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LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

—Dr. Moffitt left Saturday for a few days' stay in Eastern Va.

—Miss Gussie Ingle of Greensboro spent Saturday and Sunday here with her parents.

—Mr. R. A. Campbell visited Mr. Flick in Burlington Sunday.

—Miss Flora Richardson, our popular preceptress, spent Tuesday with relatives in Greensboro.

—We are glad to note that Miss Pitt of the department of music is much improved after an illness of several days.

—Miss Bessie McPherson spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother in Burlington.

—Miss Anna McDonald of Burlington spent Wednesday night with the Misses Foster and attended Dr. Hoenshel's lecture.

—Mr. R. A. Campbell led in the Y. M. C. A. Saturday evening. Subject: "Remember now thy creator in the days of thy youth."

—Mr. Flick of Burlington attended the lectures of Dr. Hoenshel Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

—Misses Sudie and Sallie McCauley spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Chas A. Thompson in Graham.

—Mr. Hollis Atkinson of Cardenas visited relatives here several days last week.

—Mr. R. L. Walker spent Saturday and Sunday at his home near Union Ridge.

—Dr. Newman filled the pulpit here Sunday at the eleven o'clock service, giving one of his usual very interesting sermons.

—Miss Stella Cox of Columbia, S. C., is at home for a two week's visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. I. Cox.

—Misses Sadie Fonville, Annie Bagwell and Mabel Farmer were the delegates from this Y. W. C. A. to attend the Council of the associations of N. C. and S. C. and Va., held at Guilford College last week.

—Prof. Harper led in the Christian Endeavor prayermeeting Sunday evening. The meeting was a very beneficial one. Subject: Eternity.

—Miss Helen Simmons of Graham visited Nisses Lila and Blanche Newman Saturday and Sunday.

—Miss Rosa Bert of Haw River visited Miss Alene Patton Sunday.

—Mrs. Charlie and Miss Annie Hardin were visitors here Friday.

—Misses Lawrence and Farmer went to Greensboro Saturday, shopping.

—Miss Viola Frazier led in the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon. Subject, "Sacrificing for God."

—The best speaker oratorically, in the Philogian Society Friday evening was Mr. E. T. Hines. Debate, Query: Resolved that public out-door relief is inferior to private relief as a means of administering charitable aid. Won by the affirmative. Best speaker on the affirmative, Mr. J. C. Stuart. Best speaker on the negative, Mr. J. F. Morgan.

—Mr. W. F. Snoddy, an instructor in the music department at Buies Creek, visited Mr. R. A. Campbell last week and

assisted in the music by the band on Wednesday evening.

—Those in the Psiphelian Society who received special mention Friday evening were Miss Lois Davidson, piano solo, Miss Winnie DuRant, essay, Miss Nellie Fleming, Phophecy of the Sophmore class.

—Mr. J. V. Knight went to Morrisville Saturday to fill Rev. J. W. Patton's pulpit on Sunday.

—Messrs. J. C. Stuart, J. J. Ingle and W. R. Robertson went to Greensboro Saturday on business (?)

—Mr. L. E. Burch of Salisbury spent Sunday here with his cousin, Mr. J. J. Ingle.

—Prof. W. A. Harper spent Saturday and Sunday in Greensboro in the interest of the Endowment Fund.

—Prof. Lawrence went out to Bethlehem and delivered an address on "Church Enterprises."

—Lacy Shepherd, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shepherd, was fatally injured Sunday night about nine o'clock by a freight train which was doing some shifting and upon which he was attempting to ride. The lad was thrown under the moving train as he jumped from it, it is supposed, and one leg was entirely cut off below the knee, and the lad was otherwise injured. The 9:27 west bound passenger train passed soon after the accident and Mr. Shepherd took his son on it to a hospital in Greensboro, but he died early Monday morning.

THE STUDENT COUNCIL OF THE CENTRAL NORTH CAROLINA YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

The Y. W. C. A. council, which meets annually, was held at Guilford College, February the sixteenth to eighteenth.

The council was indeed an inspiring and instructive one and much enthusiasm was shown.

There were about thirty-five delegates present from the following colleges; Meredith, Peace, Red Springs, Albemarle, Elizabeth, Presbyterian, State Normal, Greensboro Female College, Statesville, Guilford and Elon.

Those present from Elon were Misses Annie Bagwell, Mabel Farmer and Sadie V. Fonville.

The leading speakers were Miss Cutler, student secretary of the National Board of Y. W. C. A., and Misses Sherrar and Crane.

The first session was opened by a word of welcome from President Hobbs of Guilford College. Miss Marvel Carter from Meredith College responded in behalf of the association.

Miss Cutler delivered a fine address on "The Lordship of Jesus Christ," after which a delightful luncheon was served at New Garden Hall.

The next morning was opened with Bible study and a discussion as to the best ways of studying the Bible and then the subject of missions was taken up. Afterwards the different colleges gave their reports. There were some splendid re-

ports, which show that the associations are prospering and doing much good.

Conferences were held that afternoon and that night Miss Crane delivered a splendid address on "The Life Obedient," after which we went to Founder's Hall where a delightful reception was given to the delegates, in which all of the students participated.

The next morning we had an hour of prayer service. After this we drove to the station to take the train to Elon.

We feel that we gained much good from the inspiring talks we heard and the Guilford association entertained us splendidly.

Sadie Fonville.

DR. HOENSHEL'S LECTURES.

On Wednesday and Thursday evenings of last week, Dr. E. U. Hoenshel, of Dayton, Va., delighted his audiences with two stories of travel. The subject of the first lecture was "Through Syria and the East Jordan Country." With the speaker as guide the audience began its journey through this seldom-visited land at Beirut, thence up to Baalbeck. Here were noticed the ruins of this far-famed city with its massive stone and architectural works. Leaving here the way led to Damascus, "the city of dogs," and the place of some of the interesting scenes of Paul's life, also the home of Ananias. Then began a weary horseback ride south to Gerasa, west through Suif to Col Frinje and North-west through Jabesh Gilead, Pella, thence to Jisi El Megamia and the Jordan River. The route was filled with thrilling experiences, some bordering on the unpleasant, but many things were learned about this section which will prove valuable knowledge and will aid very materially in understanding certain passages of scripture.

Attendance fairly good Thursday evening.

Iceland, the "land of frost and fire," lying on the edge of the Frigid Zone, has a history peculiarly interesting. The speaker told briefly of that history and related the story of his recent visit to the island; told of his approach by way of the Faroe Islands; of fjords, fisheries and flowers; of mountains, glaciers and jokulls; and of a fine day trip on horseback across the island, fording rivers, crossing moors and rock-ridges, and riding over extinct volcanoes, by hot springs to the historic and geologic center of the island, Thingnellar; and back to the sea again at the modern capital of Reykjavik.

Attendance double the preceding evening.

These lectures were intensely interesting, sparkling with humor, clearly told and highly instructive. It seemed as if his hearers must really be in the lands described, so vivid were the pictures. We can safely say Dr. Hoenshel's lectures were among the best given from the platform here in a number of years and we hope to have him with us again.

Incidentally the athletic association realized a neat little sum in the shape of clear profits.

MR. J. M. SAUNDERS SELLS TO MR. C. A. HUGHES.

Mr. J. M. Saunders, son-in-law of Rev. C. A. Boone, who for a number of years has been proprietor of the mercantile establishment, known as the Elon Store Company, has sold his stock of goods to Mr. C. A. Hughes, who was formerly a popular, acting-post master. Mr. Hughes has purchased the building also in which the store is conducted. This he bought from Mr. J. J. Lambeth. At present Mr. Lambeth occupies the second story as a dwelling. He will vacate for Mr. Hughes' family and build a handsome residence where the young men's club house now stands.

A SAD ACCIDENT.

About nine o'clock Sunday evening, Feb. 19, an east-bound freight-train, which stopped here to put off a car, was to get into Burlington before the west-bound passenger train should be due. When just in front of Dr. Atkinson's residence, Lacy Shepherd, a lad of about fourteen years, was run over by this freight train, and was fatally injured. Young Shepherd's parents live just southwest of town, and he was a student in the Graded School here. It seems that some boys, young Shepherd among them, were about the railway station when the freight train stopped. Shepherd, it is supposed, climbed onto a car to ride while the shifting was being done, and when he found that train was leaving with great haste, he attempted to jump off and was thrown under the wheels. Dr. Atkinson soon heard his cry of distress and on investigation found him lying beside the track, one limb entirely severed below the knee, and suffering from other injuries. A physician was called and the boy's father sent for. It was evident that the boy was almost killed and preparations were hastily made and his father took him to a hospital in Greensboro on the 9:27 train. Next morning at about five o'clock, the little sufferer passed away. The father returned with the body on the afternoon train Monday. The funeral took place from the home Tuesday, the Graded School attending, and the burial at Frieden's Lutheran Church.

The parents are crushed with sorrow and deep sympathy for them is felt in the community. Lacy made a profession of faith in Christ at the recent revival and was among the twenty-two who united with the church at the close of the meeting.

COMING.

Saturday, Feb. 25th, the dramatic club of the State University will present Oliver Goldsmith's popular play "She Stoops to Conquer," in the College chapel. The club has already won a host of friends throughout the state and we are fortunate to have them visit us. With Prof. Mackee as director all may be assured that the production will be "up-to-now" and a treat awaits those who attend.

Seats on sale Friday morning. Prices: 35cts. and 50 cts. Benefit of athletic association. **Everybody Come!!**