INTELLECTUAL PROGRESS

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WILL learn more of permanent value during your undergraduate life than at any other time during your career, and you should take every opportunity to use these advantages. You are not here for a good time, but in life you will have to take part in a great broad game and you must expect no miracles to happen in your favor.

"If you do not obtain a good sound knowledge now you are doomed to failure in the future. Take your studies as seriously as possible. Do not be misled by stories of men who succeeded without sound education. These were exceptional men. The men you will have to deal with will be men equally well equipped as yourself. You must at least be equal to them."

"You will enter a profession where sound knowledge is needed. This will be more evident in the future than in the past. It has been said that God was particular in giving to his favorite children an education, for it is believed that a man with ability will succeed in spite of all obstacles. The difference between a man who has scientific knowledge and the man who has not is well expressed in the words of an old Scotch merchant. It is the difference between the rough and tumble, kick with the heel, butt with the head, nigger fight, and the dodge and keep from wind until you see an opening to get in and hit your opponent in the solar-pleural cavity."

"You must keep your mind hard. This means the absolute importance of taking your studies seriously. You can not tell today what knowledge will be required ten years hence.

"But there are other things than knowledge. Some men with knowledge till bitterly because all their natural power has been sapped out of them in the acquirement of their knowledge. To put it plainly they have no tact. You must not take yourselves too seriously. There are good reasons for not confining yourself too much to scientific studies. The best and most effective way of learning tact is by mingling with your fellow students. Here you have all the elements of a useful social life. You have all the elements of a cosmopolitan life. Technology has a world wide reputation and men come here from all over the globe. Failure punishes not quite so severely here as in later life. You come here at the most critical periods of your life. You should like to see better physical conditions too. I should like to see upon his audience the incompatibility of the socialistic principles and Catholic beliefs.

A meeting of the Catholic Club was held last evening in 16 Rogers. Dr. Goldstein spoke on Socialism stressing upon his audience the incompatibility of the socialistic principles and Catholic beliefs.