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## State Leaves Today For Invasion of University

### Brevities Ticket Sales To Assure Successful Show

Ball Urges College Students To Get Tickets Early For Performance

SCIENCE ATTIC IS REHEARSAL PLACE

Stage Being Put In Shape For Vaudeville On March 2, 3

With the ticket sales contest making headway, the Bison Brevities is assured a sell out for both nights, according to Curtis Ball, ticket sales manager of the show. The success of last year's edition of the show is given as the reason for the unusual interest in the 1931 presentation. While no announcement has been made to date, Mr. Ball states that the various organizations competing for the sales cup are getting even better results than was the expectation.

Because many people are apt to be turned away at each performance, and because there are nearly enough students to fill the auditorium on both nights, Mr. Ball urges the student body to secure their tickets as early as possible. The acts are primarily a student activity, and so the Brevities managers wish that a hundred percent student attendance be shown.

As the top floor of the new wing of the Science building has been secured by the management for rehearsals, a better Bison Brevities is expected. This is especially true as the introduction of the short acts will be a decided improvement over the 1930 edition. Each competing group is given a practice schedule, and some of those rehearsals will be supervised by Prof. Homer B. Huntoon, director of the show.

March 2 and 3 are the dates set aside for the presentation, and will be held in the Auditorium of Fargo High School, where the stage managers are preparing the stage so that it will be complete for every type of act that will be shown during the competition.

### Second Senior Staff Party Held Tomorrow

Collejamboree Will Feature An Elimination Dance Competition

A collejamboree, the second of a series of dances sponsored by the Senior Staff, will be held in the Armory tomorrow night, it was announced today by the executive committee of that body.

The feature of the evening will be an elimination dance in which every couple is allowed to compete. Bob's Commanders will furnish music. The proceeds of the party will go to the establishment of a scholarship fund.

Those in charge are: Gertrude Almos, features; Ethel Renwick, chaperones; Ruth Whitney, music; Agnes Weible, tickets; and Ruby DeOtte, publicity.

Chaperones for the dance are to be Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thompson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Smith.

### PHI KAPPA PHI NAMES SEVEN SENIOR MEMBERS

Seven seniors were elected to Phi Kappa Phi, national honorary society, it was announced by Benjamin V. McCaul, secretary of the local chapter.

Those honored include, Elsmere Chamberlain, Kathryn Engebretson, Lillian Flatner, Reynold Fredeen, Lois Klinsmann, Glen Schoessow, and Marion South.

The date for initiation will be announced at a later date, according to McCaul.

### TICKET BOOKS GOOD FOR ATHLETIC GAMES

"Ticket books will admit any student to an athletic contest here in which State athletes participate." This is the statement made by Casey Finnegan yesterday when questioned about contest passes to the University games.

A rumor has been circulated, according to Finnegan, that ticket books would not be accepted during the University series here Feb. 27 and 28. Registration cards have been submitted to the ticket takers for admittance to the games but are not acceptable.

Only during the spring term no ticket books are issued. At that time registration cards serve the same purpose, said the Bison mentor.

### Holiday Cast Plans Intense Rehearsals For Finished Play

Boerth, Weeks, Luther Heading Cast Of Edwin Booth Comedy

Rehearsal for the Edwin Booth Dramatic Club term play, "Holiday", by Philip Barry, will continue afternoon and evening over the weekend to insure a finished performance when the play is produced Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, February 17 and 18, at 8:15 in the Little Country Theatre, according to Miss Alice Bender, coach of the production.

Heading the cast are Leonard Luther, as Johnny Case, man about town and impractical dreamer; Elene Weeks, as Julia Seton, conventional daughter of a Fifth Avenue millionaire, to whom he is to be married; and Ruth Boerth, as Linda, second daughter of the wealthy Seton family, sensitive, charming, and the only one of the group who really understands Johnny and his need for a holiday. Malve McKeane plays Ned, the dissipated and brilliant younger son of the family, while Mart Vogel carries the part of the father. Bob Olson is cast as Nick Potter, scapegrace and joy-maker, and Helen Jensen as his wife. Ruth Whitney and Bruce Robertson portray Mr. and Mrs. Seton Cram, and Jack Thysell, the butler.

Scene in Drawing Room  
Scenes are in laid in the drawing room of the Seton mansion, and in an old play room upstairs. The play, in three acts, is from the pen of one of the foremost dramatists of the decade, Philip Barry, whose current drama, "Tomorrow and Tomorrow", is playing to packed houses now on Broadway. "Holiday" is one of his most outstanding successes, a sparkling, sophisticated comedy with an unusual amount of depth. Almost immediately onup its appearance in New York it was filmed with Ann Harding and Mary Astor in the leading roles, and was voted one of the ten most outstanding pictures of the last year. It has not yet been released for ama-

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### Blue Monday Teas Planned By Girls

Beginning Monday, February 16, the Freshman commission of the Y. W. C. A. will sponsor weekly Blue Monday teas from 3 to 5 p. m. in the Y. W. room. Miss Jean Lawrence is general chairman.

"We are stressing informality and are hoping that this new feature will offer the women on the campus an opportunity to become better acquainted over a cup of tea," said Mrs. Carl Teet, Y. W. C. A. secretary, explaining the purpose of the tea yesterday.

Each month the commission will have assistant hostesses from some group of the Y. W. For the first tea Marjorie Beattie, president of the Y. W., and Naomi Aplan, chairman of the hostess committee, have been named assistant hostesses.

### Oriental Party Architects Frolic

Sinister oriental figures have decided on a rendezvous this evening. New York's Chinatown will come to life at the annual Architects Ball on the third floor of the Engineering building.

Hing Ling Alstrup, general manager of the frolic, says that there will be a prize given to the best costumed couple. Oriental scenic effects will dominate the entire department. Chinese lanterns and dimmed lights are expected to aid the committee in charge headed by A. Ti Brierly.

Typical Chinese food is expected to comprise the refreshments. Discriminating guests will be served with Chow Mein and perhaps Chop Suey, according to Mi Wi Lee, head of the culinary department.

Entertainment is under the supervision of Ho Go Olson who plans to have several talented members of the department mutter a few vocal choruses.

Chaperoning the affair will be the ruling moguls of the department: Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Huntoon, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Bayliss, and Mr. and Mrs. Knute Henning.

### Four Convocations Appear On Schedule

Musicales In February, Speaker And Vocalist Planned For March

Convocations for the remainder of the winter term will feature the appearance of four well-balanced programs, according to Dean A. E. Minard. The numbers will appear at the armory Feb. 18 and 24 and March 6 and 13.

The Apollo Trio will appear in a musical number Feb. 18, and the Sigma Alpha Iota, national music sorority, will render another musicale Feb. 24. Emanuel Sternheim, Jewish Rabbi, nationally known speaker, will give an address on Education in Life before the convocation, March 6. In the last number for the winter term, Duncan Robertson, baritone singer will make his appearance before the college.

Duncan Robertson is rated highly as a singer, states Dean A. E. Minard, chairman of convocations at the college. Mr. Robertson made his debut with Galli-Curci at the Main Festival where he had great success, then went abroad to study. It was in Paris where he conceived the idea of presenting his programs of Salon Music to his own accompaniments, and everywhere is now meeting with unqualified success.

### COSMOPOLITANS WILL ENTERTAIN TONIGHT

The Cosmopolitan Club will hold its winter term party in the college Y. W. C. A. from 8:30 to 11:30 tonight.

A color scheme of red and white in commemoration of St. Valentine's Day, will be carried out. The committees are as follows:

Dance committee—Dick Armstrong, Marie Bach, and Clifford Maloney.

Decorations—Martin Erickson, Clarence Ebert, and Archie Anderson.

Punch—Jeanette Hooper, Clarence Ebert, and Alta Holritz.

Clean-up—Felix Adams, Don Hammond, and Jerry Scheiffert.

Chaperones at the party will include Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Iverson, and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hoffman.

### KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA

Jayne Sudro and Betty Farnham were guests at the K. K. G. rooms Monday night.

Ruby Steadman has returned from Casselton, where she has been practicing teaching for the past two weeks.

Lillian Lindsey, Page, was a guest of Elizabeth Olsen last weekend.

### MARION TROWBRIDGE IS MATH INSTRUCTOR

Miss Marion Trowbridge, graduate of the North Dakota State College in June, 1929, has been appointed instructor in mathematics at her Alma Mater for the remainder of the regular college year, according to Dean A. E. Minard, head of the School of Science and Literature. Miss Trowbridge fills the vacancy left by the resignation of A. G. Hill, who is now entering the University of Wisconsin to study for a master of arts degree in mathematics. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. F. Trowbridge, Fargo. Upon graduating from the State College two years ago she entered the Chicago Arts Institute where she did graduate work.

### "Little Women" Lives Again In Drama By Theatre Play Group

Appealing Story From Alcott Novel Given Last Evening

With velvet snoods, billowing skirts, and soft voices, the well-loved little women of Louisa Alcott's immortal story came back once again yesterday when the Little Country Theatre Players presented the three-act drama of the same name in the Little Country Theatre.

The story, of course, is as well known as it is liked, and there are very few of this generation or the one which preceded it who do not remember having read and re-read the chronicle of tears and laughter, fun and sorrow, that portrays the lives of quiet Meg, stormy, boisterous, great-hearted Joe, delicate, sweet Beth, who slips into the Valley of Death with such grave patience, and graceful, clever, selfish Amy. It is of course the story of Miss Alcott and her own sisters, and has within it the elements of almost every family that ever lived. There is the illness of the father, the courtship and marriage of Meg by John Brook, handsome young tutor of the attractive scapegrace, Laurie, grandson of the March's wealthy neighbor, the romance of Jo and her Professor Bhaer, and that of Amy and Laurie, and the death of Beth.

The outstanding action of the book is duplicated in the three acts of the play by Marion De Forrest, and under the coaching of Mr. Donald Hay, was given a very sympathetic reading. Presented both afternoon and evening to good audiences, the cast who entered into the spirit of the story with a good deal of poise and comprehension included Jean Pote as Jo, Dorothea Ward as Mrs. March, Clark Fredrikson, Mr. March, Sally Hunkins, Meg, Lois Klinsmann, Amy, Dorothy Holes, Beth, Lester Wyman, Professor Bhaer, David Minard, John Brook, David Miller, Laurie, Lawrence Forman, Mr. Lawrence, Constance West, Aunt March, Grace South, the cook.

### Writers Club Gets Right To Petition

The Writers Club has received an invitation from the Sigma Tau Delta, national writers' fraternity, to petition for a charter, according to Rollin Moore. This was announced at the regular meeting held in the men's dormitory Sunday evening, Feb. 8.

A special meeting was held yesterday at which time details of the national organization were explained and other important business of the club considered.

Three manuscripts were read at the meeting Sunday. A short story and an essay were read by Robert Hatch and Gerald Garlid, respectively. A play written by Mary Healy was read by Rollin Moore.

For the third time in two years, Chi Beta fraternity at the University of Illinois was placed under quarantine for scarlet fever.

### Five Contests To Draw Bison Fans Coming Weekend

Frosh Tossers, Hockeymen, And Rifle Team Meet Rival School

LINEUPS FOR CAGE CONTEST UNCERTAIN

Special Train To Carry Band And Students To The Forks

Preparations are being made at the University of North Dakota for the biggest Bison athletic invasion in years. Three hundred Bison fans leave this afternoon with the Gold Star Band to match strength with the Northern Injuns in five contests today and tomorrow.

A special train leaves the Great Northern depot at 3:25 and arrives at the Forks about 6 o'clock. Round trip tickets will be issued with return good until Sunday evening. This is the first time in years that State has been able to secure this accommodation.

Paramount in the eyes of all spectators is the conference contest this evening. With the ineligibility of Fred Felber, Nodak center, the Sioux may be weakened. They have, however, a wealth of reserve material and are expected to present a determined lineup. The Bison will probably use 8 or 10 men in their play tonight. Donald Arthur, sharp-eyed forward from Mandan, will probably see plenty of action. Arthur is in the position that Nordstrom had last year and has every chance to make a name for himself in the crucial series.

Coach Leonard Saalwaechter is of the opinion that Nordstrom will find the basket against the Nodaks and may play an important role in the Bison offense. May, Fairhead, Olson, and Thomasson will probably be on hand when the opening whistle blows. Bob Weir, giant center, may also get the call.

Other Contests Slated  
The Bison frosh meet the Nodaks (Continued on Page 3)

### 250 Couples Attend Pan-Hellenic Prom

Varicolored Light Effects Are Carried Out in Ball Decoration

Approximately 250 couples were in attendance at the annual Charity Ball, sponsored by Pan-Hellenic Council, held in the Crystal Ballroom last Friday evening.

Leading the Grand March when it formed at 10 p. m. was Miss Virginia Davis, president of the council, and her guest, Blair Seitz. Miss Ethel Renwick and Rollin Moore were second in line.

Decorations employing a modernistic scheme were carried out with vari-colored lighting effects. Music was furnished by the Red Jackets and white gold-lettered programs were given the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Huntoon, and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Bayliss acted as chaperones.

### NOTICE!

Unless pictures taken from the Owl Studio are returned to Bison office before February 21 the pages belonging to organizations which took the pictures will be withheld from Bison and the money will not be refunded. These organizations are known and names will be published in the Spectrum in the near future if property is not returned.

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## BISON SPIRIT

A special compliment should be given the Student body for its excellent turn out for the rally yesterday morning. Out of 1500 students, 200 turned out to be loyal boosters. Less than one seventh of the group back the Bison. With that as a possible indication of how the team will fight, the Thundering Herd is doomed for a couple of neat trimmings. The team has the spirit, if the backers haven't, and so we are not predicting absolute submission. North Dakota State was once noted for its 100 percent spirit, and now we find that but 25 percent of the school has spirit. What a come down for State!

We must hesitate before placing all of the blame, however, as thus far we have had a minimum of rallies. The Student body has not been encouraged to have the spirit that pulls victory out of defeat. We know not who is responsible, but we do know that every student wants the situation remedied. If the school is at fault, it must be corrected, and if the students are at fault, they must have the old time Bison spirit forced upon them.

A decided lack of spirit has been the feature of every contest this year. It is a wonder how the school could have a successful season at all. We believe that the school should have more rallies, but that is a weak excuse for having such a poor demonstration as was shown yesterday. It is not pleasing for the upper classmen to see the school degenerate into an institution that cares nothing for either victory or defeat. We as students should now attempt to make up for the poor showing at the rally. There is but one way that can suffice now, and that is for every red blooded State booster to scrape together the fare to Grand Forks, take the train for the up-state institution, and give the team some real support in the University armory tonight and tomorrow night.

## WRITER'S CRAMP

It is a source of continual wonder to us that over half of our classmates aren't suffering from "Writer's Cramp". This malady, it would seem, would be the natural result of such concentrated effort on the part of the students.

By way of experiment we let our eyes wander over our classe the other day, and in every instance, we noticed students either writing down every word that fell from the lips of the lecturer or else sitting in a state of total oblivion to what was being said.

So much energy is spent on catching every word to transfer to the notebook that the student doesn't follow the thread of the lecture.

Some notetaking is necessary, if only for a reminder as to what was discussed, but the fallacy lies in taking too many notes and so entirely missing the essential points.

Intelligent notetaking is an art, the mystery of which is gained only by practice and the exercising of a negligible amount of common sense.

We mentioned the man that sits in a state of total oblivion. He is to be pitied for when he finishes the course he hasn't even a copious notebook to account for his time.

Resorting to the mediocre we plead for a happy medium. Why not a course in "How to Take Notes?" No doubt a course of this type has more place in the high school, but it might easily be required of Freshmen. Who knows but it might prove a benefit to mankind by preventing THE national disease, "Writer's Cramp?"

## ORIGINAL THINKING

Do college students do any original thinking? If so, where, when, and to what degree?

Through the ages there have been many who have clamored loudly and at length against incessant reading. Consistently this group have maintained that reading should stimulate an individual, original reaction in the mind of the reader, and not satiate the mind with foreign theories and experiences.

The theory is sound, but hardly practical. For example, those of us who can't travel, held closely to home ties because of age and financial dependency, have to have some means of escape and some way of appreciating and understanding situations foreign to our own experiences. Reading offers the widest range of possibilities and once started we read avidly, and naturally are soon so inculcated with the viewpoint of the author that, like so many Babbitts, we utter it almost verbatim. In this way the theory is dispelled at once, for who is to say when a mind has read to the point of saturation or beyond that of stimulation?

It is fairly evident in the average class that the students absorb the suppositions advanced by the instructor for truths without bothering to weigh them. If after four years of such absorption, we should suffer a mental shock what a state of chaos we would land in trying to reconcile our various unweighed truths!

Certainly amid such surroundings as a college offers with its corps of instructors and its modern equipment, the student must do some thinking for himself. Little is done in the logical place, the classroom, so there must be other avenues of thought.

Here, we believe, is where the outside activity has its chief function. A constructive activity gives its participants an opportunity to fearlessly express themselves.

There are dramatics, when by merely interpreting a minor role the player transforms it into a thing of beauty by his personal feelings and understanding. A dramatic presentation then becomes a presentation of creative effort and an expression of many vivid personalities.

Likewise in publications pursuits, the written expression unwittingly reveals a part of some student and serves as an outlet for those provocative, somewhat disparaging remarks that have, it seems, no place in the classroom.

We have attempted to show you that although classroom thinking may have reached a point of standardization from the viewpoint of original thought, extracurricularly there is still a place for creative thinking.

## IN PASSING:

The special leaves at 3:35 today.

Holiday was a hit on Broadway, and will be presented by the Little Country Theatre Players next Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Architects put on a Chinese shindig tonight.

Tomorrow night marks the Senior Staff party.

The mid-terms are over, thank heavens.

Bill Ball is smiling over the Brevities ticket sales.

## Student Opinion

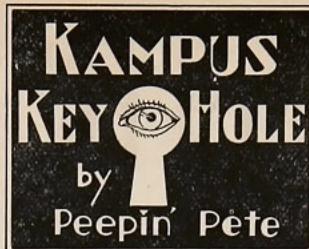
Some weeks ago you had an editorial on the ideal instructor. If you are really looking for him I think the closest you will come here is Captain Frank Ross and Mathew Erickson in the engineering department.

It is unfortunate that their scope is limited to military training and engineering. Everybody knows Ross. Ask some of the engineers about Erickson.

How do you faculty members stand on this ever-recurring problem of cheating? Now that the mid-term tests are over and the problem is again fresh in our mind we ought to have an expression by a professor. In the final analysis, the task of removing the evil lies in the hands of the teachers for we come to school to get training and not to be tested. You say we want to be given due credit for our honor and be treated as free individuals. I concur. But does that mean that we should be given a chance to take the path of least resistance and that we possess sufficient knowledge and wisdom to choose our own rule of conduct?

There was a time when students were severely reprimanded and often punished for dishonesty. Today he is merely "given a chance", and a highly questionable risk it is. One of the members of our teaching staff stated in a speech before the Fargo Rotary Club recently that in one instance 12 out of 46 students cheated in his class. Now, is it right to give students the opportunity to cheat? That is my question. If an instructor believes that it is wrong and bad practice to cheat in an examination, he ought to have moral courage enough to defend his conviction and fight for his principle! When an offender is caught his paper should be taken away and the person dismissed from the room. Many students, perhaps the majority of them, do not need guarding; but those who are weak and victims of the habit cannot be trained and educated away from the evil more readily by anyone than by their instructor, who in turn ought to feel that it is his responsibility to give interested attention and help to the matter. What say you, profs?

Joe Paulson.



## The Education Of Little Lou

### CHAPTER III

"I do not have to be a boxer to become punch-drunk!" sez Lou.

THE STORY SO FAR: On a frigid July morning in Juneau Little Lou had just completed reading "True Confessions" and "Strange Interlude" and decided then and there to go to college. Ten days later she had stumbled across Cuthbert Hairslick, better known as the sweetheart of Gamma Phi. Now go on with the story.

"Oh, Cuthbert," moaned Little Lou, her little pump beating piteously. "You look just like one of them thar Rover Boys at Yale like I been reading about with moustaches an' hobtoed shoes an' big sweaters an' wavy pennants an' things an' whoopin' an' hollerin'."

"Aw gee whiz girlie," murmured Cuthbert, a flush suffusing his manly brow, "jes' cuz a fellow doesn't get up early enough an' all th' other guys in th' house takes yer corduroy pants yuh don't need to lay it on so hard."

"Why don't you take me walking in your car some night," she pleaded, "an' maybe buy me a short koke or something?"

"Oh hell, I don't mind," he said gallantly. "What time will you be around for me?"

"Tonight!" she cried. "Oh, Cuthbert, how can I thank you?"

And even as they were talking, on and on pressed Dan McGue. He was a man to be avoided, even at conventions and Y hops, for his soul was filled with scum and scurvy and he had a dozen notches on his gun and twice as many more on his shoe trees.

Oh Lou! Would there was a way to warn you before them cowhide boots lead you down the primrose path after the lure of that fateful trinity—beef, iron, and wine—until you are lost in the millwheels of Sodom and Gomorrah, Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul! Oh! Justice where are you, with your bloodshot eyes and a hangover!

Meanwhile our heroine, unmindful of the fate in store for her, slipped into her daring middie blouse, and riding skirt that brazenly revealed her instep, not to mention her heavies, and was off to her tryst with Cuthbert.

At eight o'clock Lou had been whistling steadily for two hours in front of the Delta Sig house, where Cuthbert existed. "The boys must be making candy or else the cook is baking bread," she thought, as the breeze brought her sweet essence of malt syrup.

A few short blasts on the referee's whistle which she had thoughtfully tucked away in her bustle, soon drew her hero from his abode. Lou adjusted her linen duster about her and Cuthbert jerked his goggles over his eyes as they roared down the street in his sleek roadster.

Little did they realize, these two love birds, that at that very moment Dan McGue was pressing on and on, faster and faster.

Cuthbert drove far, far out on a lonely road and stopped.

"Cuthbert!" cried our heroine, "what are you doing?"

"Nothing, yet," he replied. "I think I have a flat tire."

"Flat tire, heck," returned Lou. "I'm the fastest dame in Juneau, and

all we do up there is fish and neck, only there ain't any fishing."

"Where I come from," stated Cuthbert, "all we do is neck and hunt."

"What do you hunt?" asked Lou, warming up to him.

"Necking," he replied humorously.

Even now, oh readers fair, Dan McGue, whose dastardly soul shrinks not from sin, presses on and on.

"You may as well release your clutch, Cuthbert," said Lou. "On account of our house mother has stopped necking on the campus."

"I should think she would," replied Cuthbert. "A woman of her age."

But Lou was equal to the occasion. Withdrawing a checker board from her ever-handy bustle, she soon engaged Cuthbert in an exciting game of "drop one, pearl two" which made him completely forget his extra-curricular activities and soon the happy pair were on their way back home to dear old Ceres Hall.

And Relentless Dan McGue with but one purpose in mind pressed on through the murky murk.

"And this," continued Lou, pointing to page three of the album, "is my Uncle Abner from Peoria. He's the one—"

"This has gone far enough!" shouted Cuthbert vigorously. Extracting a gat from his pocket he shot the author who had hidden himself under the sofa, the dirty bum.

"My Gawd! You've shot the author!" gasped Little Lou.

"Hurray!" shouted the house matron.

"Hurray!" chortled Dan McGue, applying a new coat of mascara to his moustache.

"Hurray!" cried the dying author.

"This is the end."

## THE END

\* "He must have been a tailor or something."

Last Line: Will you put this vanity and comb (etc.) in your pocket?

## JOURNALISM TEACHER PICKS NEW OFFICE

T. Worden Johnson, instructor in journalism and assistant editor at State College, has moved his office quarters from the basement of Agricultural Hall to room 206. The move was necessary in order that more space be available for mailing equipment belonging to the Publications department.

Co-eds at the University of Detroit have been forbidden to converse with the male students at any time on the campus.

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## BISON AVENGE EARLY SEASONS DEFEAT FRIDAY

### St. Thomas Never Allowed To Head Scoring State Basketeers

Last Friday night the North Dakota State College basketball team avenged a defeat handed them by the St. Thomas College five during the holidays. The score was 41 to 33.

The game was not easily won by the Bison despite the fact that they never were headed. The Tommies had a hard fighting aggregation and went down to defeat fighting.

The Bison finished the first half on the long end of a 21 to 10 tally. The Tommies staged a rally with only six minutes to play and brought the count to 31 to 28. This was the only time in the contest that the opponents threatened to overtake the Bison who held the lead from the start.

#### Arthur Leads

Donald Arthur, sharpshooting forward from Mandan, was the stellar performer for the Bison. He counted seven field goals during the fray to lead his team in scoring. When injected into the six minutes before the final gun with the score standing 31 to 28, Arthur responded with three baskets in rapid success to put the game on ice for the Bison.

Johnny Sammon and Joe Nomeyko were the outstanding players for the Tommies. They accounted for 13 of their team's total score and played well on the defense.

### Five Periods Fail To Break Deadlock

After five periods of furious play at Detroit Lakes, Wednesday night, neither the Bison nor the Detroit Lakes Blue-Jays were able to break the 5-5 tie set in the third period of their second ice encounter of the season.

The game was one of the fastest and most exciting of any played by the Bison team this season, according to Captain Conmy. Both squads showed fine co-operative teamwork throughout and neither were able to penetrate to their competitor's goal even after two overtime periods, all that is allowed in hockey, were played. No individuals showed outstanding performance over that of their teammates, according to the coaches, throughout this fast moving puck contest.

The Blue-Jays were set back by the Bison in a contest here soon after the beginning of the season. A game to break off the tie of victories may be planned.

#### EXCHANGE NOTES

When a freshman at the University of Holland is pledged to a fraternity, he must immediately shave his entire head, and in addition he must enter all buildings by a window.

A cast of the lower molars of the famous elephant, Jumbo, Barnum and Bailey's attraction for many seasons, was recently purchased by the University of Nebraska.

It was recently revealed that undergraduates of Oxford University, in England, owe the storekeepers of the city debts totaling \$1,250,000.

## Sport Sprouts

BY CHAMPLIN

We gained a little revenge last week when the Bison whipped the Tough Tommies from St. Paul. And that makes another Minnesota team that we can lick. What do you think of an outfit that does the same thing two nights in a row? That St. Thomas quint let both the Bison and the Cobbers gain big leads in the first half of their respective games and then went on to scare the daylight out of them by losing by a very close margin.

Speaking of a team that does the same thing two nights in a row, Mr. Ace Cecka, the sports editor of the Student at the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, North Dakota, probably thinks the drate big injuns are capable of doing the same thing twice in a row. So do we, and they won't like it either. So there.

State College sends three teams to the University this week and to play four games, the Bison varsity to play two basketball contests, the Baby Bison to play one game, and the varsity pucksters to play one hockey game. The University fans should well appreciate the high class entertainment they will see in these battles.

Yes, Ace, we will bring our milk pails and also some rich milk for your gang of fighting Sioux. It might do you good to partake of the health food to bolster up your spirits after the games.

We're perfectly willing to send our band of hockey stars up there to play the invincible Joe Brown and his blockers. We haven't such a bad outfit.

## GRAND FORKS TEAM DEFEATS BISON, 5-2

### Captain Blakeslee Injured In Game With Independent Pucksters

Playing an inspired independent squad of Grand Forks pucksters, the Bison hockey team suffered a 5-2 setback in an ice contest at the down river city Monday evening.

The Bison hopes were dimmed early in the second period when Captain Joe Blakeslee was forced out of the game through injury. McGrath, Comm and Olson bore the brunt of the assaults of the Grand Forks Dragons throughout the remainder of the game. Comm and McGrath each counted once, the latter knocking the puck over three-fourths the length of the rink for a goal.

The fact that the Grand Forks rink was only about half the regular width made playing difficult for the State College team which was unfamiliar with the narrowed skating area.

McGrath at center, Stewart and Blakeslee at wing positions, Jahr and Olson at defense, and Van Vorst at goal formed the starting lineup Monday with Comm, Acheson, Knight, Kilbourne, Larson, and Thompson as spares.

Figures compiled by the Aggie College of Nebraska show that farms attract more graduates than any other vocation.

## FAIRHEAD LEFT IN POSITION TO COP LOOP CROWN

### Enters "U" Series With Felber Sitting On Bench; Has 49 Points

George Fairhead, State College forward, seems destined to cop the scoring honors of the North Central conference. He is leading the list with a total of 49 points.

Fred Felber, University of North Dakota center, who was declared ineligible Wednesday is second with 42 points. Felber is given little chance of overtaking the accurate Bison scoring ace and will probably be out of the first game when the Saalymen meet the University today.

The North Dakota schools have three more conference games to play while the South Dakota teams participate in two.

#### Other Leading Scores

Mossmon, Morningside	42
Hutchinson, Morningside	39
Hamann, S. D. S.	36
Benson, S. D. S.	36
Raak, S. D. S.	34
Webster, N. D. U.	30
Adkin, S. D. U.	30
Buck, S. D. U.	28
Koberg, Morningside	28
May, N. D. S.	27

### Five Contests To Draw Bison Fans Coming Weekend

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Saturday afternoon. The downriver neophytes have an unblemished record that will undergo quite a strain if they intend to beat off Bob Lowe's charges.

Capt. Bart Conmy plans to have his fast array of skaters on hand to defend Bison supremacy on the ice.

With the injury of Joe Blakeslee chances do not appear as bright as they might. However McGrath, Jahr, Comm, Stewart, and a host of reserves will show their wares.

Six State College riflemen will offer stiff competition to the "U" in the form of a shoulder to shoulder match with a similar group of Sioux riflemen.

The men selected by Capt. J. B. Conmy, riflery coach, to fire in the competitive match at Grand Forks this afternoon include Lawrence Ryan, Ed Comm, Glen Schoessow, Otto Wolhowe, Alvin Lee, and James Newton, score leaders in the elimination contests held the forepart of this week.

The Junior Class will meet next week to elect a prom manager, it was announced today by Orville Isley, president of the third year group. The meeting will be held in room 26 in the chemistry building. The Senior class will elect their prom manager Monday at 12:45 in the Little Country Theatre, according to Neil Baldwin, president.

## YMCA Cage Tourney Enters Second Week

### Bedbugs Lead League With Three Wins In Games Played To Date

The Bedbugs won their way to the top of the Y basketball league with excellent play at the end of the second week. Many loose contests were played during the opening sessions.

Tuesday's games opened with the Comets taking a last minute victory from the Beavers, 22 to 19. The Bluejays humbled the Bearcats, 37 to 7, while the Bedbugs mastered the Farmhouse Scrubs in a 48 to 23 victory.

On Wednesday night the Bearcats lost to the Farmhouse five, 24 to 9. The Bluejays defeated the Comets, 30 to 10, and the last contest found the Bedbugs easy victors with a score of 37 to 10. Denio, Spalsburk, and Stefferud were outstanding in the weeks play. Standings:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Bedbugs	3	0	1000
Bluejays	2	1	500
Comets	2	1	500
Farmhouse	1	2	333
Beavers	1	2	333
Bearcats	0	3	000

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## Fargo High Defeats Yearling Pucksters

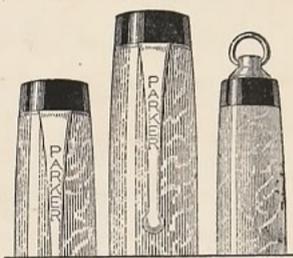
In a closely contested game Capt. J. B. Conmy's yearling pucksters bowed to the Fargo high school squad at the Island Park hockey rink by a score of 2-1, Tuesday afternoon.

Although the Baby Bison played an excellent game, according to Captain Conmy, the high school sextet succeeded in tallying two points to the freshmen's lone counter.

The freshmen lineup was as follows: Kaercher and Lund, wings; Erickson, center; Lesh and Smaltz, defenses; and Lemke, goal. Reserves were Bigler, Walz, and Larson.

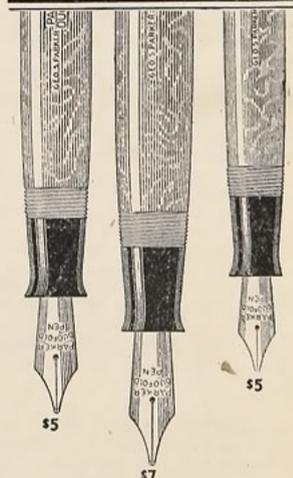
This Saturday the yearlings will journey to Valley City where they will meet the Valley City high school team in the second clash of the season. The Hi-Liners defeated the frosh in the first game.

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# Society

## ALPHA XI BETA

The Mother's Club of A. X. B. met Friday night at Mrs. Harry Roney's home to elect officers. Mrs. E. A. Lathrop was re-elected president, and Mrs. Harry Roney was re-elected secretary-treasurer. New officers are: Mrs. A. M. Renwick, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. George Beyer, vice-president.

Mrs. Renwick was assistant hostess.

## ALPHA SIGMA TAU

Ed. Malon and Al. Rohrer were dinner guests at the A. S. T. house Tuesday evening.

Paul Faber spent the weekend at his home in Bismarck.

Norman McKendry spent the weekend at his home in Mandan.

Matt LeFor and Hilbert Engelter were guests at the chapter house on Sunday.

## CERES HALL

Georgiana Borden of Valley City State Teachers College was the guest of her sister, Clara.

Mrs. O. J. Lundby of Sykeston visited her daughter, Loretta, over the weekend.

Mrs. Frank L. Herrman of Minneapolis is visiting Mrs. Williams for a few days.

Genevieve Wright and Alta Holritz have returned to the hall from the practice house.

Alice Streck, Ida Hollands, Camille Elston, and Myrtle Allen spent the weekend at their respective homes.

## ALPHA GAMMA DELTA

A. G. D. announces the pledging of Marian Anders, Fargo and Ruth Johnson, Adrian, N. D., at the chapter house Monday night.

Lois Stockdale was a dinner guest at the house Wednesday.

Margaret Green and Miss Riley of Crookston, Minn., were visitors at the house on Sunday.

## DELTA TAU EPSILON

Lyman Eddy, Anamoose, spent Saturday and Sunday with his son, Victor.

Henry Danrot and Edward Booth, from the S. P. D. fraternity, were dinner guests Sunday.

Orville Isley spent the weekend at Hunter.

Frederick Walhowe, Hillsboro, and Joe Lindgren, Lidgerwood, were visitors at the house Sunday.

## DELTA KAPPA SIGMA

Mr. Currie Swenson, Minot, was a dinner guest on Sunday.

Jerry Kafton and Rod McMillan were dinner guests Sunday.

Wilfred Veum, Grand Forks, was a dinner guest at the house Tuesday.

Ronald Kvenmoen has dropped out of school this term because of illness.

Bob Taylor spent the weekend at Grand Forks.

## ALPHA GAMMA RHO

Leon Johnson, and his judging team from Grand Rapids, Minn., were dinner guests Friday evening.

Rolland Mackin, Christ Bjornson, and Albert Herner spent the weekend at Mandan.

Alpha Gamma Rho announces the formal initiation of Charles Measor, Tower City, and George Kafton, Harvey, on Wednesday, Feb. 11.

George Lockett, Kenny Wyard, and Chris Leonard were dinner guests on Sunday.

## COSMOPOLITAN CLUB

Mr. Ralph A. Trubey of the Guardian Life Insurance Co., talked at the meeting Monday night on "The Real Value of Life Insurance".

Members of the club will be guests of the Crystal Ballroom Thursday, Feb. 19.

## MEN'S RESIDENCE HALL

Dana Monroe Wright had as his guest Sunday Miss Phyllis Peterson of Lisbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dykstra of Marion visited with their son, Walter, Saturday.

Visitors of William Knauss Sunday were Mr. G. E. Nelson and son, Fred, of McVillie.

Dean Vigan and Adolph Larson spent the weekend at their homes in Lake Park and Detroit Lakes, respectively.

George Landsverk, instructor of agriculture at Fosston high school, Fosston, Minn., visited with Elmer Bjornrud, Saturday.

Guests of William Sonnebourne and Thomas King Saturday were Harry Nelson and Major O'Keefe, students

at the Wahpeton State School of Science.

Dana Wright has been confined to the dormitory this week with a leg injury which he sustained in a collision with an automobile while riding a motorcycle last Thursday.

Floyd Ewing, a new resident of the hall, and Edward Wilcox motored to Devils Lake, Sunday to visit the former's father.

Miss Anna Marie Ottersen, West Salem, Wis., is visiting with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Ottersen. Miss Ottersen intends to remain in Fargo a month.

## KAPPA PSI

Myron Wurdeman and Bob Ward were dinner guests at the Kappa Psi house on Sunday.

Kappa Psi announces the pledging of Olaf Ekren, Rothsay, Minn., on Thursday.

Bob's Commanders played for a party at the School of Science at Wahpeton on Monday night.

Dan Baillie, St. Paul, and Ted Torgerson, Minot, visited at the house on Thursday.

## GAMMA PHI BETA

Mrs. Marie Doolittle, Jamestown, N. D., has been the guest of her daughter, Helen, the past week.

Dorothy Holes' mother visited with her at the Gamma Phi house this week.

Miss Lois Fleutsch, Jamestown, N. D., was a visitor and luncheon guest at the Gamma Phi Beta house Tuesday.

Miss Mary Kneeland, Jamestown, N. D., was a guest at the Gamma Phi Beta house Monday.

Miss Josephine Browne, Alpha Beta chapter, Grand Forks, was a guest at dinner at the house Monday night.

## Holiday Cast Plans Intense Rehearsals For Finished Play

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tear production but through the influence of Mr. Arvold, special permission was secured.

Special Settings  
There will be special stage settings for the play, and the cast is exceptionally experienced. Leonard Luther has played in several one-act plays, Ruth Boerth has carried leads in The Devil in the Cheese, Grumpy, Sun-up, Rise of Silas Lapham; Elene Weeks has played in The Devil in the Cheese, Rise of Silas Lapham, Miss Lulu Bett, and has appeared in the inter-class play contests for two years. Malve McKeane has had extensive experience in the theatre, including a number of one-act plays and the inter-class play contests, and Ruth Whitney has appeared in Brand, The Devil in the Cheese, and numerous one-act plays. Robert Olson, Helen Jensen, and Mart Vogel have also played in one-acts.

A Current Hit  
The production of this play is continuing the plans of the club for the production this year of only current hits, which was initiated by the presentation in the fall term of Journey's End, and it is expected that through the selection of a seasoned cast and six weeks of steady rehearsing under Miss Bender, who also coached Journey's End, that the play will be one of the finest ever given in the theatre.

In accordance with a trend over the country, rates have been cut to twenty-five cents, fifty cents for reserved seats.

## PRE-MEDIC STUDENTS TAKE APTITUDE TEST

Seven pre-medic students have signified their intentions of taking the Aptitude test given by the Association of Medical colleges this afternoon at 3 p. m. in room 220 of Science hall.

Wm. Hatch, Carl Simison, Burton Kilbourne, Georgie Metzinger, Victor Simison, Rollin Moore, and Gunder Christenson are listed for the examination by Dean A. E. Minard.

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### Official Bulletin of Coming Events

Friday, Feb. 13—Architect's Ball. Cosmopolitan Club Party U. N. D.-State Game at Grand Forks.

Saturday, Feb. 14—U. N. D.-State Game at Grand Forks. Collejamboree, 8:30.

Monday, Feb. 16—Fraternity Meetings, 7:30. Cosmopolitan Club.

Tuesday, Feb. 17—"Holiday"—L. C. T. Etiquette Group.

Y. W. C. A., 8:00-10:00. Wednesday, Feb. 18—"Holiday"—L. C. T.

Music and Dramatics, 4:30-5:30. Thursday, Feb. 19—Senior Staff, 12:00.

College Women's Club in evening. Art Club, 7:00.

Y. W. Dancing Group, 7:30-9:30. Friday, Feb. 20—U. S. D. vs. N. S. C.

Delta Kappa Sigma. Saturday, Feb. 21—Delta Psi Kappa Bridge, 2:30-5:30.

Alpha Kappa Phi. Alpha Xi Beta. Monday, Feb. 23—Fraternity Meetings, 7:30.

Cosmopolitan Club, 7:30. Tuesday, Feb. 24—Phi Upsilon Omicron, 7:30.

Lyceum: "How Statues are Made." Wednesday, Feb. 25—Y. W. Bridge Group, 7:30.

Phi Kappa Phi Initiation, 6:00. Thursday, Feb. 26—Poetry and Literature Group, 5:00-6:00.

Friday, Feb. 27—U. N. D. vs. N. D. S.

Saturday, Feb. 28—U. N. D. vs. N. D. S.

## Faculty Members Pass Away Here

Weeks and Dynes Mourned By Students And Faculty At College

Within a few days of each other, two members of the faculty of North Dakota State College passed away.

F. L. Weeks, professor of engineering, died at St. Luke's hospital Saturday, Feb. 27, following an illness of over three weeks. Funeral services were conducted Monday from the First Lutheran church, and the body, escorted to the train by a military guard, was taken by his widow to Opache, Kansas, for burial. He is survived by Mrs. Weeks and one daughter, Jean.

Tuesday, Mr. Roy C. Dynes, assistant county agent leader in the Extension division, died following an illness complicated by kidney trouble, and funeral services were conducted for him yesterday afternoon from Moore's Funeral chapel. Interment took place in Riverside cemetery. He leaves a widow and four children.

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## Rifle Team Wins Five Gun Matches

ROTC Match Goes To Oregon State Team; Two Schools Not Heard From

With a first week score of 3636 the North Dakota State College rifle team came out well in the lead of five college teams competing with it in the first round of the Inter-collegiate rifle competition. Two other college squads, Ohio State and Drexel Institute, who also competed with the Bison marksmen in last week's firing, are yet to be heard from.

A ROTC match, open only to military students of the college, resulted in the defeat of the college military team to the Oregon State group. The Oregon riflemen held a score of 3654 against 3603 of the North Dakota squad.

The college teams defeated last week and their scores are as follows: University of Illinois, 3452; University of South Dakota, 3563; University of Nevada, 3454; University of Tennessee, 3617; University of Wyoming, 3549; Ohio State College and Drexel Institute, with returns still to be received, complete the list.

## Plan Underway For Engineers Banquet

"Plans for the Engineer's Club banquet are well under way," says Hjalmer Johnson, chairman of the committee arranging the affair. The banquet is to be staged in the Ceres Hall dining room February 19 at 6:30 p. m. The principal speaker of the evening is to be Mr. M. S. Hyland, prominent electrical engineer of Fargo.

The affair is to take the place of the mock initiation formerly given to newly joining members of the club. All engineering students, upperclassmen as well as freshmen and sophomores, are urged to join the club and attend the banquet as guests of the present members.

Mr. Johnson is being assisted by Fred Payne, publicity and appointments; Don Halliday, program; Grant Solberg, menu; and Martin Rosen, ticket sales.

Bob Carlson, president of the organization, will be toastmaster of the banquet.

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