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All articles for publication must be in the hands of the Managing Editor by 12:00 M. Monday. Articles received from an unknown source will not be published.

WASHINGTON

Washington was not an embodiment of all human excellence and a paragon of shining virtue; but these would be journalistic historians, who aim to shatter ideals about Washington under the pretense of showing his development from a sickly middle class ignoramus, to a magnanimous statesman, should be discriminating enough to reject those devices with which they are endeavoring, unsuccessfully, to besmirch his good name.

One recognizes, in Washington, a modest gentleman of Virginia, owner of broad acres and a great number of slaves, an agriculturist engaged in the business of growing tobacco and produce under a plantation system. His position called for a man of varied talents. As master of Mount Vernon he had need of executive ability and foresight, as his decisions involved many scores of slaves and hundreds of acres of land, crops to be planted and the methods of tillage, the purchase of goods for his slave and the disposition of the plantation products in local and foreign markets. He served Virginia as a soldier and statesman. He cherished the continental rather than the provincial point of view and with this attitude he became the father of his country. He mingled freely with his fellow planters in the fox chase or at the card table. He married a wealthy widow and looked after the two step-children with a great deal of care.

No enthusiastic admirer should exalt the saint and forget the man. But, because of his military attainments, his statesmanship, his broadmindedness, his executive abilities and his foresight, he is worthy of, and deserves, our recognition and plaudits.

—E C—

THOUGHTLESS STUDENTS

To those who insist on emptying the fire extinguishers, destroying the electrical system in the basement and committing other similar depredations, we wonder if the fact is known to you that after the dormitories are repaired, any surplus that may be left over from the breakage fee is returned to the students. If one student breaks more than \$5.00 worth of equipment, every other student helps to pay for his act. Be a good sport; play fair with your college, your fellow students, and yourself.

—E C—

NOTICE!

An article, entitled, "Our Trustees," written by Miss Nellie White, appeared in the editorial column of the Sophomore's issue of the Maroon and Gold, under my name. I wish to correct this error which was merely a mistake on my part.

C. C. F.

A MILLION DOLLARS IS NEEDED FOR ENDOWMENT

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chapel room to the general auditorium, the trustees attended in a body, and Dr. W. W. Staley, a member of the board and former president of the college conducted the services. Dr. Staley presented for consideration of the students the assertion that all failures in life are due to one of two causes; either "the individual fails to find the place and work in life for which he is naturally fitted, or else he fails to attain to Christian Character."

"ALUMNI VOICE" MAKES ITS FIRST APPEARANCE

Elon College Alumni have begun publishing their magazine, "The Alumni Voice." This magazine is published four times each year. The Alumni have a two-fold purpose in this production: First, to keep the graduates of Elon in close touch with each other, and, second, to strive for the upbuilding of Elon College. They are very fortunate in having Prof. J. W. Barney as Editor-in-Chief. The first issue shows very plainly that Prof. Barney has devoted much time and effort in editing it. George D. Colelough is Business Manager and we feel safe in saying that no better selection could have been made for this position.

The covers of the Alumni Voice are significant of the history of the Bigger and Better Elon. It will be of interest to know that every phase of the publication of this magazine is conducted solely by Elon graduates, which speaks well for the productive talent that has gone out from Elon.

THE KEMPUS KET



Percy Hudson and Miss Maude Fuller were out gathering flowers. The moon was shining; it was a romantic time. "Which will you have," Percy said, "a single or double geranium?" Said Miss Maude: "A double one by all means. I do hate anything single." Percy may be dumb, but he took the hint—he popped the question.

Jim Brown was sick recently, so sick that he began to consider the taking of his demise. "Flossie, dear," he said, "if I should die would you visit my grave often?" "Why surely," Flossie said, "and bring my husband with me."

Whitley: They had good athletics for six years at the high school I came from.

Hamrick: They had good athletics for four years at the high school from which I came—while I was there.

The fistic bout between Battling Rakestraw and "Hit and Miss" Hilliard was a great sensation. Both showed qualities that bid fair to cop the laurels that now rest on the head of Gene Tunney.

A smart freshman pulled a good one on Dean Hook the other day on Physics class.

"In what manner," said the freshman, "am I and a bucket in a well alike?"

Dean Hook: I don't know unless it is because you both have to be dragged to your duty by some one else.

Freshman: No, sir. It is because we are both worked by cranks.

BASEBALL CALL IS ANSWERED BY FORTY CANDIDATES

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Dorsey Woodleaf, and a number of last year's reserve material.

H. T. Efrd.

Schedule

March 27.—Greensboro Patriots.....	There
March 29.—Davidson	There
March 30.—Wofford	There
March 31.—Catawba	There
April 2.—Winston-Salem Twins.....	Elon
April 5.—Penn. State	Elon
April 7.—Wake Forest	There
April 9.—High Point	Greensboro
April 10.—Wake Forest	Elon
April 14.—Guilford	Elon
April 19.—Lenior-Rhyne	Elon
April 21.—Guilford	Siler City
April 24.—Roanoke (Pending).....	There
April 25.—V. M. I.	There
April 26.—Univ. of Richmond.....	There
April 27.—Randolph-Macon (Pending)	There
May 4.—Erskine	Elon
May 10.—Davidson	Elon
May 15.—Guilford	There

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

The Sunday morning service was something entirely new to the Elon student body. Mrs. Johnson, of Chicago, delivered the message of the morning, choosing as her subject, "The Greatest Power in the World." In her discourse she showed us wherein she did not consider electricity the greatest power. She mentioned other powerful things and stated that they were not the most powerful. Having led to this climax, she declared that the Power of the Blood of Jesus Christ is the greatest in the world. This was the theme on which she spoke.

The main reason for Mrs. Johnson's belief that the Blood of Jesus Christ is the most powerful thing in the world is its ability to redeem us from the vanity of self. Every person is an ego, as she so vividly illustrated to us.

Mrs. Johnson is the wife of Mr. Johnson of Chicago, whose company is establishing the great rayon plant in Burlington. She is devoting her talent and time and much of her means to the uplift of the slum sections of our large cities and is frequently heard in radio

addresses from the Chicago station. We are always glad to welcome such a person as Mrs. Johnson and to listen to such a message as she brought us. We also feel indebted to Mr. Harden for his assistance in securing the speaker for us.

NEW CATALOGUE FOR THE YEAR '28 IS OFF PRESS

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to absences on the day before and the day after holidays, and athletic games. In addition to this, certain deductions are made from the final grade ranging from five to fifteen percent, according to the number of absences.

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—Beginning—

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27

1:00 O'clock P. M.

—The—

CAROLINA

Theater, Greensboro, N. C., will present its new policy of showing the world's greatest and finest motion pictures. Keith vaudeville will be shown Monday and Tuesdays at the National theater.

Monday and Tuesday: Marion Davies in "THE FAIR CO-ED."
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday: Charlie Chaplin in "THE CIRCUS."

Hear the Carolina's New Symphony Orchestra