

Meeting of the Southern Section

Chapel Hill. — The Fourth Annual Meeting of the Southern Section of the Classical Association of the Middle West and South was held at the University of North Carolina, May 7, 8, 9, 1925. Owing to the lateness of the meeting the attendance was not as large as usual. President Webb was unable to be present on account of sickness.

Thursday evening was devoted to an address by Professor W. K. Prentice of Princeton University on "The Best Thing in Ancient Greece," which he took to be the emancipation of the Greek soul from the binding traditions of religion, the beginning of the reign of reason.

Professor W. L. Carr of the University of Michigan took charge of the program of Friday evening and discussed the classical investigation. Part of the time was devoted to a discussion of high-school Latin, especially in continuation of Professor R. G. Peoples' paper, "Shortening the Sword," by which he meant shortening the amount of Latin to be read in school.

The association was delightfully entertained by Professor and Mrs. G. A. Harrer on Friday afternoon. A smoker was given the visitors by members of the language faculties.

Professor H. M. Poteat of Wake Forest College, N. C., was elected president for 1925-26. Professor A. Pelzer Wagener of Roanoke College, Salem, Va., succeeded Professor E. L. Green as secretary. The following papers were read:

PROFESSOR H. M. POTEAT, Wake Forest College: "Hannibal Trismegistus."

PROFESSOR A. PELZER WAGENER, Roanoke College: "Philip Melanchthon Praeceptor Germaniae."

PROFESSOR WILLIAM N. THOMAS, Howard College: "Some Things About Ausonius and His Writings."

PROFESSOR E. L. GREEN: "An Old Student's Recollection of Professor Gildersleeve."

PROFESSOR ALLAN H. GILBERT, Trinity College: "The Katharsis of Pity and Fear in the Poetics of Aristotle."

PROFESSOR CHRISTOPHER LONGEST, University of Mississippi: "Spain as an Heir of Rome."

PROFESSOR A. P. HAMILTON, Millsaps College: "The Humor of Horace."

PROFESSOR MABEL K. WHITESIDE, Randolph-Macon Woman's College: "Possibilities in Greek."

PROFESSOR CLARENCE E. BOYD, Emory University: "A Great Exponent of Graeco-Roman Research."