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## Sale Opens Friday, October 18th, 9. A. M. SHARP!

### HARD-HITTING OUTFIELDERS OF BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

Left to right, at top, Speaker, cf.; Snodgrass, cf.; and Red Murray, rf. Speaker is of Boston and the last two of the Giants. Below, left to right, Duffy Lewis, lf., Boston; Hooper, rf., Boston, and Devore, Giants, left fielder.



### Official Figures on Fifth Game of World Series.

Total attendance	34,683
Total receipts	\$ 63,201
National Commission's 10 per cent	6,320.10
Each club's share	28,440.45
Total attendance of first five games	171,087
Total receipts of first five games	\$ 336,583
Total attendance of first five last year	159,384
Total receipts of first five last year	\$ 305,055.50
Players' share this year	\$147,72.28

(Under the rules the players participate in the proceeds of the first four games only.)

### Two of a Kind.

Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, while driving his coach from London to Brighton one beautiful June morning, talked to a compatriot about the New York horse show, says The New York Tribune.

"I remember a country fair at Newcastle," he said, "where the judges' decisions were not as uniformly unchallenged as they are at our horse show. Once an old farmer, hearing a decision uncomplimentary to his favorite cow, rushed into the ring, waving his arms furiously, and attacked the judges. 'Why ain't my cow first? Why ain't my cow first?' he shouted. 'What are her faults, I'd like to know.' 'One of the judges, approaching the abusive contestant, answered dryly: 'Her faults, my man, are somewhat akin to your own. She lacks good breeding.'"

A Tender Point.—"What got you into trouble with this policeman?" demanded the New York judge. "Just trying to ask him a civil question, your honor," said the visitor, "nothing more." "What was the question?" "I just asked him when the next official murder would be dragged off."

### UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ELECT NEW OFFICERS

At the banquet and jollification meeting of the alumni of the University of North Carolina at the Masonic banquet hall in the Piedmont building Saturday night the Mecklenburg Alumni Association elected officers for the new year, the following named being elected: President, Brent S. Drane; vice president, Charles W. Tillett, Jr., secretary, Paul Whitlock.

The banquet was a most enjoyable occasion. Retiring President, John A. Parker acted as toastmaster. Mr. Paul C. Whitlock was called upon to tell of the accomplishments of University men in Charlotte and Mecklenburg County and he proceeded to give the names, profession, etc., of a list of 201 of the best known men and best citizens of the city and county, including 45 lawyers and 15 physicians.

Mr. Robert S. Hutchison had a word to say of the newly-established alumni bulletin, declaring that the effectiveness of such a publication had been often demonstrated and prophesying great things for the University through its instrumentality. Short talks were also made by other enthusiastic alumni, including Messrs. Brent S. Drane, W. F. Harding, J. E. Little, H. N. Pharr and Dr. Other B. Ross.

Overheard in the Boxes.—"What was the story of the opera?" "What I heard ran about like this: In the first act I learned that Mrs. Wallaby-Wombat, the society leader, is about to sue her husband for divorce. In the second act, I learned that Miss Lotta Plunka smuggled in that famous pearl necklace; and in the third, I heard that Mr. Gerald Piggle is rapidly drinking himself to death."

### BOY'S NIGHT SCHOOL HAS TO ADD ITS THIRD TEACHER

On account of the large number of boys who have enrolled for the boys' night school at the Young Men's Christian Association since the opening night two weeks ago, the management has found it necessary to add a third teacher to the teaching staff.

The management is very fortunate in being able to secure Mr. W. Barnham Davis of the faculty of the Charlotte high school as the additional teacher. Mr. Davis is well equipped for the work he is to assume, as he is a college graduate, and held the positions of tutor at the University of North Carolina and instructor in mathematics at Davidson College before taking up his work in the local high school.

Mr. Davis will assume his new duties on Wednesday night, and all boys planning to enter the school should do so at once, as they will find it to their advantage to begin at this time, and that is the last night on which they may enroll and be eligible to compete for all the prizes offered. The enrollment in the school at the present time is nearly 70 and it is expected to go much higher in the next few days, and with the addition of a third teacher the association is in a position to take care of all who may wish to attend the school.

### MAY ORGANIZE UNITARIAN CONGREGATION IN CHARLOTTE

The Rev. Joseph M. Seaton, representing the American Unitarian Association of Boston, Mass., is in the city, looking to the organization of a Unitarian Church in Charlotte, if a sufficient number of people can be interested.

The Unitarian Church is what is known as the liberal church in America. It is a part of the Puritan or Congregational Church of the North. It is free in its theology, believing that character and not dogma or creed constitute religion's expression. It is intellectually free. It believes in the Bible, in science, in philosophy, but allows each man's reason to be its own interpreter of these things.

Mr. Seaton declares that he does not come to Charlotte to condemn any of the other faiths. He believes that they each have had a mighty power, to uplift and better the souls of men; he simply wishes to present his own faith, believing that it is a larger faith than the orthodox, because it gives freedom, not only to the spirit, but to the spirit and the mind. It gives every man the liberty to find for himself the truth that shall make him free.

### Court as to whether or not he will have to go back to Italy and stand trial. If the court decides that he should not be extradited, it seems there will be no other alternative than to set him free.

### POWER TO ACT IS VESTED IN A COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Charlotte Shippers & Manufacturers' Association Saturday for the purpose of discussing plans for the proposed State chamber of commerce and a State traffic bureau, it was the consensus of opinion that there should be two separate organizations and the proposition that the local association by changing its name and constitution and by-laws become a State-wide association was looked upon with favor. The suggestion was made that a State traffic bureau, while operating separately, might still be an adjunct of the State chamber of commerce was also made, the traffic bureau thus having the effective co-operation of a large element of the business interests of the State and additional financial backing.

On account of the uncertainty as to the action of the meeting at Raleigh tomorrow afternoon, when it is proposed that the organization of a State chamber of commerce be perfected, no definite recommendation or course of action was decided upon. Instead, power to act was vested in a committee consisting of Traffic Manager W. S. Creighton of the association, Secretary-Manager J. Leake Carraway of the Greater Charlotte Club and Mr. C. G. Creighton, who is actively interested in both organizations.

The Prophet's Dilemma. (San Francisco Argonaut.) A recent English traveler in Baluchistan had from a holy man in that country a story about Moses which does not appear in the Scriptures, yet which has its pertinence to this matter of politicians proposing to do away with all the evils of the human lot, says The Century Magazine. The patriarch was sitting in his house, very sad, and the Lord said to him: "Prophet Moses, why art thou cast down?" "Alas!" said he, "I see so many people sorrowful. Some are unclothed and some are hungry. I pray. They make all happy and contented." The Lord promised it should be so. But soon Moses was again disconsolate, and once more the Lord asked the cause. "Lord," cried the prophet, "the upper story of my house has fallen down, and nobody will come to mend it; they are all too busy enjoying themselves." "But what am I to do?" "Lord, make the people as they were before."

Plunkville News.—Miss Gladys Wombat, who is to be married soon, is farewelling this week.

Innkeeper's Salesman.—"Are those good graphophones?" "The goods speak for themselves." "That's so. Well, wind one up and let's see if it can effect a sale."

### IMPORTANT SUITS WILL BE ARGUED BEFORE SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Twenty-one cases of major importance have been set for argument before the Supreme Court which began its fall term today. Among the important suits to be argued are the international rate case, the cotton corner case, the suit against the alleged bathtub trust, the B. & N. rate case, which involves the power of the Commerce Court, the weight evidence presented and previously passed upon by the Interstate Commerce Commission and the employment case of William R. Breese and Joseph Dickerson of Asheville, N. C.

other inland towns may exceed the rates to the Pacific coast is the proposition.

The bathtub trust case involves the monopolistic power of patent rights. The suit bringing before the court the question of whether a company may control the price of the finished product through controlling the use under license of a patented tool used in making the article.

Several railroad matters of extreme importance will also come before the court. The jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission over transportation property in stock yards, the right to enforce switching privileges for electric lights and the right of railroads to limit their liability will come up before the court.

The latter case is of peculiar interest, because some States declare null and void bills of lading seeking to limit the liability of a common carrier, while in other States there are express constitutional provisions against a limitation of this kind.

Another case that will come before the Supreme Court and which will be followed with keen interest, not only because of the diplomatic questions involved, but for its many dramatic elements is that of Porter Charlton, the young New York bank clerk, who murdered his wife in Italy in 1910, and threw her body, which he had placed in a trunk, into Lake Como.

Young Charlton has been living in jail in New Jersey for two years, awaiting the verdict of the Supreme

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