Sm
“Vanity Fair”..... Helen Brewst
“How to Become Beautiful” Jack Sm
“American”..... Jimmie Quinl
“Advice”..... Virginia Workm
“Vogue”..... Eleanor Hawk
“Dancing Taught in Five Lessons”
..... Snooks Wint
“How to Feed and Care for Animals
..... Hugh Da
“Woman's World”..... Doris Harp
“Harper's Bazaar”..... Veda Pe
“American Boy”..... Frank Le S

— M. C. —

McCoy: “Hardrow, I am asking y
the last time for that two bits you o
me.”

Hardrow: “Thank goodness- T
is the end of the silly question.”

— M. C. —

She: “Now since you saw
daughter, which side of the house
you think she resembles?”

Prof.: “H'm — of course her
beauty is not yet developed, but sur
you should not suggest that she lo
like the side of a house.”

DELEGATES REPORT

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people, and immediate and just solutions are vital to the stability of our social fabric. For example, a question of paramount importance to America and the world is whether the United States is going to abandon the high ideals of service to humanity which led us to enter the war, and withdraw to a policy of selfish nationalism, or whether we will set another example of service to mankind and help struggling nations to establish themselves on a stable foundation.

Mae Yoho, in making the last speech, paid particular attention to conditions in Africa, for there is where she expects to do her life's work. She made a stirring plea for the Christianizing of the benighted millions of Africans, and related many instances of the crying need of action at once in Africa is to be Christian instead of Mohammedan. Money is not needed as much as workers, as she told of money for a hospital ready for four years, but no one to use it. Miss Yoho is a forceful speaker and made her audience feel the great need of workers. If every young woman were animated by the same spirit and devotion to duty that characterizes her life, the evangelization of the world in this generation would soon become an actuality.

Every school in West Virginia that was entitled to delegates was represented at the Convention, except Shepherds-town and Glenville Normals. Marshall is proud because of her record as a leader of the schools of the state, and the fact that we did not fail this time again showed our spirit. Only one other school, Salem College, requested additional delegates.

The State Convention will be held at Morgantown, February 22, 23 and Marshall should send a large delegation there.

— M. C. —

Collegian

By **Berton Braley**

College seals upon his letters,
College pennants on his wall,
College letters on his sweaters,
College clothes and shoes, and all;
College slang he's fond of slinging,
With no end of savoir faire,
College songs he's always singing,
"College cut" he wears his hair!

Oh, he tells of college capers
And he has a college walk,
And he reads the college papers,
And he talks the college talk,
Sports a college belt and buckle,
Wears a college fob and chain,

Laughs with quite a college chuckle
Swears in quite a college strain.

Then he dances college fashion,
And he eats at College Inns,
And he has a perfect passion
For displaying college pins
And you'd never in creation
Guess this student—calm and cool—
Got his college education
In a correspondence school!

— M. C. —

Announcements

Classical Association Saturday evening at 8:00. Don't miss a one of these most enjoyable meetings. If you don't know what we do there, come and find out.

Boys who think they can debate should attend the Ciceronian Thursday at 7:00 in Prof. Hedrick's room.

The Y. M. C. A. wants the honor of your attendance at their regular meeting Tuesday at 7:00. Ally yourself with the best organization in school and support it actively.

The Y. W. earnestly requests the girls, whether from the Dorm or out in town, to be present at their meeting Thursday at 6:45 P. M.

As usual, the Erosophian will have an interesting program Friday at 7:00. Come and hear "Hardrow" Wilson tell of his experiences in a tannery. You are missing a great deal if you are not a member of Erosophian.

Le Cercle Francais meets Monday, and all the monsieurs etaussi les mademoiselles qui ont etudie la belle langue Francaise devraient y' etre, n'est-ce pas?

Watch the bulletin board for announcements. You should keep in touch with happenings at school.

— M. C. —

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Viloris Williams spent the week end with relatives in the city.

Lucille Gallup has left school on account of illness at home.

Estelle Ramsey, Gladys Burner, and Annie Queen have left school. Estelle is teaching.

Gladys Gray returned to school Monday.

Nannie Ellen Fry spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Edith Mees spent Sunday with relatives in the city.

Bretis Roles, Betty Young, and Mary Poague Osborne took dinner with a friend at the Frederick.

On their return from the Christmas vacation, the Dorm girls found the small dining room greatly enlarged and decorated in anticipation of new students next semester.

More than the usual number of guests partook of the hospitality of the Dorm last Sunday.

— M. C. —

"Ten dollars."

Motorist: "Can you change a twenty dollar bill?"

Judge: "No, but I can change the fine. Twenty dollars."

— M. C. —

M. A. D.: "How would you like to have a pet monkey, Emmaline?"

E. P.: "O Mervin! This is so sudden!"

— M. C. —

Wise Saws and Modern Instances.

Silence is golden, but you can't hear it clink.

Many a true word is spoken in jest that isn't digested.

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