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EDITORIALS

The Library is not a good gossip shop, although some poor benighted folks seem to think it is such. Neither is it a voice studio, although some folks make that use out of it. If you are merely seeking a place to loaf, the librarians and the girls who want to study, beseech you to keep out of the Library.

Closed Study Hour has descended upon us again. Perhaps we merit it, perhaps we don't, but from the general appearance of things we do. No doubt it will do us all good. Very few people are so brilliant that they don't have to study. Their brilliancy comes from the fact that they do study—study in the right way. So if you are too lazy to study yourself and too selfish to let others, at any rate now you will have to stay in your own room. However, let us all remember the "poor room-mate."

A BIT OF CHEER

Sometimes when all
Is dark and dreary,
And you are tired
And worn and weary,
And everything goes wrong—
Try a song.

Sometimes when friends
Seem false to you,
When folks seem
Cross and crabby too,
And you can't go another mile—
Try a smile.

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CONCORD "Y's" MACHINE FAILING TO WORK FALLS BEFORE GAR- NET AND BLACK BASKETEERS

Tuesday night, Feb. 7, witnessed one of the classiest basket ball games that has ever been seen on the local floor. On this date the Lenoir College quint met and defeated the Concord Y. M. C. A. five, by the big end of a 60-25 score.

DR. VOIGHT VISITS LENOIR

Lenoir College was honored by a short visit from Dr. Voight, Dean of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Columbia in the first few days of this week.

STATE COLLEGE, RALEIGH, N. C.

Quite a bit of interest has been started in the game of Soccer Ball at State College. The Faculty come out every afternoon for practice and the whole student body seems to like the new game. Last Saturday the Students "Laddies" lost a hotly contested game to the Professors on Riddick Field. The score was 2-0 at the end of an hour of play; between the halves the Court of Customs had a demonstration to pull off. Three delinquent Freshmen were sentenced to run the Sophomore Gauntlet for minor offenses. The demonstration proved very enjoyable especially to the visitors, who had assembled for the game.

Charlotte, N. C.—The Y. M. C. A. entertained the Student Body at a Valentine Party on Saturday evening February 11th. The Valentine decorations were used and many novel games were played. The Y. M. C. A. always entertains the Boarders several times each year and this was the annual spring entertainment. The party was in every way a big success.

Charlotte, N. C.—The Kappa Omicron Honorary Society pledged four new members into the society on Tuesday afternoon February 7th. These members were found to be eligible because of proficiency during the first semester of the year. A social hour followed the pledging of these members. The Kappa Omicron Society is made up of those girls meeting certain scholastic requirements.

Davidson, N. C., Feb. 11.—(Special to *The Twig*)—Dr. J. M. Douglas, Graduate Manager of Athletics at Davidson College, today made public a statement that forecasts a radical change in the athletic policy of the Presbyterian college. It would seem that the institution is planning on greatly increasing

the scope of her athletic activities. The statement was as follows:

"At a meeting of the faculty of Davidson College held in January it was decided that the college was in need of a new athletic policy, particularly as it desired that the alumni should have a voice in the control of athletics. After consulting several alumni it was decided to place the control of all athletics in the hands of an Athletic Council. This council will be composed of seven men, four representing the faculty and three the alumni.

"The Athletic Council will have control of the selection of coaches, the disbursing of funds and the making of schedules. In fact it will assume general supervision over all athletic activities."

COLUMBIA SEMINARY QUARTETTE VISITS HILL

Davidson, Feb. 11.—In connection with the campaign put on foot by the Y. M. C. A. cabinet to raise one thousand dollars for a chair in Hanchow College the 'Y' has succeeded in getting the quartette from Columbia Seminary to visit the Hill. This quartette will sing at the various exercises this week-end and will help the 'Y' in its campaign.

NEW DORMITORY NEARS REALITY

Davidson, Feb. 11.—A new dormitory which will be modeled after the latest designs for college buildings and which will be somewhat different from any now on the campus, will soon be under construction. The new building will be the largest on the campus, containing seventy rooms and resembling, in a measure, the old Chalmers building.

One man in the United States is living in approximately four different states at the same time. He is a ranchman whose house and lands cover the corners of Utah, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico. The windmill that pumps water for his stock stands in New Mexico and pumps water in a trough in Arizona. The house is exactly in the center of where the four corners of the several states meet.

The mayor of Youngstown, Ohio, was elected on a freak platform. His platform provided for jailing any citizen who paid taxes under a recent revaluation; for discontinuance of street car service, turning the streets over to jitney buses, and the dismissal of the entire police force if it "did not mend its ways." He has lived in Youngstown only three months, starting in business there with a barrel of potatoes and a wheelbarrow. Now he has a big business.