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While we have continually before us our revenge on next Thanksgiving day do not let us forget that down in old Georgia we have an old score to wipe out. Georgia 22, Carolina 16, is the way it now stands. But it must be changed.

Manager Klutz is trying to arrange games with Davidson College and Clemson. We had a good game last year with Clemson. They have a stronger team this season and we would like to try their strength. We can also feel a little of Georgia's strength as they play Clemson. Let's have these two games, the student body is interested in them.

We publish in another column an article, "A serious situation." We hope that all editors of any college publication will read it and take notice. Private talks with the editors has done no good. Will not this public appeal urge them to their duty?

We recognize the fact that the center of our athletic life lies in our foot ball and base ball teams. But this is no reason why other phases of athletics should be neglected. Why have we no tennis teams, or golf teams? There is interest enough in these and other sports, but why have we no organized efforts to develop these games. We have an *Athletic Advisory Committee* who work with untiring zeal and energy in behalf of the base ball and foot ball teams. But we think that if this committee would also pay some attention to these other sports there would be more effort on the part of the students to develop them. We respectfully call their attention to this and request them to consider whether or not any thing can be done for these games.

There has been much enthusiasm aroused among the students over the '98 foot ball team. We have a good coach, good material, a good schedule and every thing that points to a winning team.

Hoop 'em up fellows!

Let us keep before our minds from now till Thanksgiving Day these four things which are essential to the success of our foot ball team:
1st. Determination to win.
2nd. Thorough-going team work.
3rd. Dogged persistence.
4th. Self-sacrifice and unselfish devotion to the team's success.

We saw in '95 what the first can do, when on the field in Richmond North Carolina's superior team full of confidence, was defeated by Virginia's team full of determination. We saw in our last year's team what the other three essentials can do. With a team light and bruised from playing heavier teams all the year, they went to Richmond and by their thorough going team work, their dogged persistence, never giving up, and their noble self sacrifice, they held down their heavier and stronger opponents to two goals while for the greater part of the game the ball was in Virginia's territory.

So let us start out at the first of this season with these four qualities ever before us and victory will come.

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew Convention at Baltimore.

A trip to Baltimore, to one who is accustomed to travelling and who has seen our larger cities, may seem like a very ordinary thing; but to one who has travelled but little and has seen few towns larger than Chapel Hill, it is a veritable treat. The trip up the Bay, especially on a clear moonlight night, is charming beyond description. In Baltimore, too, a city of over half a million population, one finds something new and interesting at almost every turn.

The occasion of my visit to Baltimore was to attend the National Brotherhood of St. Andrew Convention, which met there last week. Words of mine cannot begin to describe that meeting of earnest Christian men, as I saw it and felt it. I can only say it was great. There were 1250 delegates in attendance, representing almost every state in the union and several foreign missionary fields. Many of them were bishops, and some of the ablest men in the America church.

The programme was an excellent one, and every address was full of plain practical truth. One of them especially that would have interested every reader of the *TAR HEEL*, was delivered by the Rev. Endicott Peabody, head master of the Groton School (near Boston) on "The Brotherhood Men of the Future." He laid special emphasis on the importance of athletics in the better development and training of Christian character in boys. The first element in a boy's life, he said, is self control, and athletics, particularly football, is good for that. It necessitates perfect control of the mind and the temper as well as the body, and brings out some of the finest qualities of manhood. It brings about a certain simplicity in life, that is helpful. The athlete must leave off luxury, and live simply and eat simply. He must leave off injurious practices and cultivate hardship and endurance. He must learn obedience—must obey or get off the team. Furthermore, he said, it supplied an element of good conversation. Conquest and victory is a healthy, elevating and inspiring topic of conversation, not only for the athletes themselves, but also for everybody interested in athletic contests.

Rev. Thomas E. Winecoff, formerly rector of the Episcopal church here, also delivered a very able address on the same subject. Both these addresses made a deep im-

pression on the convention, and they were complimented on every side.

The time between the sessions of the convention I spent sight-seeing. One evening I attended service at the Jewish Synagogue, and saw, to my surprise, the men sitting in church with their hats on, and reading as unconcerned as if they had been in a hotel lobby. It was also my pleasure to hear Cardinal Gibbons at the Roman Catholic Cathedral. The service there was as strange as it was at the Jewish Synagogue, but on the opposite extreme. Many other places, such as Johns Hopkins University, and Johns Hopkins Hospital were of unusual interest to me, but time will not permit me to mention them here.

One of the pleasantest features of my trip was a visit to Western Maryland College, a few miles out from Baltimore. I cannot pay too high a tribute to this institution, for I was deeply impressed with the courtesy and hospitality of both faculty and students; the purity of its athletics; and the high moral tone of the whole student body. Nearly every one of its 300 students is an active member either of the Y. M. C. A., or the Y. W. C. A., although membership in these associations is entirely voluntary. This ought to be an object lesson to us, and serve as a stimulus to urge us to higher and better work in the Y. M. C. A. here.

It will doubtless be interesting to the members of our Senior Classes especially, to know that their English teacher, Prof. Wills, is now a member of the faculty at W. M. C., and is sustaining his reputation both as a scholar and a teacher.

After one day's stay in Washington city, I directed my steps toward old U. N. C., which I reached without any special incident.

Now comes the tug of war. "Special" examinations and numerous hours of weary work on back lessons stare me in the face, but all that is a small matter when contrasted with the vast amount of pleasures afforded me by my eight days' absence. W. E. C.

A Serious Situation.

From the editor-in-chief of every student publication in the University comes complaint of the failure of the editors to do their part of the work. It is the cry of the Editor-in-chief of the Magazine, of the college annual, and of the college weekly. And it is not an idle complaint. The Editors-in-chief find it an *extremely unpleasant* duty to keep urging the editors to do their duty. The men on these editorial staffs know that when they accept their positions, they accept a responsibility. Do not think that you were elected an editor in order to honor the publication. 'Tis not so. You flatter yourself. You are elected to *work* and if you haven't the time to do the work, then *get out*, and let somebody take your place who will do it. And it is not only a question of doing the work but also doing it *in time*. It is no use writing an article for the *TAR HEEL* or *MAGAZINE* after the type is set up or handing in an article when it is too late to get it in. You might as well not have written it.

The Editor-in-Chief of the *MAGAZINE* says that up to date he has received *one* article from his staff. Think of it editors. *One article* and

a month has passed and it is time for the first issue of the *MAGAZINE*. Do you think that one article will make up the issue? Do you not know that when you fail to do your part you are guilty of shirking *duty*? There are others in college who would like to hold your position and do the work. You have no right to keep them out if you are not going to do it. Besides the work that falls to the Editors-in-chief, you force them to the unpleasant and disagreeable duty to be always complaining.

This is serious. The success of these publications is in your hands not those of the Editors-in chief, and you alone are responsible if they fall below the standard. Now reflect upon this and resolve in the future to do your duty and *do it in time*.

"Smunk" McKee is coaching the A. & M. foot ball team. "Smunk's" team will play us Saturday and we'll have a chance to see what sort of stuff "Smunk" has got.

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