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All communications for this paper should be in the hands of the Editor-in-Chief by Wednesday at noon to insure publication the same week. We shall be glad to publish pertinent discussions of college topics. The Tar Heel will welcome news items, and hopes the whole college will aid it along this line.

Well, it was unexpected, to say the least. Not in many years and but few times in the history of athletics has Carolina suffered such a crushing defeat. It is safe to say that there was not a man acquainted with our team, however superior he considered Georgetown or however inferior he considered Carolina who ever dreamed that the former would be able to pile up such an overwhelming score. Curiously enough, however, confidence in the White and Blue seems but little shaken; everyone knows that we have a good team, and everyone knows they can play much better foot ball than they did last Saturday. How Georgetown did it is still a matter of much discussion; it is simply one of the curious, unexplainable turns that the game sometimes takes and few are they that can account for them.

There was just one note in the report of the game last Saturday that did not have a sound ring to it; and that was that 97-yard run through the whole Tar Heel team. This could mean but one thing—Carolina had about given up. To one who saw the Richmond game last year this seemed extremely improbable and yet that was the only way to explain it. Two years ago two rival teams a little to the north of us met on the gridiron for their annual contest. One team started into the game with a rush, carrying everything before them and registering three touch downs in the first half, making a score of 16 to 0; thus proving its superiority to all—seemingly.

During the intermission, the seemingly weaker team held a serious talk with itself and finally made up its mind that it would not be beaten. It started into the game with determination written in large letters all over the faces of its men; they got the ball and refused to be stopped, in spite of the desperate efforts of their opponents, till they had placed the ball three times behind the lines for themselves; they won the game 17 to 16.

We do not believe there is any gamer fighting stuff on earth than the plain, ordinary Tar Heel. Georgetown doesn't really count since she is not called a Southern college and gets most of her players from the North. Now the only way in which Carolina can atone

for the disgraceful defeat at Norfolk, is to put it on all the remaining teams to be played, by such overwhelming scores that the memory of that 33 to 0 game will never occur to rankle in our minds again. Our team is composed of Carolinians "to the manner born"—they are not a set of quitters, and so it is up to them to win all the rest of the games in the series.

On Saturday we play Kentucky, a team which recently held Virginia down to a single touch down. It seems to us that not enough attention is being paid to this game. We would be nothing less than disgraced if those fellows should beat us. There has been some talk of an excursion to carry some rooters to the game but we have heard nothing definite. Certainly the Varsity needs rooters now as it never needed them before and a few songs and yells would be a great help at Greensboro.

Finally, we have the material for a team this season which we may not have again for years, so let us make the most of our present eleven.

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God's purpose, what is it? If it were to flash on us it would burn us up. One thing in history that strikes us is that one man is nothing but a temporal being, a gazer at the clouds, while another makes history.

"One was indifferent and cared not, the other had a purpose and in some way saw into the life of things and put them into history.

"We have misunderstood conversion. There must be a time and a place when there is a power that explodes into our consciousness, which gives force and power. We must toil for that thing which will dominate our lives. Spiritual life grows as naturally as other life. We have to feed it. Get the habit of companionship with man and books. Feed on them. Know the great men that have made history. Stand with them for they are the prophets of God.

"To be spiritual you must lead a life of prayer. Withdraw yourself from society into solitude and communion with God. Have an hour each day in which your companion is God. That is prayer.

"Lastly, there must come into our lives some knowledge of the Being we call Jesus Christ. We must come into that spirit that dies for men. Look into the blind face of religion, society, politics, finance and see if there is not some idea to follow, to die for."

"Tony" to Get Married-

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. W. Hearn, of New Orleans, announces the engagement of their daughter, Bessie Green, to Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, formerly our own president, and now president of Tulane University, the wedding to be an important mid-winter event in society at New Orleans.

Miss Hearn is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Hearn and has been one of the prominent belles in New Orleans society for several years. She is said to have a most attractive personality and besides has had all the advantages that wealth can bestow.

The University of Minnesota has a Megaphone Brigade, and elects annually a "King of Rooters," whose duty it is to rally, organize and manipulate the rooters. And 112 to 0 is the score that University recently piled up against an opponent. Put the two together and draw your own conclusions.

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