



EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Dean Few Makes Interesting Statement of Views About Organization.

LIST OF COLLEGES WITH THEIR RATING

Association Has Done Some Good Work—North Carolina Badly in Need of Genuine System of Education.

Dean W. P. Few, who has lately returned from the meeting of the Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools of the Southern States, makes the following interesting statement of his views as to the achievement and future of the association:

The Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools of the Southern States, which held its annual session in Birmingham, November 7 and 8, exists for the promotion of better educational standards and ideals. There is still in Southern education too much individualism, even too much pursuit of selfish ends rather than consecrated and co-operative effort in a great cause. Hence the woefully disorganized state of Southern education which cries aloud for reform.

In this movement towards better things the Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools has done good service; but it has not thus far been able to accomplish all that it might have accomplished. To overthrow evils that are grounded and rooted in institutions and civilizations always demands a fight; and I feel that this Association has not thrown itself into the fight for educational reform with sufficient energy and courage. This is not to say, however, that there has not been conscientious effort to better our conditions; and especially Chancellor Kirkland, of Vanderbilt, who has been the secretary from the beginning, deserves all praise for what he has tried to do. And too, some good has been accomplished. The majority of the colleges belonging to the association now maintain respectable standards for admission and graduation. To show this I append a list of these colleges and the association's rating of the admission requirements enforced by these several colleges. The ratings are given in terms of units now everywhere in use. These are in each case the minimum requirements for admission to a degree course.

Vanderbilt University, 14.
University of North Carolina, 12.
University of the South, 15.
University of Mississippi, 7.5.
Washington and Lee University, 11.

Trinity College, 14.
University of Tennessee, 10.
University of Alabama, 10.
College of Charleston, 10.
West Virginia University, 15.
University of Missouri, 15.
University of Texas, 13.4.
Randolph-Macon Woman's College. (Continued on second page.)

DR. CRANFORD SPEAKS.

He Addressed Y. M. C. A. Meeting Last Wednesday Night—Things That Disturb Minds of Striving Christians.

Last Wednesday evening Dr. W. I. Cranford addressed the Y. M. C. A. and he carried the association one of the best messages that it has received this year. He talked about things that disturb and worry the minds of striving Christians, and his talk was gladly received by all present.

He began by saying that he had something to talk about but did not know what to term it; but that if he could express it well enough that it would do all present a great deal of good to reflect upon the matter. He said that it was the conscious need of a certain guidance. A great many have felt some little hesitancy, some ground for feeling uncertain. It is when developed what we call doubt. A man tries, or thinks he is trying, or wishes that he could try to do something worth while.

This striving for this ever receding goal may be called an ideal. Every one has ideals, but he cannot reach them. When you reach a goal you are not satisfied, and you find that it is not that for which you have been striving, and it is not with satisfaction that we obtain that for which we have been longing. Many thoughtful men have been discouraged by this very thing. Experience shows anyone who has honestly tried to do something, has accomplished a great deal; and people soon say that "he builded better than he knew." Therefore, there is ample light of which you are not conscious of that guides you along the way of life.

This guiding principal is found active in all history, and is the real force that makes history, and there could be no genuine history without it. In the life of every individual, in every community, there is a guiding thing, an all-seeing eye, there is something at work that shapes the destiny of things that the man in his work is not conscious of, and he must have gone far along the road before he discovers this.

If you are trying to do the work at hand, be assured that the results will be more than you realize. Do not allow yourself to feel that you have failed if you have put your very best efforts into what you were trying to do. If this did not hold true at all times there would be ground for discouragement. If you will think over this matter carefully you will see that there is something guiding the affairs of those that are trying to do God's will that does not make mistakes.

Michigan University expects enrollment of 5000 this year. If these expectations are realized, Michigan will be second only to Harvard in point of size among the colleges and universities of America.

INTERNATIONAL Y. M. C. A.

Will Hold Thirty Sixth Convention at Washington City.

WILL MAKE COMPREHENSIVE PLANS.

Trinity Has Been Asked to Send Two Men—Large Number of Nation's Most Prominent Men Will Address the Convention.

The thirty sixth international Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association, of North America, will be held in Washington City from November 22 to 26, 1907. This convention will meet to review the progress of Young Men's Christian Association work in all its departments, city, railroad, student, industrial and foreign. It will be the intention of the meeting to make comprehensive plans for the future conduct of the work, and to decide important questions relating to the principles and the policy of the united work of the Association of the North American continent. Also members of the International Committee will be elected and their instructions will be given.

A number of countries outside of North America will be represented at this important gathering. Great Britain, France, Russia, China, Japan, India, Australia and the Philippines will have representatives in attendance.

Special arrangements have also been made with reference to the music. Mr. John J. Virgo, of Sydney, Australia, will lead the convention singing, and will be assisted by a trained choir of male voices. It is also stated that the association quartette will be present and participate in the singing.

During the days of the convention a series of evangelistic meetings for men will be held in various parts of the city, such as the United States Navy Yard, Marine barracks, hotel lobbies, parks, shops, churches, etc.

On one of the afternoons during the convention, delegates will be received by President Roosevelt, at the White House. Plans have also been made for an excursion to some of the places of interest around Washington.

The convention will be self-entertaining. However, special rates have been secured, and board and room can be had from one dollar and upward per day in boarding houses; or two dollars per day and upward in hotels.

Trinity has been asked to send two delegates, but will hardly send more than one. Mr. W. V. McRae, president of the local organization, is thinking very seriously of going, and in case he does go he will leave here tomorrow. The following prominent speakers will address the convention:

Hon. J. A. MacDonald, Toronto, "The Call of the Nation."
Hon. William Jennings Bryan, (Continued on third page.)

PARK SCHOOL NEWS.

Professor Murph Goes to His Home in South Carolina—Basket Ball Team News—Other Items of Interest.

Messrs. D. W. Bagley and J. B. Humphries, who have been ill, are again out and at work.

Saturday several of the boys went over to Chapel Hill to visit friends and attend the football game.

Prof. H. M. North has returned from Salisbury where he attended the Western North Carolina Conference.

The Trinity Park School Basket Ball team goes to Wake Forest Thursday night to play a game with the team at that institution.

Last Thursday morning one of the boilers which heat the Asbury building exploded and work had to be suspended Friday while repairs were being made.

The Trinity Park School Basket Ball team and that of Trinity College played a game Tuesday night, and the College boys were successful, the score being 55 to 10.

Mr. W. R. Willis has been compelled to give up his work for a time. He left Monday morning for Washington City where he goes to have an operation performed.

Owing to a recent interruption in work caused by a boiler explosion, examinations did not close until Tuesday at 1:15 and regular work on the second quarter began Wednesday morning.

Monday evening Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Wolfe gave a course dinner in honor of Prof. D. S. Murph and his mother who are to leave tomorrow. Several guests were invited and all report a most pleasant evening.

Prof. D. S. Murph, owing to continued ill health, has been compelled to give up his work as professor of Latin here. He and his mother leave tomorrow for their old home in South Carolina. During his connection with the school since 1903, he has made many strong and lasting friends who regret to see him give up his work. His has been honest, faithful service and he is another of those who are able and willing but prevented, at least for a time, from doing that which can and does make the world some better and some brighter.

Historical Society Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Historical Society next Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the History Room. The program will include two papers, one by R. H. Howerton, of the Senior class, the subject being "The Early History of Rose of Sharon Church of Durham County." The other paper will be "A Sketch of Judge William Gaston," by Dr. W. K. Boyd. All students are invited to attend and co-operate in fostering our interest in North Carolina and Southern history.

Fromme News Co., "thats all."

FIRST OF LECTURE SERIES.

Dr. Mims On "National Traits of American Literature."

DELIVERED BEFORE THE CITY SCHOOLS

List of Those Who Are to Speak in the Lecture Series—Outline of the Lecture Delivered by Dr. Mims.

A good sized audience gathered in the auditorium of the city high school last evening to hear the lecture of Dr. Edwin Mims on "Some of the National Traits of American Literature." This lecture was the opening of a series of lectures that will be given each Friday evening in the school auditorium. These lectures are given by members of the faculty of Trinity College under the auspices of the city schools, and will continue till the end of the year. The lectures are free to all who will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear them.

The next lecture will be given next Friday evening by Dr. W. P. Few, his subject being: "The Formative and Consoling Power of Great Poetry." Other lectures arranged are: "A Greek Woman," by Prof. A. H. Meritt on November 29; "Luther Burbank and Plant Breeding," by Dr. J. J. Wolfe, on December 6. This lecture will be illustrated. Dr. W. I. Cranford will speak on December 13, his subject being: "Living in Two Worlds." The last lecture of the series will be "Two Representatives of Modern German Ideals," and will be delivered by Prof. W. H. Wannamaker on December 20.

From this programme it will be seen that the series of lectures will be not only highly enjoyable but also very instructive. Judging from the attendance last night, which was the opening night and had not been well advertised, the people of the city will not fail to attend these lectures.

Prof. W. D. Carmichael introduced Dr. Mims, who spoke for about an hour. Dr. Mims was at his best on one of his most interesting themes last night and the audience was impressed very much by his words. Following will be found a brief synopsis of his lecture:

"It is easy to miss the real meaning of the national spirit," said Dr. Mims after a few preliminary remarks. "My effort tonight will be to portray the genuine national spirit, its history, its past and its destiny. Lose of country is one of the ennobling things of this life. There are many forces in this country which are making toward sectionalism. This country was born out of civil war in England. The Puritan revolution drove Puritans and Cavaliers alike out of England. The Puritans settled in New England and the Cavaliers in the southern section of this country. Thus we see that the two sections (Continued on third page.)

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PURE ATHLETICS.

According to press reports, the
University of Georgia has been
suspended by the Southern Inter-
collegiate Athletic Association for
professionalism, the specific
charge being the playing of four
professional athletes in the foot-
ball game against the Georgia
School of Technology at Atlanta.
The Atlanta papers have had a
great deal to say about the al-
leged offense, and doubtless there
will be a full investigation by the
officials of the association. A few
weeks ago The Chronicle copied
an editorial from the student
paper published at the Univer-
sity of Georgia, in which it was
stated that the sentiment there
was in favor of a rigid enforce-
ment of the rules of the associa-
tion, and that the stand that had
recently been taken for purity of
athletics had done much for the
athletic interests at that institu-
tion. The Chronicle sincerely
hopes that an investigation will
show that there is some mistake.
If the charges are true then a
grave wrong has been done,
and the institution occupies an un-
enviable position.

The question of the purity of
athletics is one in which every
lover of college sport is vitally in-
terested. There are a few eligi-
bility requirements which are re-
cognized by all well regulated in-
stitutions, but after all it is not
rules alone that are necessary.
There is something that is deeper
and more vital, and an institution
which fails to recognize the moral
question involved, fails to main-
tain that standard which the peo-
ple have a right to expect in the
colleges of the land.

REV. PLATO T. DURHAM WITH
CHARLOTTE OBSERVER.

The Charlotte Observer of last
Thursday announced that Rev.
Plato T. Durham, pastor of Trinity
church, Charlotte, had been
added to the staff of that paper.
A few weeks ago The Chronicle

had occasion to commend very
highly the contributions to The
Observer of a correspondent,
writing under the "nom de plume
of D." While at this time the
name of the writer of these articles
had not been made public, it was
an open secret that they were
contributed by Mr. Durham. We
wish to re-iterate what we said in
this article, and to add that we
believe his work will be a marked
feature of the excellent paper
with which he is to be connected.
By inheritance and training, few
men have had a better opportuni-
ty to equip themselves for public
service than Mr. Durham.

While in college he was a class-
mate of the late Erwin Avery,
whose work on The Observer was
so commendable, and he was also
one of the board of editors who
issued the volume of "Idle Com-
ments," which contained some of
Avery's best journalistic contribu-
tions.

Mr. Durham is a man of mark-
ed ability, and The Observer is
to be congratulated on securing
his services. In his new field of
labor and usefulness, The Chronicle
wishes for him the greatest
measure of success.

The Winston Journal has the
following to say concerning Mr.
Durham's place on The Charlotte
Observer staff:

The most interesting and im-
portant announcement in newspa-
per circles in this State recently
was that of The Charlotte Obser-
ver to the effect that Rev. Plato
T. Durham, formerly pastor of
Trinity Methodist church, at
Charlotte, has been added to its
already brilliant staff.

This announcement means
much. For The Observer it
means that it will be brightened
and strengthened by the work of
one of the broadest, freshest and
most original minds in the State,
or the South. Mr. Durham is
still a young man, but in the
ministry he took his stand at the
very forefront, and his previous
career as a professor at Trinity
College, associated as he was with
some of the biggest brains and
most congenial spirits of the State,
especially fitted him for the work
he will take up on The Observer.

For Mr. Durham, the change
will mean a broadening of his
field of endeavor and a more
thorough utilization of his powers.
Instead of speaking to a few hun-
dred people two or three times a
week, he will speak to thousands
every day.

Mr. Durham's entrance into the
field of journalism will be heartily
welcomed by the fraternity
throughout the State.

Mr. Jerome Elected Head-
master.

Mr. W. G. C. Jerome, class '07,
who has been connected with
Trinity High School, at Trinity,
since its opening in September,
has recently been elected Head-
master of that school. Mr. Je-
rome was a representative college
man during the four years spent
in Trinity College, and did some
very fine work as a public debater.
He was also in one of the con-
tests against Vanderbilt.

Mr. Jerome's new position is
one of importance and responsi-
bility, and he is well fitted for his
new line of work. He is a man
of strength and ability, and the
trustees of the school have se-
cured the services of a most effi-
cient man.

EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

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lege, 13-5.

Tulane University, 14-4.
Baltimore Woman's College,
14-5.

University of Virginia, 11-5.
Randolph-Macon College, 14.
Central University, 14.

The Association now requires
colleges belonging to it to de-
mand for admission to all degree
courses at least ten entrance units.
The necessary one year's notice
was served at Birmingham that at
the next annual meeting the by-
laws would be so changed as to
require fourteen units of applica-
nts for degrees and at least ten
units of irregular students. This
is the standard entrance require-
ment enforced by the better class
colleges throughout the United
States and is therefore now gen-
erally known as the national
standard. This change of the by-
laws will doubtless be adopted one
year hence.

With this much accomplished,
it is in order for the more pro-
gressive colleges throughout the
South—the colleges, that is, that
seek first the common good and
are not content to be mere time
servers—it is now in order for
such colleges to band together
along with the secondary schools
to build up a genuine system of
education in the South, a system
thoroughly organized from top to
bottom. This is a crying need in
North Carolina today. The col-
leges should honestly maintain an
entrance standard sufficiently high
to keep students in the schools
until they are fitted for college
work and, on the other hand, the
schools all along the line should
be made strong enough to give
adequate preparation for college.

I am sure I can speak for Trin-
ity College and say that we intend,
with renewed purpose, to go on
with this great work in North
Carolina.

Paul Webb, who secured his
license to practice law from the
Supreme Court of North Caro-
lina, in August, has decided to
locate in Raleigh for the practice
of his profession. He will be-
come a member of the firm of
which Col. John W. Hinsdale is
the senior member. Mr. Webb
is an exceedingly well equipped
man, and The Chronicle prophe-
sies for him a most successful
career.

N. S. Ogburn, class '05, was
admitted to the Western North
Carolina Conference on trial at the
session at Salisbury. Mr. Ogburn
has been connected with the Pied-
mont Training School at Char-
lotte since leaving college.

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ALUMNI NOTES.

[Items for this Department are Solicited by the Editor from all Students and Graduates of Trinity.]

Mr. O. J. Jones, class '04, was admitted to the Western North Carolina Conference on trial. Mr. O. Jones is now connected with Rutherford College.

Mr. F. W. O'Barr, class '06, was married August 14th, to Miss Mary Louise Brandon, of California. Mr. and Mrs. O'Barr are now residing at Lemon, California, where Mr. O'Barr is engaged in farming.

Since the formation of the Japanese Methodist Conference, all the Methodist missionaries have transferred their membership to their home conferences. At the recent session of the W. N. C. Conference, Rev. S. A. Stewart, A. B. '00, A. M. '04, was transferred to the Conference. He is now in charge of Palmore Institute, Kobe, Japan. This transfer does not effect his work in Japan.

Dr. Lyman Abbott on "The South in Education."

Dr. Lyman Abbott, writing in a recent issue of the Outlook, on "The South in Education," in closing says:

"Here this semi-eminent article might properly come to its close, but I cannot close it without a simple and brief recognition of the service which has been rendered by great educational leaders in the South, to whose energy, enthusiasm and sacrifice this revolution in conditions is due. The Outlook has from time to time mentioned their service, and the story of their work need therefore to be repeated here, nor could it be even in outline. It must be enough to enter on this roll of honor the names of men too little known throughout the nation, whose services as builders of their country overtop that of many men more trumpeted by fame: Dr. J. L. M. Curry, of Virginia; Chancellor Walter Barnard Hill, of Georgia; Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, President of the University of Virginia; Dr. Charles D. McIver, of North Carolina; Dr. John C. Kilgo, President of Trinity College, Durham, N. C.; and last, but no means least, General Robert E. Lee, who, laying down the sword and taking up the pen, by the homage which he paid to popular education when he accepted the presidency of Washington and Lee University, set an example which has proved an inspiration, first to his own State, then to all the Southern States, and lastly and too tardily to the whole nation."

"Do not become college politician as soon as you enter the university. It makes little difference whether you hold class offices or not. The distinction acquired by holding such offices is not lasting. Better be a strong force in the class for the maintenance of honor and high principle than a vote hunting political leader. Follow this counsel and you will be larger as a senior than you are as a freshman. Neglect this counsel and if you are successful as a freshman you will probably be smaller as a senior than you are as a freshman."—Pres. Northrop, State University of Minn.

INTERNATIONAL. Y. M. C. A.

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"Christ in the Life of Men." Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, New York, "The Divine Element in Character Building."

Bishop William F. McDowell, Chicago, "The Truth of God in the Lives of Men."

Gov. R. B. Glenn, North Carolina, "The Nation's Need of Strong Christian Young Men."

Dr. Floyd W. Tomkins, Philadelphia, "He Who Works Must Pray."

Hon. Selden P. Spencer, St. Louis, "The Association a Challenge to Service."

Commissioner Robert Watchorn, New York, "The Association and the Immigrant."

Dr. Robert Johnston, Montreal, "The Holy Spirit—the Source of Continued and Increasing Vitality in the Association."

Mr. Alfred E. Marling, New York, "The Fraternal Spirit in the Association."

Dr. W. T. Grenfell, Labrador, "Compensations of Service."

Dr. E. I. Bosworth, Oberlin, "How can the Association in the Future Render the Largest Service to the Church?"

Mr. Robert E. Speer, New York, "The Association a Bond of International Fellowship."

Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, New York, "The Essential Unity of the Human Race Realized in Jesus Christ."

Ambassador James Bryce, (Theme to be announced later.) Bishop L. H. Roots, Hankow, China, (Theme to be announced later.)

Speakers to be Announced, "Regions Beyond, or Open Doors in the Work of the North American Associations." (several brief addresses.)

R. Sarasin-Warnery, Chairman Visitors' Committee, and other visitors from abroad. "Greetings from the Associations of Other Lands."

EXCHANGES.

The Bishop of London preached at Yale on October 13th.

"I would confine college sports to games which have no outside market value," says President Tucker, of Dartmouth.

Seventy men have entered the competition for election to the editorial board of the Record at Williams. Four will be chosen.

It is estimated that the students of Columbia University earned almost \$150,000 during the year ending June 30, 1907.

Princeton is to have a new fire-proof physical laboratory, the gift of S. S. Palmer an alumnus. The building will be of ornamental brick, with granite trimmings, and will cost \$350,000.

The Harvard Mission, of which President Roosevelt is president, has prepared a map of the world locating the Harvard men now in the foreign missionary field. The number of men is thirty-one.

Mrs. Benson, of Macon, Ga., has the distinction of having received the first diploma issued in the U. S. by a woman's college. She is an alumna of the Wesleyan Female College.

The Chicago News says: "The energy expended by a boy in a ball game would cultivate an acre of potatoes if attached to the end of a hoe handle."

FIRST OF LECTURE SERIES.

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sprung from peoples of different social standing and customs. Other things have accentuated this fundamental difference. First the climates of the two sections is very different. Again the distance between the two settlements and the development of slavery in the South and the anti-slavery sentiment in the north put a wide gulf between the two sections.

"And now what are the forces in the country that are making toward nationalism?" asked the speaker. "The material progress of the country, the telegraph and railroads have drawn us together. The whole trend of commerce has tended to make us a nation. Then the wars of the nation have drawn the sections together."

"Washington was the first to sound the note of nationalism. I wish every boy would be taught the farewell words of his inaugural address. Then the judicial decisions of John Marshall, although not literature strictly speaking, did much to formulate the national spirit. The songs of the nation, 'America' and 'Star Spangled Banner,' have also been a great aid in the development of the spirit of nationalism." At this point the speaker gave a description of the debate between Webster and Hayne.

"Logically and historically Hayne was right, but Webster saw the future of this country and his soul responded to the vision of nations. This national idea was the theme and the inspiration of all Webster's eloquence, and his speeches fostered the national spirit. He was indeed a king among men."

"The poetry of Lowell was another expression of the national spirit." The development of the spirit in Lowell's life was briefly shown, quotations from the Bigelow papers being given to trace the growth. He quoted from the commemoration ode of Lowell to show the culmination of this growth. He spoke of the speeches of Lincoln and their national spirit and the effect of these speeches.

"But the man who represents the Northern point of view most to my mind," said Dr. Mims, "is Walt Whitman. Although there were many things to his life and poetry that were rough and uncouth, he had in him the tenderness of a mother." How Whitman served both union and confederates as a nurse in the hospitals was shown. Whitman's poem, "Captain, O, My Captain," was read to illustrate the great and tender heart of the man and also the loss which Whitman felt the nation had sustained. The eloquence of L. Q. Lamar and the concluding words of his eulogy on Charles Sumner, "My countrymen, know one another and you will love one another," were cited, showing the national spirit. The work of Henry Grady and Sidney Lanier was spoken of in the conclusion.—Morning Herald, November 16th.

Mr. E. O. Cole, '07, was admitted on trial into the Western North Carolina Conference. Since graduation he has been doing supply work within the bounds of this conference. In college he was much interested in debating and is an effective and forceful public speaker.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Minor Happenings About The Campus.
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Born to Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Glasson, a daughter.

Mr. Paul Webb, of Morehead City, was on the campus Friday night.

Miss Kate Craven, of Trinity, is visiting the family of Prof. W. H. Pegram.

A number of students are spending some time in the afternoons bird hunting.

Prof. W. F. Gill spent Saturday and Sunday visiting his people at Henderson.

Rev. J. N. Cole, of the Methodist Orphanage at Raleigh, was on the park Friday.

Mr. I. T. Mann, ex-'09, of High Point, has been on the campus recently visiting friends.

Mr. C. R. Canipe attended the annual conference held at Salisbury during the past week.

Mr. C. M. Bivins has returned from his home in Albemarle, and will resume his college work.

Mr. Willis Smith, of the Sophomore class, visited friends at Chapel Hill Saturday and Sunday.

President Kilgo went down to Raleigh Monday morning on business. He returned in the afternoon.

Mr. J. J. Rogers, of the University of North Carolina, visited Mr. E. E. Bundy, of the Freshman class.

Mr. L. E. Blanchard, of the Junior class, was confined to his room yesterday with a slight indisposition.

Prof. E. C. Brooks left Saturday for Kernersville to spend Sunday with his family. He returned to the park Monday.

Mr. J. T. Jerome spent Sunday in West Durham visiting friends. Mr. Jerome is this year principal of a school at Bynum.

At a recent meeting of the Athletic council, Mr. H. C. Doss was elected first assistant base ball manager for next season.

Mr. W. A. Stanbury, who was on the sick list for a few days during the past week, is now out and able to attend classes.

The annual session of the North Carolina Conference meets in Newbern, December 3d. Bishop Charles B. Galloway, of Jackson, Miss., will preside.

As a result of the free course arranged for Durham teachers, thirty teachers from the city and county are taking work in the department of education.

The Y. M. C. A. has arranged to have a song service tonight. Some excellent talent has been secured and those in charge anticipate a very good meeting.

Mr. C. C. Barnhardt went to Hillsboro Saturday and returned to college Monday morning. He went there to preach for Mr. Canipe during his absence at Conference.

Mr. J. C. Bundy, who has been ill with a case of typhoid fever, has sufficiently recovered to go to his home in Monroe. He will probably be in school after Christmas.

Mrs. Ellen Mordecai and Mrs. W. L. Morell, mother and sister of Dean S. F. Mordecai, of the Law Department, who have been spending sometime on the park, returned to Raleigh yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Pegram, Jr., class '06, was on the park during the past week spending sometime at his home. He has a very good position as civil engineer with the Seaboard Air Line, and is located at Jacksonville, Fla.

The residence which Professor Brooks is having built on Watts street is nearing completion. It is expected that it will be ready for occupancy about December 1. Mrs. Brooks and the children are now at Kernersville with relatives.

The next game of basket ball to be played here will be December 3d with Wake Forest. Trinity team will go to Wake Forest Thursday, December 5th to play that college. The team will also play Littleton at Littleton on December 6th.

It is reported that Mr. Marvin Culbreth, class '00, will be one of the debaters this year in the Trinity-Vanderbilt debate. While a student here Mr. Culbreth made a good record as a public debater, and rendered the college quite a service in this line of work.

Dr. W. P. Boyd went over to Chapel Hill Friday afternoon to act as a judge in a debate between the University of North Carolina and the Philomathean Society, of the University of Pennsylvania. The query was "Resolved, That Congress should not reduce the tariff." Pennsylvania was successful in the contest.

What Trinity is Doing for Secondary Education.

At a recent meeting of the Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools of the Southern States, which met in Birmingham, one of the most important questions discussed was "Recent High School Legislation and Progress in the South."

Two Trinity men, Dr. Bruce R. Payne, of the University of Virginia, and Prof. E. C. Brooks, of Trinity, read papers on this subject. In this connection it is not amiss to say that Trinity has cause to have pride in the part the institution has taken, and is taking, in the development of secondary education in the Southern States. Not to enumerate the many ways in which the institution and Trinity men have contributed to this, it is a significant fact that at the beginning of this college year two Trinity men began their work in North Carolina as professors in departments of education, Prof. E. C. Brooks, at Trinity, and Prof. J. H. Highsmith, at Wake Forest. Two years ago Dr. Bruce R. Payne, another Trinity man, was elected to the department of education in the University of Virginia. In Georgia, Dr. E. C. Branson, a Trinity man, is president of the Normal College, at Athens, Georgia.

Meeting of Southern Athletic Association.

The annual meeting of the Southern Inter-collegiate Athletic Association will meet at Clemson College, South Carolina, the second week in December. The officers of the association are: President, W. L. Dudley, of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.; secretary, Prof. E. T. Holmes, of Mercer University, Macon, Ga. The vice presidents of the four divisions are: Chancellor B. L. Wiggins, of the University of the South, Prof. W. M. Riggs, of Clemson College, President J. H. Boyd, of the University of Louisiana, and Prof. E. T. Holmes, of Mercer University. Trinity is the only institution in the State belonging to the association, and expects to be represented at the coming meeting.

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