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The October issue of the University Magazine is a valuable contribution to the scant historical records of our State. There are three articles which contain matter of especial interest to the people of this section. One of these is a letter from Mr. Hinton James, of Wilmington, who was the first student at the University, which is embodied in an address delivered by President Battle at the University in 1880, another is a sketch of the labors of Dr. William Hooper and the third is the first of a series of short biographical sketches of the Confederate Dead of the University.

We recollect Mr. James very well. It was many years ago when he held the position here of Town Constable, and had an office in a building which then stood on the site of the clothing store now occupied by Mr. S. H. Fishplate. He was not of the family of the Editor of this paper, although we believe that there was a distant relationship existing. Mr. Battle says in his address:

Soon the first student came in—journeying all the way, hundreds of miles, from the lower Cape Fear, on horseback doubtless, saddle-bags between his legs. We can well imagine that there was no severe examination of him. I do not find that he was rejected on a single study. The acting President took down his pedigree with eager alacrity and as the primeval predecessor of our worthy Bursar gathered in the tuition money, it jingled merrily in the hollow treasury.

For a short while Hinton James composed the entire student force of the University of North Carolina. After humorously describing the advantages and disadvantages of being the only student, the speaker proceeded to say:

I pity thy loneliness, but I envy thy distinction, Hinton James, worthy leader of a long line of illustrious students—Presidents, Vice-Presidents, Cabinet Officers, Foreign Ministers, Senators, Representatives, Assemblymen, Judges, leaders of the bar, well-balanced jurymen, Bishops, Moderators, D. D.'s, LL. D.'s, Ph. D.'s, Poets, Historians, Editors, Generals and Commodores, Physicians and Engineers, and last but not less useful than any of these, the unambitious classes, who are the support and balance wheels of society, the farmers, merchants, mechanics, captains of industry. Thou wert the Daniel Boone of higher education, the Kit Carson to explore and map out the new fields of literature and science, the Christopher Columbus of the New World of North Carolina culture. May the young men now before me copy thy diligence and not fall below thy success!

But Mr. James was not long in the possession of the honors and perplexities resulting from his lonely position. Students rapidly came in and before the session was over nearly one hundred of the best young men of North Carolina and the adjacent States appeared and the full panoply of the University was assembled, the Faculty complete, and all the classes—Senior, Junior, Sophomore and Freshman—represented, and Optionals too, then as now a necessary and honorable part of our organization.

The letter from Mr. James, referred to above, is but brief. It was written from this city in 1838 and addressed to Mr. W. H. Owen, Chaplain of the University. In it Mr. James says:

Board the first year was fifteen dollars per session, thirty dollars per

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year, with the steward, who was then Mr. Taylor. The first President of the institution was a Mr. Kerr, an Irish Presbyterian preacher, who on leaving Chapel Hill commended the practice of the law. The first assistant that Parson Kerr had was a Mr. Charles Harris, who remained until Mr. Joseph Caldwell had been engaged by the Trustees. Mr. Harris shortly after Mr. Caldwell's arrival left the College and commenced the practice of the law.

Mattie and Alfred Moore, sons of Judge A. Moore, of Brunswick county, N. C., and Richard Eagles, a connection of the Messrs. Moore, were the students that entered College next to me, and at about the same time John Taylor, son of the then steward, and who was and perhaps is now, Clerk of the Court of the county of Orange, entered. Next to him were the sons of Col. Burton, of Granville county, viz.: Hutchins Burton, Frank and Robt. Burton; also at the same time, William M. Sneed, son of Stephen Sneed, of Williamsborough, Granville.

President Battle goes on to say: After graduating in 1798, Mr. James led a useful and honorable life. In 1807, 1808 and 1809 he was a member of the House of Commons from the county of New Hanover, ex-Judge and ex-Governor Samuel Ashe being his colleague in the Senate. When Hamilton Fulton was brought from England at a salary of \$5,000 a year as chief engineer for making navigable our water courses, James was his first assistant on the Cape Fear. In the spring of 1879 I visited Wilmington. I was taken by that estimable gentleman, Henry Nutt, to see the stone wall built across New inlet in order to force all the waters of the river through the main channel. At various points along the river Mr. Nutt showed me the engineering work of Hinton James, executed sixty years ago, conferring blessings on the commerce of Wilmington to this day.

There are many descendants of our first student in North Carolina and elsewhere. There is one of them, bearing the honored name of his grandfather, residing in New York. Since I came here as President I received a letter from another. The University was closed when he was of College age. He had entangled himself in matrimony. Several children were tugging at his coat tail. His College days are over. But with brave spirit he is improving himself at home and he asked me to direct his studies. Never did I write a letter with greater pleasure and satisfaction than in complying with so reasonable a request from a grandson of the first student of the University.

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The receipts of cotton at this port to-day foot up 542 bales.

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The cold wave has reached us, without having to wait until Friday morning to get here.

The storm signals were ordered down for this port, Charleston and Morehead City this forenoon.

There was a gale of wind blowing at about 3 o'clock this morning, but it abated in force towards sunrise.

The days begin to lengthen and the cold begins to strengthen is an old saying, and is a true one so far as this weather is concerned.

The market was well supplied with wood this morning, but on account of the threatened cold wave the price was well sustained.

Ask those who have tried and they will tell you that the Boy Clipper Plow is the best made. Sold only at Jacobi's, who is the factory agent.

The ground was frozen quite hard this morning, and the streets, which were muddy yesterday, were rough and uncomfortable for travelling this forenoon.

30 dozen all wool flannel shirts, in all shades and colors, for men and boys, from 75 cents and upwards, at the Wilmington Shirt Factory, No 37 Market street, J. Elsbach, Prop.

The new stores where the Purcell House formerly was are both occupied, Mr. I. Shrier having moved into the Northern store this morning.

Workmen are busily employed in putting up the iron of Fourth street bridge and that thoroughfare will probably soon be completed and ready for the travelling public. When this is done, the temporary wooden structure will be removed.

The meetings of the Salvation Army are still continued, but there seems to be some falling off in the numbers who attend and in the enthusiasm which at one time marked their services. Their labors here have resulted in good and we feel that there is a large field in which profitable work may yet be carried on by this army.

Wedding Bells.

There was a pleasant gathering at St. Paul's Lutheran Church at 8 o'clock last evening to witness the impressive ceremony which united Mr. William Niestle, of the firm of Miller & Niestle, of this city. The floral decorations were beautifully arranged under the direction of Mrs. H. Rehder, and Miss Annie Chasten rendered some elegant selections upon the organ. The presents were numerous, elegant, some of them costly and all of them useful.

American Legion of Honor.

The eighth annual meeting of the Clarendon Council No. 67, A. L. of H. was held at their council chamber last night.

An election of officers to serve the ensuing year was held with the following result: Joseph D. Smith, commander; C. P. Mebane, past commander; A. D. Wessell, vice-commander; W. E. Worth, orator; J. C. Morrison, secretary; J. I. Maeks, treasurer; J. Weil, collector; I. L. Greenwald, guide; Robert Morrison, chaplain, and W. M. Hankins, sentry. Trustees, O. Fennell, Jr., R. E. Heide and A. Shrier.

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City Court.

There was the usual number of cases for the Mayor's consideration this morning which were disposed of in the following order:

Josephine McKoy, colored, assault and battery, in brutally beating a little orphan colored boy. The boy's bruises bore testimony to her guilt, and she was required to pay a fine of \$25.

David Hawkins, colored, assault and battery with a deadly weapon. Bound over to the next term of the Criminal Court in a justified bond of \$50.

Ella Martin, colored, and a miserable picture of degradation, charged with larceny, was bound over to the next term of the Criminal Court in the sum of \$100.

Literary.

The Magazine of American History opens its nineteenth volume with a wonderful number. "Thurlock Weed's Home in New York City," is illustrated with exterior and interior views, and a portrait of Mr. Weed is the frontispiece to the number. The second contribution "Canada: Reciprocity or Commercial Union," is calculated to attract wide attention; "Samuel Carpenter, the elder, 1649-1714," by Wharton Dickinson; touches upon an early period of Pennsylvania history; "General Andrew Jackson's Account of the Battle of Horseshoe, in 1814," is a contribution from General Marcus J. Wright; "The Discovery of Yucatan" is by Alice D. Le Plongeon; "The Historical Sketch of Christ Church, New York City," is by Wm. J. Davies. Then follows "The Fundamental Principles of Our Government," by Franklin A. Beecher; "March 25, New Year's Day," by Wm. S. Bogart; Prof. Rivers' Reply to Prof. Hubbard; "The Northwestern Country in 1797;" "Ladies' High Hats" in 1831, and a tribute to the late Hon. J. Carson Brevoort, and one also to the late Mrs. John Jacob Astor, in "Historic and Social Jottings." Price \$5 a year. 743 Broadway, New York City.

Indications.

For North Carolina, fair weather, fresh to brisk, and on the coast brisk to high northerly winds, diminishing in force to night and colder.

There was a slight advance in the price of cotton in the New York market to-day.

Messrs. Cronly & Morris will offer for sale at public auction to-morrow some very desirable city property. See ad. in this issue.

The schools of the city resume their sessions on Monday next, and the pupils will have no other vacation until the term closes.

New Hanover County Criminal Court, Judge O. P. Meares presiding, will convene at the Court House in this city next Monday morning.

There has been quite an advance in the price of spirits turpentine in our market in the last few days. The receipts to-day were taken at 35 cents per-gallon.

Ger. barque Marie-Helen, Draheim, cleared to-day for Liverpool with 2,808 barrels rosin, valued at \$3,303, shipped by Messrs. Paterson, Downing & Co.

Work on Grace M. E. Church is progressing favorably, but there remains much to be done and the building will not be fully completed for some time yet.

Prof. Lincoln and family will give a concert at Luther Memorial building on the night of January 3d, for the benefit of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday School. We hope the concert may be well patronized, as we are sure that the music will be good and the object is laudable.

Grateful Words.

Rev. A. M. Conway, of the First Baptist Church, colored, desires to thank those who so generously contributed to the dinner for the colored widows and orphans at the City Hall on Tuesday afternoon. More than 200 of the colored widows and orphans were fed bountifully upon that occasion.

To-Night.

The Little Tyeoon will probably draw out a large audience at the Opera House this evening, should do so, at all events, as it is one of the most delightful entertainments ever presented in this city, far as we have been advised, the only attraction offered for to-night and therefore the greater the interest that will attach to the occasion. There is only home talent in the cast, but this is very effective and we have no doubt that this second rendition will be as pleasing in every way as was the first.

Personal.

Mr. Alex. T. London, of Montgomery, Ala., is in the city on a visit to his father.

Mr. Henry A. London, of Chatham county, is here on a short visit. He is the guest of Mr. John H. Currie.

Mr. George M. Rountree and family, of Kinston, are spending the holidays in this city, the guest of Mrs. Rountree's father, Hon. George Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Laughery, who have been in the city during the Christmas holidays, the guests of Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, returned to their home at Manning, S. C., on this morning's train.

Hon. Chas. M. Stedman and Collector C. H. Robinson leave the city to-night for Washington, to have an interview with the Secretary of the Treasury respecting the reduction of officials at our custom house.

Rev. Mr. Creasy, the newly appointed pastor of Grace M. E. Church, will arrive here on to-night's train from the North. He will be received at Front street depot by a committee of the stewards of the church over whose destinies he will preside during the present Conference year.

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