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GEORGE ANNIE

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THE SPIRIT OF ST. VITUS PASSES ON

The year 1924 gave birth to an automobile which the manufacturers called a light six Studebaker. But on account of definite and peculiar qualities it was later and better known as Spirit of St. Vitus, the most popular and best known car on the Campus. Many have been the times when the St. Vitus, loaded with Normal boys and girls or teachers, has pulled out from these environs full of joy and pride at the prospect of making a trip in the interest of the Georgia Normal of which it had become a part. Recall, if you can, such trips as: To Savannah to play Benedictine, to Waycross to tie up with Piedmont, To Tifton to destroy those Aggies, to B. P. I. to conquer those Baptist boys, and remember how she puffed with pride as she returned with a victorious Blue Tide.

Again on that notable take off for the hills of North Georgia, fittingly and becomingly decorated, she performed as the Monarch of the highways. But she was so much grieved at leaving her old haunts that she became somewhat indisposed for some time. But on learning that she was soon to return to her old friends and home again she performed better than ever.

On the 10th of September she landed in Statesboro, tired, hot and dusty, but very happy to be back at home and among her friends again. Her master promised her that he would never again take her away on such a perilous journey. Subject to the frailties of her nervous nature and sensitive to the affections of her friends, she wept great tears of gasoline.

But on Saturday evening St. Vitus, proud of the confidence of her master and friends, was notified that she had been exchanged for another car to take her place. Already affected by an extreme and uncontrollable nervousness, the sudden shock from the thought of leaving home again was unbearable. Out in the great Automobile "Beyond", in the land where all good autos are made anew, we hope she becomes a Cadillac and comes rolling home again.

St. Vitus, on College Hill, we'll not forget you. Your name and fame shall live afresh. To you, we lift our hats and bow our heads as your spirit passes on.

By her Master

EDITOR NEWTON ADDRESSES STUDENTS AT CHAPEL.

M. Louis Newton, Editor of The Christian Index, was a visitor on the campus Thursday and addressed the student body at chapel. Mr. Newton is an energetic and interesting speaker, whose words are full of meaning and whose thoughts always stimulate response in the minds of his hearers.

His opening words were in the form of a question taken from John 1: 38 - "Where dwellest thou?" Editor Newton then gave as a challenge to the audience the question, "Where do you live?" Many of the students present will never go back to their homes except to visit. The question for them to consider is: Whereabouts am I going to concentrate my efforts? Whereabouts am I going to fix my affections? Whereabouts am I going to make the deposit of my life in the years that are ahead?

This question cannot be answered geographically. David Livingston's life became more distinctly worthwhile than the life of any other person who lived at that time. Although a graduate of Oxford and the husband of a wealthy woman, he gave up all the luxuries of life and buried himself in darkest Africa.

Jesus did not answer the question geographically -- In reply he gave three answers:

1. I live in constant companionship with my Father who is in Heaven. The most real thing in the lives of people today is the sense of companionship with some real person or ideal.
2. I live in the consciousness of a Mission in the World. There must come to everyone a consuming sense of World relations enveloped in a purpose of life. Everyone might put to himself the question, "What excuse can I give for living?" Everyone takes up a place in the dormitory, burns up money for books, food, clothing, etc. To what purpose does he do this. What is his mission in life? Commander Byrd states that while he was crossing the men who are now with him on his South Pole expedition that every morning he faced lines of men who asked to be allowed to go along with him - Men who has the reserve strength and courage to go in to the great adventure alone.
3. I live at the point of the World's greatest need. One of the most beautiful statements

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THE STAFF

Editor - - - - - Virginia Lewis
Ass't. Editor - - - Eli McDaniel
News Editor - - - Katherine Brett
Campus Editor - - - Ruth Edgfield
Alumni Editor - - - Eva Morgan
Humor Editor - - - Menza Cummings

The George-Anne is published by the Freshman class. However, we want everyone to feel free to offer suggestions at any time. We want this paper to reflect the activities of the whole student body. To do this we must have cooperation. We feel sure that everyone will do his part. Bring your contributions not later than Thursday of each week.

The following were elected by the Freshman class.

Editor - - - - - Virginia Lewis
Ass't. Editor - - - Eli McDaniel

For the present, the contributing editors will be appointed each week. This is done in order to give every freshman the opportunity to be of some service to his school. Come on, Freshman, let us make the George-Anne a real college paper!

THE VALUE OF A SCHOOL PAPER.

Elizabeth

Is a paper, published by the students of a school, of any positive value? It is. If circulated in a zone outside of the campus, it excites the interest and support on the part of the kind reader.

The school paper is the pulse of the institution. The paper is a part of the school. If the institution is enlarged, the school publication grows accordingly in size, in its interest to more readers and contributors, and in its fuller portrayal of real school spirit. A publication of such a nature tends to the unification of students, faculty, and school officers at large, into a single corps, giving the best of their time and thought to the ultimate success of the institution.

Last year's alumnus takes a short time from his busy day to read the old school paper, and having relished the old spirit of his Alma Mater, he is more fit to meet anew the day's demands.

You are the judge of our paper. Do you think that it is of real value to G.N.S.?

Charles Spencer.

I'd Like to be a Flower.

Sidney Boswell.

I'd like to be a flower
To cheer some lonely spot,
A dainty colored pansy
Or a bright forget-me-not.
I'd dress in brightest colors
A flimsy summer gown,
I'd fling abroad my fragrance
As soft as lily down.

I'd catch the morning sunlight
In dripped drops of dew;
I'd wave with all the breezes
And cheer the traveler too;
And when the crimson twilight
With dreams come tripping by,
I'd say a flower prayer
My thanks to Him on high.

And should a little maiden
Come to pluck me for a vase
I gladly would surrender
For an ornamental place
My life would be a moment
But I'd gladly give it up
To add a drop of gladness
To the maiden's joy cup.

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of truth and beauty in the realm of Literature is summed up in the words "I have come among you as one who serves". Take the life of Jesus as recorded throughout the New Testament. He was always with the one who needed him most--some man burdened with responsibility, some woman with a heart torn and broken, some young person with a problem of great perplexity, a wedding at which everything was in confusion.

In response to the question Jesus gave three answers. What answer does each student give to the question, "Where do you live?"

A PRAYER

Sidney Boswell.

God of the forest, sombre and wide,
Grant me a place in the bottle tide,
Help me to fight as the days go by,
Help me to look myself in the eye;
Help me to bud the coil of a friend;
Help me to cheer him on to the end.

God of the dawn, rose and still,
God of the valley, meadow and hill,
God of the spring, may you hear my plea

Help me to keep my ideals free.
God of the world and destiny of man
Give me a friend who will understand.

The Sophomore class met last Wednesday evening for the purpose of electing class officers. The following were elected:

W. L. Hall - - - President
Delmas Rushing - - Vice Pres.
A.G. Middleton - - - Secretary
Annie Miller - - - Treasurer

A social committee was appointed by the president.

Friday morning, October 5th, the Junior and Senior classes had charge of chapel. The program was as follows:

Prayer - - - Mr. Henderson
Scripture - - Dorothy Thomas
Life of Tennyson - Dorothy Thomas
Reading:
The Roses on the Terrace
and
Crossing the Bar - Ada Lou Rowe
Song: Sweet and Low - Audience.

Ada Lou Rowe-Sec.

Tuesday evening October 9, the college class of the Baptist church enjoyed a party on the lawn of Mr. Wells' home. At the beginning of the party Mr. Wells gave a talk that everyone enjoyed. After this many speeches were made and games played, after which refreshments were served. All enjoyed the party because they could be with one another and meet the new members of the class. This was our first social of the year. We hope to have many more and an up-to-date class for this year.

LIFE IS ONLY A DREAM

A Freshman message.

Do not take time to measure a tear
For life is too short, and
death too near.

Only consider the greater things
in view
And live up to them and be true.

You may have downfall and troubles,
But turn aside and blow your
bubbles.

'Cause Life is Only a Dream.

Learn to love your enemy as a neighbor

Learn to strive, and work with
them and labor-

Do not have a cold-hearted friend
For then sad that will grieve
within.

Meet everyone with a joyous smile
For we'll depart in a short
while--

Forgive all who have injured you
And bid the envious all Adieu!

So--at these few hours fly
Enjoy them as they rush by--
For Life is Only a Dream.

THE FRESHMAN MOTTO:

Stand heart to heart, hand to hand
And follow our Teacher's command
Keep the candle of life lighted
As we are forever--united.

Elia Belle Hughes.

A large number of the students of G.N.S. enjoyed a winter roast Thursday, October 11, given by the Stephens Literary Society. This was the first entertainment of the society this year and every one seemed to enjoy himself to the fullest extent. After refreshments and cold drinks were served, a number of interesting games were enjoyed by all.

Oglethorpe Literary Society.

The regular meeting of the Oglethorpe Literary Society was opened with a song followed by the Devotional which was conducted by Lois Hutchinson. The minutes of the last meeting were then read and other business discussed. An interesting reading entitled "Poor White Trash" was rendered by Myrtle Freeman. The President then appointed John Watson and Ada Lou Rowe to help the Chairman, Ruth Crank, on the program committee. A very interesting talk was then given by Francis Mathis. The program closed with a song.

P. T. A. Organization.

The patrons of the Sunnyside Training School met at the school building Thursday night to begin anew the work of their Parent Teacher Association. Mrs. Katherine Parkinson, who presided, led the devotional. Mr. Caruth gave an interesting talk on "How the P.T.A. Helps the School" and Mrs. Scott very ably discussed "How the P.T.A. Helps the Home".

The new officers elected for this year are:

President-Mrs. Scott
Vice Pres-Mrs. Caruth
Sec.&Treas. - Mrs. D.N.Barron.

After the meeting, refreshments were served.

Much enthusiasm was manifested throughout the program and we expect this organization to be a very valuable adjunct to the Training School.

Every parent is urged to be present at all of our bi-monthly meetings. And everyone who is interested in our work is also cordially invited to attend.

We had with us Tuesday, October 9, Mr. Francis Henson of New York, who delivered an address to inspire the boys and get them interested in a Y.M.C.A. Mr. Henson is a representative of the National Y.M.C.A. and has traveled extensively among the colleges of the United States.

His address was chiefly concerned with the changes of life and civilization. By those changes many people have come to doubt God and religion. He spoke of the teaching of religion from a new angle and in connection with our present-day life. Mr. Henson says that the thing that counts is not so much the religion but the power and force back of it. Music inspires us-so why not religion?

His talk was very interesting and entertaining.

Katherine Brett.

ALUMNAE NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Doy Gay were visitors on the campus Monday afternoon.

Marilee Jones is teaching at Sapling Grove near Pulaski.

Elsie Mae Goodman is in training at Thomasville Hospital, Thomasville, Ga.

Jeanette Grace is teaching at Lyons, Georgia.

Inez Edenfield is teaching at Oak Park, Georgia.

Roxie Nevil is teaching at Pavo, Ga.

Eunice Wilson is teaching at Cadwell, Georgia.

Willie Belle Waters is assisting Mr. Burrus Matthews at the State Normal School, Troy, Ala.

Louise Thompson is teaching at Garfield, Ga.

CAMPUS NOTES

Miss Addie B. Parker spent last week-end with her parents in Macon.

Miss Frankie Trepnell, of Metter, a former Normal student, spent last week-end here.

Mrs. Bell and daughter, Lunell, were visitors in Waynesboro, Saturday.

Misses Ruth Graft, Josie and Lois Hutchison were week-end visitors of Miss Doris Lindsey, a student of last year, at her home in Euclid.

Mr. Henson, a representative of the National Y.M.C.A. was a visitor on the campus Wednesday.

G.N.S. was glad to add Miss Mildred Garvin of Savannah to her student body this week.

Miss Olivia Taton of Metter spent last week-end here as the visitor of Miss Jewell Register.

Misses Kate and Ila Aycock spent the week at their home.

JOKES

Earnest: "Circus in town?"

George: "No, this is a Xmas tie."

1st. Freshman: "Where are you going?"

2nd. " : Trying to find where the pigeons live."

1st. Fresh: "What for?"

2nd. Fresh: "Want some holes for my desk".

Original.

Roses are red,

Violets are blue,

Dandelions are yellow,

And Carnations are of all different colors.

Wilbur: "Do you know Tress Green?"

Clyde: "No."

Wilbur: "Well, they are."

Jack Wells: On Mamma, the circus is in town.

Mrs. W.: Has darling, its only one of those college boys. And then---Fritz ears turned as red as the suspenders he wore.

He: My shoes are just killing my feet.

Partner: They're killing mine too.

St. Peter: Whose is without?

Voice Without: It is I.

Peter (peevish): Get outa here, we don't want any more school teachers.

Jewel: Well, you are so dumb you still think there is a Santa Claus.

Charlie: No, I don't believe in Santa Claus, But say, is there a Boyz man?

Aviator: Do you wanna fly?

Girl: Oh, yes.

Aviator: Wait and I'll catch you one.