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## TRINITY DEFEATED BY CARDINALS LAST NIGHT

LEADING THROUGH FIRST HALF  
TRINITY LOSSES GAME,  
45 TO 28.

### FIRST GAME ON NORTHERN TRIP

To Play Washington and Lee Tonight  
in Lexington—V. M. I. Tomorrow  
Night and Virginia Friday.

By the score of 45 to 28 the Trinity basket ball team last night lost the first game on the northern trip to the Cardinal Athletic Club at Lynchburg. With the score of 17 to 11 in its favor at the end of the first half, the Trinity team seemed to have a good chance of winning, but the Cardinals came back strong in the second half and scored thirty-four points while the Trinity team scored only eleven.

While the work of the entire Trinity team was good, the effective passing and goal-shooting of Anderson, left forward, were easily the features of the game. "Ram" pocketed the ball for four field goals. Captain Martin, left guard, led in the scoring with ten points, some of which were fouls. Bunting, center, also went well in goal-shooting, having four field goals to his credit. Ferrell, right forward, succeeded in getting one field goal against the effective guarding of Sowers. Patton failed to score, but his guarding was of high order.

For the Cardinals, Campbell, left forward, led his team mates in scoring with seventeen points, while his running mate, Jamison at right forward came second with fourteen points. Kunz, center, shot four field goals. Offenderinger, right guard, shot two field goals, and Sowers, left guard, scored one.

Line-up: Trinity—Ferrell, r. f. (2); Anderson, l. f. (8); Bunting, c. (8); Patton, r. g.; Captain Martin, l. g. (10).

Cardinal Athletic Club—Jamison, r. f. (14); Campbell, l. f. (17); Kunz, c. (8); Offenderinger, r. g. (4); Sowers, l. g. (2).

### TEAM ON TRIP

The team left Durham yesterday morning for the annual northern trip. Four games are included in the schedule for the trip—three games with college teams and the game last night with the Cardinal Athletic Club. Tonight the team will meet Washington and Lee at Lexington; tomorrow night V. M. I. will be played in Lexington; and the last game will be with the University of Virginia on Friday night.

Those who are taking the trip are Anderson, Ferrell, and Swan, forwards; Bunting and Mayes, centers; Captain Martin, Lilley, and Patton, guards; Coach Doak, and Manager Secrest.

President W. P. Few and Professor E. C. Brooks went to Raleigh last Thursday to represent the College at the inauguration of Dr. Charles E. Brewer as president of Meredith College.

Mr. Thomas Stringfield, a former student of Trinity in the Class of 1895, who is now State Inspector of the North Carolina State Guard, was a visitor on the campus this week.

## SQUAD OF FIFTY OUT FOR FIRST BASEBALL PRACTICE

COACH WEST WELL PLEASED AS TO PROSPECTS FOR GOOD SEASON

Some fifty men responded on yesterday afternoon to Coach West's call for the first baseball spring practice. On account of the condition of the new Hanes Athletic Field, the practice was held on the old diamond.

The squad showed up exceedingly well for the first practice, and the prospects for the coming season are very bright. The hitting as well as the fielding was good. Coach West's plan for an extensive fall practice has proved to be a great success, as was evidenced by the showing yesterday afternoon. All the candidates showed an unusually large amount of "pop" and vim. This means that every man will have to work.

Although last year's Senior Class made a big hole in the team, the incoming Freshman Class will more than make up for this loss. The pitching staff this year is especially strong. Those on the team

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### MR. THOMAS A VISITOR

Donor to Library Stops on Way From Shanghai to London

Mr. J. A. Thomas, who has for several years been the representative of the British-American Tobacco Company at Shanghai, China, and a liberal donor to the Trinity College Library, was a visitor on the campus Sunday.

Mr. Thomas is on his way from Shanghai to London, whither he has recently been removed by the Tobacco Company. When first employed by the Company, Mr. Thomas was sent to India, and was later transferred to China.

During his stay in the Far East, Mr. Thomas has become greatly interested in all questions pertaining to the East, and has for many years been collecting all of the best available books dealing with these subjects and donating those to the Trinity Library. The books which he has donated now form an interesting and valuable collection. He brought with him and added to the collection another valuable book which he has been trying to secure for ten years. Since November 1, 1915 he has donated the following books: Bonlgier, *History of China*; Giles, *Adversaria Sinica*; Whelpley, *Trade of the World*; and Williams, *Middle Kingdom*, two volumes.

Mr. Thomas is a native of Richmond County, and is now spending a few days with his relatives before his departure for London. He expects to sail from New York on February 19.

Tonight at seven o'clock a Special Students' meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall. All students are urged to be present.

The Campus Club wishes to announce that it will be "at home" to the members of the Freshman and Junior Classes on Friday afternoon, February 11th, from four until five-thirty o'clock in the parlors of the East Duke Building.

## DURHAM Y. M. C. A. WINS FROM TRINITY SCRUBS

POOR GAME LOST LAST NIGHT TO Y. M. C. A. BY BIG SCORE

### MATTON LEADS IN THE SCORING

Strong Y. M. C. A. Team Piles Up 49 Points to Trinity's 11—Ferguson Good—Mangum Leads Y. M. C. A.

In a slow, uninteresting, and one-sided game the Trinity scrub basket ball team last night went down in defeat before the strong quintet of the Durham Y. M. C. A. by a score of 49 to 11. From the very beginning of the game the scrubs were out-classed and at no stage were they able to compete with the fast passing and accurate goal-shooting of the Y. M. C. A. five. Lack of team work on the part of the college team was noticeable and at times robbed them of several goals. Many of the scrub players were also appearing in their first game besides the inter-class games and were rather nervous, missing many shots which looked good for goals.

Besides leading in the number of points scored by the scrubs, Matton probably in every respect played the best game of any man on the college five. He scored seven of the scrubs' eleven points and was in the game at all times. Ferguson, at center, also played a good game. He held his opponent to one field goal and himself pocketed the ball once. Richardson threw the only other field goal secured by the college quint.

For the Y. M. C. A. Mangum, Holcombe, and Clay did stellar work. The work of Mangum and Holcombe was especially noteworthy. Their passing was far above the average, and several of the long back-hand shots which they made looked almost impossible. Mangum led the scoring with a total of eighteen points, while Holcombe pocketed the ball five times for field goals and made good at fouls four times out of seven chances. Clay found the basket for field goals four times. The whole Y. M. C. A. team was in good form, and with lack breaking their way they put up a fine exhibition of basket ball.

Because of the fact that it has been impossible to arrange a trip for the scrub team, a second game will be played with the Y. M. C. A. in Angier Duke Gymnasium on Friday night. The college five hopes to get in some good practice, the lack of which was so noticeable in the game last night, before the next game and at least to make the game interesting for the down-towners.

Line-up: Trinity—Richardson, r. f. (2); Arendell, l. f.; Matton, c.; L. f. (7); Ferguson, c. (2); Long, l. g.; Bunn, r. g.; LeGrand, r. g.

Y. M. C. A.—Holcombe, r. f. (14); Clay, r. g. (8); Reid, c. (2); Mangum, r. g. (18); Hornaday, l. g. (6).

Referee, White; time of halves, twenty minutes.

Miss Frances E. Vann, '15, who is teaching in Carolina College, Maxton, was a week-end visitor at the Woman's Building.

## PEACE ORATORICAL CONTEST TO BE HELD HERE IN APRIL

WILSON AND TAFT MAY SPEAK HERE AT PEACE SOCIETY MEETING.

What promises to be the most carefully planned and most interesting session ever held by the North Carolina Peace Society will be held here on Saturday, April 1. A mass meeting will probably be held on Sunday, April 2.

In connection with this conference the annual State Peace Oratorical Contest, in which representatives of almost every college in the State compete for a first prize of seventy-five dollars and a second prize of fifty dollars offered by the Society, will be held. In the first year of the contest W. G. Sheppard, the Trinity representative, won the first prize; and A. W. Byrd, representing Trinity, won the first prize in the second contest. The contest was held last year in Raleigh; and G. S. Sexton, Jr., was the Trinity representative.

The mass meeting on Sunday will probably be addressed by

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### DATES FOR LECTURES

Bishop Hendrix to Lecture on "Some Things Taught by Christianity"

Announcement was made in THE CHRONICLE last week that Bishop E. R. Hendrix, of Kansas City, Missouri, would deliver the Avera Bible Lectures—some time early in April. It has just been definitely decided that the lectures will come on April 9, 10, and 11.

The general theme of Bishop Hendrix' lectures will be "Some Things Alone Taught by Christianity." The first lecture will be one given sometime ago by Bishop Hendrix at Ann Arbor, Michigan, on "The Literature of the Saints." The subject of the second lecture will be "The Pardoning Prerogative of Christ; and the third lecture will be on "The Human Body in the Light of the Christian Religion."

The College is especially fortunate in obtaining Bishop Hendrix for this series of lectures. Bishop Hendrix received the degree of bachelor of arts from Wesleyan College, Connecticut, in 1867; and was two years later graduated from Union Theological Seminary. He entered the Methodist ministry in 1870. He holds the following honorary degrees: D. D., Emory College 1878 and Wesleyan College, 1903; LL. D., University of Missouri and University of North Carolina, 1888, and Washington and Lee University, 1893. He was president of Central College, Missouri, from 1878 until 1886, when he received the appointment as bishop. He was president of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America from 1908 until 1912; and was for many years president of the Board of Trustees of Vanderbilt University. He has delivered special lectures at Vanderbilt University and Emory College. He is author of the following books:

*Around the World, 1878; Skilled Labor for the Master, 1900; The Religion of the Incarnation 1903; The Personality of the Holy Spirit, 1904; and Christ's Table Talk, 1905.*

## SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL CLOSES SUNDAY NIGHT

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### DR. PARKER LEAVES ON MONDAY

Much Good, Results From Meetings—Services Are Well Attended By Students and Towns-people.

The annual series of revival meetings held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., which have been in progress in the Y. M. C. A. Hall under the leadership of Dr. Franklin N. Parker, for four years Avera Professor of Biblical Literature here and now professor of systematic theology in the Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Atlanta Georgia, came to a close Sunday evening.

Dr. Parker was heard at each service by a large audience. Besides the students, a large number of people not connected with the College attended. Although there was no great display of emotion, there were many reasons for believing that Dr. Parker did lasting good during the past week. His striking personality and his strong sermons made deep impressions upon all his hearers.

Dr. Parker preached Wednesday morning from a text found in the twelfth chapter of Hebrews. In this sermon many of the dangers of living out of Christ were pointed out. He said that bereavement and material loss are not the losses that cripple men; these losses have a message for good. There are things, however, which bring nothing but regret. A life lived in the pursuit of the pleasures of appetite, wealth, ease, lust, mere intellectual attainment, cannot but bring regret. One may have his sins pardoned, but the sting will follow him to the grave.

The text used Wednesday night was, "And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto me." In this sermon Dr. Parker emphasized the attractiveness of Jesus. He said that in all the records of Jesus there may be found that He had a marvelous hopefulness for individual men. When He faced the cross, He said, "I will draw all men unto me." The cross of Christ has created many of the greatest movements in human history. It has made men believe that He can save them by His cross.

"If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness," was the text used by Dr. Parker Thursday morning. He said that there is a tendency for men to consider sin as a joke. Men try to modify their judgment of things and to become lax in social morals. Notwithstanding their evasions, there is something that makes them see the truth. He has given men a conscience which refuses to let them rest in a falsehood or insincerity. Forgiveness and peace come when men confess their sin, when they say the same thing about sin that God says about it.

The text used by Dr. Parker Thursday night was, "But without faith it is impossible to please him,"

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## EDITORIAL

### A GOOD SCHEDULE

Manager Ferrell is to be commended upon the excellent baseball schedule which he has arranged and which was announced in THE CHRONICLE last week. The abandonment of the practice of playing a large number of northern teams which come south in the early spring on training trips and the substitution of games with teams nearer home is a decided improvement in every respect, particularly in that it provides games which will be more interesting to the students and to the towns people, thus, it is hoped, swelling the coffers of the Athletic Council, which are frequently too nearly in a state of depletion.

The substitution of a southern trip for the usual trip north is another distinct improvement. Here again Trinity is to play teams which will create a greater interest; and somehow in the good old days when the southern trip was a regular institution, the team won more games than have been won on many of the northern trips. After all, the team plays for the purpose of winning; and why not play those teams against which there appears to be a better chance of victory?

The crowding of fourteen games into the month of April is unfortunate, but no other arrangement could be made, since the weather permits few games before April 1, and examinations here and early commencements at other colleges make it necessary to close the season early in May.

### PEACE CONTEST

The coming to Durham of the annual session of the North Carolina Peace Society will doubtless mean more to Trinity students than any event which has occurred for sometime. Hearing addresses on such a subject as world peace

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by such men as President Wilson, former President Taft, and former Senator Burton will be a great privilege, if these men are able to accept the invitations of the Society. Even if these men are unable to accept, there will be other speakers of national repute, and some of the leading college men will come as representatives of their institutions to the Oratorical Contest.

The faculty of Wake Forest College and the six students who were responsible for the recent painting on the Trinity campus have apologized for the deed and have offered to make all possible reparation, but what may not the action of the Baptist student-body lead to? What will the next student whose enthusiasm demands expression through acts of vandalism do if he feels that, although he will be suspended by the faculty, he will receive the approval of his fellow students and money with which to pay his expenses during his suspension?

### ARTICLE BY DR. GLASSON

Dr. W. H. Glasson, head of the department of Economics here, has recently brought out a very interesting and instructive article entitled "The Economic Activities of the Confederacy." This article appeared in a set of lectures in pamphlet form called "The Growth and Development of the United States."

The "United States," as the booklet is generally called, is a set of handsomely illustrated lectures on topics which tend to display the remarkable growth and development of this country has made in the last generation. It is edited by Dr. Edwin Wiley, of the Library of Congress, and Irving E. Rines, and is published by the American Educational Alliance at Washington, D. C. The lectures are a subscription enterprise intended as a survey of history of the United States for the Family Library.

At a recent meeting of the American Economic Association at Washington, D. C., Dr. Glasson was elected a member of the executive committee of the Association for a term of three years. This committee consists of the officers of the Association and six other members elected in the business session of the Association. Two members at large are chosen at every annual session.

President Few has received a letter from the principal of the Culwhee Normal and Industrial School asking that a member of the Trinity faculty be sent to that school to deliver a series of five lectures sometime during the spring. No definite arrangement has yet been made, but Dr. Few states that Professor Brooks will probably go.

## Alumni Notes

Paul W. Best, '12, who has led for three years his class in the Medical School of the University of Pennsylvania, has received the first hospital appointment in his class, being appointed to the German Hospital in Philadelphia.

Ashley B. Stanback, '06, who after leaving Trinity received the degree of LL. B. from Georgetown University, has recently opened offices for the practice of law in Greensboro.

J. L. Nicholson who spent three years here as a member of the Class of 1900 and later received the M. D. degree from the University of Maryland, is in charge of the Fowle Memorial Hospital, Washington, N. C.

R. L. Jones, '13, of Petersburg, Virginia, spent Saturday on the campus.

D. S. Chapman, ex-'15 of Durham, was married on January 26 to Miss Emma Faucette, of Durham.

Friends will be grieved to hear of the death on January 29 of Mr. J. D. Ezzell, '95. For twelve years Mr. Ezzell had been superintendent of the Dunn Graded Schools.

W. M. Sherrill, '15, is visiting friends on the campus today.

W. R. Ivey, ex-'14, of Lenoir, was married on December 30 to Miss Lucille Middleton, of Goldsboro.

Friends will be sorry to learn of the death on January 17 of Mr. John McCain Jones, who was at the time of his death the oldest living graduate of Trinity College, receiving his degree in 1857. Mr. Jones was an ardent supporter of Trinity up to his death and was a visitor at the last several commencements.

Rev. W. A. Stanbury, Class of 1908, who is now pastor of the Methodist Church at Wilson, was a visitor last week attending the revival.

W. G. Sheppard, '12, Law '14, who has practiced law in Durham as a partner of former Judge R. H. Sykes since receiving his license in September, 1914, is soon to remove to Farmville, his old home town. Liberal inducements from Farmville are responsible for his removal.

W. P. Creekmore, ex-'15, is now in the School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

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## PAINTING INCIDENT CLOSED

Six Wake Forest Students Apologize and Offer to Pay Damages

The suspension of the six Wake Forest students who did the painting on the Trinity campus two weeks ago and the apology to Trinity of these students and the Wake Forest authorities closes this matter, according to statements issued by the authorities here and at Wake Forest.

Immediately after the return of President Poteat to Wake Forest the faculty of the Baptist institution passed the following resolution:

"Resolved: That the College disavows the action of certain of its student in defacing the property of Trinity College, with proper apologies and the assurance of reparation."

The six students, none of them members of the basket ball team, who participated in the painting were suspended until the beginning of the next term, which comes about March 1.

STATEMENT BY DR. FEW  
President Few gave out last Friday the following statement without any comment:

"The six students of Wake Forest College who, by painting up a basket ball score in several places, seriously defaced property at on Trinity College on the night of January 25, came here today, assumed their guilt for the misdemeanor, made apologies, and proposed so far as that is possible to pay for the damages, which, though serious and possibly lasting, have perhaps been exaggerated in some of the rumors that have obtained currency. President Poteat and the faculty of Wake Forest College had already taken such steps as they deemed wise to set the institution right. So far as the two colleges are concerned, the incident is now closed. I take the opportunity to say that Trinity College continues to bear, as it has always borne, the kindest feelings toward Wake Forest College and the great denomination behind it."

Frank B. Brown, '15, last year editor of THE CHRONICLE, who has for sometime been connected with the Durham Loan and Trust Company was recently elected secretary and treasurer of the Durham Realty and Insurance Company, a new firm which has taken over the real estate and insurance business of the Durham Loan and Trust Company.

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Governor Locke Craig. Many speakers of national repute are expected to be present and address the convention. Dean G. W. Kirchway, president of the National Peace Association will be among the speakers. Other prominent men who have been invited to address the conference are President Woodrow Wilson, former President William H. Taft, former Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio, Dr. J. J. Hall, of Atlanta, Georgia, and Bishop E. R. Hendrix, of Kansas City, Missouri.

The following program committee is now busy arranging the program of the conference: Dr. L. L. Hobbs, president emeritus of Guilford College, chairman; Governor Locke Craig, Dr. Charles Lee Smith, Superintendent of J. Y. Joyner, Joseph G. Brown, Professor W. H. Harrison, of A. and M. College, Dr. J. J. Hale, and J. D. Berry.

## BOOK BY TRINITY MEN

Messrs. Craven and Everett Write on Federal Income Tax

Messrs. Bruce Craven, ex-'03, of Trinity, and R. O. Everett, Law '06, of Durham, have just announced that they have prepared a book on the Federal Income Tax, which will come from the press of the Edwards and Broughton Publishing Company, of Raleigh, on February 25. The book will contain about 340 pages. A large first edition will be printed, since the book is assured of a general sale throughout the United States on account of its completeness and its appeal to the business man as well as the lawyer.

The whole work is planned and written in the light of the recent opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States upholding the income tax, and the opinion will be given in full. This book will be the only work on the subject published after the Supreme Court opinion; and it is generally held by lawyers that any previous work is no longer authoritative.

Mr. Craven is also the author of a work on the Torrens title laws which has had a wide circulation. Both authors are members of the American Bar Association and both have made a special study of the income tax during the last two years.

Mr. Everett has recently announced his refusal to enter the race for the Democratic nomination for attorney general, although he had received endorsements from almost every section of the State.

At a meeting of the *Chanticleer* Governing Board on last Friday afternoon, it was decided to dedicate the 1916 *Chanticleer* to Professor William Howell Pegram, Head of the Department of Chemistry. Professor Pegram is the oldest member of the faculty, both in years as well as in length of service, having been connected with the faculty of Trinity College since his graduation in 1873.

R. A. Finch, '15, is now a member of the staff of the *Durham Sun*.

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last year who did not return are Kanipe, Maddox, Siler, Carver, Bost, and Thorne. The "T" men who are back are Captain Durham, Few, Rone, Powell, Earnhardt, Flythe, and Love. The fact that there are a good many places on the team to be filled this year should serve as a stimulus for the new men to come out and do their best.

Coach West is back on the job with renewed energy and enthusiasm. Mr. West has already won for himself a lasting reputation by his successful services last year and has proved to be a most efficient coach.

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## WORK BY DR. KNIGHT

Writes on Colonial Public Education in Virginia

"The Evolution of Public Education in Virginia" is the subject of the first of a series of essays appearing in *The Sewanee Review*, by Dr. Edgar W. Knight, Assistant Professor of Education here. Colonial Theory and Practice is the period dealt with in this article by Dr. Knight as the result of some research work in the Virginia State Library. The second essay will appear in the March *Review*.

The present article deals with only one phase of the evolution of public education in Virginia. There are three periods, says Dr. Knight: "The first is that of transplanting of European institutions, traditions, and customs to American soil" and extends to the middle of the eighteenth century; the second period is one of attempted modification to the new conditions and is not terminated until the fourth decade of the nineteenth century, when the third and distinctly American period begins its sixty years' existence. Only the period of colonial theory and practice is discussed by Dr. Knight.

A purely religious conception marks the first period, in as much as most of the settlements in this country were made at the height of the reformation movement and at a point when the religious element was most prominent in educational matters. As in Europe, education received strict attention in all colonies. "Elementary education for the more prosperous classes was carried on by the private tutorial system in Virginia and the apprenticeship and poor laws, which, though not naming schools as distinct institutions, yet involved the education of the less fortunate people." The English spirit of education permeates early Virginia history and popular education was noticeably tardy. The lower classes were cared for through poor relief and apprentice laws, which were frequently taken bodily from those which developed in England during the second half of the sixteenth century under Elizabeth. Church wardens and householders, by the law of 1601, were appointed "overscers of the poor," and had full charge of the work and the necessary taxation.

Formal education soon began to reveal itself, and larger duties were thrown upon the regular officials, and in October, 1778, occurred the beginning of the actual transfer of power from the church to state and county authorities. Legislation on the subject became frequent, but was yet inadequate, and the habit of tutorial instruction remained among the more prosperous settlers of Virginia. The less fortunate were still left almost wholly uncared for educationally. Thomas Jefferson was unable to secure any provision for public education on the organization as a state or at any later date. It was yet believed that a literary education was not necessary for the masses—an attitude inherited from England and retained until far into the nineteenth century. Public conscience matured, however, and finally culminated in the important Literary Fund of 1810.

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At a meeting of the Debate Council last Monday afternoon, the preliminary for the selection of speakers to represent Trinity in the Trinity-Swarthmore Debate was postponed from Friday night, the 11th, to Friday night, the 18th of February.

H. M. Ratcliff, '13, Law '15, and G. A. Warlick, Jr., '13, Law '15, have formed a partnership for the practice of law in Winston-Salem, opening the office on January 1. Mr. Ratcliff was formerly associated with Postmaster Bart M. Gatling in Raleigh.





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### SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL CLOSES SUNDAY NIGHT (Continued from Page One)

for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek Him." God is the center of religion, said Dr. Parker, and the getting of religion is simply a coming to God through Christ. Religion is not a mere experience, not a creed, but a personal relationship. Men come to God by faith. Faith is the acceptance of the reality of God. It is making an eternal truth a present fact. When men look at the seeming gain of the world and choose God, they exercise faith and are converted.

At the morning service Friday Dr. Parker took for his text Matthew 5: 13-16. He said that Christ emphasized personal influence. The publican and the harlot met with Christ's pity but He said that it would have been better for the men who led others away from God if they had never been born. He that misleads a soul is almost beyond the mercy of Christ. It is just as imperative for a man

to let his light shine as it is to love God and keep his commandments.

"Aid God, which knoweth the hearts, bare them witness, giving them the Holy Ghost, even as he did unto us; and put no difference between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith" was the text used by Dr. Parker Friday night. With great earnestness he showed what salvation consists of, by whom it comes, and how the individual knows he is saved. All the various names given to salvation mean the same. There is a great purifying of the heart. Purification is the work of God. No power except God can create a new heart and renew a right spirit in man. God sends the Holy Spirit to testify of the new birth, and one should not, therefore, stop short of an assurance of peace.

Dr. Parker preached Saturday morning from the text, "Whereupon, O King Agrippa, I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision." He said that the whole of an earnest life is made up of a series of awakenings. Saul of Tarsus awoke to find that he had

### ATHENA ELECTION

The Athena Literary Society has elected the following officers for the spring term: President, Miss Lucile Bullard; vice-president, Miss Tula Waller; secretary, Miss Etiole Young; treasurer, Miss Laura Mae Bivens; critic, Miss Iris Chappelle; and marshal, Miss Janie Chandler.

Student (writing home) "How do you spell financially?"

Other "F-i-n-a-n-c-i-a-l-l-y, and there are two f's in embarrassed."  
—Harper's Magazine.

been running in the wrong direction, that his plan of life was wrong, and that it was necessary for him to change. When the awakening comes, it does not leave the awakened soul in despair, but it opens up the wonderful vision of life in Christ. When the vision comes, the only thing to do is to follow as far as it leads.

"For whosoever will save his life shall lose it; and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it" was the text used Saturday night. Dr. Parker said that there is a great conflict between two very distinct and different kinds of life. It is the world against the Spirit, the temporal against the eternal. Just as Christ was crucified to the world, so every man who wishes to enter into the power harmony, and peace of God must be crucified.

The text for the Sunday morning sermon was the seventeenth verse of the twenty-second chapter of Revelation, "And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely." Christ is not a mere bringer of a new creed, nor is he a new prophet, said Dr. Parker, but he is a bringer of life. Christ brings to thirsty men the water of life. Americans sometimes talk boastfully of Europe today, but there is a similar trouble with them. The trouble with Europe is nationalism; with America it is money. What is needed is more of the spirit of Christ. This life can be obtained only by accepting Christ, who is life.

The final sermon was preached Sunday night from the following text, "The world passeth away and the lusts thereof, but that doeth the will of God abideth forever." God wants men to understand that if they be his followers, they have a hard battle to fight and a great victory to win. The great help that is needed is found in Christ. The fine art of Christian living, said Dr. Parker, is to know how to use the things that are given and not to slave to them. We are not Christians, he said, by dreaming, but by the selfishness and sinfulness overcome.

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