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BASKETBALL SQUAD ROUNDING INTO SHAPE

ALL-CLASS TEAM CHOSEN BY
COACH NOW PLAYING ROLL
OF VARSITY

MUCH MATERIAL TO WORK ON

Varsity Team at Beginning of Season
Will be a Developed Team—Only
One Letter-Man is on the
Squad This Season

The plans this year for the basketball season seem to indicate that this sport is rapidly leaving the class of minors and entering the major class here at the University. While no Northern teams are being played, still there are strong Southern teams who should make good opponents for the varsity.

Varsity practice started last Tuesday night in the Gym, following a plan never before tried here.

At present Coach Peacock is working with the all-class team which is composed of Sheppard, McDuffie, S. C. Perry, C. G. Tennent and Gwyn. Raby Tennent, captain, has reported for practice and will probably be in good condition before the season opens. As there is only one letter man on the squad this year, the team will be one which has been entirely developed by the coach. Those who have been watching the last few practices say that the team will be equal in every way unless superior to last years' quintet. Although, taken individually, the players do not show up as well as last year team, there are evidences of real team work displayed already.

Coach Peacock ran the class season off and selected the best material developed in the class contests for the varsity squad. Baskets have been put up in the Gym and a squad consisting of Hodges, Adams, Sawyer, McKeithan, Little, Launce, Perry, McDuffie, Lynn, Buzz Tennent, Raby Tennent, Kendrick, Sheppard, Lynch,

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FACULTY MEMBERS ARE BUSY DURING VACATION

Many members of the faculty took part in the deliberations of learned bodies during the holidays. The scientific departments of the University were well represented at the big meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in New York City.

Prof. Collier Cobb addressed the Geology and Geography department of the Science Association on "Colonial Highways in the Carolinas, and their Geographic Conditions." Dr. Vernon Howell took part in the deliberations of the Pharmacology Division of the same Association, and Dr. H. V. P. Wilson served on the executive committee for the Zoology Division.

Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt spoke before the meeting of the State Geologists on the physical history of North Carolina, and also before the Pharmacological division of the American Societies for Experimental Biology on "The Pharmacological Activity of Digitalis Grown in America."

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U. N. C. REPRESENTATIVES ATTEND BIG CONVENTION

NATION COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC
ASSOCIATION DISCUSSES
ATHLETIC SITUATION

At the National Collegiate Athletic Association convention which was held during the Christmas holidays, the University of N. C. was represented by Dr. Mangum, who has succeeded Dr. Herty as chairman of the Faculty Athletic Council, Prof. E. V. Howell, and Prof. P. H. Daggett. Every state in the Union was represented at this convention, and several men were present who are well known by the faculty here. Among the most familiar figures were Mr. Vondensteinmen who was formerly the physical director here, and Mr. A. D. Brown who held the same office. Mr. Vondensteinmen is now the director of athletics at Northwestern University at Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. A. D. Brown, who was here at the time the gymnasium was built and who was succeeded by Dr. Layson, is now a Prof. of Physical Education at the University of Oregon.

The chief business of the meeting consisted in a discussion of the practice of proselyting in the various educational institutions. According to the statistics given, it was conclusively shown that his means of obtaining athletes was more pronounced throughout the North and East than in the South. The headmasters of Philips-Andover, Exeter, Mercersburg, and two Chicago preparatory schools, gave talks in which they described the different ways in which this practice has been carried on; and brought forth facts that supported their arguments.

SCOUT PATROLS TO BE ORGANIZED BY Y. M. C. A.

The Boys' Department of the Y. M. C. A. is planning to add to its activities by organizing the older boys of the community into two scout patrols. One of the preliminary meetings held Monday night was attended by 16 boys. The boys who are too young for the scouts are organized as the Knights of King Arthur. It now has a membership of about 12. The Knights serenaded the community during Christmas. This spring they are planning to study birds and improve local conditions for our feathered friends.

JUNIORS TO ELECT MARSHALS MONDAY

There will be a meeting of the Junior Class Monday at 2:10 in the Chapel. The purpose of this meeting is to elect marshals to serve at commencement. Other important business will be transacted.

NORTH CAROLINA CLUB MEETS

At the North Carolina Club meeting Monday night, Mr. W. H. Randolph read a paper on Bank Account Savings in North Carolina, which dealt with the total savings of North Carolina banks, in which respect North Carolina ranks 28th among the states of the Union. There will not be another meeting of the club until after examinations.

GEORGE WASHINGTON WINS INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE

REPRESENTATIVES FROM CAROLINA
PUT UP STRONG DEFENCE—2-1 DECISION

Before an enthusiastic audience of about 500 people the second annual intercollegiate debate between the University of North Carolina and the George Washington University was held in Washington, D. C., December 18. The question under discussion was: "Resolved, That Congress should pass a law requiring compulsory arbitration of all controversies arising between the employers and the employees of railroads engaged in interstate commerce, constitutionality waived." The University of North Carolina, upholding the affirmative, was represented by R. M. Ross, Jr., and H. D. Sharpe; while the George Washington University on the negative was represented by H. W. Kidder and G. L. Hall, both of whom are law students. The committee, composed of Hon. Frederick A. DeLano, Hon. Josiah A. Van Orsdell, and Hon. R. C. Allen, rendered a 2 to 1 decision in favor of the George Washington boys. One of the George

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BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR 1917 A HARD ONE

TWENTY-ONE GAMES INCLUDING
ONE WITH YALE
AT CHAPEL HILL

One of the hardest baseball schedules ever planned by Carolina will be carried out this spring with some of the leading colleges and Universities of the North and South. In all, there are 21 games on the schedule, 12 of which are on the home grounds. April 7 Carolina plays Yale at Chapel Hill. The schedule is as follows:

March 15—Bingham (Mebane) at Chapel Hill.
March 17—Oak Ridge, at Chapel Hill.
March 23—West Virginia Wesleyan, at Chapel Hill.
March 29—Haverford College at Chapel Hill.
March 31—Georgetown University at Chapel Hill.
April 3—Colgate University at Chapel Hill.
April 5—Elon College at Chapel Hill.
April 7—Yale University at Chapel Hill.
April 9—Washington and Lee at Danville, Va.
April 12—Wofford College at Chapel Hill.
April 14—Virginia at Greensboro.
April 16—Virginia at Chapel Hill.
April 17—Wofford College at Spartanburg, S. C.
April 18—Georgia University at Athens, Ga.
April 19—Georgia University at Athens, Ga.
April 20—Furman University at Greenville, S. C.
April 21—South Carolina at Columbia, S. C.
April 23—Georgia University at Chapel Hill.
April 24—Georgia University at Chapel Hill.
April 28—Virginia at Charlottesville, Va.

43 CAROLINA MEN NOW IN STATE LEGISLATURE

19 IN THE SENATE AND 24 IN
THE HOUSE—7 TRUSTEES
ALSO ON ROLL

When the roll was called for the first time in the State Legislature last week 43 old Carolina men were present. Of this number 19 are in the Senate and 24 in the House.

Seven trustees are included—Messrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn, of Woodland, Benahan Cameron, of Stagsville, A. M. Scales, of Greensboro, W. N. Everett, of Rockingham, and James A. Gray, Jr., of Winston-Salem, in the Senate; and Messrs. R. A. Doughton, of Sparta, and Walter Murphy, of Salisbury, in the House.

The list is:

SENATE

J. S. McNider, '06, Hertford; Lindsay C. Warren, '10, Washington; W. H. S. Burgwyn, '08, Woodland; W. L. Long, '09, Roanoke Rapids; F. C. Harding, '93, Greenville; W. M. Person, '87, Louisburg; W. D. Pollock, '85, Kinston; M. H. Allen, '06, Goldsboro; Ezra Parker, '14, Benson; Benahan Cameron, Trustee Stagsville; J. Elmer Long, '05, Graham; A. M. Scales, '92, Greensboro; W. N. Everett, '86, Rockingham; Chase Brenizer, Law '99, Charlotte; Stahl Linn, '07, Salisbury; J. A. Gray, Jr., '08, Winston-Salem; C. A. Jonas, '02, Lincolnton; Kelly E. Bennett, Phar. '12, Bryson City; A. G. Deweese, Law '03, Murphy.

HOUSE

R. A. Doughton, '83, Sparta; J. H. Matthews, Law '04, Wind.

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ALL-CLASS BASKETBALL TEAM CHOSEN BY COACH

The class basketball league scheduled and played off in December, resulted in the sophomore quint winning the championship. This is the second straight championship won by the class of '19. The junior class ran a close second but lost two games to the championship team.

According to custom Coach Peacock selected an all star team composed of the following men.

F. S. Sheppard...Right Forward
L. R. McDuffie...Left Forward
S. C. Perry...Center
C. G. Tennent...Right Guard
J. M. Gwynn...Left Guard

This quintet will make a substantial part of the varsity squad this season.

MATHEMATICAL CLUB MEETS

"The Logic of Mathematics" was the subject of Prof. Horace Williams' lecture before the Mathematical Club on Tuesday night. "When a man philosophizes he universalizes," said Prof. Williams. "He seeks for Truth, Goodness, and Beauty." "But what does he do when he mathematizes?" "It is then that he individualizes and makes explanation in terms of the thing under consideration."

The meeting was interesting and was well attended. Several discussions arose, which added life and interest to the program.

A STANDARD COURSE IN MILITARY TRAINING

MAY BE INTRODUCED INTO THE
UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM
AS RESULT OF A—

PETITION SIGNED BY 344 MEN

Who Declare That They Want Such
a Course Here Under an Expert
Army Officer as Recently
Provided by Law

A petition in behalf of military training has recently been circulated among the students for support. It reads as follows:

"We, the undersigned, desire to take a course in military training in this University.

"It is our understanding that more than three hours a week will not be required; that such a course will be similar to those now given in other universities, such as Pennsylvania; and that membership in such training unit does not bind us to the government in any legal form.

"In signing we do not commit ourselves, should the schedule of work seriously affect our present work, or should the burden of expense prove too great."

The fact that 344 students signed this petition to our president is sure evidence that it must come.

Abstracts of House report to increase the efficiency of the military establishment of the United States which concern this petition are as follows:

Sections 41-54 deals with the reserve officers, units of which may be established in universities and other educational institutions of certain rank.

Sec. 41. The president, upon application, may establish one or more units in the institution, provided: that an officer of the army be detailed as professor of military science; and that the institution maintain a minimum of one hundred students under military instruction.

Sec. 42. The course must cover

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MR. J. M. STEADMAN OF FACULTY MARRIED

One of the most elaborate weddings in the social annals of Spartanburg, S. C., occurred on the night of Thursday, December 28, 1916, when Mr. James M. Steadman, instructor in English in the University, was united in marriage to Miss Medora Rembert, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rembert of that city. The Central Methodist Church was decorated with palms, ferns, white blossoms and cathedral tapers. The ring used in the ceremony was the same one used in the wedding of the groom's grandparents.

A reception was given to the newly married couple at the Rembert home on North Church St. The house was decorated in white and green. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Steadman visited in Florida, returning to Chapel Hill January 5. They are now living at Mrs. Bain's.

Among the out of town guests to participate in the wedding were Messrs. G. W. Scott, and J. W. Lasley, Jr.