

# Quachita Alommi.

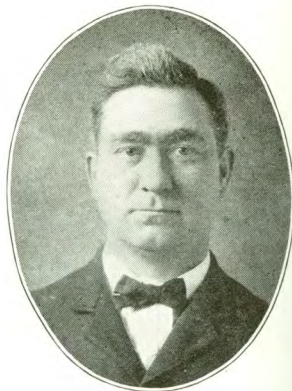




W. J. Hammond, '05,  
Superintendent Hope Public  
Schools.



Lloyd A. Rowland, '99,  
Attorney-at-Law,  
Bartlesville, Okla.



W. M. Jones '97,  
Druggist,  
Magnolia, Ark.



## Who's Who Among the 450; or, The Ouachita Alumni.

By J. Roger Williams.



"By their fruits ye shall know them"—stamped with the authority of the Galilean Minister—is a maxim which has forced its way by its very essence of concreteness into every known human activity. Abstraction, like idealism, is freely indulged in by the general, but much abstraction "maketh the heart sick." Concreteness is the cry of the age. The "Kentucky thoroughbred" in the abstract is the perfect horse, but "Silver Spot" must first be tried on the track. The college is not an exception to this law. Colleges, like men, are known by their fruits. Harvard has remained in the foreground among American colleges, because Harvard men have proved its worth; so with Oxford in England; so with Paris in France. The school that is filling the needs of its particular province and sowing the seeds which are to blossom and ripen into yet more abundant fruitage is a success. But in every case the quality of the fruit is the ultimate test.

Ouachita, only a year past the age of maturity herself, justly boasts of her alumni. Her policy throughout her career has been the establishment of a liberal foundation in Arts and Literature, and her alumni have proved the wisdom of such a policy. Her students realize the wisdom of Lord Dundreary's famous proverb, "Birds of a feather gather no moss," and they act accordingly. Each graduate, therefore, stands on what he himself is and does; at the same time the statistics would have to go many miles before he would find a single group of men and women so strongly bound together with "hoops of steel" as is the Ouachita Alumni.

The first and the legitimate test of every college is the test of scholarship. Do the waters of the classic Ouachita create a thirst for the waters of the Charles, of the Thames, of the Rhine? In the field of Mathematics, for instance, Professor B. F. Condray, '94, has won a very wide and justly high reputation. He has filled the chair of Mathematics in his Alma Mater, in the A. & M. of Mississippi, and he has received deserved praise at Chicago and at Stanford, not only for his exceptional, but for his unusual ability. In modern languages, Professor W. M. Briscoe, '00, who now holds a chair in Ouachita, has continued research work in Chicago, Grenoble, and Marburg. Professor Briscoe and his wife, Ruby Hunt-Briscoe, '07, are now contemplating a return to the Continent in the near future. In English, R. M. Caldwell, '03, who received special distinction in Columbia University and who now has a traveling fellowship in Germany, and J. R. Williams, '07, who spent '07-08 in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Harvard; in Philosophy, W. S. Johnson, '90, who occupies the chair of Philosophy in the University of Arkansas; in Romance Languages, Miss Mabel Johnson, '07, now completing a Ph.D. Course in the University of Illinois; in Medicine, J. S. Moore, '05, and R. M. Blakely, '07, in Theology, L. W. Webb, '06, and W. F. Rogers, '07—all are carrying the Ouachita ore into the market and its assay is showing high figures for Ouachita.

Next to scholarship, a college measures its results largely by its public men—its lawyers, its ministers, its teachers, its physicians. No table

of Ouachita's professional men could with any degree of accuracy be prepared, for public service is not measured on scales. Arkansas, from the Mississippi to the Ozarks, from the zinc mines of the North to the cotton belt of the South, is affected by some Ouachita alumnus. Nor indeed are her alumni confined to Arkansas's walls. Ouachita's radius is too wide to inscribe a circle within Arkansas alone. Included in Ouachita's alumni are lawyers of such prominence as L. A. Rowland, '99, of the firm of Veazey & Rowland, Bartlesville, Okla.; Kie Oldham, '89, Little Rock; J. M. Carter, '89, Judge of the Seventh District of Arkansas; B. A. Lewis, '00, Texarkana; Jno. H. McMillian, '93, of Arkadelphia; D. W. McMillian, '00, of Hope; Aylmer Flenniken, '90, of El Dorado; J. T. Shipman, '02, Bartlesville, Okla.; T. E. Mears, '97, Hamburg; J. G. Lile, '89, Conway; Basil Baker, '95, Jonesboro; Josiah Hardage, '91, Arkadelphia; and J. D. Atwood, '04, of Naples, Texas.

Numbered among her ministers who are ever widening the skirts of light and making the struggle with darkness narrower, are such as F. F. Gibson, '97, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Fort Smith; R. G. Bowers, '99, financial secretary for the Ouachita-Central System of Schools; W. T. Amis, '99, of the First Baptist Church, Hot Springs; O. J. Wade, '97, of Immanuel Church, Little Rock; Giles C. Taylor, '91, of Corsicana, Texas; C. N. James, '00, of Oxford, Ala.; J. S. Rogers, '01, secretary of missions for the Arkansas State Board, Little Rock; C. D. Wood, Jr., '04, Dyersburg, Tenn.; E. J. A. McKinney, '94, editor of the Baptist Advance, Little Rock; H. F. Vermillion, '04, Roswell, New Mexico; R. E. Reed, '95, Louisville, Ky.; and J. N. Lawless, of the Tri-State Sanitarium, Memphis, Tenn.

Four foreign missionaries are included among the graduates of Ouachita: Thomas Hearn, '89, China; Pen Lile Compere, '99, Africa; J. S. Compere, '01, Africa; and T. E. Ward, '07, Africa.

In the class of eminent physicians are: J. H. Kinsworthy, '89, of Little Rock; J. H. E. Rosamond, '99, of Memphis, Tenn.; Robert Wallis, '91, of Rockdale, Texas; R. E. Pryor, '03, Bartles-

ville, Okla.; A. H. Briscoe, '96, Alexandria, La.; and D. B. Luck, '00, Pine Bluff.

Among the large number of business men who have achieved success are: R. E. L. Eagle, '89, England; E. L. Studolph, '03, Arkadelphia; G. W. Garrett, '96, Jonesboro, La.; Jno. L. Hargrove, '96, Washington, D. C.; B. E. Hinton, '97, Labor Department, Washington, D. C.; J. T. Meek, '99, Cincinnati, Ohio; E. R. Wilson, '00, Fayetteville, Ark.; C. Roy Davis, '03, New York city; W. P. Wilson, '05, Arkadelphia; M. G. Wade, '05, El Dorado.

In no profession is Ouachita more ably represented than in that of teaching. The Ouachita teacher has "let his light so shine" that the Ouachita seal now places him as a leader in his profession. Besides Condray, Briscoe, and Johnson, already referred to, are: A. B. Hill, '05, of Texarkana; J. R. Allen, '01, of Pine Bluff; S. A. Rowland, '07, of Fayetteville; J. F. Rorex, '97, of Sunnyside, Wash.; W. J. Hammond, '05, of Hope; A. H. Briscoe, '00, of Oklahoma College, Blackwell, Okla.; C. E. Scott, '00, of Magazine, C. E. Condray, '05, of Fordyce, Nancy Meek, '07, of Cotesfield, Neb.; R. E. Crump, '08, of Emmett; Laura Horn, '99, of Arkadelphia; E. W. McGough, '08, of Washington; and Esther Rosamond, '05, of El Dorado.

The effect of the æsthetic life at Ouachita remains always a tangible one in the character and conduct of Ouachita men and women. Ouachita women combine learning with Southern vivacity and refinement, and they are content to fill their spheres. Perhaps, after all, that things are not so ill with you and me as they might have been is half owing to the number who have lived faithfully a hidden life. Ouachita women are keeping pace with Ouachita men—they are living faithfully their hidden lives.

**Note.**—The attempt was made to secure photographs of all the graduates of Ouachita. Some, however, were unable to comply with our request for this issue. In some future issue of "The Ouachitonian" we hope to have pictures of every graduate.





Mrs. Gus Haynes, '97.  
 Miss Jane Wood, '06.  
 Mr. Aylmer Fenniken, '90.  
 Prof. T. L. Ballenger, '05.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Anders, '02.  
 Miss Esther Rosamond, '05.  
 Miss Lucy Sanders, '08.  
 Miss Etta Pryor, '05.

Rev. D. H. Gill, '96.  
 Rev. L. T. Grumbles, '03.  
 Miss E. May Pryor, '06.  
 A. B. Hill, '04.  
 Miss Carrie Kauffman, '06.  
 Mrs. W. E. McRae, '99.  
 Mrs. R. S. Keating, '02.

C. A. Rowland, Jr., '08.  
 Dr. J. H. Kinsworthy, '89.  
 Rev. W. F. Rogers, '07.  
 J. P. Crawford, '03.  
 L. L. Tidwell, '08.  
 R. E. Crump, '08.  
 J. G. Lile, '89.  
 Prof. W. S. Johnson, '90.



Miss Mary Pifer, '07.  
 Miss Elizabeth Butler, '36.  
 Mrs. L. R. Scarborough, '92.  
 J. E. Hawkins, '96.  
 R. E. Reed, '95.  
 Mrs. H. C. Perry, '05.  
 A. J. Vestal, '05.  
 Mrs. F. A. Vanderen, '02.  
 Miss Fay Harris, '06.  
 Miss Florence McClure, '06.  
 Prof. A. J. Nelson, '91.  
 Mrs. L. A. Jones, '95.  
 J. L. Carter, '05.

Prof. W. P. Keith, '03.  
 Rev. J. F. Rorex, '97.  
 R. v. H. F. Vermillion, '04.  
 Mrs. Clay Henderson, '03.  
 B. E. Hinton, '97.  
 Miss Lucy Denson, '00.  
 Prof. C. E. Condray, '05.  
 Mrs. H. H. Peel, '02.  
 Miss Lucile Conger, '04.  
 Mrs. R. W. Peel, '00.  
 Prof. E. W. McGough, '08.  
 Miss Bertie Erwin, '01.  
 Mrs. J. W. Barnett, '98.

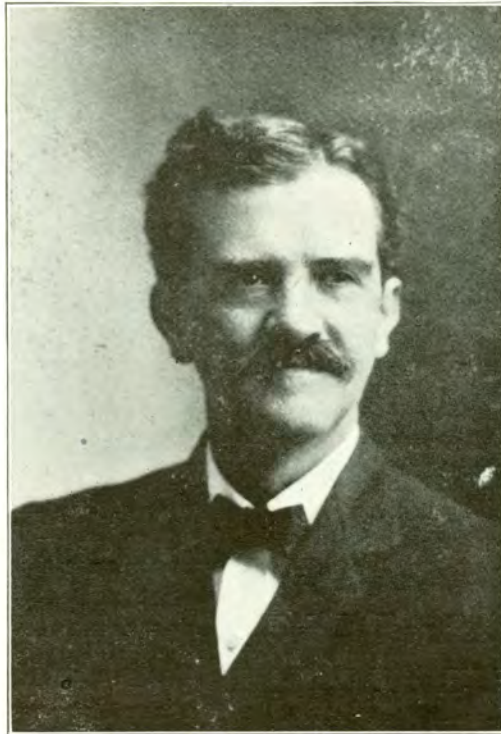
Miss Theodore Blake, '03.  
 Mr. C. C. Remley, '02.  
 Mrs. C. E. Myrick, '01.  
 Miss Midgie Newby, '02.  
 Rev. I. G. Harris, '05.  
 Mrs. Irving Rudolph, '02.  
 Miss Rita Edwards, '03.  
 Mrs. W. J. Peterson, '02.  
 Mrs. W. E. Oneal, '99.  
 Miss Edith Swanson, '05.  
 V. G. Hinton, '97.  
 E. R. Willson, '01.  
 Prof. S. H. Allen, '95.



Miss Iris Moore, '05.  
 Miss Eva Moore, '05.  
 Mrs. A. S. Hamilton, '04.  
 R. W. Dudley, '08.  
 Mrs. Rose Edwards-Winters, '95.

Dr. G. E. Cannon, '95.  
 G. S. Tatum, '07.  
 Rev. J. G. Harris, '05.  
 H. G. Thomasson, '03.  
 Miss Elise Conger, '05.

Miss Jewell Middlebrook, '08.  
 Mrs. W. R. Brooksher, '90.  
 Prof. A. H. Briscoe, '00.  
 Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Anders, '02.  
 Mrs. E. M. Sleeker, '98.



## Dr. J. W. Conger.

By W. P. Wilson.



Two years ago, Dr. J. W. Conger, first President of Ouachita College, the man who loved the Institution "with a love that was more than love," and directed her splendid progress for twenty-one years as carefully as could a father direct the course of a child, and as a result of his painstaking work builded us one of the leading educational institutions of our State and of the South, left us for another field of activity. At that time we were so close to his wonderful personality and were so impressed with his varied faculties that we could not see properly the greatness of the entire man. To-day we look across the plain of two years' time and view with ever-increasing admiration this mountain peak in the range of men. It is ours to get but an outline of the faculties of this prince of men. He was untiring in energy, practical and careful in business, long in foresight, "noble in reason," devout in purpose, big in heart, forgiving in temperament, great in prayer, and spiritually minded.

His was a frame that, though often racked with pain, worked on unceasingly and uncomplainingly; his was a mind with the intuitive power of

a woman, flooded with lofty thoughts and noble aspirations; his was a heart that found room for all, and had a constant throb for every friend; his was a soul of heaven's tuning; and his a faith that saw the sun of righteousness illumining every cloud of trial and disappointment. To give but a rough sketch of our beloved friend, we would say with the poet, that his was

"A combination and a form indeed  
Where every god did seem to set his seal  
To give the world assurance of a Man."

We, his friends, wish to assure him through "The Ouachitonian" that he is not forgotten. We want him to feel now that many hearts are throbbing warm for him. We ask that he accept our esteem, our appreciation, and our love for the wonderful work he has done for the Baptists of Arkansas and for the boys and girls of our beloved State. We reach a glad hand across the "crick" to you, "Dr. Jack." May its hearty clasp speak our wishes to you for a great number of years full of health, happiness, usefulness, and success.

## Calendar — 1908-09.



### September, 1908.

15. Matriculation. Mirrors, tapelines and scales in demand.
16. School opens. I. Burton appears in uniform. Comments on rules and regulations given to students. Society members begin work.
20. Maude Anderson thinks of taking up voice.
22. Florence Nimmo enters school. Dick more cheerful.
23. Paleography Class meets Professor Moore.
25. Dr. Wallace Buttrick, of New York, secretary of the General Education Board, visits Ouachita.

27. Address to the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. by Mr. Moffatt Rhodes.

29. Arrival of Captain Jackson. Boys give one last, long, lingering look at civilian dress.

30. Cadets appear in uniform. A. M., Mr. Bradham, of Warren, makes a Chapel talk for the benefit of all the students. P. M., Mr. Bradham makes a parlor talk for the benefit of one student.

### October.

1. Arrival of Coach Ryan. Boys appear on athletic field.

2. Mose thinks of his prospects for heaven.

5. S. D. C.s have first meeting.

6. Miss Hester Gould enters school.

7. Professor Moore takes up study of French. Mr. Frederick Ward gives Shakespearian recital.

8. The "student orator" enters school.

9. A new diamond is the result of a mission collection.

10. Librarian reports Professors Kelly and Simpson.

12. Reception to Hendrix football boys. Girls meet "Jamie."

13. Faculty recital. Ouachita gloriously defeats Hendrix in football.

16. Trip to Hot Springs. Battalion gives exhibition drill at Fair Grounds. Return from Hot Springs at 11 p. m. under "auspicious" circumstances.

17. Bill and Duncan don't speak.

19. Alligator disappears from the fountain.

21. Miss Fleetwood has a new alligator purse.

22. Miss McBryde detected chewing gum.

23. Irl goes home.

25. Irl comes back.

26. Professor Moore calls. Light bell rings at 12 o'clock.

27. Announced that basket-ball girls are excused from drill.

28. Sixty girls report to play basket-ball. Coach Ryan says all candy and chocolates must be put aside.

29. Ten girls report to play basket-ball.

31. Ghosts dine in Young Ladies' Home. Dance on campus at 12 o'clock.

### November.

1. "Sis Ivie" and "Sis Lizzie" arrive from Oak Leaf.

2. Foot-ball boys go to Little Rock. Soldiers meet their Waterloo (?).

4. Misses Burrow give a recital.

5. The little Thickstuns appear in "Rough Rider" suits.

9. Win foot-ball game with Hot Springs, 23 to 0.

11. Charles Townsend receives a package from Hinds & Nobles.

12. Charles Townsend reads his Latin correctly.

13. Professor Johnson smiles.

14. Floyd Featherston entertains, but—"You couldn't hardly notice it at all."

16. Dick Petty donates a ten-cent book to the Classical Club.

17. CRAM!

18-21. Exam—Flunk.

24. Torchlight parade.

25. Inter-Society contest. Hermesians win.

26. Thanksgiving. Boys call. Turkey for dinner. Boxes from home. Foot-ball game. Reception. Everybody hoarse.

27. Everybody makes "0" in classes.

### December.

1. Professor Leigh warns girls that they have only one more month of Leap Year.

2. Miss Sue Belle Wood visits the fortune-teller.

5. Seniors organize.



8. Joe has his notes in Psychology.
9. Professor Johnson leaves for Chicago. Psychology Class has a picnic.
14. Students' recital. Reception in auditorium.
15. Win foot-ball game with Magazine.
16. Mose makes speech at Washington. Lena cuts chapel.
17. Boys call. Lights go off.
18. Christmas holidays begin. Hic!

#### January, 1909.

1. Leap Year is over. Professor McAlister invites the young ladies of the Home over for dinner. Miss Dewey chaperones.
2. Professor Moore returns from St. Louis.
4. The whirl starts again.
6. Captain Jackson wishes to see all new students in his office.
8. The elements "pour out."
9. Miss Sue Belle decides to go into another "State."
11. Drill for a change.
14. Professor Moore announces his candidacy for matrimony.
16. New students parade in new uniforms. Old students who went home have to drill extra.
17. "Percy" enters. Mary heard singing, "My love, thou art nearer."
23. Professor Briscoe and Ray Rowland go hunting and get—hungry.
25. Floy buys some more hair.
27. Faculty passes a provision that all "privileged" students shall drink at least three glasses of muddy water per day.
30. One of Miss McBryde's off days.

#### February.

1. Drill again.
2. Captain Jackson adopts a new uniform, sanctioned by President, Westbrook, and nurse.
4. Dick Petty goes a-wooing. Louise Crow has a caller.
7. Miss McBryde takes mumps.
8. Privileges come at last, also a "box of monkeys."
9. Sergeant Burton is promoted to first lieutenant and flunky. Order of Captain Jackson.
10. Dr. Hartzog makes a Chapel talk, urging all students to hand in pictures for "The Ouachitonian" at once.
11. Faculty posts the following rule: "All Seniors must not get off the concrete walk when going to the Baptist Church."
12. Pony riders have pictures made.
13. Philomathean Faculty program, celebrating birth of Lincoln. Grumbles reads Lincoln's favorite poem, "Why Should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud?" and it is taken for his own composition.

14. W. E. Downs wins distinction.
15. Valentine reception at the Young Ladies' Home. Many hearts exchanged. Wilfred Baars doesn't go home till morning.
18. Miss Dewey has a date.
21. Carl Hinton smiles at a girl.
22. The way in which Washington's birthday is celebrated: Miss Sue Belle, Miss Sweeney, and Miss Mamie Lee come to breakfast. Miss Fleetwood buys a new dress. The girls have a midnight feast in the Practice Hall. A box of flowers arrives from Brinkley from "Uncle Sam."
23. Surveying class have pictures made. Townsend fails to "cut."
25. Paradise (privileges) lost. Bill stays at home and 'phones to Luck.
26. Joe goes to see Aileen. Geraldine despondent.
27. Dr. Hartzog returns from Chicago. Hermesian Moot Court. Moses makes the speech of his life.
28. Cal Jackson uses his privileges.

#### March.

1. Guard mount. The adjutant mixed. Mrs. Veazey, of Dardanelle, takes the S. D. C.s to town.
3. Another appeal for "The Ouachitonian" by Dr. Hartzog. Says the first sixteen pages have already gone to the printer. Maud has a birthday.
5. Paradise regained. Bill interviews Miss McBryde. Bertha awaits the result.
6. O. Mathis makes his ninth visit to the College.
7. Moses goes to church.
8. More Guard Mount.
9. Professor Kelly makes an announcement for track.
10. Joe Miller is in a good humor.
12. Charles Garrett calls on Miss Santee. Floy forced to go to Infirmary.
13. Louise Crow goes to sleep in Analytics.
14. "Privileged" boys come to call in lower half of white uniforms. Miss McBryde tells them they have forgotten something and refuses admittance.
15. Bruce goes to Little Rock.
17. Professor Leigh makes a "jug" talk in Chapel.
19. Mary sends Leon his release.
20. Philomathean Senate in regular session.
21. White trousers admitted this time.
22. Guard Mount for another Monday.
23. Miss Goodgame matriculates for another course under Professor Moore.
25. Bill again interviews Miss McBryde. She interviews the list posted in President's bulletin-board. Bill goes home.

26. "If I were the Devil." Moving picture show. Professor Johnson leaves.

29. Exams. Everybody passes. The President makes talk about superior intellects of the girls. Gail smiles and looks satisfied. President says there is one exception. Bruce smiles and looks satisfied.

#### April.

1. April fool.
2. Professor Moore calls on all "privileged" characters.
3. Junior recital by Cæsar.
5. Everybody happy.
7. Maud poses the fifteenth time for pictures. Mr. Thompson orders new machine.
9. Professor Webb laughs out loud in logic class.
11. Professor Thickestun gets a hair-cut.
12. Students' recital.
13. Librarian tells Mose she does not keep "unbound" books in the library.
15. Seniors have a call meeting without a chaperone.
18. Professor Moore changes his seat in Chapel.
21. Girls decide to stop writing notes.
23. Miss Sweeney drinks buttermilk for a change.
25. Mr. Cagle calls on Mae Ware. Plans perfected.
26. Corporal McAlister goes for his mail.
28. Gresham Reed begins taking anti-fat. Some others in school await results.
30. Junior-Senior reception. Many "Preps" ask to join Junior Class.

#### May.

1. Beautiful Saturday and the President opens his heart and takes the entire school on a picnic. Faculty and students walk together.

2. Hattie Dailey, the innocent, takes up a course in flirting. Carol Cone returns when the news reaches him.

3. "Little Sister" loses her gum.
4. The Corporal again goes to the postoffice.
7. Midget Hopson tries an experiment in growing tall—pumps, with five-inch French heels.
9. "Polly" Finger quits flirting and devotes his entire time to getting his arm in shape for better pitching.
10. Bill gives Bertha a logical conclusion to things.
11. Cal gets a "splinter" in his arm.
12. Jessie gets a message that her hat is lost. Tommie fills Jessie's date.
14. Professor Simpson enters the giddy whirl of Arkadelphia Society.
16. Sweetened eggs for supper at Young Ladies' Home. Corporal McAlister appears in white uniform and gets ducked in fountain.
17. Floy Davenport drills awkward squad.
19. Birkett is wounded in the mad rush from auditorium. Senior recital of the student orator.
20. Senior-Junior reception. The world is glorious.
22. Julia Williams cuts German.
23. Vera Hunt wears a smile.
- 26-28. Exams: "Of all sad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these: I've flunked again." Sherwood's recital.
29. Seniors appear in cap and gowns.

#### June.

1. Seniors get their sheepskins. Edah happy. Lena and Maude sorrowful. The Ouachita triumvirate broken. The saddest time in the life of a student. Everybody must say good-bye. Baccalaureate address by President Craighead, of Tulane University.





## The Ouachita Ripples.

Under the management of the six literary societies "The Ouachita Ripples" began its publication in 1890. This magazine was instituted with the view of encouraging and fostering the literary spirit in our College. Then our genius in a literary way was only great enough to afford material for a newspaper of sixteen pages. This was while Ouachita was still in her infancy. W. F. Condray was its first editor-in-chief. Our College paper during the first year met with such success that in the next year it was changed into a magazine.

This magazine of twenty-four pages continued to create and nourish the desire for good literature in the form of a first-class College magazine. In these first days of our magazine's publication, the passion to write and to sing was by no means inactive in the minds and hearts of Ouachita students.

That which represents life is ever subject to change; so was "The Ouachita Ripples." In 1902, therefore, our magazine assumed its present form. Since its origin in 1890 its publication has been continuous; seventeen volumes of the nineteen having been issued from the "Siftings-Herald" press.

The support given "The Ripples" by the Faculty and student body has been loyal. It is an instinct of the human heart to care for its own, so through these years "The Ripples" has been the foster child of the institution. We feel safe, therefore, in mod-

estly affirming that nothing has so promoted College spirit as has our College magazine.

Furthermore, "The Ripples" has kept us in touch with the progress of other institutions. It has aroused within us a desire to make ourselves a power in the College world. It has also been no little practical help to us, as it has been financed and controlled by the literary societies. Now few graduates go out from Ouachita who, while here, were not united with one of her literary societies. These ex-students, therefore, "The Ripples" serves to keep in close touch and sympathy with their Alma Mater. Thus for what it has accomplished, for what it is accomplishing, and for what it hopes to accomplish, we see how important a factor in the life and progress of our College is "The Ouachita Ripples."

1. W. A. Jackson, Philomathean, Exchange Editor.
2. T. J. Weatherall, Athenian, Circulating Manager.
3. W. J. Holloway, Philomathean, Local and Athletic Editor.
4. Maude Anderson, Alpha Kappa, Conservatory and Local Editor.
5. Lena Goodwin, Cerinnean, Literary Editor.
6. B. L. Williams, Hermesian, Editor-in-Chief.
7. Addie Pryor, Polymnian, Literary Editor.
8. D. S. Campbell, Athenian, Y. M. C. A. Editor.
9. H. L. Petty, Hermesian, Business Manager.



## Honors and Medals for 1908.



The J. W. Wilson medal for best drilled cadet, A. C. Neal.

The Dr. A. U. Williams \$5 award for best drilled cadet in Butt's Manual Exercises, H. L. Petty.

The Mrs. R. G. Bowers \$25 award for best oration delivered by a ministerial student, A. F. Cagle.

The Inter-Society medal for best essay, Miss Addie Pryor.

The Liebling medal for best public performer on piano from the Senior Class, Miss Grace Rice.

The Mrs. E. W. Thomas medal for advancement in Art, Miss Laura Adams.

The "Ripples" award for best prose contribution, A. C. Neal.

The "Ripples" award for best poem contributed, Wilfred Baars.

The W. D. Upshaw medal for best ready writer, C. H. Moses.

The Ouachita College medal for the best house-keeper, Miss Myrtle Freeman.

The Mrs. C. C. Scott medal in Christian graces, Miss Jennie D. Webb.



Mr. C. Bell,  
Our Faithful Engineer.



Miss Mae Ware,  
Superintendent Piano Practice.



Miss Effie Goodgame,  
Student Assistant in Latin.



Communing with Nature.



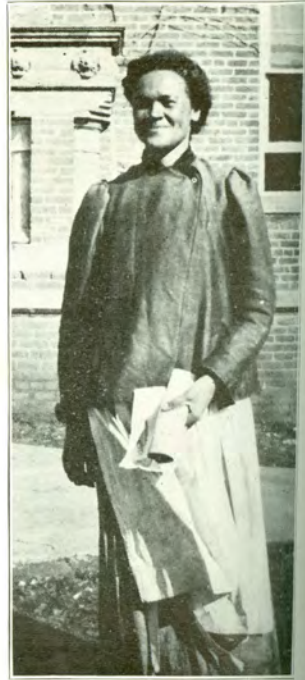
An Ideal Spot for Secrets.



On the River.



Westbrook, the Janitor.  
Now in the twentieth  
year of his work.



Pearl, the Housegirl.



At the Old Well.



Some Arkadelphia Residences.



## March to Hot Springs.



At 9:30, May 13, 1908, while the band was still playing "Home, Sweet Home," and while the girls were waving a sweet farewell, the command, "Forward, march!" given by Captain Jackson, was heard, and off moved the Ouachita Corps of Cadets for a 'cross-country march to Hot Springs. Notwithstanding the showery weather, the boys were in a joyous mood, and felt as though they could make the whole distance of thirty-five miles in one day. But long before time to strike camp the number of stragglers was fast increasing, and cries of "Let's eat dinner!" and "Cap., when are you going to stop?" were heard all along the line. Twelve miles were covered the first day, and, the night being somewhat stormy, there was not much sleeping done. However, the lack of sleep was replaced with the fun of a tired and jolly crowd.

Reveille had all up for an early breakfast, after which the column again took up march. May the 14th being a fine day for marching, about sixteen miles were covered before the halt for another night's rest.

A pleasant night was spent, and by 1 o'clock Friday afternoon the line was striking camp in Whittington Park. Here an exhibition drill was given on Saturday afternoon, which was witnessed by hundreds of people who were attending the Southern Baptist Convention. That night a special train landed us back at old Ouachita.



## Effusions from Three Spring Poets.

### ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

Marvin Richardson.

Abraham Lincoln, the man of fame,  
Started out in the world to make a name;  
But when a living he had to get,  
He found it to be a great backset.

But he overcame all of this,  
And went through life in silent bliss;  
By having a determined mind,  
He left nothing undone behind.

He would sit up till late at night,  
To read the books that were in sight;  
And his light would grow so dim,  
Till his slate he'd have to trim.

So he soon learned how to do  
A problem in an Arithmetic or two;  
But he still remembered the day whence  
That he built the old rail fence.

By reading all that he could find,  
He quickly broadened out his mind;  
Then said the people in the neighborhood  
He learned it by figuring it in the wood.

He thought there was no time to tarry,  
But he must hurry up and marry;  
So at this very time in life,  
He found himself a nice young wife.

Now into politics he flew,  
For there were a few things which he knew;  
So in a little race he ran  
And stood by for the better hand.

At last to the office of President,  
By the good people he was sent;  
And in this place his life was ended,  
At an age that made him bended.

### TO-MORROW.

Everette L. Spriggs.

With a life that is faithful, let each do his part,  
Let Charity into our life; a song into our heart.  
O Truth, help us brighten this world full of woe;  
Let our acts be honest wherever we go.



So let us be faithful; so let us be true;  
To-day is your own, it belongs to you.  
To-morrow never comes, yesterday is gone,  
Day draws to a close, finds us nearer our home.

### TO OUACHITA.

W. B. Oneal.

Ouachita, you're now my home;  
So let me pen of thee,  
That men reading may truly feel,  
Thy glories plainly see.

Ouachita speaks for herself,  
Throughout the entire South  
By thoughts penned from busy hands,  
Or words from trained mouth.

Noble deeds of heroes grand,  
Who moved through this old hall,  
Make merry many weary hearts,  
With joy, wherein was gall.

What seats here, O Ouachita,  
Such noble men did hold!  
And tell me, if I sit on them,  
Will I be brave and bold?

Ouachita, I look to thee,  
To lead me up and up  
Until I touch the golden rim  
Of honored Wisdom's cup.





Bedroom.



Parlor.

Young Ladies' Home.



Miss Edith A. Roper,  
Preceptress, 1907-1908.



Just Fishing.



Mr. Leroy Thompson and Miss Ruth Burrows.  
 Whose infinite patience in taking the photos for "The Ouachitonian" is highly appreciated.



Philomathean-Alpha Kappa.

SOCIETY HALLS.  
 Hermesian-Corinnean.

Athenian-Polymnian.

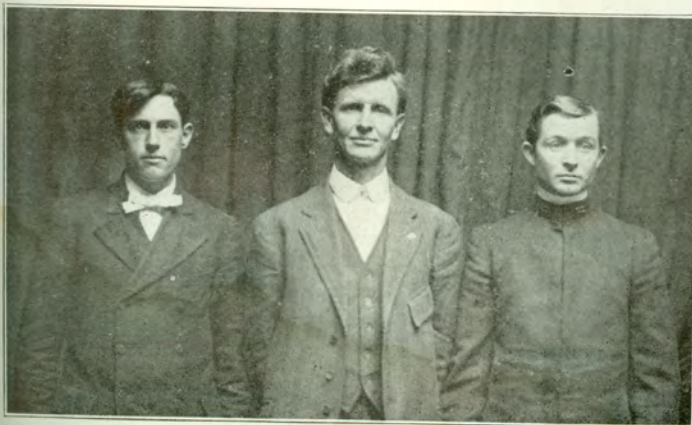


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Ministerial students who have entered Oua-  
chita since the holidays.

First Row:

- Corporal. . . . H. L. McAlister  
Corporal. . . . F. S. Finger  
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Corporal. . . . O. C. Brewer  
Corporal. . . . J. E. Barham  
Corporal. . . . J. G. Richardson

Second Row:

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Sergeant. . . . D. Flanagan  
Sergeant. . . . J. J. Miller  
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Sergeant. . . . C. J. Tidwell  
Sergeant. . . . J. B. Luck

## Grinds.



Bruce: "What are you singing for?"  
Bob: "Just to kill time."  
Bruce: "You've sure got a good weapon."

Miss Sweeney (catching Maude Frisby out of her room): "Maude, where have you started?"  
Maude: "Nowhere; I've decided to go back now."

Miss McBryde: "Are you going to take supper anywhere to-morrow night?"  
Prof. Moore: "No, not that I know of."  
Miss McBryde (serenely): "My, but won't you be hungry the next morning!"

Lena Goodwin (preparing to teach a grammar class): "'Is' is an object complement."  
Joe Miller (a Senior, to photographer): "Which way shall I turn my eye?"  
Mr. Thomas: "Toward that sign, please."  
(Sign reads, "Terms cash.")

Charles Wallis: "If I were to steal a kiss, would it scare you so you would scream?"  
Irl: "I couldn't; fright always makes me dumb."

Prof. Johnson: "Name five members of the cat family."  
Edah Hopson: "Father cat, mother cat, and three little kittens."

Prof. Kelly was about to step into his new \$2,500 automobile, when three of the bed-slats dropped on the floor and he awoke.

Clerk: "Maude Anderson complains that her pictures don't resemble her."  
Mr. Thomas: "Complains! Why, she ought to be gratified."

Sunday-school Teacher: "Miss Gann, the Lord is with you everywhere. He is by your side. He is under your chair."  
Irl (jumping down quickly): "Shew, Lord! get from under my chair."

There is a remarkable similarity between the characters of Louis Hiram Crow and Marcus Tullius Cicero.

Lovingly dedicated to Mr. C. D. Flanagan, with apologies to Croates:

"Although you thought  
I forsook you for  
Another, I will swear to you  
You are my only lover.  
My heart is pining for you alway,  
Although you give me no smile  
From day to day.

Can you desert me thus?  
You know I stay  
Night after night in the  
Loneliness to pray  
For the return of your love—  
And yet you take no pity on my tear.  
No, no; it cannot be,  
It will be here."

In return, this was most tenderly dedicated to Miss Gail Veazey:

"At Ouachita it was at a reception there  
You, my love, looked like a queen.  
Never shall I forget you,  
An since then a year it seems;  
You walked the halls with another,  
How that stung me through and through.  
How I could not help from thinking  
How I dear did love only you.  
Although you have forsaken me,  
My heart shall never cease pining;  
I'll take you with me 'n my dreams  
And love you until the sun stops shining."

"Peanuts, candy and popcorn balls  
Were not all that were for sale  
In Ouachita's stately halls,  
It was grab for this  
And grab for that  
Until Hill actually grabbed her  
Instead of his hat."

George Sheats prefers walking by the side of a shady lane to all other amusements.

Prof. McAlister: "How much is  $\frac{1}{2}$  plus  $\frac{1}{2}$ ?"  
Birkett: " $\frac{1}{4}$ ."

Vera: "I believe cotton is the coming product of Arkansas."

Floy is in love with the Garrett brand of goods.

Prof. McAlister loves anything "Dewey."

Prof. Kelly (after giving a talk on architecture): "Can anyone tell me what a buttress is?"  
"I know," shouted Ritchie De Laughter; "a nanny goat."

A Friend: "Mr. Brewer, has Ozero learned anything at college?"

Mr. Brewer: "No, and wuss 'n that, he can't eat pie now without a fork."

Hattie Daily is at present rejoicing over a newly mortgaged Christmas "Carol."

Georgia and Philip went up the hill,  
To fetch a pail of love,  
Phil fell down and spilt it all,  
And Georgia stayed all night in the  
Conservatory.