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TEN GAMES PLAYED

ONE GAME LOST

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# 473 Take Sunday School Courses

## Series of Stirring Chapel Talks During The Week

Four hundred and seventy-three have been taking the study course offered by the College Organized Department for the past week of January 31st through February 6th. Much benefit is expected to be derived from courses under such teachers as those chosen for the study course faculty.

All the students were privileged to hear inspiring messages from Mr. Barnett, North Carolina field worker, and Mr. Corzine, South Carolina field worker, at the chapel hour.

In Mr. Corzine's first address, "Some Suggestions for Moral Improvement," he stated that there was no one solution for the matter; however, he said that some think only of their solution, it he was especially interested in religious work, an important factor. Some are made by our education, and some by education and regeneration.

Education is such a large factor, when we should be careful what we put into it. He added further that it is no wonder the boys and girls do not have high moral standards. They lack something to fix to. To remedy this he suggested a nation-wide program which would touch every boy and girl and give them definite and systematic study of the Bible.

At the following chapel period our attention was called by Mr. Barnette in the "Building Time." "God saves our souls, but we must save our lives. Whether one's life is a success or failure rests with each individual," he said. He cautioned us to be careful of the kind of material we used, for a bad thing will come sooner or later.

He added, finally, that only those who are willing to pay the price will obtain things worthwhile. He summarized the address by saying that we should never be satisfied with less than the best.

The next time Mr. Corzine spoke, he (Continued on page four)

## EAKINS' MANOEUVRE WINS DEBATE

Girls Visit Philomathians

January 28th the Philomathians gave an interesting program in their hall, consisting of declamations, an oration, readings, comics, and a debate on the subject, "The Philippines should be granted their independence." The debaters were equally matched and well prepared on the question. The decision of the judges was held swaying from one side to the other throughout the debate. The rebuttals were conducted with the same equalled strength. After the second speaker on the negative, Mr. Manley Eakins, broke the balance unquestionably in favor of his side by skillfully using debating tactics in reading a few sentences from a piece of literature which his opponent asked him to read. The decision was rendered three to nothing in favor of the negative.

Those present enjoyed also some interesting speeches from the visitors, especially the inter-collegiate representatives from the girls' societies, who were debating the above mentioned subject with other colleges.

## PLANS BEING COMPLETED FOR BASKETBALL CONTEST

### Thirty-Three High Schools Have Entered.

In the last week of February Mars Hill College will conduct the Western North Carolina High School Tournament. This tournament is regarded as one of the best high school basketball tournaments in the South.

The tournament last year was a success in every way; but those in charge of running the tournament are predicting an even more successful tournament this year than last. During the week of play Mars Hill will be the mecca for North Carolina basketball fans.

Coach Roberts has received thirty-three applications for the tournament. It is expected that three of these teams will probably withdraw, leaving thirty teams to fight for the championship.

Last year the Sylva High School team was winner of the tournament. And as a result of their victory received the trophy donated by A. G. Spaulding & Co. According to newspaper reports the Sylva team is even a greater team this year than it was last year. The champions are determined (Continued on page three)

## DR. JOHN A. TRENT TAKES POSITION WITH SMITH'S DRUG COMPANY

We were glad to learn that one of Mars Hill's own has come closer home. Dr. John A. Trent of Leaksville, N. C., who has been running a drug store of his own in Danville, Va., until recently, has taken a position with Smith's Drug Store of Asheville, N. C., as pharmacist. Dr. Trent left Mars Hill in 1912 and went to Page's School of Pharmacy, Raleigh, N. C., where he graduated a year later. He then entered the army and served through the World War. Dr. Trent wishes to meet all of the Mars Hill folk and to see his old friends. He is just another one to welcome us at Smith's.

## GIRLS ENTERTAIN AT RECEPTION

There is no situation so dark that there is no light therein. During the period of toil and worry of final examinations we felt as though the earth were going to close in upon us, but how quickly the gloom passed when on the morning of the finals, Miss Howell delighted us with the statement that the girls might entertain the boys on Tuesday night! It was equal to Leap Year; for, of course, each girl invited her own guest. Some of the more timid ones had a rather hard time of it, but the invitations were finally issued, and everyone seemed to live in an air of expectancy until 7:30 on the designated evening.

The party was divided into several groups with one member of the faculty in each group. Mirth and jollity were in each group. Games were played, music enjoyed, and refreshments served. But all too soon came to our ears the bell as a signal that we must say "good-night."

## PRESIDENT MOORE RAPIDLY IMPROVING

All Hilarious as Mr. Moore Returns to Campus

General rejoicing was felt all over the campus on Friday when Mr. Moore returned after an absence of almost two weeks while recovering from an operation which he underwent at the Baptist Hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

As the word was passed that Mr. Moore was back, every face was seen to brighten. The cloud which had been lowering over the campus seemed suddenly dispelled. When Mr. Moore quietly entered the auditorium at the chapel hour, where his presence was most sorely missed during his absence, all spontaneously burst forth into manifestations of joy.

It was noted that the voices of quite a few were tinged with emotion as the opening hymn was being sung.

All who have seen him agreed that Mr. Moore is already looking stronger than he has for several years. Many are expressing their eagerness to see him again daily in his office. They want to see him again on the chapel platform and to hear again his words of counsel and inspiration.

## B. Y. P. U. ELECTS OFFICERS

"J" Union Receives Banner

Recently the various unions of the Mars Hill B. Y. P. U. elected officers. The nominating committees of each union met and discussed the ones that were suggested, and each officer being elected was approved by the mass meeting of committees. The presidents have begun work in their respective unions only, but it is evident that capable and wide-awake leaders have been chosen. Every union reported a high grade Sunday, thus showing that each officer had done excellent work.

The presidents of the different unions for the spring semester are: "A," Bessie Sams; "B," Myrtle Barnett; "C," Van Powell; "D," Charles Maddry; "E," Harold Deaton; "F," Agnes Harrell; "G," Gilma Baily; "H," Fred Jarvis; "I," William Carey Parker; "J," Glenn Bolch; "K," Ostelle Warren.

"J" union was awarded the banner for the month of January, but it is certain that there will be a close race as per cent. The highest grades for Sunday, February 6, were made by "D," several unions are maintaining a high standard, especially "B," "K," and "J."

## CALENDAR

- February 15, 7:30 P. M.—Scribler's Club.
- February 17, 4:00 P. M.—Chlo Literary Society (weekly); Nonpareil Literary Society (weekly).
- February 17, 7:30 P. M.—"M" Club.
- February 18, 7:15 P. M.—Philomathian Literary Society (weekly); Euthalian Literary Society (weekly).
- February 18, 7:30 P. M.—College Y. W. A. (weekly).
- February 21, 7:30 P. M.—Science Club.
- February 22—Birthday of GEORGE WASHINGTON.
- February 24, 7:00 P. M.—Dramatic Club.
- February 24-26—Basketball Tournament.

# Bingham Team Falls To Mars Hill College

## I. R. C. TO SETTLE NICARAGUAN QUESTION

At the meeting of the International Relations Club of Mars Hill College, February 19, the following bill, introduced by Copeland (J. P. Huskins) of New York, is calendared for discussion:

Senate Bill No. 41, File 370

Whereas, It is admitted and generally conceded that the State of Nicaragua has passed through a period of insurrection; and

Whereas, It is known and publicly recognized that the government of the aforesaid State, Nicaragua, is efficient and capable of directing the governmental policies of the state whereunto it is bound; and

Whereas, It is common knowledge that the reports of the alleged jeopardy to which American citizens and property are being subjected are magnified into propaganda; and

Whereas, The policy of intervention adopted by the United States of North America and put into effect by the aforesaid United States in the foreign State of Nicaragua is not within the limits of the Monroe Doctrine; and

Whereas, The aforesaid policy of intervention on the part of the United States is militaristic; and

Whereas, Such a policy is not in harmony with the spirit of the Constitution of the United States. Therefore

Be It Enacted, That the Senate of the United States of North America, under and by authority vested in the Constitution of the aforesaid states, do hereby

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## MISS GLADYS REESE BECOMES BRIDE OF MR. EDGAR H. JARVIS

One of Uncle Sam's most valuable assistants and one of the most attractive and efficient young ladies who ever graced a postoffice window, from either side, disappeared temporarily from behind the grating of the Mars Hill postoffice a few days ago to join hands with one of our town's popular citizens and young educators in the rosy venture of matrimony.

Friends far and near will read with interest that Miss Gladys Reese and Mr. Edgar H. Jarvis were married on the afternoon of February 3, in the Baptist church of Marshall, North Carolina, Rev. H. L. Smith officiating. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis departed in the direction of Knoxville, Tennessee.

Everybody who frequents the postoffice at Mars Hill is pleased to find that Mrs. Jarvis, nee "Miss Gladys," has returned to her position. "Miss Gladys," since assuming her duties in the postoffice, has been a universal favorite among the students and teachers of the college and among the people of the community at large. Besides being most efficient as assistant to the postmaster, she always greets her public with a pleasant smile. One's disappointment at not receiving that letter from home, or from her, or from him is made less bitter by the presence of "Miss Gladys."

## Following a Victory of 29-21 Over Catawba's Fast Team

In the fastest game played in the McConnell gymnasium this season Mars Hill won her eighth straight game of the season by defeating the fast cadet team from Bingham Military Institute.

Johnson, Mars Hill forward, scored the first basket of the game when he looped a cross shot after receiving a bullet-like pass from "Duke" Lewis. With the score 5-2 in favor of Mars Hill the game became a battle to the final whistle. The first half ended with the score 19-10 in favor of the Mars Hill quintet.

At the beginning of the second half Bingham unleashed an attack so furious that it netted them 6 points in the short time of 45 seconds. If the cadets had been able to maintain this attack for the rest of the game the results of the game would have been different, and Mars Hill would have been forced to bow to her first defeat of the year. But this attack soon faded out, and Mars Hill increased her lead. During the last half Bingham scored 9 points while the locals annexed 8. The final score of the game was 27-19.

The floor work of Jimmy Nixon was the outstanding feature of the game. The rest of the team came in also for their share of praise; Johnson at forward was the high point man of the game. West, Lewis, and Travis time and time again would break up the offense of their opponents.

- Nixon 7.....F..... Michad 8
  - Johnson 10.....F..... Julbin 8
  - West 7.....C..... Jones 0
  - Lewis 7.....G..... Norwood 1
  - Travis 1.....G..... Dudson 0
- Substitutions: Honeycutt for Johnson; for Bingham, Adams for Dudson. Referee: Allan, Tusculum.

## EUTHALIANS ELECT OFFICERS FOR SPRING

Brown Succeeds Stone as President

On Friday evening, February 4, the Euthalian Literary Society elected new officers for the next term of nine weeks.

The officers elected are as follows: President, Paul B. Brown; vice-president, J. E. Dunn; secretary, H. C. Parker; chaplain, Charlton Sullivan; English critic, B. L. Herring; expression critic, E. C. Glasgow; corresponding secretary, J. D. Holmes; censor, H. T. Caine; chorister, G. T. Cornwell; pianist, W. L. Garris; sergeant-at-arms, O. J. Murphy; collector, J. E. Allen; and last but not least, the janitor, J. W. Stone, who is the retiring president.

Under the supervision of these newly elected officers, it is anticipated that the society will continue its growth in the future as it has in the past, and go even beyond its past record.

This corps of officers, during their term of office, will strive in every way possible to uphold the standards which have been set by the society, and they will encourage pep and preparation on the part of those taking part on the several programs.