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MASS MEETING.

Awarding of Sweaters—Watch Presented to Captain Stewart.

A mass meeting was held in the Chapel Monday night to award sweaters to the men who had won them this year and also for the college to show its appreciation to Captain Stewart for what he has done here in athletics. After a few fitting remarks by Major Cain to the team Mr. H. M. R. Jones presented Mr. Stewart with a gold watch in behalf of the student body.

Mr. Jones said: "I was glad to see the way the student body received this team when it came back from Richmond. It showed a spirit here that we have been wanting for some time. But to-night we want to show to the man who has done more for athletics here than any other man since he has been on the team our appreciation of what he has done for this team as its captain. And so the student body wishes to present this watch to Captain Stewart." In reply Mr. Stewart spoke of how much he appreciated the gift of the watch. He said: "This watch might be bought for money. But the appreciation shown in this gift cannot be measured in money. Every man by his conduct tries to win the praise of his fellowman. If this watch is a token of your praise to me as captain of your team, I am the happiest man in the world to-night. If it is my privilege to be back next year I will do my best to make the very best manager of the football team that I am able, as the Advisory Committee has seen fit to elect me to that position. I do not say that I will treat the team better than any other manager, or that I will get a better schedule of games than any other manager, but I do say that if I come back, I will do all in my power as manager for the team and that is all any man can do. Again I thank you with all of my heart for this watch."

Next Mr. C. M. Carr read out the names of the men who were entitled to wear N. C. sweaters. They were Messrs. Webber, Story, Seagle, Maness, Barry, Bear and Carpenter. Mr. Carr also stated that the Advisory Committee had decided to start a new custom this year in awarding the sweaters: that starting with this year the Advisory Committee would hereafter not only give to the men who played on the Varsity the privilege of wearing the monogram sweater but would present each man with his sweater. This is a new depart-

ure and from the applause that it received from the students was a very favorable one with them.

About Luck in the Game. A Few Figures.

Last week *College Topics* printed the following article under the heading, "Hard Luck Story, They Declare":

"The Carolina students had the most enthusiastic meeting Saturday in Gerrard Hall that has been held here in many years, to welcome the slightly defeated team and learn the name of the captain for 1905," says the *Times-Despatch*. It was such a magnificent welcome that a triumphal aggregation would have envied it. Though the White and Blue slightly failed to remain for another year the champions of the South by only one point, the whole student body backs them with a spirit which is indeed lovely. That the victory for Virginia was a hard luck story for Carolina is well known. The failure of Carolina to kick the first goal lost the game.

"It was the first goal Barry had missed this fall. In the game Carolina advanced the leather 323 yards by end runs and line plunging, while Virginia carried it only 276 yards. On kicking Carolina booted the ball 504 yards, Virginia 255 yards. Many speeches were made to-night, notably by Coach Brown and Messrs. Stewart, Carpenter, Webber and Barry. Professor J. W. Gore spoke for the faculty.

Captain Stewart announced that the team had unanimously elected C. Hunter Carpenter, Carolina's all-Southern right halfback, as captain of the 1905 football team. This announcement liberated a pandemonium of applause that lasted fully ten minutes. Captain Carpenter made an interesting speech concerning the bright prospects for 1905. The University is more than satisfied at his election.

"The figures given above are entirely incorrect. A careful calculation compiled from several different accounts of the game gives the following figures: By rushing the ball from line-up Virginia covered 236 yards, Carolina 155; in running back kicks Virginia made 98 yards, while the Tar Heels made in this way only 61. Carolina was penalized 40 yards, Virginia 20. Exclusive of several tries for goal, the Tar Heels kicked 388 yards, in 8 attempts, having a strong wind at their back 60 out of the 70 seconds of play. Virginia kicked 409 yards in 11 tries almost all being against the wind.

"The story of the game is told in

the following table: Carolina, with the wind and grade made a touchdown in 34 minutes and 20 seconds; Virginia made the next touchdown, having the wind and grade with her, in 5 minutes; Carolina with the wind and grade, made the next touchdown in 25 minutes and 20 seconds; Virginia, with the wind and grade, made the last touchdown in 2 minutes and 40 seconds.

"One of Carolina's scores was the direct result of a fumble, the other an error in judgment. Both of Virginia's came after carrying the ball the entire length of the field, without losing it at all, by straight football. The second time, not once was a third down required. It is hard to see how the Tar Heels figure a hard luck story from this. Undoubtedly Webber's slapping the ball over the bar was lucky, but it only served to place the victory where it belonged."

There is evidently a mistake somewhere; in fact several of them. We have made a careful calculation and summary of the game from figures we have perfect confidence in. *College Topics* and the correspondent of the *Times-Despatch* have no doubt an equal confidence in theirs. Here is the result of our calculation:

	CAROLINA	VIRGINIA
Rushes	197	183
Kicks	482	396
Kicks returned	94	102
Thrown for losses	10	11

The TAR HEEL did not publish these figures or the account of the mass meeting in which the opinions of the student body were so clearly expressed. We did not care to lay ourselves open to the accusation of trying to make the world believe we had entirely outplayed the Virginians. We do not believe that our team was the only team in Richmond on Thanksgiving and we do not care for anybody else to believe that it was incomparably superior to Virginia's. Virginia earned every point she won except the decisive one. Carolina earned everything she got. Luck is in the game and must be reckoned with. When a team wins a game by honorable playing and good luck, she is entitled to be hailed as the victor. Virginia has done this and Carolina calls her victor. But the figures stand and Carolina is proud of them.

Dr. Hume will deliver his semi-annual address before the Oxford Shakespeare Club next Saturday evening. His subject will be "Common Sense in Comedy".

THE YACKETY YACK.

Mr. J. V. Howard to be Editor-in-Chief—Important Changes in the Financial Plans.

The societies and fraternities have renewed the Yackety Yack stipulations for this year and have made some important amendments. The experience of four years has shown that the prices charged for the book and for space in it have been too small to make the publication a financial success. On this account it was decided to raise the price of the book to \$2.00 and of cuts to \$12.50; the charge for printed matter was proportionately increased. It is expected that this will enable the board of editors to make the Yackety Yack a financial success and to get out a better one than has been published heretofore. The stipulations are not to go into effect until two hundred subscriptions, with a cash payment of \$1.50 on each, have been made.

There is bright prospect for a good Yackety Yack. Mr. J. V. Howard, who has been elected Editor-in-Chief, has had editorial experience on both the TAR HEEL and Magazine boards. Some of the assistants are also men of experience and ability. With proper support from the student body they will produce a book which will do credit to the University. The following are the assistant editors:

Phi.—Messrs. J. K. Wilson, J. W. Winborne and J. S. Kerr.

Di.—Messrs. F. M. Crawford, R. H. McLean, L. Brigman and K. B. Nixon.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Mr. Stahle Linn.

Zeta Psi—Mr. W. S. O'B. Robinson, Jr.

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Alpha Tau Omega—Mr. W. H. Hill.

Phi Delta Theta—Mr. Fred. Stem.

Sigma Nu—Mr. J. M. Armstrong.

Beta Theta Pi—Mr. G. M. Pritchard.

Pi Kappa Alpha—Mr. A. J. Moore.

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