PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

Miss Helen Hampton has returned from Charlotte and is at Mrs. Graves'.

Messrs. A. S. Barnard, '93, Law, H. H. Atkinson, '94, and J. C. Carroll, '96, were in Durham on Saturday.

Mr. J. C. Roberts, '83, now a mining engineer in Reco, California, paid his Alma Mater a visit during the week.

Leach, Shewell & Sanborn, publishers, announce a "Greek and Roman Mythology" by two members of our Faculty, Prof. K. P. Harrington and Dr. H. C. Tolman.

Messrs. R. T. S. Steele, '95, G. M. Graham, '91, Law, C. R. Emry, '96, W. D. Carmichael, Jr., '96, Harry Hampton, '96, and David Booth, '97, went with the team to Charlotte to see the Vermont games.

Messrs. H. H. Horne, '95, G.G. Stephens, '96, and J. W. Canada, '96, attended the annual convention of the Y. M. C. A. in Wilmington as delegates of the University Association, and reported an enjoyable time.

Mr. W. G. Peckham, of New York City, owner of much real estate in Chapel Hill, and a great friend to the University, has been on the Hill for a few days resting from his arduous work as an attorney in the metropolis.

Prof. Rayhill, of Illinois, is now giving lessons in elocution every afternoon from 4:30 to 5:30 in Dr. Battle's lecture-room. He charges \$3 for the session. This is the fourth time he has given instruction at the University, an evidence that he is thoroughly competent.

Dr. Winston returned last Saturday from Greensboro, where he went to prosecute some violators of the revenue law. Our old friend, Sykes, of the two-mile limit, was sentenced to ten months imprisonment and fined \$500; ten other men were sent to jail for two months and fined \$100 each.

Dr. Winston has been invited to deliver an address before the North Carolina Society in Atlanta, Ga., on May 20, the anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence. He has accepted invitations to deliver educational addresses in several cities in South Carolina, among them Greenville and Spartanburg.

The summer school in Geology at King's Mountain will begin immediately after commencement, so the boys that attend it will not be obliged to incur the extra expense in going home first. Prof. Cobb says the total cost of the session may be kept as low as \$25; special reduced railroad fare will be secured; the tuition is \$10; and board and lodging may be had at \$2, \$2.50, and \$3. The session will last four weeks; the laboratory and lecture room will be in the building of the King's Mountain High School, lately occupied by Capt. Bell's Military Academy.

Mr. W. W. Foster and his brother, Mr. Win. Foster, photographers from Richmond, Va., have been on the Hill for several days, doing some work in their line. Their style of pictures is very fine, and in consequence they are receiving more patronage than any other photographer has received here. Miss Mollie Stringer is with

It is of interest to University students to know that W. P. Wooten, Ph. B., '93, who won an appointment to West Point from the second district by competitive examination, has passed his entrance examinations successfully, and will enter that famous military academy next June in the class of '98. We look for him to sustain the record of North Carolina and its University there.

The Visiting Committee, appointed annually by the Governor from the Trustees to inspect the University, and consisting this year of Hon. R. A. Daughton, of Sparta, N. C., Lieutenant-Governor and President of the Senate, Chairman; R. T. Gray, Esq., of Raleigh, Judge W. T. Faircloth, of Goldsboro; Rev. J. L. Stewart, of Clinton, and Mr. D. G. Worth, of Wilmington, were in the village during the week. They examined the University in all its departments and phases, the state of finances, discipline; inspected the buildings, recitation-rooms, laboratories, grounds and rooms; attended the exercises; and will make a full report of the state of affairs to Governor Carr, ex officio Chairman of the Board of Trustees. Mr. Worth is an A. B. of 1853, Rev. Mr. Stewart an A. B. of 1857, and Lieutenant-Governor Daughton was a member of the class of '83.

THE UNIVERSITY PRESS.

The University Press is now running in the new West Building with an air of business and enterprise. It is thoroughly equipped with all kinds of type and the best presses, run by steam. When the Tar Heel reporter called he found a member of the Faculty laying the Greek type. The first thing issued was Dr. Tolman's "Notes to old Persian The new Cata-Inscriptions." logue and the Semi-Centennial Magazine are both in press, and are being pushed as fast as steam can drive them. No such establishment is connected with any other college in the South.

We have now at Chapel Hill a complete book-making plant, second to none in the State, and the sheets of the Catalogue, now running through the presses, are better printed than any Catalogue the University has yet sent out. Mr. Z. T. Broughton, the foreman, and his pressman Alex, have received the best of training for their work.

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