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EDITORIAL

BOOST FOR A BIGGER REGISTRATION

The success of the Glee Club concert showed only too plainly the results that can be accomplished by co-operation. That the concert turned out to be the success it was is due to the fact that the students worked together to make it a success. They did the only thing to do—boosted.

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There is a movement on foot to raise the athletic dues. It is not a bad idea. Along with this raise let us start to raise the registration. Get more students. We need them and we are going to have them.

The class that entered last fall was a record breaker. There is no reason why the next one should not be another. If the students will work for more students it will be a record breaker and a bigger class than has ever entered U. of N. before.

Think more students, talk more students and get more students.

NOTICE!

All those having tickets or cash to account for on the Glee Club concert, kindly report to the committee at once.

A. J. HOLMES,
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OUR MANAGER

An Irishman known here as Pat, With a lid like a pussy cat, Bluffs and blusters around, When its not to be found, What's become of my classy (?) old hat.

Whenever you have a moment's rest, Whenever your work is done, For pity's sake, just think of us, Write up some jokes or pun. A paper like this is not a snap, As many seem to think; And writing copy for the press Takes something more than ink.

My love is like the red, red rose, In June, that's newly born. And, oh! the pins around her waist Are strangely like the thorn. —Cornell Widow.

FORMER STUDENT RETURNS

Last week the campus was a rendezvous for many graduates, and old students, among whom was Stanley Netherton and his wife from Yerington.

Mr. Netherton was a member of the class of '09, and was forced to stop college in his junior year. The students of the university who remember Stanley will remember that it was he who started the Independent association and took the Student Record from the students and thus relieved the A. S. U. N. from a heavy debt.

It was under his direction as editor-in-chief that the Student Record (now the Sagebrush) became what it is today. The student body surely owe Mr. Netherton a great deal of gratitude for establishing a paper on a strong foundation that has withstood the attacks of the knockers and the strictest critics.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE DISTRIBUTES BLOTTER

The agricultural people have had some blotters printed to use to advertise their department. The blotter displays a cut of some of the prize dorset lambs at the University farm. A prospectus of their school and a quotation from a piece by Edmund J. James complete the front design. It makes a very attractive appearance.

NOTICE!

Rehearsal for the Senior farce, Wednesday at 8 p. m., in room 6! The plays will be here Tuesday afternoon. Copies may be obtained after that from Morris Anderson, Helen Hobbins or Rowena Glass.

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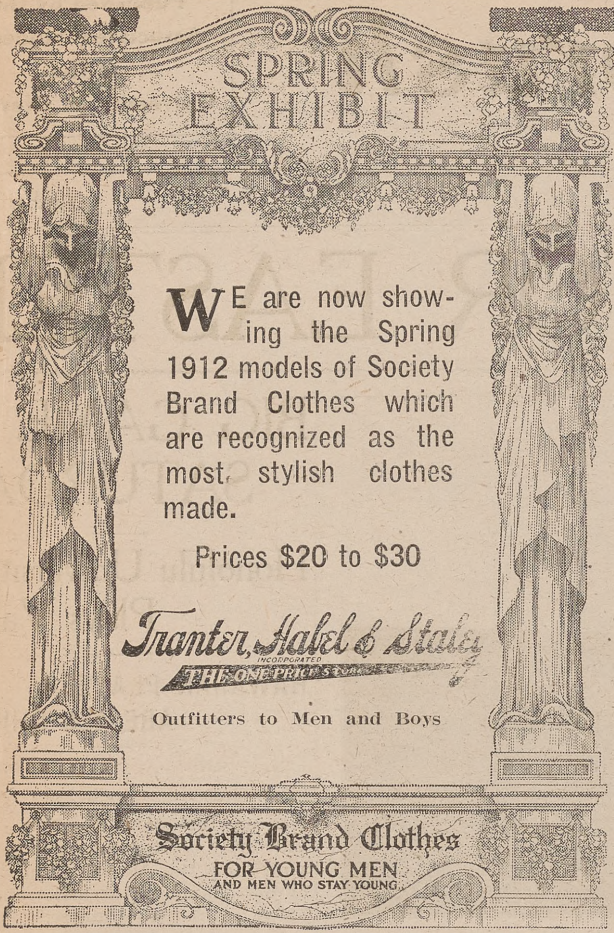
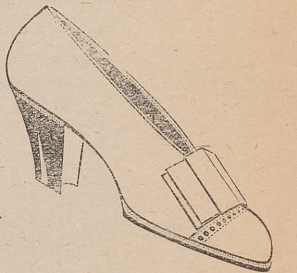
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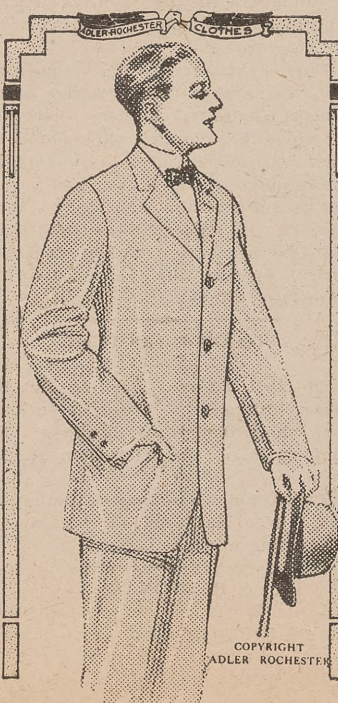
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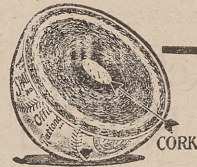
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The students lately are particularly earnest in their work. Dissenting opinions, in a number of classes recently have led to rather heated debates, consequently to extended research in preparation for them.
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The school's ambition to increase the library has been partly realized. About fifty new books have been received recently and more are expected.
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The school term closes earlier than usual this year, May 31st, and graduation exercises are already in the minds of the seniors. There will be three graduates this year, one more than in the class of 1911.
* * * E.H.

NEW BUILDING AT WINNEMUCCA
The opening of the new County High School building at Winnemucca took place on the evening of March 18th.
The assembly room was crowded with guests eager to inspect the building, of which Winnemucca is so proud, and anxious to hear Prof. Thompson's address which was expected to be a complete course in Greek or Latin, in a nutshell, but which proved to be a pleasant disappointment in that respect, and delighten the audience.
An interesting comparison between the Winnemucca high school of twenty years ago and that of the present was made by State Superintendent Bray, who also prophesied a rapid growth in the future.
Addresses were made by H. W. Duncan, secretary of the county board of education; Prof. Abel, district superintendent; Senator Bell and T. A. Brandon, members of the town board. Music was furnished by the orchestra and the members of the high school assisted by the eighth grade.
Immediately after the program, souvenir postals were distributed among the guests and the building was open for public inspection.
On the following morning, all the enrolled pupils were present and were lectured by Prof. Bray concerning educational matters.
Mr. Bray seems eager to have domestic science introduced in the high schools of Nevada. He warned the girls of the awful fate that might be theirs if they did not learn to do good housekeeping, and suggested that the way to get a beaux was to join the domestic science class.
Prof. Abel and Prof. Graham also gave excellent advice in regard to the school work, and the public wore grieved expressions when the first class was called.


NO PAPER NEXT WEEK
Inasmuch as the Easter vacation is to be celebrated next Saturday and Sunday, the editors and management have decided that there will be little news of any startling nature to color next week's paper. Hence the omission. Another reason is that the constitution calls for a paper to be issue at least four times a month, and that issue would make the fifth, and thereby hangs a tale of some \$30 to \$40 and there is not any too plentiful a treasury at the present time.
THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

**NEW REGISTER IS
BEING COMPILED**
The office force are busy with the new register that is to be published this year. There will be many changes both in the courses given and in new courses offered. Owing to the rush of matters in the printing office the new register will not be off the press until after commencement. It was first thought that it would be ready by the middle of May.
This register will be larger and more complete than any of the ones that have been issued previous to this time.

**FACULTY SCIENCE CLUB
MEETING TUESDAY**
The Faculty Science club will hold a meeting in the Geology Lecture room of the Mining building at 4:40 on Tuesday. There will be an election of officers for the ensuing year. In addition to this the matter of changing the club from one in which the papers are of purely scientific interest to one of a broader field will be discussed. All the members of the club are requested to be present as the meeting is of considerable importance.

**PRESIDENT STUBBS GOES
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President Stubbs left Sunday evening for San Francisco. The president expects to be back by Tuesday morning. He is away on business of the university.
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PLAN A STRAW BALLOT FOR PRESIDENT
Plans are being made to have a dummy election for president in the near future. It is the intention to have all the men vote for the man of their choice for the next president of the United States. Each one is to cast his ballot for first and second choice and deposit it in the ballot box which will be put in some convenient place.
Of course there will be some one there to see that no ballot stuffing is carried on. The idea has been carried through in several of the universities and the results proved to be of more than passing interest.
There are several of the students and members of the faculty who are willing to carry the experiment through. It might be worth trying.

REGENTS TO MEET
The regular monthly meeting of the board of regents will be held in the regents room in Morrill hall Wednesday of this week. There are several matters of importance to come before the meeting.

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New Schedule Is Planned

The following letter from President Stubbs has been received by the Sagebrush:

Reno, March 29, 1912. To the Editor of the Sagebrush: Through the columns of the Sagebrush I wish to ask all the students of the university to make a list of the subjects that they will be required to take and those that they wish to elect next year, and give these to the assistant registrar not later than four o'clock, Thursday afternoon, April 4th.

The university wishes, as far as possible, to arrange the schedule of lectures, recitations, and laboratory work before the close of this semester and we think that this information from the students will be of value in making the schedule.

Very truly yours, J. E. STUBBS, President.

The faculty are working on the arrangement of a new course of study and it is their desire to have the students co-operate with them in this work.

The lists of required and elective studies that are asked for will be of very material help in the making out of the new schedule.

If each one will spend a few moments before Thursday looking over the courses which they wish to take next year and hand the list to the assistant registrar, Miss Sissa, it will be appreciated. Do not let this slip your memory.

There are some changes to be made in the present catalogue and the students are to be considered in the making thereof. In the next week or so matter there will be posted on the bulletin board in Morrill hall a notice that will include all changes in the present catalogue and in the new schedule for next semester.

In the next issue of the Sagebrush there will be a special item on the new course of study that the faculty have been working on for some time. This new course of study will be a

DELTA RHO INVITATIONS OUT

Last week the invitations for the Delta Rho party were given out. The affair is to be on April 12. The young ladies of the sorority are planning to make this one of the best social affairs of the season and are laying their plans accordingly.

Long hours of study For his son so rudely Is the hope of the college lad's dad. A great big sweater With a college letter Is the aim of the same college lad.

The Owl Cafe requests your appearance at meal time.

A LEAP YEAR POEM

"Oh leap year girls to the rescue haste. A momentous question has 'ris'n. When a leap year girl seeks a young man's hand, Should she get on her knees or his'n?"

'Arf an inch, 'arf an inch. 'Arf an inch onward. 'Ampered by 'obbie skirts 'Opped the four 'undred.

The Owl Cafe requests your appearance at meal time.

Interclass Meet Is Arranged

Saturday there is to be an inter-class track meet. It will be a hummer. Practically every man in college will have a chance to try out in one or two events. To avoid crowding any of the events too much the entries have been limited to two men from each class per event. No man will be allowed to enter in more than two events.

There are a good many of the men who have never taken an active part in the track here before but they are going to get out and help things along anyway. In the list of entries that follow the letters that follow the names show the class to which each one belongs. Seniors, S; Juniors, J; Sophomores, Soph.; Freshmen, F; Preps, P.

100-yard dash—Cameron, S; Scraps, S; Wilson, J; Claflin, J; McPhail, Soph.; Randall, F; Hylton, F; Wiley, P; Fogel, P.

220-yard dash—Seaton, S; Henderson, S; Claflin, J; Randall, F; Bringham, F; Hovey, P; Fogel, P.

440-yard dash—Chapman, S; Smithers, S; Milentz, J; Wilson, J; Dessar, Soph.; Brangham, F; Hylton, F; Curtin, P; Hovey, P.

880-yard dash—Anderson, S; Tibbals, S; Hamilton, J; Reynolds, J; Cowgill, Soph.; Parsons, Soph.; De Jean, F; Kent, F; Noyes, P; Jepson, P.

1 mile run—Milentz, J; Reynolds, J; Kelley, Soph.; Parsons, Soph.; Traber, F; Ogelvie, F; Wheeler, P; Noyes, P.

120-yard hurdle—Bruce, S; Bowler, F; Painter, F; Pennell, Soph.; Tillson, Soph.; Curlier, P.

220-yard hurdles—Henderson, S; Schrapa, S; Goldsworthy, J; Settlemeier, J; McPhail, Soph.; Tillson, Hancock, F; Sheehy, F; Curlier, P; Fogel, P.

High jump—Holmes, S; Pennell, Soph.; Smyth, Soph.; Bowler, F; Wheeler, P.

Shot put—Pierson, S; Spencer, S; Mackay, J; Gilcrease, J; Harriman, Soph.; Bradner, Soph.; Curtin, P.; Kniffen, F; Neeld, F.

Hammer throw—Pierson, S; Settlemeier, J; Holmes, S; Hylton, J; Harriman, Soph.; Bradner, Soph. Pflaging, F; Boggs, F.

Pole vault—Bacon, F; Patterson, F. Relay—Cameron, Henderson, Chapman, Schrapa, S; Settlemeier, Milentz, Wilson, Claflin, J; McPhail, Tillson, Pennell, Dessar, Soph.; Bringham, Randall, Hylton, Hancock, Curtin, Nowes, Hovey, Wheeler.

Two-mile run—Kelly, Soph.; Traber, F; Ogelvie, F.

All the contestants are expected to be present in full uniform when the big event is called. There are several members of the upper classes as well as sophomores and freshmen who are not entered for any event. During the week they will be notified as to their event and will be expected to be on hand with the others.

There will be no admission charged to the meet and all the students and people are invited to come and have seats in the bleachers. Watch the bulletin board for later announcements.

More About Rugby Union

(By W. H. Settlemeier)

On Friday evening, March 22, there gathered in the rooms of the Olympic club in San Francisco a group of men representing every college and club of note on the coast that is playing Rugby football.

In order that we might receive recognition from the Rugby union in England and Australia and elsewhere the first step taken was that of the re-organization of the Rugby union. This union was organized some four years ago and has not been heard of since that time.

The temporary officers of the union were appointed. They are Douglas Erskine, chairman, and Joe Hickey secretary. Erskine was the chairman

of the old union. Both men are members of the Olympic club.

The committee appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws for the union was instructed. On this committee are Burbank of Stanford, Farmer of California, and Hickey of the Olympics.

The matter of inviting a team from the Australian Rugby union to visit the coast this fall and play the various teams was then discussed.

After finding in round numbers the probable cost of bringing a team to the coast it was decided that one should be invited to come. Each club and school was asked what amount it would guarantee toward the expenses of the visiting team. A committee, consisting of Burbank of Stanford, Farmer of California, Phillips of the Barbs and Hickey of the Olympics was appointed to extend the invitation to the Australians.

Each college and club that is represented in the Rugby Union will be given the opportunity to play the Australian team.

The game in each case will be played on the grounds of the home team. I guaranteed the expenses of the visitors for a trip to play a game with us at Reno, and an additional amount "to boot." This amount will be settled later. The University of Southern California guaranteed \$1000 for a game at Los Angeles, the others accordingly.

Game to Be Played at Reno

The game with the Australians that will be played on the Mackay field this coming season will afford the people of Reno and the students of the University an opportunity to see a team composed of Rugby experts in action. These men are all past masters of the game and come from a country where the game has its highest development. They will play our 'varsity and we expect that this year's team will be the best that we have put on the field. The students should use this chance to boost for a winning team this season as this will be one of the greatest drawing cards ever offered the school in the way of athletics.

We need the best energies that the students can give to boost this proposition. It means more to the athletes than anything that has come up for the consideration of the students for a long time. The game should be the biggest event of the season and should draw the biggest crowd ever seen on the bleachers.

WHO SAID THAT THERE IS NOTHING IN A NAME

The baseball reporter, after herding nightmares all night, handed in this:

"The game opened with Molasses at the stick and Smallpox catching. Cigar was in the box with plenty of smoke. Horn on first base and Fiddle on second, backed by Corn in the field, made it hot for Umpire Apple, who was rotten. Ax came to bat, but chopped. Cigar let Brick walk and Sawdust filled the bases. Song made a hit and Twenty made a score.

"Cigar went out, and Balloon tried to pitch, but went straight up. Then Cherry tried it but was wild. Old Ice kept cool in the game until he was cracked by a pitched ball; then you should have heard Ice scream.

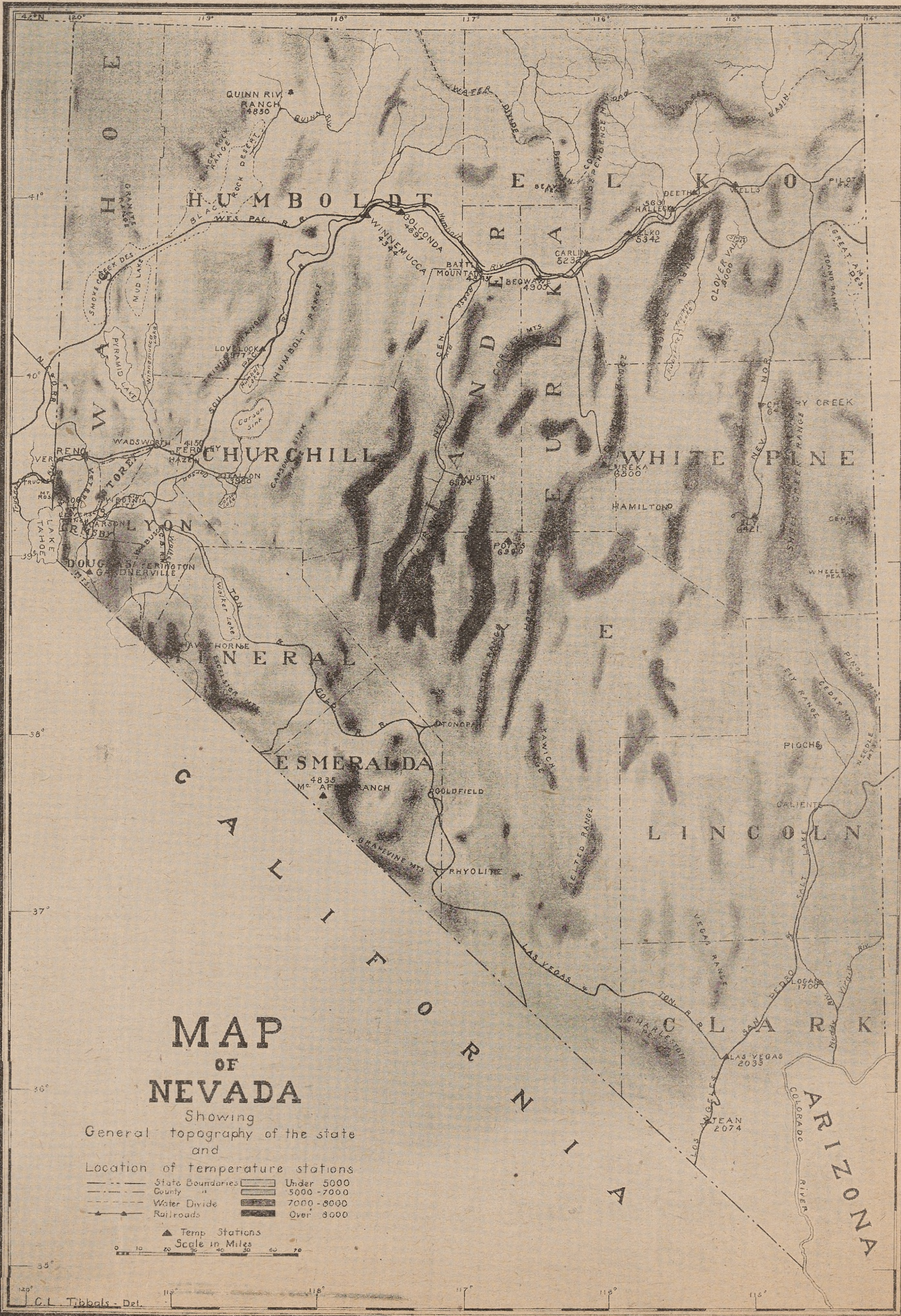
"Cabbage had a good head and kept quiet. Grass covered lots of ground in the field and the crowd cheered when Spider caught the fly. Bread loafed on third and pumped Organ, who played fast and put Light out in the fifth inning. Wind began to blow about what he could do. When Hammer began to knock. Trees began to leave and the way they roasted ePanut was a fright. Knife was put out for cutting first base. Lightning finished pitching the game and struck out six men.

"In the ninth Apple told Fiddle to take his base. Oats was shocked, then Song made another hit. Trombone made a slide. Meat reached the plate followed by Soap, who cleaned up. The score was 1 to 0, and after the game was all over Door said if he had pitched he would have shut them out."—Shakesbeed.

NOTICE—N SOCIETY MEN TO MEET

There will be a special meeTHARF There will be a special meeting of the Big N society in the reading room of the training quarters on Wednesday evening. All the members of the society are requested to be present as business of considerable importance is to be presented. Seven-thirty in the training quarters, Wednesday evening.

E. R. MACKAY, President.



This Map was made by the Civil Engineering Department of the University for the Department of Meteorology and Climatology. Courtesy Gazette.



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Leonard Gilcrease, '13, has entered his Harley Davidson against the big Indian 7 belonging to Sol Lachman. The machines that will start are to be timed from the store of Lachman & Mayers, on North Virginia street.

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Prof. Kennedy Gives An Interesting Lecture

HAMPTON COURT, PALACE AND GROUNDS

The manor of Hampton Court was given by William the conqueror to Walter de St. Valeri, and transferred by gift to the knights of St. John, who had a preceptory there. Thomas Wolsey, the pope's delegate, archbishop of York and Lord Chancellor of England, resired a country residence for the benefit of his health and for the gratification of his vanity. The manor of Hampton was chosen because of its salubrious climate, its delightful scenery, and its easy accessibility to London by means of the river Thames.

Close by were also the king's hunting grounds, the palace of Richmond, and by a pleasant ride through the forest, Windsor Castle.

The buildings of the old preceptors were demolished and in 1515 was commenced the famous palace or country residence of Cardinal Wolsey, which afterwards became the scene of such splendor as to out rival the royal court.

The palace consisted of three courts or quadrangles surrounded by a connected series of buildings. The first court was designed especially for Wolsey and his guests. He kept in readiness 280 suites of rooms, each with its separate entry. The following will give an idea of the luxuriousness of the appointments. The bed covers were of silk, silver basins and water jugs, huge fire places, silver candlesticks, tapestried walls and plenty of wine for the comfort and relief of the guests. Wolsey's household alone numbered about 800 persons, and the kitchen, which is still in existence, gives one a fair impression as to sumptuous manner in which he lodged and entertained his guests. The master cook went about daily in garments of damask silk or velvet and wore a gold chain around his neck. Each department had its "chef" and a large staff of assistants.

At the time of the visit of the French embassy in 1527 over 400 guests were royally entertained in the palace. Cardinal Wolsey was practically forced in 1525 to present the palace with its immense wealth to his covetous master, Henry VIII. This trait in the character of the monarch is emphasized by his having his initials and those of his wives carved and engraved in lovers' knots on numerous

places throughout the palace to give the impression that he was the designer and builder.

In the second, or Clock court, of the palace the most interesting sight is an old astronomical clock placed there in 1540. The dial which is about 6 feet in diameter consists of three separate copper discs of different sizes, with a common center, but revolving at varying rates.

The inner and smallest of the three has in its center a slightly projecting globe, painted to represent the earth. The phases of the moon are shown on a small disc at the side, which revolves behind in such a manner as to exhibit through a circular hole, the varying appearance of the moon's sphere.

The second disc is divided into 29 spaces, representing the moon's ages in days and quarters of days.

On the third or outer disc are painted several sets of concentric circular spaces. First come the names of the twelve months, then the days of the month; next the twelve signs of the Zodiac; then the circle is divided into 365 parts for the days of the year. Lastly the hand in two sets of Roman numerals for the hours of the day and night.

Over all of these a long pointer revolves with a figure of the sun on it. From its position at any time, it is possible to ascertain the hour, the month, the day of the month, the position of the sun, and the number of days since the beginning of the year.

In addition to this from the relative movements of the two inner discs we are enabled to tell the various phases of the moon; its age in days, the hour of the day or night at which it sets, and thence the time of high water on the Thames at London Bridge.

The last mentioned is important commercially as the Thames is a tidal and navigable river.

The authorities seem to differ as to whether a German named Kratzer or Tompion was the maker of the clock. There are three pendulums, two that weigh 450 pounds and one 800. These descend 56 feet by wire ropes.

The clock is said to have suddenly stopped when Queen Anne of Denmark, wife of James I, died in the palace. Other superstitions and legends are also associated with it.

We may pass from the Clock court through Anne Boleyn's gateway, it

having been decorated during her short reign with the initial A entwined with that of Henry by a "true lovers' knot."

At the rear of the hall is the minstrel gallery where in picturesque attire the players rendered music during the banquets, masquerades, dances and other entertainments of the pleasure-loving Henry. During the repasts as was the custom in all princely households, music was played by the minstrels in the gallery, and each fresh course was heralded by a flourish of trumpets.

The interior decorations of the hall is said to be the most gorgeous example left to us from the Tudor period.

It is probable that it was designed by Wolsey as it is very similar to the one built by him at Christ's church, Oxford. The present hall, however, was built by Henry VIII immediately after Wolsey's death as we find records to show for the payment for demolishing the old hall and building a new one on the same site.

The hall presents much the same appearance today as it did more than 300 years ago. The Gothic roof of oak, which has handsomely carved pendants nearly five feet in length, is one of the finest in England. That of Westminster is grander and more imposing, but this roof maintains an undisputed rank for richness of decoration and elaborate workmanship. As Anne Boleyn was no longer the favorite at the time of the building of the hall, so we fail to find the initial A, but in its place that of Jane Seymour, she being the king's fancy when the hall was completed.

There was at one time a stage beneath the minstrel gallery, but it was removed in 1798. The king's company of actors, of whom Shakespeare was a member, gave several performances in this hall in the reign of James I.

The stained glass windows are beautiful, though modern, illustrating Henry VIII's descent from Edward III and the union of the Houses of York and Lancaster. Others give the arms of Henry VIII and his six wives and their issue.

The floor was formerly paved with tiles and in the center was the open hearth, where blazing logs of wood and charcoal gave both light and heat. The smoke escaped through an opening in the roof.

It was on the dais or slightly elevated platform at the end of the hall that the royal table was placed, the king sitting in the middle and the principal guests on either side of him. The less important persons were accommodated at the long tables placed lengthwise down the hall.

It was with extreme profit and pleasure that the writer witnessed

last year in London at His Majesty's theater the play of Henry VIII, or the fall of Wolsey.

This hall was so exquisitely reproduced with characters and decorations of the Tudor period and the acting so splendid that the play made a lasting impression.

The matinees at which half price for schools is given, consisted largely of young people from the private schools around London. As the plays are usually kept up for a year or more ample opportunity is given for most thorough enjoyment while studying the plays of Shakespeare.

Occupying the space around the wall are huge tapestries eight of which represent episodes in the life of Abraham.

They were designed by a Flemish painter named Orley, and made in Brussels. For 300 years they have been admired by millions of visitors to the palace. They are said to be exquisitely designed and of wonderful workmanship. A friend looking at them with me seemed to get quite enthusiastic about them, exclaiming, "Oh! aren't they grand!" Owing to ignorance on the subject I was obliged to say, "Yes, I guess so. For richness and splendor they are scarcely to be matched in Europe, and certainly not in England. In the inventory taken of Charles I's goods at Hampton Court by the commissioners appointed by the commonwealth, these tapestries were appraised at 10 pounds a yard, or approximately \$40,000, but being retained for the use of Cromwell were not sold. It is of interest to note that Raphael's cartoons were also reserved for Cromwell and were appraised at the original purchase price of 300 pounds. Raphael about 1514, at the command of Pope Leo X, was ordered to make designs for tapestries illustrative of the Acts of the Apostles, to decorate the walls of the Sistine Chapel in the Vatican.

The paintings were sent to Flanders and for three years the looms were kept busy on a set of nine superb tapestries, wrought in silk, with gold and silver thread.

Raphael and the pope had no particular interest in the cartoons after they had received the first set, and after a few inferior sets had been made, they were allowed to remain obscure in the workshop of the weavers. Rubens chanced to see them and by his advice they were bought by Charles I for 300 pounds. The commissioners no doubt knew the real value of the cartoons, but they were under the influence of the saintly Oliver Cromwell who immediately afterwards obtained in Holland a personal loan of 50,000 pounds, or about 166 times more than the amount they

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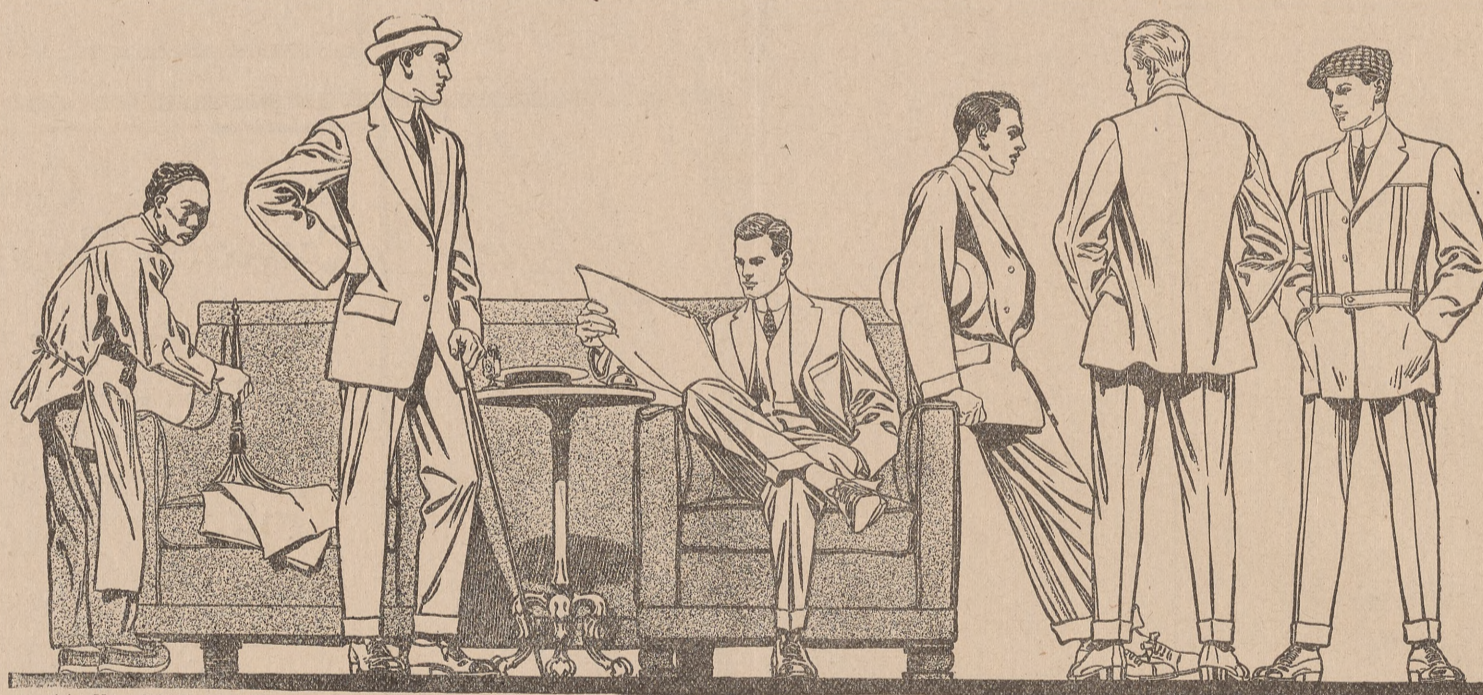
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were appraised at by the commissioners. At the restoration they reverted to the crown. Numerous other but less important tapestries in the different rooms of the palace might be commented on but these will suffice. In the king's guard room there are 3000 ancient arms cleverly arranged in odd designs by a gunsmith named Harris, who received a pension for her work. The king's presence chamber has excellent wood carvings by Grinling Gibbons, old China tea pots and bowls collected by Mary II and a series of paintings by Kneller of the Beauties of Hampton Court. These were ordered to be painted by Queen Mary to surprise her husband, William, on his return from a trip abroad an d to rival a previous collection of pictures by Lely of the Women of Charles II's Court, and known as the "Windsor Beauties." This, however, rendered her very unpopular, as many of the ladies that expected to be included were excluded.



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