Princeton's Anti-Club Fight Stirs the University

Refusal of a Group of Sophomores to Accept Election in Any of the Clubs Brings Up a Perplexing Problem for Solution

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The refusal of a group of Princeton sophomores to stand for election to any of the clubs of that university, and the scurrilous calumny, unmerited remark, innuendo and insinuative jealousy, which it has excited, will be found by the readers of the New York Times to be a remarkable and instructive instance of how much people can be caused to think and talk about themselves and others by the use of a few résumés.

It is to be regretted that the matter should have become so public, as it is of such an embarrassing character that it is difficult to know what course of action will be most effective in bringing it to an end.

The members of the group of sophomores who have thus far refused to accept election to any of the clubs have, it is said, done so in consequence of certain difficulties which have arisen in the conduct of the clubs.

It is understood that these difficulties are of a nature which would be likely to cause much dissatisfaction among the members of the clubs if they were not relieved.

The matter is now in the hands of the faculty, and it is to be hoped that they will be able to devise some plan by which the difficulties may be overcome and the situation restored to what it was before the refusal of the sophomores.

The action of the group of sophomores has caused much alarm among the members of the clubs, and it is feared that it may have a tendency to cause other groups of students to take similar action, with the result that the university may be plunged into a state of great confusion and disorder.

It is to be hoped that the matter may be settled amicably, and that the university may be restored to its usual state of tranquility.