

**PERSONALS**

Mr. Alf Berkley, '00, and Mr. T. E. Brown, ex '05, spent a few days in town last week.

Mrs. F. P. Venable, who has been ill for some time, is now much improved.

Mr. T. N. Pittman, ex '07, visited the Hill last week. Mr. Pittman has held a position with the Illinois Central R. R. in Chicago since leaving college.

□Mr. H. L. Fry, ex '06, returned to the Hill last week for a brief visit. Mr. Fry is now one of the assistant engineers of the Southern Railway, with headquarters at Charlotte.

Mr. John Wood, '06, who is in business with his father at Edenton, N. C., could not resist the temptation to return to the Hill this fall. Mr. R. E. Clader, also of '06, was here at the same time.

Mr. W. J. Gordon, '03, now of the Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, Mass., and Mr. C. A. Shore, '01, of the Johns Hopkins medical department, paid the Hill a brief visit lately.

Mr. V. L. Stephenson, '06 editor-in-chief of the TAR HEEL, is now on the editorial staff of the Charlotte Observer and is doing some good work in his new position. Mr. C. P. Russell, another ex-editor-in-chief of the TAR HEEL, is at present one of the assistant editors of the Sunday New York Press.

**Elisha Mitchell Scientific Society.**

On Monday afternoon of last week the Elisha Mitchell Scientific Society met in the Chemistry lecture room and elected officers for the coming year. Dr. C. H. Herty was chosen president. Dr. W. C. Coker vice-president, Dr. F. P. Venable, corresponding secretary, and Dr. A. S. Wheeler, recording secretary. Drs. W. C. Coker and Archibald Henderson and Prof. J. E. Latta were appointed on the editing committee of the journal of the society.

The Elisha Mitchell Scientific Society is probably the oldest organization of its kind in the South. Its journal, which is published quarterly as a record of the scientific work done by the students and faculty of the University, is in constant demand by the leading educational institutions in the United States and abroad, being on the exchange list of practically all of the great German universities. The society received its name in honor of Dr. Elisha Mitchell, for a number of years Professor of Geology at the University, who lost his life while engaged in scientific research in the mountains of western North Carolina.

**More Initiates.**

On Saturday night last the Phi Chi medical fraternity initiated the following men: Glenn Woolen, C. O. Griffin, J. B. Nichols, C. P. Adams, and H. T. Clarke. Monday night the Sigma Nus added one man, Mr. Beuford Williams, to their number, as did the A. T. O.'s who initiated Mr. Elden Bayley. Tuesday night the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity took in Mr. Paul Dunn.

**THE YEAR'S AMUSEMENTS.**

**Star Course Program Arranged—Dr. Lyman Abbot to Be Here—Alton Packard to Return.**

The committee having in charge the selection of the Star Course entertainment to be given during the coming year have completed the preliminary schedule of the attractions that they have secured. No exact dates have been settled upon as yet. The schedule will be printed as soon as it is decided upon. The opening attraction for this fall is the Schubert Quartette, which will appear here some time in October. Among the prominent persons to come later are Leland Powers, Dr. Lyman Abbott, Dr. Thos. E. Greene and Alton Packard.

Dr. Lyman Abbott will reach the University on some date in November, and the student body will be pleased to learn that he intends remaining in Chapel Hill over Sunday in order to deliver a sermon in Gerrard Hall.

Another welcome number on the program is Alton Packard, the humorist and lightning caricaturist who visited the Hill four years ago. The members of the student body who were so fortunate as to witness his first performance here will look forward to Mr. Packard's return with pleasure.

It is probable that one or more attractions may be added later to the list here given. The program this year is a highly creditable one to the committee, and promises to be much superior to the one of last year.

**LOCAL NOTES**

—The Chapel Hill Boarding Club, which was operated last year at the Cannady school building, is now located at the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Berry.

—There will be a continuous report of the Davidson-Corolina football game Saturday afternoon at 3:15 in the chapel. The admission fee will be twenty-five cents. All students should attend.

—Rev. J. R. Moose, recently returned from Korea after seven years of missionary service, lectured at the Methodist church last Sunday, morning and evening. Mr. Moose was at one time supply pastor of the church here.

—Chapel Hill now boasts two automobiles, both owned by students. It might be well to call the attention of said owners to article 14, city ordinances of Chapel Hill, which forbids any "bubble" to circulate faster within the city limits than "Po Peg's" horse can trot.

—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Hyde Pratt entertained at a porch party Saturday night at their home "Chemauwa," on Durham Road, in honor of Mrs. Howe and Miss Howe, of Princeton, N. J., Mrs. Gillard, of Columbia, S. C., and Miss Caro Gray, of Raleigh.

—Room No. 27, north entrance Old West, which has for several years been used as the office of the University Magazine, is being refitted. In the future it will be the office of the college physician. The Magazine has moved to its new

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—On Friday evening last the pupils of the Chapel Hill High School served refreshments on the lawn before the old Berry house. The function was held under the auspices of Prof. N. R. Claytor. The proceeds will be expended in the equipment of the class rooms of the school building.

**At the Library.**

During the summer the work of recataloguing the library was continued by Messrs. B. E. Washburn and H. H. Hughes under the supervision of the librarian, Dr. L. R. Wilson. For several years this work of recataloguing according to the Dewey system has been pushed forward. This summer some two thousand volumes were recatalogued, embracing the divisions of Mathematics, Theology and Philosophy. The assistant librarians for 1906-7 have been elected. They are: Messrs. W. H. M. Pittman, E. E. Connor, J. W. Hester, E. M. Highsmith and S. B. Stroup.

Our librarian, Dr. L. R. Wilson, attended the meeting of the American Library Association at Narragansett Pier, R. I. this summer. The association accepted the invitation of the state delegation, of which Dr. Wilson was a member, to meet next year at Ashville N. C.

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