**Euphradian**

Now that the days are growing longer Society will convene at 8 o'clock instead of the winter hour, this going into effect on March 14th.

At the last meeting of Society the retiring president and the newly elected president delivered their addresses and inaugural addresses respectively. At this meeting the election of Junior Orator and Valedictorian for the commencement exercises of this Society was also held.

Mr. Roy Webster, of the Law Class of 1909, was elected Junior Orator, and Mr. J. M. Hemphill, of the Graduating Class, elected Valedictorian.

The preliminary for State-Oration contest will be held in the chapel on the evening of March 20th. The speakers and officers from this Society for this contest are as follows:

Speakers—J. C. Sheppard, Jr., '09, Edgefield; J. D. Lee, '09, Sumter; and M. R. McDonald, '10, Westminster.

Officers—J. E. Hart, '08, York, chief marshal; C. E. Vance, '11, Richland, and J. I. Hazard, Jr., '11, Georgetown, assistant marshals.

Due to the fact that we are engaged in so many contests during the spring, it was decided that as every contest is practically an inter-Society contest, that the regular inter-Society contest that takes place in April could be easily dispensed with, and a motion was unanimously carried to abolish for all time the Annual Inter-Society Contest, this to go into effect this collegiate year.

The Euphradian department of The Centennial Catalogue of the two Societies is now rapidly nearing completion under the guidance of their most efficient editor-in-chief, Mr. J. Rion McKissick, '05. We hope to see the catalogue, complete in every detail, on sale before the opening of another session.

Mr. P. Ross Moore, '07, is now adjunct professor of history in the Barnes School of Montgomery, Ala.

Mr. J. H. Rogers, a loyal Euphradian of '06, is now teaching in his native town, Society Hill.

Mr. W. C. Hughes, '07, is now Junior member of the law firm of Shelor, Carey & Hughes, Walter, S. C.

**Clariosophic**

A few days ago some of us had called to mind the happy vision of other college days when the drooping form of a Weinberg—not to mention the other celebrities of that day and time—moved and had its being upon the old campus, by the presence among us of Milton Weinberg himself. He is now studying medicine at John.

Walter C. Taylor, '06, is superintendant of the Liberty Graded School, and has, he adds, six young lady assistant teachers.

The Clariosophic Society gladly notes the tribute of a memorial statue of John C. Calhoun to be erected at Washington, he being an honorary member of this Society.

At its January 4th meeting the C. S. elected the following officers: R. E. Gonzales, President; L. W. Perrin, Vice-President; T. C. Callison, Secretary; S. S. Williams, Treasurer; M. S. Whaley, Literary Critic; B. S. Beverly, Librarian; J. O. Allen, Recorder, and M. B. Camp, Sergeant-at-Arms.

**Comings and Goings of Alumni Clariosophics**

W. H. Muller, '05, who has for a great part of the time since his graduation been with Associate Justice Woods and with Chief Justice Pope, respectively as secretary, is now going to practice law with Col. Knox Livingston at Bennettsville.

Frank Todd, '03, has recently located at Columbia with J. F. Lipscomb, broker.

W. P. Robinson, Law '05, who has been secretary to Associate Justice Jones, represents Lancaster County in the House of Representatives.

F. F. Covington, Jr., of Marion, a first honor man of '06, writes for a copy of the first issue of The Gamecock.

J. E. Harley, Law '02, is now serving his fourth year in the Legislature as a representative of Barnwell County.

Some of the great newspaper men of the State have been South Carolina College men. At the present time the University has both in the State and abroad a good number of sons who are always recalled with pride as alumni, men also most loyal to their alma mater. In Columbia, with The State, are Mr. E. F. Withers, A. B., '01; Mr. Fitz Hugh McMast, A. B., '03; Mr. J. H. Bagot, B. S., '01; Mr. George Kohn, A. B., '02; Mr. C. M. Galway, A. B., '07; Mr. L. M. Green, A. B., '07; Miss Bessie Davis, '03; Mr. L. B. Martin, '03. Mr. Zach McShee, A. M., 1900, is the Washington correspondent for the State. Miss Jean Flinn, '04, is one of the staff of The Record, Columbia. With The News and Courier, in Charleston, is Mr. W. B. Ball, one of the editors. The Columbia office of The News and Courier has been for many years in charge of Mr. August Kohn, A. B., '89; its Washington correspondent is Mr. P. H. McCowan, L. B., '93, who is assisted by Mr. McGowan, '07. Prof. Yates Snowden came from The News and Courier to the chair of History and Political Economy in the University.


Mr. George C. Bowen, '03, has just finished at West Point.Lieut. Bowen is a native of Columbia.

The Legislature recently elected Mr. Fitz Hugh McMast to the newly created office of Insurance Commissioner. Mr. McMast, who graduated from the University in 1893, and also from the Law School in 1891, has been in the newspaper business for several years, being at present circulation manager of The State. He has had four years' experience in connection with insurance, so that he is well qualified to fill the office of Commissioner.

Lieuts. Emile F. Moses, '99, andSaye Dusenbury, '01, have been advanced from second to first lieutenant. Lieut. Moses is in the marine corps and stationed at Boston. Lieut. Dusenbury is stationed at Fort Monroe.

**Locals**

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Now that baseball is all the go it might be interesting to lovers of the game to know that it is of ancient origin. We read in the Bible that Rebecca went down to the well with the pitcher and caught Isaac.

A woman takes no interest in baseball because she is prejudiced against bats, especially when her husband is partial to them.

Senior Perrin to Fresh Perrin—"Billie, I got a letter this morning from uncle telling me to get tickets for Sousa's concert."

Fresh Perrin—"For what?"

Senior Perrin—"For Sousa's concert, and I want you to go up town and get tickets for you, me and L."

Fresh, Ligon, seeing the palmetto tree monument on the capitol grounds said, "Why don't they protect that tree in winter? Won't the cold kill it?"

Ross and Sheppard (mostly Ross), went up to the Garren Electric Company a few days ago and persistently demanded an efficient light.

Prof. Carson—"Mr. Heyward, what is gravity, and tell us something about its discovery?"

Ben Heyward—"Gravity was discovered by Isaac Walton. It is chiefly noticeable in the autumn when apples are falling."

Prof. Esterling—"Mr. Cartwright, what is a parallel straight line?"

George Cartwright—"A parallel straight line is one when produced to meet itself does not meet."