

## RARE STATUTES ARE PRESENTED TO LAW LIBRARY

Asheville Lawyer Gives Valuable Books from Vanderbilt Collection to University.

A valuable collection of North Carolina session laws has recently been presented to the law library by Mr. Kingsland Van Winkle of the law firm Harkins, Van Winkle, and Walton of Asheville. In presenting them, Mr. Van Winkle, a graduate of the law school of '01, says, "The gift is made in appreciation for what the University did for me when I was a poor student there."

### Bought by Vanderbilt

This rare set of statutes covers the whole period from 1818 to 1866 except for a few volumes. The gift was accompanied by a letter from the donor which tells how the set was assembled. It seems that the volumes were originally bought for George W. Vanderbilt, when he first came to the state in the late 1800's, by his representative in Raleigh who picked them up volume by volume, here and there, whenever and where he could locate them—mostly from the justices of the peace who practiced in the state then.

This collecting was done over a period of years as it was difficult to locate these early state publications so long out of print. Vanderbilt secured them for the use of his lawyer who by means of the early property statutes and land grant contained in the public and private laws of the state established the millionaire's titles to the vast tracts of land which he bought not only in Buncombe County where Biltmore is situated but also in Haywood, Henderson, and Transylvania Counties.

### From Private Library

Later Mr. Van Winkle became  
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## N.C.C.W. TO STAGE FIRST SOUTHERN CHOIR FESTIVAL

Church choirs from all sections of the state will gather at North Carolina college May 22 in the first church-choir festival ever staged in the South. The arrangement for the gathering is being made by Dr. Wade R. Brown, dean of the school of music at N. C. C. W.

It is expected that from twenty-five churches will send their choirs to the fest which is to begin at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. At 4:00 o'clock all choirs will combine in a rehearsal conducted by Dr. Brown. Singing of hymns rehearsed in the afternoon, and the presentation of anthems by several Greensboro choirs under the leadership of their choir master will feature the evening's program which will begin at 8:00 o'clock. The program will be climaxed with the rendition of "Hallelujah Chorus," from Handel's "Messiah," by the North Carolina college chorus and orchestra.

### Catawba College Honors Graham

A degree of doctor of civil laws will be conferred by Catawba college on President-elect Frank P. Graham at the Catawba commencement May 27 at which Mr. Graham will deliver the principal address. This announcement was made Saturday by Catawba officials.

## Groves Tells of New Problem in Marriage

Dr. E. R. Groves of the sociology department yesterday morning addressed freshmen chapel on, "Getting Ready for Marriage." In his talk Dr. Groves brought out the fact that there is trouble in one third of all marriages, and that one out of every seven ends up in the divorce courts.

As a result of this great number of marriage failures, lectures and courses are being given throughout the country by churches, seminaries, and universities.

Dr. Groves also stated that this present generation looks at marriage in a different light than did its parents.

Rev. C. E. Rozzelle of the Methodist church started the services with a prayer.

## PROHIBITION WILL BE INVESTIGATED BY NEW COUNCIL

Ten College Professors Will Judge Theses on Eighteenth Amendment.

An intensive and extensive survey by scholars of "the vexed question of what is really happening in the United States as a result of prohibition," was announced yesterday by Prohibition Director Amos W. W. Woodcock.

He named an "advisory research council" of ten university professors—one of them a woman—in the social sciences, which will work out plans for investigations and these by graduate students all over the country "to ascertain the truth regarding the operation of the Eighteenth Amendment in the field of political science."

Only graduate students, working for master's or doctor's degrees, will conduct the surveys, and the Bureau of Prohibition hopes to publish the outstanding results.

"How has the operation of the Eighteenth Amendment affected child delinquency?" and "How has it affected juvenile drinking?" are two subjects for field investigation, Woodcock said.

The council will serve without pay, the ten professors having volunteered their services, and will handle the research work "along purely scientific lines," he added in his formal announcement.

The members of the new council follow:

Richard Clarke Cabot, A.B., M. D., professor of social ethics, chairman, social ethics department, Harvard university, Cambridge.

Samuel McCune Lindsay, Ph. D., L. L. B., professor of social legislation, Columbia university, New York City.

William Seal Carpenter, A. M., Ph. D., professor of politics, Princeton university.

Roderick Duncan McKinsey, Ph. D., chairman, department of sociology, University of Michigan.

Charles W. Pipkin, Ph. D., professor of comparative government, dean of the graduate school, Louisiana State university.

Charles Emerson Gehlke, Ph. D., professor of sociology, Western Reserve university, Cleveland.

Walter E. Miles, Ph. D., professor of experimental psychology, Stanford university, California.

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## UNIVERSITY MEN READ PAPERS AT SCIENCE MEETING

Academy at Raleigh Covers Field of Interest in Science by Researches in All Lines.

Many papers were read at the meeting of the North Carolina Academy of Sciences which took place in Raleigh at State College last week. Miss Elizabeth N. Stephens and Professor A. S. Wheeler of the University of North Carolina presented a paper on, "The Chemical Composition of Ipomoea Pandurata" sometimes called the "old men of the earth." These are very woody sweet potatoes related to the morning glory family and are known to have attained the weight of twenty pounds. In the past the ipomoea pandurata were used as a medicine.

Dr. Collier Cobb of the geology department read a paper on the life of Nicholas Marcellus Hentz, professor of German at the University from 1826 to 1830. Besides teaching, Hentz was very interested in spiders. Dr. Cobb showed some drawings and contributions by Hentz at that early date to natural history.

### Paper on Science Teaching

Dr. F. H. Edmister of the chemistry department discussed some recent trends in science teaching. He traced the history of the formal lecture system of teaching from pre-medieval times until today. Dr. Edmister commented on the undesirability and over-emphasis of this method.

The physics section of the University was represented by Dr. Otto Stuhlman, Dr. Fussler, Henry zurBurg, a graduate student, and C. J. Craven, a senior. Dr. Stuhlman and Craven presented a paper, read by Craven, called, "The Motion of Bursting Bubbles Rising through Li-

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## SOCIETIES WILL MEET TOGETHER

Tonight, at 7:15 o'clock, the Di and Phi societies will meet in their annual joint session at the Phi assembly hall. Speaker Egbert Haywood of the Phi assembly will preside over the meeting.

The plan of meeting jointly dates back to the founding of the two societies; and because of the friendly relations between the two, such meetings have been continued. At the last joint session President Frank Graham was the guest of the two bodies. He related many traditions of the development and progress of the two institutions in producing leaders in the state and nation.

Representative John Lang at the last joint meeting introduced a resolution opposing any reduction in the University budget, and the two assemblies jointly favored his proposal.

Speaker Haywood of the Phi assembly and President K. C. Ramsay of the Di senate have arranged a program for this meeting consisting of two bills which were agreed upon by the leaders of the two assemblies.

The bills which will be discussed at the joint session are:

1. Resolved: That the Human Relations Institute is detrimental because it creates dissatisfaction by bringing in radicals.
2. Resolved: That the proposed consolidation of counties in North Carolina would be advantageous to the state.

## GUSTAV PLESSOW WILL LECTURE ON LIFE IN GERMANY

Visiting Professor from Tubingen Will Deliver Last of Series of Lectures Tonight.

Dr. Gustav Plessow, visiting professor at the University, will give his final lecture tonight in Gerrard hall at 7:30. His subject is "German Life Since the War." There have been three lectures preceding the one tonight: "Principal Forms of Style in Middle English Literature," and "German University Life," given before the Graduate club; "A New Theory Concerning Middle English Dialect," given before the Philological club, a group of faculty members and advanced students of the language departments.

### Studies at Berlin

Educated at the University of Berlin, Dr. Plessow received his Ph. D. in English there. Immediately afterwards, he entered the army and, during the World War, was wounded several times, twice seriously. At the close of the war he had gained the rank of major. His fortune having been lost during the war, he set about remaking it, and soon he was manager in a large paint firm in Germany. It was at this time that Dr. Plessow finished his very excellent book on paint chemicals.

Being extremely interested in the English language, he again began his hobby of lecturing in the department of English at Bonn university. In a few years he was transferred to the University of Tubingen. At this time, having met A. C. Howell and Paul Green, both of the University faculty, in England, he became interested in Chapel Hill and obtained a year's absence from Tubingen in order to study American literature, government, religion, and the general

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## NAZARENO PLANS ORIENTAL GARDEN

Alfredo Nazareno, a Philippine student, is constructing a garden after the style in his native country in the yard of Mrs. A. A. Klutz. Nazareno, in contemplation of leaving Chapel Hill within the next two years, conceived the idea of doing something constructive to leave in remembrance of the happy days spent here. He advanced the idea to Mrs. Klutz, and she readily granted permission for the carrying out of the project.

An oddly curving lake, two feet in depth, winds through the garden in snaky fashion. It will be cemented and made the home of fish, ornamental and practical. An arched bridge will cross the pool, and from the north bank runs a peninsula, supplemented on the east by an island. A mound of stones four feet high is to ornament the west end of the lake, adding the final touch of Oriental design, and forming another curious curvature in the pool. Myriads of flowers will be scattered about, and evergreens will prevent bareness in winter. The garden is about thirty feet long, but appears much larger because of the numerous oddities that are crowded into its boundaries.

### Infirmiry List

Those confined to the infirmiry yesterday were Frank Dunn, Joseph T. Wilson, Jr., Robert H. Carmichael, Thomas W. Teer, and W. H. Davis.

## Last Chance to Buy Senior Week Regalia

For the convenience of those persons who were unable to place their orders for beer suits Saturday, Randolph-McDonald have made special arrangements whereby those seniors may order their suits before 3:30, today. Thus far 100 orders have been taken. Of these orders for the senior regalia two orders were made by co-eds. The suits are priced at \$2.85.

Pat Patterson, president of the class, urges that as many members of the class as possible order the regalia so that the senior week program may be a success. All persons attired in the beer suits will receive free drinks at Pritchard-Lloyd's drug store during the entire week beginning May 18, and these persons will be admitted to the Carolina theatre free of charge.

## HIBBARD OFFERS EXTENSIVE PLANS FOR LIBERALISM

Former Carolina Dean Makes Rapid Progress in Obtaining Educational Reform.

The cause of college liberalism is being rapidly spread throughout the colleges and universities in the United States, especially on the campus of Northwestern university, Illinois. There Dean Addison Hibbard of the college of liberal arts, in which capacity he served the University of North Carolina until last year, is making progress in carrying out those reforms in the current stereotyped college education which he attempted to introduce here.

### Proposed Reforms

The main principle embodied in a recent report at Northwestern by a committee selected to study the proposed reforms is the right for upperclassmen to select some field of work for intensive study, compulsory attendance of classes being eliminated, instead of the traditional routine of majors and minors. Students are to be given competent advice by advisors appointed especially for this office.

Other recommendations include the adoption of a three grade system: passing, failure, and honor; this measure would reduce the present exaggeration of the importance of grades. The committee also declared itself in favor of extending the privilege of optional cuts so that at least one third of the student body could enjoy unlimited cuts from classes.

### Hibbard and Liberalism

Here on the campus Dean Hibbard and liberalism were always associated in the students' minds. His loss to the University was also a loss to this cause, as was clearly demonstrated by the recent faculty agitation for compulsory attendance and the considerable restriction of cuts, creating resentment among the students and campus publications.

The liberalistic movement in colleges and universities of the United States, of which Dean Hibbard is one of the main promulgators, is not new to the world but is merely to introduce to America the systems of the major English and European institutions of the higher rank. It is a rebellion against the arbitrary and cut-and-dried curricula now employed, submerging the

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## TRUSTEES SELECT COMMITTEE FOR NEW MEMORIAL

Group Chosen from Students, Faculty, and Alumni to Decide On Use of Building.

The permanent committee in charge of the erection of Graham Memorial, appointed by the trustees of the University, Saturday, called in several prominent student leaders for suggestions for the allotment of space in the new building. As a result of this discussion it was decided that a board of directors, who would have charge of the administration of the building, should be appointed. This board of directors will be permanently composed of the president of the student union, the editor of the Daily Tar Heel, three students elected from the campus at large, two faculty members appointed by President Graham, or elected by the faculty and two alumni.

### Dungan Chairman

The organization committee which is to make a report to the permanent committee of which Dr. W. M. Dey is head and Dr. L. R. Wilson, secretary, is made up of the following persons: Jack Dungan, chairman; Red Greene, Ray Farris, Mr. R. B. House, Dean F. F. Bradshaw, and Messrs C. T. Tillett, of Charlotte, and J. S. Hill, of Durham.

The sub committee on space and program of the building is made up of: Mayne Albright, chairman, Jack Dungan, Ed Hamer, C. T. Woollen, L. R. Wilson, Maryon Saunders, Kemp Lewis.

On Thursday, May 14, the Student Activities Committee will have its annual meeting in the Carolina Inn. At this meeting further discussion concerning the utilization of the memorial building will take place.

## GABRIELLE MCCOLL NEW CO-ED LEADER

Miss Gabrielle McColl of Bennettsville, South Carolina, was unanimously elected president of the Woman's Association at a meeting in Spencer hall recently.

Other newly elected officers are: Miss Margaret Powell of Biltmore, who won over Miss Orville Culpepper of Greenville, Georgia, as vice-president; Miss Betty Jones of Augusta, Georgia, won a majority over Miss Edith Webb of Oxford as secretary. The position of treasurer will be filled by Miss Rebecca Daniel of Clearwater, Florida, who was elected over Miss Florence Yancey of Marion. For house president of Spencer hall Miss Kathleen Fennell of Quinton, Virginia, was victorious over her opponent, Miss Marion Tatum of Raleigh. Miss Martha DeLaney, Charlotte, was unopposed for the presidency of the women's athletic association.

### Lang on Radio

John A. Lang, president of the North Carolina Student Federation, will deliver an address over WPTF Wednesday afternoon between 3:30 and 3:45 at which time he will give the history of the Federation and the announcement of the national convention to take place at Duke university, Saturday, May 16.

### Taylor III

Professor Malcolm D. Taylor was operated on Monday morning for appendicitis at Watts hospital, Durham.