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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

There's nothing in Christmas Spirit that means shirk your work, so do your best to the last day.

ATHLETIC POINTS.

Very often practical situations arise that call for amendments to any constitution. The Athletic Association has found that an amendment concerning the point system is in order. The problem is this: six points are allowed a winning team, three points to the running up team, and two points to the class team; in case only two teams are playing, is it fair that the victors get six points while the losing team, which is a runner-up in the true sense of the word, gets only two points. On the other hand, when three games are played, the ultimate losers winning the first or second, are they not, technically speaking, the runners-up. These are questions for every member to think about before the next general meeting. It is not desirable that anything be done to discourage volley ball, for, as a sport on our campus, it is in its youth; the logical thing must be done. What do you think?

WINSTON-SALEM PROUD OF HONOR TO SALEM COLLEGE
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pledging faithful and enthusiastic cooperation to maintain this high standard.

Such a classification as Salem College has received is the result of intensive study by experts, covering a number of points—equipment, fidelity to ideals, endowment, building facilities, competency of faculty through experience and research, adequate laboratory equipment, success of teaching record of graduates who have entered the profession of teaching, and tone and spirit of the institution, and others. Students in the A-class colleges are received without further examination, upon graduation, for advanced work in the graduate departments of universities anywhere in the United States. Degree obtained from member institutions have equal rank, and the requirements for admission are uniform.

The requirements of the Southern Association are not exceeded by those of any other regional associations.

To gain the position in educational rank it now occupies, Salem College went through the prescribed program laid down for all colleges applying for this honor. A year ago formal application was made by the college, and during the twelve months following it was subjected to rigid study and investigation at the hands of various committees. That year ended when the association met in New Orleans, and Dr. Rondthaler, as president of the college, was invited to attend the conference and give such further information as might be desired. Satisfied that every condition had been met most successfully and that standards maintained at the college measured up fully to the requirements, Salem College entered into the highest classifica-

tion, and took its place among the leaders in educational institutions in the United States.

In referring to this gratifying outcome of the association's consideration, Dr. Rondthaler asserted that much of the credit was due to Winston-Salem. In the development of the institution Winston-Salem had had a notable share. No community ever had been more loyal and generous in its support than this city. Founded in 1772, Salem College has gone forward steadily in its activities and in the scope of its work, not a single scheduled day having been missed since its establishment. While Salem College is denominational in its foundation and traditions, it is strictly inter-denominational in all its life work.

BUSINESS MEETING OF STUDENT SELF GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

Freshman Members of Council Elected.

The principal business of the December meeting of the Student Self Government Association was the election of two young women from the Freshman class to be members of the Student Council.

The Freshmen became full members of the Association some weeks ago when they were removed from probation and were given their class privileges. Realization of the underlying principles of student government has been evinced to an unusual extent by these eighty-odd students. It is hoped and believed that they will continue in this way and will do much for the furtherance of a true and purposeful spirit among all students who come to Salem.

The nominees for places on the Student Council as they come from the Freshman class were Ella B. Jones, Mildred Hawk Evelyn Tucker and Sara J. Bright. When the outcome of the voting was made known, it was found that Misses Tucker and Jones had been elected.

DR. BLAKE OF THE Y. W. C. A. VISITS SALEM—MAKES SERIES OF HEALTH TALKS.

Dr. Eva Blake, one of the staff of physicians of the Health and Social Education Bureau of the national board of the Y. W. C. A., visited Salem College last week. The work of these physicians is done among groups of women in all fields reached by the Y. W. C. A.—business women, college women, women workers in industry.

A program of health includes not only its physical aspects but the mental and spiritual as well. Women out of the experience and interests in work which they did during the war have gained a new point of view as to health. No longer is health thought of as absence of suffering and disease but of positive attainment in approximating one's fullest possibilities as a person in spirit, mind and body—of fitness for life and work.

MRS. RONDTHALTR ENTERTAINS FRESHMEN

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Latham, and Miss Stipe. Receiving in the hall were Mrs. Best and Mrs. W. I. Brookes, also greeting the guests at the door, Misses Mary Pfohl and Nettie Allen Thomas of the Junior class.

In the living room, the receiving party consisted of Miss Foreman, Dr. Blake, Mrs. VanNess, Mrs. E. J. Heath, and Mrs. Mary Efrid. In the sun-parlor, Mrs. K. E. Dalton and Mrs. W. C. Wright entertained the guests, and Miss Rodgers and Mrs. Hansel Thomas presided in the dining room. Tea was served by the Misses Eleanor Shaffner, Marjorie Hunt, Lillian Watkins, and Eloise Chesson of the Junior lass, and the Misses Elizabeth and Jane Rondthaler.



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