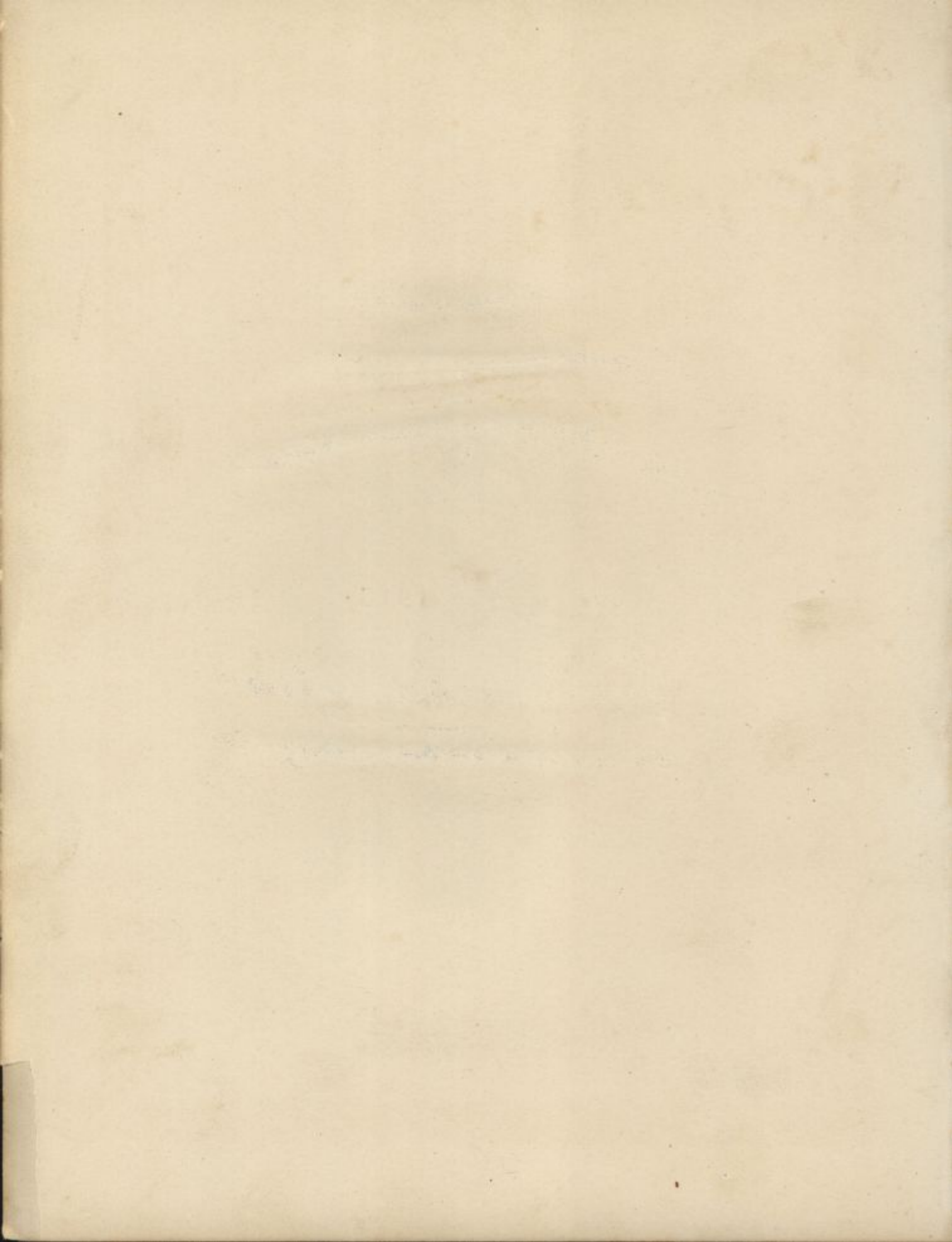




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A. F. WALKER

Officers of the Sophomore Class

A. F. WALKER, *President*
G. N. GROFF, *Vice President*
E. G. BROWN, *Secretary-Treasurer*
W. A. SAWDON, *Historian*

History of the Class of 1913



It was with feelings of awe and curiosity that we met for the first time on the college campus on the morning of September 16, 1909. We prepared in the Oratory for the pole-rush, and, after scanning one another's faces for several minutes, went out for the rush, forgetting everything but our mad fight to reach the pole. The rush ended happily, however, since we won from the Sophomore class.

Just after this the Sophomores posted notices around the college and town which emphasized the "Ten Commandments for Freshmen." These we soon removed and replaced them with an advertisement of a "Trained Animal Show" which had for its special features several members of the class of 1912.

Being now in a rational state of mind, we elected E. G. Brown president, to succeed R. D. Smith, who had been president pro tem. R. D. Smith was elected vice president, B. R. Foster, treasurer, and J. Abel, secretary.

After making our debut into the social life of the college at the Y. M. C. A. reception, which was not only a pleasure, but also a benefit to us, we began to direct some of our time and thought to athletics. Our first athletic clash with the Sophomores was in football. After one day's practice we put up a "green" team against our rivals, who had seven 'varsity and four scrub men in their line-up. The game resulted in our defeat. In basketball we again delayed practice and as a consequence were defeated by the Sophomores, who incidentally won the class basketball championship. We did have the satisfaction, though, of scoring more points in the second half than our opponents did. But our time was coming. It came at night in the form of a "Freshmen-Sophomore Indoor Meet." This meet consisted of boxing and wrestling bouts, a shot put, and a tug-of-war. In the boxing and wrestling we completely outclassed the Sophomores, although they did better in the shot-put and tug-of-war. The meet ended in a decided victory for us and stilled for a time the incessant boastings of our rivals.

We now needed some social life; so we secretly arranged for a trip to the Garrick Theatre, followed by a midnight supper at the Clayton House. With no interruptions from the Sophomores, we enjoyed the show, which was a poor one, and then retired to our banquet. After many toasts and speeches relative to the college and class weal, we concluded the evening by singing the "Alma Mater."

Our final encounter with the Sophomores ended unhappily. They defeated us in baseball. But shortly after this we met the hardest proposition of our Freshman year—the "Finals." These were soon over, however, and left us free to enjoy Commencement Week with its track and field meet and

graduating exercises. With the end of these we completed our Freshman year.

During the summer months we lost one of our best men—best not only in athletics, in which he excelled, but in the real sense of the word “best.” We can never forget Gordon Haley.

On September 15, 1910, we again gathered in the Oratory. Only about fifteen of us showed up for the rush, and being outnumbered two to one we were easily defeated by the Freshmen. More of our men came in later, but several familiar faces were missing.

At the suggestion and request of the Faculty we abstained from all hazing, and satisfied ourselves by sticking up some posters which reminded the Freshmen of their subjection to the “Ten Commandments.”

For class officers this year we elected A. F. Walker, president; G. N. Groff, vice president; and E. G. Brown, secretary and treasurer.

The greater part of our college career is still before us. We have much to learn and do for our Alma Mater. But a spirit of loyalty and pride has so infused itself into our hearts that we can never forget, nor cease to give our best for Dear Old Delaware.

HISTORIAN, '13.



Members of the Class of 1913

- WALTER GEORGE AURAND.....Wilmington
Athenaeon Literary Society, Freshman English Prize.
- ELMER ELLSWORTH BLADES.....Wyoming
Treasurer Athenaeon Literary Society.
- ELMER GEORGE BROWN, Σ Φ Ε.....Wilmington
President Freshman Year, Treasurer and Secretary Sophomore
Year, Class Football.
- CHARLES HENRY BRAUNWilmington
Class Basketball Captain '09, Scrub Basketball '09-'10.
- WILLIAM LESLIE BECK.....Delaware City
Scrub and Class Basketball 1910. Light-weight Boxer.
- GEORGE EDWIN CHAMBERS, K A.....Lewes
'Varsity Football Squad 1909.
- JOHN HENRY CLENDANIEL, JR.....Kennedyville, Md.
- JESSE FRANKLIN DIGGS, JR.....Northeast, Md.
Maryland Club, Class Basketball.
- PAUL DOUGHERTY, K A.....Wilmington
- BYRON RAMONE FOSTER, Σ NWilmington
Athenaeon Literary Society, Class Basketball, '10, Class Baseball
'10, Class Football '10, Class Treasurer Freshman Year.
- HYLAND PARMLEY GEORGE.....Marydel, Md.
- JOHN EUGENE GONCE, JR, K A.....Elkton, Md.
Athenaeon Literary Society, Maryland Club, Class Football '10.
- GEORGE NEWSTEAD GROFF, Σ Φ Ε.....Wilmington
'Varsity Football Squad '09-'10, Class Football '09-'10, Class Bas-
ketball '10, Vice President Class Sophomore Year, Class Track
Team '10.
- ROBERT GEORGE HILL.....Holyoke, Mass.
Athenaeon Literary Society, Agriculture Club, Y. M. C. A., Re-
view Board, Freshman English Prize, Bush Literary Prize, Pru-
dential Committee.
- JOHN THOMPSON HERRIGAN.....Wilmington
Class Football '09, Class Baseball '09, Class Track '09.
- MERRILL BONSALE HUTCHINSON.....Smyrna
Athenaeon Literary Society, Class Baseball '10, Special W. C. T.
U. Prize.
- ARTISAN SMITH, Σ Φ Ε.....Salem, N. J.
Class Football '10.

ARTHUR FREDERICK WALKER.....	Benson, Vt.
President Sophomore Year, Scrub and Class Football, Class Baseball, Wrestler.	
CARLTON BECK WALLS, K A.....	Smyrna.
Athenaeon Literary Society.	
DAVID LOUIS WEINSTOCK.....	Wilmington
HORACE TRUMAN HURLOCK.....	Wilmington
Scrub and Class Basketball '09, Class Track Team, Manager Baseball Freshman Year.	
ARTHUR SYDNEY HOUGHIN, JR.....	Newark
Athenaeon Literary Society, Agriculture Club, Scrub Baseball '10, Treasurer Class Freshman '10.	
EPHRAIM PRESTON JOLLS, Σ Φ Ε.....	Middletown
'Varsity Baseball '10, Class Baseball '10.	
ISAIAH STANTON LANK.....	Porter
Heavy-weight Wrestler, Class Football Team '10.	
OUTTEN LAWS.....	Dover
CALVIN SWAYNE LENDERMAN, Σ Ν.....	Wilmington
'Varsity Baseball Squad, Captain Class Baseball, Freshman Prudential Committee.	
FREDERICK COLIN MCCAGHEY.....	Baltimore, Md.
Athenaeon Literary Society.	
WALLACE TODD MCCALL.....	Wilmington
WALTER LEE MESSICK.....	Wilmington
JOHN FRANCIS MULLIN, Σ Φ Ε.....	Wilmington
Class Basketball '10.	
JOHN PAUL LYNCH.....	Wilmington
Football and Basketball '10.	
THOMAS JOSEPH MCLOUGHREY, Σ Ν.....	Philadelphia, Pa.
Heavy-weight Boxer, Class Football '10.	
WILLIAM FRANCIS O'BRIEN, Σ Ν.....	Philadelphia, Pa.
Class Football, Middle-weight Wrestler, Class Track.	
ARTHUR LEE PRICE.....	Middletown
Athenaeon Literary Society.	
ALFRED BRINTON RAUGHLEY.....	Harrington
Class Football and Baseball, Y. M. C. A.	
WALLACE ATTERBURY SAWDON, Σ Ν.....	Wilmington
'Varsity Track, Class Track Captain, Sophomore Basketball Captain.	
WILLIAM MELCHOIR SCHLITTLER, Σ Ν.....	Wilmington
'Varsity Football Squad, Captain Class Football.	
CHARLES HALL STAYTON, K A.....	Smyrna
'Varsity Football Squad, Class Football.	