THOUGH it is unfortunate to be obliged to publish here the full account of the recent Senior election, yet it is necessary to bring before the underclassmen, and especially the Freshmen, the ultimate result of the apathy which they manifest at present.

It is now well known to the students at large that last Friday at the Senior election, one unduly ambitious member of the class, flattered by the success of his first efforts in the “Technique” election of Ninety-Five, fearing to trust to his merits, proceeded in a semi-secret manner to circulate a ticket of his own making, ostensibly to thwart the election of any unpromising candidate, but in reality to secure for himself a position among the class officers. This individual in his characteristic way covertly sought his coterie, and, assured of their support, placed at the eleventh hour his candidates on the list. Remembering the final absolute failure of his efforts to keep a popular and worthy man from election to the “Technique” Board of ’95, this politician was wise enough to place on his ticket some prominent men whose names would carry the whole through. The time for election came, and as one after another of his candidates was elected, success seemed imminent; but when the culminating point was reached the scheme collapsed, and the name of John Dennis Joseph Moore failed to appear among those at the successful candidates.

As the merits of the successful candidates would easily have secured their election independent of this scheme, the Seniors should willingly lend their aid to prevent a repetition of last week’s action. But aggravating as it is to have this occur in the Senior class, it is nevertheless a timely example for the lower classes of their impending fate if they continue in their present state of lassitude. Not only have the Sophomores evinced a contemptible lack of interest in class affairs, but also the Freshmen have conducted their first meetings in a most shameful manner, and already are subjugated to the nefarious scheme of one clique or another.

Ninety-Seven and Ninety-Eight must awaken to their responsibilities, and as a body retrieve their reputation by severely condemning such political wire-pulling as any student may attempt to practice, or they will eventually be hoodwinked by all such aspirants for class honors.