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THURSDAY, March 9, 1893.

The marked improvement shown by the Magazine under the new management is the source of no little gratification to all who have the good of the University at heart. The last number had twice as many pages of reading matter as any of the previous numbers, save number 3—when the present management assumed control—and the matter was, on the whole, far superior.

Besides being given a better literary tone, the Magazine has been rendered more attractive by the insertion as a frontispiece in each issue of a cut of some prominent North Carolinian followed by a sketch of his life and work. This, we think, is especially noteworthy, for it serves to foster our love for those who served our state in darker times and stimulates those who hope to serve her in these brighter days.

No stone has been left unturned in making the Magazine a financial success, as may be seen from the wonderfully increased number of advertisements—advertisers will only advertise in a medium which is far-reaching. The number of paid subscribers, we are informed, is thrivable now what it was January 1st. Every effort has been made to increase the size of its subscription list. For instance, a splendid steel engraving of Bishop Phillips Brooks was given to all new subscribers whose names were received in February. We understand that prizes will be offered to students—or those desiring to be students here—for those who secure the greatest number of new paid subscribers (for session '93-4), between now and September 1st next. The first prize will be tuition and board for the session of '93-4, the second will be tuition alone for the same session. Those who have done good work and have

secured a sufficient number, but not as many as either of the first two, will receive valuable prizes, books.

The two societies, faculty, the students, the entire University is to be congratulated on having one with such inexhaustible energy and so well equipped for managing editor. The Magazine promises thus to be one of the most potent factors in building up the University and making known its needs.

WHEN our football team trotted on the field in Atlanta and Nashville, tho' a fine looking set of fellows, they lacked uniformity in appearance. Now we have our baseball uniforms all alike, but the sweaters! one man has a white one with a black "U," another a black one with a blue "U," or some one has a light blue one. This does not look nice, so the managers and captains have met to decide on a "Varsity" sweater, which is to be the uniform of both the base and football teams. Mr. Spalding, of New York, has offered some suggestions and in a few days will send samples from which a selection is to be made. None will be allowed to wear or to own these garments except men who represent us on the 'Varsity and substitutes. A man may purchase his sweater from the Association at the end of the season if he chooses.

This is indeed a step in the right direction, we think. We, in honoring our athletes, should have some distinctive sign by which they can be known. These special sweaters will be indicative of the man's athletic merit and the restriction to his use solely, will be no more than what is right. When a man has trained faithfully and worked hard and won his place on our team he deserves something which shows his superiority and which he may wear with honor.

We have heard that the sweater is to be the same as the Yale football sweaters with "N. C." monogram in blue instead of "Y." It wouldn't be a bad idea also to have a 'Varsity cap.

ASHEVILLE, Feb. 22. — The Ravenscroft school defeated the Bingham in a game of foot ball by a score of 6 to 0. The same team defeated the Ravenscroft last year, by a score of 40 to 0. —News-Observer.

Portland, Me., erected the first statue to Longfellow.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Stephen B. Weeks, of Trinity College, spent Sunday on the Hill.

Miss Lorena Long, of Graham, is visiting Mrs. H. Jerome Stockard.

Chief Justice Sheppard spent Sunday with Dr. Winston.

Maj. Henry Harding, Register of Deeds for Pitt county, paid his sons, Messrs. F. C. and W. F. Harding, a visit Sunday.

Associate Justice McRae spent Sunday with his brother, R. S. McRae, Esq.

Mrs. McBride Holt, of Graham, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Stockard.

Mrs. J. W. Gore has returned from her visit to her parents in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. A. C. Avery, Jr., of Trinity College, paid us a visit Friday.

Miss Lida Carr, of Durham, and her friend, Miss Templer, of Kansas City, Mo., chaperoned by Mr. W. B. Guthrie, drove over the 22d to attend the Birthday exercises.

Miss Annie Taylor Busbee, who has been visiting Miss Dot Manning went home Monday.

Arrivals at the University Inn for the week ending February 25th: James P. McRae, G. L. Shackelford, W. De B. McEachin, Laurinburg; Wadsworth and Lane, Trinity College; C. W. Ogburn, N. C.; G. C. Strickland and J. H. Harris, Durham.

Dr. Winston, Dr. Alexander and Prof. Stockard returned from Raleigh Saturday night, where they had been attending the meeting of the Association of College Professors.

ASSOCIATION ITEMS.

BULLETIN FOR THE WEEK:

Monday Mar. 13th "A Place of Perfect Security." B. E. Stanley, '96.

Tuesday Mar. 14th "The Best Fellowship." Worth McAllister, '95.

Wednesday Mar. 15th "Feeding both Soul and Body." H. Horne, '95.

Thursday Mar. 16th "Daily Study of the Scriptures." R. B. Hunter, '92.

These meetings begin forty-five minutes after the supper bell and last for fifteen minutes. Every student cordially invited.

Sunday's 9 a. m., Dr. K. P. Battle's "Bible Talks."

AMONG COLLEGE ATHLETES.

Harvard has declined to adopt the new "undergraduate rule," as it is called. There seems, therefore, little possibility of her meeting Princeton in baseball this season, though she may meet Yale. The three dates for the Yale-Princeton games have been announced. The last is in New York and will be played, whatever the result of the other two.

In the meeting of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association the "undergraduate rule" was voted down by a vote of 11 to 8. So it will not apply to track athletics for this season.

Yale has Clarkson to train her baseball team and he is already in the cage, giving points to her pitchers. Princeton has her team under the training of Foutz, of the Brooklyns. The University of Virginia has secured the services of Nash, who captains the Bostons. He will be with them for two weeks.

Yale and Princeton have selected a Graduate Committee of two, Walter Camp and Cuyler, who shall decide all points connected with the eligibility of players. There should be a similar committee in our Southern Association. It is much needed and we will make a push for it next year.

The students at Harvard University have organized the Harvard Electric club. Prominent electricians will address the club and members will read papers before it. The club is not to be a purely social organization, but its object is to promote knowledge of electricity and kindred subjects.

The Order of Gringhous announced the election of Mr. Howard E. Rondthaler '93 at twelve o'clock the night of Washington's Birthday, in their usual way, with drums and a transparency.

The faculty of Leland Stanford have organized among themselves a baseball nine which has defeated every team the students have formed.

Three-fourths of the colleges founded in the last twenty years are south of the Mason and Dixon line.

Of the 3000 students enrolled at the University of Berlin, 800 are Americans.