

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

Have you had the measles?

Miss Emma Harward spent last Sunday in the village.

Mr. J. M. Stevenson '98 was in Raleigh on Saturday last.

It is reported that "W. C." won't room with "Fraud" any longer. Ask him why.

The many friends of Mr. Tom Wilson will be pleased to hear of his rapid convalescence.

Mr. Faber will make fifty pictures for every Senior. Would it not be well to adopt a Class Album?

Prof. T.R. Foust was welcomed on the Hill last Saturday. He returned to his work at Graham on Monday.

Miss Lucy Battle who has been visiting at Dr. Battles's returned to her home in Raleigh last Saturday.

Dr. Whitehead reports a good business. Measles prevails, but we are glad to hear of no serious sickness.

Mr. W. A. Mitchell sued Mr. Set Dockery for libel last Saturday night in moot court. He sued for \$500 but the judgment was overruled.

The Baptist Church has extended a call to Rev. H. G. Ferguson of Waynesville, Va. He is said to be a very able man and it is hoped that he will accept.

During the recent freeze, a large number of the students and town people enjoyed skating on the ponds near the village.

Mr. Percy McMullan ex-'97 is now at Randolph Macon College and rapidly nearing the head of his class, we understand.

Dr. Venable of the chemistry department, has been elected President of the local section of the American Chemical Society. It meets semi-annually in Raleigh.

Mr. Merritt of the Drug Store thinks the University should teach arithmetic. Then perhaps delinquents would know the difference between 30 and 60 or 90 days.

Miss Clyde Mason and her visiting friend, Miss Lilian Kestler, spent last Sunday at University Station. They visited Mr. Hal Hogan's family at Duke's Estate.

Mr. Wm. Sugg's brother John was killed in Alabama recently by a negro. Mr. Sugg was an officer and the negro resided arrest. Lynch law made short work with the negro.

Detectives are trying to discover the rogues who stole two turkeys from Mrs. Winston, on the eve of Washington's Birthday. The authorities say the rogues wore Co-op-shoes.

Mrs. Laycock who has been sick for some time with Grippe, died last Sunday at her home near Mergitt's school house. She was a kind woman and verily highly esteemed by all who knew her.

Mr. J. O. Carr has been elected speaker of Moot Congress. Lively interest is being manifested, and they have discussed so far, the Currency question, the Jury System, and the Monroe Doctrine.

We have heard many complimentary comments on Prof. Alderman's paper read last week at Jacksonville Fla. before the Educational Conference. "The University and its relation to the State" was his subject.

Mr. Frank Mahan of Charlotte was on the Hill last Sunday, and made a host of new friendships. He preached in the Baptist Church in the morning, and addressed the young men in the afternoon in the Chapel. His latter theme was "Personal Purity."

We are sorry to learn that John Stanley Thomas has resigned his position of captain of the Track team.

His successor was elected by the Advisory Committee and is R. H. Wright, '97. the selection is a good one and we wish Capt. Wright much success with his team.

The corps of hydraulic engineers under Mr. Henry E. Knox Jr. of Charlotte, have been on the Hill several days prospecting for an artesian well. About a hundred borings have been made but with no success on account of rock. Verily Chapel Hill is "founded on a rock."

Mr. J. H. Faber, the photographer, has come to do the work of the University. His reputation as an artist needs no proof after last years experience. His studio is at Kluttz's Hotel, call early. But be sure that you do not treat him as some did last year—order and never call for the work.

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