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We have been struck, at times, by a curious lack of balance in the way we go at things and in selecting the things which we do goat, acontrasted with other universities When the football season arrivethere is scarcely an institution anywhere more keenly interested in the sport. When the intermittent sleet, snow and rain of a North Carolina winter disappear finally and the ball tossers are here, there and everywhere, we know only the all-absorbing game of baseball. The forensically inclined in the proper season take quite an animated interest in debate. In fact, there are few institutions which excel us in the attention paid to this branch of our training.

But take these three: football, baseball and debate and you have the things and all the things in which the University in a large way is interested. Basket ball? We made a feverish and fitful attempt to get up a basket ball team last year and the year before but apparently it has gone glimmering this year. Tennis? We have a tennis association which has sent out a number of tennis teams, but how many would feel great enough concern to attend an intercollegiate meet held upon our own grounds? Track work? We have put out a team every year for several successsive years, but have never aroused interest enough to put out a winning team. Orchestra and glee clubs? Quite a deal of interest is being taken and there are excellent prospects for a creditable aggregation, yet when have they ever played or sung to a packed house on the Hill? And at our sister institution, the University of Virginia, the first night of practice brought out double the number of candidates that turned out here.

affairs to our own satisfaction. We have merely observed the defect and direct attention to it.

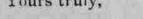
How about a baseball game for Monday afternoon of Commencenent week? If the Varsity could seep in pretty good practice during xaminations a game might' be sesured with some neighboring college team. Georgetown, it will be recalled, played Virginia at Charottesville on a similar occasion last summer as late as June 15. Such a game would be a tremendous Irawing card.

If this proves impracticable, however, there remain various other ways to get up a game. The facilty (who had a red hot team at ast accounts) might play the stulents or the students might play the alumni or two teams could be picked from out the Varsity and he scrubs for a match game. Something should be done to fill up that boresome vacant day.

A system which separates the ditorial and business departments s sometimes productive of some slight confusion, but here is a case where an oversight on the part of omeone was productive of a piece of satiric literature too good to be passed unnoticed. We do not believe the author will object to our reproducing it here. It comes from a sparkling contemporary in Washington, D. C.

"Editor of THE TAR HEEL, Sir:

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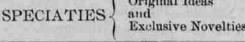
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It with regret that we chronicle the resignation of Mr. J. K. Wilson as editor-in-chief of our contemporary, the Magazine, for he has made of it a distinct success. But to his able successor,] Mr. Sloan, THE TAR HEEL extends its compliments, with its best wishes. T. W. Oak

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We could continue the enumeration indefinitely, but the examples given are sufficient to illustrate our point that we are, in some respects.

The News and Observer sugs a one-sided aggregation of folks. It is not thus at other places. We gests that the young men who inpublished last week a list of the vent the wild and woolly names for championships in college sports. the college annuals would be valua-Many of the games on this list were ble assistants to Miss Pullman in calculated to cause the average naming the Pullman cars. They Carolinian to scratch his head dis- could deliver the goods all right. consolately if he were asked their but it would take a bigger job than nature. We confess we have not that to keep them busy. It would analysed the cause of this state of be the merest pastime.

An editorial in a recent issue of the Magazine dropped a tear for the passing of the old and simple regime of University life, substituted now by a complex life split up into manifold divisions. A glance at the Bulletin for this week illustrates this point. Not all the skill and careful foresight of the datemakers could prevent conflicts between the various attractions. But such is life at a great University and we who have been ambitious to have this a great one should have no kick coming if our wish is granted.

Lo! the voice of the debater in the society halls. The season is upon us. Come forth, therefore, ye theorizers on governmental functions, ye expounders of the law of relativity, the law of progress, the law of growth, the law of harmony, -the law of Boyle, the law of Gresham, the law of diminishing returns-come forth and show the spirit that is in you.



