

vision, United Confederate Veterans
 Durham, N. C., July 16, 1912.
 General Orders No. 48.

Paragraph 1. The annual reunion of the North Carolina Division of the United Confederate Veterans will be held at Winston-Salem on the 7th and 8th of August, 1912, those dates having been designated by our hosts for their convenience, and a cordial invitation is extended by them to all the Confederate veterans in this State to attend. All who were so fortunate as to be present at the reunion held four years ago in the twin city will no doubt be pleased to enjoy that pleasure again. Reduced rates on the railroads have been applied for, as heretofore at our previous reunions, and the exact fare can be learned from any station by inquiring of the local agent.

Paragraph 2. According to the rules of the organization no camp can have a vote or voice in the business meetings that is in arrears for its annual dues, and therefore every camp that may be in arrears should at once pay its dues to Gen. W. E. Mickle, 824 Common street, New Orleans, La. Dues for division headquarters (only five cents per capita) should be paid to the Adjutant General of this division.

By order of Major-General
 J. S. CARR,
 Adjutant-General
 and Chief of Staff.

CONFEDERATE REUNION
 Winston-Salem, August 7-8
 The citizens of Winston-Salem, with characteristic civic pride and with unbounded admiration for the men who wore the gray, are making extensive and elaborate preparations for the annual meeting of the North Carolina division of the United Confederate Veterans on the 7th and 8th of August. It is a well-known fact that the people of Winston-Salem never do things in a half-way style. Whatever is undertaken is well done or not done at all, and in the preparations that are being made to care for and entertain the two thousand and more old soldiers that are expected to attend this reunion, everything possible is being done to make our ever welcome visitors comfortable and happy.

It will be remembered that Winston-Salem entertained the Veterans four years ago, and the boys went home delighted with their reception and entertainment. The invitation to again visit Winston-Salem was extended in that spirit of loyalty to the veterans which has ever characterized the people, and now that the invitation has been accepted and marching orders have been issued, the boys of '61 will be received with open arms and glad hearts by men, women and children.

Committees are at work preparing comfortable sleeping quarters, as well as places where good things to eat and drink may be found in abundance. There will be something doing all the time. Addresses by distinguished Confederate Veterans will be a feature of the convention. The program will be interesting from start to finish.

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This is no formal invitation which Winston-Salem extends to the heroes of a fast fading line. It is a hearty and sincere expression of the love and admiration we have for brave men who knew no fear in the day that tried men's souls. We consider ourselves fortunate and honored in having you among us. We want to know you and shake your hand, and we want our children and our children's children to know what manner of men have made the Southland the grandest place in this glorious country of ours. Don't deprive us of the pleasure of being at your service once more.

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tees of the College has just had a very important session respecting the new gymnasium, the contemplated changes and additions to the West Dormitory, and the perfection of arrangements for the club-house for men and the Girl's Hall for young women. Every member of the Board was present and careful consideration was given each detail. The new gymnasium will begin shortly and be ready in the fall. The West Dormitory gymnasium and other changes therein will be ready by the opening. Excellent arrangements for the club and Girl's Hall have been made.

Dr. J. O. Atkinson, of the chair of Economics, is busily engaged, during the vacation season, in the endeavor to establish a publishing house here. He already has more than one-fourth the stock subscribed for the purpose and will shortly have the building started. The plant will publish the *Elon College Weekly* the college bulletins, and furnish employment to a great many students who are ambitious to earn their way through college. Dr. Atkinson has recently been in Virginia pushing his enterprise with great success.

The Graded School Board have decided to erect an eight-room two-story brick building here to have it ready by October the first. The building will cost six thousand dollars and will be a credit to the district.

The College has just issued a unique publication. It has the old title of the Vacation Number of the College Bulletin, but it is beautifully bound in purple and stamped on the cover with old gold, these being the colors of the class of 1912 to which organization it is dedicated. The bulletin contains a fac-simile reproduction of a letter by Mr. Karl Lehmann of Boston written after a visit here, in which he states that of all the colleges he has ever visited the spirit of Elon appealed to him as being the most genuine Christian. There is also a cut of Mr. Lehmann following his letter.

A prefatory remark explains that it is the purpose to portray, rather than to describe, the spirit that animates the College, and states to that end the opening address of the College year which is always given by the President on the 1st Sunday in September and his baccalaureate which is always delivered to the senior class on the first Sunday in June are printed in full so that the reader may see for himself the very sort of spirit that is inculcated and idealized. In addition to these addresses an address of the beauty of expression delivered to the student body on April 20th is given, the subject being Christian Education and the address being by Dr. W. W. Staley, Suffolk, Va., who was for eleven years President of the College. Any one desiring may have a copy of this bulletin free upon application until the edition is exhausted.

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