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LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Miss Ruth Hall visited in Greensboro Sunday.

Miss Sallie Foster spent Saturday and Sunday with her grand-parents, at Prospect, N. C.

Miss Ethel Coggin returned Tuesday evening to her home in Greensboro.

Miss Vivian Atkinson, of Raleigh, N. C., was several days with Mrs. Jones, of the village.

President Harper, after a few day's stay with us, took the field again on Monday, last. This time he goes to the Western North Carolina Conference, primarily in the interests of the special fund. The Conference, which convenes at Ether, N. C., will be represented by others of our community in the persons of Rev. L. I. Cox; Rev. J. F. Morgan, and Mr. Carl B. Riddle.

Miss Lois Davidson has returned to college after a week's absence on account of the illness of her father.

Uncle Wellons has been confined to his room the past week, suffering with an attack of bronchitis. Every possible attention is being shown him, and we trust he will soon be restored to his usual health.

Mrs. Emma Peace, of Durham, arrived Thursday to take charge as nurse.

Dr. J. F. McCulloch, of Greensboro, N. C., visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Amick Sunday, last. While here, Dr. McCulloch delivered an excellent sermon to the student body at the regular eleven o'clock hour.

Mr. Bunn Hearne left Tuesday for a few days' visit in Durham. Mr. Hearne expects to return Thursday evening.

Miss Ray, of the College, spent Sunday with her parents at Graham, N. C.

Miss Mary Lou Pitt is spending a while in Franklinton, N. C. She is visiting Miss Willie Staley.

Mrs. McKay, of Rosindale, N. C., has arrived in the village to spend the winter with her daughters, Misses Louise and Isabelle.

Mrs. D. W. Chandler, of Virgilina, Va., is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. S. Watson, for a few weeks.

Mr. S. C. Spoon spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Haw River.

—To a young man who stood smoking a cigar the other day at the post office there approached the elderly and impertinent reformer of immemorial legend. "How many cigars do you smoke a day?" asked the meddler. "Three," answered the youth, as patiently as he could. Then the inquisition continued. "How much do you pay for them?" "Ten cents," confessed the young man. "Don't you know, sir," continued the sage, "that if you would save that money, by the time you are as old as I am you could own that big building over the way?" "Do you own it?" inquired the smoker. "No," replied the questioner. "Well, I do," said the other.—West Dormitory Exchange.

PICNIC.

A "car load" of jolly picnickers from Wentworth church, of McCullers, N. C., came to our town by special car Saturday, last, to pay a visit to the college and make a general inspection of the working things around the "Hill." The delegation was met at the station, officially by President Harper and the college band. After all had safely disembarked and the number of lunch baskets (for they were afraid they might not like dormitory board) had been placed in transfer, the ladies of the party were escorted to West Dormitory and entertained by the ladies of the college, while the visiting gentlemen mingled among the boys of East Dormitory.

After all had safely deposited surplus wraps, baggage, etc., they reassembled at West Dormitory and began their tour of inspection, led by president.

The various society halls, lecture rooms, laboratory, museum, a number of students' rooms, dining hall, kitchen, central heating plant, lighting apparatus, water works, and all departments of the college were thrown open to them, with the natural result that McCullers will send a healthy delegation of her youths and maidens thither when the next school year opens, for they know now what to expect of Elon and her people.

At about one o'clock a recess was taken and the tour of inspection was interrupted long enough to investigate the contents of the numerous baskets of well prepared dinner.

We understand these were excellent and heartily enjoyed by all which of course we could not for one moment doubt, but let us say in this connection, if the good people of McCullers or any other sea-port town would like to take a meal in a real, live college dining hall, where they "eat the fat and and drink the sweet," and have portions to send to them, "for whom nothing is prepared," we would invite them to drop in at the West Dormitory dining hall at 7:00 A. M., 12:00 P. M., or 5:30 P. M., and enjoy a meal with us.

Well we are indeed glad to have had these excellent people and patrons of the college with us and trust their visit may be repeated if not en masse, at such times as they individually may find it convenient.

Their care left the college on the 4:48 east bound train.

BOOK CLUB.

The Elon College Book Club met Friday evening, November 10th, with Mrs. Amick. Mrs. McNally had prepared a most excellent paper on Dante, his life and works, which she gave to the club in a pleasing and instructive manner.

Then the usual exchange of books was gone through with, after which dainty refreshments were served and the company adjourned to meet two weeks hence at the home of Miss Annie Watson.

Y. W. C. A.

The Young Women's Christian Association met last Sunday afternoon as usual. This meeting was a beginning of a week of prayer led by Miss Margaret Isley. It was enjoyed by all and especially the solo sung by Miss Pearl Fogleman.

The meeting for Monday afternoon was led by Miss Viola Frazier, the President of our Association. The subject was The Fullness of the Spirit—Power of Prayer. The work carried on by the Young Women's Christian Association in Africa was discussed.

The prayer-meeting Tuesday afternoon led by Miss Lillian Johnson was a very interesting one. The subject was, Access—Means of Prayer. The great work of missions in America was considered and several prayers were offered that this work might be continued in the future as it has had in the past.

The meeting for Wednesday will be led by Miss Grace Trollinger, the subject being, The Spirit of Adoption—The Ground of Prayer. Asia will be the country discussed at this meeting.

Miss Mabel Farmer will be leader for the prayer meeting Thursday afternoon. The Helper in Prayer being the subject. Australia being the country considered.

The prayer meeting for Friday afternoon will be led by Miss Sudie McCauley, the subject being, Gifts—In Answer to Prayer. Prayers will be offered that the work carried on in Europe for the salvation of souls may be more successful each day.

Miss Janie Lee Beal will lead the meeting Saturday afternoon. The subject being Continuance in Prayer, with Austria as the country to be discussed.

The object of these meetings is to thank God for the great work that has been carried on by the Young Women's Christian Association in these different countries for the past year. We hope the girls will take as much interest in the meetings that are to follow as they have in the ones already past, for we feel sure they will be benefited by attending them.

Annie Bagwell.

REPORT OF ELON COLLEGE SUNDAY SCHOOL LAST SUNDAY.

Class No. 1. Senior. Dr. J. U. Newman, Teacher. Present, 20; 10 absent; collection, 50 cents.

Class No. 2. Senior. Mr. R. A. Campbell, Teacher. Present, 17; 4 absent; collection, 40 cents.

Class No. 3. Senior. Mr. A. L. Lincoln, Teacher. Present, 19; 8 absent; collection, 85 cents.

Class No. 4. Senior. Prof. N. F. Brannock, Teacher. Present, 13; 13 absent; collection, 66 cents.

Class No. 5. Prof. R. N. Doak, Teacher. Present, 15; 6 absent; collection, 20 cents.

Class No. 6. Senior. Mr. W. H. Fleming, Teacher. Present, 21; 0 absent; collection, 29 cents.

Class No. 7. Beginners. Mrs. Foster, Teacher. Present, 16, 14 absent; collection, 10 cents.

Class No. 8. Intermediate. Miss Bryan, Teacher. Present, 16; 4 absent; collection, 17 cents.

Class No. 9. Junior. Mrs. Saunders, Teacher. Present, 16; 1 absent; collection, 14 cents.

Class No. 10. Junior. Miss Clements, Teacher. Present, 13; 10 absent; collection, 10 cents.

Class No. 11. Primary. Mrs. McNally, Teacher. Present, 18; 1 absent; collection, 13 cents.

Class No. 12. Cit. Bib. Class. Dr. T. C. Amick, Teacher. Present, 14; 9 absent; collection, 60 cents; S. school's part, 15 cents.

Class No. 13. Mission Study Class. C. J. Felton, Teacher. Present, 28; 0 absent; collection, 23 cents.

Whole school, 246; collection, \$3.93. Teachers absent: Dr. Amick, sub., Pres. Harper.

J. A. Dickey, Secretary.

MISSION STUDY.

A few days since, Dr. Hounshell was here and aroused much enthusiasm in Mission Study. Sunday morning, by a request of the president of the Y. M. C. A. those members who wished to study missions remained in the chapel and a class was organized with the following members enrolled: Misses Lucy Gregory, Lillian Johnson, Grace Rollings, Helen Machen, Viola Rollings, Sudie McCauley, Viola Frazier, Lillian Dalrymple, Beatie Lassiter, Annie Gregory, Jessie Dawson, Maibelle Pritchette, Hilda Johnson, Annie Rippey, Maggie Isley, Vera Gay, Winnie DuRant, Betty Ellis, Ruth Johnson, Oma Utley; Messrs. J. C. Felton, R. A. Atkins, F. F. Myrick, J. G. Truitt, F. S. Drake, T. H. Anderson, Prof. R. A. Campbell, A. L. Hook.

The officers elected were as follows: Prof. R. A. Campbell, Teacher; J. C. Felton, Asst. Teacher; Miss Maggie Iseley, President; Miss Viola Frazier, vice president; Miss Vera Gay, secretary; Miss Helen Machen, treasurer; A. L. Hook, corresponding secretary.

The class decided to study "The Decisive Hour of Christian Missions," by John R. Mott. "Mr. Mott," says ex-President Roosevelt, "is one of the greatest statesmen the world has ever known."

Mr. Mott presided over the World Missionary Conference held in Edinburgh, in June, 1910. He knows his subject by actual experience in the fields of which he writes.

Our aim in the study of missions is to learn more of the open fields and to acquaint ourselves with the vital problem which we as professed followers of Christ have to solve. Unless we rally to the call, put on our armor—prayer, obedience; consecrate ourselves and be willing to serve many who are waiting and longing for the Bread of Life will pass to the far beyond without being fed.

All who are interested in missions are cordially invited to join the class.

A. L. Hook, Cor. Sec.