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SOPHOMORE HOP NEXT FRIDAY

Sophomores 5; Reno High 0

In a Scrappy Contest the Sophs Come Out Victorious

That the University men are still enthusiastic over rugby football was shown on Thursday afternoon of this week when the Sophomores tested their strength against the Reno High school team. The game was exciting from start to finish and the spectators were continually cheering for the brilliant plays pulled off. The Sophomores had the advantage of their opponents as far as the weight goes but the local High school lads were decidedly quicker.

The first half opened with the High school kicking off to the Sophomores, who returned the ball to touch at the High school's 45-yard line. Neither team had any advantage over the other in the early part and the ball flew

back and forth in the center of the field. About the middle of the first half the Sophomores got their machine working and Delahide, their husky five-eighths, went over for a try, which was later converted by himself. This made the High school boys come back harder and several times they had the ball in the Sophomores' danger territory.

For the Sophomores Delahide, Wilson and Collins excelled in the open while Layman and Graysen played the best game of the forwards. Of the Reno High men Bringham, Barten, Golden and Burke played a splendid game. The second half ended with the score the same as in the first half. Darkness made it quite difficult for the players to follow the ball at the end of the game.

MISS DOTEN WILL SPEAK

Next Friday morning at 11:00 Miss Goodwin Doten '04 will address the general assembly. The topic chosen by Miss Doten is one that ought to interest every westerner.

It will be remembered that Miss Doten attended the National Educational League's meeting in Boston last summer and while there she was asked several rather odd questions. The way she answered them she intends telling us next Friday in her pleasing and interesting style.

Miss Doten is now principal of the Latin department of the Reno High school

Former Student Claimed by Death

The students and faculty will regret to hear that Ed Comerford, a former student of this University and popular newspaperman of Virginia City, passed away last Friday morning at his home in the Comstock. The funeral was held Sunday, the parents being unable to attend on account of their absence in Canada.

The deceased was well and favorably known on the hill, being prominent in student activities during his attendance at this institution. He was a member of the T. H. P. O. fraternity and the number of friends who mourn his death is large.

Dr. Parker Makes Address

Tells Faculty of the Objects of the Rhodes Scholarships

The faculty meeting called last Wednesday was for the express purpose of giving the members of the faculty an opportunity of meeting and hearing Dr. Parkin, trustee of the Rhodes scholarship fund. His address was interesting, instructive, and of importance to the University as a whole. It was somewhat as follows:

The common idea of scholarships is that of awarding a sum of money to the student having the highest standing in a competition, regardless of his character, station, etc., but Rhodes founded his scholarships on another idea. Rhodes' idea does not lay its stress on a "walking dictionary," but on the man and his executive ability. A man who studies day and night is not the one wanted for a Rhodes scholarship, but a man who loves the open air, who loves the games and sports, and who wants to do things and does them. A man's qualities as leader is emphasized in the requirements and by this it is not to be taken that the person must be a football star, or excel in the sports and intends to win at any cost, but the person must love sport and be a true sportsman. He must play fair and would rather lose playing fairly than gain a victory by colored means.

It was stated that President Lowell of Harvard said he has never known a time when the respect of education has been so low as it is today. There is some great cause for this, and maybe one of

er interest in these scholarships. Mr. Parkin is touring the country, investigating conditions, and studying the situations to determine on proper plans. It is probable that several scholarships will be taken away from some of the schools and placed before the people of America at large. This will offer more to schools desiring them, and make the competition more keen where the schools have only one.

What Oxford wants is powerful men, men who can take a place in the world and keep it after they get it. She has had many of these in the past but she wants more in the future. What her record has been is seen in English history of today and of yesterday; what her record will be will be seen tomorrow, and it is going to be more bright than in the past.

In England Rhodes men enter public life soon and thus use their influence to shape England's destiny, but in America no such opportunity is offered, so the Rhodes scholars generally enter the collegiate world to begin their realm of influence for the public good. This is not as satisfactory as it might be, but it is probably the best that can be done in America at present.

One of the mottoes of Oxford is "to turn out men to serve God in church and state." This is an exceedingly noble aim, and Oxford does her best to do it.

One of the peculiar products of England's collegiate life is the

Agriculture Dept. to Front

Our Aggies Are Still Recognized Throughout the State

The Sagebrush is glad to note that the following clipping from the Live Stock and Dairy Journal of Sacramento is being quite generally copied by the newspapers of Nevada. It is a deserved boost for our Agricultural Department.

"The people of our neighboring State of Nevada are to be congratulated upon their splendid representation at the recent California State fair in the shape of the University of Nevada exhibit. This exhibit showed that Nevada is right up-to-date in educating her farmers to know the advantage of pure-bred stock. Professor True of the University, who had charge of the exhibit, is a pure-bred enthusiast and is a splendid gentleman to meet. He made many new friends at the State fair, all of whom hope to see him come back next year and carry off another bunch of well-deserved honors."

In a letter recently received by Professor True from Mr. John H. Mackenzie, mining engineer of San Francisco, who owns a ranch near Santa Cruz, Cal., on which he keeps the finest herd of Guernseys in that State, this former Goldfield man, after expressing the hope that we may "be successful in adding more breeds and better equipment" to the departments add:

"In the event of your adding the Guernsey breed, I will do what I can to help you along and will be glad to contribute providing there is any in my herd that

will be of service to you."

This is a substantial evidence of appreciation of the work of the department resulting from the exhibit at the California State fair.

The ribbons won by the University live stock at the California fair have been on display during the past week at Sunderland's, where they have attracted a great deal of attention and no little favorable comment.

REVIVAL OF GIRLS' BASKET BALL

Last Wednesday there was a meeting of all the young ladies in the college and the University High school. On account of the semi-mystery of the calling of the meeting Miss Mieghan was welcomed with unlimited interest. Following her fine animated words in the interest of girls' athletics, came what might be termed a basketball rally. The girls would have put to shame by their enthusiasm all those theorists who say that a group of women cannot work together harmoniously for the fulfillment of some public beneficial object. Those who cannot play basketball are going to boost basketball. This cooperation of players and boosters will not fail to make for this University a strong team, one which will be able to compete creditably with the best teams on the coast.

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FRESHIES vs. SOPHS "SURE" NEXT FRIDAY

PREP BASKETBALL

The football season is over and Varsity interest centers around the Prep's basketball team. The boys have started to work in earnest this year and before the winter season is over expect to bring home to the U. N. H. S. the High school championship of the state.

On the team this year are several old men whose names have been prominent in connection with Prep basketball in years past. They are: Cottrell, center; Sheehy, forward; Randall and Painter, guards. Among the new players, who are doing good work and with a little more training will prove strong material for the team are: McLean, Stenbiht, Curtin, Johnson, McCormack, Hancock and Knapp. The team will be picked from the players mentioned.

The first game,—a practice game—of the year was played in the gym Wednesday night with the Piutes, who have consented to play with the boys twice a week for practice. The game resulted with a score of 23 to 18 in favor of the Preps, although the youngsters did not as yet show strong enough team work to qualify as cup-winners.

The Preps have many games in view and will, in all probability, play in California toward the close of the season. Manager Ross has the following schedule of games fully completed: Next Wednesday night, Preps vs. Sparks, at Reno; Nov. 19, Preps vs. Elko, at Reno; Nov. 24, Preps vs. Susanville, at Susanville; Dec. 10, Preps vs. Elko, at Elko; Dec. 16, Preps vs.

Susanville, at Reno; Reno High school, Fallon, Goldfield, Tonopah and Carson will also be played.

It will be remembered that a few weeks ago the Prep boys generously aided the Athletic Association by turning over the proceeds of a basketball game and dance. In view of this spirit and the good sport always put up by the Preps the whole student body should see the game next Saturday night and help them to meet the expense of bringing the Elko team to Reno.

THEATRE PARTY

The young ladies who accompanied our team down to Berkeley had perhaps one of the most pleasant gatherings of Nevada girls that has taken place for some time. The young ladies with several others who have left the University and are now residing in the vicinity of San Francisco, had a most delightful theatre party at the Orpheum in San Francisco. Those composing the happy party were: Misses Augusta and Mollie Curler, Misses Catherine and Marjorie Woods, Miss Carol Rissing, Miss Gladys Catlin, Miss Rowena Glass and Miss Isabelle Schuler.

The young ladies report a great improvement in the health of Miss Marjorie Woods, who, it will be remembered, was compelled to live in the mountains because of poor health.

Missouri has the honor of having among its students a graduate of Vassar who is taking the dairying course. She owns a form of her own and is running it along scientific lines.

them is the intense winning spirit in the American public, or in other words, the people putting the prize before the game. The spirit should be just the reverse, that is to play the game for the game's sake. To attain this all whether in high position or not, should work toward this end.

Some have accused Oxford of not offering opportunities to all alike. This is not so, in fact the prizes offered at Oxford have a probable greater monetary value than at any other place, and are open to all. The American students are slow to compete for these prizes and so they go to the Englishmen, and the English colonials. As an example, a young man from Australia, a Rhodes scholar, entered the school of jurisprudence and entered the contest for the best and most logical oration on the aspect of English law. No American competed. This young man won prizes aggregating about 1000 pounds a year, besides his scholarship. The reason that the Americans do not get these prizes is because of their disinterestedness in such matters.

Mr. Parkin has been repeatedly told that Oxford did not draw the best of America to her, and could not until Greek was cut off the examinations. No American studies Greek as it is not practical enough and so is unable to compete for the scholarships, and if he did compete, the courses offered are of such a nature as to be of very little use to him after he got it. The Americans have too much of the pseudo-practical idea in them. Because of these facts, and in order to stimulate a great

production of "literary" statesman. These are statesmen who enjoy sitting down after hours and write,—write for the pleasure of writing. There have been, and are numerous instances of this throughout English history. It might be well if America could have a few of these statesmen and thus exert a greater and nobler influence than at present.

In England the American negro problem is felt at Oxford most keenly and causes many embarrassing situations to various people. This is something that should be eliminated from Oxford life, and no doubt will be in the near future.

Mr. Parkin was introduced to all the members of the faculty after his talk and expressed himself as highly gratified with his reception here in Nevada.

THE SOPHOMORE HOP

Next Friday at 8:30 the annual dance given in honor of the Freshmen will take place in the gym. The committee in charge of this party has made elaborate preparations in regard to refreshments, decorations and music.

The music committee has secured an eight-piece orchestra to render the latest dance music during the evening. An electrical display will keep darkness away during the moonlight periods.

The floor is in first-class condition and all present indications are that 200 couple will enjoy the first dance in 1910 on Friday eve., Nov. 18th.

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BASKET BALL PRACTICE THURSDAY

While the interesting football game, between the Sophomores and Reno High school was in progress Thursday evening, the University basketball girls were forced to devote their attention to basketball practice in the gymnasium. The general feeling of rebellion was expressed through the actions of the girls. Many were purposely late on the floor, others allowed the ball to pass by without making any effort to stop or catch it. In several instances the game was delayed through the minor injuries a few of the girls received because they failed to watch their playing. The ball was thrown with considerable force in one girl's face, while another was given a blow across her neck by the stiffened arm of her opponent, who regardless of her position was rushing back and forth watching the ball roll across the floor. There was tumbling and tripping throughout the whole game, which caused the coach to remark upon the crude manner of playing. At quarter after five the girls were still practicing and it was not until after half past that they were allowed to leave the floor. When they arrived in the dressing room they found the electric light bulb gone and it was with difficulty and many expressions of discontent that they managed to dress themselves. A determination was formed among them to strike the next time they were compelled to remain later than quarter past five, whether there was an outside interest or not.

THE RIFLE CLUB

The first meeting of the University Rifle club was held last Friday in Morrill hall. The attendance was rather small because sufficient notice had not been given, but the required number for a quorum were present and the following officers were elected: Carl Tibbals, president; Commandant McClure, secretary; Robert Fanar, treasurer, and Dan Bruce, team captain.

The object of the club is to compete for the National Rifle Association button and to become accustomed to shooting with the army rifles. The N. R. A. button is given to the member of a rifle club who makes the best record of shots from the positions of 100, 300 and 500 yards from the target. Since there is considerable promising material in the club some good records should be made for the coming year.

Besides being allowed to compete for the N. R. A. button, the members of the club may at any time have access to the rifles and ammunition, which is provided by the government if they wish to go hunting. The only restriction placed on the hunters is that they shall not aim in the direction towards the city because the rifles are made to shoot accurately up to two miles.

Since the dues of this club are extremely reasonable it is hoped that more interest will be taken by the students and that the next meeting will be well attended.

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Editorial

During this last week great interest has been aroused in the Rhodes scholarships, resulting from the talk given by Dr. Parkin, to both the students and faculty. This is due no doubt to the probable taking away of one of the scholarships, as all prize a thing more dearly when it is about to be denied them. The chief reason for this probable action on the part of the Rhodes trustees is due to the lack of interest and consequent lack of competition in these examinations. Right here it might be well to note that Nevada with her 185 students had one contestant, while Pennsylvania with her 5,000, and populous districts to draw from, had none. But that has nothing to do with Nevada. What we are concerned in is why we do not have a greater competition, or in other words more contestants for these examinations.

The reasons that Nevada is so poorly represented are not so difficult to find. In the first place she has only 185 students in the University proper and these are divided into seven different schools, viz: Liberal Arts, General Science, Mining, Mechanical, Civil and Electrical Engineering and Agriculture. This creates a diversified interest and only a few to be apportioned to each school. The two schools from which the Rhodes scholars are drawn are Liberal Arts and General Science, and in Nevada the students composing these schools are mostly women, only a few men care to take the culture courses.

The young men are almost all in the Engineering schools for various reasons, all of them not their own. The men choose the engineering courses because of quick monetary returns after they are through school, and because the life of the state is dependent on young men highly specialized in these subjects and so promotes these courses over all others. The community in part demands that our young men take these engineering courses. The University in order to satisfy the demand for specialized men gives courses training them in the proper lines to fill the vacancies in an industrial field, and thus lays slight emphasis on such courses as Greek, Latin, etc. In fact, the University has laid down the courses containing Latin, Greek, according to the capacity and requirements of the young women. From this condition can it be expected that there will be many contestants for these examinations?

In the future Nevada will have more contestants if more attention is given to the fact that there is such a thing as a Rhodes scholarship open and advertise it broadly, and also endeavor to interest the male students in the culture courses.

But for all this it has been said that the Rhodes scholarships are accomplishing what Mr. Rhodes intended, namely, to awaken England and to produce a greater and a more active and powerful Britain.

CIRCULAR NO. 11

The inspection and analysis of vinegars offered for sale in this State show but a few of the samples examined to be pure apple vinegar, while for the most part they were sold as such.

Apple vinegar is the product made by the alcoholic and subsequent acetous fermentation of the juice of apples, and possesses certain hygienic constituents lacking in the dilute solutions of acetic acid, made to resemble apple vinegar by coloring and the addition of a little glucose to cover the excessive acidity, and yet this chemical product is put on the market as pure apple vinegar and sold for as much as apple vinegar.

Justice to the consumer demands that he be informed by proper labeling of the nature of the article he is buying, and vinegar, other than apple vinegar of the proper strength, must be labeled stating exactly the kind of vinegar sold, i. e., whether malt, wine, sugar or spirits vinegar.

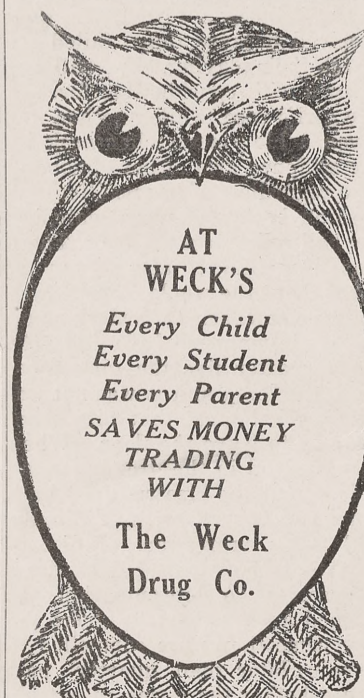
If artificially colored, this fact must also be stated on the label. Dilute solutions of acetic acid, whether artificially colored or not, must not be sold as vinegar.

We shall hold that vinegar, without a qualifying word, means apple vinegar, and we shall determine the matter from the results of our analyses.

The standards for vinegars adopted for this State are given in Bulletin No. 70, issued by this department, a copy of which may be had on application.

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CIRCULAR NO. 7

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Only those coal-tar dyes mentioned in Nevada Agricultural Experiment Station Circular No. 4 are allowable in food products under any consideration. The use of any other coal-tar dye in food products will be grounds for prosecution.

This decision shall be in effect on and after March 1, 1910.

Sausage

Sausage containing cereal, sold in wholesale or retail trade, must be so labeled. If sausage is sold from broken packages on which such statement is made, every portion of that package when sold in retail trade must bear a like statement, by stamping on each parcel, the contents of which is a part of the original package, the words "Cereal Added," or, "This Sausage Contains—(stating the amount) Per Cent Cereal." Any sausage containing cereal and not so labeled will be deemed to be adulterated, and such adulteration will be grounds for prosecution.

This decision shall be in effect on and after March 1, 1910.

Polished and Coated Rice

Rice coated with paraffin, glucose and starch, glucose and tale, or coated in any other manner, must bear a statement of the fact. If sold from bulk each and every package must have a statement stamped upon it, "Coated With Glucose and Tale," or, "Coated With Glucose and Starch," or whatever the coating may be. In such declaration all the food substances used for coating should be mentioned, if any coloring matter is used to change the color or tint of the rice, this fact should also be mentioned.

The executor of the Arthur Hill estate has notified the University of Michigan that the estate is ready to pay over the \$200,000 left to the university for an auditorium.

Sorority Chocolates, the College Girl's Candy, 60 cents a pound. Red Cross Drug store.

THE NIGHT AND THE STORM.

By Ninette M. Lowater.

A ballad of night and of terror, a ballad of wind and rain; From the east leaped forth the darkness and swallowed up the main;

It hid the tree and the river, the house and the level field; It covered the stars in heaven and forced the moon to yield.

From the north the wind came sweeping, the lightning followed fast,

The Earth lay mute with terror before the mighty blast;

It sprang at the forest monarchs who had reigned for many a year,

Broken they lay, and shattered, with the hillside for a bier.

From the black clouds whirling madly the angry rain leaped down;

The rill became a torrent and spread throughout the town;

The black lakes moaned and trembled and vainly tried to flee—

The pleasant gardens man had made he never more shall see.

But the sun arose at morning, the rivers sought their bed;

And men came forth and wrought again and covered up their dead;

Only the great trees lying on the bare earth, crushed and prone,

Told of the fearful revel of the crowned night on her throne.—New York Sun.

At future Annapolis athletic contests, and especially at football games, the midshipmen will occupy seats reserved for them in the "midshipmen's grandstand." A midshipman may escort his lady to the game and put her in the seat he has reserved for her, but he must return to his own section before the game starts and remain there during the game. Last year the middies were requested to sit together during the games in order to improve the rooting, but this year it has been found necessary to change the request to a command.

All the universities and colleges of Virginia and North Carolina sent representatives to a general meeting for the purpose of organizing an intercollegiate athletic association. A committee was appointed to draw up tentative eligibility rules.



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EASTERN FOOTBALL RESULTS.

Many games under the revised intercollegiate football rules were played October 29. The results follow:

At New Haven—Yale 19, Colgate 0.

At New York—Princeton 0, Dartmouth 0.

At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania 17, Carlisle 5.

At West Point—Harvard 6, Army 0.

At Annapolis—Navy 17, Western Reserve 0.

At Syracuse—Michigan 11, Syracuse 0.

At Washington—Georgetown 12, North Carolina 0.

At Chicago—Minnesota 12, Chicago 0.

At Madison—Wisconsin 0, Northwestern 0.

At Lansing—Michigan Aggies 17, Notre Dame 0.

At Bloomington—Indiana 33, Butler 0.

At Lafayette—Illinois 11, Purdue 0.

At Lincoln—Nebraska 6, Doane 0.

At Denver—Colorado 11, Utah 0.

At Lawrence, Kan.—Kansas 21, Washburn 6.

The co-eds at Minnesota, disgusted at the slow service given by the present telephone system in the girls' dormitories, are raising a fund for private phones and a new system. Under the old system calls could not be made after 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

President Hadley of Yale University sailed September 24th for Europe to study the effects of American legislation on the disposition of American securities in the markets of Europe. He will also represent Yale University at the centennial celebration of the University of Berlin.

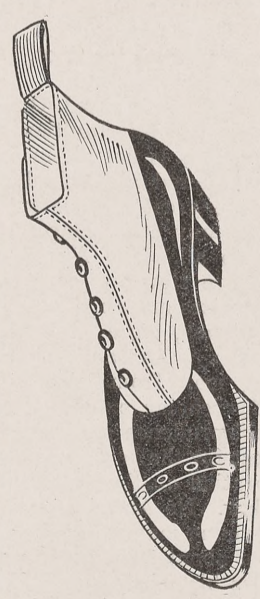
Through a recent ruling of the Stanford faculty, woman's basketball has been discontinued as an intercollegiate sport of that university. The reason for this action is given to be the fact that not enough interest has been taken in the game.

At Wooster the college paper is sent to every student and member of the faculty and notice must be sent if it is not wanted. Every student is considered a subscriber until notice to the contrary is received.

Seniors in the law school of the University of Missouri are stumping the state under the direction of the Republican campaign committee. Others are volunteering for the Democrats.

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ENGINEERING CLUB.

The meeting of the Engineering Club a week ago Wednesday was very poorly attended, but for all that an interesting address was given by Mr. D. W. Hayes on "Hydrographic Problems and Their Graphic Solution." It was as follows:

The duty of a ditch depends primarily on the kind of crops raised, which for alfalfa and grain amounts to five acre-feet annually. An acre-foot is the amount of water to cover an acre to the depth of a foot. The irrigation season is from May to October and the total amount of water is distributed throughout the season as follows: April, 15 per cent of total; May, 18 per cent; June, 20 per cent; July, 20 per cent; August, 13 per cent; September 8 per cent, and October, 6 per cent.

From this data it is seen that a ditch must be designed to carry as a maximum 20 per cent of the total amount required for the year. In designing a ditch there are two factors depending on the character of the soil through which the ditch runs; first, the velocity of the water, and second the side slope of the ditch. A formula was given to determine the area of the cross-section of the ditch.

The area of the cross-section together with the wetted area constitute the hydrographic radius. If a curve is plotted, using hydrographic radii as ordinates and the velocity of the stream as abscissae, the resulting graph is so related to the fall of a ditch that for any given radius and velocity the slope of the ditch can be readily determined.

Ditches are constructed on the cut and fill method, and the fill is always the outer bank of the bank of the ditch. This outer bank has from one to two feet free-board. In laying out a ditch a traverse party first goes over the ground laying out a preliminary line. This is soon followed by a level party which finds the elevation of all the stakes, and this party is in turn followed by a topographic party which fills in all the contours of the country from the given data. The results of these parties are collected and mapped in the office, and here the ditch is located. At times profile is run, and adjustments are made in the field afterwards. Where the slope of the land is great the grade of the ditch is regulated by means of drops, and wherever possible these drops are used as weirs.

A diagram has been worked out, using the depth of weir as ordinates, and water per foot of length as abscissae, determining the total width of weir by the resulting curve.

The construction of hydrographs was explained and illustrated. In constructing hydrographs a diagram using months as abscissae, and the amount of water in second-feet as ordinates was made. Several curves were constructed, one showing total water supply by months, one showing the amount of water required by the existing settlers, and another showing the amount of water that would be available instorage, which should equal the total supply minus the amount required. From a hydrograph covering several years, the maximum capacity of the reservoir is determined. A fourth curve was constructed using the total evaporation from the reservoir and the total supply available for irrigation is determined.

The amount of evaporation from the surface of water bodies in the western states has been the subject of investigation for several years, but outside of a few general conclusions no definite laws have been determined.

The speaker closed by giving several useful formulas which he himself had worked out in practice, is talk was certainly interesting, and those who heard him all wish to have him address the students again.

CIRCULAR NO. 8

Artificial Coloring in Food Products

The harmfulness of certain coal tar colors having been established by the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States after exhaustive investigation, only the colors enumerated and certified in F. I. D. 76 and 77 are allowed under the National Food and Drug Act, June 30, 1906.

107 Amaranth
56 Ponceau 3 R
517 Erythrosin
85 Orange 1
4 Naphthol Yellow S
435 Light Green S. F. Yellowish
692 Indigo disulfoacid

These colors, however, according to F. I. D. 76 must be free from any other coloring matter than the one specified, be free from harmful constituents, and shall not contain any contamination due to imperfect or incomplete manufacture, and a certificate to this effect must be filed with the Secretary of Agriculture for each and every batch, and approved by him.

These Certified Colors have now been on the market for some time and after May 1, 1910, only such Certified Colors or combinations of them may be used in connection with foods, beverages, confectionery and drugs in this State. Imported products must give proof that they are so colored. However, manufacturers may continue till July 1, 1910, to use such colors as they may now have on hand. Products manufactured before July 1st, with colors now on hand, will not be deemed illegal.

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Personal

J. R. Perry, ex-'08, has been appointed city clerk of Reno by the council.

Miss Vera Ross ex-'12, was "playing" the typewriter in the Agricultural station last week.

Have you seen "Doc" Hase-man's face; its a beauty, especially the big mark of martyrdom on his cheek.

Mr. James Comerford, alumnus, stopped on the campus last week on his return from the Institute at Goldfield.

Frank Ench, ex-special, has returned from Vancouver and threatens to return to the University next semester.

Miss Blanche Young, '10, and Miss Christina Jensen, '10 Normal, stopped over on the return from the institute to Elko.

Prof. Frandsen (during lantern slide lecture)—"Mr. Milentz, this course is for the purpose of studying zoology, not palmistry."

Miss Alberta Cowgill '08 was here visiting her parents last week. She is teaching Latin in the Winnemucca High school.

L. S. Elliot, '06, stopped over a couple of days on his way home to Bodie from Sacramento, where he has been attending the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons.

Mr. E. Roberts, candidate for Congress, has offered the University a fine collection of water birds for our biological department.

Prof. Palmer is absent from the campus for a few days on a trip to examine some property in Placer county that is at present in litigation.

Dr. Mack moved into his new home on Lake street last week and that is the cause of the broad smile with which he met all during the past week. Prof. Ordahl is also to move in Monday.

Prof. G. H. True left last Tuesday night for Washington, D. C., where he will represent this institution at the annual meeting of the Association of American Agricultural colleges. He expects to make an extended stay in the east and probably will not return until December.

Miss Mae Schuler '09, met with what might have been a very serious accident one day last week in Elko when one of the glasses in her spectacles broke, lacerating her eye. The pieces were soon removed and she is suffering no other serious effect other than a cut on the face.

Allan Leavitt, '00, died in Oakland last Thursday night. His body passed through Reno Friday, accompanied by his brother, Louis, '11, and was buried at Yerington. Mr. Leavitt was a student of high standing, a member of the T. H. O. P. fraternity, and a president of our student body. After leaving the University he taught school for a few years, but soon entered the mercantile business at Schurz, where he had been making good.

Prof. Frandsen was at San Francisco a week ago to consult with the architects to perfect the plans of the proposed new biological building. This building is to be placed between the present physics and mechanical buildings. The plans certainly show that a very up-to-date building is to be had, and that it will allow considerable expansion of the department in the future. Some of the most salient features are the arrangement of rooms for light, the museum, the means of getting heavy articles up and down stairs by means of a hand elevator, and fireproof culture rooms. Simplicity and utility are the aims of the plans.

High School

Only a short program was given in the Adelphi Literary Society Friday: Piano solo, Miss Alice Stephens; current events, Mr. Cassanelli; paper, Mr. Knapp.

The spout of a tea-kettle should be termed "nostril" or at least so says a certain young man of the H. S. physics class.

Young lady in Virgil class—"And groaning deeply, he washed his face in the big river."

Teacher—"Miss — how would you render that?"

Young lady—"And sighing deeply, he bathed his face in a flood of tears."

THAT FOOTBALL GAME

1. Because the field is wet.
2. Because the Freshies feet are cold.
3. Because three Freshies can't play.

The Sophs were ready to play a week ago but now the Freshies for the aforesaid reasons have expressed a desire to display their wonderful ability to play rugby on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 on the Mackay field. They also agreed that in case any reason might spring up why they shall not play on that date (namely, Nov. 16) that the game shall go by default to the Sophs with a score 20-0. It is very improbable that such will be the case as the "new ones" are organizing a pool to back the Sophs of the map when their coin comes forth on the day of the game.

The Stanford-Berkeley will not be a match for this wonderful exhibition of skill and superiority in rugby when the Freshmen "slip one over" on the Sophs next Wednesday. A corps of doctors, nurses and assistants has probably been engaged by both teams in hopes of allaying all possible danger of death from this terrible game on Nov. 16.

INFORMATION FOR THOSE WHO NEED IT.

There is a door bell at the front door of the Manzanita. This bell is for the purpose of letting the inmates know that you have called. The bell is placed inside the screen door, on the right side and in the casing of the main door.

One is supposed to ring the bell and wait until some one answers and then one can make ones wants known.

This last should be strictly heeded, for if one should happen to "enter without (even) knocking," and proceed to roam about the hall in quest of the fair one he desires, it might be that one would cause some one else to be very badly embarrassed; if not himself.

By ONE WHO KNOWS.

WOMAN'S OUTLOOK CLUB

The Woman's Outlook club meeting has been postponed until Nov. 16. All members are wanted to "show up" and take part. There are to be no drones in this club. The club will enter into an extensive discussion of Jane Addams at the coming meeting.

Four students were suspended from the University of Kansas for crooked work in school politics, and the suspension came upon recommendation of the student body. Many a Kansas politician has started his training in that line at the university, and a little purity in school politics has been needed there for a long time.

University of Oregon football team recently inaugurated a new custom; in their game with University of Idaho each player carried his own demijohn of drinking water to the game.

Ninety-two medical students at the University of Kansas were vaccinated with dead typhoid germs as a protection against typhoid fever.

A BURNING OIL STATION

A slight puff of smoke rose suddenly from the roof of the Standard Oil company's warehouse. At the same time a man was running down the railroad tracks toward the fire alarm station and then the big fire bell near the center of the city boomed out the alarm.

The little puff had grown to be a pillar of inky black smoke and it poured out of the great warehouse in ever increasing volumes. As the gathering crowd watched in awe this terrible but fascinating spectacle, there came suddenly a loud explosion, and a great section of the roof was hurled into the air a hundred feet or more. This roofing fell with a crash upon a nearby fruit warehouse where it burst into flames and kindled the building upon which it fell.

Explosion after explosion came from the seething mass of flames and smoke which marked the location of the oil house. As the fire spread to the huge storage tanks, containing hundreds of thousands of gallons of inflammable products, these burst with a ripping, tearing sound, and wave after wave of burning oil flowed along the ground, carrying destruction to everything in its path.

The heat was intense, even at a distance, and the flames leaping upward through the smoke looked like great tongues reaching out in search of more to destroy. Buildings and cars were burning on every side and the fire department taxed to the utmost to prevent the fire from spreading to the surrounding factories and fruit warehouses.

Suddenly from the center of the great mass of smoke and flame, a large body of fire detached itself and moved through the air southward across the freight yards—a fiery cloud pouring down a fiery rain upon the watching multitude. The crowd fled in terror and a groan of anguish went up as this molten cloud floated toward the city. It rose slowly into the air, however, and at last joined the larger body of smoke, which darkened the sky.

The fire raged all the afternoon and all the next night, hot, smoking mass of wreckage and ruins,—the remains of a large and valuable oil station.—M. A. '12.

THE PREPS IN ACTION

Lately it has been noticed that the Preps have been holding secret conferences and underhand meetings. A great deal of anxiety has arisen from these suspicious actions as everyone knows what it means when the Preps get started. However, all tension was relieved Thursday afternoon when at about 4:30 a body of Preps were seen outside the Mechanical building. Amid intense interest and a lot of talking one of their number was taken and roughly, although not harmfully thrown in the ditch back of Physics building. Later it was learned by a special reporter that the trouble had arisen from the fact that the aforesaid victim had refused to wear long trousers.

It might be mentioned here that this is an example of the spirit shown all through the years by the Preps. We sincerely hope they continue to show such spirit in the years to come. It is what we need here at Nevada.

BASKET BALL.

The high school students are certainly on the move now, as they have their basket ball schedule partly made out, and it will keep them going to pull off the state championship this year. The following schedule has been made out to date:

Elko at Reno.....Nov. 19
Susanville at Susanville.....Nov. 24
High school vs. freshmen.....Dec. 3
Elko at Elko.....Dec. 10
Susanville at Reno.....Dec. 17

Besides this, Oakland and the other schools challenged have not been heard from yet. All are going to support our high school during the season and help them get the championship. They need the support.

A ROOTER FROM

THE OUTSIDE

He was "very English" and very red-faced. I remember those two points very distinctly, because the greater the excitement developed in the game, the more pronounced became his English, and the more pronounced his English, the redder became his face. His conversation during a particularly trying moment ran something like this:

"Ah-oo-oo-oo-ow! What a blasted bloke of a boot! Ow you bloomin' rummy! What did you kick the bawl for you cawn-stawehed lobsta? Why you 'ad miles to travel befa kicking the bloomin' bawl! Ow do taeke the bloke awf of the field! What a perfectly rawten play! Ah-oo-oo-ow hy! Now come on, come Nevada, come, paws hit! paws hit, hi saey! Ah-oo you red-head! What a rosey paws! Perfect! Well, en-umph, er, hah! Ow-oo-ow he muffed that perfect paws! Would you believe hit? Ow the rummy! Ow the lobsta! Taeke 'im hoff! Remove 'im! Rawten! Ow! Now! Come! On you run like a duck! Run you lobsta, come awn, don't waddle! Now! Ah, ee-ou!"

He sank back exhausted but happy. Nevada had scored.

DUKE HEARD FROM

A most interesting communication has been received from Arthur Mason, ex-'13, but more popularly known as "Duke." The contents of the communication certainly shows that "Duke" still remembers his friends, but the nature of it is not to be divulged for some time yet. Watch this space and you will know next week.

Thirty-five men have responded to the track call at the University of Kansas.

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Y. W. C. A. DINNER A BIG SUCCESS.

The New England dinner given by the Young Women's Christian Association Friday evening for the purpose of getting money for the Capitola fund was very successful. The receipts were over seventy dollars, more than enough to send two girls to the Coast conference in the spring.

At the dinner, about 6 o'clock, the tables were filled and people who were not fortunate enough to get there earlier had to wait for an opportunity to get a seat. Toward the last many had to be turned away, because there was nothing left to serve. The crowd was much larger than had been expected.

The meal itself was one of those good old New England dinners, with Boston baked beans and brown bread—a delightful change that many enjoy.

At a candy booth, home-made candies, made by the girls under the direction of Miss Bardenwerper, were sold.

The Y. W. C. A. girls wish to thank the ladies of the faculty, the Nevada Packing Company and all others who so generously contributed the things needed for the dinner; also those who helped in serving.

Without their help the dinner could not have been so successful. In fact the Y. W. C. A. girls have always found the faculty ladies and many others of the town willing to help or give whenever called upon.

SOPHOMORE CLASS MEETING

On Wednesday, Nov. 9, the class of 1914 met in the chemical building to discuss the plans for procedure in arranging for the coming dance. The various committees reported that everything was well under way in expectation for the largest crowd ever seen at such a function on the hill.

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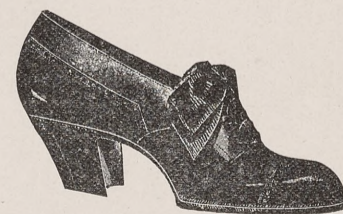
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