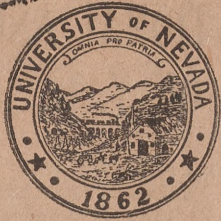


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HONOR FRATERNITY SELECTS THREE NEW MEMBERS

MISS MARY RAITT, RUTH MILLER AND ETHEL WINGER ARE CHOSEN

Professor Maxwell Adams, head of the chemistry department at the university, was chosen president of Phi Kappa Phi honor fraternity of the university, at the annual election of officers held Saturday. Other officers chosen were: Professor Laura De Laguna, head of the department of modern language, vice president; Professor S. P. Ferguson, treasurer; Professor Leon W. Hartman, head of the physics department, secretary; Professor Romanzo Adams, head of the department of economics, marshal.

Miss Mary Raitt of Sparks, Miss Ruth Miller of Reno, and Miss Ethel Winger of Las Vegas were elected to membership in the fraternity and will be initiated in April.

Professor L. W. Hartman was chosen national regent of the fraternity at the national convention of the organization held in December, according to an announcement made by Dr. J. E. Church, who represented the local chapter at the convention.

Phi Kappa Phi is a national honorary fraternity and has 18 chapters in the United States. The local chapter was established in 1912, and members are selected from graduating students who have attained a high degree of scholarship during their college work.

SENTIMENT AGAINST VARSITY BASEBALL

STUDENT BODY DECLARES AGAINST SUPPORT OF DIAMOND ARTISTS

Last Friday morning what was scheduled to be the regular March meeting of the A. S. U. N. was held in the gym. Due to the absence of a quorum, no official business could be transacted. Much discussion on several important matters took place, however, and committees were named to start important work.

The matter of abolishing baseball at Nevada as an intercollegiate sport caused a hot debate. Since a quorum was lacking, those present passed a resolution declaring the sentiment of

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A. S. U. N. MEETING

Next Friday, at 11 P. M. the postponed regular meeting of the A. S. U. N. will be held. As important business is to be considered, a full attendance is imperative.

TWO WINS PLACES NEVADA IN SECOND POSITION

SANTA CLARA DEFEATED 43-30, AFTER BEING HEADED FOR SHORT TIME

HENNINGSEN STARS

ST. IGNATIUS LOSES SECOND GAME 42-3; TEAM PLAYS IN OLD-TIME FORM

On Saturday, February 26, Nevada defeated Santa Clara's basket ball team by a score of 43-30. The game was a rough one throughout and towards the end was marked by an unusual amount of crabbing. There were disputes over the interpretations of the rules all during the game but Referee Henderson held to his decisions and his ruling, though strict, was yet very fair. The running rule, particularly, was often in dispute and was the reason for a great amount of discussion.

There were many field throws on the part of Santa Clara, who used rough methods of playing continually. Their team work was ragged and was made more noticeable by the excellent team work shown by Nevada. At the beginning of the second half Santa Clara managed to tie the score but Nevada soon drew away from them.

The stars of the game were McCubbin and Henningson, who were both in exceptionally good form. McKenzie also played a fast game, dislocating his finger in the second half but remained in the game. Trabert was steady and reliable and Buckman showed better form than in previous games.

There was a large and peppy crowd present at the game and the enthusiasm was contagious.

Line-up follows—Santa Clara: Rafter, center; Connor, Diaz, forwards; Mulholland (captain) and Bienzberg, guards. Substitutes, Korte for Rafter, Curtin for Diaz, Korte for Curtin.

Nevada: Henningson (captain), center; McCubbin, McKenzie, forwards; Trabert, Buckman, guards.

Summary—Santa Clara: Field goals, Rafter 3, Connor 2, Diaz 2. Free goals, Connor 16.

Nevada: Field goals, Henningson 5, McKenzie 4, McCubbin 4, Buckman 2; free goals, McCubbin 11.

Referee—Henderson, Y. M. C. A. Time—Twenty-minute halves.

NEVADA-ST. IGNATIUS

The last basket ball game of the season, Nevada versus St. Ignatius, was played in the University gym Saturday, March 4. Nevada came out at the long end of a score 42-31. The game was fast and clean, although the second half lacked the ginger and snap that were evident in the beginning. The new rules seemed to be confusing to the visitors, but the game was entirely free from the crabbing that is so common. Connolly and Larrican were the stars for St. Ignatius. Connolly particularly being very good on free throws. The game was refereed by J. K. Henderson of the Y. M. C. A., whose rulings were firm and just.

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STUPENDOUS STUNTS SURE TO SURPRISE ON ST. PAT'S DAY

DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS TO COMPETE FOR MOST ATTRACTIVE EXHIBIT

DANCE IN GYM

ENGINEERS AND AGGIES PLAN FINISH FIGHT ON BASEBALL FIELD

What is guaranteed, proclaimed to the four winds of the universe, and what is more, solemnly promised, will be the most original, entertaining day of devilish enjoyment yet devised by the most monumental minds now extant upon the Mackay quad, will absolutely take place, without fail, March 17, otherwise known as St. Patrick's Day. In selecting this day, the local order of the Ancient and Respectable Order of Hibernians have expressed themselves as delighted, and even hinted that they might take part in the shindig slated for the afternoon.

A grand pageant will start festivities, and will be participated in by all the local mountaineers and friends.

The pageant will be ushered in by a grand parade on the campus participated in by aggies and engineers. The parade will be a costume affair and a prize for the most unique costume has been offered by a member of the faculty. The parade will lead from the campus to the Mackay field where a baseball game between the aggies and the engineers will be played. The players will still be in costume but the game will not be a burlesque affair as the losers will have to pay for the music at the dance in the evening. Dean Knight of the agricultural college will pitch for the aggies and the engineers have not found a pitcher who can offset this handicap. Professor Knight pitched for the University of Wisconsin during his college days and has not lost all his form.

The dance in the evening is to be the crowning event of the day. The big gymnasium according to present plans is to be decorated with nothing but mechanical and electrical appliances. Strings of colored lights will be used to give color to the decorations and a living fountain and waterfall will grace the center of the ball room.

Refreshments, cooked on nothing but electrical cooking appliances, by the girls of the domestic science department, will be served during the evening.

The mining students have contributed a miniature stamp mill which will be run during the evening for the edification of the assemblage and the electrical students have made arrangements with Professor Hartman to give a demonstration of high potential discharges of electricity.

One feature of the dance will be the distribution of prizes to lucky couples who pick the winning numbers on a huge roulette wheel drawn on the floor.

The entertainment and dance is open to the public and the students expect to entertain a large crowd and demonstrate the work of the various college departments.

Study of Freak Languages

At Oberlin the study of foreign languages is a matter of current fad, reports showing that practically every student is studying some strange language. Lithuanian leads with 462 devotees while there are numerous students of Dalmatian, Albanian, Armenian, Finnish, Magyar and Croatian.

HISTORY OF NEVADA Y. W. C. A. STORY OF CONSISTENT GROWTH AND IDEALS REALIZED

ORGANIZED IN 1898, THE LOCAL YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION HAS GROWN THRU OPPOSITION AND STRIFE TO PRESENT PLACE

MUCH GOOD ACCOMPLISHED

DELEGATES SENT TO VARIOUS CONVENTIONS OF NATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AT ASILOMAR; SOCIAL SIDE OF WORK NOT NEGLECTED AND MANY GOOD TIMES DUE TO Y. W.

In the year, 1894, there came to the University of Nevada a young woman who was fresh from a Y. W. C. A. secretaryship in Michigan, and who felt the need of an association in Reno. She conferred with Dr. Stubbs in regard to such an organization on the campus, but he could not give her very much encouragement at the time. Conditions were such that the founding of an organization on a strictly evangelic basis (as the Young Woman's Christian Association then was) could not possibly meet with favor among the young women of the university. Mrs. Church was not willing to give up hope, however, and for two years she continued in her efforts to interest faculty and students in association work. Dr. Stubbs, who was always a friend to Y. W. C. A., did all he could to foster a spirit of democracy among the students, and to build up a more tolerant attitude toward the proposed association, but nothing very definite was accomplished till after the founding of the Young Men's Christian Association, in 1898. During that year a certain Mr. Gayley and his wife, missionaries then on their way to China, made a visit to the local Y. M. C. A., and at Mrs. Church's suggestion these two people went to Manzanita hall on Sunday afternoon and getting some twenty girls together organized a Young Woman's Christian Association, with Miss Ethel Sparks as president. Among the charter members were Miss Sybil Howe, now teaching at Yedington, and Mrs. John Fulton (nee Stubbs) now chairman of the advisory board.

The first few years after the association was organized were a bare "struggle for existence." A little group of interested Christian girls held sessions of morning prayer and endeavored to keep up the regular mid-week meetings, but the attendance was small and the opposition and ridicule of the majority of women students was not a little hard to fight against.

In 1904 the first delegation, composed of two girls and Mrs. Church, was sent to the summer conference at Capitola. Miss Myrtle Reid was president of the association for two years (1904-6) and it was during her regime that the organization first gained some little recognition as a favorable body, and the future looked very much brighter for Y. W. C. A. When the little delegation returned from Capitola it brought back a wonderful message, and great inspiration for the growth of the association here. People began to take notice of the association and to think that after all it must be worth while. The next year several delegates were sent to the summer conference.

The association was gradually but steadily growing and gaining power all of the time during the presidencies of Miss Matilda Jepson (1910-11) and Miss Hazel Ohmert (1911-12), but it was not until the fall of 1912 that the really great thing happened. In the spring of that same year Mrs. Nixon had made possible the coming of a resident secretary by very generously giving some six hundred dol-

ars toward her salary. The girls were able to make up the remaining amount, and in the fall of 1912 Miss Winifred Wygal came to us. Her coming marked a new epoch in the history of the Young Women's Christian Association at Nevada. Order came out of chaos; heretofore there had been no regular committees appointed, no cabinet meetings at definite intervals, and very little system about anything that was done. The cabinet started to hold regular meetings on Wednesday mornings at 7 o'clock, and Florence White (who was then president) and Margaret Fulton can vouch for the coldness of those winter mornings when they had to leave home at 6 o'clock in order to get to cabinet on time. In November, 1912, a "Pageant of the Foreign Associations" was held in the Orvis Ring school. This entertainment showed how public opinion had changed within the last few years, for over fifty girls took part in the pageant and several hundred downtown people attended it. Before the coming of a resident secretary it was a hard matter to get more than twenty girls to stand up for Y. W. C. A. The membership at the time was only 33, and some of those were only nominal members.

In the spring of 1913 the usual conference dinner was given, which enabled six girls to be sent to "Asilomar" that summer. It was also in the spring of 1913 that the association edited "The Sagebrush" for the first time. A social service committee was appointed and some definite work began under the leadership of Clarimond Withers Hoag, which has resulted since in the organization of the High School club and the distribution of Christmas baskets.

Myrtle Neasham Raymond was president of the association in the years 1913-14, and it was during her regime that the annual "Y. W. C. A. Day" was established, to be celebrated on the first Wednesday in

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EDITORIAL

Y. W. C. A.

In appreciation of the prominent place the Nevada Y. W. C. A. holds in all worthy activities in student life, and in furtherance of their good work, the Sagebrush is indeed glad to offer this edition as a special number, edited by and for the Y. W. association.

To the women of the University who are actively supporting the association, the greatest credit is due for their efficient work. To all the University, the Sagebrush wishes to commend the Y. W. C. A. as a worthy and deserving movement, which should have the united support of all.

—T. B. II.

A WORD OF THANKS.

Y. W. C. A. takes this opportunity to thank the campus, as a whole, for its support of the association. It certainly gives the members, collectively and individually, a feeling of assurance to realize that they can depend on anyone in the University to speak a good word for Y. W., commend it to a stranger, and support its enterprises. Again we say, "thank you."

THE ASSOCIATED WOMEN STUDENTS OF UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA

A fine title, is it not? But how much better it would be if there were a real organization supporting such a title. The registration of women in the University now totals 165 all energetic, alive, interested in the development of the University. Why can they not foster it by making themselves an influential factor through organization? Little, if anything, can be accomplished by individuals, but, as a unit, the field of ac-

tivity for women in this University could be immeasurably widened. One matter, in particular, long agitated in the Y. W. C. A., an honor system, could be dealt with directly. Why do we overlook our opportunities?

SPEAK, WOMEN, SPEAK!

Why is it that in this day of feminism, some women still retain the very ancient idea that women should be seen and not heard? Here on the campus, in student body meetings, committee meetings, and class meetings, where the women of the University are allowed, even expected to voice their opinions, no feminine voice is ever raised to ask for information or state her arguments on a question. The really sad phase of the question is that where decisions do not meet with their approval, the women, having remained silent when they should have spoken, "crab" later in smaller circles, and spread dissatisfaction which comes to nothing. Why not be recognized as a real influence in campus activities? Get up, girls, and 'spress yourselves.

Not So Bad

Figures compiled from the expense accounts of 333 students show that the average girl at Smith spends \$7.4 per cent of her money for necessities, 8.2 per cent for pleasure, and 4.2 per cent for books, stationary, etc. This is conclusive proof that the average college girl is not such a spendthrift and pleasure lover after all.

Cal's Big "C" Completed

Last Tuesday 2,500 students put in a day of toil and pleasure and built the trail up to the "Big C" on the hill. The different colleges organized under their captains and engaged in a race to see which should complete their assigned tasks first. The co-eds served lunch at noon and in the afternoon all collected at Hearst Field for an afternoon of fun. Some very original stunts were pulled off, such as a water fight, free for all tie-up contest and chariot race. A big dance in the gym concluded the day's program. During the day each college appeared in characteristic garb and rivalry was keen between them.

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NATIONAL ASPECTS OF Y. W. JUBILEE

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Sixty-five thousand girls are celebrating this month the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Young Women's Christian Association. Fireside festivals, rallies, mass meetings, evangelistic services and vespers are but a few of the features of the jubilee. The dream of a birthday party that would linger long in the minds of American girls has been realized.

Mrs. Alice Vanderbilt Morris was made chairman of the national jubilee committee at the outset. She has had specialists in various departments of association work to help her, as, for example, our western Leslie Blanchard of Stanford as chairman of the student jubilee committee. These women have aided the local association in every way to celebrate and commemorate this occasion. Practically every headquarters secretary left New York late in January to be in the field in some scheduled place during jubilee activities. Miss Harriet Taylor remained behind to keep the machinery at headquarters in operation. Carefully planned report blanks had been sent in advance to every association to be returned one each Monday morning during the jubilee. The following week a night letter went to associations all over the country, giving the summary of enthusiasm for the week.

The most refreshing feature of this celebration has been its adaptable quality. No set of requirements was laid down as to what should be done and how. The general suggestion that the jubilee be a time of thanksgiving and of strengthening weak parts was accepted to mean absolutely different things in different localities. Many industrial centers of Y. W. C. A. work felt the need of interesting employes and their wives; many city associations put the emphasis upon membership or finance or both; many student associations have turned the entire stress upon a large foreign service or a wider social program. The bulk of college workers have gladly used the jubilee for a time of heart-reaching and of renewing ideals. The New York night letters say that every tiny country center is celebrating in some way. Student papers all over the country, like our own loyal Sagebrush, have opened their columns to the jubilee news, to accounts of banquets, rallies and meetings. One national feature has been the presentation of a historical pageant which has been universally successful, with audiences ranging from hundreds to four thousand.

It has been very suitable to emphasize during the jubilee the life of Grace H. Dodge, the first president of the national board and the generous helper at all times. Because of her recent death and her love for girls it has been thought fitting to start at this time a Grace H. Dodge memorial endowment fund. An effort has been made to bring every girl to a sense of voluntary giving toward such a living memorial to her friend. One of the principal accomplishments of Miss Dodge's life was in her numerous industrial and working girls clubs all over the east. It is therefore a beautiful tribute to Miss Dodge that the industrial clubs last week led in the endowment fund giving. It is a reproach to the many more fortunate college and city girls of independent income that the girls of factories and mills, working at a low wage, find most quickly the spirit of giving which always prompted their friend Miss Grace H. Dodge. It would seem that the girls of America reach the end of this jubilee thinking with Mercy in Pilgrims Progress, what they are, whence they came, what they have done, and to what the King has called them.

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NEVADA GRAD SPEAKS ON PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

J. E. SEARS, GRADUATE OF 1910, RELATES EXPERIENCES IN THE EAST

J. E. Sears, a graduate of 1910 in civil engineering returned to the campus last week after a five years' stay in the Philippine Islands, where he has been engaged in the government service. On last Thursday morning, Mr. Sears spoke in the physics building to a good-sized audience regarding his experiences in the Philippines. Pictures portraying conditions in the islands were thrown on the screen and Mr. Sears gave an account of the geography and customs of the various races. The territory occupied by the islands is about 1,100 miles long by 600 miles wide. A large number of languages are spoken on the different islands and intercommunication is difficult except to those who are thoroughly acquainted with the many languages spoken. The natives as a rule distrust their own people but place a certain amount of confidence in the white man. A white man residing in the islands must stand his own ground or the natives about him become so arrogant that life is unbearable. Aside from the cross-breeds between the native Filipino and the other Asiatic peoples, the bulk of the population is made up of two classes, the Hill people and the Moros. The former are still pagans but the Moros have adopted Mohammedism. The Moros have their own rulers and tribal government. They are well developed physically and make the best fighting men to be found in the islands. Mr. Sears gave it as his opinion that in the event that the Philippines were given their freedom by Congress, these Moros would make things interesting for the Philippine politicians.

Mr. Sears made some interesting comments on the wild life existing in the islands. A peculiar type of deer about the size of a small goat is abundant in certain districts. Wild hogs are hunted in the more remote sections and furnish rather dangerous sport to the men who do the hunting. Dogs and nets are usually employed to corner the animals. Of the larger animals the wild caribou, the water buffalo and the mindanao are also hunted. Mr. Sears said the islands were a paradise for fishermen and that any fish story sounded plausible and that anybody could catch fish, which constitute a large part of the native's food.

The islands at present are governed by a commission appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate. Native Filipinos are now in the majority on this commission. A senate composed of eighty-one representatives from the Christian provinces make laws for the Christian inhabitants.

The islands are making rapid advance along industrial lines. At present about 370,000,000 pounds of hemp are exported annually from the islands and the exportation of sugar is on the increase. Coconut is widely used both for food and as a source of oils.

The mineral resources of the islands are being rapidly developed. Coal, iron and gold mines are producing and the lumber resources, as indicated by the exhibitions at the Panama-Pacific Exposition have great possibilities.

Manila is a city of many churches, Mr. Sears said, and a peculiar custom of burial was cited. The city has walls and in the walls are niches for the reception of bodies. Rental is paid for these spaces and the Filipinos consider that about three years is long enough to pay rent. After such a period has elapsed the coffins are dumped over the wall outside the city limits. Mr. Sears' remarks were thoroughly enjoyed by his audience.

INTERCOLLEGIATE

California's Boathouse Demolished
While it was being moved across the Oakland estuary on a barge, the boathouse of the California crew men was swept off by the tide and partially demolished. Several shells were crushed and the house left stranded in a mud bank. Aside from the loss which amounts to about \$500, the crew men will be unable to train for at least a week.

The Largest College
In total attendance, including summer session, Columbia leads California with 11,888 to 10,500 students enrolled, not including the large number of students in the University Extension division.

Stanford Entrance Policy
Lack of income and facilities for handling a greater number of students together with a desire to eliminate the student who does not work, have caused the trustees of Stanford to make stringent regulations regarding admittance of new students. They intend to limit the total attendance to 2,000 next year and only 450 men will be admitted next year. The total attendance of women is restricted to 500.

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the A. S. U. N. against baseball if supported by the student body.

Treasurer Quigley gave a report on the finances of the A. S. U. N., stating that less than one-half of the student body had purchased athletic cards. Due to this condition of affairs, the support of both track and baseball as major sports, he said, are impossible.

Wolfson suggested that plans be laid for the Mackay Day, and made the motion that committees be appointed to care for the various details. On the feed-committee, Mary Raitt, Eva Walker and John Quigley were appointed. Lloyd Root was appointed to take charge of the track events. Further committees will be announced later.

Bourke Healy brought up the question of making the payment of A. S. U. N. dues compulsory. After some discussion a committee was appointed to look into the matter.

After the meeting adjourned the men students remained to talk over plans for a He-jinks. Memories of last year's record-breaking joy-fest were told, and a suitable date was sought. Due to several conflicting attractions no definite date was set.

During the preceding meeting a petition was presented by Margaret Kemper, directed to the board of regents, asking for the installation of two new tennis courts, to augment the always crowded present equipment. It received the endorsement of the student body, and is now receiving the signatures of the students.

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Y. W. C. A.

In Berkeley the Y. W. C. A. held its Mid-year Student Conference from the 18th of February until the evening of the 20th. For this conference the Y. W. C. A. at the University of Nevada sent as delegate Ruth Pyle, who is the annual member.

At the Hotel Claremont one hundred seven-eight students from the University of California, Stanford, Mills College, San Jose State Normal, College of Pacific, Chico Normal and University of Nevada assembled for these few days. The success of the conference was due not only to the efforts of Miss Lillie Margaret Sherman, secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at the University of California, together with the assistance of the annual members, but also to the fact that Miss Conde and Miss Bentley were both able to be present for the entire time.

The theme of the conference was, "They looked unto him, and were radiant." The program, out of which all gained so much, was as follows:

Friday evening—Cabinet registration, cabinet council.

Saturday—Cabinet forum, morning session, recreation, vesper services, banquet, jubilation, delegation meetings.

Sunday—Morning session, church service, meeting at Oakland Y. W. C. A., closing conference service.

MANZANITA HALL NOTES

Saturday evening, February 26, Manzanita drawing room was the scene of a jolly party. Cards furnished the entertainment of the evening. Tom King and Grace Sullivan won the prizes, which consisted of four tickets to the T. & D. Theatre. The winners of the prizes were then required to determine who should accompany them to the theatre by drawing slips from a hat upon which were written the names of all present. Tom drew Katherine Rupp's name and Grace's partner for the ensuing theatre party was Harry Moore. Late in the evening delicious refreshments were served. The hostesses were: Jimmie Odbert, Hulda Shartel, Salome Riley, Gladys Pendergast, Adeline Fitchet, Katherine Rupp, Hazel Towler and Gladys Jones. The guests were: Harry Moore, Joe Hill, Lyle Kimmel, Dave Abel, George Hopkins, Tom King, Ray Bryan, Charlie Gooding.

The girls of suite 213 entertained on Saturday, February 26, in their rooms. Sewing and conversation occupied the afternoon. Tea and sandwiches were served at 5. Those present were: Mrs. A. E. Hill, Mrs. M. Scheeline, Mrs. J. D. Laymon, Mrs. F. R. Pargellis, Mrs. F. H. Walker, Mrs. Chas. Hobbins, Mrs. A. H. Hendricks, Mrs. Burroughs, Mrs. A. Hawkins, Miss W. C. Wygal, Miss L. F. Brown, Miss Lysle Rushby, Miss Laura Marzen, the hostess, Phoebe King, Faith Marris, Edith Taylor, Margaret Kemper.

Last Thursday evening the regular monthly house meeting was held in Manzanita's drawing room. The first part of the meeting was devoted to business. At 7:30 Dr. Church gave a talk to the girls on his recent trip to Washington. The talk was most instructive and entertaining and was greatly appreciated by the Hall girls.

Last Tuesday a party of boys and girls took advantage of the holiday to go on a hike. The party walked to Pool's grove where they had dinner, returning home in the late afternoon. Those composing the party were: Jimmie Odbert, Hulda Shartel, Salome Riley, Katherine Rupp, Adeline Fitchet, Grace Sullivan, Joe Hill, Lyle Kimmel, Tom King, Harry Moore, Ray Bryan and George Hopkins.

Miss Adele Norcross spent the week end with her parents in Carson City.

Miss Ysabel Rising came down from Dayton to attend the Freshman glee. She is the guest over the week end of Miss Ruth Douglas and Miss Adele Norcross at Manzanita hall.

Miss Lillian Doyle went to Truckee Saturday morning in order to visit her parents over the remaining week end.

Miss Gladys Pendergast went to Truckee Saturday morning. She was accompanied by Miss Grace Sullivan, who will be her house guest for the next few days.

GIRLS' ATHLETICS

The fact that the girls were first in the tennis courts this season, that the muddy hill does not prevent them from turning out regularly, and that some have even been down for a set in the dewy morn before breakfast, goes to prove that the girls are going in for tennis with sufficient "pep" to make a record season in that sport. The recent action of the Associated Students, making girls' tennis a recognized sport, has added much interest to the game and made regular work in that line decidedly worth while. Since the girls' share of the athletic fund will probably be used largely on tennis they have received much advice as to its detailed expenditure. As it is the courts are in a poor condition with frayed nets, broken cement and tattered back-stops.

The petition to the Board of Regents for two new tennis courts on the campus, which was read in Student Body meeting last Friday morning, should receive the signature and support of every student in the University. With seventy-five people, both students and faculty, using the two courts regularly last semester, the need of two more seems very apparent. The present popularity of this universal sport will be short-lived if the enthusiasts have to wait anywhere from fifteen minutes to an hour to get a court every time they wish to play.

In spite of the new arrangement to discontinue girls' intercollegiate basketball, there is much interest shown in the coming interclass games. The Juniors and Freshmen have elected their captains, and the Sophomores will organize in the near future. The Freshmen display some unusually fine material. On practice nights there is a good number of players on the floor, and, under Miss Mack's efficient coaching the girls are developing some systematic teamwork.

Rumor has it that the girls are coming out for track in the near future. Visiting the Mackay field in the early morning hours one may be able to see brown-clad figures puffing around the track.

Y. W. C. A. MEETING

Our A B C's was the title of last week's meeting. It was really a review and explanation of Y. W. C. A. work. Questions were asked and the older girls answered them. Miss Wygal explained the duties of a student secretary. Doris Taylor explained the field committee, its duties and members. The other girls, especially the cabinet members, answered such questions as: Who was Miss Grace Dodge? What is an annual member? What is a conference? What's the use of Bible study? Why is the attendance at meetings so poor? Etc.

Ruth Pyle, who attended the Mid-year Conference held at the Hotel Claremont, in Berkeley, on February 18th, gave a report on both the fun and the work there.

The Girls' Glee Club furnished the music for the afternoon, giving several very enjoyable selections.

The meeting on Wednesday, March 8th, will be the concluding meeting of the Jubilee. Miss Bentley, who will be on the campus all week, will be the principal speaker.

At the last Wednesday afternoon meeting in February Reverend Brewster Adams spoke on the subject, "A Kingdom for College Girls." He said everybody, no matter who or where he is, has a kingdom. It is the Kingdom of his friends, his community or his family. So college girls, although their kingdom may be different than that of most people still they have the kingdom of their college, of their classes and of their friends. Everybody has a kingdom. A person may deny one kingdom but in doing so he turns to another. But these kingdoms of ours are never ours alone; they are always shared with other people. College girls are therefore blessed with a great many kingdoms.

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Saturday night the Commercial Club opened its new quarters in a burst of light and merriment. The Engineers' and Aggie clubs were invited to attend, and some 99 per cent answered roll call. Judge Cole Harwood acted as master of ceremonies, and at intervals the University Glee Club dispensed bewitching melodies. Various other interesting and entertaining features served to make the evening thoroughly enjoyable, and an auspicious beginning for Reno's latest boosting organization.

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ACADEMIC SEMI-FINALS TO BE PLAYED SAT. EVE.

DOUBLE-HEADER SCHEDULED, TO BE FOLLOWED BY INFORMAL DANCE IN GYM

Next Saturday night the semi-finals in the girls' academic basket ball tourney are to be played off in the University gymnasium. Teams representing the four districts into which the state high schools have been di-

vided, will play off the deciding games, to determine where the state championship honors will finally rest.

The first game Saturday night will be between Elko and Reno high schools. Both these teams have defeated all rivals in their respective districts, and a fast contest is certain when they meet.

The second game of the double-header schedule will be between the Tonopah and Lovelock girls' teams. Both teams have good records, with

several wins and no defeats to their credit.

The finals between the winners of Saturday night's games will play the deciding game Monday night in the gym. This will be the final game of the high school league, and the winners will be proclaimed as state champions.

Following the game Saturday night there will be an informal dance in honor of the visitors. All students and townsfolk are welcome to attend.

SELF GOVERNMENT IN MANZANITA HALL

SYSTEM OF CONTROL RECENTLY REORGANIZED IN STUDENT DORM

Acting in accord with the wishes of Dean Brown and in accord with the ideals of self-government held by most colleges, the girls of the Manzanita Hall have recently reorganized their system of hall management. The aim of this reorganization is to secure a definite, democratic ruling, by which every member of the house has a share in the house management and by which every member is held responsible by the hall association for the maintenance of ideals of college women.

The main feature of the new system is the existence of a written constitution. In addition to definitely outlining all rules and regulations of the hall, the constitution makes special provision for an executive council—the council to consist of the house president, vice-president, secretary, all upper class girls and representatives from each of the lower classes. Meetings of the council are held upon notice of the president and the house in a body conducts regular monthly meetings—at which attendance of every Manzanita girl is required.

The constitution now in order was unanimously adopted, and thus far the hall management in the hands of the girls themselves has been entirely successful and has received hearty commendation from Dean Brown.

TWO WIN PLACES NEV. IN SECOND POSITION

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For Nevada Henningson and McCubbin both played a wonderful game. Both of them will doubtless receive favorable consideration when the "all-coast team" is picked.

Coach Wentworth deserves a great deal of credit, since it was by his training and teaching that Nevada was able to turn out such a successful team.

By winning from St. Ignatius Nevada won second place in the Nevada-California basket ball league as St. Mary's defeated California 37 to 26 and won first place at the same time. St. Mary's of Oakland completed the league games with one loss, Nevada with two, California with three, Stanford and St. Ignatius with four each, and College of the Pacific with six.

The line-up follows:
St. Ignatius — Dewey, center; O'Neill, Larrican (captain), forwards; Lennon and Flood, guards. Substitutes, Connolly for Dewey; Williamson for Larrican; Foster for Williamson; Bayle for Lennon.

Nevada — Henningson (captain), center; McCubbin, McKenzie, forwards; Trabert and Buckman, guards.

Summary:
St. Ignatius—Free goals: O'Neill 2, Connolly 5. Field goals: O'Neill 3, Larrican 1, Dewey 1, Connolly 6, Foster.

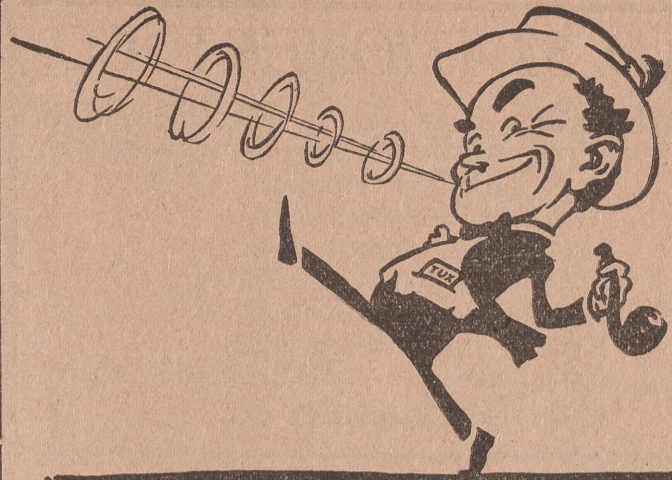
Nevada—Free goals: McCubbin 14. Field goals: McCubbin 4, McKenzie 3, Henningson 5, Buckman 2.

Referee—Henderson.
Umpire—Charles.

Time—Twenty-minute halves.
Score—42-31.

Sparks high school and the University second team played a game of basket ball between halves of the big game. The game furnished a rare bit of comedy, keeping the spectators in an uproar most of the time. When the referee tired of blowing his whistle the players decided to quit. None of the spectators could testify which team was the winner of the game although the University team seemed to have the advantage.

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HISTORY OF NEVADA Y. W. C. A.
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December. By the end of the year, 1913, the membership had increased to 65.

The election of an annual member, who is a member of the field committee, took place in 1914 for the first time. Miss Carna Damm was elected. In the summer of that year seventeen delegates were sent to Asilomar, among whom was the president, Miss Gertrude Shade. The size of the cabinet increased greatly that year, and committee meetings were held regularly once a month. There were several memorable social events during Miss Shade's regime, two—the "Candy Capers" at Manzanita hall, "Dues Paying Parties," and the "L. F. G. and Y. W. C. A." party, when the Lincoln hall boys were so royally entertained. Most of the association parties are for women students only, and Y. W. has brought the girls closer together than any other organization could. By the end of the year, 1914, the membership of the association had grown to 85 girls, most of whom were active members, and seven representatives were sent to the first student week-end conference held at Mills College, California.

For the years 1915-16 Miss Vera Lemmon was elected president of the association, and under her leadership big things are being accomplished. We now have over one hundred members, most of whom are active workers. The attendance at meetings is good, committees are enthusiastic and energetic, and the cabinet is a strong factor in all association work. Cabinet dinners, held from 5 to 7:30 on Wednesday evening have taken the place of the old-time cabinet breakfasts, and are proving a great success.

Much of the association's progress has been due to the untiring efforts of those pioneers in the work, the advisory board, which is composed of the following members: Mrs. J. M. Fulton, Mrs. J. E. Church, Mrs. Romanzo Adams, Miss Helen Fulton, Mrs. Hartman, Mrs. Layman, Mrs. Dr. Hood, Mrs. Withers, Miss Margaret Mack, and Mrs. A. W. Hendrick. The girls realize that much remains to be done, that there are many ideals yet to be achieved, for instance—we have no real association room; we should like to do a larger, more far-reaching social service work, and we want every girl on the campus to be a member of the Young Women's Christian Association, and not merely a nominal member, but a real one.

We, who have been here four years, do feel that the association has gained a great deal during this student generation. We have had a resident secretary; we have had visits from such women as Miss Chickering, Miss Mathew, the Y. W. C. A. secretary to Japan; Miss Dow, the dean of the Training School in New York; Miss Burton, a student secretary; Miss Condi, Miss Dabb, Miss Mary Bentley and Miss Kawai, all of whom are cultured and experienced women who have not only brought us a lasting message, but who have given us recognition in other parts of the country simply because they have been here. We have overcome the opposition of cliques on the hill and have won the favor of the townspeople. And so on the fiftieth anniversary of the Young Women's Christian Association our own little Y. W. has much to be proud and thankful for, although it is only her eighteenth birthday.

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