

The Harrisburg Club Banquet.

The Harrisburg club held its annual banquet in the club rooms of the Harrisburg Engineers' club on Dec. 29. About sixty men were present, including alumni and prospective State students of Harrisburg and vicinity who were there as guests of the club. Toasts and speeches were intermingled with the college yells and songs and the affair is thought to have been the most successful State affair ever held in Harrisburg.

Dr. Sparks was the guest of honor. He spoke of the college life at State and told what had happened at the college during vacation. He impressed upon the prospective students the importance of being well prepared in the fundamentals before entering college, and said he would rather be able to test a man's qualifications for entering—not by what he knows—but by what he can do and learn.

Professor Steel of Harrisburg High school and Professor Davis of Steelton High School gave very interesting talks along their line of work and told their impressions of State and its men. Prof. Davis also spoke and toasts were given by prominent alumni who were present, the subjects being generally upon the great growth of the college since their student days.

A flashlight was taken of those present and turned out to be a fine picture. A proof is now in the hands of the secretary, A. B. Zerby, and can be seen by any member.

The college bulletin devoted to the School of Agriculture is out now. The others will follow each month and will then be combined for the general catalogue which comes out in April.

The opening exercises of the second semester will be on January 31, Monday, at 10:30 a. m. and classes will begin at 1:30 p. m.



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