#### SCATTERGOOD LECTURES ON RECONSTRUCTION

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to break the spirit of the French, who instead were aroused to even greater endeavor. All German commanders, however, had not carried out the order to destroy.

Mr. Scattergood brought out in powerful fashion the horrors of war, not only in the many deaths of the soldiers but in the prevalence of disease and misery among the civilian population. He showed how the spirit of love, through the reconstruction workers, was shining as a light in the hate, darkness and destruction of the war. The lecture well long be remembered at Guilford.

Two Guilford Alumni, R. J. M. Hobbs and Henry Davis are at present with the unit.

#### HENRY SCATTERGOOD DISCUSSES WAR AIMS

An able address was delivered before the student body and community by J. Henry Scattergood, of Philadelphia, at the Friends church Sunday morning on the war aims of the different powers. Mr. Scattergood showed how there were two main type of mind in all countries on both sides of this struggle; the conservative imperialistic type and the liberal type, which is nighting only for the protection of democracy. He showed how President Wilson stood as a leader of the latter type and that his aims in this war were entirely unselfish. The secret treaties which had been revealed by the Bolsheviki showed that even the allied leaders were to some extent imperialistic. Mr. Scattergood did not believe that Germany or any nation could be conquered by force alone. If all the allies should adopt the Russian motto of "no annexations, no indemnities," the German people could no longer be deluded by their leaders. Had this been done Russia could have been held in line.

If the allies should adopt the liberal attitude of President Wilson and of the British labor party not only would a new and powerful spiritual force be brought into the struggle, but after the war the world could be put on a permanent pears footing.

### SAFETY LEAGUE ORGANIZED.

John S. Cunningham, an agent of the Insurance Department of the State government, recently addressed morning colletion on the subject of "Safety First." She showed how fires so often result from carelessness and the importance of looking after waste and othcauses of conflagrations. The student body was urged to nominate officers for a Safety League and the following were nominated and elected by acclamation: President, Chester Sutton; vice-president, Don Walser; secretary, Donna McBane; treasurer, Mack Brown; honorary president, Miss Osborne. The dues are 1 cent per member. At a recent meeting of the officers it was decided to invest this money in safety pins, safety razors and safety matches. Miss Osborne however protested that very few matches made around here were safe.

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A Letter from Mrs. Hobbs (Continued from first page)

that it was war time then and at once I was called back to the present and thought of our men in Picardy and all of the horror of it, and wondered how so much beauty and so much sadness and wrath could exist beneath the same heaven. Then came those wonderful words of Isaiah, the prophet, part of which Christ used upon a memorable occasion to interpret his own mission and declared them fulfilled. The latter part of the prophecy was what presented itself to me: "to proclaim the year of Jehovah's favor and the day of vengeance of our God, to comfort all that mourn, to appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them a garland for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness that they may be called heirs of righteousness, the planting of Jehovah that he may be glorious.

The year of Jehovah's favor and the day of vengeance of our God seem rather uncongruous seasons. But I imgaine that even yet the two go hand in hand and that what often seems most terrible and as if the very vials of wrath were being poured upon us, under the good hand of our God, results in the year of Jehovah's favor.

I came back from my thought journey to the battlefields of Europe, and standing upon the well known and greatly beloved soil of our college, said, Guilford is worth all our best effort. In its beauty, in its past triumphs, in its possible victories it appeals to the best in us to make of all the perplexities and all the disappointments of the past simply a setting for "the year of Jehovah's favor," which by united effort and which by united effort and loyal support we may help to bring

Mary Mendenhall Hobbs. 4-15-1918.

#### DEBATE WITH A. & E. ON MAY 5.

The date for the debate with A. & E. has been set for May 5th. It will probably take place in the auditorium of Meredith College in Raleigh. The question is "Resolved that the Monroe Doctrine as developed and applied by the United States should be abandoned as part of our foreign policy." The Guilford team is composed of A. I. Newlin, J. Dewey Dorsett and Charles Shelton, with J. G. Reddick as alternate.

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