Rice Institute, Houston, Texas, March 11, 1916

Rice Breaks Even in Final Games

No. 5

JUNIORS CONCLUDE FROM ARRANGEMENTS

Committee Is To Be Chosen To Supervise Campus Work

On Wednesday, March 1, the Junior class made an effort to coordinate all business relating to the Prom and to the next home football game. Class dues were raised from $1 to meet the expenses of the Prom. The money raised from this source is always put to good use, and when the Junior class turns it over to the Executive Board, the usual aim is that it be again increased. The Junior class desires to make this class year one of the most successful in history, and to that end is anxious to get the cooperation of every member of the class.

The Junior class wishes to express its appreciation to every member of the class for the splendid work done at the last home football game. The Junior class hopes that the cooperation it received will continue, and that the members of the class will continue to have confidence in the Junior class as a whole and in the class officers.

SENIORS GO ON BOAT RIDE MARCH 2

Boat Ride with the Rice Bulletin

On Tuesday evening, February 29th, the Engineering Association had their second regular meeting of this year. The president of the association, Mr. David, President of the Houston Company, gave a most interesting and instructive talk to the society on the subject of "The Story of Water". The meeting was held in the faculty chamber. Dr. Guerard presided at the meeting.

The dormitory men, particularly, failed to do their duty in preparing their speeches. The audience, after having gone to so much trouble, was disappointed by the lack of preparation on the part of the Owls. The Owls were beaten by such an exhibitor as the Owls' weak points are. The Owls have been getting back to their old selves, however, as the other two double plays were really good.

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EDITORIAL

A-editor the other day, while complimenting the Thresher as a whole, brought up the point that the views in the various columns were sometimes rather critical. We are not in the habit of being unfriendly, nor do we think it is our business to be discourteous, but we take our stand in the fact that if we are not occasional, we fail to do the thing that we are trying to accomplish. We see, however, that the Thresher is not the only journal which is somewhat critical, and we feel that some of our criticisms are justified.

On Tuesday night there was held in the Little Theater a talk by Professor S. H. J. D., on "The History of the Chinese Theater in America." Although the attendance was not very large, we feel that some of the students who attended were interested and enjoyed the lecture.

The contest had been announced in advance of the meeting, and the students were asked to bring their own literary work, either in the form of a manuscript or a typed copy. The students were then given a chance to read their work, and the audience present were asked to give their opinions as to the quality of the work. The students were very enthusiastic, and the audience was impressed with the talent of the students.

They have them at $3, $4, $5 — colors galore, and many! how gracious are they in presenting them to you.

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ENGINEERS VISIT THE FORD PLANT

February 25th the members of the machine shop and industrial management classes made a trip to the Ford Motor Company Plant on the Harrington Road. They were in the plant from 9:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. and were guided through by the company's mascot. The visit was of great interest to the students as it was the first time they had seen the factory.
and lately, up and down our hedged lanes. The more it snows, the more it gravitates, and finally forms the buckle. Oh, little fishes, isn’t it heaven here—the cans?

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OFFICERS ELECTED FOR CADET CORPS

The rifle cadets are now fully organized into two companies. The officers of each company were elected during the past week. They are as follows: Captain, "A" Company; Krause, 1st lieutenant, "A" Company; Carson, 2nd lieutenant, "A" Company; Dramm, 1stsergeant, "A" Company. Captain, "B" Company; Wilbur, 1st lieutenant, "B" Company; R. Mitchell, 2nd lieutenant, "B" Company. Capt. C., 1stsergeant, "B" Company. All of these officers are well trained in military drill. They have had experience in either college military training exercises, the National Guard, either rifle corps, or in the naval militia. At present each of the companies has about forty men. Now men will be taken in at any time upon application to either of the captains, provided, of course, they can pass the physical examination.

It is hoped that every man not taking part in track work or baseball will do so at once to join one of these companies. Even a voluntary military organization in the school will do a great deal toward creating and fostering a college spirit. Military drill is one of the best forms of exercise, being especially beneficial to the student. By keeping the body in good physical condition, the student is capable of the highest scholastic duties without danger of impairing his health. It is also mentally beneficial in that it makes the mind more active and develops a capacity for quick thinking.

If you are a Wilson man, join the rifle corps and show him that you are for preparedness.

LITERALLY

J. B. Parkinson, addressing audience at Poynter concert—"Mind madness and gentleman."—

CURLY: "Say, Jack, what is a bull-pen?"

STUDE: "The pen I used on that last philosophy exam."

THE K. O. DANCE AT TURNER HALL

The K. O. Club gave an informal dance at Turner Hall on Wednesday evening, March 1. About twenty-five couples participated. Thayer’s orchestra furnished the music for a program of twenty dances. Punch and sandwiches were served during the intermissions. Mrs. P. R. Kuhl and Mrs. C. F. Ward chaperoned the affair. The K. O. Club is a dancing club composed of fine men, with Bob Cummings as president. It has been responsible for some of the most delightful dances given at Rice.