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## LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

—Miss Nannie Carlton of News Ferry who graduated here in '04, is visiting Mrs. Annie Watson.

—Rev. L. E. Smith, class of '10, spent Wednesday here on his return from his home in LaGrange, Ga.

—Dr. J. F. McCulloch, of Greensboro, filled the pulpit here Sunday morning. He gave one of his usual able sermons.

—Dr. Moffitt is attending Conference this week, at Hank's Chapel near Pittsboro.

—Prof. Harper spent Sunday in Greensboro, conducting services at Palm Street for Doctor W. C. Wicker, who was at the E. N. C. Conference.

—Miss Ethel Clements spent Saturday night with Miss Lou Davidson in Gibsonville, where she assisted the Betterment Association in an entertainment.

—Mrs. O. B. Barnes and her daughter, Miss Bessie, spent Friday night and Saturday in Greensboro.

—Dr. Wicker, Messrs. J. Lee Johnson and A. T. Banks returned Sunday evening from the Eastern North Carolina Conference held near Merry Oaks.

—In the Y. M. C. A. Saturday evening Mr. W. L. Anderson was the leader.

—In the Philologian Society Friday evening Mr. W. B. Fuller was the best speaker oratorically. Debate: Query: Resolved, That man's intellect is superior to woman's. Won by the negative. Best speaker on the affirmative, Mr. M. S. Revell. Best speaker on the negative, Mr. J. F. Morgan.

—Miss Lillian Johnson led in the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon, subject, "The purpose of power."

—In the Christian Endeavor Sunday evening Prof. Brannock was the leader, subject, "The war against the saloon, Eulist!" The meeting was a good one.

—Those in the Psiphelian Society who deserved special mention were Miss Lillian Johnson, a recitation, Miss Pearl Fogleman, a vocal solo, Miss Pattie Preston, a paper on College life.

—The last student to register is Rev. J. V. Knight of Alabama. The two hundred mark in enrollment has been reached.

—Mr. O. B. Barnes spent several days in and near Chapel Hill last week on business.

—Revs. J. W. Wellons, J. W. Patton, L. I. Cox, and J. F. Morgan are among those from here attending the Western North Carolina Conference at Hanks Chapel this week.

—Mrs. T. C. Amick returned Thursday from several days' visit near Liberty.

—Mr. Gerry, the section master on the Southern railway, has moved into the Car Cottage vacated by Rev. J. O. Cox.

—Mr. D. C. Loy, a member of the Freshman class, is recovering from a rather severe attack of sickness last week.

—Mr. D. W. Brown accompanied by his daughter, Miss Gertrude, was in Greensboro Saturday. Mr. Brown being town street commissioner examined a Case road machine which will be tried on our streets with a view to purchasing, and Miss Gertrude went to consult an oculist.

—Sheriff S. L. Hayworth of Asheboro was here Saturday to see his niece, Miss Mary Howard of Mineral Wells, Texas.

## THE BOOK CLUB.

The Ladies' Book Club met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. J. Fletcher Somers. The following members were present:—Mesdames Alma Wilson, E. L. Moffitt, T. C. Amick, J. W. Patton, W. A. Harper, and J. Fletcher Somers.

The Club read at this meeting the second part of Henry IV. The next of Shakespeare's dramas to be studied is Henry V.

## ANNUAL LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT OF THE PHI SOCIETY.

Thursday evening of Thanksgiving day, the Philologian Literary Society will give the following program:

"Thomas Dixon Jr's. Winning Oration."

R. A. Truitt.

Local Stings, J. U. Newman, Jr.

Oration, Character, F. S. Drake.

### Debate.

Query: Resolved, That a representative Government like that of the United States is a better form of Government than the Monarchical Government of England.

Affirmative: J. F. Morgan, B. J. Earpe.

Negative: J. C. Rowland, D. C. Holt.

Marshalls: V. R. Holt, Chief. M. A. Revell, C. S. Moore, S. S. Myrick.

President, Arnold Hall. Sec., J. S. Truitt.

## MEETING OF THE ATHLETIC COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the athletic committee was held Saturday at which were present W. P. Lawrence chairman, W. H. Fleming, Secretary, Professor T. C. Amick, J. J. Ingle, manager the baseball club and R. A. Campbell. Bun Hearne, the coach, was present by request of the committee, and on motion was made an advisory member of the committee.

The manager reported requests for match games of baseball as coming from several institutions. The manager was authorized to arrange games in April with William and Mary, Delaware, Hampden Sidney, Richmond College, and Oak Ridge Institute, the last named to be played Easter Monday in Burlington, the dates for the colleges to be arranged later.

It was decided to adopt a monogram for the athletic association, and Messrs. J. J. Ingle and W. H. Fleming with Mr. Hearne as advisory member were constituted a committee to make recommendations as to the monogram and the requirements upon which it is to be awarded.

Mr. R. A. Campbell was appointed a committee to arrange for some paid lectures, the proceeds to go to the treasury of the athletic association.

## TO PURCHASE LOT OF A CHURCH.

The Ladies' Aid Society in session last Wednesday afternoon appointed a committee consisting of Mesdames J. W. Newman and J. W. Patton to look out a lot upon which to build a church. The Aid Society has accumulated several hun-

dred dollars for the purpose of building a church, and the members of the Society are anxious to secure a lot before the meeting of the Annual Conference at Pleasant Grove, Nov. 22.

When the membership of the church becomes as much in earnest about the matter of a church building as is the Ladies' Aid Society, this college village will soon have a house of worship.

## MR. BOB IS PRESENTED IN MEBANE.

The comedy, "Mr. Bob," given here recently by local talent much to the delight of a good sized audience, was given by the same company under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church in Mebane last Friday evening. The company speak highly of their reception and of the excellent entertainment given them by good people of Mebane.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL RECORD FOR SUNDAY NOV. 13, 1910.

D. J. Sipe, Secretary.

Class No. 1, Mr. O. B. Barnes, Teacher. Present, 7; collection, 35 cts.

Class No. 2, Dr. J. W. Newman, teacher. Present, 8; collection 28 cts.

Class No. 3, Prof. T. C. Amick, Teacher. Present, 14; collection, 21 cts.

Class No. 5, Prof. A. L. Lincoln, Teacher. Present 15; collection, 41 cts.

Class No. 6, Mrs. Rose Machen, Teacher. Present 20; collection, 24 cts.

Class No. 7, (Intermediate class) Mrs. J. W. Patton, teacher. Present, 23; collection, 5 cts.

Class No. 8, (Intermediate class) Miss. Clements, teacher. Present, 12; collection 4 cts.

Class No. 9, ( Junior class) Mrs. J. M. Sanders, teacher. Present, 27; collection, 17 cts.

Class No. 10, (Primary class) Mrs. J. I. Foster, teacher. Present, 27; collection, 10 cts.

Teacher Training Class, E. T. Hines, teacher. Present, 12; collection 12 cts.

Citizens' Bible Class, Prof. W. A. Harper, teacher. Dr. Atkinson, substitute. Present, 16; collection, 21 cts.

Mission Study Class, R. A. Campbell, Teacher. Present, 21. Collection, .62 cts.

Total: Scholars, 190; visitors, 3; whole school, officers and teachers, 207. Collection, \$2.80.

## AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF J. S. REED.

In the year 1893 I was born near the boundary line of Georgia and Alabama. At the age of five years my father moved to Columbus, Georgia. After remaining there two years my parents started me to school. The school not being what they wished for me, and my older brother to seek an education, became dissatisfied. My father was a minister and always wanted to labor where he thought he could accomplish the most good, so when I was seven years old my father decided to move to a small town where there was a good school, by name, S—.

In this town there was a fine set of peo-

ple as well as a fine field for Christian work.

On February the second I started to school with a desire to have an education, and to keep up with my class.

After being in school four years I entered the fourth grade.

By this time my father had built a Christian Church in our town and had also been elected as a member of the Board of Education. By my father writing to one of the graduates of Elon College and putting his name before the Board he was elected to take the work of teaching the third and fourth grades. He boarded at our home and took a great interest in me. He was the first person who caused me to want to go to college. He told me of the college in North Carolina where he secured his education. I became attached to him as well as to his ways of teaching. The next year I began saving my money for the purpose of going to school at Elon College. Being very independent I thought I would bear my own expenses through school. My parents did as much as they could to help me in my plans. My greatest trouble was I didn't know what I wanted to prepare myself for.

In the eighth year of my school life I met with a serious accident which caused me to be in bad health and lose nearly a year in school. During this time I got careless and neglected my books.

Of course this threw me behind my old class-mates, and caused me to feel despondent. As most of boys do, I now lost control of my temper and made my school-days harder far me.

By the help and good will of my old classmates, however, I succeeded in getting through the high school in 1908. I then secured a position in the mercantile business, but a few months of confinement taught me that this was not a suitable occupation so I turned to farming. Every day the need of more education was looking me in the face. At last I accepted the invitation of the authorities of Elon to become a member of the College and now I am in school enjoying the fruits of seed sown long ago.

## An Uncomfortable Chair.

"It cost Blank a fortune to get into a seat on the New York stock exchange."

"That is n't the worst of it; it cost him three fortunes to get out of it!" Detroit Free Press.

## Sure Remedy.

Complete repose, the doctor said,

Would put rim at his best;

And so he ceased to advertise

And got the needed rest.

—Woman's Home Companion.

## Defenceless.

Clarence Kinkby.—Ain't seen nothin, o' Mose Johnsing lately. Anythin' done happen to him, huh?

G. Washington Cole.—Yessah, Mose done sufferin' from a fit ob absentmindedness; he came around to de club las' week wif only a safety razor.