

MELTON TO BE PRESIDENT OF UNIVERSITY

COLUMBIA ATTORNEY ELECTED UNANIMOUSLY AT MEETING OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Dr. Currell Will Become Dean of Graduate School

William D. Melton, one of the best known and ablest lawyers in South Carolina and one of the leading business men of Columbia was last Monday unanimously elected president of the University of South Carolina to succeed Dr. William Spenser Currell who had resigned at the January meeting of the board of trustees. Mr. Melton accepted the presidency last evening.

Mr. Melton will assume the duties of presidency sometime between July 1 and September 1 and will abandon all his business and professional activities, devoting his entire time to up-building the university.

Concurrently with the election of Mr. Melton as president

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BIG TRIANGLE DEBATE TONIGHT

Tennessee Meets Florida in Chicora College Chapel

Tonight in three cities will be met the representatives from three state universities to debate the subject, "Resolved that, tolls on American coastwise vessels passing thru the Panama Canal should be repealed."

This debate between Tennessee, Florida and Carolina is known as the Big Triangle. The Carolina affirmative team goes to Gainesville, Fla. to meet the representatives from Tenn. Our negative team will debate in Knoxville. At eight thirty o'clock tonight in the chapel of Chicora College the Tenn. and Fla. angle of the debate will be settled.

Last year Carolina was the

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W. D. MELTON

Pres.-Elect of the University

BASEBALL TEAM RETURNS FROM TRIP

Lynchburg and W. & L. Defeated—Other Contests Taken by Opponents.—College of Charleston Beaten 15-3.

Carolina began her baseball season in great style when she defeated the Columbia Comers 3 to 2. It was a balm to our spirits to see the professionals come to the bat and take their seat without tasting of any of the curved offerings presented by Carolina's hope, Peters. The whole team hit well and the day was ours. This makes us hope that the old state championship will come home to us to roost.

Lynchburg Next Victim.

On the first game of the northern tour Lynchburg College was conquered to the tune of 10-5. "Rock" Snipes pitched this game.

Washington & Lee Subdued.

The following day we came in contact with W. & L. at Lexington. Peters again proved too much for the opposing batsmen and again victory was ours. The whole team played well, the score was 7-5 in Carolina's favor.

The Turning.

Now comes the sad and mournful part. Whether it was fatigue or stronger teams or what, the fact remains that there were no more Gamecock victories and only defeats to the end of the trip.

V. M. I. won their game by good pitching and heavy hitting. Then came the game with Georgetown and that also ended in victory for the opponents by a 5-12 score. Catholic Uni-

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WOFFORD POWERLESS ON CINDER PATH

Gamecocks Win First Victory of Season by 64-24 Score

In the first track meet of the season Carolina decisively defeated the Wofford Terriers in Spartanburg last Friday, April 7. The track of the Wofford athletic field was in no suitable condition for the contest so it was held at the Fair grounds. The Gamecock superiority was every where manifested, and in only two events did Wofford win a first place. When the final act of addition came the score stood, Carolina 64, Wofford 24.

The whole team showed up well and the meet augurs well for a successful track season.

Waite was the outstanding Carolina star, taking first place in three events, the shot put, the javelin throw, the discus throw. Parsons and Poole each took two first places, Parsons winning the 880 yard and mile run. Poole won the 100 yard and 220 yard dashes. Benet, of the Wofford team, won the high jump and tied Smith for the first place in the broad jump.

S. I. N. A. MEETS AT FURMAN

The Southern Intercollegiate Newspaper Association will meet at Furman April 28 and 29. This Association includes all the states below the Mason and Dixon line. Its purpose is to raise the standard of the college newspapers of the South.

This organization was begun at University of Richmond last year with twenty members; since then the number has grown considerably. Furman with G. W. C., were the guests of the S. C. Press Association last fall, and by their invitation will make Greenville the Mecca of the college scribes.

NEW YORK DEBATERS DEFEAT CAROLINA 4-1

Powerful Arguments of New Yorkers Too Much for Young Carolina Orators

New York University completed its Southern debating campaign by defeating University of South Carolina last Friday night by a score of 4 to 1. There was a triumphal march, leaving in their wake broken and defeated teams. Before scalping Carolina, they snowed under University of Richmond and Trinity on the same subject, "Resolved, that the principle of the closed shop in American industry is justifiable." New York in all three of the debates showed wherein the negative was the correct solution of the question.

The Gothamites have the privilege of being the first team in two years to defeat us on the debating platform. But defeat always comes even in the best regulated of families.

This conflict of intellects has been popularly styled the "North and South" debate. On last Friday night it might be said to be characteristic of the two sections, Oratory vs. Facts. And as always Facts won. The Carolinians based their efforts on broad generalities and high-sounding oratory. But the gentlemen from New York furnished statistics and specific instances.

George H. Wittkowsky, "The green country bumpkin fresh from the swamps of the Water-teree," opened for Carolina, as first affirmative. In his interesting address he gave the broad principles upon which the Closed Shop in his opinion was founded. He followed this with an explanation of the need

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SHERWOOD EDDY TO CONDUCT REVIVAL HERE ON APRIL 24-25

Noted Speaker Will Address Students on "Student Problems"

Sherwood Eddy, a world figure in Christian leadership will conduct a two days' revival service at the University beginning Apr. 24. Mr. Eddy will speak at least twice daily at the University at chapel hour and begin at 7 o'clock at night.

All of his addresses will be delivered in the chapel. "Modern Student Problems" will be the general subject selected by Mr. Eddy for his addresses at the University, the particular lecture topics being selected from the following: "Challenge of the Present World Situation," "The Challenge of America's Problems," "The Challenge of Campus Problems," "What Shall I Do With My Life," and "A Rational Faith For the Modern Student."

For the past 25 years Mr. Eddy has been engaged in work among university students in America, Europe and Asia. He is a native of Kansas. He was graduated from Yale in 1891,

and after taking post graduate work at Princeton and working for several years among American colleges he went to India in 1896. After 15 years of service he was called to be secretary for the international committee of the Young Mens Christian Association. His work in this capacity among the students and officials of India, China, Japan, the Near East and Russia have given him a grasp upon Eastern questions that few Americans of the day can boast.

In years filled with untiring activity he has found time for useful authorship, beginning with his "Supreme Decision," there followed his books on "The Awakening of Asia," "The students of Asia," "With Our Soldiers in France," "The Right to Fight," and in most recent volume, "Everybody's World" interpreting present conditions in Japan, China, India, Near East and Russia showing America's relations to present world problems.

GA., N. C. AND S. C. TO MEET ON DAVIS FIELD TODAY

BIG TRACK EVENT OF SEASON

This afternoon at 3 o'clock will be held the Triangle Track Meet between University of Ga., N. C. and S. C. This should prove to be one of the most interesting athletic events of the season and every student should be on Davis field to encourage his team. Carolina has a strong aggregation and should make a great showing. Captain Waite, should be in his glory.

Poole, the track wonder from Greenville H. S. is to be watched in his first big college meet. Prevost will run the two mile race. Soc Ervin will make an exhibition of his pole vaulting. In fact this is going to be a big day. The pupils of Prof. Mercer are to show what his coaching has done. If you have any college spirit or curiosity you will be there.