## PERSONALS

Miss Brown, who has been visity ing her sister, Mrs. Judge Shepherd, left the Hill last week.
Miss Hampton, of St. Paul, Minn., arrived Iast week. She will spena the winter on the Hill.

Mr. John H. Andrefs, '97, will take in the Sfate fair during the week. He left for Raleigh days ago.

Dr. Winston is in Tarboro, in attendance upon the confirmation services, of Dr. J. B. Cheshir, to the assistant Bishop of the Diocese of western North Carolina.

Jim Cobb was here last week looking well, but Jim does not "initiate" the Freshman any more, having settled down to business in Raleigh.

Prof. Tolman, of the University, delivered a lecture Sunday evening in the Episcopal church on the "Rig-veda; the Hindo Bible." Quite a large audience greeted the speaker, who, entertained everyone by his able and eloquent handling of his subject. We hope to have other lectures from Dr, Tolman.

## OUR YOUNG ALUMNI.

F. C. Mebane, '92, is teaching at Hillsboro, N. C.
Felix Harvey, ' 92 , is in the insurance business at Kinston, N. C. C. W. Toms, 92, is prine
the Durham graded schools.
W. S. Roberson, ' 89 , is practicing law at Graham, N. C.
W. S. Snipes, '90, is teaching in the Thompson School at Siler
City, N.C.

Dr. W. H. McKenzie, Med., '9r, has a large and lucrative practice Hat Salisbury, N. C. Ing ant 11 d
J.F. Mclver, ' 87 , is now a pros perous lawyer located at Monroe, N. C.
"Bbb"' Bingham, Exz;'91, has a position in the Bingham School, Asheville, N. C.

Eugene Withers, '88, has just been nominated for the Legislature from the Fifth district of Virginia.
A. H. J. Darnall, :88, is professor of modern languages in the University School, Knoxville, Tenn.

We are pleased to have a letter from H. B. Shaw, '90, who is at Harvard taking a special course in mathematics.
N. M. Gibbs, Med., '93, and left end on foot ball team, is studying medicine at the University of Maryland, Baltimore.
C. Mangum. 'g1, andE. A. Moye, '93, are at The Jefferson School of Medicine in Philadelphia.

THE SHAKESPEARE CLUB
The duld met in the Y, Mh © A, last Thursday night in thew first meeting of the year. A large number of students and professors were present, and several ladies also faycred the club with their presence.
After the roll-call and reception of new members, Dr. Hume, the president of the club, announced subject of the meeting,-"Shakespeare's Treatment of English History,' "and commented on the politics of th e great master. Shakespeare did not wish to provoke dis. cussion or stir up strife, but he aimed to arouse an interest in old English history, urging the people to support the crown. Bis method yatist of thatzday. He clothes with flesh and blood the dry bones of history, stirs the imagination and feelings by his vivid portayals of the secret workings of man's nature. He takes the dry chronicles of Hollinshed, Hall. and Sir Thomas Moore and turns, for example, a Richard ińto a nobler character by showing every side of his nature and the forces that made him what he was.

The first paper was read by Mr. T. B. Lee, on the "Wars of the Roses, " as illustrated in Héry VI, and Richard III. He showed that Shakespeare gives the causes of the wars, the vatious stages in the long conflicts, the plans and the Lancastrians and the victory of the Plantagenets, ending with Richard III. on the throne.

Mr. E. E. Gillespie reatha avery interesting paper on "Warwick, the King maker, it Shakespeare and in History." He showed the position
and influence oflthis feudal baron, his conflicts and defeat at first; his espousal of Margaret's cause, and the turn of the tide of the Yorkish
party; the return of Edward to the throne. In dealing with these subjects, Shakespeare does not, as a rule, go beyond the facts of history, but portrays them truthfully, without over-estimating the strength of
the barons or the weakness of the kings.
Dr. Hume supplemented this interesting paper by some remarks on the comitatus as seen in Teutonic England, so that such men as Warwick could arise with atmost kingly power, and the breaking up
of this feudal system by the Wars of the Roses.
"The Shakesperian Authorship Mr. H. H. Horne. He compared Gioster, in Henry VI., zed part, with the same character in Richard III., and showed that in the las named play Richard carries out the
plans he laid in Henry VI.; that the
same Richard is seen in each play
and that the same I master-han follows out the development of the character. Mr. Lowell's criticism of the play was reviewedt very carefully, and it was shown that Shakespeare gives us the same conceptions in the two plays mentioned, and that the is the author of Richard III.
Dr, Battle gave a very instructive talk on the "Right af Sanctuary," tracing the origin of the custom; its workings as seen in the Hebrews and all ancient nations, in Greece and Rome; its progress in England under churd influence until the abolition of the "right" in 1623. It was shown that ini Vir-
gilia and the Carolinas a somewhiat similat custom iwas in vogue in Colonial times wna
Dr. Hume then refe.red to some original work in the metre of Richard III., by Mr. Yunt and Mr C. L. VanNoppen.

Thie subject for the next meeting will ber"Romeo and Juliet."
Officersuwere elected for the ensuing year. Dr: Hume was reelected president; Dr. Tolman was elected vice-president; Mr. Thomas Rollins, secretavy; Mi.H.H. Horne, assistant secretary; Mr. Sawyer, treasurer. The executive committee consists of the officers, together with two other gentlemen to be chosen by them.
The club then adjoumad, after one of the most profitable misetings we have ever attended; at

Somebody could make a "speck" on college colors afix flags, we thinkl: We hope now to see many of our white and blue flags waving on the foot ball ground this year. When we have games at hotie or near home there is no reason why such a pretty evidende of loyalty should not be given. $1 t$ is inspiring to the team-muth more so than a wild howling mob, whose irregular jeers and personal cries to the players is anything but delightful to listen to.
R.H. Mitchell, P. G, in chemistry and geology, 92 and ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{O} 3$, has
accepted the professorship of
Chemistry in the Pacific Methodist



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