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Philo-Forum Debate.

The annual Philo-Forum debate held last evening in the school chapel was won by Forum. The question of debate was "Resolved that an income tax is a desirable part of a scheme for taxation." Forum represented by R. H. Ewell '99, and Julius Robinson '02, supported the affirmative; Philo represented by Alan Fox '99, and Stuart Blaikie '99, supported the negative. The judges were Prof. Harris, A. L. Ripley and Albert Poor all of Andover. Hawks and Butkiewicz presided and Ewell was introduced as the first speaker for Forum.

He opened his number by saying that the income tax was not to be treated theoretically but practically; that it was not to be considered for any other country or for any other time but for the United States at the present time. The present system of taxation has caused labor disturbances and only increased the national debt of the country, while the income tax in 1870 brought in an income of over \$400,000,000. Many European countries, the speaker continued, are using this system of taxation at the present time with success. The tax did not fail in the United States but was suspended only because its time had run out. Moreover when a man pays money directly to the Government he takes an interest in that Government's welfare and it promotes loyalty and active citizenship. In closing the speaker showed that the present system of taxing benefits the foreigner more than the United States citizen and that this system taxes out of super-abundance instead of from necessities. The speaker's delivery was excellent and his argument forceful and reasonable.

Alan Fox was the first speaker for the negative. He emphasized the fact that this income tax was unfair and gave opportunity for fraud and dishonesty. The capitalist who wants to make some important deal wishes to keep his private affairs secret while the poor man living on a known salary can not keep his income secret, as a result the conscientious citizen pays his tax while the scheming capitalist or broker easily evades his. This tax, the speaker continued, might be successful in a foreign country but in America among free Americans, no citizen would allow his private affairs to be probed into and exposed to the entire country. He said in conclu-

sion that as it had been shown by this law that the tax could never be fairly assessed or collected without injustice and fraud to the American people as this was true, it was evident that the income tax was not a desirable scheme of taxation.

Julius Robinson was the second speaker for the affirmative, he followed up the argument of Ewell and showed that the present system of taxation gives rise to as much dishonesty as the income tax would. If money must be raised and it is accomplished by taxing property, this will only increase the smuggling. Moreover the income tax is equal to all, and was declared to be constitutional by the first action of the supreme court.

Stuart Blaikie spoke second for the negative. He said there were too distinct objections:—The difficulty in enforcing the tax and the weakness of its theory. In the early 70's while this tax was enforced 75 per cent of the taxes of the United States was paid by seven states, who represented but 40 per cent of the country's wealth. This showed the inequality and difficulty in properly enforcing the tax. This tax would also depend on the character of the individual while with an indirect tax the citizen unknowingly pays a tax on such articles as are necessary for his own use. The advantage of the present system lays in the elasticity of its application, while as a perfect proof of the usefulness of the income tax the supreme court decided definitely, after its first decision in its favor, that the income tax was unconstitutional.

Blaikie's argument was very clear and convincing while his delivery was by far the best given during the evening.

In rebuttal Ewell spoke for the affirmative. He briefly summed up the chief points in favor of the tax and in referring to the main point of the negative, which was the dishonesty of the people and officers, he said that "Some men lie all the time, all men lie at some time but all men don't lie all the time." He argued that all taxes were more or less personal, and emphasized the fact that the practical success of the income tax was being shown at present in several foreign countries. As before, Ewell spoke excellently and seemed to have no hesitancy but spoke out forcefully and plainly.

The negative was closed by Fox. He showed the advantages of the

present system of taxation and the disadvantages of the other system. How the rich man was benefited and the poor man hindered and that by a tax which is practically unperceptible these evils may be done away with. Time was called and the debate closed before Fox could finish his rebuttal.

The judges were out about 15 minutes and announced their decision in favor of the affirmative, amid great applause.

The New York Alumni Dinner

The biennial banquet of the Association of Alumni and students of Phillips Academy was held at the New Manhattan Hotel on Tuesday, Apr. 4.

Rev. L. S. Chamberlain was toastmaster. The toasts and speakers were as follows: The Academy, William B. Graves; The New Gymnasium, Alpheus H. Hardy; Reminiscences of Old Phillips, David Y. Comstock; Thus the whirligig of time brings in his revenges, Bird S. Coler; The Debt of the Pudd'nheads, Robert E. Speer; The Undergraduate Body, Morton C. Fitch.

The attendance was the largest in the history of the Association. A genuine and enthusiastic interest in the old school was manifest, and materialized in the raising of a thousand dollars for the gymnasium fund.

It should not be forgotten that a New York alumnus has pledged \$20,000 to the gymnasium fund, and to another we are indebted for the Taylor and Bancroft Cottages, and also the dormitory to be erected the coming season.

Baseball Notice.

The following candidates will report for practice to-day at 2 P. M. on Salem street: Brown, Collins, Clark, Davis, Hazen, Littlefield, Lanigan, Mains, Matthews, McClintock, Packard, Rafferty, Saunders, Wheeler, Winslow, Williams.

PER ORDER.

Dr. Bancroft to Lecture at Union College.

Dr. Bancroft has been invited to address the Alumni of the Union Theological Seminary at their annual dinner in New York, May 15th, on "The Educated Necessity from the point of view of the College."

Mr. Blaikie's Lecture.

Mr. Blaikie's talk on Thursday evening was full of interest and good advice. His experience in physical exercise and athletic training places him in a position to advise the best methods of developing and caring for the body. Mr. Blaikie was very prominent in Athletics while at Harvard, having been a member of the Varsity crew and also a track man; and he has made a careful study of the methods of physical training as practised by both England and America.

In his remarks Mr. Blaikie showed very clearly the necessity of some regular daily physical exercise, thus storing up vigor and strength with which to carry on a successful business life in late years. He cited several striking instances of men who had achieved great things and had become most prominent in business and political life simply because they, in their youth and indeed all through their life, had not neglected the physical part of their education. Especially among these instances were the names of Gladstone and Daniel Webster who had accomplished so much in the later years of their lives. On closing his remarks Mr. Blaikie strongly urged the fellows to begin their physical training now as at no time in a man's life is systematic exercise and care so beneficial as between the ages of 15 and 25. It is greatly to be regretted that more fellows did not take advantage of this exceptional opportunity to hear the views and suggestions of a man who has made the strength and care of the muscles of the human body a life study. But all who did attend Mr. Blaikie's lecture surely went away feeling that the time had been spent most profitably.

The McKean Memorial.

A memorial has been started by the Abbot Academy Alumni to erect a memorial building to Miss McKean, the late principal of the Academy. \$5,000 has been subscribed by Mrs. Phoebe A. Chandler, \$1,000 by Miss Mary McG. Means and \$500 by the present principal of the Academy.

This building will serve as a place of meeting for the graduates who visit the school from time to time.

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NOTICE.

To insure change of advertisement, copy must be received for Wednesday not later than Tuesday noon; for Saturday, not later than Friday noon.

The Andover Press.

Saturday, April 15, 1899.

The small attendance of the fellows at the Philo-Forum debate last night shows a most deplorable lack of interest in the debating life of the school. In former years and even last year the attendance at this debate was extremely large and showed at least that debates and debating were held in some honor by the school.

Andover has always been so foremost in athletic lines that when it becomes evident that the athletics are wholly taking the place of our literary and more intellectual life, efforts should at once be made to keep such a movement from gaining too much ground. It is extremely hard to realize how much the debating societies have influenced the lives of fellows and men in later years, and it is this fact and the present lack of interest which the school is showing that prompts us to remind the fellows of the fatality of allowing the literary societies to grow into disfavor.

Realizing that it is impossible to draw comparisons between literary societies and athletics, nevertheless we must understand the relative interest which each should have and when we see the interest of one evidently detracting from the other, it is hard to keep from urging a more active interest in that very important branch of school life.

Inquiry.

At a regular meeting of Inquiry on Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for next year:

President, H. H. Stebbins, Jr.

Vice President, D. I. Crawford.

Recording secretary, R. W. Merrill.

Corresponding secretary, W. J. Colby.

Treasurer, A. N. Robbins.

Dr. Bancroft's Trip.

It will be of interest to the school to have a general outline of Dr. Bancroft's recent trip to Europe.

He sailed from New York October first, for Genoa by way of Gibraltar and Naples. From Genoa he continued to Alexandria, Port Said, Jaffra and Jerusalem. He was at Jerusalem during the Emperor's visit, and remained until the middle of February, making many visits to Ramulloli, Jaffra, Jericho, the Dead Sea and the Jordan, Bethlehem and other sites easily accessible. He returned by way of Port Said and Naples to Rome, and from Rome to Calais, Dover and London.

During his stay in England he visited many places of note, especially in the northern district. He sailed by the "New England" from Liverpool to Boston, arriving six months to a day after leaving New York. In all parts of his journey he met many "old boys" which rendered his trip all the more pleasant.

1900 Class Meeting.

At a meeting of P. A. 1900 held last Tuesday noon, the following officers were elected:

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The final arrangements have been completed for the cable Chess Match between Princeton, Harvard, Columbia and Yale, composing one team, and the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge the other. The match will be held on the 10th of May.

Richard Armstrong P. S. '92 Sheffield '95, ex-captain of the Yale crew is coaching the Yale varsity crew this week.

Carl Rudolph Schultz P. S. '94 is to be married 26inst to Clara Wkidal Shields, Canton, Ohio.

L. D. Waddell and F. L. Quinby P. S. '95 have been taken to the Yale base-ball training table. Waddell is now playing 3rd base on the Varsity.

Prof. Bradbury L. Cilley, of Phillips Exeter Academy, died during Easter week, after a prolonged illness. Prof. Cilley had taught for over 41 years in the Academy.

S. G. Ellis ex P. S. '98 H. U. '01 secured first place in the shot put in the Harvard class contests. He put the shot 39ft and 2 in.

John H. Field, P. A. '89, has accepted a position with the Rutland R. R. Co., Rutland Vt.

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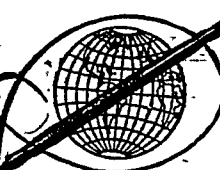
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