

An Alibi?

The Class of 1907, appreciating the kindness of Providence in bestowing upon them such an overwhelming abundance of brain, brawn and moral virtues, together with a vast amount of worldly goods, all of which has been the cause of a growth of almost insane jealousy in the breasts of the faculty and under classmen, and, fearing that this aforesaid envy might be the cause of an attempt to break the last will and testament, which this class is about to make, it resolved to go before a judge of competent jurisdiction and obtain a certificate of its sanity, a copy of which is hereby attached:

CROWBAIT COURT.
COUNTY OF HAMILTON,
State of Ohio.

There came before me and Drs. Cassidy and Knight, alienists, on this the 13th day of March in the year 1907, the following-named members of the Class of 1907, to-wit: Hill, Hall, Degnon, Kelleher, Bixby, Dalton, Krucker, Greenburg, Lent, Ramsey, Wright, Elias, Gott, Sheets, Boltz, L. E. Smith, Edwards, Kelly, Burdette, Bradley, Lindeman, Harkins, Compton and Miss Stock, to be examined as to the sanity of said class.

The examination was held of the class individually and collectively, and the following report was filed and judgment rendered:

Item 1—Hill, for introducing to a gullible public patent nostrums. Since the attempt was unsuccessful, Hill declared insane.

Item 2—Degnon, for inquiring concerning a "temperance" license. No good dentist should ever be guilty of such a misdemeanor. Declared insane.

Item 3—Bixby, for being so curious to see things transpiring at the Emery. Declared sane. [Ed. NOTE—Testimony suppressed.]

Item 4—Dalton, for always remarking: "Let 'er go horse-pistolin'!" Since no good cause can be found for such exclamations, declared insane.

Item 5—Greenburg, declared insane without examination.

Item 6—Lent, for exposing a skeleton to public view, and abandoning same at a crucial moment. Declared insane.

Item 7—Rouse, Mondon, Devine, Boltz and L. E. Smith (examined in a body), for not voting to take the Prosthetic questions at forty cents each. Declared parsimonious, bordering on insanity.

Item 8—Kelleher and Goreis, for failing to go to the Psi Omega dance because of their unfit condition. Judgment suspended.

Item 9—Krucker, for having trances. It is proven that for the previous three years Krucker has been in a trance. Declared insane.

Item 10—Ramsey, for growing a hirsute appendage. Evidence shows that he has had it removed. Declared sane.

Item 11—Hall, for rooming with Bradley. Declared insane.