Clemson College Burning.

On Saturday, the Tigers were again victors on the football field, having laid the Citadel in the dust. This game created a great deal of interest in Charleston, and was well attended. Features of the game were the open field work of Bissell, the end runs of Hanckel, Doc McFadden's band, and our sponsors. The score was made by five touchdowns, four kicked goals and a field goal. Throughout the entire game, Citadel did not have any chance at all, although they out-weighed our team about ten pounds per man.

A detailed account of the game will appear in next week's issue.

The Burning of Clemson.

For men may come and men may go, But I go on forever.

To the Editors of The Tiger:
You asked me for a brief statement of my recollections of the burning of the main building in 1894.

Just about daybreak Tuesday, May 22, of that year, the community was startled by the alarm of fire. Rushing out of their homes and rooms, the people of "The Hill" and the cadets soon saw smoke and flames coming out of the roof of the college building. Cadet W. A. Blaine, rooming on third floor, front, barracks No. 1—then the only barracks—discovered the fire and gave the alarm.

The fire broke out in the fourth story, or garret, of the building, in some stuff that had been moved up from the old Agricultural Department in Columbia. There were several theories to explain its origin, one was that some visitor while smoking, had dropped a lighted match or a spark the afternoon before; another was the time-honored explanation of rats (not new cadets, but certain "rodents of the family Muridae") and matches; a third
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was that some persons, carpenters or cadets, had gone into the place the night before to get alcohol from the vessels in which specimens of fruits—and possibly animals—had been preserved, and had been careless in the use of their lights. There was never any suspicion of incendiarism.

The boys soon adjusted the hose, but on account of the low pressure of water the streams rose no higher than the second floor. Cadet B. F. Robertson—now of the Chemical Department—was one of the first to handle the hose, but slipped and sprained his knee. Cadets W. K. King and T. H. Tuten were leaders among the fire fighters, and rendered valiant service in arresting the flames as they were making their way from the main building to the chapel. Cadets J. E. Brogdon, of Sumter and T. B. Watkins, of Greenville, were on a ladder throwing water on the frame of the unused door opening from second floor of main building into the chapel. The ladder slipped, these boys fell to the floor, and were painfully injured.

Many of the boys, fearing the barracks would burn, moved their bedding and other household goods out on the campus—and "stayed by the stuff" until the danger was past.

Exercises were soon resumed. By means of wires and homespun curtains, the chapel was converted into class-rooms. The rooms of the old experiment station building (now the residence of Mr. J. C. Lewis), of the Chemical Laboratory, and some of those in the Dairy and in the Calhoun Mansion, were used for recitation purposes. Some professors met their classes in the old well house near the mansion, while still others met theirs in the shade of the trees.

The Hotel building was put up in a hurry, and its rooms used for teaching purposes.

The contract to rebuild was given to an Atlanta firm, who, using the old walls and putting up a wooden frame inside these, soon enabled teachers and classes to resume business at the same old stand.

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IN COMMEMORATION OF THE GREAT DOWNFALL.

Rat told me on yesterday
An awful tale of woe,—
His bed had been reversed it seems,
By whom he did not know.

He came to me with tear-stained eyes,
And face most woebegone,
He said I will not tell you lies,
Listen to my dreary song.

Last night as I lay adreaming
There came a dream so fair
I was as it were a swinging
When something said "Beware!"

I lay on the bed at midnight
As the clock was striking the hour.
I lay under the bed the moment after,
Kicking with all my power.

I awoke on the wings of the morning,
I awoke at the ring of the bell,
I awoke my fate bemoaning,
Wishing—well—oh! O well!

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A decided increase in numbers was noticeable at the meeting of the Calhoun Literary Society on Friday night, October seventeenth.

Mr. H. A. Freeman gave a stirring declamation on "The American Indians."

Mr. C. S. Lykes read an impressive essay, entitled "Habit."

Mr. A. M. Sales read an interesting story, "The White Horn Buck." Although rather long, yet it exhibited such rare descriptive powers that everyone thoroughly enjoyed it.

The debate was freely discussed on both sides, but the negative seemed to have the better side of the argument as both the house and the judges decided in their favor.

A committee of five was appointed to look into the matter of purchasing a new robe for the president.

The hall committee was instructed to have the hall calcimined as early as possible.

Our society is steadily increasing in numbers. The following new members were initiated at the last meeting: Detzall, J. G., Anderson, J. P., Dunlap, J. E., Harris, G. D., Nappus, J. H.

The third meeting of the Palmetto Literary Society was called to order last Friday evening at seven o'clock, by President O. O. Dukes. The Secretary, H. T. Prosser, read the minutes of the last meeting. In these minutes, the men's names, who had been placed upon the various committees, were read. Those men are as follows: Auditing Committee, Chapman, A. D., Faris, C. B., Yates, L. F.; Committee on Appeals, Garner, G. D., Stirling, J. N., Owens, B. F.; Committee on Amendments and New Laws, Garrett, W. C., Stokes, W. E., Rast, F. M., Query Committee, Gilmore, W. C., Mickle, W. W., Hays, W. H.; Committee on Credentials, Workman, J. M., Hall, E. E., Kanker, J. H.

One of the orators of the evening, Mr. Field, B. G., was absent, and the other, Mr. Egerton, H. C., was unable to speak on account of having a bad cold. The Declamers, Messrs. Tawton and Heriot, chose interesting pieces, and rendered them very creditably, indeed. Both these men are yet young in society work, and we hope that the excellent beginning which they have made will prove to be only the bud of what shall early unfold itself in them as society workers. Mr. C. J. King read an excellently prepared essay on Aviation. He, too, is a coming society man.

The debate: "Resolved, that it is for the best interests of the United States to build and maintain a larger navy," was enthusiastically represented on the affirmative by Messrs. Owens, Elliott, and Pennell. Although the judges rendered a decision in favor of these gentlemen, yet Messrs. Chapman, Hall, and Turbeville, on the negative, defended this side heroically. Mr. J. A. Goodwin delivered an instructive and interesting extemporaneous speech.

"And where's all your baggage John Hoey," asked "Kid" McNair, on seeing John.

"Lost," said John.

"Lost?" All your baggage?"

"Every bit of it," said John, sadly.

"And how did it happen?" asked "Kid."

"The devil of a cork came out," answered Mr. Hoey.—Gamecock.
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While section 3 Juniors, was out with Prof. Hall last week in the vicinity of Cherrys a rain came up; and, there being no place to shelter near, all were thoroughly wet. Prof Hall is sick this week, but the members of the section were not hurt by the shower.

W. H. Hays has been in the hospital for several days; but he is not now, and is attending classes.

Ask "Runt" Pennell what it was at the Horticultural Grounds that made him home-sick.

J. C. DeWitt, a member of our class, has been called home on account of sickness among his home people.

The fair is not long off, and we Juniors are anticipating it with as much pleasure, as are those who have not been there before.

The Sophomore class is well represented on the football field this year. Our men who have made varsity are Kangeter, Coles, Tupper, Carson, and Britt. The following men are playing with the Scrubs: Mellett, Faris, McLaurin, Hanvey, Barnwell, Thomas, Alexander, Banks and Lomax. These men are doing excellent work, and some of them will no doubt make varsity next year.

We are glad to see so many of our classmates making good at the game, and we hope that we shall do equally as well with class ball. We also hope to see our class do as well on the track as we are doing on the field.

The Junior Dancing Club has been organized, and the members will give the first dance of the season at some time in the near future.

Among the members of the Junior Class who attended the German Club Dance Saturday night, were the following: Blackwell, David, Hutson, Haynesworth, Sompayrac, and Lamotte.

E. G. Littlejohn was last week promoted to Sergeant Major, and C. W. Tyson and W. R. Gray were appointed to First Sergeants. Some other promotions in office were made in the Junior Class, and also several of the Junior privates were appointed as sergeants.

"Big Sam" Ezell and Joe Bates are the members of our class who have made good on the football team so far. There are other members of the class who are working hard every afternoon, and who bid fair to make a place on the varsity before the season is over.

A. G. Small, a member of our class, returned to college last week. Small has been training the minds of the youths of Horry during the summer, and he had to wait till his school closed to return to college. W. R. Gray, another member of our class returned this week. Gray was promoted to first sergeant before he returned to college.

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CLASS H.

The Senior members of varsity squad, who went to Birmingham, Ala., on last Friday, Oct. 7, to meet the Howardites on the gridiron on Saturday, were Britt, S. L.; Bissell, P. L.; Connelly, W. R.; Woodward, H. M.; Epps, M. H.; Hanckel, W. H.; Gilmer, F. V.; Martin, J. M.; and Manager Arthur, M. W. The Howard eleven proved no match for the hardy Clemsonites. Connelly's city of Seneca, on Saturday.

**SENIOR.**

**FRESHMAN.**

Promptly at 1:30 o'clock last Thursday the second meeting of the Freshman class was called to order by President Douthit. After a short talk by the President he announced the purpose of the meeting, which was for selecting class colors. Gold and black were chosen by the class.

It was then moved that a Freshman dancing club be organized. This motion was carried by almost a unanimous vote, much interest being shown in it by all members.

This is a phase of college life in which the Freshmen have not heretofore taken part. The class as a whole certainly deserve to be commended for the steps already taken towards organization; and from the enthusiasm shown in the last meeting, there is no reason why the club should not be one of the foremost in college.

OVER MUDDY FIELD CLEMSON RUSHES THE BUNCH—

DAZZLING FORWARD PASSES RATTLED THE BAPTISTS.

(The following, in reference to the Clemson-Howard game, is taken from the Birmingham Age-Herald.)

In the beginning, it appeared that there would be no scoring. True, Clemson, after gaining the ball on Howard's kick-off, ran it rapidly to the 25-yard line, only to lose it on downs. Noone then planted his mountain leg under the oval, and it skimmed down the field to Clemson's 35-yard line. And neither team thereafter was able to accomplish much. The quarter ended without a score.

In the beginning of the second quarter however, Clemson opened its rapid fire of forward passes many of them going from two and three hands before hurling through the air. Howard was nonplussed. As a result, within two minutes Clemson found it-
self on Howard's 10-yard line, and on a buck over Taylor and Dunsmore, Bissell took the oval across the line. He then kicked his own goal.

A few minutes later, with Clemson within striking distance of Howards goal, Quarterback Connelly directed his fire to the weak side of Howard's line again and over Taylor, Bates went for the second touchdown. Bissell, in spite of high wind and a dangerous angle, kicked a beautiful goal.

**Without Interference Milikan Fails.**

Both teams fought doggedly in the third section of play, but Clemson was lucky enough to receive a forward pass from Quarterback Milikan of Howard and got across the line for the third touchdown. Bissell kicked an easy goal. The third quarter ended with Howard on Clemson's 20-yard line, and play began at that point when the fourth was opened.

luck broke for Howard in the beginning, and a fumble was recovered on Clemson's 10-yard line. But the distance could not be made. Then Howard was fortunate enough to recover one of its forward passes on Clemson's 10-yard line. But the South Carolinian's held firm. Having recovered the ball, Clemson attempted to punt it out of danger, but the kick being knocked, Howard recovered it on Clemson's seven-yard line. Then from the supports of the Baptists went up the cry "Touchdown! Touchdown!" But the cry was in vain, and soon rejoicing was turned to chagrin. Having failed to make material gain on the first down, Milikan sent himself on a trick play around Clemson's left end. Had the quarterback had the proper interference, he would have escaped. As it was, however, he was thrown for a loss. Then a fatal forward pass was attempted, and Connelly received the ball. With a stretch of 103 yards of mud and mire staring him in the face, he started on the marathon. So heavy was the field that few though, he could sustain the pace. But his condition was fine, and without halting for breath or for a gaze at Parmelee, who was making a sensational flight in his aeroplane immediately overhead, he crossed the Howard line. Bissell goal-ed with ease.

There was no more scoring, and the game ended with the ball in the possession of Clemson in the middle of the field.

**The Line-up.**

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**Summary:** Length of quarters, 10 minutes. Score end first quarter: Howard 0, Clemson 0. Score end second quarter, Clemson 12, Howard 0. Score end third quarter Clemson 22, Howard 0. Final score, Clemson 24, Howard 0. Touchdowns, Bissell, Bates, Hancelk, Connelly. Goals after touchdown: Bissell 4, Referee, Techenor (Auburn), Umpire, Watkins (Sewanee). 

Field judge, Noojin. (Alabama). Head linesman, Wyckham (Birmingham). Timekeepers, Pratt (Birmingham), White (Clemson).
Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The Y. M. C.A. held its regular religious meeting Sunday evening, October 2, 1911. There was a large crowd out to hear Reverend Driggers of Seneca, who was to have spoken for us; but, at the beginning of the service, our general secretary, Mr. Robt. L. Sweeney, announced that, for some unknown reason, Reverend Driggers would not be with us. We were very much disappointed. Nevertheless our disappointment soon passed off, when he told us he had secured Reverend McCaul to fill Reverend Driggers’ place. Reverend McCaul made us a very interesting and inspiring address. We are always glad to have him, as well as the other ministers, with us, and the people of the hill to attend our meetings.

After the service was over, Mr. Sweeney announced that he wanted all the Bible Class leaders to meet that evening and organize their class. This they did, and seemed to have a successful beginning. From the way in which the class started off, we predict one of the most successful years of Bible class work, that has ever been carried on by the Y. M. C. A. at Clemson College.

Another feature of the Y. M. C. A. work is our Wednesday evening prayer meetings. We hold these meetings every Wednesday evening, just after supper, and we desire to have all the boys attend. Heretofore we have not had any regular leaders; but, from now on, we intend to have a leader for each week notified a week ahead. This leader will probably be one of the boys.

Last Sunday evening Dr. R. N. Brackett gave us a very interesting address on the first Psalm. In his address, he pointed out to us many practical truths. We were very glad indeed to have him to address us.

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