

which he humorously said he had discovered among the torn leaves of Swinburne's Manuscript. The poem was a parody of one of the masterpieces of Swinburne—"The Garden of Proserpine," and the effect produced is simply indescribable. The audience roared and roared in hilarity and laughter. (For the benefit of our readers the poem is printed elsewhere). After a sumptuous repast the sitting ended late at night.

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The eighth sitting of the College Union was held on Saturday the 26th March at 7 p. m.

Professors N. C. Banerjee and J. N. Chakravarti were elected to represent Bangabasi College teachers in the All Bengal College and University Teacher's Conference.

Next Professor Dhirendra Krishna Mukherjee read an interesting paper on Love and its phases, ( কাম ও প্রেম ) which was highly appreciated.

A dinner followed after which the sitting came to an end at 10 P. M.

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## SARASWATI PUJA IN THE CANNING HOSTEL.

The worship of the Goddess of Learning was celebrated with great *eclat* by the Hostel boys this year on the 6th February last. A new feature was that the Puja was celebrated with no band music—but in the midst of the deafening sounds of *Dhol* and *Dhak* in right Hindu fashion. There was a varied programme of entertainment consisting of the songs of Babus Dilip Kumar Roy, Krishna Chandra De (the blind singer), and Anath Nath Basu; the comic skits and caricature of Srijukta Nalini Sarkar and S. C. Mukherjee, popularly known as "Funniman"; and thought-reading by Srijukta Khageendra Nath

Roy. Every item was produced with uniform excellence. The Hostel boys along with their superintendents were all attention to the guests of the evening who were all treated to light refreshments.

The immersion of the Goddess took place on the 7th February. A large procession was formed and amid deafening shouts of *Bande Mataram* the image of the Goddess Saraswati was taken to the Ganges and immersed in her waters. Thanks to the precautionary measures taken by the authorities there was no disturbance, and the ceremony passed off as smoothly as ever.

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## THE ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION.

The first sitting of the above Association was held on Saturday the 12th February 1927, in Room No. 3 at 3-30 P. M.

Professor D. N. Mukherji was in the chair.

The object of the meeting was to elect the office-bearers for the current Session,

The following were declared duly elected.

*President*—Mr. D. N. Mukherji, Professor of Economics.

*Vice-President*—Sj. Pulin Behari Paul.

*Hony. Secretary*—Sj. Kanak Kumar Palit.

*Hony. Asst. Secretary*—Mr. Basim Ahmed Dupley.

*Hony. Treasurer*—Sj. Kanai Lal Basu.

*Hony. Librarian*—Sj. Sudhir Kumar Das Gupta.

The Executive Committee nominated by the President-Elect consisted of the following :

(1) Sj. Narsing Prasad Misra.

(2) Sj. Abani Kanta Bhattacharjya.

(3) Sj. Broja Mohan Ghose.