ALUMNI HALL.

A GRAND MEMORIAL OF THE UNIVERSITY CENTENNIAL.

At the Alumni Banquet during the recent celebration of the University Centennial it was resolved by the Alumni present to erect on the Campus a splendid building of handsome and imposing architecture to mark the ending of the first century of the University's life, and to stand as a perpetual memorial of the gratitude and affection of her sons.

This building will not only serve as a stately memorial, but will also supply a genuine and pressing need of the University. The basement and first floor of the building will be occupied by the lecture-rooms, laboratories and store-rooms of the Departments of Physics and Electrical Engineering, and also by the University Administrative Offices, towit, the President's, Registrar's, and Bursar's.

The second and third floors will be equipped for recitation and lecturerooms for all the Departments of the University; and will be constructed,
arranged and furnished after the very best models, thus concentrating
in one building all the teaching of the University, and devoting the
other buildings exclusively to dormitory purposes. The plan of mixing
in the same building rooms for instruction and for student occupancy
has been abandoned by all progressive institutions as being inconvenient
and disagreeable to both teachers and students.

The construction of Alumni Hall will practically add a new dormitory building to the University equipment; for, by withdrawing the lecture and recitation rooms from the present buildings, enough space will be gained to furnish dormitories for eighty additional students. This increase of dormitory accommodations is greatly needed; for already nearly one hundred students are forced to find rooms in the village.

In the construction of Alumni Hall the rooms on the second and third floors will be arranged with the purpose of converting them at each commencement into sleeping-rooms, sitting-rooms and reception-rooms for the Alumni, thus making Alumni Hall an Alumni Home. On the walls of

the public reception-room will be inscribed on tablets of bronze the names of all the donors to the fund for the erection of the Hall.

The following subscriptions have already been made:

Julian S. Carr	\$3.000
Class of 1868, through Paul B. Means	2,000
Thomas M. Holt	1,000
Geo. T. Winston	1,000
Class of 1880, through T. H. Battle (hopes to raise \$2,000)	1.000
Class of 1882, through C. W. Worth (hopes to raise \$2,000)	1,000
Class of 1886, through N. H. D. Wilson	600
D. G. Worth	500
Hill Burgwyn	500
Bennehan Cameron	500
W. A. Guthrie	500
Class of 1888, through E. M. Armfield	500
Class of 1885, through Julian S. Mann	500
Class of 1881, through C. D. McIver, R. W. Winborne	
and J. Y. Joyner (hope to raise \$1,000)	500
Class of 1887, through R. N. Hackett	500
Class of 1889, through Geo. S. Wills	500
Class of 1878, through Arthur Arrington	500
Class of 1893, through Perrin Busbee	500
Class of 1895, through H. H. Horne	500
W. F. Shaffner, Henry Johnson, Hugh Miller \$100 each	
(hope to raise \$1,000 for the class of 1890)	300
F. D. Winston \$100, John and James Manning \$100 (hope	
to raise \$500 for the elass of 1879)	200
Class of 1879 promised	200
Jos. A. Holmes	200
The following \$100 each: R. H. Lewis, R. H. Battle, B.	
A. Capehart (hopes to raise \$1,000 from elass), Thos.	
S. Kenan, Jas. E. Shepherd, B. F. Grady, Paul B.	
Barringer (for elass of 1842, in memory of his father),	
A. W. Haywood, E. Jones, Jos. B. Batchelor, C. C.	
Covington, E. P. McKissick, Jas. Parker, Prof. F. W.	
Simonds, Prof. W. D. Toy, Prof. Wm. Cain, Wm. R.	
Kenan'	1,700
Total\$	18,200

These subscriptions were made on the basis of promises by the Alumni present at the Banquet. It is hoped and expected that further contributions by correspondence and otherwise will secure from each class a subscription of at least \$1,000—insuring a total sum of not less than \$50,000.

The undersigned were appointed by the Alumni Association a committee to raise the money and erect the building. It is their purpose, as soon as \$30,000 is subscribed, to secure from leading architects in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago designs for the Hall, offering at least \$500 for the best plan submitted. The granite quarries of Mt. Airy and the brown and gray sandstone quarries near the University will furnish handsome and cheap building materials.

As soon as enough subscriptions are made to justify the committee in awarding the contract for the erection of the building, they will call for payment of the first installment of each subscription. This will probably occur in about six months from this date. All subscriptions will be paid to the Hon. R. H. Battle, Treasurer of the University, Raleigh, North Carolina. Full details of the plan of payment are contained in the enclosed note. Subscribers may pay the full amount at once, if they so desire, to Mr. Battle.

Alumni of the University and friends of higher education everywhere are cordially and earnestly invited to cooperate in this movement for the expansion of the University.

EDWIN A. ALDERMAN, FRANCIS D. WINSTON, LOCKE CRAIG,

Committee.

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I hereby agree to pay R. H. Battle, Raleigh, N. C., Treasurer of the University of Dollars for the crection of ALUMNI HALL on the University Campus, at Chapel Hill, to be expended under the direction of the Alumni Committee for building said Hall. This subscription is to be One-fifth in one year; One-fifth in two years; One-fifth in three years; and One-fifth in paid as follows: One-fifth when called for by said Battle, Treasurer, or his successor; four years respectively, thereafter, from the date of call for the first payment, with interest at 6 per cent, from the same date. This note is given to secure the erection of Alumni Hall and in consideration of subscriptions by others for the same purpose. North Carolina

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