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DOINGS OF THE THEOLOGICALS

Messrs. F. D. Nance, A. H. Prince and W. C. Jones have returned from the meeting of Fairfield Presbytery which was held in Cheraw, S. C. At that meeting of Presbytery Messrs. Prince and Jones were licensed to preach the gospel and Mr. Nance was ordained to the full work of the gospel ministry. Rev. Nance is the first of the season's brood of fledgeling ministers from Johnson C. Smith University.

Mr. J. R. Dungee, Jr., has gone to Norfolk, Va., to attend the meeting of the Presbytery of Southern Virginia which meets at Bethany church, April 6th. Mr. Dungee is a candidate for ordination and will be ordained in the church of which he is a member.

Catawba Presbytery will convene Wednesday, April 7th at Biddleville Presbyterian church. Messrs. L. C. Alexander and J. H. Ward will attend as candidates for licensure, and Mr. E. U. D. Goring will attend as a candidate for ordination. Mr. Goring is a member of the Biddleville Presbyterian church.

At the meeting of Yadkin Presbytery which will convene on April 14th at the St James Presbyterian church, Greensboro, N. C., Mr. R. N. Cowan will be licensed to preach the gospel and Mr. W. R. Mayberry be ordained to the full work of the Christian ministry.

Every member of the Theological Department is serving a church, and each one has completed a successful church year. In Catawba Presbytery, Trinity church, pastored by Mr. J. R. Dungee, leads the honor roll.

The graduating class for this year consists of four members. They are Messrs. F. D. Nance, of Chester, S. C.; W. R. Mayberry, of Charlotte, N. C.; J. R. Dungee, of Norfolk, Va.; and E. U. D. Goring, of Georgetown, Demerara, British Guiana, S. A.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

D. A. Costner, '27

The General Committee of the World's Student Christian Federation will meet in Denmark in August. The United States is entitled to ten delegates, one of which must be a man of color. Mr. John Dellingham, member of the National Student Council, is our representative. Mr. Dellingham is now in Yale. He was formerly a member of our State organization.

The nominees have been chosen. Next is the election of our local "Y" officers for the ensuing year.

February 21: A general discussion. Topic: "Problems of Our Campus."

February 28: The Mattoon Literary Association rendered a special program for the Y. M. C. A. It showed talent and special preparation.

March 7. The Freshman class favored us with a program consisting of literary and musical productions. The Freshman



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quartet is destined to command recognition.

March 14. Discussion: "Why Should One Pursue a Higher Education?" was led by Mr. E. L. James. Very impressive comments came from various parts of the house.

March 21. The exercises were rendered by the Social Service Committee. Mr. J. L. Powell presided. The program consisted of papers, talks and music.

Now for the Kings Mountain Conference! This Conference will convene May 28-June 7, at the usual place, Lincoln Academy, Kings Mountain, N. C.

The second Annual Colored Older Boys' Conference for W. N. C. will be held in Winston-Salem April 9-11. Conference theme: "Vision."

COLLEGE CAMPUS IMPERATIVES.

By S. G. Monroe

As has been said by some one, there is a need on the campuses of some schools and colleges to give more attention to constructive and concentrated thought, from which the many new fields emanate, the urge for a better understanding between faculty and students, in order that right steps may be taken in discipline and not one side of the affair should find a place on the campuses of some schools. Of course where student councils prevail we get rid of this problem by mutual understanding to a large extent.

Why a student is dumb can not always be attributed to the student himself and cannot always be to the teacher, but sometimes it is because of the student's fault and sometimes because of the teacher's fault.

No one will further doubt that there is an urgent need for the recognition of Negro student ability to do as well as any other student, but this ability must be encouraged by the example of the faculty. The impression of the faculty upon the student body is perhaps the student's entire education and ideal for life.

We need to arouse ourselves and improve on some school campuses as regarding our attitude toward religious principles. We need to get back in the paths our fathers trod. We should not be of habitual speech and no actions, and a man is not necessarily out of harmony because he does not think as another man wants him to think.

Look around on your campus. There is much missionary work to be done and you need to know this.

A military department is needed on lots of campuses.

And last of all there is an untold need for better and more wholesome understanding between the students and alumni of some schools and whenever a perfection of these imperatives is consciously adopted, there will be a further uplift of our school campuses.

CONFERENCE OF DEANS AND REG-

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Meharry Medical College, Nashville, Tenn.

Third Session, Friday Evening, March 26, 1926, 8:00 P. M.

Convention Banquet—Murphy Hall.

Speakers:

Prof. W. A. Robinson, Supervisor of High Schools of North Carolina.

President Frank Trigg, Bennett College, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Dean W. S. Turner, Shaw University, Raleigh, North Carolina.

Fourth Session, Saturday, March 27, 1926, 9:00 A. M.

Report of Committee on Permanent Organization.

Open Forum.

Appointment of Committees.

On Nomination.

Time and Place of Meeting.

Address, Evaluation of High School Credits.

Dean Charles W. Florence, Virginia Normal & Industrial Institute, Petersburg, Va.

Address, Prof. N. C. Newbold, Director of Division of Negro Education of North Carolina.

"The Standard of an A-Grade College." Fifth Session, Saturday, March 27, 1926, 1:30 P. M.

Report of Committees.

Election of Officers.

Adjournment.

Topics for Discussion in Open Forum.

1. The Problem of Absentees.
2. What Information Concerning the Student other than his Scholastic Record Should be Retained in the Registrar's Office?
3. How Should the Student from the Non-Standard High School be Classified?
4. What is Equivalent to a High School Education?
5. The Standard of an A-Grade College.
 - a. Curriculum.
 - b. Teaching Force.
 - c. Student Body.
 - d. A Four Year English Course in College.
6. Should Chapel Attendance be Compulsory?
7. Should the Student Receive Credit for Extra-Curricula Activities, such as Debating, Playing in the Orchestra, etc.?

Committee on Program:

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Registrar N. C. Webster.

I WONDER

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I wonder if the dear old alumni of Livingstone College know that Hayes walks well in White's shoes.

I wonder why the professor is so eager to offer a course in "A Study of the Feeble-minded" to a certain class of the college.

I wonder if the ministers of the various demoninations would add more interest to our prayer services.

I wonder if the adding machine can give us the sum of the curses donated to the Editor-in-Chief for the last edition of "The University Student."

I wonder if the Juniors have finished pouring chemistry and physics into their orations for the contest.

I wonder why the editor does not teach some of us the real purpose of a school publication.

I wonder when "Nebo" will explain why we refuse to let the truth make us free.

I wonder if little Julius Caesar in Smith Hall is on the guard for the blood thirsty Biddle Bulls.

I wonder when the wise Sophs will elect their chiefs to the faculty.

I wonder if we could not do without these low-bowing, slave-acting, sympathy-seeking, ante-bellum students on the campus.

I wonder if the old grads know that plowing is our avocation.

I wonder when the freshies and Sophs will invite the Charlotte street sweeper to Berry Hall.

I wonder if the Editor-in-Chief of the Negro Press will tell the world about the reception we gave him.

I wonder what famous educator said that the real school begins its decoration within and worketh outward.

I wonder why the examiners are sharpening their pencils for the Junior Prize Contest.

I wonder who thought the school song was buried with the \$5.00 collected for printing it.

I wonder what the answer was when the visitor asked for the telephone booth in Smith Hall.

I wonder if darker colors would look a little better on some of our brothers of color.

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