



HE JINKS--GYM--FRIDAY NIGHT!

Boost For Nevada's Second Annual Mackay Day Celebration

Few Informed About Wedding

Myrtle Neasham and Philip E. Raymond Wedded February 15.

ASSOCIATE FAILS PAPER

Excitement on Campus When News Reaches College Monday.

"Well, you're six weeks late," was the greeting Philip Raymond, benedict, offered a representative of the Sagebrush as the latter entered the drafting room in the second story of the electrical building while the "news" was still spreading like wild fire from building to building and from class room to class room at the University of Nevada yesterday afternoon. The Sagebrusher acknowledged his defeat with words to the effect that there was a certain young lady on the campus who, as a member of the Sagebrush staff, had failed in her duty to hand all "scoops" in to the office. But now the story is out—it was a story well kept—just because there is a little law that provides that the county clerk must, after a certain time, make public the marriage licenses he has issued.

At the home of Rev. Brewster Adams west of Reno—where the Truckee river surges past the door at 9 o'clock on Sunday evening, February 15, 1914, a college romance culminated. There, in the presence only of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Neasham, the parents of the bride, and Mrs. Adams, Brewster Adams performed the ceremony that united in marriage Miss Myrtle Neasham and Philip Raymond. From that evening until Sunday evening last the participants have guarded their secret well, then came the first little inklings, and yesterday, in the afternoon, the university might just as well have declared a half holiday. So excited and surprised had the friends of this well known couple become that there was no longer any hope for "college work" and it is safe to say that the two most vitally interested were the most composed of all.

Mrs. Raymond is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Neasham, who reside at 607 North Virginia street. She

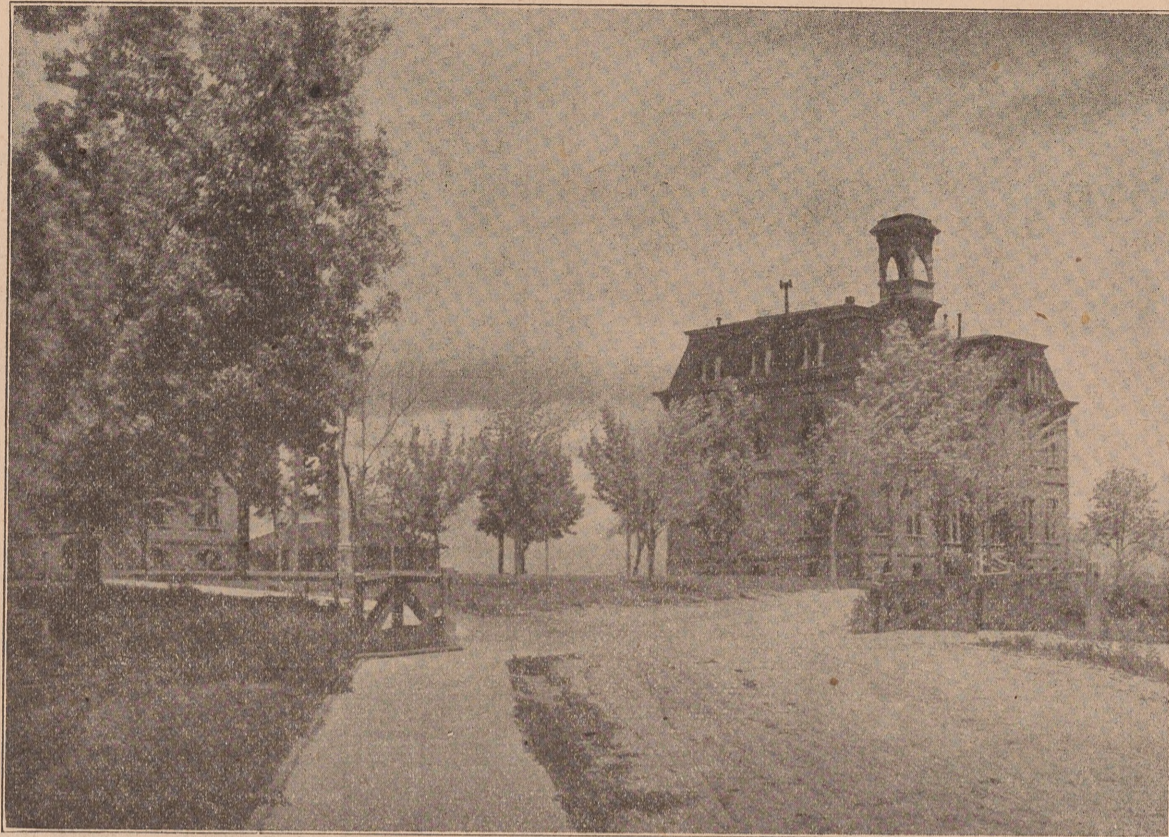
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Penny Contest Waxing Hotter

MUCH EXCITEMENT PREVAILS IN RACE FOR COPPERS AT U. OF N.

Eclipsed only by flurry due to the announcement of "the wedding" was the excitement due to the Y. W. C. A. penny contest which began upon the campus following last Wednesday's meeting of the association. Since that time there has been a scarcity of pennies in Reno in every place but the Y. W. C. A. treasury where these yards of loaded tape are deposited when filled. At the meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last Wednesday afternoon two captains were elected to lead a contest in penny gathering, the like of which has never before been experienced at the University of Nevada. Dorothy Bird is captain of one side and Zoe Gould of the other. All people not belonging to either of the armies led by these two captains are the victims of the advancing hordes. Each soldier in the ranks is given a piece of ribbon so fashioned that it will hold thirty-six pennies. Armed with these the war began and the contest is to see which side will get its proportion of the sixty-five yards of ribbon first filled and handed in. The contest closes April 8. Sixty-five yards of ribbon with thirty-six cents to the yard makes a total of \$23.40 that the Y. W. C. A. will have reaped by this little scheme toward sending a delegate from the University of Nevada to the conference at Asilomar during the coming summer. The contest waxes hotter because a banquet, the treat of the losing side to the winners, is at stake.

Numerous devices have been tried and are still being planned to make the flow of pennies into these yards of tape faster. Captain Bird plans that her side will give a luncheon in the near future and the proceeds therefrom will be converted into pennies for the ribbons. Another method was rife upon the campus during the last week. Girls and fellows were gathered in little excited groups leaning over what appeared to be a game. It was the game of "I'll match you" and this is the way side against side, but more often Y. W. C. A. against the willing male losers, pennies were obtained to fill these yards and yards of empty tape.

UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA ANNUAL HE JINKS TO MAKE BIG TIME

Committees Appointed for Fun, Eats and Smokes at Stag Affair.

COEDS ARE DULY WARNED

Every College Man Is Expected to Attend in Uncommon Costume.

Friday night is the "He Jinks"—Nevada's annual men's big time. Under Chairman H. C. Neeld plans are developing for a program, feed and smoker that will rival those of any he-jinks Nevada has ever had. Several committees have been appointed to take charge of the details of the affair. "Senator" Boggs has charge of the "smokes"; Jameson, Cazier, Hovey and Carl Horn will control the feed part; Fake, Henningsen, Borchet, McPhail and Quigley will collect 25 cents from each member of the A. S. U. N. to defray the expenses of the fun; Harriman, Rose and Neeld do not guarantee to furnish the entertainment made a committee to provide for it.

The first number on the program as scheduled is the basket ball game between the faculty and the seniors. The faculty are apt to appear in bloomers, the seniors will grace the floor in skirts and there will be all kind of chances to bet your coin on the result.

There will be some boxing and there will be some wrestling and there will be some stunts by the freshmen. Maybe Earl Ross will give the boys a monologue. There are also plans for a court of inquiry where affairs private will be made public and woe be unto him who has not walked in the straight and narrow path and more woe be unto him who has. They also say that Prof. Turner, he of the public speech, will deliver a reading of some sort or other and that maybe Beard will too.

Next Friday, March 27, is "He Jinks" in the old gym and it is going

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Suffrage Club Aiding Cause

CHILDREN OF NEVADA SCHOOLS TO WRITE ESSAYS FOR PRIZES.

The Suffrage League of the University of Nevada has inaugurated a movement designed to educate the children of the schools of Nevada in the suffrage cause and to bring the subject home to the people of the outlying districts. With this end in view, the league, under its president, Miss Clara Smith of the class of '14, has sent out a total of 302 letters—one to every teacher in the various school districts of the state. In these letters the college league has suggested to the teachers of the state that they encourage the children who are old enough in their schools, whether they be in the grammar grades or high school, to write essays on equal suffrage. Accompanying these letters have been sent out 302 packages of literature from the Reno suffrage headquarters.

In this effort to spread the cause through the schools of the state the suffrage league of the university is alone engaged, having originated the idea and assumed the work and the financial responsibility involved. A prize of five dollars has been offered to the best essay on the question in each of the five supervised districts of the state of Nevada, thus making a total of \$25 which will be given by the college women to encourage school children to study the suffrage question.

According to the plan, each child in each school is to write an essay. After all of these essays are written an afternoon is to be set aside at each school and the essays are to be read. The two best essays in each school are then to be sent to Reno, where the college suffrage league will judge them and the prizes will be awarded accordingly. The contest will close on April 25.

RECEIVES APPOINTMENT.

Yesterday President J. E. Stubbs received a letter from the secretary of the interior honoring him with an appointment as a delegate at large to the Irrigation Conference of the Western States, which meets in Denver on April 9. President Stubbs will leave here on April 4.

Mackay Plans Taking Shape

Mackay Day to Be Ushered in by Campus Rally on Night Before.

LEILA WHITE FIXING FEED

All Contestants in Inter-Class Meet to Be Reported by April 1.

Mackay Day is April 3 and the committee appointed by the executive committee of the A. S. U. N. are working diligently on the details allotted to them. Owing to the illness of Track Captain Hylton (who, by the way, is able to sit up and take a little nourishment and expects to be about the campus within a few days) the work on the track and field has been placed in the care of Ira Kent. Kent has issued orders to the effect that all men not engaged actively in preparing the Mackay Day feed will be expected on that Mackay Day morning, bright and early, armed with shovels, rakes, hoes, picks and other species of hand machinery that might be employed to advantage in placing the track in first class condition for spring meets.

Mackay Day is a week from next Friday and all the details have not as yet been perfected. The rally, which is in the hands of Yell Leader Hovey, Boggs and Trabert, is being discussed but the committee is not ready to have its plans published. The yell leader has given out, however, that the rally will be held upon the campus and that it will be one jolly affair. It will occur on the Thursday evening preceeding the big event.

For the entertainment in the afternoon there will be some kind of sport—leave that to Archie Trabert. The full plans of this committee are also not ready for publication but it has been decided that an inter-class track meet will be a feature.

Each class is limited to two contestants in each event. A Senior-Faculty relay race of one-half mile duration will wind up the afternoon program.

It has also been suggested that the name "entertainment committee" is a misnomer because entertainment doesn't fit the kind of a time had on the quadrangle last Mackay Day.

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Nev. Engineers Ditch Problem

Steamboat Ditch Company's Property
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Questions of great interest to water users and of marked importance throughout the state in questions of water rate adjustments are involved in the forthcoming valuation of the Steamboat Ditch Company's properties, according to Prof. J. G. Scrugham of the University of Nevada. Prof. Scrugham says the work of valuing the property will be begun probably a week from Friday and will be undertaken by himself, F. O. Broili and W. K. Freudenberger, expert of the public service commission, assisted by Tom Walker, an engineering student at the University of Nevada. Prof. Scrugham and F. O. Broili represent the company.

The proposed valuations are to be made as a result of the hearing by public service commission of a complaint of water users in which a reduction of rates was asked from \$6 to \$4.50 an inch at the lower end and from \$4 to \$2.50 an inch at the upper end of the ditch. Valuations had been made for the contestants by Updike and Gould, and in the course of the hearing it was said by the farmers that they are prepared to spend \$54,000 in constructing a new ditch line if their demands are not met. They took the ground that the Steamboat Ditch company is supplying service only and is not selling water it owns.

In addition to the physical valuation of the property, the experts, in making the new valuation, will thresh out the question whether anything can be allowed on the ground that the company is a going concern. The findings on valuation are expected to have an important bearing on the commission's attitude in fixing of rates charged to farmers on the Truckee meadows.

THE MAN FROM MEXICO.

A week ago yesterday Tom Lawrence, one of Nevada's old mining students, was a visitor in Reno for a few hours and was taken around by Prof. N. E. Wilson, now of the firm of Dalton, Clifford & Wilson. Mr. Lawrence has become so identified with the mining interests of old Mexico that his friends call him "The Man from Mexico." He left on the same evening for Washington, D. C., where he will be engaged in business matters for some time, and he may return to Mexico via the Reno route.

TALKS ON DAIRYING.

Prof. V. E. Scott, who has charge of the dairying department of the College of Agriculture, spent the week end in Churchill county. On Saturday he gave a talk in the Mobley school house to the farmers of that district, his subject being the various breeds of dairy cattle and their adaptation under Nevada conditions. This is Prof. Scott's second trip to the Truckee-Carson project on business of this kind. The week previous he addressed the farmers of the northern district in the Northam school house on the same subject.

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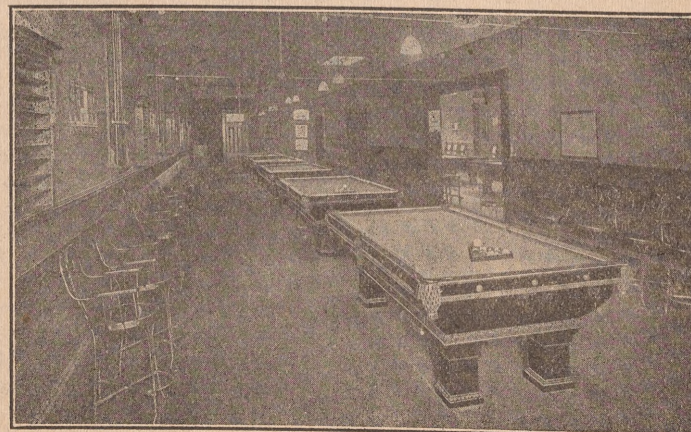
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Engineering Student Writes Article on Beowawe Plant

Buckhorn Mines Company's Locomobile Plant at Beowawe, First of Kind Operating in America—Its Popular and Technical Interest.

(By P. G. McKinlay, 15.)

The locomobile power plant of the Buckhorn Mining Co., at Weowawe, Nev., to which the junior class in electrical engineering of the university recently paid a hurried visit, is of interest to engineers generally in the first of its type in America, and is of particular interest to Nevada engineers as an excellent example of European practice in high efficiency, high superheat steam plants. High freight rates in Nevada make high efficiency urgent; superheated steam has the double advantage of high thermal efficiency and of freedom from water carried into the steam pipes because of the foaming or priming so often encountered with alkaline water. For these reasons a short review of locomobile practice may be timely.

Locomobile Plant Development.

The locomobile for stationary power purposes has been developed in Germany during the last fifty years from the familiar portable agricultural steam engine and boiler, mounted on wheels, of few horsepower and low efficiency, to modern stationary units of 1000 horsepower, which challenge the world in steam plant economy. The appearance of the locomobile is not unlike that of its predecessor. The long cylindrical boiler shell is surmounted by steam cylinders, crank shaft and fly wheel; but here the resemblance ends, for the modern engine fairly glistens with polished brass and steel. The dirty black boiler room of the usual steam plant has been eliminated.

The boiler, with no other setting than the foundation, is on the floor level. The fire box, which is of corrugated steel, surrounded, except on the fire door end by water, is because of the high efficiency of the unit much smaller than is usually seen in a boiler of like capacity. The fire tubes are of moderate length. At this point we meet with a sensible, though, to the American engineer, an unusual feature in European practice. The corrugated fire box and fire tubes, as a unit, are bolted and cemented to the boiler shell, and may be removed at will for cleaning or repairs.

Variations in Practice.

Superheater practice varies. The H. Laws Co. uses only one superheater coil, usually placed around the fire box. The R. Wolf Co. uses two coils, placed at the back end of the boiler. The degree of superheat used varies, and is increasing. In the Beowawe plant the steam is superheated to 700 degrees centigrade, a temperature that would have been impractical a very few years ago.

In some designs the hot gasses pass around the engine cylinders before going to the stack. Down draft to outside stack is often used to improve the appearance of the plant. The stack is usually higher than in American practice.

Since the engine cylinders are mounted on the boiler shell, long steam pipes, with the accompanying objectionable radiation of heat and condensation of steam, are avoided. Indeed, with hot flue gasses surrounding the cylinders, radiation here is also practically eliminated. The engine, especially in the larger sizes, is usually compound, practice being divided between tandem and cross compounding. The high pressure cylinder usually exhausts directly into the low pressure without any intervening receiver or superheater, though a superheating coil is sometimes inserted. Small piston clearance is used, adjustments being made with engine at operating temperature. The valves are of the "lift" type or of a specially developed type of piston valve, with cast iron rings and bushings.

Packing of ordinary varieties can not stand the high temperature of the superheated steam, but in its place are used cast iron rings, in grooves filed with oil and steam water under pressure. Special lubricating oils must be used. It is said, however, that the amount of oil required is less than for the ordinary engine.

The crank shaft and flywheels, of which there are usually two, are, like the cylinders, mounted on the boiler shell. Later practice is to mount the electric generator on a foundation by the boiler, so that it may be directly

connected to the crank shaft. The engine speed is rather high, and the truning effort is sufficiently steady for satisfactory parallel operation of 60-cycle alternators. A pump for feeding the boiler and jet condenser is driven by an eccentric on the crank shaft.

Path of the Steam.

The path of the steam is from steam dome, through superheater to high pressure cylinder, from which it passes either directly or through a second superheater coil to the low pressure cylinder and then to the jet condenser. The remarkable efficiency claimed, about one pound of coal per horsepower hour, or about one-fourth or one-fifth the coal consumption of the usual steam plant, is reached by carefully eliminating losses due to radiation, auxiliary pumps, etc., and by taking superheated steam.

The Beowawe Plant.

The Beowawe plant, the subject of this article, contains two 320-horsepower, 200 r p m locomobiles, built by R. Wolfe of Magdeburg-Buckau, Germany. The present load is about 6000 k. w. hours per day. The boilers furnish steam at a pressure of 225 pounds per square inch, superheated to 700 degrees centigrade. The feed water is alkaline. At present a well is being sunk to tap a stream of water, at boiling temperature, which makes its appearance at the surface some distance away.

Aside from the performance, the plant is of interest because of its neat and shining appearance, for no pains have been spared to make it a model plant. And though the steam end of the plant is the subject under consideration, the electrical end deserves mention. Current is generated at 2300 volts, stepped up to 23,000 volts, and transmitted 29.8 miles for use in mill and mine. The electrical equipment is complete in every respect. The aluminium lightning arresters are of the indoor type, with outdoor charging horn gaps; the transformers are indoor type; the exciter is belt driven from induction motor. And, last of all, the pride of the engineers is the switchboard, with its complete equipment, including voltage regulator, vibrating reed frequency indicator and recording meters, are object of the admiration of every operator who sees it.

The engineering students of the university hope to make a complete test of the plant sometime during the semester, when definite figures may be given on its performance.

Douglas High State Champs

J. M. Alcorn Writes Sagebrush of Game Played in Minden by Carson Valley Boys.

As a result of the interscholastic series of basketball games the championship of Western Nevada is conceded to belong to Douglas County High School. The final game of the series was played in the hall of the Carson Valley Improvement club at Minden, a neutral court, between the Gardnerville boys and Reno High School a week ago Friday night. Relative to the game, Principal J. M. Alcorn of the Douglas County High School has written to the Sagebrush as follows:

"Each team had won on its own floor in previous games, and the one in Minden was played for the championship of the two teams, which was about the same for the championship of the western part of the state. At the end of the first half the Reno team was in the lead by a score of 10 to 15, but during the second half the Douglas county team almost shut the Reno boys out by a score of 3 to 14. The final score standing 18 to 24 in favor of the Douglas County High School team. The Reno team lost their heads when they saw they were losing the game and so it made their defeat all the easier.

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EDITORIAL

NO SAGEBRUSH NEXT WEEK.

As the constitution of the Associated Students of the University of Nevada only requires four issues of the Sagebrush to be published in each month, and as there are five Tuesdays in the month of March, the manager and editor have decided to take a little vacation next week.

ASKS YOU TO HAVE PATIENCE.

This week is moving week in the university library and Prof. Layman takes this means of asking users of the library to have patience with the little inconveniences that may be experienced while the moving process is going on.

GRAYSON TO COSTA RICA.

The same train that carried Doc Milentz away carried Harry Grayson to his home in Vallejo. "Toots" expects to stay a few days in California and then leave by the southern route for New Orleans, from which point he will take ship for Costa Rica. He has accepted a position under Gus Sielaff, an old graduate of the University of Nevada School of Mines, who is superintendent of a mine there.

Frank Hobbins left last week for Manhattan, where he is employed by a mining company as assayer and engineer. He has been visiting at his home at 829 North Virginia street for several weeks. Frank expects to do a little mining on his own hook before the summer is over.

Another delicious drink, Dld Dutch Windmill, at the Fountain, opposite the postoffice.

Debating Team Presents Case

College Debating Society Holds Interesting Meeting—Will Entertain Utah Debaters on April 10.

The last regular meeting of the Debating Society before the Brigham Young debate was held last night. The early part of the evening was taken up by business. The business manager reported the financial condition and the arrangements he had made for the debate. Judges Farrington of Carson City and Judge Harwood of Reno have accepted the invitation to serve as judges of debate. Judge Talbot of Carson City has been asked to serve with these two gentlemen and it is hoped to have Governor Oddie for the chairman of the evening.

President Wolfson then appointed J. I. Cazier, Earl Ross and Miss Ann Cazzallo as a committee on entertainment. Other matters of detail were decided and then the society took up the programme arranged for the evening.

Miss Ruth Miller and Marjorie Goodrich, accompanied by Miss Denny, sang a charming duet. Although heartily encored they slipped out the door without responding.

George Beard told a good, sizzling story when he presented Robert W. Service's "Cremation of Sam Magee." His encore was so "warm" that he told about "The Society as the Stanislavs," by Eret Harte.

The debating team, Wolfson and Phlaging, gave a comprehensive review of the question under debate and brought forth briefly the main arguments on both sides. Phlaging spoke on the affirmative and Wolfson on the negative.

The program was concluded by Prof. A. E. Hill, who told about the literature of argumentation. Prof. Hill said that we today might well profit by the intensity of Demosthenes and Cicero but that they used the invective to an extent which was distasteful to modern people. He mentioned the greatest British orators, concluding with the famous American speakers—especially Lincoln, with his magnificent simplicity which, Prof. Hill said, was the ideal form of argumentation today.

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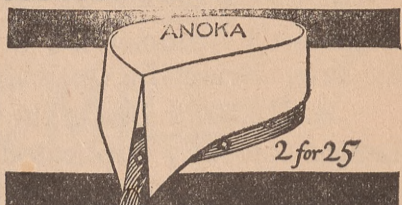
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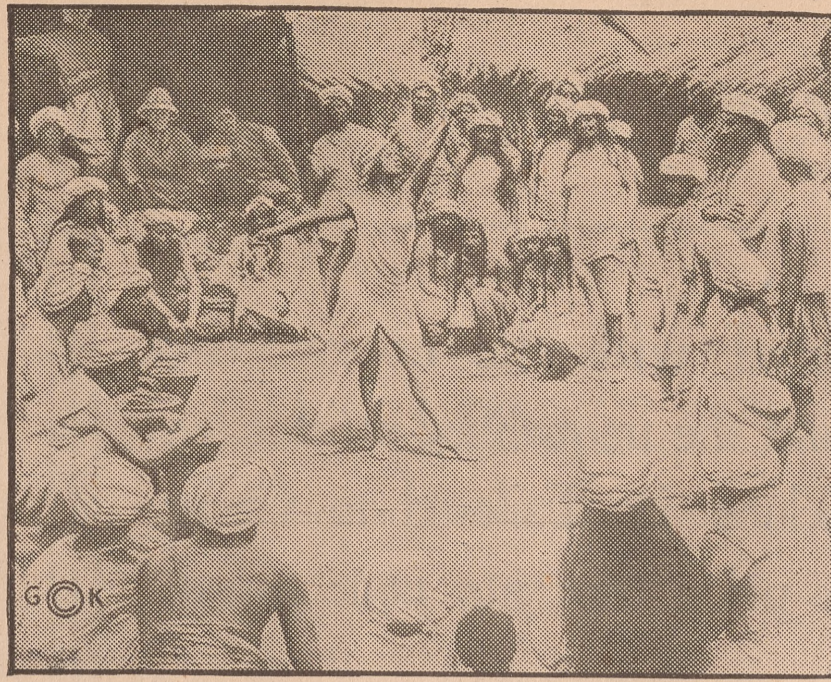
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**Savage and Tiger, Cines
Picture at Majestic Sunday**



The principal players in George Kleine's latest and biggest photo drama success "Between Savage and Tiger," includes several of the Cines players who have already become popular in this country. Sig. Antony Novelli, who appears as Lieut. Ross, was the original Vinitius in "Quo Vadis," and Marc Antony in "Antony and Cleopatra." He is an actor of engaging personality and an evident sincerity that has won him many admirers. Leah Glunchi, who made such a sweet and pathetic Lygia in "Quo Vadis," plays the daughter of the chief of one of the wild tribes of India in this new production. She

did not appear in "Antony and Cleopatra." However, there is such a vast difference between "Quo Vadis" and "Between Savage and Tiger" it very strongly demonstrates her versatility. In fact, versatility is one of the predominating virtues of all the Cines players. Sig. Lupi, who played Aulus Plautus in "Quo Vadis" and Octavius in "Antony and Cleopatra," is cast for Tom, the boatswain "Between Savage and Tiger." This story of adventure and romance in the wilds of India is said to be a thriller from beginning to end, with a punch in every scene. "Between Savage and Tiger" is announced for the Majestic, beginning next Sunday.

**Few Informed
About Wedding**

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entered the University of Nevada in August, 1910, as a regular freshman and she has been one of '14's most loyal members ever since. Early in the present semester that class honored "Miss Myrtle Neasham" (the error is apparent) by making her its last class president and the only woman president that that class has ever had. She has been actively connected with the suffrage movement in the university and the Y. W. C. A., is a member of two years' standing in the Girls' Glee, and is a Delta Rho. She will graduate with her class.

Philip E. Raymond is also affiliated with the class of '14, having come to the university in the first semester of 1911 as a special in the department of mechanical and electrical engineering. He is this year's president of the Engineers' Club and it was in his administration that the famous "Safety First Conference" was held. Philip Raymond left a position with the Southern Pacific company, where he was serving as a locomotive fireman, to attend the University of Nevada and so the nickname of "The Tallowpot" has clung to him ever since. Scattered reports of an exciting siege of his apartments in Lincoln Hall following the supper hour last night are borne out by a few limps on the campus today, but it could not be definitely ascertained whether "Tallow" bought or not.

ANOTHER DINNER.

Misses Leila White, Dot Taylor and Josephene Williams were the hostesses at a jolly little dinner party in the domestic science department on last Wednesday evening. The Messrs. Wiley, Crowley and Beard were (respectively) the guests.

**Mackay Plans
Taking Shape**

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"Fun" expresses that "baseball exhibition" better and so it is suggested that "fun committee" is more appropriate.

Then there is to be a feed for tired and hungry workers in the gym at 12:30 Mackay Day. Leila White has charge of this and with her are working Francis Smith, Ethel Brown, Jean Bartholomew and Josephine Williams. Sol is going to make the biscuits. Leila says it is going to be a good, "old fashioned" lunch—that means good stuff and plenty of it. The chairman of this committee is also anxious to get a hold of potato salad and says if any of the fellows' mothers want to donate spuds in this form that the committee and the university will be truly grateful. Mackay Day isn't so very far from Easter and so Miss Kate Eardewrper of the Department of Domestic Science has promised to have her classes in cookery make Easter hot cross buns for the Mackay Day feed.

As it did last year, the Mackay Day big time will wind up with a jolly dance in the gym. Bob Ostroff, violinist, has the party in charge. A small fee will probably be charged the fellows at the dance to defray the expenses incurred in gathering together the Mackay Day "eats."

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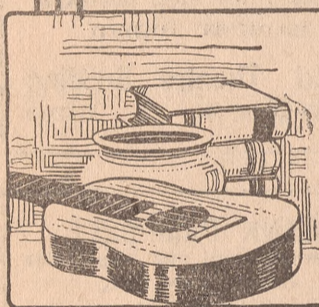
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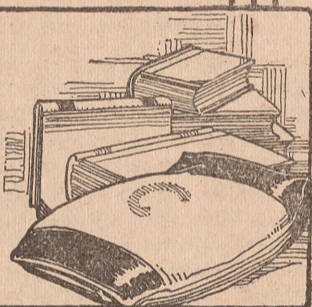
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EXPERIMENTING IN FALLON.

Prof. Charles Knight of the Department of Agriculture, made a journey to Fallon a week ago in the interest of the experiment station of the university. A study is being made of the climatic and soil conditions in that vicinity and ground on the ranches of Van Vorhess and Langford, near Stillwater, will be devoted to experimenting in field crops this spring. The work in Churchill is being carried on by Prof. Knight in connection with Director Readley of

the Truckee-Carson Experiment Farm. These experimental crops will consist of different varieties of cereals that have been tried out at the experimental farm at Reno with the view of getting results for comparison in the somewhat changed conditions of the Carson Sink country.

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Dr. John J. Sullivan, Mrs. Sullivan and little Jack—the most popular kid in Virginia City—have been spending several days in Reno. "Doc" Sullivan is a graduate of Nevada and also Columbia and for years has been a practicing physician on the Comstock.

Prof. Charles H. Knight Lectures U. N. Aggie Club

Describes to Future Farmers the Effect of the Lever Bill in Nevada—Efficiency of Farmers to Be Raised by Government Help.

An interesting meeting of the Agricultural club was called to order last Tuesday evening by President "Dad" Evans. The subject for the evening was a short report by Prof. Charles Knight of his recent trip to the National Corn exposition at Dallas, Texas, at which he, with Theodore Clarke, was in charge of the exhibit sent by the University of Nevada. Prof. Knight dwelt upon the nature and results of the important investigation being carried on by the experimental stations throughout the country as there exhibited. He laid particular stress on this work as it is carried on in other states, for the results of these investigations are applicable to Nevada conditions. He also discussed at some length the Lever Agricultural Extension bill and how it will help the Nevada farmer. His talk, in brief, is as follows:

The Lever Extension Bill.

This act, which provides for the carrying to the farmer upon the farm the latest and best methods of agriculture, passed congress by an almost unanimous vote. The passage of this bill indicates the results accomplished by the continuous efforts that have been made in the past for better agriculture.

Over fifty years ago, by the Morrill act, congress established the agricultural colleges by land grant. They were designed to disseminate the agricultural knowledge to the farmers of the country; upon the theory that agriculture is the most important industry and that the success of all our efforts for advancing civilization is based upon it. It soon became apparent that the body of definite scientific knowledge was very limited, so 25 years later, under the Hatch act, congress established the United States experiment stations for the purpose of developing an effective system of agriculture. This was followed by the Adams act, providing for scientific research; then the Nelson amendments were passed, increasing the appropriations.

As a result of the above litigation the agricultural colleges and experiment stations, as well as the federal department of agriculture have been developing, collecting, classifying and reducing to practice a vast amount of scientific agricultural knowledge, which, if it were generally applied by the actual farmers, would revolutionize the art of farming and bring untold benefits to the farmers and to the people as a whole. Never will the people of Nevada face a more important subject than the redirection of agriculture along scientific lines.

Previous Attempts.

For the past decade or more various

plans have been forwarded to place this stored-up knowledge out into the hands of the actual farmers, for whom it was gathered and who helped to pay for the cost of obtaining it. The farmers have a right to demand that this information be furnished to them in such a manner that it will help them to increase the efficiency of their farms.

Many millions of bulletins have been sent out to farmers from the Department of Agriculture at Washington and from the various state experiment stations, but of this great number only a comparatively few of these bulletins were written in plain non-technical language and thus were of little use to the average farmer in his life work.

Farmers' institutes have been held in various counties of this and other states, and in many parts of the country demonstration trains have been operated in co-operation with the railroads, but these, too, have failed to even interest the large majority of farmers of this great nation. The demonstration farms, two of which are operating in this state at the present time, have come the nearest to giving the farmer practical knowledge of agriculture, but these farms are generally so located that the majority of farmers find it impossible to visit and study the various systems of farm practice at a time of the year when the greatest benefits are to be derived.

A small majority of the people not engaged in the industry realize that farming is a very difficult business, due to the ever changing conditions that the farmer must meet. One season it is too wet, the next too dry, the third is too wet in the spring and too dry later in the year when the crop is maturing; one year it is too cold, then the next it is hot winds; the many pests, including obnoxious weeds, insect pests and plant diseases are to be contended with always, the latter two both above and below the ground. Few lines of business are more complex, require more sound judgment, experience, quick decision, prompt action and open a larger field for the application of science than that of farming. Science is not so mysterious and intangible as we are apt to think. It is simply the ascertaining of how to work with nature under various conditions so we may get the best results for the effort and money expended.

Effect of Science.

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"SAFETY FIRST."

Fred H. Rindge, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Yale has written to Prof. J. G. Scrugham. Mr. Rindge states that he was very much interested in the accounts he has read of the Nevada Industrial Safety Conference and asks for some of the programs that were published at the time. Mr. Rindge is the author of an article on the Industrial Service Movement, which appeared in the World's Work for March this year.

Prof. Knight Discusses Bill

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then do the right thing at the right time and in the right way, the reward will be abundant. The steel industry was entirely revolutionized by science and the cost of production of this article was greatly reduced, and the profits at the same time immensely increased. Agriculture will as surely be revolutionized by science within a score of years. We have on hand and we might say in cold storage the scientific knowledge necessary to do this. The problem is to get it out to the man on the farm and have him make use of it.

The Lever agricultural extension act, just passed by congress, will provide for a practical and efficient plan for accomplishing these results. By co-operation with the states it endows the agricultural colleges with sufficient funds to enable the colleges to train and place ultimately in every agricultural county a trained man to help the farmers understand and apply the new methods in farm operations, and keep these methods up to date.

The Farm Adviser.

In order for this plan to be successful it is of highest importance that the farm adviser receive the most hearty and earnest co-operation from the farmer. The position of farm adviser will be a difficult one to hold since he should be well versed in all phases of farming and have both a thorough, scientific training and considerable practical farm experience. The duty of the adviser will be to assist those farmers who desire assistance by understanding and apply the newer methods in their farm operations. Through these men the college will reach the farmer and the farmer will reach the college, or a sore of pipe line through which the pent-up knowledge will reach the farms.

The farm adviser must be a co-operator rather than an instructor, for it may be doubtless true that he will learn as much from the farmers as the farmers will learn from him. The adviser is equipped with the theory and the science of farming and the farmer with the practical experience. The best results should be accomplished by this Lever act which contemplates these together.

The state college authorities the first year may find only a few men in the whole state who are capable of doing field work as adviser, so the work must necessarily be started in a small way. In the near future a few more can be found and trained and fitted for the work. It will probably be ten years before our state will be fully equipped and every county supplied with an efficient man, and the plan contemplated by the act be fully organized and in operation. The counties will undoubtedly be clamoring for men long before they can get them, so the danger lies in going too fast and letting incompetent men slip into the service.

Location of Men.

In beginning this work the few men should be located at central points, where they will be most accessible as farm advisers. In some cases they will require assistance, and this should be composed of young men taking the agricultural college course, using them to do the preliminary work under the direction and supervision of the district farm adviser.

They will be required to visit the farmers, discuss with them the plan and ascertain from them whatever serious problems they may have relating to that locality and how they have been dealing with them. These young men should consult frequently with the farm adviser.

The farmers of this state have been calling for a system of this nature for many years, since the conditions of agricultural practice vary so much, not only in different sections of the state, but in the same section of the state, and only by careful study of these problems on the individual farms can the best results be obtained in a majority of counties of Nevada.

SOPHOMORES, NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the class of '16 in Morrill Hall Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Every member of the class is requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

HARRY HOVEY,
President.

WRITES ARTICLE.

Dr. J. E. Church has written an article entitled, "Keeping the Frost Away from the Fruit," which appears in the March 14 number of "Farm and Fireside," an agricultural paper published in Springfield, Ohio. The article will be republished for the benefit of Nevada farmers in the next issue of "Better Farming."

GIRLS' GLEE.

Beginning this week the Girls' Glee, under Miss Maud Denny, will practice three times a week in preparation for their appearance before the Twentieth Century club on April 3. They are also beginning practice on music to be rendered during Commencement Week.

LIBRARY MOVING.

Librarian J. D. Layman expects to finish the moving of books into the new library building next Monday. The past couple of weeks have been occupied in moving pamphlets and books that have been stored in different buildings about the campus into the basement and now everything is readiness for the transfer of the library proper.

Thomas F. O'Brien, an old resident of Nevada and one that recently joined the ranks of the benedicts, journeyed down from Carson Saturday night to be in Reno Sunday to attend the initiation and banquet of the Knights of Columbus. Mrs. O'Brien accompanied him and continued on to Sacramento, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. W. W. Goode.

CHURCH GOING SUNDAY.

The Ministerial association of Reno announces that next Sunday, March 29, will be "Church Going Sunday" in Reno. A cordial invitation is tendered through the Sagebrush to the students of the University of Nevada to attend any of the churches on this day.

ENGINE RUNS.

The Swedish crude oil engine which was imported from Sweden last year by the department of mechanical and electrical engineering, and which is being made the especial study of a thesis by Neil K. Barber, made its first satisfactory run last Saturday morning to the delight and interest of those who happened to be working in the electrical laboratory on that day.

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Vaudeville Road Show In April

Hurst Bros. Book Metropolitan Road Show With Numerous Attractions in High Class Acts.

Beginning about the first week in April the smaller cities of California and Nevada, where it is impossible to finance first class vaudeville circuits, will be treated to the best in vaudeville from the various circuits, for one to three nights a week. The Metropolitan road show, a combination of all-star vaudeville acts from the Orpheum, Sullivan-Considine and Australian circuits will start from San Francisco and play the smaller cities where they have from one to three-night stands.

The Majestic Theater company of Reno is financing part of the attraction and Glen Hurst of the company will leave in about a week to start out with the show.

Among the attractions booked are Evelyn Nesbit Thaw in Mariette, Mrs. Douglas Crane in "Her Soul and Her Body," William Hodge and possibly Billy Burke. The famous talking pictures will be shown again in April, with an evening with Harry Lauder as the main attraction; also pictures of Scotch dancing and the Scotch bagpipe band.

"DOC" LEAVES.

Last Wednesday evening, on No. 19, Karl Milentz departed from the University of Nevada. "Doc" has been one of Nevada's most popular and most loyal students in the five years he has been here and many have been the comments to the effect that "Doc" would be missed heard during the days around his departure.

Doc graduated from the College of Agriculture at the close of the last semester and since then he has been employed in the university first as an assistant in the office of the comptroller and then, during the dairy short course and farmers' week as an instructor in dairying.

Doc went first to San Francisco, where he was to pick up his friend, George Purdy, who has been a visitor in Lincoln Hall with Doc during the present term. From San Francisco the two were bound for Rock Island, Texas, where "Doc" Milentz will start ranching on a big scale, for his father has large holdings there. "Doc" promises to write and let Nevada know how he is getting along and some day he expects to come back and visit the old school.

SANTA CLARA GAME.

Practice is being conducted regularly on the Mackay Field each evening by Coach Elliot and the baseball men are getting in good shape for the big game with Santa Clara on Saturday afternoon, April 4. The men who will probably help Captain Pink Abbott win that contest are: Catcher, McCubbin; c. Clark; pitchers, Ferris and Johnson; first base, Boggs; second base, Fake or Moore; shortstop, Sheehy; third base, Abbott (captain); center field, Bacon; right and left fields, Malone, Riley or Moore.

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Nev. Glee Club Pleases Valley

BOYS REPORT THEY HAD THE BEST TIME OF ALL GLEE CLUB TRIPS.

The second annual appearance of the University of Nevada Glee Club in the Carson valley took place Friday night, and, while the attendance was not what it should have been, by any manner of means, the boys gave value received, both in the listed program and the encores.

It was remarked that the Glee Club especially in chorus work, showed considerable improvement over last year. There was no pausing or faltering at any time in a single one of the songs. Of course, Walker and Ferris did admirable work as comedians, and to the ranks of the fun-makers was added a coming Eddie Foy, in the person of "Romeo" Johnson. The solos of Rose, Walker and Ferris were sung in a fetching manner and brought enthusiastic encores, in reply to which the boys did their part. The farce of "Romeo and Juliet," by Johnson and Ferris, was a "scream." The only fault that could possibly be found with this particular performance was the lack of a few assorted bumps on the nether extremities of Mr. Johnson. Ferris, with his deep bass voice, made a coy and captivating Juliet, even though the floor of his balcony and the wall thereof were both rather wobbly. Juliet was not exactly down to date, as her skirt was far from the hobble sort and had no appreciable slit.

As a whole the program was one which was enjoyed immensely by those who were at the concert and it is hoped the boys will come again next year. After the program there was a social dance. The boys went to Carson City Saturday morning.

Big He Jinks Friday Night

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to begin at 7:45. No people are admitted except A. S. U. N. members and members of the faculty. Co-eds are reminded of their fate of last year if they should be tempted again to intrude upon the sanctum of His Royal Majesty Jinx. Men of the faculty are expected to be there to add their quota to the merry din. Everybody will attend in extraordinary costume of some sort.

WORK OUT OF DOORS.

Beginning yesterday, all of Miss Elsie Sameth's classes in physical education worked out of doors on the Mackay field and they will continue to do so as long as the weather permits.

EVENING CHEMISTRY RESUMED.

Prof. E. E. Williams' evening class in chemistry will meet in the lecture room of the chemistry building at 7:15 Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold James are now living in Reno, where Mr. James is employed. Mrs. James was formerly Miss Bernice De Hart, a student of the University of Nevada and a member of the Sagebrush staff.

Motion Picture Studio in Reno

Large Industries From Coast Contemplate Move to City With More Sunshine and Clear Air.

With 330 days of sunshine per year for an average of thirty years, unlimited supply of desert and mountain scenery and proximity to the ocean, are the inducements that Reno has to offer to the moving picture companies on the coast to establish studios here.

Sunshine and good, clear air are essential features for good motion pictures, and a number of the companies in Los Angeles and other coast cities find that the sunshine in these places can not be depended upon. They are looking for new places to establish studios and have so far considered, Reno, Denver and Spokane, Washington.

Glen Hurst, of the Grand and Majestic theaters, recently returned from an extended trip to the coast and is authority for the above statement. "Reno is an ideal place for motion picture taking; it is so close to the coast cities where these big companies have large plants that it would not be necessary for them to move any of their developing and printing apparatus here, and would save them considerable time and expense," said Mr. Hurst yesterday.

The fact that these companies have Reno in mind as a possible headquarters, is ample guarantee that with a proper amount of boosting on the city's part, by simply pointing out to them what we have to offer they can be induced to come here.

The Commercial club of Spokane, alive to the business a large concern of this character will bring to the city, has offered them a 2300-acre ranch near Liberty lake gratis. The company is also considering the purchase of a 12,000-acre ranch near Denver, and have thus far announced that either Denver, Spokane or Reno will be chosen.

Oliver Layman, student and library assistant, has been away from college and library during the past week, due to illness.

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Surveyors Work Rochester Road

A. A. Codd Returns From Visit to Camp and Reports the Entire District Active

"Rochester will be on the railroad within sixty days," declared A. A. Codd yesterday in discussing the proposed extension of the Nevada short line into the mining camp. Mr. Codd returned Sunday from the Rochester district and will return to

the scene of his operations this morning.

"A surveying crew is now going over the route of extension and establishing the grades," continued Mr. Codd. "As soon as this preliminary work is concluded we contemplate rushing the six-mile extension of the railroad and provide the camp with direct means of ore transportation."

"The entire district is humming with activity and appearances indicate that the hummer will be replete with a number of new discoveries. The producing properties are taking out the ore in a manner that indicates substantial shipments, and the leasers are pegging away in earnest, a number working in ore."

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