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"DAVID HARUM" PLAYS IN PACKED ARMORY

"The best Production Ever Staged at A. C." Is One of the Comments of Many

The Little Country Theatre Players gave the three-act comedy, "David Harum," by Edward Noyes Westcott, before the largest crowd ever assembled in the Armory last Friday evening, the character of David Harum, a banker and horse trader of Homeville, New York, being aptly portrayed by Lynn Huey. His acting set us in the midst of a small town and made us all feel that we were seeing life in such a town in reality rather than on a stage. Lynn was assisted by an all-star cast, including Hubert Wolfe as John Lenox, a hero in reduced circumstances; Clarence Draggert as General Woisy, who never wore a hat; Katherine Blake, Matilda Thompson, Bernice Noyes; and Archie Waldie as the Deacon took down the house at the end of the second act when he was seen beating the horse that David Harum had sold him and "stood without hitching," but took the wrong time to stand when it was raining heavily and the deacon was getting soaked. Much humor was provided by the acting of Don Bishop, Henry Nichols, Percy and Horace Judd. Everybody was thoroughly pleased with the play and glad to have taken the evening off to see it.

Horse Plays on Stage
A feature of the evening was the first appearance on the stage of Ruby, the black "hoss" that stands without hitching. He carried of his part well and much credit is due Percy Judd for his ably handling of the animal. The lot naturally fell to him as he is an "Ag" student and it is conceded that these great scholars are the only ones among us familiar with quadrupeds.
The cast was directed by Professor A. G. Arvid and Miss Marjory Lieberg, to whom, as well as the members of the cast, much credit is due.

NOTED WRITER HERE NEXT TUESDAY

World's Foremost Woman Writer and Student of Social Problems Will Interest Us.

Tuesday, February 1, 1921, Ida M. Tarbell, the world's most famous woman publicist, will speak. As a special writer, editor, historian and speaker, Miss Tarbell has an enviable reputation throughout the world. She has been prominently identified as a magazine contributor and a student of social problems for the past several years. A few years ago she was induced to devote some time to platform work. From the very beginning she found a fine appreciation in the minds and hearts of her hearers. Her every appearance was a notable occurrence. Then came the great war, and Miss Tarbell served with distinction as the Vice Chairman of the Women's Committee of the Council of National Defense at Washington, and in this capacity she was in close and confidential relationship to the activities of the Government. She spent months in Paris to report for a number of publications the epoch-making developments of the Peace Conference, and her impressions of the world leaders gathered in that memorable conference proved intensely interesting during the past year. During her stay in Europe, Miss Tarbell spent much time in Belgium, France, England and Italy, where she conducted an intimate study of the changing relationships between capital and labor which the war has brought about. Coming back to America, she made an extended tour throughout practically the whole of the United States, gathering impressions and studying after-war conditions here.

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Doll Up For the County Fair

The First Annual County Fair will be held in The Little Country Theatre on Saturday afternoon and evening, January 29, 1921. The doors will be open from two o'clock in the afternoon until eleven in the evening. A general admission fee of twenty-five cents will be charged to help defray the expenses.
The Fair, which is under the direction of the Industrial Course students, will be unique in every respect. Over four hundred exhibits, including grains, tools, light plants, sewing, community building plans, fair grounds, will be features of the fair. Ray Spear of Minneapolis, one of the foremost men in publicity and fair organization will be present to give a lecture on publicity methods. The entertainment features will be of exceptional merit. The farmstead, the potato pyramid and the biggest pie ever baked will create interest. Remember the date and come.

Engineers Hear Talk On Architecture Of France

At the last meeting of the Lyceum of Engineers held Thursday evening in the Engineering Building a very interesting illustrated lecture was given by Mr. Sander Anderson on the Architecture of France. He had a wide and very fascinating field, for the French architecture is of the most beautiful and wonderful in the world. The subject was well handled by Mr. Anderson. Mr. Bohnhof, who was to have given the other of the two talks given at each meeting, was unable to be present.
Prof. Smith of the Architecture Department acted as critic and gave a very vivid description of how the Engineers could make their organization the best one on the campus.
Prof. I. W. Smith at Next Meeting
On Feb. 3rd, Prof. I. W. Smith will give a talk on "Mathematics of Finance for the Engineer." All who know Prof. Smith's skill in mathematics and also his interesting and simple manner of presenting a subject will tell you that it will be well worth your while to hear this lecture.
Following this lecture there will be a luncheon served in the society room of the Lyceum for all faculty and lyceum members.

Band at Convention Concert

The Cadet band of 48 pieces, complimentary to the Tri-State Grain Growers' convention gave a very interesting program last evening as follows:
Swedish Coronation March
-----Svendsen, Op. 13.
Overture, Celtic-----St. Clair
A Legend from La Provence from the suite, "From the South"
-----Nicode
March--The Nash Motor Co.-----Booth
Valse D'Amore--Kisses-----Zamecnik
Romance, Arabian Night-----Mildenberg
N. D. A. C. Toast Song, The Yellow and the Green--Dr. Putnam

TOSSERS WIN THREE OUT OF FIVE IN HARD TRIP

BERTHA FARNER COMPANY MAKES HIT

Violin Playing and Majestic Voice of Bertha Farner Captivates Audience.

Those who heard the Bertha Farner Concert Company last Monday evening will agree that the program presented surpassed anything of the kind that had been heard here recently. The company consisted of a trio of artists, each of whom was an expert in his or her line, and were repeatedly called back for additional numbers. Miss Farner, who possesses an unusual soprano voice, sang several groups of songs, among which the two that interested the majority of those present (even if they didn't understand the words) were two Italian love songs.
In three of her selections, Miss Farner was accompanied by Miss Stella Roberts on the violin. Miss Roberts' playing possessed remarkable tone-coloring, and she was enthusiastically received by a very appreciative audience. The students of the N. D. A. C. seem to have a decided preference for the violin, among musical instruments. Mr. Lydell, the pianist of the company, had the almost uncanny ability of evoking some exceedingly beautiful music from the Armory piano, and besides accompanying the other two musicians, played a solo, the Marche Militaire by Schubert-Tausig.

Architects Plan Campus

There have been many changes in the A. C. campus since the institution was organized but the change conceived by one of the Junior Architects is one that is very worthy of mention.
The Junior students in architecture were given a problem to design a future development scheme for the campus using the present buildings and general layout as a basis. It was assumed that the Board of Regents had decided that the present campus was too small for future needs and needed enlargement and changing. The problem of the architects was one dealing with the arrangement of buildings and grounds only.
Philip Moe, one of the class, turned in a design that is worthy of a great deal of mention and one that has caused considerable comment from those who have been fortunate to have seen it. This plan is in no way official as to what is to be done, but is simply a problem given to the students to work on. The mounted plate as it is now is one that will cause many to wonder and ask why our campus cannot be as the design calls for. The drawing is on exhibition in the architecture drafting room.

Dr. Worst Urged for President

"The re-appointment of Dr. John H. Worst as President of the North Dakota Agricultural College after Dr. E. F. Ladd, the present president, goes to the United States Senate, was demanded by the resolutions adopted without a dissenting vote at the Tri-State Grain Growers' convention last week.
"But why confine all this valuable information to the relatively small percentage of people who attend the Agricultural College?" was the next query. "Why not keep every interested farmer of the state posted on the progress made in overcoming obstacles to successful farming?"
That is the work in which the

Philanthropy

When a rich man wants to get rid of his money, he gives a million to charity, or sends his son to college.
"You can lead a student to lectures but you can't make him think."—Exchange.

Spectacular Work of Flem and Reis Offset by Length of Trip and Hardest of Games at Last When Team Was Tired Out

Coach Bohler and his squad returned to Fargo Monday morning from their trip through North and South Dakota, having won three out of the five games. A summary of the games is printed below.
Aggies 25; Jamestown 10.
Aggies 43; Aberdeen Normal 17.
Aggies 31; Huron College 10.
Aggies 17; S. D. S. C. (1st game) 21.
Aggies 21; S. D. S. C. (2nd game) 29.
The Aggies run a total score of 147 points against their opponents' 87. The Aggies were not at their best in the last two games, due to having played three games previous, and also that Van Arnum was unable to play.

First Game
Jamestown met defeat at the hands of the Aggies on the former's floor last Thursday evening by a score of 35 to 10. Both teams exhibited great team work but the accurate shooting of the Aggies led them to success.

Forwards and Guards Work Well
Both Captain Kraemer and Flem played a strong game at guard, while Reis was the main point getter of the forward wall, caging eight field goals. Lineup and summary follows:
Aggies Pos. Jamestown
Reis F. McLeod
Sivertson F. Rathman
Van Arnum C. Thomas
Kraemer G. Currie
Flem G. Fulton
Substitutes—Sivertson for Van Arnum; Trowbridge for Van Arnum; Hildre for Sivertson.

Field goals—Reis 8; Sivertson 4; Trowbridge 3; Rathman 2; McLeod 1.

Free throws—Flem 3; McLeod 2.
Second Game
In the second game played at Aberdeen, S. D., with the Normal School located there, the Aggies defeated the Normalites by a one-sided score of 43 to 17. It is said that the Aggies exhibited the best team work that has been seen on the Normal floor so far this season. At no time during the game were the Aggies pressed and the forwards were able to make baskets at will, Reis and Trowbridge each getting five, while Sivertson made six. For the Aggies Reis and Trowbridge held down the forward positions with Sivertson doing the jumping and Flem and Kraemer at guards. Hildre substituted for Sivertson; Sivertson for Trowbridge; Borderd for Flem. Flem threw 3 free throws and his opponent 2.

Third Game
The Aggies kept up their winning stride by defeating Huron College on the latter's floor to the tune of 31 to 10. This victory was won by the ability of the center and guards to shoot baskets when the forwards are too closely guarded. When all five men can score it makes a formidable team and one that is hard to beat. It is worthy of note that we have one of the best foul shooters in the conference, Flem making ten successful throws.
Lineup and summary follow:
Aggies Pos. Huron College
Reis F. Schlover
Van Arnum F. Newton
Sivertson C. Linday
Flem G. Lynch
Kraemer G. Bloodgood
Subs—Trowbridge for Van Arnum; Hildre for Reis.
Filed goals—Sivertson 3; Flem 3; Trowbridge 3; Reis 1; Schlover 1.
Free throws—Flem 10; Lynch 2.

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PERISHO PLEAS AT WEEKLY CONVOCATION

Discussed Laxity of Students on National Affairs and Problems Confronting Great Britain

The regular Monday convocation was postponed until Tuesday last week, so that we would have the opportunity of hearing Dr. E. C. Perisho, ex-president of the South Dakota State College. In his address Dr. Perisho emphasized the fact brought forth in the extract from "The Nation," of August 21, which was printed in last week's Spectrum, that the students of the colleges and universities of America are not deeply interested or impressed by the forces at work in our social and industrial lives; and his advice was for students to become interested in these affairs.

The speaker then discussed the three great problems that the people of Great Britain are facing at the present time, and as he recently spent some little time abroad his information was obtained first hand.

Irish Question Peculiar
The English people do not want to give the Irish their independence because they think that Ireland is too close for comfort in case she should become an enemy. Yet they overlook the fact that the coast of France is only twenty miles distant. In connection with this topic Dr. Perisho said that Lord Mayor MacSwiney did not die "at the psychological moment," but too late. He said that if MacSwiney had died about the forty-fifth day of his hunger strike, he would have done the Irish cause infinitely more good than

has been the case, because the excitement was at a climax about that time.

Booze and Labor Are Problems
It is thought that the labor unions in England practically prevented an impending war between England and Russia by threatening both to "walk out" if war should be declared, and to refuse to take up arms. The liquor question is also confronting England and many interesting facts were brought out by Mr. Perisho's discussion, such as the one that most of the men and one-third of the women of England are habitual drinkers. Dr. Perisho asked an English statesman what they were going to do about it. The latter answered that they would institute a local option bill in the House of Commons at the next session of Parliament. He said the bill would pass the House of Commons, but be vetoed by the House of Lords. Then he said they would have to do the same thing at each session, until finally, if it had been passed by the House of Commons four times, it would become a law whether the House of Lords vetoed it or not. From this we can see what a condition Great Britain is in, and as Dr. Perisho said, "We want to surpass them industrially and commercially but we want to do it on equal terms, and not because America is sober and Britain is drunk."

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AMONG THE GREEKS

ALPHA GAMMA RHO
Of the ten pledges announced by the Rhos several weeks ago, three were initiated last Monday evening, namely: Professors O. O. Churchill and Cap E. Miller, and Richard B. Falkenstein. The Rhos have had fewer faculty members in their fraternity than any other on the campus and so have availed themselves of these two professors. All three of these new men will be valuable assets to the fraternity.

ALPHA KAPPA PHI
"Doc" Wimberg, class '19, dropped in at 1131 14th street north for a week end visit. "Doc" says, "The best tonic for a case of blues is a few days at the fraternity."

Francis Robinson '18 spent the past week at the Alpha Kappa Phi house. "Robbie" said the race for the means to keep ahead of expenses prevented him from visiting us during the last couple of years.

DELTA PHI BETA
Last Monday evening, January 17, the active members entertained the alumnae in honor of Miss Ruth Schuyler, a bride of the month, at the home of the Misses Myrtle and Tillie Thompson. The pledges presented a program specially suited to the occasion. The entertainment of the evening was brought to an end by a two course luncheon.

Bertha Everhart is wintering in sunny California with her parents. While in California she will visit at Long Beach, Pasadena, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and other western points. The pledges served a very appetizing lunch after the regular business meeting Monday, January 24. Miss Marie Huey, an alumni, has

accepted a position in the domestic science department of the Fargo High School.

THETA CHI
Theta Chi announce the following new pledges: George Bohnsack and William Stearns.

A number of the alumnae dropped in to greet us during the last two weeks.

Alan Shively, who was attending the University of California at Berkeley, has quit school and is back for the year. Alan was very prominent in the military department here at one time.

George and Homer Dixon of the firm of Dixon Motor Co. of Grand Forks paid us week end visits.

Olaf Lindelow, a former pharmacy student of this school, was in to see the fellows again. Ole is married now and has a creditable position with the Taylor Drug Co. of Minot.

C. Leslie Wheeler, of A. C. basketball fame, works for the John O'Connor Co. of Fargo. Although Leslie is in the city, he nevertheless finds it very hard to be with us. He was present at one of our meetings.

Last Friday evening, Theta Chi was host at a friendly gathering at the house. Among the guests were: Misses Ruth Andrews and Olivia Edelbrock; Mrs. W. G. Huey and Miss Marie Huey of Wyndmere; Mrs. M. C. Osman of Buffalo; Major and Mrs. F. B. Carruthers; Mr. E. Mares of Wheatland.

On Jan. 12, 1921, the election and installation of officers of the Fargo Alumnae Chapter of Theta Chi took place at the Hotel Annex: President, Ray C. Bolsinger '15; Vice President, Reginald Colley '13; Secretary, Stuart H. Kelley '20; Treasurer, Robert M. Dolve '05.

COOTIES ALIVE

Agricultural College Campus Found To Be Infested with "Cooties"

The Cootie Club, the disabled ex-service men's organization of the Agricultural College, has grown to be a living organization. The organization had its beginning about a year ago when the men taking training here under the Federal Board of Vocational Training organized under the name of the Vocational Veterans' Club. Early this fall the members voted to be called

the Cootie Club in memory of former associates whom we are glad we have no longer with us.

Moving pictures or other entertainments are given every other Monday evening and business meetings are held on the intervening Monday evenings. Thursday, Jan. 27th, a dinner will be given in the Y. M. C. A. for all disabled ex-service men. Some time in the latter part of February a play, "The Crooks" will be given.

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Don't Procrastinate This Great Economy Sale Ends Next Monday Night

Dr. Trimble Dead In Idaho

Dr. William Trimble, who was professor of history and economics at the college about two years ago, died January 3rd, at Moscow, Idaho, where he has been teaching in the State University of Idaho since leaving Fargo, according to reports received by friends in this city.

Notice!

In connection with the Red River Livestock Show and Sale at Crookston, Minn., Feb. 7, there will be a stock judging contest open to students below college rank. We want a team to represent us from here. Any qualified student who is interested in competing for such a team from here please see Professor Thompson or me at once as the time is limited and we must start drilling this team at once.

—Albert Severson.

Industrials Form Team

Last Wednesday the Farm Husbandry and Power Machinery men organized a basket ball team and elected a captain and manager. The captain, H. Moe, and the manager, D. G. Hay, are planning on working up a team that may challenge any five on the campus or in the city.

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PREPS BREAK EVEN
This week the Preps broke even in their games, winning one and losing one. The first game was won from Moorhead High in a closely contested game by the score of 14 to 13. In the second game the Preps were defeated by the fast Hope high school team on the latter's floor. This is the first game that the Preps have lost this season. We are unable to print any more Prep news, due to the laxity of the athletic editor of the high school.

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