



## LARGE NUMBER SIGNED UP FOR SHORT COURSE

Fifty Boys Will Be Enrolled in Agricultural Short Course But More Girls Are Desired.

The short course offered by the Department of Agriculture starts April 1st, and judging from the number of applicants for admission, will be largely attended. Dean Knight states that there is little question but that 50 boys from the ages of 16 to 21 will be here to take the course. Of this number about 20 of the boys will come from outside points and reside at Lincoln Hall. Applications have come from Carson, Manhattan, Fallon, Goldfield, Winnemucca and Gardnerville and the boys will be here in Lincoln Hall by the first of April.

Reno and Sparks will send about 30, who will be able to live at home and save the expense of fees and board. All high school students will receive credit towards graduation and will not lose any time by taking the course. It is judged that the course will afford as good an education as the high school studies that they will miss for that period.

A special effort is being made to sign up a class of University girls to take the course in tractors. About ten girls are already enrolled to learn the manipulation of the big iron horses, but that many more should take advantage of the opportunity. Dean Knight says: "We want the girls to come more than anyone because we can train them to fill a place of great importance in increasing the food supply of the nation."

To meet conflicts in other classes the course has been arranged so that the girls may take the instruction on the mornings from eight to nine on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays and in the afternoons on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from one o'clock to three or from two to four. They must take a two hour straight period in the afternoon, but have two alternatives. The morning periods will be devoted to demonstrations and lectures, while the afternoons will be given over to actual practice in the field.

The tractors will be available for four weeks, and each tractor manufacturer is sending a special demonstrator to instruct the girls for two weeks. Then advanced students in the Agricultural College will take charge and finish the instruction.

Six tractors are to be used and are now in town ready for trial. They are the Moline, International, Holt, Fairbanks-Morse, Case, and Best.

## STEPHENS AND PARGELLIS AGAIN WIN TRY-OUTS

Two Star Debaters Win Best of Argument for Team Against U. of Pacific.

Last Thursday night the tryouts for the intercollegiate debate with the College of Pacific were held in Morrill Hall, and Stephens and Pargellis were chosen by the judges to represent Nevada.

The question as it was stated was: Resolved, that the proposed senate amendment, commonly known as the "Conscription of Wealth," whereby it was proposed to raise the bulk of the war finance by the taxation of war profits, would have been the best means of financing the war. Nevada is to uphold the negative side of this question, and the two teams will clash on the night of April 19th at the College of Pacific. Those trying out for places on the team were Harry Stephens, Stanley Pargellis, Harry Davis, and Howard Brown. The judges were Professor Alonzo Adams, Professor Young and Reverend Lowther.

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Frozen over night,  
Make the slippery places,  
Where we often light.

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## BOOK CAMPAIGN RESULTS IN LIBERAL RESPONSE

Quota of 3,000 Books Reached in Drive in Reno With Encouraging Returns From Rest of State.

The campaign conducted by Librarian Layman to collect books for the soldiers and sailors ends tonight, and according to the latest reports, the fullest hopes have been realized.

Nevada's quota to the national campaign was 6,000 books, or two to every Nevada man in the service. Librarian Layman set Reno's share at half the total, or 3,000, and left 3,000 to be collected throughout the rest of the state. It was expected that Reno could furnish the 3,000 during the two weeks' work.

The past week was devoted to collecting the books from house to house, and by the aid of an automobile and several helpers, the committee succeeded in gathering up a large number of books in this way. In addition to that plan Mr. Layman appointed sub-committees at the school houses which worked through the children. The city library was also a collecting center and turned in a large number of books.

With collections of about 200 books a day for the two weeks the limit was nearly last night, with 2,944 books accounted for. This morning the full quota was reached.

The contributions vary from children's story books to technical treatises. They are for the most part books of fiction, with some handsomely bound volumes by the best authors included. Several sets of Kipling, Mark Twain and others were given. The drive was not devoid of humor for one book contributed was a neat little volume entitled "Jack the Giant Killer," with colored plates and big type. It was probably intended to give some soldier an inspiration through Jack's heroic example.

After the books were collected the committee members sorted and listed them and also pasted library cards in the covers for the convenience of the camp librarian. When the last book has been collected, Mr. Layman will send his list to the librarian at Camp Fremont who will go over it and check out the ones he can use. The revised list will then be sent to another camp, and so on until all the usable books have been requested. A certain very small percentage will never be asked for.

The campaign in the rest of the state is just as encouraging. The principals of the high schools have been asked to handle the campaign in their respective districts and the replies coming in have been very favorable.

Fallon was asked to contribute 150 books, but a letter was received yesterday stating that 614 had already been collected. Virginia City also wrote in that the quota of 200 had been passed and 350 collected. The results from the outlying districts have not all come in yet, but by present indications there will be no difficulty in filling the quota.

## ENGINEERS TRIM AGGIE BASEBALLERS

Hicks' Poor Fielding Loses Fast Game to Muckers.

Dean Knight's former baseball team went down to defeat at the hands of the muck stick engineers last Saturday by the score of 7 to 6, in a fast and exciting game on Mackay field. Dean Knight, pitching for the Aggies, started out in great shape, and with the aid of his famous rainbow out began to mow the wheelbarrow opponents down like so much alfalfa, but it didn't last long. A couple of men on bases and the mele was on. The Engineers scored one in the first, and the Aggies followed with the same.

In the next inning the hayseeds brought in another and kept the lead until the fourth, when the Engineers tied the score, following this with two more in the fifth. In the seventh Knight's crew scored two, tying the score. The Engineers came back with three more in the eighth, against two for the hicks. The game ended with no more scoring.

The feature of the game was the fielding of the Aggie outfield. Redfern declares that the ball had grown so small by the time it reached him that it was no larger than a marble, while Pat says that catching a ball through chicken wire is about as easy as eating peas with a knife. Bill Martin starred in center field, with an average of 1000 per cent, as no balls came within his territory. Billie Holcomb, pitching for the steam shovel men, starred by walking sixteen men.

The lineup follows:  
Engineers—  
Holcomb.....Pitcher.....C. Knight  
Warren.....Catcher.....Benson  
Fraleigh.....1st.....E. Knight  
Lattin.....2nd.....Wate  
Frisch.....ss.....Beatty  
Bryan.....3rd.....Yater  
Caffery.....l. f.....Redfern  
Sanders.....c. f.....Martin  
Day.....r. f.....Patterson

### NOTICE

The pictures for the Commencement Number of the Sagebrush must be finished by the end of this week. Fraternity members, juniors and organizations must see that their pictures are complete.

## INDOOR BASEBALL PLAYED WITH GREAT ENTHUSIASM

EIGHT TEAMS CHOSEN BY LOT AND EXCITING SERIES STARTED LAST WEEK, WITH FOUR GAMES ALREADY PLAYED.

### FACULTY HAVE ALL-STAR TEAM

JONES' JOKES, HOPKIN'S HOBOES, KIMMEL'S KOMMERS, AND STEPHEN'S STEPPERS WIN FIRST WEEK'S SERIES OVER STICKNEY'S STICKERS, CESSNA'S SISSIES, MELARKEY'S MUDDLERS, AND GOODING'S GOOFS.

Sherman was right, but baseball is worse. Since someone started the ball rolling last week there has been no rest for the wicked, and even the women have come in for their share of the excitement. The league that was organized and put into operation last week gives every man in the University a chance to play in two baseball games each week, but what's two games a week. There are nearly as many played outside the league as there are in it. The Taus have had a challenge accepted by the S. A. E. fraternity. The upper class men of the Hall spent a morning giving the frosh batting practice and the Engineers surveyed the Aggie aggregation. Many of the women have given up gym work to play baseball under Coach Whisman.

The spring drive for indoor ball last Monday was a complete success, and the league organized at that time is already in operation. Eight teams, including a faculty team, were organized with ten men on each. Coach Whisman elected the captains and the men were drawn by lot from the whole school. No complete schedule has been made out but the games will be posted one week ahead. Four games were played last week, and hereafter there will be eight games each week. The first games were surprisingly snappy and indicate a successful season for the new league.

The first two games of the series were played on Wednesday. In the afternoon game Gooding's Goofs went down to defeat at the hands of Stephen's Steppers to the tune of 11 to 5. In the evening game Kimmel's Kommers sent Melarkey's Muddlers home defeated by 15 to 11. Both games were full of pepper and a large crowd attended. Coach Whisman refereed the games and quelled the disputes in such a masterful way that

he will probably hold down that position for the rest of the season. The second set of games was played on Thursday and was equally exciting, the faculty game drawing a large attendance. In the afternoon Prof. Jones' Jokes (the faculty) walloped Stickney's Stickers without any regard for their youthfulness. The pedagogues showed more knowledge of the theory and technique of the game than any other team in the league and will be strong contenders for the championship pennant. In the evening Hopkins' Hoboes defeated Cessna's Sissies to the tune of 21 to 13 in the prize slug-fest of the series.

The women of the University are also taking to the national game and play three times a week. Although there is no league for the women, there is a certain rivalry between them which may develop into something material. It is already rumored that they have been challenged by the faculty team and have accepted. At each rate Coach Whisman, who teaches a class in theory of baseball for women, says that they know more about the game than the men.

Schedule for Week of March 26  
Tuesday, 4:45, Faculty vs. Kimmel; 7:00, Melarkey vs. Stickney.  
Wednesday, 4:45, Cessna vs. Gooding.  
Thursday, 4:45, Faculty vs. Melarkey; 7:00, Gooding vs. Kimmel; 7:45, Hopkins vs. Stephens.  
Friday, 4:45, Hopkins vs. Stickney; 7:00, Stephens vs. Cessna.

The teams line up as follows:

GOOFS—	STEEPERS—	KOMMERS—	MUDDLERS—
Gooding	Stephens	Kimmel	Melarkey
Smith	Curtis	Martin	Waite
O'Connor	Conrad	Hawkins	Sewell
O'Brien	Harker	Olmsted	Twaddle
Boardman	Griffith	Wall	Cunningham
Warren	Miller	Hancock	Kirman
Gottardi	Benson	Pearl	Paterson
Pargellis	Lattin	Day	Ronnow
Knight	Redfern	Carter	Bartlett

SISSIES—	HOBOES—	STICKERS—	JOKES—
Cessna	Hopkins	Stickney	Jones
Fairchild	Yeter	Spring	Haseman
Chan	Metscher	Badt	A. E. Hill
Obert	Engle	Egan	C. R. Hill
Bryan	Holcomb	Brennen	M. Adams
Caffery	Dodson	Cahlan	W. Palmer
Man-son	Chaffield	Weed	S. Palmer
Belford	Douglas	Frisch	Young
	Rhodes	Jones	Nyswander
		Sewell	Sears

## PHI KAPPA PHI SCHOLARSHIP HONOR FRATERNITY ELECTS

The Phi Kappa Phi honor fraternity met yesterday and elected six new members from this year's graduating class. Five girls and one man were successful candidates with high averages. They are Magdalena Bertschy, Faith Maris, Elizabeth Bailey, Stanley Pargellis, Alice Hobbins, and Myrtle Cameron. All are registered in the College of Arts and Science and will receive B. A. degrees. Five members were chosen last year, but in view of the high scholarship of the class as a whole more members were deserving of honors this year.

## UNIVERSITY CADETS TO BE READY FOR INSPECTION ON SHORT NOTICE

Major Ryan has received official word that at any time now on 24 hours' official notice, the military inspector will visit the University and review the cadets. When he comes, it will be necessary that all the cadets of the University battalion shall be excused from all their college duties for the entire day during which they are officially inspected.

## SPARKS FIVE TRIMS GARDNERVILLE

Last Saturday evening the basketball team of Sparks' high school met the Gardnerville five on neutral floor at Minden. The game was the last of the season and was played to establish the championship between the two teams, as was evident by the determined playing of both teams. It was a fight from start to finish, and although not the best basketball was played, Sparks succeeded in carrying away the honors with a score of 27-23.

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## FORMER STUDENT WRITES FROM RUSSIA

Letter From Mining Graduate in Southeast Siberia Denounces Bolsheviki.

Blagenesheusk on Amur, Russia in Asia, January 15, 1918.

My dear Mrs. Blancy:  
Received your welcome letter two weeks ago, but had no chance to answer you right off as I was busy at that time in preparation for a short mining exploration for the people up here, so answer you only after my pleasant results obtained. Mr. Pilenko's exact address I cannot tell you, and not certain at present where his parents' location could be. Before coming to the U. S. he was employed by a Chinese custom house at Harbin-Manchuria, where he occupied one of the minor posts. Then in the United States he was working his way through to conclude higher education. In 1916 he told me that his father, brother and sisters were living in "Kiev," southwest Russia, or "Kiebo, Poccie." That is all of the address known and I can give you no more.

You want me to write something of the Russian conditions. Well, just now they are not pleasant, as you know. The might now is in the hands of the dark illiterate class, so you could imagine how much they could understand of the government. From what I have seen of mineral wealth, we have enormous deposits up here of different kinds of metals, but require machinery and capital to obtain any real good results, and so I am at the present on a waiting list to do something out of our wealth, as at the present we have disorders and no government wealth, although in our place it is much quieter than any other city in the republic and have more food, as we are close to the Chinese border.

Right now the Russian front is disorganized, Russian soldiers flee from the trenches as Russia proper is on the starvation and the hunger forces them. Many railroad communications closed for lack of fuel. Population faces starvation death. The real Russians, cultured Russians, wanted to continue war to the end, but Russia had lots of other bad elements. "German agents" in quantities, they revived ignorant element to revolt, and so the result was "they sold Russia," the land of the most gentlemanly people in the world, the best good-hearted people, if only foreigners could personally find them out. Now I am not certain what will be. Hope the United States will start doing something, as Russia for three and a half years has been shedding its blood with insufficient material to fight with. As to myself, I am also performing my military duties. At present I am located on the office staff of the 51st Siberian Brigade, and at times leave on permission to examine mineral properties, and so this way, while the times are hard, preparing for the future, and when the time comes I will be ready with the capital and machinery to get striking results, but now waiting for order to be established.

Had to write you in a hurry, so excuse my grammatical mistakes. My regards to all the friends in the University.  
I remain,  
Yours sincerely,  
KENNETH IV. LLEBNIKOFF.

## TWENTY THREE STUDENTS TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Fifteen Girls and Eight Men to Graduate in May From Senior Class.

This year's graduating class will be small, but when one considers the men who have left to go into the service it is not to be wondered at. Of the class of twenty-three, twenty will receive B. A. diplomas, one will receive a B. S. from the agricultural college, and two will graduate from the engineering college, one with a C. E. and the other with an E. E. degree.

Seventeen girls will receive two-year normal diplomas and eleven will be given one-year normal certificates.

The following students will receive degrees of Bachelor of Art if required work is all completed by the end of the semester: Elizabeth Bailey, Magdalena Bertschy, Howard Browne, Myrtle Cameron, Georgia Damm, Donna Dyke, Mrs. A. C. Finney, Grace Fuss, Erastus Hansen, Alice Hobbins, William Holcomb, Lyle Kimmel, Elmer Knight, Blanche Lathrop, Lois Moody, Faith Maris, Adele Norcross, Stanley Pargellis, Elrod Pohl, Laura Rains, Hulda Shartel, Emma Lou Singer, Alonza Wilber.

The seventeen normal graduates are: Thelma Bradshaw, Myrtle Brown, Rita Cannon, Adrienne Cessnat, Mary Harrington, Lela Halsell, Lois Kimmel, Alice Paige, Maud Porch, Georgiana Steiner, Kate Stroud, Clveta Vann, Lessie Wardle, Donna Dyke, Hulda Shartel, Nellie Burke, Gladys Hicks.

Following are the one-year normals: Edith Burns, Ann Gordon, Margaret Hunkin, Mabelle Nelson, Lottie Ross, Adeline Savery, Theresa Shulz, Mae Smith, Ethel Walker, Ethel Walsh, Ruth La Kamp.

## MISS SAMETH LECTURES AT CENTURY CLUB

Friday afternoon Miss Sameth lectured at the Century Club on the "Healthful Art of Dancing." As an illustration of her talk several University girls danced both esthetic and folk dances.

## WOMENS' LEAGUE MEET HANDLES BIG BUSINESS

Mrs. Clark Is Feature of Meeting With a Very Interesting Talk Upon Women's War Work.

The regular meeting of the Women's League was held in the gymnasium Friday morning.

An amendment to the constitution was proposed as follows: A majority vote of the nominating committee shall be necessary to place a candidate's name on the ballot presented to the Women's League. The nominating committee shall choose two names for each office to be presented at the regular April meeting. The point system, prohibiting one person from holding offices amounting to more than a maximum number of points, was discussed and a committee appointed to investigate the matter further and report at the next meeting.

A publicity committee was also appointed, whose duty it is to keep account of the part women play in the war and post items on the bulletin board which are likely to interest University women.

A motion was made and passed to have a girls' upper class committee of five members appointed by the Executive Committee.

The habit of breaking campus traditions, which many of the underclass girls have developed, was discussed. The sentiment of the group was in favor of keeping to these traditions. It was decided to impose a penalty of three hours of Red Cross work on any girl who cuts campus sits on the senior bench or attends any other campus tradition.

Mrs. Clark then gave the girls a very inspiring talk on the war, and the opportunities a college woman has to serve her country by doing work which will release men for service in the war, by food conservation, by the organization of Red Cross activities and other organizations for war work in places where they do not now exist.

## GIRLS DANCE FOR BELGIAN AND RAISE LARGE SUM

Twenty-Eight Dollars Raised in Physical Education Department Program.

Monday afternoon the Department of Physical Education held open afternoon in the gymnasium. The freshmen gave an exhibition of marching and club swinging, while the sophomores did the Morris dance, the Dal Dans and others.

Gym Twelve did the Highland schottische, Gym Eleven the Wild Bird and Gym Thirty-four Narcissus, the Highland fling and the Valse Brillante.

The whole department united in doing the flag dance. The girls were dressed in blue skirts and white middie, and were led by girls in white. Each girl carried two American flags and the scene was a patriotic one when the two hundred flags were waving.

Fifteen cents admission was charged for the purpose of raising money to care for a French baby for a year. The girls sold their flags after the performance, and Miss Sameth did a special dances, which netted the affair some additional profit.

The total door receipts were twenty-eight dollars. The department has already ten dollars, which makes thirty-eight dollars towards the seventy-three which is necessary to care for the French baby.

### EXPERTS?

"Truly, am I the first girl you ever kissed?"  
"You are, my darling, and it makes me happy to hear you say I am the first man who ever kissed you."  
"If I am the first, how does it happen that you do it so expertly?"  
"And if I am the first how do you know whether I do it expertly or not?"—McGill Daily, Montreal.

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## EDITORIAL

### THE SUMMER'S WASTEBASKET

What is this summer going to mean to you? Or, better still, what will your summer mean to the government? Will it be a grasshopper's summer spent in delicious idleness at home, or at the seashore, or running dad's automobile? Students who spend their summer in that manner will simply cast three months into the waste basket along with the nine months spent at school which are already there. The student who wastes his time in school also wastes his time in recuperating in the summer vacation.

Happily this can not be said of the majority of the students, but it can of a large part of the girls to whom the summer vacation is still primarily, the old-fashioned vacation and nothing else. The colleges and universities are nearly all closing from two weeks to a month earlier in order to give the students the opportunity of engaging in productive work earlier. Nevada has followed suit, and it is not the intention of the authorities to grant the longer period for a longer time to loaf in.

We can take it for granted that Nevada men are planning on something productive. No slacker has been uncovered at Nevada yet who is not mindful of the need of workers in every branch of industry and who will not assume his duties willingly. The girls who cannot fight must realize that they can be of use also.

The college woman who thinks that because she is a college woman that she need not work is above all undemocratic; how can she help to make the world safe for democracy? There are plenty of ways and plenty of opportunities.

And that brings us to the real text of our thoughts: The girls who can think of nothing to do this summer can find something to do by equipping themselves for agricultural work. The courses in tractors, gardening, poultry raising, and a dozen other courses of training are designed to help the girls to help the government. Sign up now in one of these courses and save your summer from the wastebasket.

### THE COLLEGIAN'S HOUR

The collegian has often been accused of being the product of an artificial and impractical environment. He has more than once been accused of falling into the ditch of practicality, while observing the stars of idealism. Occasionally the collegian must be sheared of some assumed academic appendages, but the day has passed forever when he will be considered by the world as spending four youthful years "pour rire." By as gradual a process as the growth of life the collegian is coming to his own. No more will he play a minor role. The climatic act of human history is being staged by his efforts. The greatest collegian of all times is setting the pace for the civilized world.

The man who can unravel the tangled skien of life and knit back together the raveled social and political fabric, who can divine the signs of the times, is the man the age is crying out for and must have. The tragedy of the ages is on because two long loved and faithfully cherished ideals are pitted against each other for the supremacy of the world's thought. It is a battle of human conscience. Human history is outdoing itself, the worst and the best of historical man is being surpassed. The average mind is appalled and staggered at the strange intermixture of the good and the bad, the false and the true, the beautiful and the repulsive. Who is capable and not afraid of the herculean task before man today?

It is the collegian's hour. By the virtue of his careful training, dauntless and fearless spirit he is peculiarly fitted for the world's need. His has been the task of devining the true from the false in a given data. By keen inductions he can appreciate final conclusions and results. By subtle deductions he can lay down helpful suggestions. The rich, wholesome and necessary idealism that is abroad today he thoroughly sympathizes with. The collegian is familiar with the uncertain forward-backward and difficult movements of mankind through the study of history, sciences, and philosophy. The hour has come when he will step into the world as the true leader and prophet of humanity.—Hamline Oracle.

It seems unfortunate that in these days of stress and concentration upon the one-thought victory that faculty members should begrudge granting students a few minutes' leave of absence from unimportant classes to engage in courses that mean more to the government just now.

*The French have a saying—*

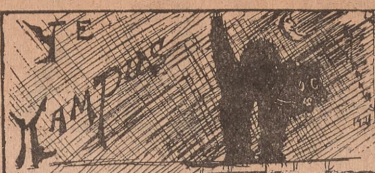
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### MISS SEARS RETURNS FROM LECTURE TOUR

Head of Home Economics Department Comes Home After Ten Days' Lecture Tour of the State.

How convincingly one of Prof. Goggio's student assistants in Spanish explained the difference between an objective and subjective verb was well illustrated when she tackled the verb love. When she argued that it was a mental rather than a physical action the class quit. They all had to admit that she ought to know.

Charles Bowen, or more commonly "C. B. Cohen," received the disappointment of his life Sunday when he got his accounting system into operation to save four bits and had to surrender to the law of circumstance. Kike had it all figured out that by taking Gladys to the show Sunday afternoon instead of Sunday night he could save many kopecks. Gladys, however, spoiled it all by wanting to go Sunday night instead, and poor Kike couldn't enjoy the show after that. The best accounting system ever invented never took a woman into account, Kike.

Isn't it great to have a winning smile? If you don't believe it, ask "Dutch" Frisch. Every time Miss Risk starts in to "bawl him out" Dutch just smiles, and then—well, it's all over.

It's in the air. "Runt" Hancock has not been here long enough to outgrow the frosh dink, but he has already picked one out and settled down. They all fall, if you only give 'em time, but we didn't have to give Runt much time.

The College of Engineering has a new dean. In the absence of Prof. Boardman George "Six O'Clock" Egan, assistant to Prof. Hill, has kindly consented to act. Anyone wishing to consult the "dean" will find him in his office in the E. E. building.

Four men played the small boy act and peeked in at the program given by the physical education department, thereby cheating a Belgian orphan out of four fifteen-cent pieces. The dishonor role follows: Gooding, Cessna, Smith and Bartlett. We apologize for them ladies.

### OLD STUFF

One day a freshman to a college came with resolutions to study hard; But in December in his name Were found four Ds on his card. One, two, three, four— There couldn't be any more. Ein, zwei, drei, vier, I won't be back next year. Yit, nay, san, say, So says the heathen Chinese. No more to roam So far from home, One, two, three.

Miss Sears, the head of the Home Economics Department, returned Wednesday morning from a trip to the southern part of the state. Miss Sears was sent by the State Vocational Board to aid the Home Economics teachers of the high schools in improving their work.

Miss Sears was away for ten days, and during that time she visited Tonopah, Goldfield, Las Vegas, St. Thomas, Bunkerville, Overton, Panaca, Wells, Metropolis, and Elko. Everywhere she was received with great enthusiasm, and her talks on food conservation were given to large audiences of interested listeners.

The Home Economics course has been revised and the students of that department will now have many advantages that have been lacking in the past.

This being so important a line of war work, together with the advantages of the new course and new building, will no doubt bring a large additional number of students to the University.

Miss Sears stated that there was a large demand for Home Economics teachers throughout the state and that the University was not able to supply many vacancies that are open. For this reason the high schools are forced to depend on eastern teachers.

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As Ruth Grahame, the dove of peace, and later as Jeanne La Fleur, the bird of paradise, Miss Talmadge displays her high artistry in this dual role. Gorgeously produced and superbly acted by an all-star cast, "Ghosts of Yesterday" depicts the spiritual growth of a cabaret singer, the queen of the Bal Tabarin, from a wanton into a loving woman with a heart of true gold. The artist, Howard Marston, feels at first that no one can replace his late wife—for Ruth Grahame had rescued him from the suicide with which he was about to crown a life of dissipation—but later he recognizes the change which has been wrought in Jeanne and learns to love her, as she does him, with "the love which passeth all understanding."

The vaudeville olio includes Florence Bell and Co. of three in a dramatic sketch, "The Acquittal," with the same gripping interest as the trial scene in "Judgment." Manley and Golden offer an artistic novelty of vaudeville up-to-date, and Hazel Berson has a number of new song hits. Friday and Saturday Douglas Fairbanks in "The Halfbreed" is the feature picture, while Blondie Robinson, styling himself Just a Fool, is a merry O'Warsman will be shown Sunday, with One Shot Ross as the feature of the picture section and a special olio of specialties for the Easter week.



Miss Margaret MacMasters led the meeting of last week. Anne Underwood played a patriotic medley, after which Professor Thompson gave a talk on "Christianity and the War." He said if the ideals of Christianity were lived up to the war could be ended.

Wednesday meeting will be the Easter meeting. The President will give her annual report and there will be election of officers for next year.

On Friday night the Y. W. C. A. will hold its party at the home of Mrs. J. D. Layman. All Y. W. girls are invited.

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**S. A. E'S. SOME SAPPERS**

The Tau and S. A. E. fraternities engaged in mortal combat last night in a baseball game in the gym and the S. A. E. fraternity came out of the scuffle with honor. The game was fast and furious the first two innings until the S. A. E's found their stride, and then it was slaughter of the innocents.

Dick Bryan, twirling for the S. A. E's, was the undisputed star of the game and the Taus failed to connect up with his twisters until the last few rounds, when it was too late. Meanwhile the S. A. E. sluggers knocked three Tau pitchers out of the box and wore a path around the bases. The score ended with 19 tallies on the S. A. E. escutcheon and 9 to the credit of the Taus. Mayor Knight refereed a spotless game.

The cats were on the Taus and after the game all adjourned to the training quarters and indulged in a "hot-dog" feed.

I'm going to turn you down, she said; He had an awful fright. But she didn't mean what he thought she meant—

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If Harry Lauder could be here after April 1st he might sing his favorite song quoted above, and again he might not, because he would be getting up at three or four or five o'clock and that wouldn't be so nice. And that won't be all.

Think of rolling out of bed one hour earlier in the morning by the sun and eating breakfast at six o'clock instead of seven. It will take time to get adjusted to that. Meanwhile the tables will not be overcrowded by breakfasters.

Then imagine the girls of Manzanita Hall coming home on week nights before the sun is down. Eight o'clock will come just one hour earlier, but that ironclad rule will remain unchanged.

The poor frosh who is accustomed to a half hour's queening during the supper hour will have to wait until the sun sinks below the western horizon or he may meet a watery grave when supper comes one hour earlier. He will also be forced to wear the handsome "dink" until eight at night to put it away with the sun.

What mistakes your internal alarm clock will make until it gets wise to the fact that the lunch hour is shoved ahead one hour. When your trusty vacuum clock warns you by its emptiness that it is dinner time it may be just one hour late. Don't trust it.

It will be a long wait for the "tossers" who wish to see the moon rise, for it will come up one hour behind the schedule. Late permission will have to be granted for this privilege.

But then think of the beautiful sunrises and the extra hour gained through the day which can be profitably spent in study or in a game of ball after supper while the sun is still high.

**ST. MARY'S COMPLETES TRIUMPH OVER CALIFORNIA GOLDEN BEAR**

After sport dopsters witnessed the defeat of California by St. Mary's last year in football, and then in basketball, it was prophesied that in case the two colleges met in baseball California would also be beaten there. They were right, and last week saw the Bear humbled by the lesser school in a diamond contest by a 2 to 0 score. St. Mary's has won three great victories over California and has shown a complete mastery in every branch of sport. There only remains a track contest to finish the story.



**MAE MARSH**  
in "THE CINDERELLA MAN"  
GOLDWYN PICTURES

Mae Marsh, the quaint star of the screen, will appear in her third Goldwyn picture, "The Cinderella Man," from Oliver Morosco's famous stage success by Edward Childs Carpenter, at the Grand theatre Friday and Saturday.

The wistful appeal of Mae Marsh, known wherever motion pictures are shown, finds remarkable opportunity in the strong human interest situations of Mr. Carpenter's moving story. Ever the "girl of a thousand faces," it is another Mae Marsh who awakens heart throbs in "The Cinderella Man," than the Mae Marsh who is delighting the nation in her two preceding Goldwyn productions, Margaret Mayo's classic of the big top, "Polly of the Circus," and "Sunshine Alley," from the story by Mary Rider. The amazing versatility of Miss Marsh which changes her characterization so radically from play to play, makes "The Cinderella Man" quite as refreshing as anything she has ever done.

Edward Childs Carpenter, author of this latest Mae Marsh vehicle, is also the author of "The Pipes of Pan" and of "The Three Bears," both current Broadway successes. "The Cinderella Man," in stage form, was one of the biggest hits of the New York season during its long run.

**LIEUTENANT MELARKEY VISITS RENO ON FURLOUGH FROM CAMP FREMONT**

Lieutenant Melarkey was again in Reno last week for a few days' visit. He is stationed at Camp Fremont and won his second lieutenant's commission in the second R. O. T. C.

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**SLUMBERLESS PARTY**

The third floor of Manzanita Hall was the scene of much merriment Saturday night when the new girls of I. O. A. O. entertained the other members at a week-end slumber party. The dance at the "gow house" helped make the evening pleasant. Those present were: Hilda Shartel, Donna Dyke, Georgiana Steiner, Lois Kimmel, Lulu Hawkins, Bonnie Stevens, Mildred Griswold, Salome Riley, Thelma Bradshaw, Phyllis Brown, Lela Hallsell, Mildred Brainerd, Jennie Howson, Lessie Wardle, Lavina Shields, Nevada Higgins, Emily Burke and Leila Sloan.

Mrs. A. E. Kaye, formerly matron of Manzanita Hall, is visiting in Reno for a few weeks.

The Mathematical Club met at the home of Miss Ruth La Kamp Wednesday evening. After the business meeting Professor Hartman spoke of his own and others' experiments "On the Visibility of Deep Blue of the Spectrum." Following the lecture came a musical program and refreshments. Those present were: Professor and Mrs. Hartman and Professor and Mrs. Haseman; the Misses Bertschy, Higgins, La Kamp, Cameron, Rains and Mace; and Messrs. Engle, Whalman and Stickney.

Last Monday night the Phi Sigma Kappas initiated Donald Hancock.

This little injunction, taken from a sister paper, is a good thing to be kept in mind by all students: Other papers all remind us We can make our own sublime, If our fellow students send us Contributions all the time. Here a little, there a little, Story, club notes, song or jest. If you want a good school paper, Each of you must do your best.

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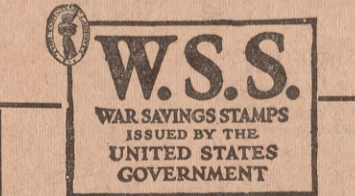
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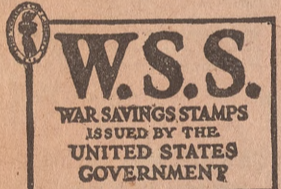
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## HOW THE KAISER REPRESENTING PRUSSIA AND THE PRUSSIAN ARMY CONTROLS GERMANY

DR. SPENCER, PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, EXPLAINS PRUSSIAN SYSTEM OF AUTOCRACY IN SPECIAL ARTICLE.

(By Charles W. Spencer, Professor of Political Science, University of Nevada.)

When we speak of the government of the country which is at present our chief foe as an autocracy, does it mean any more than that we wish to call it by a bad name? We call our own a democratic government because those who exercise its powers have been freely chosen by the people, and these elected officers conduct the policy of the country in accordance with the will of this whole people, as nearly as they can ascertain it. The English government is quite as democratic as our own, for, though many of the external forms and fictions of royal government are preserved, it is as certain there as with us that the powers of the government will be exercised as the public opinion of the whole country may direct. Is this true of the German empire? Who controls the German government?

To answer—the kaiser—is true in part, but to leave the matter there is to utter a half-truth nearly as misleading as a full-fledged falsehood. The man, Wilhelm, head of the House of Hohenzollern, is enabled to exercise controlling influence, but it is because he represents Prussia and the army, and because he uses power in the government as trustee, as it were, for these prime-moving forces.

The German empire is a federal organization of twenty-five member-states, but Prussia, in territory and population, is very nearly twice the size of all the rest put together. To build a structure of government to accommodate members so unequally yoked together was an exceedingly "practical" task. Bismarck, the architect, realized in 1866 and 1871 that the smaller states and the people of all the states as a whole would have to be given some share in the government of the projected empire. But he was equally determined that control should remain with Prussia and with an army determined by Prussian ideals. How well did he succeed?

Of the two legislative chambers in the imperial government, the Reichstag, the one which represents the people, is in every respect inferior in power to the other, the Bundesrath. It neither has the decisive word in legislation, nor does it control the administration of policies. This is, of course, directly contrary to the practice in contemporary democratic countries.

But who controls the Bundesrath?

### MANZANITA HALL GIRLS INSTRUCTED IN APPARATUS

Friday evening Manzanita Hall, with Carl Horn as chief instructor, was initiated into the mysteries of the fire extinguisher. The girls were shown how to take down and use the apparatus. A small fire was built in front of Manzanita and the chemical action on flames was demonstrated. Five girls have been appointed on each floor whose business it is to use the extinguishers should the occasion arise.

this predominant partner in the legislature? In this body are represented the governments of the twenty-five states composing the empire. Of the fifty-eight full votes the constitution assigns to Prussia seventeen, to Bavaria six, and so on, seventeen states having one vote each. But look beneath the surface. The Imperial Chancellor is not only the presiding officer, but also the manager and director of the business of the Bundesrath. He is appointed by and responsible only to the emperor, who is, according to the constitution, always the King of Prussia. To block any amendment to the constitution only fourteen votes are required—and Prussia has seventeen. By the constitution, to Prussia belongs the chairmanships of all but one of the Bundesrath's committees. In case of a tie vote, the matter is decided as Prussia has voted. On any proposal to change existing arrangements in regard to the army or navy, or the taxes to support them, Prussia's vote decides. Thus only ordinarily skillful manipulation is necessary in order to give the substantial control in imperial policy to the government of Prussia.

For it is the emperor who commands the armed forces, naval and military, declares war, and manages the foreign policy. These are the affairs which to the mind and heart of the King of Prussia, who, it cannot be too often repeated, is ex-officio German kaiser. The military contingents of all but three of the other states have been by treaty made for all practical purposes part of the Prussian army. What that means in time of war has been tragically demonstrated in Belgium, the Balkans, and Armenia. What it meant in time of peace in Germany was eloquently displayed in Alsace in 1913, when the rage of all civilian Germany, including civilian Prussia itself, beat in vain against the Prussian government's defense of the stupidly brutal insolence of the Prussian officer-caste.

In all soberness, then, the government of the German empire may fairly be described as one shrewdly designed to give to one member of a federal organization the balance of power in important matters, and to a single class in the population of that predominant partner the opportunity for ruthless domination. For such a system autocracy is no mere epithet. Prussia and the army run Germany.

### TWO-YEAR NORMALS ORGANIZE SOCIETY

The two-year normal students of the University have organized under the name of Nu Sigma Nu. Their purpose is to further educational development and stimulate an interest in the problems of education. The officers of the organization are: Mary Harrington, president; Lela Halsell, vice-president; Myrtle Brown, treasurer; Georgiana Steiner, secretary; Thelma Bradshaw, reporter.

## FROSH SHOW CLASS UPPERCLASSMEN HUMBLED 'NOUGH SAID

All thoughts of love and spring were forgotten for the time being Sunday morning while the confidence of the two upper classes residing in Lincoln Hall was knocked into a cocked hat by the freshmen all-stars. It all started by the following challenge:

### YE LOWLY FROSH OF THE HALL

"Read ye this with fear in thy yellow hearts. The dignified and reverend upper classmen do hereby challenge thee to a baseball game on Mackay field to be played Sunday a. m., March 24, 1918, at 9 o'clock. The icy lake awaits if thy fear overcome thy manliness. Follows a list of the knights of the field: "Ace in the Hole," Ed Benson; "Wee Willie," "Sunny Day," "Darkest Knight," "Peachie Red," "Bashful Hal," "Spud Hoppy," "Sagebrush Artist Harry," "Standing Pat." Are you ready?

### TO WHICH THE FROSH REPLIED:

YE DIGNIFIED UPPERCLASSMEN The class of '21 accepts your haughty challenge and stands prepared to administer DEFEAT. Signed: Ballou, Lattin, Griffith, Sanders, Waite, Warren, Bowen, Metcher, Dodson, Davis.

And the game? What do you mean? There wasn't any game of baseball played Sunday morning. A bunch of guys were out on the field kicking the ball around and a few frosh were having a little batting practice. Incidentally the freshmen knocked in eleven runs, and then, after they got tired, let the upperclassmen take a turn and they knocked in three runs.

### PRESIDENT CLARK GOES ON DEFENSE WORK AGAIN

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