

SPORTING NEWS

ATHLETIC MASS MEETING.

University Students and Some of the Faculty met at the approach of the Game of Football To-Day with Virginia—Personnel of the Squad That Goes to Richmond.

Special to The Observer. Chapel Hill, Oct. 25.—One of the most enthusiastic mass meetings held here in years was held last night in Gerrard Hall.

Dr. C. Alphonso Smith started the ball to rolling by means of one of his inimitable speeches, sparkling with wit and humor.

But such students are few and far between at this institution. Prof. "Billy" Noble, the prince of mass meeting speakers, then ascended the rostrum amid the deafening yells of his "boys."

Mr. George Stephens, of Charlotte, whom many of the students saw for the first time last night, made a good talk on athletics, and naturally grew reminiscent.

Dr. Lamson, the coach of the team, made a short talk. Dr. Lamson's fort was in "doing" and what he has done for the team was reflected in the faces of the football men as they sat before him.

The personnel of the squad from which the team will be picked tomorrow is as follows: J. Holde Mann, captain, of Fairfield, a senior, who plays quarterback; L. V. Dunlap, Wakeboro, medical student, right halfback; J. B. Davis, Winston-Salem, senior, left end; George Thomas, Charlotte, junior, right end; J. M. Wiggins, Suffolk, Va., law student, left end; H. B. Wadsworth, Newbern, junior, right end; C. B. Ruffin, Tarboro, junior, right halfback; J. E. Crowell, Wilmington, sophomore, left halfback; Tom McNeil, Lumberton, law student, left halfback; R. G. Parker, Jackson, law student, center; M. M. Williams, Rose Hill, senior, fullback; Bob Howell, Troy, law student, right guard; W. H. Ferguson, Keniall, sophomore, left guard; E. A. Thompson, Mount Holly, sophomore, left guard; G. O. Rogers, Graham, senior, left tackle; J. C. Garrett, Julian, sophomore, left tackle; A. B. Deans, Wilson, freshman, right tackle; J. E. Harris, Rutherford, sophomore, right tackle; Z. H. Rose, Fremont, senior, center; F. I. Sutton, Kinston, senior, quarterback; L. K. Belden, Wilmington, sophomore, quarterback.

EVEN BREAK IN SINGLES.

Fountain, of Carolina Wins From Earnshaw and Orr Loses to Poteat—Final Score is Carolina 70, Wake Forest 30.

Special to The Observer. Chapel Hill, Oct. 25.—In the interesting tennis meet in singles this afternoon Fountain, of Carolina, won from Earnshaw, of Wake Forest, by a score of 3 to 2 and Orr lost to Poteat by a score of 2 to 0.

The doubles, which Carolina won yesterday, counted 40 per cent. and the singles 20 each, which makes a final score 70 per cent. for Carolina and 30 for Wake Forest.

Jugler Wins the Garden City Stakes on the Jamaica Track.

Jamaica, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Jugler, backed from 1 to 1 1/2 to 3, won the Garden City stakes on Monday at sixteenth at Jamaica to-day. Summaries: First race, selling, 5 furlongs; Tartar Maid, 2 to 1; won; Sunbeam, 7 to 1, to show third. Time, 1:37 3/4.

Bingham Defeats Davidson's Second Football Team.

Special to The Observer. Asheville, Oct. 25.—In an interesting and spirited game of football here this afternoon Bingham School defeated the Davidson College second team by a score of 19 to 0.

Whereabouts of Drinkard Known by His Father.

Special to The Observer. Winston-Salem, Oct. 25.—The whereabouts of William Drinkard, who disappeared a few weeks ago, leaving his accounts with the Virginia Brewing Company short about \$2,400, is known to the father of Mr. Drinkard and probably other intimate friends.

HENRY'S COTTON STATEMENT.

Statistics Show Decrease Over Corresponding Periods Last Year and the Year Before—Foreign Exports and Mill Takings.

New Orleans, Oct. 25.—Secretary Henry's weekly cotton statement issued today shows a decrease for the 23 days of the season under last year of 57,500 and a decrease under the same period year before last of 64,000.

The amount brought into sight during the 23 days of October has been 1,821,382 bales against 1,878,887 last year.

The movement since September 1st shows receipts at all U. S. ports 1,252,152 against 1,269,131 last year. Overseas across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada 57,978 against 57,500 last year.

Foreign exports for the week have been 18,717 against 27,833 last year, making the total thus far for the season 242,131 against 259,429 last year.

Stocks at the seaboard and the 23 leading Southern interior centres have increased during the week 2,319 bales against 2,429 last year.

Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop the number of bales brought into sight thus far from the new crop, the supply to date is 2,414,148 against 2,460,335 for the same period last year.

Trade and Industry Quiet.

Sympathy With the Financial Unsettling in New York Manifested in Trade Centres, According to Bradstreet.

New York, Oct. 25.—Bradstreet tomorrow will say: Trade and industry have tendered toward quiet in sympathy with reports of financial unsettlement at New York and a few other cities.

The holding of cotton, a great exchange-making medium, is showing some signs of relaxing, and lower prices of domestic commodities lead to the hope that the demand of a prosperous country, affected by the unduly high level of some commodities, will revive.

Southern collections have rather improved, as has trade, which feels the influence of free marketing of cotton in some sections, and the feeling that Southern banks will not encourage further holding of this product for high prices.

The Visible Supply.

New Orleans, Oct. 25.—Secretary Henry's weekly cotton statement issued today shows the total visible to be 2,387,715 against 2,788,827 last week and 3,960,236 last year.

The world's visible supply of cotton there is now at least as high as in Great Britain and continental Europe, 1,514,000 against 1,313,000 last year; in Egypt 104,600 against 108,000 last year; in India 27,600 against 28,000 last year; and in the United States 1,042,000 against 1,191,000 last year.

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, Oct. 25.—The dry goods market is in a waiting attitude. Trade is being interfered with greatly by the financial disturbances. Cancellations are becoming numerous and readjustment of prices is under way in many lines.

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Street Cars Run at Fayetteville. Special to The Observer. Fayetteville, Oct. 25.—The Fayetteville Street Railway is making its trial trips to-day and the folks are crowding the cars with every run.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Oct. 25.—Forecast: Virginia, fair Saturday and Sunday, except rain Sunday in extreme southwest portion; colder Saturday; fresh northwest winds.

North Carolina, fair Saturday and Sunday, except rain in west portion; variable winds becoming north and light Saturday; rain Saturday night or Sunday; fresh south winds.

East Florida, fair Saturday and Sunday; light to fresh north winds.

West Florida and Alabama, fair Saturday; rain Saturday night or Sunday; fresh south winds.

Mississippi and Louisiana, rain Saturday; colder in north portion; Sunday fair; fresh south winds becoming north.

East Texas, rain Saturday, colder in north portion; Sunday fair, except rain on the coast and in extreme south portion; light variable winds.

Arkansas, rain and colder Saturday; Sunday fair.

Western Texas, fair Saturday and Sunday; Tennessee and Kentucky, fair in east, rain and colder in west portions Saturday; Sunday rain.

West Virginia, fair Saturday and Sunday in southern portion.

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