Dr. S. J. Porter, of the class of 1893, now holding the position of assistant cor-responding accretary of toreign missions, with headquarters at Richmond, will ad-

dress the Y. M. C. A. Monday night.

Rev. Dr. C. B. Williams, of the class

Waco, Tex., will preach at the Baptis

The Wake Forest faculty quartette com

connected and of which Dr. Brewer is

Dr. Edwin N. Poteat, president of Fur

man University, delivered the first of the

monthly lectures at the college to-night.

Spartanburg, S. C., Sept. 26.-The firs

Y. M. C. A. meeting of the year was held

in the college chapel Sunday afternoon

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baseball for several years.

RUTHERFORD.

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cate a very prosperous year.

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Wednesday evening by Dr.

T. Rowe, of Asheville, who had as

that are to follow during the year,

there is a treat in store for the school.

He showed the dignity of labor and

paid a high tribute to the American

spirit, showing that her marks of

ferred but opportunities offered for

worked in clay, the man Jesus Christ

worked in wood, giving dignity to

what the world is wont to call the

common labor of farm and factory.

It is no accident that most of our

farm; they drew their vigorous quali-

ties from the soil with which they

Mrs. R. D. Sherrill and Mrs. F. I.

ELON.

were so intimately associated.

here in school.

Devereux, of Spencer, are on

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campus visiting their sons, who

eminent men are products of the

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# WITH CAROLINA COLLEGES



ducated at the University of Virginia and at the theological seminary at Alexcounty, Va., where he stayed four years. was rector of the Zion church eleston, W. Va., for sixteen years. From Charleston he went to Philadelphia, a history of his life. there he had as his charge for four years, the Church of the Savior. From there went to Rosnoke, where he was rector St. John's church for twelve years. The last Sunday in October, 1898, Dr. has given his devoted life to the better-

The Yackety Yack board met a few The various committees were apmittee appointments were as follows: Art, D. B. Teague, C. O. Robinson, C. Frazier and D. C. McRae; photos, R. D. Eames; humor, K. D. Battle, R. A. Erquhart and L. C. Kerr; literature, J. T. Johnson, W. P. Grier and H. A. Thompsen; athletics, C. B. Ruffin, R. D. Eames; classes and statistics. J. E. lege with the general secretary of the lo-Hughes, W. P. Grier and G. G. Shan-cal Y. M. C. A. e; organization, J. R. Mercer, D. Gilliam and J. T. Johnson. Mr. H. P. Osborne is editor-in-chief and Mr. T. J. McManis and Mr. B. L. Banks are the body the Yackety Yack board is twenty places. enfident of producing an annual of which every student and alumnus will be proud.

board of editors and managers of The University Magazine has made a good beginning. In consequence of the efforts of ex-Manager Hodge during the summer, the magazine is already dd financial basis. Two hundred and fifty subscribers outside of Chapel ceptionally large. The cover has been changed. It will be white with blue let-Company, a well-known printing firm of Charlotte. The first issue promises to be hands of the printers and the business manager is counting on getting the out by the 6th or 6th of October. The following changes have been made in the personnel of the board: Mr. D. B. Teague was elected by the Philanthropic Society to succeed Mr. S. W. Hodge, who will not return to college; and Mr. Edwards was elected by the Dialectic Society to take the place of Mr. R. A. man, who is teaching school in Georgia. The magazine is under the excellent Editor-in-Chief J. B

Mr. John Cooper, who was seriously

Reeves.

Practice has been going on all week un- loan fund. It is hoped that a plan now der the charge of Director Jacocks. The on foot will add materially to this fund, pennant. One thing that is a serious worthy young men to make their way frawback to the success of the games is through college. the fact that many of the large, husky freshmen have not yet come out.

penters have been engaged in remodeling on the courts. added. The building is to be papered and Cadet Wise is well fitted for the appointmost club-like and attractive here.

Mr. E. C. Mercer, of New York City spoke to the students of the University Thursday night. Mr. Mercer told the Correspondence of The Observer story of his life and made a profound impression on all those present. He is a native of Georgia and a graduate of the the academic year will be next Saturday, University of Virginia, where he was very October 3d, which is known here as t Virginia Mr. Mercer formed some evening Rev. Plato T. Durham, a gradhabits which nearly wrecked his life, unte of this institution and for some habits which nearly wrecked his life.

Discoved by his father, abandoned by Biblical literature, who is now pastor of his wife, he found himself begging on the the Methodist church at Concord will streets of New York for 8 cents with which to buy a drink. Accidentally he drifted into the McAuley Mission and deducer the suspended for the day and cided to change his life. As a result he the occasion will likely be one of much is now addressing college men all over enjoyment. Gifts and donations in all evils. Mr. Mercer spoke at noon to a past year and the donors will be anlarge crowd of students on "The McAuley

lowing officers: President, Dr. Archibald Henderson; vice president, Prof. A. H. Patterson; vice president, Prot. A. H. Hall, Elizabeth City; W. S. Stewart, Junior-President, J. M. Broughton, of P. Venable; recording secretary, Dr. A. Huichten, Charlotte; B. J. Faucette, Durham; J. L. Raleigh; vice president, P. V. Critcher, Prof. J. E. Latta and Dr. J. E. Mills. The Bible institute of North Carolina colleges meets in Chapel Hill during the first week in October for three days. One hundred student delegates will be here. detions for the delegates will be secured in college and in the town. strong list of speakers has been sered, including such men as Dr. La-Fiamme, Dr. Detwiler, Mr. W. D. Weath- wick, of San Francisco, spoke to the and President F. P. Venable. vice president; Barker, his-

Bowins: C. W. Gunter, -president; Jr., secretary and treasurer,

A. & M.

th Sept. M.—The Thalarian gave its first dance of the right in Pullen Hall. The

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danced to the strains from the Third Regiment Orchestra.

To-night the first of a series of college letters and entertainments was given by the Weeks Musical Company. Each by ten years the rector of the Chapel of the Cross, has resigned his charge and ill retire from active work. The resignarity of the list of November. The news of

educated at the University of Virginia on Sunday night at see in Pullen Hall, and at the theological seminary at Alexandris, Va. He desisted his father at chapel Monday and Tuesday mornings, and his final address was Tuesday night. All of these meetings were attended by nearly Va., where he stayed four years. tense interest was taken in his talks. Mr. Mercer is a man that has been on both the society and were turned over to the sides of the fence and gave the students

Tuesday evening Dr. W. D. Weatherford, the student secretary for the entire South, arrived and made a short talk Wednesday night. Dr. Weatherford adeads became rector of the Chapel of dressed the students in the library on the the Cross. From that day to this he subject, "The Supreme Test For Character." Mr. Mercer, who had devoted the of the people of Chapel Hill and to day to resting, was also present and the ennobling of the students of the Uni- made a few remarks. Eighty-seven men accepted his invitation to an after meeting and after a few earnest and clear cut days ago and organized for the year's words another invitation was given to those who wished to become Christians. by the editor-in-chief and the Of these present sixty-nine stood up, ral plan of the annual was discussed. saying they would live clean, Christian lives. Among these taking this stand were many athletes and prominent leaders in college life.

Mr. G. C. Huntington, Interstate secretary of the Y. M. C. A. with headquarters at Charlotte, while waiting for trains in Raleigh, spent several hours at the col-

Preparations are being made to send a delegation to the State Bible study institute at Chapel Hill to be held October 2d-4th. A. & M. is entitled to eighteen pess managers. With the help of the delegates and it will perhaps ask for

At a meeting of the board of trustees ing of the class. of the college Thursday morning much important business was attended to. The tion was held last Friday evening in and already tickets are being sold to the committee went over the departments and Epworth Building, and was attended by a students. Prof. J. A. Gamewell, expressed itself highly pleased at the conwhich the committee took for the comfort and well-being of the students was dent; C. R. Foushee, Durham, secretary; and city subscribers outside of Chapel an arrangement to connect the electrical J. L. Hutchison, Charlotte, treasurer; Hill have been secured and the number laboratory building and Primrose Hall John N. Cole, Jr., Raleigh, manager of of advertisements already secured is exlege. After this change is made the coltering embossed. The contract for the lege will have steam heat from the centering embossed. The contract for the trai plant in all its buildings. The exectalso the college champions in college, but printing has been let to the Ray Printing will be committed also decided to enlarge utive committee also decided to enlarge resent Trinity in her tennis contests with the work of the college garden, and to other institutions. It is expected that this end set apart that portion of the Trinity will meet several colleges in the a good one. The material is already in college farm which adjoins Rocky game this year. Branch, an ideal spot for the very large kitchen garden which is being planned. Such vegtables as are used in the college mess hall will be canned during the summer for the winter table.

Plans were also set on foot to put out an extensive orchard for large and small fruits on land bought from the Crawford gun in earnest at Wake Forest, The total estate. An orchard of fifteen acres will enrollment to-day is 352 and it is hoped Schuectady, N. Y., is a new addition to at the service of the students. fruit. This will be used largely for educa- 409 will be registered. The senior class is Clinkscales and DuPre in math and at the Main Building, large as this structional purposes and will give students larger by twelve than ever before in the physics. training in fruit propagation, grafting and marketing.

hurt tackling a dummy, continues about dent's plans for grading and ornamenting the same. As soon as his condition will the grounds around the Agricultural allow it, he will be taken from the hos- Building and work will begin this winter. pital in Baltimore to his home in Clin- Enough will be done to add to the beauty of the handsome structure.

outlook is bright for a hot race for the which has already helped a great many

Dr. Hill, who always looks out for interest and pleasure of the students, has The Phi Delta Theta fraternity has pur- taken steps to lay out two new tennis classes in Bible study and missions, these chased the building known as the Long courts. He has given a part of the old also being participated in by a large num-Building and is transforming it into a athletic field for this purpose and the ber of students. Interest in these classes fraternity house. For some weeks car- work will commence in a very few days and in the general work of the associa-

repainted throughout. When completed, ment and will no doubt be unequaled in the fraternity house will be one of the this capacity.

## TRINITY.

Durham, Sept. 26.—The first holiday of ment in athletics and socially. While "Benefactors' Day." At \$ o'clock in that

Last evening the "Tombs," a local se-The Elisha Mitchell Scientific Society met a few days ago and elected the fol-Monroe; R. A. Whitaker, Kinston; W. H. Morgan, of Wake. S. Wheeler. The editorial committee is Hutchison, Charlotte—were given the first of Martin county; secretary, Dee Carrick, ed of Dr. W. C. Coker, chairman; degree. Friday night the second degree of Guillord County, historian, E. I. was given in the hall of the order down Daniels, of Vance county; historian, E. I. degree. Friday night the second degree town. After the finishing of the initiatory ceremonies a banquet was held in the Marshall, of Raleigh; City Cafe. Mr. M. A. Briggs, of Dur-Hill, of Anson county. ham, acted as toastmaster and many of the old and new men responded to toasts

during the gay evening. Tuesday night in the Young Men's Christian Association, Mr. H. E. Bost-The freshmen class has elected the fol- 7.30 o'clock, his subject being "Impres-owing officers: W. M. Jones, president; sions of Korea and the East." The address was heard by quite a number of m, and Joel McAden, secretary and students and members of the faculty and The sophomore class elected proved to be one of the most interesting, proved to be one of the most interesting, instructive and highly entertaining lectures heard here in a long time. Mr. Bostwick had no trouble in keeping the attention of his audience, for he had interesting things to tell it, and told them in a way that held the closest attenion of all present. Mr. Bostwick has been in Korea half a score of years, and is very familiar with the country. He spoke principally from the standpoint of the business man, and the lecture was of Tredell country.

M. Beams, of Leaksville; treasurer, Robert P, Blevins, of Wilksboro.

Medical-President, Charles M. Phifer. Church. These are valuable publications and will be received no doubt by the public very willingly.

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a very interesting paper on 'The Corres-pondence of Andrew Johnson and W. R. Helden in 1865." The following officers were elected for the year: President, Dr. W. K. Boyd; vice president, R. C. Gold-stein; secretary and treasurer, C. E. Phillips; curator of the museum, T. M. Grant, Curios and a large number of papers and documents were presented to resp curator.

A new dynamo has recently been installed at the power plant in Crowell Science Hall, and the campus is now being supplied with better lights.

Miss Mary McCullen, of Washington, one of the graduates of last year, has been on the campus recently visiting triends at the Woman's Building.-Mr. G. C. Huntington, traveling secretary for the Young Men's Christian Association of North and South Carolina, paid the local association a visit last week.-Mr. J. L. Williams ex-'96, of Goldsboro, has been on the campus recently. Mr. liams is now with the Radcliffe Entertainment Company, of Richmond, Va.-Miss Elva Crowell, of Newton, was here few days ago, the guest of Miss Christine McIntosh, of the sophomore class Miss Crowell was on her way to Raleigh where she is a student at St. Mary's. Prof. W. H. Wannamaker, of the depart ment of German, has moved into the house formerly occupied by Dr. W. I.

At a meeting of the sophomore class Tuesday the following officers were elected for the present year: President, B. F. Hurley, Wadesville; vice president, P. F. will be elected at the next regular meet-Hanes, Mocksville. The other officers ed the lecture very much.

The first meeting of the tennis associalarge crowd of its members. The followelected: M. A. Briggs, Durham, presi- for the students at a very reasonable grounds. Class tournaments will be arranged in the near future to decide not only the class champions in college, but

### WAKE FOREST.

Correspondence of The Observer. Wake Forest, Sept. 26.-Work has bebe set out in all the best varieties of that after Christmas the much-longed for the faculty. He will assist Professors history of the college; the medical class is nearly twice as large as the class of last will have charge of the gymnasium this that the most critical would pla The committee also approved the presi- year; the law and freshman classes are year. Mr. Bressler has played professional also exceedingly large.

The Christian activity of the college as

exemplified in the Y. M. C. A. has never been more encouraging than at present This organization has taken on new life The first class bootball game is October The committee took in consultation and with that have come more determin-2d between the sophomores and seniors, some methods for increasing the student ed efforts to make the association the most effective in the creation of religious influence among the students. That such endeavors are being highly successful is evidenced by the fact that two-thirds of the students are members of the associathe tion. In addition to the regular Monday evening meetings, there are conducted tion is increased from time to time by the house inside and out. The porch has been enlarged and an addition to the back of the house has been made. The band to succeed Mr. Ed Robbins, who principal expenditure has been on the in- was appointed to this rank with the other of interest being taken in the association side, where folding doors, hardwood man- military appointments last spring and is that the 200 or more members at presand other improvements have been who did not return to college this year, ent were enrolled as the result of a general invitation given by Vice President Melton, not being persuaded in any way, but wholly on their own volition. In the near future each man not now a member will be requested to join the association and in this way it is hoped that a larger number of the students will be

brought into active Christian work. An enthusiastic mass meeting of the students was held Thursday night to encourage the football team which left Friday morning for Chapel Hill, where this afternoon they played Carolina. Speeches were made by Coach Hall, and Messrs. cer and who are both on the team. Pro fessor Timberlake also spoke.

The different classes have met and elected officers who are as follows: Senior-President, James Adams, of America on college problems and college forms made to the college during the Raleigh; vice president, H. W. Baucam, of Wake county; secretary, Ray Funder burk, of Union county; treasurer, Wad Last evening the "Tombs," a local se-cret society of the junior class, held its E. C. White, of Catawba county; orator, Crawford, Norfolk, Va.; R. G. Laney, E. Walker, of Rowan; historian, A. D.

Olive, of Cumberland county; poet, W. E. Marshall, of Raleigh; prophet, W. R.

Sophomore-President, H. T. White of Greensboro; vice president, W. M. Willis, of Morehead City; secretary, J. C. Brett, of Union; treasurer, G. F. Highsmith, of Dunn; historian, S. B. Kitchin, of Scotland Neck; prophet, R. L. Wall, of Davie Christian Convention, Rev. J. O. Atkincounty; poet, B. F. Butler, of Sampson son, D. D., whose home office is at this members of the college community, at county; poet, B. F. Butler, of Sampson

spoke principally from the standpoint of the business man, and the lecture was of a high order. Mr. Bostwick is visiting Prof. and Mrs. Robert L. Flowers and has been on the campus for several days. He has also been spending some time with Capt and Mrs. E. J. Parrish at their home near the city.

Last week Messrs. J. A. Mergan, of Mebane, and F. S. Love, of Morroe, the former a member of the class of 1905 and an A. M. graduate of last year, and the latter a member of last year's class. Melton, of Surry county; secretary and the latter a member of last year's class. Melton, of Surry county; secretary and will allow him to do so, expects to enter upon a canvass to enjarge the sudow ment fund of the institution and will no doubt meet with large success in this

### ERSKINE.

ditorium last Saturday for the purp organizing a track team. It was of organizing a track team. It was the unanimous opinion of all present that Erakine should put out a track team. Atter discussing the matter at length, the following officers were elected: K. B. Phagan, of Tennessee, manager; W. C. McLean, of Statesville, N. C., and C. E. ucator of the State as to the value of Wake Forest College, President Potent has answered that the campus, buildings and apparatus are worth \$179,000, to which must be added the \$300,000 endowment.

of 1891, now a professor in the South-western Baptist Theological Seminary at Mr. W. L. Pressly, who has been at home with his father, Prof. J. L. Pressly, since the close of the Carolina Raushall since the close of the Carolina Baseball League, left Tuesday for Atlanta, Ga., to enter the Atlanta Medical College, Mr. posed of President Poteat, Dr. Brewer and Professors Lake and Highsmith, will Pressly, who is known in baseball circles as "Buck" or the "Sweet Singer of Due sing at a Baracca rally in Raleigh Sun-West," was coach for the Erskine team last year. Needless to say the good wishes of a large body of students follow Dr. Brewer is very busy these days with work in connection with the Central Bap-Mr. Pressly in his new studies.
\* Many new buildings have been tist Association, to which this college is

tructed in the past few months in Due West. The store of Mr. W. W. Edwards has been moved back and in its place a new brick structure has been built. The building formerly occupied by Dr. Bell for a drug store has been replaced by a nice brick structure. Dr. Bell will have associated with him Mr. Hale Bryce, of

### WOFFORD. Anderson, S. C. Correspondence of The Observer.

DAVIDSON. Correspondence of The Observer.

Prof. J. G. Clinkscales gave his lecture Davidson, Sept. 26.-The college team in on the subject of "Fools." Professor Clinkscales is a very attractive speaker a formal line-up and practice game against the scrubs this afternoon showed and those who heard him Sunday enjoyto advantage and evidenced the fact that the men are rapidly getting into good The lyceum course for the coming sea shape and fine training. The initial game son promises to be one of the very best, of the season takes place a week from who to-day with the mutes, according to has charge of the lyceum, is untiring in schedule, and this is to be followed dition of the college. Among the steps ing officers for the coming year were his efforts to secure the best attractions game at Charlottesville with the University of Virginia the following week October 17th.

The senior class will in a few days The annual dry spell of the fall is mak ing the athletic field a dust heap and I raise a tremendous flag on the flag pole become necessary to sprinkle the on the campus. Money for the flag has gridiron by gathering together a generous been collected, and as soon as the pole supply of watering hose that in the abcan be painted, the flag will be hoisted. Until this year the Carlisle Literary Soof rain helps to correct the almost intolerable condition of things that has ciety had no hall of its own, but held its meetings in the class room of Dr. James recently characterized every active scrim-The dust-laden air seems to be H. Carlisle. Dr. Carlisle has turned over mage. this room to the society which bears his the cause of a small epidemic of colds. name, and it is now being fitted up for The library committee is this a society hall. When completed it will ending out its fall order for books. This installment of new books is the smaller compare favorably with the halls of the Preston and Calhoun Societies, which of the two orders made during the year

but the total running far up into poast two of the finest literary society hundreds makes a handsome annual addition to the already large collection now Mr. J. B. Peebles, of Union College, A fresh coat of paint on the tin roof ture is, makes a considerable item in the Mr. Bressler, of Valpariso University, budget of expenses for this term, but one

list of essentials. The covering over this big mass of brick and granite is carefully, looked after, but even then it is difficult to keep it in the best repair. The water tanks that supply the college and town are a hurt to the building, as nouncing the company. Rutherford College, Sept. 26.-

well as being too small for present demands, and it is thought that a large Big Sales of the Weed For Two Days. steel standpipe or tank will soon take Correspondence of The Observer. There are now 160 students enrolled the place of these less pretentious struc at Rutherford College. The character of these students and the quality tures. Mrs. J. M. McConnell and children and of work which they are doing indi-

Mrs. L. Currie are spending a week at There was a meeting of the board Hiddenite-Mrs. T. W. Lingle and children and her mother, Mrs. Souther, of St. trustees Wednesday, at which Louis, arrived this week and with Dr. Lingle are domiciled at the Williams time plans were made for enlargenome, recently rented by Dr. Lingle-Miss A course of lectures has been Margaret Vance, daughter of Rev. James arranged for the year, one lecture to be delivered in each month. I. Vance, of Newark, N. J., is the guest delivered of Mrs. Worth and Miss McBryde. G.

The town, especially the southern end of it, has been a free user of paint this his subject "Work." Taking his ad- summer, so that with new concrete sidedress as an index to the numbers walks and many new residences and other marks of genuine growth and progress the town moves forward at a pleasing Dr. Rowe is a master in platform pace. speaking and he appeared at his best.

Limestone College Has Big Enrollment. Special to The Observer.

Gaffney, S. C., Sept. 27 .- Limestone College has a larger enrollment for this session than ever before and as a consequence the college building is taxed to its utmost capacity to prop-erly care for the young ladies who have matriculated at this historical institution.

ELECTION LAW NEEDS CHANGING None But Qualified Voters Should Be Allowed to Vote in Primary Election.

Special to The Observer. Yorkville, S. C., Sept. 27.-There is

a rapidly growing sentiment in this county that the law governing the primary election should be so amended as to provide that none except qualified voters shall be allowed to vote in Elon College, Sept. 26.-Thursday evening Dr. and Mrs. Newman entertained the the primary—voters who are entitled Ladies' Aid Society in an informal way under the law to secure registration at their home in the village. Quite a certificates and have secured them number of guests was present, consisting It is a well-known fact that in this State the primary is really the election, and that not over one-half of members of the faculty and their wives clous refreshments were served, all of them the product of Dr. Newman's excellent orchard and garden, which were very much enjoyed by all who were present. The prize of the evening was won by Miss Maude Pritchard, a member of the graduating class this year.

The publishing agent of the Southern Christian Convention, Rev. J. O. Atkinson, D. D., whose home office is at this place, will soon bring from the press two new volumns. The first is a new edition of the "Principles and Government of the Christian Church." The second is the primary election, and that the most important events that has transpired in Southern Pines recently its the sale of the Piney Woods Inn. Its the sale of the Piney Woods Inn. Who has for two years been at the head of two of the years been at the head of two of the November they could not deliver the goods, and besides this the constitution provides that none except qualified voters are eligible for jury duty and there are scores of men who would resent the insinuation that they members of the senior class, ministerial students and citizens of the village. Delicounty.

Freshman—President, Herbert B. Taylor, of Dunn; vice president, Henry B.

Conrad, of Winston—Salem; secretary, H.

M. Beams, of Leaksville; treasurer, Rob
M. Beams, of Leaksville; treas by failing to register, and thus veaken the effectiveness of the courts. Under existing conditions a man can come into this county from another State or county five days before the primary election, have his name enrolled on a club roll and have the same right to yote as the man who has lived in the State two years, the county one and the precinct where he votes sixty days. It would appear that the matter is worthy of the consideration of all citizens who really have the best interests of the State

THEY TAKE THE KINKS OUT.

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills and other was toom many years, with increasing satisfaction. They take the kinks out of stomach, to extend it inver and bewels, without has or fried to the military and N. H. Brown, of Pittafield, in future.

lew York Herald. Early in the 1904 campaign the Standard Oil Company, as well as responsible for its refusal. . Later, when the second call for

Phagan, of Tennessee, manager; W. C. McCaw, of Tennessee, assistant managers, While it is not thought possible to send a team to the State fair at Columbia in October, the purpose is to organize a team to enter the intercollegiate association next year. Negotiations are on now to get Mr. "Tommie" Stouch, the examined and the fancial support of Standard Oil secured. This appointment was made by Mr. Rogers and so the Carolina League, to coach the Standard Oil Building, and Mr. Corteiyou, chairman of the Republican national committee, sent word to Mr. Rogers asking for an appointment at which the existing conditions could be explained and the fancial support of Standard Oil secured. This appointment was made by Mr. Rogers to be kept at No. 26 Broadway, the Standard Oil Building, and Mr. Corteiyou was informed that both Mr. Rogers and John D. Archbold would be pleased to see him. Mr. Corteiyou, chairman of the Republican national committee and support of Standard Oil secured. This appointment was made by Mr. Rogers and John D. Archbold would be pleased to see him. Mr. Corteiyou, chairman of the Republican national committee, sent word to Mr. Rogers asking for an appointment at that digs.

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At this interview Mr. Rogers accused Mr. Roosevelt of ingratitude and recalled many past favors from the Standard Oil Company to Republican candidates and campaign funds. Mr. Bliss admitted that Presi-dent Roosevelt might have acted harshly toward the Standard Oil, but said that while Mr. Roosevelt's first term was "constructive" his second term would be "conservative."

Relying on these assurances, Mr. Rogers and Mr. Archbold made a contribution of \$100,000.

This contribution coming to the knowledge of President Roosevelt, he wrote to Chairman Cortelyou a violent etter denouncing the Standard QII Company and directing the return of in the mountains and if their tickets the contribution. This letter is on were not made returnable before October 1st this section would be greatit is kept by President Roosevelt for the purpose of making it public if ever the facts of this Standard Oll Experiment Farms in Connection With contribution became known.

The contribution was not returned. Not one cent was paid back. The same was used, so far as Mr. Rogers and Mr. Archbold know, in like manner with other contributions. Later in the campaign, when President Roosevelt became scared about the result and about the time that he summoned Edward H. Harriman to Washington and induced Mr. Harri-

man to raise \$260,000 for the cam-

paign fund, a further request was made of the Standard Oil people.

At the time of the \$100,000 contribution Mr. Bliss expressed his dissatisfaction with its size and said that the amount should be several times as great. At the time of the third request the definite sum of \$250,000

additional was asked for. In the meantime Mr. Rogers had learned of Mr. Roosevelt's letter to Mr. Cortelyou and of the direction to return the first \$100,000. He declined to give any more money and recalled the fact that the President's instructions to return the first contribution had not been complied with and that Mr. Roosevelt must have known all along that the \$100,090 which he repudiated had not only been accepted but used.

In view of this fact he declined to accede to the request for a further \$250,000 or for any further denounced Mr. Roosevelt for ingly trying on the one hand to se cure contributions from the Standard Oil Company and on the other hand to make political capital by

Durham, Sept. 26 .- The great to bacco breaks of yesterday and to-day shattered a record of many years and nearly 300,000 pounds of the weed were sold on the floors of the three houses. The Parrish and Planter's alone contributed 172,000 yesterday and the big floors of the Banner were not reached. When that was cleaned up to-day it was found that 75,000 pounds had been spread out. All day there were other farmers bringing in theirs until this afternoon when it was discovered that Durham had sold \$35,000 worth of leaf tobacco in the two days. The grades were ordinary, no fine tobacco being sold, barring two or three piles of \$50 wrappers The farmers expressed almost uniform satisfaction with the way things went and the buyers say the prices were unusually fine.

Negro Woman Slashes Another to Vicious Manner. Correspondence of The Observer.

Winston-Salem, Sept. 26.-The ferocity of a wild creature guided the hand of Daisy Patterson, a youngcolored woman in an attack with a razor upon Polly Headen, another negress, whose many wounds appeared to be fatal upon first examination, but this afternoon physiclans said she would recover. The women fought in the negro settlement known as Blumtown, and it is said the cause was Polly's jealousy of her husband, who, it appears, had been attentive to

Daisy. The police say they have never see such merchess wounds as the Patterson woman inflicted. Thirty stitches wer taken to cover the most serious of them Daisy is held in \$100 bail for trial when ever her victim is able to get to court.

J. M. Robinson Buys Piney Woods

Special to The Observer. Southern Pines, Sept. 27,-One of ment it will be a drawing card for tourist travel.

Many Visitors Still in the Mountains Special to The Observer.

Asheville, Sept. 27.—Although the summer season in Asheville and western North Carolina is supposed to end September 1st, many hundreds of visitors have remained in the mountains for the month, according to the railway passenger officials. The exyodus, which set in August 31st, has kept up during the month and now it is said that many reservations have been made for as late as October 15th. Efforts are to be made by Ashaville and other western North Carolina resorts to induce the Southern Railway to the middle of September at least in future. Many visitors desire to spend the entire month of September

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Fayetteville, Sept. 27 .- Mr. B. F. Bryde, county superintendent of education, is having experiment farms established in connection with the county high schools, four in number, at Manchester, Godwin, Stedman and Hope Mills. These farms will be under the supervision of Mr. C. R. Hudson, of the United States Agricultural Department, in charge of the experiment farms in this county.



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