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With this issue THE TAR HEEL enters upon its eight year, and a new board of editors assume the duties and responsibilities incident upon its publication. The task is undertaken not without hesitation and reluctance, but also with the firm purpose of doing everything in our power to place and keep the TAR HEEL in the front rank of college newspapers. But the editors cannot unaided accomplish this, we beg the assistance of the University and especially do we need "the hearty co-operation of the student body."

As the official organ of The General Athletic Association the athletic interests must necessarily command the foremost place, but the TAR HEEL wishes to be the pet representative of all the many sided life of the University and to serve all its best interests.

Communications of pertinence and interest to the student body will be gladly received, though the editors reserve the right to reject any communication.

Suggestions as to improvement in manner or matter will also receive due consideration, for the TAR HEEL belongs to you, not to the editors who really have it in trust for your benefit. And as it is your property it should receive your hearty support; the editors promise to do all in their power to deserve it.

A copy of this issue is sent to every student in college and to all old subscribers as a hint that our subscription books are now open; and we trust that everyone who receives a copy and can possibly do so will subscribe. This is a substantial manner of evincing your interest and support. If you have a friend interested in the University who would care to keep posted as to its life, give his name to one of the editors and a copy will be sent. And if you will make it convenient to pay in advance, the business management will greatly appreciate it. Expenses begin with the first issue and they cannot be put off with promises to pay.

Never before, so early in the year, has greater enthusiasm for the foot ball team and interest in its work and welfare been more strongly manifested. Nor have prospects

for a successful season ever been brighter. Many members of last year's never-defeated team have reported to Capt. Shull. Billy Reynolds—than whom there is no better anywhere—is coaching, and the new material is certainly the most promising lot in years. All these can be depended upon to do their part and the college at large must not fail to help them.

Doubtless all the old men appreciate the vital necessity of "getting behind the team" and "pushing it along" by every means in their power. Many of the new men however do not yet appreciate the importance of this undivided support. We would say to these that without this undivided, enthusiastic, whole-souled support, complete success is almost impossible.

Nor must this support be confined to mere enthusiastic cheering; it must take a more substantial form, when necessary go down into our pockets. The expenses this year are extraordinarily heavy and the management cannot look forward to a Richmond game to help out of financial difficulties. We must contribute and contribute liberally so that there may be no handicap for lack of funds, and the team is certainly worth every cent that we can spend on it.

In another column appears the schedule of foot ball games for this season and for the arrangement of such a satisfactory schedule great credit is due Manager Jones. True, the familiar name of Virginia is missed from its accustomed place, but in Georgia we shall encounter worthy foemen. Another trip too has been arranged, giving us games with Princeton, University of Maryland and the Naval Academy. One game with Maryland is to be played on the Hill, giving to stay-at-homes an opportunity of seeing the Varsity meet an antagonist in every way worthy. Additional interest centers in the games with Maryland from the fact that Rogers, Capt., '98, Joe Whitaker, Tom Green and possibly other familiar names appear on the lists of our opponents.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

First Meeting Last Thursday—Mr. Kemp Lewis Elected President—Other Officers.

The first meeting of the General Athletic Association for the collegiate year, '99-1900, was called for last Thursday afternoon by Dr. Baskerville, as Chairman of the Advisory Committee.

A large number of the students were present, including many of the new boys.

Dr. Baskerville called the meeting to order and stated that any matriculated student of University was a member and had the right to vote.

Mr. Will Reynolds was made Temporary Secretary.

Nominations for President were called and three young men were put up for that position, but after counting the votes of each Mr. Kemp Lewis was declared elected

President and was escorted to the chair amid loud applause.

For the other offices there were several nominations for each and finally the following were elected:

Vice-President—Mr. W. K. Baskerville.

Secretary and Treasurer—Mr. H. Busbee.

The President then called for nominations for the post-graduate and under-graduate representatives on the Advisory Committee.

In each position only one man was put up and they were unanimously elected. As the post-graduate member, Mr. Francis Osborne was elected and Mr. Graham Woodard as the under-graduate.

Seven editors to compose the TAR HEEL board were then nominated and elected. They were Messrs. Dorman Thompson, Frank Bryan, Whitehead Klutz, A. J. Barwick, D. P. Parker, C. G. Rose and Benj. Bell.

Dr. Baskerville stated that he thought it would be advisable to elect a man to be known as Chief Cheerer and for him to have power to appoint assistants. The cheerers are to have entire control of the rooting at games of football and base-ball, and this motion was the result of a suggestion made by Dr. Alderman.

For Chief-Cheerer Mr. Frank Bryan was elected and he will choose his assistants before the first game of foot-ball.

Class Championship.

A championship banner will be given by Mr. W. A. Reynolds to the class winning in a series of games to be arranged between the classes. The design is to be as follows:

"CLASS CHAMPIONSHIP IN FOOTBALL SEASON OF 1899."

Won by —

R. E. — R. H. G.
R. T. —
R. O. — Q. B. — F. B.
L. G. —
L. T. — L. H. B.
L. E. —

Substitutes.

The banner, after it has been won, is to hang in the Trophy case in the Library. This is one of many signs of the deep and sincere interest that Mr. Reynolds has shown in our athletics since he has been with us as coach and for which every student in the University tends to him his heartfelt thanks.

Each class should now get together, elect a captain and manager and get their team out as soon as possible.

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Meeting of the Editors.

The editors of THE TAR HEEL met on Thursday, Friday to organize and assign work. Mr. W. Bryan, of Goldsboro, was elected Editor-in-Chief, and Mr. A. J. Barwick, of Grifton, Business Manager. The other editors were assigned as follows: Athletic Editor, C. G. Rose; Managing Editor, D. P. Parker; Exchange Editor, Dorman Thompson; Local Editors, Whitehead Klutz and Benjamin

Law Class Leaves.

The outgoing law class, 28 in all, left Saturday morning for Raleigh to stand for license Monday. In the class was Senator M. Butler, who is one of its bragging members. Mr. Z. V. Turlington, a member of the class, was called home to his home on Friday. Mr. Turlington is to go to the University Tuesday from Raleigh, and will spend another year on the Hill.

Athletic Advisory Committee.

At a meeting of the Advisory Committee held Saturday, Mr. J. Carr, of Durham, was reappointed manager of the base-ball team. Mr. Carr served the athletic interests of the University most acceptably as Manager of last year's team, and his reappointment is evidence of the wisdom of the Committee. Mr. Marvin Carr, of Durham, was appointed Assistant Manager of the foot-ball team.

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