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in "Oliver Twist"

Wednesday—Thursday
Wallace Reid in "Thirty Days"

From The Tar Heel of This Date Twenty-Five Years Ago

DR. HUME'S LECTURE The Messianic Ideal

On last Thursday afternoon Dr. Hume lectured in Gerrard hall to a large and appreciative audience. His subject was "The Messianic Ideal."

Starting with the origin of the name Messiah he showed the process by which it gathered into itself the expanding ideals of Kingship and associated them with the Son of Man who is the Son of God.

In this Messiah with his peculiar servants and Kingdom, we come to the true leader and the ideal commonwealth.

A MEDAL TO THE BEST BATTER

The following letter explains itself:

Winston, N. C., Feb. 25, 1898.
Mr. R. H. Lewis, Mgr.,
U. N. C. Baseball Team,
Chapel Hill, N. C.

Dear Sir:

I wish to offer a gold medal for the best batter of the U. N. C. team made in all college games this season. This medal will be placed at T. W. Grimes' drug store at Winston, N. C. You can get the same by writing the above concern at the close of the season.

In giving the medal I wish to say "The Kid," my brother, will not be included in the contest.

With very best wishes for the success of your team and defeat of Virginia, I am,
Your unknown friend,
G. W. LAWSON.

DRAMATIC CLUB PREPARING A NEW PLAY

"A Modern Ananias"
The University Dramatic Club is hard at work once more in preparing a new play for the Easter trip, and a commencement performance.

The cast of characters has been about decided on. The places have been filled upon the result of competition, several new men having applied for positions. Several plays have been under consideration, but the club has finally decided on "A Modern Ananias."

The management contemplates playing in Winston, Greensboro, Reidsville and Danville; perhaps Salisbury will be included.

The following to date compose the club: R. S. Busbee, W. G. Cox, G. B. Pond, R. M. Rawls, P. S. Cotton, G. L. Myers, G. D. Vick, S. May and R. E. Follin. Messrs. Cox, Rawls, and Myers will appear in the feminine impersonation.

"Darling," gently kissed the maiden—
Red as roses grew her face—
"If you never loved another,
How then learned you to embrace?"

Joyous, he pressed her to him,
Whispering in her ear in haste,
"Football trainer, while at college,
Makes us tackle round the waist."

"May I print a kiss on your cheek?"
She nodded sweet permission;
So we went to press, and I rather guess
I printed a large edition.

ALUMNI AT NATIONAL CAPITAL HOLD BANQUET

Washington Association Hears Dr. W. C. Coker—Dr. Wade Atkinson Speaks.

In Washington, D. C., on February 26, a meeting of the Washington alumni association was held at the Garden Tea House. Dan Grant, General Alumni Secretary, was present at this meeting, and so was Dr. W. C. Coker, University professor of botany. Professor Coker was the principal speaker of the occasion.

The object of the meeting was to discuss plans for raising money for the "beautification" of the Carolina campus. Dr. Coker has been for some time interested and active for the improvement of the campus, a large part of the work of the campus committee being done under his supervision. The Alumni Association in Washington has a membership of about 180 members.

Following the talk of Dr. Coker, Dr. Wade H. Atkinson, president of the Washington association, made a talk in which he declared that education consists of more than a study of text-books. He said he has found that environment controlled to a very large extent the mental and moral attitude of individuals, and he concluded by urging that the Washington alumni consider it a

personal privilege to contribute to the physical beauty of their alma mater.

There were about 60 alumni and a number of ladies present at the Washington meeting. Mangum Weeks, secretary for the association, read letters from persons unable to attend expressing their desire to help in the cause.

The money that the Washington alumni have set out to raise has been characterized by Professor Coker as "a worth-while sum," a minimum of \$1,000 being the aim, with \$2,000 hoped for.

WAKE FOREST STARTS A KAPPA PSI CHAPTER

Recently the Kappa Psi medical fraternity installed the Gamma Pi chapter at Wake Forest College. This is the first chapter of a national professional fraternity to be established at this institution since the board of trustees lifted the ban on such organizations last spring.

Kappa Psi was established at the Medical College of Virginia in the fall of 1879, and is the oldest and one of the largest medical fraternities in America. Dr. J. D. Reeder, Professor of proctology at the University of Maryland, and grand regent of the Kappa Psi fraternity, installed the Gamma Pi chapter with a charter enrollment of ten members. Visitors from the Beta Xi chapter at the University of North Carolina and other points were present at the installation. Gamma Pi makes the 85th active chapter of Kappa Psi, and the second collegiate chapter in this

TRINITY STUDENTS WILL GIVE PAGEANT HERE TO OPEN MISSION MOVEMENT

Churches and Y. M. C. A. Co-operating to Make Allegorical Pageant a Success.

NO ADMISSION CHARGED

A pageant by students of Trinity College will be given in Memorial hall Saturday night as the opening feature of the mission education movement that will be put on Saturday, Sunday and Monday by the Y. M. C. A. There will be no admission charge. The pageant was well received when it was given at Trinity. It is allegorical in nature, and is said to be both very attractive and to present a powerful and gripping message.

All of the churches in Chapel Hill are co-operating with the Y. M. C. A. in the mission movement. Some of the Sunday schools will give missionary programs, and missionary sermons will be preached in the churches.

Sunday night W. W. Brockman will give an address in Memorial hall at 7:30. He is a brother of Fletcher Brockman, one of the biggest missionaries in China, and is himself a missionary to China. He will speak again Monday morning in chapel.

Another big feature will be the "Trip Around the World" Sunday afternoon in Memorial hall. Each church will have a booth with curios, costumes and posters, representing one mission field. The hall will be open and the mission displays on exhibition all afternoon, and all students and town people are invited to take the trip.

The mission movement is being put on by a committee of representatives from the Y. M. C. A. and all the various churches and women's missionary societies in town. Mrs. G. H. Paulsen is the chairman of the general committee.

TRACK TEAM NOW GOING THROUGH STIFF TRAINING FOR INDOOR TRACK MEET

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bles, quarter mile, half mile, mile, shot-put, standing broad jump and running high jump.

Carolina's Representatives

Carolina's representatives will probably be as follows: 50 yard dash—Sindler, Moore, Doyle, Bonner, Teague, Woodard and Whitaker; 50 yard hurdles—Yarborough, Woodard, McGlannon, Wells; 440—Milstead, Whitaker, Jones, Lawrence; 880—Coxe, Milstead, Lawrence, Jones; mile—Ransom, D., Scarborough, Wells; shot-put—Abernetty, Melver, Corbett, Poindexter, Fordham, Mathews; standing broad—Abernetty, Yarborough, Hawkins, Ransom, Moore; running high—Woodard, R. L. Ransom, Parker.

Arrangements Completed

Coach Bob stated in an interview today that all arrangements for the meet which is to be held in the Star brick warehouse have been made and that a general improvement in lighting and other features has been made over last year.

Since arrangements have been made to hold the high school part of it in the afternoon, the events will not be so crowded as last year. They attempted at that time to hold both on the same night and the result was a great deal of confusion.

Ten Highs Entered

Ten high schools are already entered for this year. The main ones that will be represented are Greensboro, Selma, Durham, Chapel Hill, Oxford, Goldsboro and Burlington. The main contenders last year were Burlington and Chapel Hill.

CASTS SELECTED FOR 3 PLAYMAKERS PRODUCTIONS

New Folk Plays Will Be Presented on April 13 and 14 at the Play-House.

At the tryouts for parts held Friday and Saturday afternoons in Peabody hall, casts were selected for the three plays recently chosen by the Playmakers for production on April 13 and 14. These plays are "The Berry Pickers," by Russell Potter; "John Lane's Wife," by M. C. Gorham, and "Mamma," by Ernest Thompson.

Rehearsals for these plays have begun under the supervision of Professor F. H. Koch. An assistant director will be in immediate charge of each play. Elizabeth Taylor will direct "Mamma;" Donald MacMillan will have charge of "John Lane's Wife," and George V. Denny will watch over "The Berry Pickers."

The casts for the plays are as follows:
The Berry Pickers
Mary Towl—Elizabeth Taylor; Mrs. Zimmer—Katherine Batts; Jimmy Pat—H. C. Klingenschmitt; The Sheriff—G. G. Dickson.

EXCELLENT PAPERS ON PRIMARY REFORM, HOMES FARM OWNERSHIP READ

North Carolina Club Hears W. Barnette and L. H. Moore at Regular Meeting.

ATTACK CROOKED BALLOT

At the regular meeting of the North Carolina Club Monday night at 206 Phillips Hall papers were read by W. Barnette and L. H. Moore on "The Primary Reforms in North Carolina," and "Home and Farm Ownership."

Barnette's paper dealt with the evils of the present primary system and its reform. The present primary law is unsatisfactory and is much criticized, but not with the idea of returning to the convention system. It is very regrettable that North Carolina is one of the few communities in the world that tolerates a crooked ballot. There are ample opportunities for fraud and vote buying in our primary; there is no secrecy about it. It is easy enough for a candidate, or some of his supporters, to mark a considerable number of ballots and give them to indifferent voters. Republicans can vote in the Democratic primary as well as the Democrats. There is no law to punish offenders in the primary and until this is changed, corruption will continue.

The remedy for the corrupt practices of the primary is the Short Ballot. The principle of the Short Ballot is: first, that only those offices should be elective which are important enough to attract and deserve public examination; and second, that very few offices should be filled at one time, so as to permit adequate public examination of the candidates, and make it possible for individuals to prepare their own ballots without the help of a trained politician.

The greatest evil the Short Ballot would abolish is the blind voting that exists everywhere in North Carolina; very few voters care how they vote except for the most important offices. No state has wholly adopted the Short Ballot, but most of them have shortened their ballot to some extent. To shorten the ballot small offices are either made appointive or are raised in importance so as to arouse interest in them. The leading men of America are in favor of establishing the Short Ballot.

There should also be some provision to insure secret voting, such as the Australian Ballot. To this there should be added some form of Corrupt Practices Act, to combat crooks. The primary should not be held so early in the year, because it makes the last lap of the race too long and involves too much expense. And lately there should be a law fixing a lawful expenditure for the candidates and committees.

If North Carolina is to keep pace with the other states of the Union she must remedy the defects of the present primary system.

Moore's paper dealt with the evils and remedies of tenancy. The tenancy problem is much greater than formerly and has become a real menace. Almost two-thirds of all the farm tenants in the country are in the southern states, and of this number the majority is found in the cotton and tobacco growing sections. Farm tenancy is not only a negro problem but it has become more and more a white man's problem until now there are more white tenants than negro.

Tenantry is detrimental to any state or country. Farms are exploited and robbed of their productiveness, and farm equipment is demolished by tenants. As a result of the continual moving of the tenant the church and school suffers, but the children of the tenants suffer more. Illiteracy and non-church connection go hand in hand with tenancy. The evils growing out of tenancy are: industrial instability, irresponsible citizenship, and poverty. Tenants are ideal subjects for the spreading of Bolshevistic ideas, while home owners are responsible citizens. The negroes are settling and buying farms faster than the whites, and the standards of living are lowered because of the inferior mental qualities of the negro.

These evils must be stopped and the most practical and most easily operated plans for relieving the situation are: state aid to farm ownership; a progressive land tax; an improved system of rural credits; a written contract between landlord and renter; the adoption of a crop lien reading in terms of food and feed crops as well as money crops; and the establishment of co-operative marketing associations—which should be joined by tenants.

John Lane's Wife

Prudence Lane—Katherine Batts; John Lane—George V. Denny; Steve Haran—Lloyd Williams; Mrs. West—Lou Shine; Don—George Henry; Junior—Frederick Koch, Jr.

Mamma

Mrs. Bruxton—Kittie Lee Frazier; Mr. Bruxton—Charlie Gold; Albert—Erskine Duff; Robert—Spencer Murphy; Helene—Sue Bird Thompson.



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E. H. MINER GIVES TALK
ON TELEGRAPH SERVICE
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its cheapness. Besides being used for business purposes, he assured his audience that many young men are utilizing this form of message for delicate love sentiment to greet mildly when she comes down to breakfast in the morning.

In the United States, Southern business men can transact sales in New York in the space of five minutes by the use of the telegraph. Even the smallest of towns can be reached from any point in an hour, and the average is 20 minutes. South America is joined to us by a steel link which separates her only by ten minutes. Even Chile, on the other side of the Andes, has been reached. To get connections with Chile, it was necessary to tunnel the Andes, because the soil on the mountains is constantly shifting. Labrador and other far distant points have also been reached.

Mr. Miner urged the importance of young men learning to use the telegram, learning when to use it and how to secure the quickest, cheapest and best results. A knowledge of the use of the telegraph system is invaluable to any one in business life, he said.

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