

FUNDS GRANTED TO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

A. S. U. N. MEETING NEXT FRIDAY MORNING

SPEECH IS WINGED ACROSS CONTINENT TO UNIVERSITY

AUDIENCE OF FACULTY, STUDENTS AND TOWNSPEOPLE SIT IN GYMNASIUM AND HEAR NEVADA SENATORS TALK AT WASHINGTON.

VOICES DISTINCT

MEMBERS OF STATE LEGISLATURE AND UNIVERSITY FACULTY CONVERSE WITH NOTABLES SEATED THREE THOUSAND MILES DISTANT.

Miracle became reality, the impossible proved possible, and a feat of wonderful significance was performed last Saturday evening, when from Washington, D. C., across three thousand miles of flooded valleys and storm swept mountains, came the voices of Nevada's representatives in Congress to an audience composed of university folk seated in the gymnasium. So real was the tremendous feat of hurling the sound of the human voice across a continent that the sensation of hearing men speak from such a distance bordered on the uncanny. Although the inclement weather had rendered the intended program for Engineers' Day a failure the demonstration more than furnished a climax to the day.

The possibility of this masterful feat was due to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, who, upon the initiative of Dean Scrugham of the College of Engineering, directed Mr. W. R. Patton, of the Pacific Coast branches, and Mr. B. F. Porter, of the Atlantic Service, to arrange for the demonstration. A series of over three hundred receivers had been arranged in the gymnasium, and each instrument was numbered. When as many as possible of the large crowd had been seated, Mr. Patton secured connection with Washington, D. C., and after a preliminary testing of the line Governor E. D. Boyle and Senator F. G. Newlands opened the evening's conversation. Greetings were conveyed by the Governor to Nevada's distinguished senator who responded with an expression of confidence in the willingness of the state to aid in meeting possible foreign troubles. Following Governor Boyle and Senator Newlands, Speaker Ben D. Luce of the Assembly, and Senator Pittman, Lieutenant Governor Sullivan and Congressman Roberts, Mr. J. G. Kirchen, president of Nevada Mine Operators' Association, and Mr. Van H. Manning, direc-

tor of the Bureau of Mines, Chief Justice McCarran and Land Office Commissioner Clay Talman, Mr. R. H. Hardy, speaker pro tempore of the State Assembly, and director of the Mint, Ray Baker, Alumni Association president, A. M. Smith and Examiner Henry Thurtelof of the Interstate Commerce Commission, were held. Other informal talks including those between Mrs. Pittman and Mrs. Talsman, Mr. Thurtell, formerly professor of mathematics at Nevada, and President Lewers and Dean Scrugham, marked the latter part of the demonstration.

When the conversations between the guests of the telephone companies had been completed the romantic incident of the good night roll call of the line occurred. Mr. Patton at Reno spoke with the several repeating stations at Pittsburgh, Chicago, Omaha, Denver and Salt Lake City, testing the line and wishing the heads of the forces in the several cities a good night.

The instruments which make possible conversation over the immense distance of copper wire are called repeaters, and appear to the untechnical mind to resemble in shape at least an ordinary electric light globe. Within the globe are mounted two small metal plates between which is a small grid. The resistance caused by this grid of intercrossed wires causes a certain process of ionization accompanied by an intensification of the voice vibrations. At each of the repeating station, new current is introduced.

Following the demonstration the members of the Engineers' Club were hosts at the annual ball at which a large number of couples enjoyed the dancing.

One corner of the gymnasium during the evening was occupied by an extensive exhibit of the several methods of road improvement under the supervision of the civil engineering department.

SECTION ELECTRICAL SOCIETY ORGANIZED

Nevada Section of National Electrical Light Association is Formed On Saturday Morning.

At the initial meeting marking the events of Engineers' Day, an act of importance to university engineers was consummated in the formation of a state section of the National Electric Light Association.

The session was held at 10 a. m. in the gymnasium, the meeting being called to order by E. D. Brown, superintendent of the Reno Power Company. Following the formation of the organization Mr. E. H. Halloran, general secretary of the western section of the association, was elected secretary of the state branch. The purposes of the association include the wide dissemination of electrical knowledge and insofar as possible free publications and handbooks will be distributed to students.

The principle speaker of the morning was Mr. Halloran, who is also editor of "Power, Light and Gas." Other speakers were Mr. B. G. McBride, L. W. Crehore, manager of Fallon municipal power plant; Joseph Beane, C. S. Young, of Lovelock power company; F. O. Brorli, of the Northwestern Electric Company, and Mr. E. D. Brown, of the local power company. The association of which the state branch will be a part, represents 15,000 organizations, and three billion dollars of invested capital.

Stanford Unit Arrives.

The Stanford unit of the American Ambulance Corps has arrived safely in Paris, and the twenty-one men are now engaged in training at Paris for service at the front.

MASTER SPEECHES GIVEN BY RAYMOND ROBBINS

Leader and Speaker of National Reputation and Power Speaks in Series of Campus Addresses

Raymond Robbins, national leader in the solution of social problems and widely known as an orator and man of affairs, delivered a series of masterly addresses covering three days of last week. The first address of the series was delivered in the gymnasium on Wednesday morning at 11. Mr. Robbins chose for his topic "The Challenge of the Changing Social Order." The coming 30 years, the speaker affirmed, are to be filled with the greatest possibilities in a thousand years of history and the problems and difficulties of the changing social order are hurling forth a challenge to men of high courage and lofty ideals demanding solution.

In the evening Mr. Robbins addressed an audience of university men on "College Men and Community Leadership." In eloquent and stirring fashion the speaker portrayed the conditions and situations which are facing college men who because of their training are peculiarly fitted for leadership and the responsibility for lifting the standard of human life was placed at the door of the college graduate.

On Thursday morning Mr. Robbins addressed the students and faculty of the Engineering Club on "The Engineer of Tomorrow." The greatest problem which the members of the engineering profession will face in the coming years, Mr. Robbins stated, is the mastery of the element of human relationship and the man who solves the problem of team work will assume the position of leadership.

At noon on Thursday Mr. Robbins addressed the Commercial Club at the Riverside Hotel and in the evening he spoke again to university men on "Fundamentals in the Industrial Strife." In the solution of any industrial problem Mr. Robbins explained get the facts absolutely clear the ground, secure publicity and the widest possible knowledge of the case and bring every ounce of cooperation to bear upon the problem.

On Friday Dr. Robbins spoke to an audience of university women presided over by Dean Brown. "The woman of today," he said, "are assuming the hardest tasks and entering the highest festival of the world. But still in her keeping is placed in large measure the moral sanctity and the spiritual progress of the race.

The Friday afternoon address to men on "Mastery and Power" was delivered in the gymnasium. "The mastery and the power of the world's truly great leaders comes not from mental equipment nor physical perfection but from the moral drive and spiritual force of their characters" was the theme of the speaker.

On Friday evening the crowning address of the series entitled "Faith" was delivered. Mr. Robbins told the story of his own religious experience and the part that religion had played in his life. "The success and power of my life," he affirmed, "traces to Jesus Christ, and if his mastery over my personality ceased I would find myself incapable of strong achievement or vigorous action."

The essential quality of Mr. Robbins' messages was their human reality. His thought and language were fresh from the highways and byways of life and he talked of the industrial strife and social problems with the knowledge of a man who had lived his story. His impression upon the campus was deep and lasting.

Education and law have attracted the greater number of students who have graduated from the University of Washington since 1876. Education heads the list of vocations and professions with a total of 874 devotees. Law has attracted 351 graduates, engineering 271, pharmacy 176 and business 133.

The Keg Rush held at the University of Vermont is the latest in the way of "rushes." A keg of sweet cider was placed in the middle of the field and at a given signal twenty-five men from each of the two lower classes do the rushing. The rush was followed by another rush according to the custom of those who win.

DEAN SCRUGHAM ACCEPTS STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Head of Engineering School and Faculty Leader Tendered High Position by Gov. Boyle

The office of state engineer with headquarters at Carson City has been tendered by Governor Boyle to Dean Scrugham, head of the College of Engineering and one of the university's most valued and respected faculty members. The report came as a surprise to the campus inasmuch as no rumors had been current regarding even a temporary severance of relations with the university on the part of Professor Scrugham. A desire to participate in the leadership of developing the possibilities of Nevada's resources and to aid in the consummation of several important engineering projects now under way is the reason for Dean Scrugham's acceptance of the office. The appointment will take effect in May following the end of the semester.

In speaking of the office of state engineer, Dean Scrugham stated:

"The office of state engineer offers big possibilities for service to the state in the next few years because of the large engineering projects which are being formed and planned at the present time. The drainage of the Truckee river and the Moapa Valley project are only two of a number of big tasks which are to be initiated and completed within the state during the period of the next several years. My feeling towards the university and the present board is most cordial; the present somewhat strained relations at the university having nothing to do with my appointment. As to whether I shall remain nominally connected with the university during my term of office as state engineer with the understanding that I re-enter active faculty work at some date in the future awaits the pleasure of the regents."

Dean Scrugham entered the university faculty in 1905 and during the intervening twelve years has rendered service of high order to the institution both as teacher and administrator. His efforts have been ably concentrated in the enlargement of the equipment and student body of the engineering college and in addition he has won a prominent position in engineering circles. A project of importance to the university which Dean Scrugham has been fostering is the Newlands Engineering Experiment Bill now pending before Congress. Dean Scrugham is a graduate of Kentucky State University and a member of Sigma Chi and Tau Beta Pi.

WOMEN GRADUATES TO BE IN MAJORITY

Tentative List Includes Thirty-seven With Twenty-one Woman and Sixteen Men.

According to a list of possible graduates posted by registrar, Miss Louise Sissa, Nevada's graduating class this year will consist of thirty-seven students of which sixteen are men and twenty-one are women. Of the men, the College of Arts and Sciences will graduate five, Engineering will graduate eight and Agriculture will graduate three. A large majority of the twenty-one women will take their diplomas from Arts and Sciences, with the remainder receiving their degrees from the School of Home Economics in the College of Agriculture.

The following students, upon the completion of all requirements, will be candidates for graduation:

Wayne B. Adams, Leah Barker, Isabel Bertschy, Felix Borzanski, Chester A. Brennen, Gardner Chism, Agnes Constable, Marjorie Cowgill, Marguerite Crotty, Glenn F. Engle, Elsie D. Farrer, Juanita Frey, William Fife, Jose G. Guevara, Edith C. Harris, Edith S. Harris, John Heard, Dorothy Hempton, Margaret Heuer, Elsie Humphreys, Harry H. Hovey, Margaret E. Kemper, Carl D. Kemper, Charles F. Masters, Dorothy McKissick, Marguerite MacIver, Dorothy A. Morrison, William Pennell, Ruth A. Pyle, Lee S. Scott, Helena Shade, Frank Silva, Dorris Taylor, Eva A. Walker, Wilfrid L. Wylie and Lloyd L. Raaf.

T. H. P. O. ASSUMES PLACE IN SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON

LOCAL WITH OVER TWENTY YEARS OF HISTORY PASSES FROM ACTIVE LIFE AND BECOMES MEMBER OF NATIONAL BODY

ALUMNI JOIN

FRATERNITY OFFICIALS INSTALL LOCAL CHAPTER COMPRISING SOME OF UNIVERSITY'S MOST PROMINENT STUDENTS

The university's oldest student organization, T. H. P. O. fraternity passed into history last Friday and with the dignity and strength gained in an existence of more than a score of years assumed a place on the charter roll of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. The name of the local chapter is to be Nevada Alpha. Many of the states prominent and leading men are named on the alumni roll of the newly initiated organization.

The installation exercises took place in the blue room of the Masonic Temple last Friday afternoon under the direction of William S. Levere, eminent supreme recorder of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, who was assisted by the Rev. Samuel Unsworth, rector of Trinity Episcopal church.

A large number of alumni were present at the installation ceremonies and the initiation of the active and alumni members occupied the entire week end.

The installation ceremonies of Friday were concluded with a banquet in the evening at the Riverside Hotel, over one hundred covers being laid for the banqueters. Rev. Unsworth acted as toastmaster of the evening and speeches felicitating and congratulating and of prophecy for the bright future of Sigma Alpha Epsilon at Nevada were made by Prof. N. E. Wilson, representing the old members of T. H. P. O.; Thomas Edsall, representing the active members; Floyd Bryant representing the young alumni; Attorney S. W. Belford, Attorney-General George B. Thatcher, Dean J. G. Scrugham and William C. Levere, Dan Carroll, E. B. Jones, Wm. Kearny, Art Keddie and Alfred Smith.

The date of the initiation happily fell on Founders' Day, the national fraternity being founded on March 9, 1856, at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, University of Alabama.

Assisting the officers of installation were Samuel Belford, Dan Carroll, representative from California Alpha, Stanford; J. Partridge, representative

from California Alpha, Stanford; E. B. Jones, representative from California Beta, California.

Congratulations were received from Senator Pittman over the transcontinental phone on Saturday evening.

Telegrams of congratulation from all S. A. E. chapters were read at the banquet by Toastmaster Unsworth.

The seventy-nine initiates of Nevada Alpha including twenty-eight active men were:

Albert W. Cahlan, Otto T. Williams, John J. Sullivan, William A. Keddie, Richard Brown, Donald R. Fraser, Rutherford B. Henrichs, Alfred M. Smith, Melvin E. Jepsen, Royce A. Hardy, Harold B. Menardi, Thomas R. Gibson, Morris D. Anderson, John Blair Menardi Jr., Frank C. Gignoux, Nathaniel Wilson Jr., Alfred R. Sadler, Robert W. Hesson, Erward J. Roberts, John D. Cameron, William M. Kearney, Cassius B. Smith, Carl S. Wheeler, John Milton Rhodes, William J. O'Brien, George R. Leidy, Chester A. Hart, Alfred H. Westall, Silas E. Ross, Ernest G. Folsom, Elmer A. Porter, Elwood J. Bane, John A. Millar, W. Mortimer Charles, Norman L. Dorn, Robert P. Farrar, Chas. Leland Claffin, Harold F. Percival, Harold T. McQuiston, James G. Goldsworthy, Joseph F. McDonald, Floyd S. Bryant, Robert A. Allen, William H. Stickney, George F. Ogilvie, George W. Malone, Carl C. Springmeyer, Joseph Allen, Howard F. Cameron, Edgar P. Caffrey, Frank A. Harriman, Francis O. Martin, Thos. H. Edsall, J. Lester Quail, Henry S. Rhodes, Clement Caffrey, Wendell Clay Willis, F. Herbert Walker, James H. Cusick, Jack B. Wright, Fred M. Winegar, Jens L. Jensen, A. Mackay Mackenzie, Howard E. Browne, Edward A. Burg, Thomas B. Jones, Albert E. Cahlan, Rufus Ogilvie, Eugene W. Bell, August Berning Jr., Herbert D. Bruce, J. Lawrence O'Rourke, William S. Davis, Eugene R. Paul, John G. Walsh, Frederick L. Bixby, Morris P. Hayes, Daniel R. Sullivan, Daniel H. Updike.

COACH BEZDEK TO STAY AT OREGON

Signs New Contract at Salary of \$3500 for Three Months' Coaching.

According to the Oregon Emerald coach, Hugo Bezdek, is to sign a contract calling for three months' coaching of football at a salary of \$3500 per annum. The director of the coast champs has refused inquiries from several other institutions and will remain with the "web-foots." Mr. Bezdek plans to study in the School of Medicine at Chicago, and after securing his degree will probably assume full and complete direction of the entire department of physical education at Oregon.

LYLE KIMMEL '18 IS ASSISTANT EDITOR

Sparks Man Is Chosen by Executive Committee to Train for Editorship of Sagebrush Coming Year

At their recent meeting the executive committee selected Lyle Kimmel a member of the junior class registered in Arts and Science to hold to office of assistant editor during the remainder of the present year and with their approval to assume the reins of editorship during 1917-18.

Kimmel is a leader in class affairs and a prominent man in student activities. He possesses considerable experience in newspaper work and after three years' residence on the campus is thoroughly acquainted with university conditions.

Kimmel is also a two-year letter man in football with a record of stellar performances as varsity center behind his name.

ST. IGNATIUS RETURNS TO AMERICAN GAME

Athletic Authorities of San Francisco School Decide Against Rugby As Collegiate Sport.

Another of the coast universities re-entered the ranks of the American game last week when St. Ignatius University announced the decision to abolish rugby and assume the American style of play for next season. Inability to secure outside competition and a lack of interest on the part of the preparatory students are assigned as reasons for the change. St. Ignatius will meet California in the fall.

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EDITORIAL

WHY ARE WE ALIVE

Some time during the college course a student elects a course in geology. He enters the classroom and during the series of lectures he finds out that the world was first scattered through space, that later through the working of certain rather indefinitely known laws matter coalesced and became a massive globe. During periods of time which are expressed only in eons the working of tremendous forces molded the world into form similar to that of today. At some time or other, it being possible to fix the date accurately with not more than a mistake of several hundred billion years, life came to the planet.

Later the student may enter a course in zoology and here he finds that primal life consisted of an infinitesimal, jelly-like, protoplasm of one cell, and from Archeozoic age on down to the present time this tiny creature whose life may last only a few minutes before reproduction occurs, has developed into a million varieties of animals some of which consist of a million cells. If the student ponders on this knowledge, some day a great big "why" is going to drive itself into his consciousness. For a time the impression obtains that the human individual is but a faint, tiny blot, present in the universe only for an instant like a mirage on a distant horizon.

But still the question mark will persist and men ask: Why these trillions of years of growth and change, and why this incomprehensible life, and lastly why and what is my vain existence.

The measure of a man's satisfaction with life depends on the manner in which the answer is given. Some have replied that all existence was a dreamy illusion and living has become a meaningless, undesired thing. Others have answered that men are mere puppets in the hands of a mighty power which desire playthings and these men have lost the power to will and work and accomplish by high achievement because they denied the dignity and strength of their own lives. Still other men have said that they did not care what the meaning of life was so long as it left them at ease with nothing of pain or toil to bother and worry; and to these men have come flabby wills and weakened minds and all the absence of moral drive that accompanies a mastery over self. These are the men who see and fear the shadows of life's evening time.

But to some others a vision has come of the meaning of the long eons of time and the untold development of life. The story of man's living processes coming out of a dim unknown past with a constant rise in the level of his physical and mental condition means that behind the screen which dims our knowledge some power has adopted the mighty watchword of progress. And to him who catches and grasps this idea of limitless growth and development ultimate answers to ultimate problems become little things. He sees about him a world full of human life lifting hands towards the higher light. A reason for living fills the mind, an enduring force and drive assumes direction and control of his living processes and life becomes an act of harmonizing individual powers and intentions towards the progressive idea of the universe. Men and women are alive to work out the process of perfect living for all mankind. Those who grasp the idea find only one problem, that of using the most efficient means. Life then becomes a glory, not a trial; the world is good, not hopeless; and although the trail of unselfishness may lead through cruel experiences the joy of service intended to render men and women truly happy, becomes the "greatest thing in the world."

PAINTING THE "N"

The freshmen will shortly undertake the annual spring varnishing of the big Block N on Peavine mountain. Barrels of whitewash and water will be carted up to within striking distance of the big letter and a new coating of white-wash will mark the height of the spring season.

In past years a practice has obtained of carrying along a certain fluid other than whitewash which also comes in barrels and which, to use a paradox, results in both happy and unhappy consequences. Painting the N has become the signal for a big "bust" on the part of men who are entering their college career. Without affirming any questioned principle of the right or wrong of individual liquor-drinking the policy of rendering half the freshmen drunk on a class day deserves to go by the board. The actions of a dozen men who become incapable of acting like normal individuals attaches a stigma to every member of the class. And to add to the charges against the practice one more opportunity is given to the already unsympathetic element off the campus to affirm that the male student body is composed of a bunch of drunken bums. The assertion is no wise true. But this is true. No group of men have the right to brand the student body with a name that is not deserved. If a man desires a party, let him take it where no one is injured but himself. We are sorry for him and would like to change his idea but first of all he needs to be told that necessity demands that his action shall not harm the university's reputation. The practice of drunkenness at university celebrations deserves to be thrown into the middle of the lake with the scrap iron behind the mechanical building tied to its neck.

Another suggestion while the subject of varnishing the letter is in mind. Sunday has often been selected as the day for the task. No rules as to the keeping of the Sabbath are necessary for its abandonment. Some men in the class—the number may be few, but they are always present—hesitate about making such use of the seventh day, but oftentimes lack the courage to express their convictions. The impending threat of a "ditching" and the more-feared contempt of the class forces these men to violate a rule or conviction which some may have followed for years. Not because of any pronounced belief in the sanctity of the Sabbath but out of respect for the feelings of some of the men in the class the suggestion that the painting be done on a week day is worthy of a little unselfish consideration.

The latest addition to the list of honors attached to the name of President Charles R. Van Hise, is president of the American Academy for the Advancement of Science. He was chosen for the position at the annual meeting of the academy during the holidays. As membership in the society implies exceptional distinction in some scientific field, the position as its head is one of the highest in the country.

At 9:30 p. m. every evening, the students of Grinnell College will have to wend their way home from the ice-skating rink, which has been flooded for the use of the men and women of the college. This statement was given out with a list of rules, by Dr. Sprague who has charge of the management of the rink.

The bore of sitting through the reading of the numerous notices that have been heaped upon the chapel leaders is to be eliminated at Northwestern University. Dean Grant issued a decree a week ago that only such notices as were of interests to the majority of the students would be read in chapel hereafter. The leader may use his discretion in choosing those of general interest.

The formal installation of the Monmouth college chapter of Tau Kappa Alpha took place Monday night, February 5, at the Colonial Hotel. J. R. Harbaugh, secretary and treasurer of the chapter at Purdue University of Lafayette, Ind., took charge of the installation and initiated the six charter members into the Monmouth chapter.

MANAGER McDONALD CLAIMS CHAMPIONSHIP

Formal Letter Is Addressed to Secretary Beaumont Reciting Nevada's Right to League Leadership.

Through Manager McDonald, Nevada has formally laid its claim to the championship of the Nevada-California basketball league before the secretary of the organization, Mr. G. P. Beaumont. Five victories and two defeats is the record of the 'varsity, giving a percentage of 714 for the season.

Nevada, St. Marys and Santa Clara are tied in percentage of games won, but the 'varsity has forfeited no games, nor taken any by forfeit, while the other contenders for the leadership have been guilty of one or both of these faults.

Manager McDonald's letter follows: "Mr. Gerald P. Beaumont, Secretary California-Nevada Intercollegiate Basket Ball League, Oakland, Cal.

Dear Mr. Beaumont:

Inclosed find box scores of Nevada games played in Intercollegiate basket ball league during 1917 season, together with tabulated records of results and individual records of members of Nevada team.

Nevada finished the season with five victories and two defeats to her credit which is a record of 714 per cent.

We did not forfeit any games, and did not claim any games by forfeit, although we could have claimed both the California and Stanford games by forfeit as both teams refused to play on the date scheduled. We extended our season a week to play California and met Stanford two days before the game was scheduled while on our trip to the Coast.

We understand that Nevada, Santa Clara and St. Marys are tied for first place in the league. If this is the case we want to put in a claim for the championship on the ground that we have played every game scheduled and have scored more points than any other team.

I want to thank you for your interest in the league and for the many courtesies extended to myself and Nevada during the past season.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) Joe McDonald.

NORTHERN FRESHMEN EVINCE KNOWLEDGE

Strange Answers Received When Professor Submits Set of Questions On General Knowledge

Professor Stauffer of Williamette University has an annual custom of submitting a general information test to the members of his freshmen classes. This year some illuminating information was unearthed.

The following are a few of the most interesting and most amusing answers:

Joshua was king of Israel and led the Jews out of Egypt. St. Augustine was the founder of Florida. Armenia is a province in Austro-Hungary. Bucharest is somewhere outside the U. S. Savonarola was a great Italian singer. Curie—a noted French lady, a murderess or scientist. The Sermon on the Mount is found in Isaiah; (2) in Acts. Helgeland is at the North Pole. Bosworth Field was a tenor singer; (2) a battle in the Civil War. 1732 is the date of the Continental Congress. Amphibious is an animal that lives on vegetables. Luke is the shortest of the Gospels. Addenda means in the year of our Lord; (2) without end. Gerard is minister to Mexico. The Bigelow Papers were written by Dickens; The Alchemist by Scott; Maud Muller by Longfellow. 1564 is the date of the discovery of America. A facsimile is the front page of a document. Petrarch wrote the "Lives." No one could tell how

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DOBIE ACCEPTS OFFER DETROIT UNIVERSITY

Famous Athletic Tutor Will Direct Gridiron Sport in Michigan City.

Although he professed an earnest desire to quit the game of football coaching and direct his energies toward the practice of law Gilmore Dobre, famed football tutor, has again answered the call of the sport and accepted an offer from the University of Detroit. Dobre will coach the football team of the institution during three months of the year at a salary of \$3000 per annum and devote the remaining months to private activities.

Detroit plays Michigan and Michigan Aggies and while the college is small and young, the acquisition of Dobre is expected to rapidly develop its prestige in the football world.

Dobie started his gridiron career under Dr. Williams at the University of Minnesota, where he played end and quarter. After graduation, twelve years ago, during his first season he helped Williams with his Gopher squad and coached the Minneapolis South Side high school eleven on the side and began the first of his twelve years of football victories without a defeat.

The North Dakota Agricultural College enticed him away the next year from his assistant coaching at Minnesota and he coached the Aggie eleven through two seasons without a defeat.

In 1908 he applied for the place of football coach at Washington, and when he took charge in the fall of that year the university football teams started on what is the most remarkable gridiron record in athletic annals, nine years of championship competition without a defeat and only three ties marked up against them in the nine seasons.

To meet the need of students contemplating the study of law or journalism, or the entrance into business or social service, the college of the City of New York has instituted a third course of study paralleling the two now leading to the A. B. and B. S. degrees. The object of this course is to allow those students who do not wish primarily to pursue the study of the physical sciences or the classics to take courses of study mainly in the social sciences, electing a large amount of work in political science, philosophy and history.

The action of the university women to prepare themselves for Red Cross service in order to be ready in case of need started in the form of first aid courses offered under the direction of local Red Cross, at the University of Washington.

many votes in the electoral college. No one named correctly and in their proper order the states on the east bank of the Mississippi. Several said it takes light 98,000,000 years to come from the sun to the earth. 490 B. C. marks the beginning of medieval history. Many similar and equally interesting answers were given.

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**PREPARADNESS PARADE
FEATURE IS PLANNED**

Combination Comic and Mimic Affair Is Suggested to Enliven Saturday's Game

If the freshman class evince a willingness at their class meeting on Tuesday and the active cooperation of the remaining student body can be secured a big feature in the form of a comic preparadness parade will be staged on Saturday previous to the Aggie-Engineer game. The purpose of the plan is to generate a wealth of renewed spirit and draw a crowd to the afternoon's contest. A variety of suggestions for the details are already forthcoming and if a favorable decision can be reached the parade will become a reality.

Hurry-up measures will be necessary and complete plans must necessarily be presented at Friday's student body meeting and committees with a capacity for quick vigorous action appointed.

**VARSITY'S POINT
MAJORITY HEAVY**

Total Score of All Games Shows Nevada Doubled Opponents' Success.

Nevada's success in the recently closed basketball season is easily grasped when the total number of points scored by the 'varsity quintet is compared with the scoring proclivities of the opposing teams. A total of 333 points was registered by Nevada against 182 by opposing teams. The greatest variance in the score occurred in the Davis game when a majority of 48 points was registered against the Farmers'; the College of the Pacific game following with a difference of 47 points; California was beaten with 30 points to spare, and an excess of 28 marked the St. Ignatius contest. The tabulated total scores are:

Nevada.....	48	St. Marys.....	44
Nevada.....	62	Davis Farm.....	14
Nevada.....	65	College of Pacific	18
Nevada.....	30	Stanford.....	33
Nevada.....	29	Santa Clara.....	32
Nevada.....	46	St. Ignatius.....	18
Nevada.....	53	California.....	23
Totals.....	333		182

Of individual point winners, Captain McCubbin topped the list with 115 points to his credits. McKensie and Tam followed with 94 and 76 each; Buckman shot the basket for 26 Leap scoring 12 and Brown 10.

**WINNEMUCCA GIRLS
CLAIM CHAMPIONSHIP**

Victory Over Reno Team May Give Right to State Basketball Leadership.

As a result of their recent victory over the girls' basketball team of Reno High School by the close score of 15 to 14, the Winnemucca High School girls' basketball team is laying claim to the state championship. The team is ready to defend their claim and will meet any legitimate challenger.

Reno has defeated Carson City, Virginia City, Gardnerville, Susanville and Sparks, while Winnemucca has defeated Fallon, Elko, Lovelock and several other teams in that vicinity. Both Reno and Winnemucca have been trying for the past month, without success to get a game with Tonopah.

However, because of the apparent impossibility of meeting the southern team Reno and Winnemucca have agreed that the best northern team shall receive the championship of the state.

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**MACKAY DAY PROGRAM
PLANS ARE INITIATED**

President Melarkey Announces Committees to Organize Celebration to Come of March 13th

The several committees appointed to organize the plans for the annual celebration of Mackay Day have been announced by President Melarkey of the A. S. U. N. and during the days intervening until March 30 when the festivities will occur active preparations will occupy the time of the committee members. Those listed on the committees are:

Charge of the Work—L. Meyers, chairman; T. Buckman, Frances Martin, L. E. Scott, Chet Greenwood.

Arrange for Tools and Wagons—Jas. Rice, chairman; Frank Harriman, A. J. Cotter.

Mackay Day Dinner—Nellie Wilkinson, chairman; Fern Wright, Hulda Shartel, Joe Damm, Earl Wooster.

Charge of the Dance—H. C. Candland, chairman; Chester Brennen, Ed Caffery, F. John Donohue.

**CREATIVE ABILITY OF
COLLEGE STUDENT DEAD**

Columbia Lecturer Affirms That the American University Men Are in Literary Rut

That the creative ability of the students in American university is absolutely dead, is the opinion of Professor Charles Leonard Van Noppen, Queen Wilhelmina lecturer of Columbia University. Professor Van Noppen, according to the Daily Maroon, recently told University of Chicago students that all college men in this country are in a literary rut.

"We here in the United States, are supposed to be the pioneers in every line. We are supposed to be the creators of everything new. The young men of this country between the ages of 20 and 25 who are attending the universities are doing nothing new," declared Professor Van Noppen.

He pointed out, that in the last generation it has not been the university men who accomplished anything in the literary field and named Mark Twain, William Dean Howells and O. Henry to prove his point. Mr. Van Noppen said:

"To be sure, a certain number of men in our universities literary styles, to gain distinction in the field of scholarship. But for the others, we offer no excuses. They are in a literary rut. I do not believe that there are any publications on any of the campuses of our universities which are intended primarily for original work in poetry, drama or literary criticism of any kind."

Twenty-five student advisors have been appointed by the student advisory committee of the Women's league at the University of Washington, to be a "big sister" next semester, to the entering freshman girls. These girls will initiate the newcomers in all branches of college activity and will make them feel at home in the university.

Plans for a commerce magazine to be issued by students in the commerce course at Wisconsin have been announced. The first number will be issued in February, at the time of the second annual commercial congress of Wisconsin. A campaign for a separate commerce building will also be started at this time.

Investigations which may result in the establishment of a postoffice on the Howard campus have been started, following the suggestion that such action would prove a great convenience to students and the faculty, and that it would be a fitting step to take.

**AGGIE APPROPRIATIONS
PASSED BY LEGISLATURE**

Bond Issue Totaling \$123,000 Is Approved by Legislature and Now Awaits Gov. Boyle Signature

The members of the College of Agriculture both faculty and students are jubilant and the entire university is expressing complete satisfaction over the passage last week through both houses of the legislature of the two bills carrying bond issues totaling \$123,000 for the erection of an \$80,000 agricultural building and the purchase of the \$43,000 Wheeler farm south of Reno for the breeding of stock and agricultural experimentation. The two bills are now awaiting the approval and signature of Governor Boyle who is understood to be heartily in favor of the expenditure of the stipulated funds.

Dean Knight states that no definite plans have as yet been made for the design and plans to be followed in the erection of the aggie structure but the building is expected to contain the most modern features of arrangement and equipment. A site for the building will also require consideration.

**ATHLETIC HEART THEORY
EXPLODED BY PROFESSOR**

Head of Hygiene Department at Harvard States That Abnormal Condition Results Only From Previous Injury

As a result of the controversy which has been going on in eastern athletic circles in regard to long and short distance crew races, Professor Roger I. Lee, head of the hygiene department at Harvard University, has published an article entitled "The Effect of Athletics on the Heart," in a recent issue of the Alumni Bulletin. An extensive investigation with instruments of the highest precision in conjunction with recent developments in the field of Roentgen-ray photography has qualified Professor Lee to express an expert opinion on this subject and though his research work is as yet incomplete, he has made the following statement:

"In the course of a year I have examined hundreds of young men carrying the burden of a heart diagnosed as athletic or strained. In the absence of a previously damaged heart or a temporary inflammatory condition of the valves, I have been absolutely unable in a single case to confirm the diagnosis of an abnormal heart. My feeling is that much harm is being done by the popular superstition that athletics are a frequent cause of heart disease. I agree decidedly with the vigorous statements of Sir James Mackenzie, who disclaims the existence of the so-called athletic heart and refers to it as 'an unfortunate bogey.'"

Professor Lee's statements are based on a rigorous observation of hundreds of oarsmen throughout their entire college career and he states that in no instance has he experienced a case where an individual's heart has suffered either temporary or permanent damage as a result of athletic activity. A good proportion of the hearts described as "strained" prove to be normal when subjected to genu-

Ye Campus Gossip

Ever since Jock Aikens Started to Correspond With a Matrimonial Agency he Has been Affected with Chills in the morning In fact These chills Occur most Always on Math mornings So causing Jock to be Unable to Attend said Math class and It is rumored That Prof Charlie intends To Lend Jock a Blanket and We hope That Jock Can keep Warm and Come to Math because We miss his Pleasant face.

D. G.

Proposals from Keio University for baseball contests to be played in Japan between their team and the University of California were considered by the executive committee of the A. S. U. C. recently. Graduate Manager Stroud read a communication from the athletic director of the Japanese university which it was proposed that a squad of twelve Californians, including a manager, make the trip to the Orient so as to arrive there about May 15 for a stay of a month. It is planned to provide the men with twelve matches with Japanese teams during that time.

Last Wednesday morning, a mass meeting of the student body at Millsaps college was called to decide whether or not a hundred students would take military training if such a course would be favored by the college faculty and board. The proposition was explained and students desiring to take course asked to stand. One hundred responded.

A Charter of Phi Delta Delta, national honorary law sorority, has been granted women law students of Washington, and will be installed early in February. There are nine other chapters of the sorority. The head chapter was founded at Los Angeles in 1905.

ine scientific scrutiny, and though he does not under-estimate the value of athletic supervision by competent medical authority, he feels justified in calling the well-known athletic heart a popular delusion which has aroused entirely unwarranted opposition to athletics in general and to crew in particular.

**ENGINEERS AND AGGIES
TO CLASH ON SATURDAY**

Postponed Ball Game Will Prove Superiority Between Farmers and Pick-Handlers

Last Saturday's storm made the scheduled game between the aggies and engineers impossible and unless another storm intervenes the snow will have disappeared by the weekend clearing Mackay Field and giving the two teams an opportunity to settle the long-existing dispute over the superiority of farmers or surveyors in the national pastime.

Line-ups are only tentative as yet but the spring weather has given sufficient opportunity for a big baseball squad to get their hands on the horsehide and a good display of the game will undoubtedly appear.

A well known student consistently maintained in an argument the other day that education never made a fool of anyone. Numerous examples were cited by him of students who were fools. On second thought he will concede that education may lend emphasis.—Kansas State Collegian.



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**THOMAS BUCKMAN '19
CHOSEN VARSITY CAPTAIN**

All-Round Athlete to Pilot Next Year's Basketball Squad

The six men entitled to vote for varsity basketball captain met last week and chose Thomas Buckman, star center of the season and a member of the sophomore class as captain for the 1918 season.

Buckman's work and style of game has been of a high order during the preceding year and in his freshman year he played a stellar game at guard. He is also a letter man in football.

Buckman is registered in the College of Engineering and is a member of Phi Delta Tau fraternity.

Those men entitled to vote for captain were McKenzie, Tam, Buckman, McCubbin, Brown and Leap.

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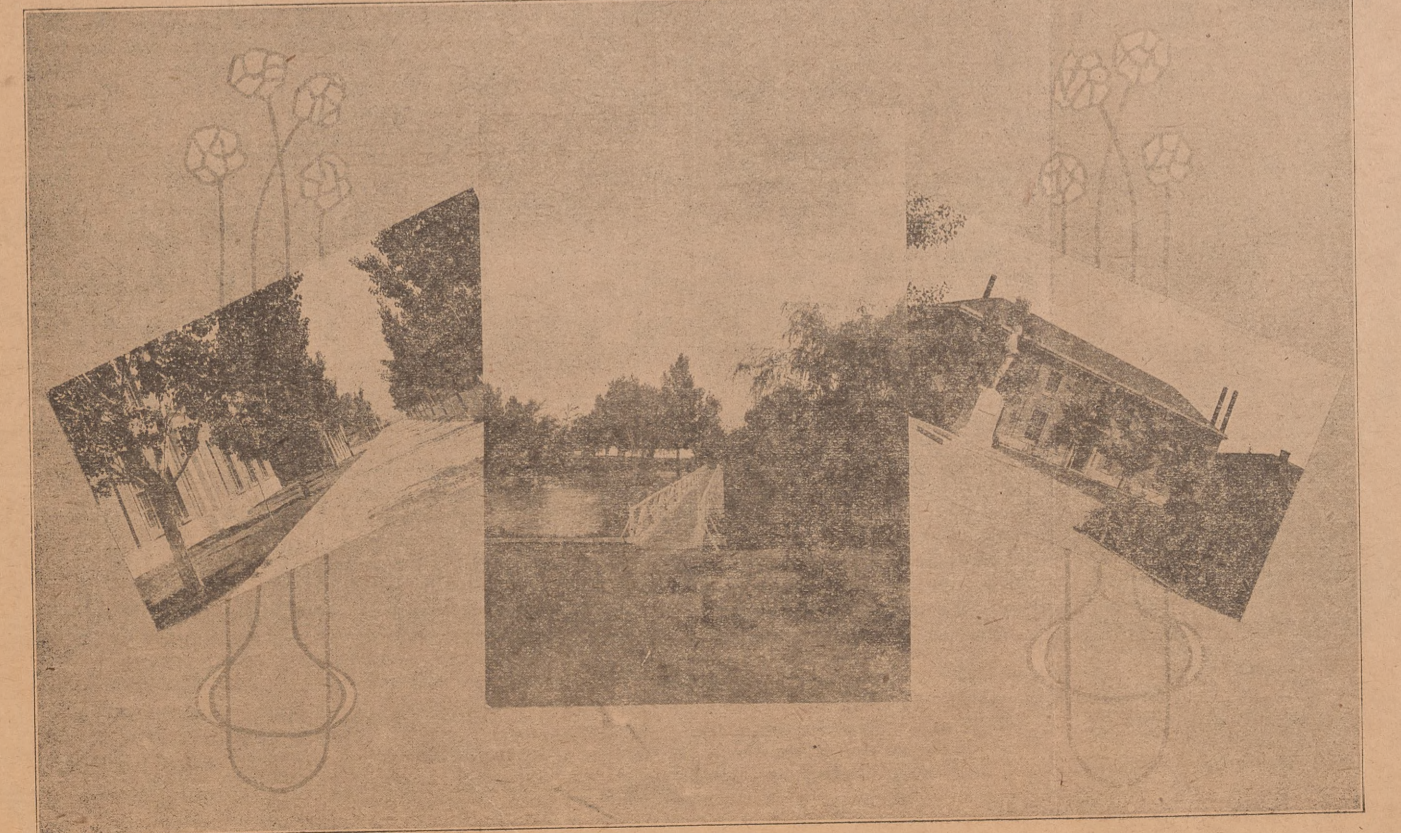
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CAMPUS SCENES

JITNEY CRAWL IS NEXT SOCIAL EVENT

College High Browns to Attend Low-Brow Festival and Ball for Benefit of A. S. U. N. Treasury

(By Lyle Kimmel '18)

The first effort to clear up A. S. U. N. finances will be made next Friday night, the 16th, when "Jitney Gus" and the "Jitney Queens" will desert Eagles Hall for the gym and contribute to the festivities of the evening. It will be a regular rough-neck dance, no frills or society stuff, or anything like that to mar the pleasure of the evening. Added to that it will be a hard times dance, flannel shirts, widely blouses, and all that sort of thing. Stiff collars are absolutely tabooed so "Kelly's gang" can not use that as an excuse for not coming. Included a prize will be given to the gentleman and the lady who looks the rottenest. The prize will be worth while so do your worst.

The sickest, seediest bunch of bummer musicians in town will furnish ragged tunes for raggy people at a jitney a rag. We might mention that we have gone to considerable trouble to secure this aggregation and we are confident that we have twenty of the worst, most careless musicians in the world, in fact the most unique combination on earth.

No admission will be charged for this awful dance but a jitney a dance, payable before each dance, and the struggle will last as long as everybody has any money. You can come whenever you want and go home whenever you want which should also be an attractive feature to some. Girls can come together and dispense with an escort and the bashful bachelors can come without a girl and everyone will get his money's worth. It is going to be the most novel, original, unusual, unprecedented dance you ever went to so don't miss it. Every dance you dance puts a nickle into the track team and baseball fund and every nickle is needed. You won't begrudge it, once you're there.

SOCIETY

I. O. A. O.

Mrs. A. E. Hill was a charming hostess to the members of the I. O. A. O. Club last Monday evening. Many interesting features were planned by the hostess to entertain the girls and the games and musical numbers were all enjoyed by the guests. Mesdames Maxwell Adams, L. Martin, F. W. Traner, L. W. Hartman, F. W. Wilson, faculty ladies who are interested in the progress of the club, were presented to the girls and every one enjoyed a most pleasant evening. Those present were the Misses Leah Barker, Donna Dyke, Hulda Shartel, Velma Markwell, Kathryn Rupp, Salome Riley, Margaret McInce, Laura Lamber-son, Jimmie Odbert, Elvina Blevins, Gladys Pendergast, Mary Martin, Lois Kimmel, Catherine Skinner, Marie Pohlee, Lelia Halsall, Georgie Steiner, Thelma Bradshaw and the patronesses Mrs. J. D. Layman, Mrs. A. E. Hill and Mrs. A. E. Turner.

In a terrific legal onslaught enacted in the Moot Court of the Willamette Law School the attorneys on both sides hurled burning epithets and vast quantities of poisonous gases at each other, and several times the gleam in the young lawyers' eyes, bespoke approaching fisticuffs. The non-combatants present withdrew to a safe distance, and not one ventured an opinion concerning the final outcome. When the smoke of battle cleared away, the ambulance bore the maimed corpse of the plaintiff off to the last resting place of defeated litigants.

The fracas started about a month ago when A. Skinner and L. Skinner defendants, skinned A. Farmer, plaintiff, on a horse deal.

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VARIED EXHIBITS ARE PLACED ON DISPLAY

Chemistry, Mining and Engineering Buildings Contain Interesting Displays Engineers' Day

Much of the equipment and a display of university activities was in evidence in illuminating fashion during the progress of Engineers' Day last Saturday. The engineering shops and laboratories were opened to the public and most of the machinery was in motion. Exhibits of wood, iron and steel working were placed in the Mechanical building and in the Electrical building a display of road models, testing of materials, surveying instruments and drawings gave evidence of some of the departmental activities.

In the mining building the mill and assay laboratories were in full running order with all the machines in operation and the processes of assaying being carried out.

The following interesting exhibits were placed in the Chemistry building:

Sagebrush

Samples of various chemicals extracted from sagebrush including camphor.

Samples of sagebrush oils and the steam distillation apparatus with which it is extracted. (Flotation oil.)

Ash products of sagebrush such as potash which illustrate the chance of a commercial possibility in sagebrush.

Alfalfa

Samples of alfalfa seed oils which can be used as a substitute for olive oil and in varnishes.

Saponin and ash products from alfalfa showing their commercial importance.

An illustration of the process and samples of the products of the reclamation of alkali lake water for salts. A process recently worked out here by Dr. Levy.

An illustration of the process by which hydrogen is combined with cottonseed oil to form cooking fats such as crisco or cottolene.

Also exhibits of the determination of copper by electrolysis, the distillation and purification of turpentine, the use of indicators in analytical work, the determination of nitrogen in milk and other foods and the manufacture of synthetic flavors were shown.

COMMITTEES NAMED FOR MEN'S HE-JINKS

Date and Arrangements for Publicity Entertainment, Smokes and Eats to Be Named by Upperclass Delegations

Three committees have been appointed by the upperclass committee to formulate plans and set a date for the big he-jinks and men's circus to be staged by the male student body in the near future. The gymnasium will probably be requisition for the affair and a huge romp and a big time will feature the evening in which faculty and students are to participate.

The committees are: Publicity, John Heard, Lyle Kimmel; entertainment, Coin Cazier, Clem Caffery, Geo. Baker, C. H. Candland, William Shearer; smokes and eats, Elrod Pohle, Chas. Gooding, Frank Harrison, Harry Moore.

A faculty minstrel show is to be given by the faculty of Oregon State Agricultural College. The men of the faculty who are taking part in this minstrel are donating their time and their talent, they are furnishing the their costumes, and all expenses of the show are being handled by donations and subscriptions. One hundred per cent of the gross receipts will be turned over to the student loan fund.

Eastern time for Oberlin College, to go into effect after spring vacation, was definitely adopted by the faculty at their last meeting. The faculty has been considering means of providing more time for athletics, more class hours, and a longer period between laboratory and chapel.

COMMUNICATIONS

Editor Sagebrush:

We have reached a rather unfortunate state of affairs in the condition of our student funds and unless something can be done to relinquish them the student body will be practically broke. Here are the figures and you can judge for yourself. At present we owe exactly \$695.44 and counting the old Spalding bill of something like \$600. As assets we have \$730.20 and subtracting the two we find that we have \$34.76 left to run the rest of the season on.

Treasurer Gooding has collected every cent that we may look forward to receiving this semester and the bills include only the basketball season and the deficit from the football season.

Now what does this mean to those who care about such things? It means that unless we raise more money there will be no baseball or track season, because we have not the money to finance them. The lowest estimate that can be made is that baseball will cost us \$200 if we schedule the three games promised with California, St. Mary's, and Santa Clara. The two track meets, the one with Davis Farm here, and the five-cornered meet below will cost at least \$325. We need \$500 to carry out the season as we have planned it and Treasurer Gooding and President Melarkey are growing thin over the problem.

There are three things that we can do and each one is difficult. First we can raise the money or a part of it by subscription, entertainment or other means on the hill. Second we can borrow the money at a high rate of interest and bank our hopes on future possibilities. Third, we can cut out the baseball and track season entirely if the other two means fail and that is what we hate to do most of all.

The causes of our depleted treasury are very apparent and teach a good lesson in more ways than one. Our football season holds the key to many a mistake, which has put us in the hole. For one thing it was too heavy and we played games on a poor financial contract with teams whose reputation did not count for anything after we had beaten them. Next year we are going to cut that schedule down to what we can afford. Then there was the Logan trip which cost us \$600 this year and \$200 last year and we never received that much benefit. But for these we would now be clear and even have a surplus. In the long run though we are going to break even because we will have a lighter schedule next year and no Logan game. Just now things look pretty bad but if we can just raise the money now for the track and baseball season our treasury will be in fine shape next year.

Yours respectfully,
LYLE KIMMEL '18.

College students of Pennsylvania will be greatly interested in the outcome of a bill that was recently introduced in the House of Representatives at Harrisburg which will provide for "absent voting" on election days. If the measure passes, it will mean that hundreds of college students who are qualified to vote in home districts can vote at any polling place in the state where they happen to be located, and that their ballot will be counted in with the results of the election in the home district. Wisconsin operates under a similar law.

What's in a name? Freshman agricultural students at Ohio State say there is nothing, and they seem to have proof of their contention. At any rate, among the freshmen registered in that college are: John D. Butcher, who says he never killed anything in his life; William Grab, who is said to be of a generous disposition, and Lawrence W. Nutt, who is one of the brightest boys in the class. Furthermore, Clarence Sass says that nothing less than an echo will make him talk back.

SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON GUESTS OF SORORTIES

Pi Beta Phi and Delta Delta Delta Hold Reception in Honor of Recently Initiated Fraternity Men

Delta Delta and Pi Beta Phi entertained at Wilsonian Hall on the afternoon of March 12th for the newly initiated active and alumnae members of Nevada Alpha of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and their guests. The hall and tea room were beautifully decorated with ferns and violets, the fraternity flower. Music and readings by members of both sororities interspersed with selections by the Mandolin Club furnished a continuous entertainment.

Mr. Levere, Eminent Supreme Recorder of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Bill Stickney of Nevada, and Dan Carroll of Stanford spoke to the company. Delicious refreshments were served in the tea room. The guests of the afternoon were: Mr. Levere, Dan Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Bixby, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frazer, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Cahlan, Fred Percival, Frank Gignoux, Nat Wilson, Floyd Bryant, Harold MacQuiston, Bill Stickney, George Ogilvie, Rufus Ogilvie, Bob Farrar, Tom Edsall, Eugene Bell, Jack Walsh, Bob Paul, Bill Davis, Henry Rhodes, John L. Quail, Albert Cahlan, Tom Jones, Blair Menardi, Clay Willis, Francis Martin, Howard Cameron, Wilson Malone, Ed Caffrey, Clem Caffrey, Alfred Sadler, Norman Dorne, Frank Harriman, Patrick O'Rourke, Ed Burg, Mackay MacKenzie, Fred Winegar, Howard Browne, Jens Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rhodes. The hostesses were: Ruth Pyle, Elsie Farrar, Eva Walker, Juanita Frey, Dorothy Morrison, Dorothy Mahan, Marguerite Crotty, Margaret Kemper, Faith Maris, Phoebe King, Grace Cox, Hilda Herz, Alice Hobbins, Helen Hobbins, Myrtle Cameron, Dorothy Patterson, Nell Wilkinson, Lola Hanna, Margaret Hesson, Dorothy Higgins, Isabel Slavin, Freda Faoust, Eugene Langwith, Alice Boynton, Edna Short, Josephine Legate, Katherine Kemper, Helen Cahill, Lois Codd, Martha Folsom, May Kimball, Helen Smith, Margaret MacMasters, Delle Boyd, Margaret Mack, Lillian Esden, Katherine Riegelbuth, Eunice Cagwin, Edwina O'Brien, Adele Norcross, Ruth McKissick, Dorothy Hempton, Belle McMillan, Edith S. Harris, Edna Greenough, Emma Lou Singer, Agnes Constable, Elsie Humphries, Vivian Butler, Edith Taylor, Zelma Francis, Fern Wright, Dixie Coke, Edith C. Harris, Elaine Harris, Margaret Queen, Pauline Coke, Blanch Garrison, Rose Harris, Marian Lombard, Claire Hoxer, Margaret Bud, Leila Ogilvie, Constance Watson, Grace Harris, Doris Taylor, Nann Coon, Mable Larcomb, Leila White, Josephine Williams, Dorothy Nyswander, Mildred Bray.

DR. MABEL ULRICH TO BE CAMPUS SPEAKER

Noted Worker and Speaker Among Women Will Address University Meetings During Week

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

No Y. W. C. A. meeting was held last Wednesday, for the reason that it was thought advisable for students to swell the number at the Raymond Robins lectures. The meeting at which Dr. Robins spoke on Friday between 11 and 12 o'clock was for the women students of the university and was entirely under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A.

This entire week we are to enjoy the great privilege of attending a series of lectures by Dr. Mabel Ulrich. Every lecture will mean a great deal to every girl on the campus, and it is to be hoped that no girl on the campus will miss even one lecture.

Dr. Ulrich will speak Wednesday at 4:30. This meeting to take the place of the regular Y. W. C. A. meeting. Lets see if every girl on the campus won't be present.

Last Thursday and Friday Coe campus was the scene of one of the largest student conventions of the state, when nearly 300 delegates to the annual State Student Missionary conference for college men and women gathered there. The program was the strongest of any student missionary gathering in Iowa for many years. It included some very prominent church workers and platform speakers.

Sibley College, the scientific school of Cornell, is conducting a motion picture course for the benefit of all students of the university. The subjects have a wide variety, calculated to interest students of every college, and are shown once each week.

The University of Illinois is having trouble with its janitors. They demanded an increase in their wages to an average of 27 cents an hour, but the university authorities only granted an average of 24 cents. The men, and especially the women, complain that they are underpaid.

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Something altogether new in the way of original investigation has been instituted by the class in statistics at Willamette. Under the direction of Dr. J. O. Hall the class in beginning statistics will conduct an inquiry to trace the relation of physical environment to intellectual. The informants in this case are to be the entire student body of the university, the investigation to be conducted by the use of questionnaires which will be distributed among the students. The questions will not only include the various climates in which the individual has lived but will be concerned with all his present interests which tend to effect his scholastic standing.

A shipment of 1,400 Springfield rifles has just been received at the University of California from the War Department in Washington. These will replace the old model Krag pieces that are now being used by the cadets.

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