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Entered at the Post Office in Chapel Hill, N. C. a
second-class mail matter.
Editor-in-Chief Gwyn is of this week, doing sight-seeing duty at the Exposition. Those whose literary apetites are wos to remain unsatisfied, unless allowed to read and seriously digest the timely articles that week ly appear from his; fluent pen, need not despair. In emblazoned splendor be will soon return to us, bringing with him information for the multitude of students who eagerly await his articles on "What I Saw," and stored with enough information to make wise man of one far less accomp lished.

Athletics, and Foot-ball in par ticular, at the University, are to be congratulated on the wise selection of their Coach. The prospects earlier in the season for a team of any great merit were indeed slim, but when Capt. Trenchard arrived on the scene. with his admirable enthusiasm and thorough knowledge of the game, all wás soon changed.
From the material that appeared but little above the average, a team has been developed that is a credit to the institution and an honor to the State it represents.
In its recent trip it has "done itself proud," deserves the hearty congratulation of the student body and gave away the secret that the Southern Foot Ball Championship will soon be ours.
President Winston on being asked by a newspaper representative several days ago whether or not the students of the University would attend the Atlanta Exposition in a body answered the question in the negative, giving as his main reason that over 200 boys of the institution are too poor to undergo the expenses of the trip. President Winston was entirely correct and revealed no secret in this statement. The University does contain poor boys and lots of them. The University rejoices in its poor boys. Many of them for the struggles they are now enduring, will enjoy prosperity hereafter The University is the property of the entire State, irrespective of class, clique or combine. A poor boy is gladly welcomed to it and is as greatly encouraged at it as the wealthy.
If there be such who esteem the University as the haven of the rich or aristocratic he is indeed mistaked. It gladly opens its doors to every aspiring young man, offers to him its advantages and privileges and is ready to assist him to a higher life of useful activity.

Fraternal sympathy is extend ed to the University of Virginia up on her recent misfortunes. Firs came the Waterloos of its foot-ball team-then an all-devastating fire, seriously crippling the institution, and involving a loss of $\$ 200,000$, including many of the most valuable relics and nearly all of its excellent library and its most historic build ing, the Rotunda.

The selection of Prof. F. P Venable, of the University, as one of the Jurors of Awards at the At lanta Exposition, is an appropriate tribute to this distinguished gen tleman.
He and Prof. Holmes are the on ly jurors from this state, and it is useless for us to say that no wise selections could have been made.

The Tar Heel is a little surprised to see a full page advertisement of a certain circus in the magazine of one of our "Christain colleges." The circus showed there ast Tuesday. The circus is certainly a novel feature of a "Christain Curriculum."

Barber Dunstan seems to have had the eye of a prophet in his flat tering allusions to Prof. Alderman His able speech on Education Day at the Atlanta Exposition was a masterpiece and places him before the public as one of the State's ablest men and most talented instructors. We print elsewhere extracts from his clever address.

The marriage of Mr. Ernest B. McKenzie, of Salisbury, to Miss Katherine Scales is to take place in Greensboro sometime this month. Mr. McKenzie has many friends at the University who congratulate him on his good fortune in securing such an estimable lady.

It is indeed gratifying to the TAR Heel to learn of the exemplary examples of the University boys at the Raleigh Fair. They have all returned, not one (?) of them having seen the Hoochee-Koochees.

## The Baptist Reception.

The reception given to the students by the ladies of the Baptist Church, at Patterson's Hotel, Friday evening, was a well patronized and pleasant affair. An elegant supper was served, good music heard, and as a fitting climax to the happy evening, the following appropriate addresses were masterly deivered:
Address of Welcome, Prof. Gore; Student's Response, Mr. Wray. "The Baptist Student and the University," Dr. Thos. Hume.
"The Sunday School-Its Mission and its Object," Mr. Horne.

The F. \& M. Weekly, of Oct 16 , conained the following interesting statement:
"On Oct. 15th an American school will be instituted in Rome. This enterprise is the outcome of a plan originated at a meeting of archæologists in Philhdelphia. The object of the school is to promote such studies as Latin literature, inscriptions and dialects, Latin peleograph, the antiquities of Rome and archæology of aneient Itally. A part of the building is now occupied by the American schools of Architecture, Sculpture and Painting on the Pincian Hill.

The students of the University learned on Tuesday of the loss to the University of Virginia by the recent fire.
That afternoon they held a mass meeting in Memorial Hall for the purpose of cxp:essing their sympathy with chtir sister University. Mr. F. L. Care was elected chair man of the meeting. He asked Mr. George S . Wills to state its object. Dr. Hume was called upon and made a brief talk, explaining the nature of the loss, and giving some estimate of its extent.
Mr. J. S. Thomas moved that a committee composed of the chairman of the meeting, and of a representative from each of the four departments of the University be appointed to telegraph the following message to the University of Virginia:
"Chairman of the Faculty of the

> University of Virginia, Charlottesville,
"The stadents of the University of North Carolina desire to express their sympathy with the students of the University of Virginia, in the heavy loss just sustained."
The president appointed the committee as follows:
F. L. Carr, ex-officio

John Stanly Thomas, Academic Department.
W. A. Graham, Medical Departnent.
T. D. Warren, Law Deparlment.

## Missouri-Vanderbilt.

The University of Missouri foot-ball team defeated Vanderbilt last Saturday by a score of 14-0. According to the Hustler the Vanderbilt team averages 155 pounds and that of their
opponents 165 .
The game was a hard fought one, only four points being scored in the first half. Twenty-five minute halves were played and Harvard-Pennsylvania rules used. Connell, Vanderbilt's full back, seems to be their star player.

Some of the best known foot-ball players are located as follows:
Butterworth, of Yale, is coaching the Univ. of California.
Heffelfinger, of Yale is coaching the Univ. Minnisota.
Hinkey, of Yale is coaching Andover.
McClung, of Yale is at the Nava Academy.
Upton of Univ. of Pennsylvania, at Vanderbilt.
"Pop" Bliss at Univ. of Missori.

Dr. Hume read a paper on the 'Cursor Mundi and the mystery plays;" Prof. Harrington on "Word Coinage in the Earliest Latin Poet;" Mr.Horn, on "Luthers dialect in his translation of the Bible;', and Prof. Toy on "Some French views of History.'

We are unable to give full reports of the last three games played by the 'Varsity on its rccent trip. They will appear in the next issue of the Tar Heel. The scores were:
U. N. C. $12-$ Vanderbilt 0 .
U. N. C. 0 -Sewanee 0 .
U. N. C. 10 (2nd game) Ga. 6.

Rev. W. B. Ricks, ex ' 89 of Jonesboro Ark., spent Thursday and Friday on the Hill, the guest of the Sigma Chi Fraternity.

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