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## OLYMPICS PLAY SATURDAY

### TEAMS TO SETTLE TITLE

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD HERE ON MARCH 5 AND 6 WITH MANY ENTRIES

The High School basketball tournament to be held in the gymnasium on March 5 and 6, are fast approaching, according to Coach Corby, who is secretary of the School Athletic Committee. In all probability there will be 16 teams representing the high schools from the entire state of Nevada. The teams have not as yet been published, but it is an assumed fact that there will be boys' teams from Reno, Sparks, Carson, Hawthorne, Fallon, Elko and Winnemucca. Several others are yet to be heard from and the number of entries may run up to ten or twelve. The teams will in all probability include Carson, Fallon, Winnemucca, Elko, and possibly others; here also others to be heard from and excellent teams are certain to be present.

Rules regarding eligibility will be those of the Nevada Interscholastic Association and these will be strictly enforced. Nine boys, inclusive of Coach Corby, will be provided for on boys' teams; ten girls, inclusive of Coach Corby, will be provided for on girls' teams. It is expected that the girls' teams will be kept in Carson Hall, while the members of boys' teams will be taken care of in Carson Hall and the various fraternities. Extensive plans are being made for the entertainment of the teams while in Reno, and provisions are being made to take care of them on the days of March 4th, 5th and 6th. Arrangements have been made where teams inside a 125 mile limit of Reno will bear their own traveling expenses. (Continued on Page Eight)

### THOMPSON TALKS AT HAWTHORNE

Professor R. C. Thompson, of the Department of Philosophy was the speaker at the Hawthorne high school lecture course. In the past week, where he spoke in Carson, he spoke on the subject of "New Spectacles," and in the past week he gave a splendid address on "Lincoln, the Man." Both his lectures were before a large assemblage and were thoroughly appreciated.

### Majestic

ALL THE SATURDAY—

Alla Moskova Company IN PERSON

The most celebrated Russian dancer now in the United States with D. W. GRIFFITH'S Grand Dramatic Spectacle

"The Fall of Babylon"

The most sumptuous and costly ever brought to Reno in a motion picture.

### TEAM EASILY BEATS MAYROSE

VARSITY OUTPOINTS PACKERS IN ROUGH AND TUMBLE CONTEST, TO TUNE OF 36 TO 12

The highly touted Mayrose Ham outfit of basketball players went down to defeat at the hands of the Silver and Blue Varsity, last Saturday night by a score of 36 to 12. The Varsity showed the best form so far this year and played a whirlwind game, against a team which although not in first class condition, was rated as a hard one to beat in any company.

In addition to their regular lineup, the Mayrose team showed up with McCubbin, he with the long basketball record behind him, and Higginbotham, star point getter of the Stockton Y. M. C. A. The other three men to start the game were Mox Charles, ex-Nevada captain and star guard; Jack Wishal, stellar performer for Armour Tech a couple of years back, and Herb Foster, hero of many a hard fought battle under the colors of Reno High. Corby started the lineup that proved so effective on the coast trip of Williams and Waite, forwards; Buckman, center; Bradshaw and Captain Martin, guards. Against this combination the Hams were practically helpless and only succeeded in gathering two field baskets in each half. McCubbin and Higginbotham, who were expected to lead the Packers in their drive for victory failed to show any very startling form; McCubbin being held without a field basket to his credit, and Higginbotham only managing to get one along toward the end of the game. Foster played his usual steady game and was the originator of two of the four field baskets credited to the Mayrose team. Mox Charles was all over the court while his Camel wind held out, and after that got a huge kick out of throwing the boys around the floor. Wishal played an excellent game at guard and in addition made a pretty basket from out toward the center of the floor.

For Nevada every man played a star game and once again demonstrated the fact that a star team is far superior to a team of stars. Smoky Williams showed a vast improvement over his playing of the week before and in addition to shooting five field baskets was all over the floor and in the middle of every play. Noble Waite earned another pie a la mode by his display (Continued on Page Eight)

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### CHANGES MADE IN SCHEDULE

One Game Only With Olympics. Two Games With National Champions for Next Week

Several changes have been made in the Varsity basketball schedule for the remainder of the season and two more games added to the list. On this coming Saturday the Varsity meets the Olympic Club 145 pound team. On the following week-end Nevada was scheduled to meet St. Ignatius; however, through the efforts of Coach Courtright the San Francisco collegians were persuaded to change their date to March 6. This leaves Nevada clear to take on the National champs for two games instead of one as previously announced. These games will be played on Friday and Saturday of next week. The game with the California Aggies, otherwise Davis Farm, will be played on Wednesday, March 3. This makes the St. Ignatius game the last one on the schedule, and as it is expected to be the game which will decide the winner of the Nevada-California league pennant, a great celebration is already being planned in honor of Nevada's championship team. Remember the date and prepare for a large time.

### TRACK SEASON LOOMS BRIGHT

THIRTY MEN RESPOND TO COACH COURTRIGHT'S CALL FOR CANDIDATES. THREE LETTER MEN OUT

The 1920 track season was begun in earnest on last Saturday afternoon when Coach Courtright issued this formal call for candidates and about 30 men reported. This is one of the earliest starts the Silver and Blue track aspirants have ever had, and with Coach Corby at the helm a record track season is promised to put the finishing touches on a record year.

Walt Christie, director of the track destinies of the University of California is endeavoring to revive the six cornered meet which was an annual event until the war interfered. The teams entered in this meet were California Aggies, California Frosh, Stanford Frosh, Santa Clara, St. Mary's, and Nevada. This meet will in all probability be held in Berkeley sometime in April. In addition to this a dual meet will probably be arranged to take place on Mackay Field, sometime previous to that at Berkeley. The team which Nevada will meet here has not yet been determined but it will probably be Davis or St. Mary's. An effort was made to arrange a meet with Santa Clara, but they stated that they did not intend to put an entire team in the field and therefore could not participate in a dual meet.

Due to the fact that there has been no Varsity track since 1916, little is known of the material at hand, as there are only three letter men in that branch of athletics who are in school at present. However, there are several former high school stars among the men students on the Hill and it is certain that there will be a track team in the field that will be a credit to the Silver and Blue.

In the sprints there is an exceptionally fast bunch of speed men who have signed up among whom are the following: Fred Lowrie who has an official High school record of 10:2 to his credit, and can be counted on to better this (Continued on page eight)

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### TEAM SELECTED FOR DEBATE

Belford and Miller to Orate for Nevada Against Brigham Young Early in March

Last night at a meeting of Clonina it was announced that the debate with the College of the Pacific will be held here the night of April 9th. Try-outs were also held at this meeting, and John Belford and Charles Miller were selected to represent Nevada in this debate. The first debate of the season will be with Brigham Young University, at Provo, Utah, the night of the first Friday in March. On that date Nevada's team, consisting of Paul Hornaday and John Belford will meet the Mormons on their native soil and demonstrate to them that Nevada is on the debating map, as well as showing the coast a thing or two about athletics.

Progress was reported on the play, "The Pair of Sixes," which has been booked at Carson City for March 2nd, and will probably be given at Fallon March 5th and in Reno the 12th. Plans are under way for a more extended trip for the play, to include Lovelock, Winnemucca and Elko.

After the regular business had been disposed of, the following were initiated into Clonina: John Ross, Don Warren, Otis Wright, Edgar Miller, Leona Bergman. A program followed in which the new members entertained Clonina with some really clever stunts, recitations and musical numbers. The program was closed with a piano selection by Miss Vera McKenna.

### GIRLS LEAVE FRI. FOR TRIP

NINE PLAYERS MAKE COAST TRIP TO MEET COLLEGE OF PACIFIC AT SAN JOSE

The girls' Varsity basketball team will leave for the coast Friday night, February 20, on No. 5, to play their first intercollegiate game of the season. On Saturday night, they meet the fast College of Pacific team, at College Park. Little is known of the Methodist aggregation this year as no reports have been received which indicate anything of the strength of their girls' team, by which a comparison with the Varsity can be made. However, as in former years, they are sure to have a speedy squad which can be counted on to put up a hard tussle when they meet the Silver and Blue team. As for Nevada, the team has had little chance to show its true form thus far this season, having played no intercollegiate games as yet. However, under the tutelage of Miss Somers, girls' basketball coach, they have made rapid progress, and promise to uphold Nevada's basketball reputation, in true style. Mr. Klawans, manager of the Spaulding Bros. store in San Francisco will referee the game.

Nine players will make the trip, chaperoned by Miss Somers. They follow: Forwards, Helen Fuss, Rose Harris, and Hallie Organ; centers, Gladys Dunkle, Rose Mitchell and Adele Clinton; guards, Salome Riley, Jimmie Odert and June Harriman.

Of these, five are former Varsity players, having played last year and in a few cases, before that, Helen Fuss, Rose Harris, Hallie Organ, Gladys Dunkle and Salome Riley.

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### D. A. E. PRESENTS CLEVER SHOW

Original Features Mark Initial Appearance of Dramatic Club Which Is Big Success

Last Friday night at the gym, the Delta Alpha Epsilon Dramatic Society made its annual appearance in a clever variety show. As usual, they presented something out of the ordinary, and very well done.

The show took the form of moving pictures, the acting being done in pantomime and the action explained by a voice as the play progressed. Two short sketches were presented in this way. Eight girls appeared in a dance composed of farmers and farmerettes, after which Mrs. Wright gave some very amusing impersonations of familiar campus figures. Miss Somers and Dorothy Harrington presented a Persian dance, which was gorgeously costumed and given with true Oriental smoothness. The principal number of the program was a one act playlet entitled "The Wonder Hat," in which Nellie McWilliams, Avis Lothrop, Virginia Higgins, Helen Cahill and Helen Fuss appeared. The sketch was a clever little satire on human life, and the character work was especially well done. After the play the gym was cleared and the crowd enjoyed itself by dancing the rest of the evening away, thus closing a very unique and enjoyable affair.

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Important meeting Friday, February 20, Aggie building, 11 a. m. Be there.

### NOTICE

THE DANCE WHICH WAS TO HAVE BEEN GIVEN AT MAPLE HALL FRIDAY NIGHT BY M. D. B. C. HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL A WEEK FROM FRIDAY, OWING TO THE SERIOUS ILLNESS OF HENRY RHODES.

### OLYMPIC CLUB TO PLAY HERE

UNDEFEATED CLUB TEAM TO MEET SAGEBRUSHERS SATURDAY NIGHT. CLASS GAME IS PRELIMINARY

Saturday night the Varsity is scheduled to meet the Olympic Club's 145 pound team of basket shooters from San Francisco. This team is the pride of that famous club and has been consistently rolling up score of over 100 points per game. They took Stanford Varsity into camp not long ago by a margin of 10 or 12 points and accord-



JIMMIE BRADSHAW Stellar Guard of the Varsity Five Who Will Be Seen in Action Saturday Night Against the Olympics

ing to advices from the coast expect to knock Nevada over by an even greater margin. When questioned on the subject Coach Courtright merely grinned and said "the old five man defense is liable to fool 'em."

Corby has been giving the boys a stiff workout this week, and if they show as much improvement in form over last week's playing as they did (Continued on Page Eight)

## GRAND THEATRE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

"Judy of Rogues' Harbor"

A striking story of Youth, Love and Faith, featuring

Mary Miles Minter

Sunday and Monday BRYANT WASHBURN

—in—

"TOO MUCH JOHNSON"

A scandalous tale of an erring spouse who put the "try" in triangle, but too much mother-in-law spoiled his plans.

Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

MABEL NORMAND

—in—

"PINTO"

A wild and woolly western whirlwind sweeps into high society and Oh Boy, what a riot of fun







**TRACK SEASON  
LOOMS BRIGHT**

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under a coach as efficient as Corky; Bradshaw and Windy Johnson, the speed burners of the football squad; Soak Mitchell, who trains on waffles; Charlie Miller, who claims a record of 23 flat in the 220; Don Warren, L. C. Runnow, Conrad and Bill Carter, all of whom were stars in their prep school days. In the middle distances only three men have so far signified their intention of trying out for positions on the team. They are Hobbs, Hammond and Dunn. Hobbs has a record at San Diego high in the quarter as a hard man to beat; Skip Hammond was a star in high school as a sprinter and quarter miler, and was high point man in the Interscholastic meet in his last year; Vince Dunn, the blonde Irishman, is also reputed to be a fast man in the 440 and should give the other contestants a hard battle for first place. In the mile and two mile there are eight men signed up, and should furnish the men to uphold Nevada's reputation of never being beaten in either of the distance races on the Mackay Field. The only men about whom much is known are Decker, Belford and Welty. Decker was right behind George Ogilvie when he smashed the University record in the two mile and would have undoubtedly made his letter in that event had it not been for the fact that track activities were suspended that year due to the war. Belford is a former Reno High track man, and was one of the mainstays of the Stanford Freshman track team of 1917. Welty was a distance man of the highest magnitude when in high school where he ran the mile, and was also a stellar performer in the service. The other men who have reported are Bailey, Hart, Philbin, Thomas and Miller. In the hurdles a bunch of experienced vets have shown up among whom are: Al Reed, Havens, Oakland high star; Church, Hancock and Sutherland, all of whom earned their letter in Reno High, and Johnson, who was rated as fast man over the sticks in Kansas. The weight men consist of Gerry Eden, Heward, Captain Buckman, Grant, Hill, Malone, Fairchild and Wright. Of these Buckman and Hill are both Varsity letter men and with the wealth of material on hand, Corky ought to find himself well fortified in this division. The high jump aspirants are Waite, Buckman, Wall, Egan and Martin. Here also Buck has won his spurs and captured first place in the last meet held at Berkeley. Although he has never had any experience in a meet Waite is scheduled to become one of the star performers in this event; Martin is another man who made his track letter in Reno high, and should be a point winner. Wall and Egan are also prep school letter men about whom little is known. For the pole vault only two men have reported and unless they show exceptional form Nevada will in all probability be weak in this department.

It is Corky's desire that every man who has any spare time, use it on the track. Practice is not confined to the afternoon, and several men are putting in their periods on the track, during the mornings. It is planned to arrange an interclass meet, the entrants in which must be signed up for Varsity track. Prizes will be awarded for the winners in each event, and these will in all probability consist of neckties, etc. Let's make the track season the equal of the football and basketball seasons; everybody behind it and let's go.

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**NOTICE**

Darrell Dunkle Post of the American Legion is giving a dance on Friday night, February 20, at Wilsonian Hall. Tony's jazz band will furnish the music, and the dance will start at 8:30. The entire student body is invited to attend. Admission will be \$1.00, the proceeds to go toward purchasing colors for the local post.

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**NO. YOU SIMP!**

Newman Club—The policemen's clubs have been abolished.  
Y. M. C. A.—You mean no more weapons?

Newman Club—No, you simp; no more saloons.—N. Y. Cap and Bells.

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**THESE CHANGED TIMES**

"I hear your son is determined to marry an actress."  
"Yes."  
"Permit me to condole with you."  
"Condole? That stuff's out of date. Why she makes \$10,000 a week in the movies."—Pittsburg Sun.

**Olympics Play Saturday**

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last week over that of the week before, the club team will be a very much surprised layout. Eddie Reed, who has been under the weather last week, is out for practice again and while he will probably not start, he is a cinch to get into the game and will be a big help. Coach Courtright expects to start his regular lineup of Buckman center, Waite and Williams forwards, and Bradshaw and Capt. Martin in the guard positions. This bunch has been going well and should show the clubmen a large time.

Eddie Molkenburg, star forward for the Clumpic Club team is also captain and star point gatherer for St. Ignatius. Lauterwasser, who was also depended on by both of the above teams to grab off a bunch of points broke his shoulder in a practice game not long ago and will be unable to play any more this season.

Nevada should win the game Saturday night, barring accidents, and if they do it will give the old Silver and Blue an immense boost on the coast. From the scores run up by the club team in their games so far this year, it is easy to draw the conclusion that they play the style of game which the five man defense is best adapted to breaking up entirely. Waite has been putting in all his spare time this week shooting free throws under the watchful eye of Coach Courtright, and promises to set a new record in the rest of the games by not missing even one of the throws from the foul line. Smoky Williams has been showing a vast improvement in the last two weeks and gives promise of becoming one of the most proficient basket shooters on the squad.

Whatever the outcome of the game, it is an assured fact that it will be fast and furious from the start as both teams have a record for speed and scrap that rivals the best in the country.

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**TEAM EASILY  
BEATS MAYROSE**

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of the fine points of the game, and made nine out of eleven tries from the foul line, besides one pretty field basket. Buckman clearly outplayed his opponent in center and managed to cage three pretty baskets all of which were from hard angles. Nevada fans were given their first opportunity to see the speedy "Shimmy" Bradshaw in action, and he certainly lived up to the advance notices by putting on a rare exhibition of how a running guard should play the game. Martin, consistent old Bill, played his usual steady game in the standing guard's position, holding his man pointless. Ninnis went into the game early in the second half and played a fast game annexing a field goal and also a foul. Egan, Middleton and Heward went into the game shortly after Ninnis and showed that Corky has an exceptionally strong team of substitutes by holding the Hams to two points less than they made in the first half.

When the fact is recalled that in the last game with the Mayrose team the varsity was only able to defeat them after a hard battle by a score of 24-19, the great improvement of the Varsity becomes at once apparent, and little fear is felt as to the outcome of the remainder of the league games.

The line-up, with total points made after each name, follows:

- Nevada—36 Position Mayrose—12  
Waite, 11 F McCubbin  
Williams, 10 F Poster, 4  
Buckman, 6 C Higginbotham, 2  
Martin (Capt.) G Wishal, 2  
Bradshaw, 4 G Charles C. 4  
Ninnis, 3 F McKenzie  
Middleton, 0 F Pringle, 0  
Heward, 0 G  
Egan, 2 C  
Referee—Si Ross.  
Umpire—Dooley.  
Timekeeper—Carlsen.  
Scorekeepers—Cahlan and Dunn.

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**AS THE POET MIGHT REMARK**

We are living, we are living,  
In a grand and awful time!  
And a quarter we are giving  
For things not worth a dime!  
—(Windsor) Border Cities Star

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"Hadam, your poor husband has been drowned."  
"And have they found his body?"  
"No, it's lost."  
Now, isn't that provoking—He had the key to our bath house around his neck."—Ex.

**HIGH TEAMS TO  
SETTLE TITLE**

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penses; those outside the 125 mile limit will be reimbursed pro rata from the money taken in at the gate. Contestants will be admitted free to all games. An admission of 50c will be charged; this will admit the spectator to all of the games played on Friday; in addition to this an admission fee of 50c will be charged for the games played on Saturday; this includes the finals. All entries are required to be made on the official entry blanks and forwarded at once to Coach Courtright; these entry blanks embody the points mentioned above and have been mailed to all of the state high schools.

Any games played previous to this tournament will have no bearing on determining the winner, and the team which comes out on top in this series will be declared state champions regardless of their standing up to that time. Two large, silver loving cups will be awarded to the schools winning the coveted title, and will bear the appropriate engraving: "Interscholastic Basketball Champions of the State of Nevada, 1920." This is the first tournament of this kind to be held at the University since 1916, when Punker-ville captured the honors for the boys, and Reno High girls succeeded in winning their side of the series. Several communications have been received by the Sagebrush from the various High schools throughout the state and all manifest an exceptionally keen interest in the coming tournament which gives promise of a fast and exciting series of games.

U. N.

The girl had been sent down to the brook to fetch a pail of water, but stood gazing at the flowing stream, apparently lost in thought.

"What's she waiting for?" said her mistress, who was watching.

"Dunno," wearily replied hubby. "Praps she hasn't seen a pailful she likes yet."—London Tit-Bits.

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You think you are so smart in arithmetic, try this one: If a rancher raises 500 tons of alfalfa and sells it for \$25 a ton what will he get?  
"A Packard or a Marmon."

**NEVADA'S SCHEDULE**

| Date        | Team              | Place |
|-------------|-------------------|-------|
| February 21 | Olympic Club      | Reno  |
| February 27 | Los Angeles Blues | Reno  |
| February 28 | Los Angeles Blue  | Reno  |
| March 3     | Calif. Aggies     | Reno  |
| March 6     | St. Ignatius      | Reno  |

**CO-ED COMPLAINS  
ABOUT OGLERS**

BERKELEY—From the modest co-eds on the University of California campus today went out a cry for help. "Naughty" male students on the campus are the dread ogres from which she would be saved—from blushes.

The Daily California, student paper, contains an "S. O. S." call to other students. Under the pseudonym of "Miss A. B. C." member of the senior class, does the blushing co-ed voice indignation for herself and her college sisters. It is to being forced to undergo the "once over" from cruel men students as the co-ed passes back and forth to classes that the anonymous sister objects.

"Just because a few women on the

campus dress immodestly or dance in a questionable way, is it fair to the rest of us for the men students to form the habit of making disparaging remarks about any woman who passes by?" is her plaint. "With burning cheeks, we wonder what we could have done to cause such things to be said."

Particularly to the last year men seated on "senior bench" in front of former North Hall does the co-ed writer object. She declares lack of support in college activities will be the defiant answer of the co-ed population of the campus.—Tribune.

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CRUSHING COME-BACK**

Rosenberg—You was a liar and a scoundrel! Do you hear dot?

Einstein—I hear you already, and I dinks you was talking to yourself.—Boston Transcript.

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