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SENIOR H. S. PLAY BRINGS FORTH RE- MARKABLE TALENT

Play Stands Out As One of the Big
Successes of the Year.

The High School Senior Class Play this year was in the form of a light comedy and was marked by the uniformly good acting on the parts of all the characters. The quality of the various portrayals of the parts was so uniform as to make it impossible to select any individual star. The whole cast thus combined to make the play a brilliant success. The comical situations were brought out in the best of manners and all during the play the actors maintained an attitude of seriousness that made the comedy seem to be the most natural thing possible, thus giving the optimum effect. The only adverse criticism that could be placed upon the production was that it was only given in one performance and there were many who could not attend at this time as well as a number who maintained that they would only too well have enjoyed seeing the play repeated. We extend the congratulations of the school to the members of the cast and the assistants for the manner in which they acquitted themselves.

POLYTECH MEETING FOR NEXT WEDNESDAY

The North Dakota Polytechnic Society will be addressed tomorrow by Dr. H. L. Walster, of the North Dakota Agricultural College, upon the subject of Growth Physiology. The meeting will take place, as usual, in the Engineering Building at eight o'clock in the evening.

This lecture promises to be of the same interest for those wishing to increase their general scientific knowledge, as those talks which have already occurred during the year, have been. Dr. Walster has made a reputation for himself as a scientist with an unusually large store of general information and possessed of an ability to place this knowledge at the command of others in an exceptionally clear manner.

LIFE WORK CONFERENCE TO BE MARKED BY UNUSUAL GROUP OF SPEAKERS

PROMINENT MEN AND WOMEN ON PROGRAM.

A recent letter from Chicago in regard to the speakers to be sent to take charge of our life work conference here, promises that some of the most prominent men of the West will be here on the three days, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 9th, 10th and 11th. Extracts from the letter follow:

"Dr. Royal J. Dye, recently from the heart of Africa, will tell some of the extremely thrilling incidents in connection with his part in the transformation of life for the African cannibals.

"Dr. Louis F. W. Lesemann of Chicago has been in charge of the life work conferences of the Centenary of last year and has been at the head of the work of several thousand young men and women.

"Mrs. W. T. Elmore, is an effective speaker on the Indian situation and frequently dresses in costume to further the effect of her lectures by impersonating the type of native women of India.

"Dr. Bert E. Smith, pastor of the Joyce Memorial Church, Minneapolis, Minnesota, has been for some time one of the most popular of the young people's speakers in the country. He was formerly pastor of one of the leading churches in the city of Chicago."

Program

The program for these three big days runs as follows:

FRIDAY, APRIL 9.—

Twelve o'clock, m.—Luncheon. Personnel Committee.
Seven-thirty in the evening—Addresses, Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

SATURDAY, APRIL 10.—

Morning—Address and Conference.
Noon—Luncheon. Personnel Committee.
One-thirty in the afternoon—Address and Conference.
Five-thirty in the afternoon—Representative Student Luncheon.
Seven-thirty in the evening—Illustrated Lecture.

SUNDAY, APRIL 11.—

Nine o'clock in the morning—Vespers. "The Principles Underlying Any Choice of a Life Work."
Seven-thirty in the evening—"The Challenge of the Hour."

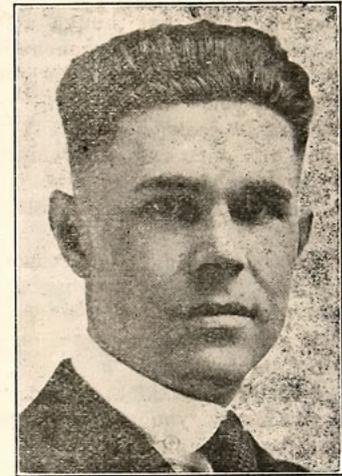
The speaker for each meeting, address and meeting, will be announced later.

DANCING GIRLS ADD GREAT APRIL FOOL PARTY

The last All-College party was given in the form of an April Fool's party on last Saturday night. Informal dancing was enjoyed from 8:30 until 11:30. Malchow's orchestra played for the dance. During the evening the Misses Doris McIntyre, Naomi Soule, Margaret Bowers, Frances Root and Esther Wolody gave several numbers of interpretative dances. The party was a marked success and ended a series of very enjoyable All-College parties. The chaperones were: Prof. and Mrs. Sheppard, Prof. and Mrs. Faust, Dean and Mrs. Bolley, and Prof. and Mrs. Minard.

LAST DANCE OF KADONA CLUB TO BE GIVEN SATURDAY

The Kadona Dancing Club will give the last dance of its series for this season on next Saturday, April 10th at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The membership of this dancing club is composed almost entirely of A. C. students and the semi-formal dancing parties are always greatly enjoyed by those fortunate enough to attend. During the evening light refreshments will be served. The hours for dancing will, as usual be from nine till twelve. The orchestra for the evening will be under the direction of Malchow, who promises to uphold his well-earned fame as an incomparable music-maker.



JOHNNY KELEY FARES TO GOTHAM FOR THETA CHI

Kell Is Phi Chapter Delegate to Annual Convention.

Last Friday evening Harold "Johnny" Kelly left Fargo for New York City as a delegate from his local chapter at the Theta Chi Convention to be held in the Hotel Astor on the three days, April 9th, 9th, and 11th. On his way to New York, Johnny will visit his home in Galesburg, Illinois and from there he will go on to join one of the alumni in Philadelphia, Leo Nemzek, who has been selected as the alumnus delegate. There will be a number of other Aggie alumni present at the convention, among these being Dick Lewis '17, Henry Reddy '14, Lloyd Kelly '15, and others.

Kell intends to return about a week from next Friday to resume his school work. While in the East he will run up the Hudson to West Point for a visit with Frank Henning ex '18, who is a cadet there.

MAJOR AND MRS. CARRITHERS ENTERTAIN CADET OFFICERS

Major and Mrs. Carrithers entertained five of the senior members of the A. C. cadet corps staff of officers on Friday evening at a dinner served at their home. The banquet was a six course affair and every course consisted of such a wonderful combination of delicacies as to be unapproachable save by some one of the other courses. The decorations were carried out in the College colors of green and yellow and were made up in the form of a huge yellow dome in the center of the table, from which ribbons extended to each guest with an appropriate gift on the ends. A large Easter nest was used as a center piece. Misses Ruth Briscoe and Rebecca Keene assisted the hostess in serving. The officers present were: Major Pearson, Capt. MacLain, Capt. Tindall, Capt. Kelley and Lt. Tierney.

Exchanges

Caller—"Please don't bother to see me to the door."

Co-ed—"Really, it's no bother at all."—Froth.

—oo—

He had been going with the girl for a long time, but though he had faced the terrors of the trenches and even the horrors of the Hun, yet he still hesitated.

"Dearest," said the girl finally, "didn't you once say that you would do anything for me? Didn't you once ask me to put your devotion to the test?"

"Indeed I did," he responded warmly. "There is nothing in the world I would not do, no sacrifice I would not make to prove to you now much I think of you."

"Well, then," said the maid, "ask me to marry you. We've fooled round long enough."

—oo—

Who Said Leap Year?

He and she were occupying the parlor on a stormy winter's night. A wide expanse of couch stretched between them as they gazed at the open fire. Suddenly she jumped up and began to collect all the pillows in the room and pile them on the sofa in the wide space between them.

"What's the big idea?" he asked.

"Oh, they are to keep you from sitting too close to me," she answered.—The Drexlerd.

—oo—

"Yes, I lost my arm during the capture of Nancy."

"Well, well. I never supposed them Russian women could put up such a fight."—Punch Bowl.

—oo—

The Ratio

Don't fret because the girl you picked is the poorer of the two. The girl is probably thinking the same thing of you.—The Medley.

—oo—

Ann—"What did Charley say when you told him I would accompany you to the theater?"

Mary—"Oh, he said you could go to."—Pelican.

—oo—

George—"I cannot tell a lie. I did it with my little hatchet."

George's Father—"Good work, my son; we need the wood. You may now saw it into chunks for the furnace."—Sour Owl.

—oo—

What It Takes To Be A Man

Harold, age seven, and Tom, age eight, were considerably put out because their mother would not let them go to the picture show by themselves.

"Just you wait," Harold complained to Tom—"just you wait until I get to be man and put on long pants; then I'll go to the picture show every night."

"Yes, you will!" Tom hooted. "And, anyway, long pants ain't what makes you a man."

"Well, if I'm not a man when I wear long pants, when will I be one?" Harold demanded.

Out of his superior age and wisdom Tom explained: "You'll be a man when you wear money in your pants pockets."—Collier's Weekly.

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WINTER TERM OPENS JANUARY 5TH

Cashier (with a groan)—"Esther, I have forgotten the combination and I am in a terrible sweat over it."

Esther—"I forgot my combination, too, and I'm pretty nearly frozen to death."—Punch Bowl.

—oo—

"Take back this junk," the bald prof. cried,

"Your tonic is no good."

"Oh, well," the drug store man replied,

"You can't grow hair on wood."

—oo—

She—"You know, you've got an awfully fresh air about you."

He—"Yep, I always blow about myself."—Jack o'Lantern.

—oo—

Somehow I never
Think it's right
To merely leave
And say "Good night."

—Froth.

—oo—

Sister—"We had a marvelous time. It was a perfect riot."

Brother—"You do look shot this morning."—Jack o'Lantern.

—oo—

Buyer—"I want something wear around the dormitory."

Saleswoman—"How large is the dormitory?"—Cornell Widow.

THE HAUNTING HOUSE.

It is not dark, its windows wide
Are not deep caverns, but smite out
Upon a thick green carpet-lawn, and
flowers

Are sprinkled bounteously about,
And yet there's something there that
haunts me.

Its vineclad porch brings memories
For in its quiet shade are easy
chairs;

Within one sees not mystery or
haunts,

But open fire-place and those cozy
corners free from care;

And yet there's something there that
haunts me.

No hunch-backed dwarf or bearded
witch

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—Puss, 23.

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DELTA PHI BETA PLEDGES EIGHT FRESHMEN GIRLS

As a result of the annual rushing season the Delta Phi Betas have given eight freshmen girls the privilege of entering into the pre-initiatory period which they must go thru before entering the organization as sisters. The new neophytes have already become aware of the fact that they have a hard battle to fight before they will receive their reward but they are all filled with a determination to stay with it, as they realize that the more they put into the organization, the more they will get out of it.

The pledging services took place at the home of Miss Mabel Stewart at 8 P. M., Thursday, April first. The

following girls were the fortunate ones to receive the honors:

Helen Colley, Drayton, N. Dak.
 Ella Caldwell, Spokane, Wash.
 Vida Colwell, Gardner, N. Dak.
 Marjorie Miller, Larimore, N. Dak.
 Clara Pearson, Iva McCracken, Marjorie Brown, and Doris McIntyre, of Fargo, N. Dak.

In the latter part of the evening a two course luncheon was served.

THETA CHI ANNUAL TO OCCUR NEXT FRIDAY

Next Friday is one of the two big dates looked forward to by every Theta Chi during the school year. This is the date of their annual dancing party which usually is in the form of a cotillion as is planned for this year. The boys have been working on plans for the event for the past two months and have formulated many original ideas for the event. They plan on entertaining a number of their alumni who are to come in for the party.

present at the banquet to liquidate some of the costs of the dinner.

LIBRARY NOTES

The following books have recently been added to the collection in the library:

Arrhenius, Svante—"The Destinies of the Stars" 1918.
 Brooke, Rupert—"Collected Poems." 1919.
 Chamberlain, T. G.—"Why We Fought." 1919. A study of the covenant of the League of Nations. Text of the covenant.
 Cressy, Edward—"Outline of Industrial History." 1919.
 Cather, W. S.—"My Antonia," 1918.
 Cather, W. S.—"Song of the Lark" 1915.
 Chapman, Arthur—"Out Where the West Begins," 1917. Poems of the cowboy, sheep-herder, ranchman and miner.
 Cleghorn, S. N.—"Portraits and Protests," 1917.
 Gowin, E. B.—"Developing Executive Ability," 1919.
 Hamilton, Burritt.—"Practical Law," 1918.
 Lindsay, Vachel.—"Adventures While Preaching the Gospel of Beauty," 1916.

Y. M. C. A. BANQUET FOR REPRESENTATIVE STUDENTS TO BE GIVEN SATURDAY NIGHT

A banquet is to be given with the purpose of bringing a number of representative students of the school into close touch with the Life Work Conferenceteam of speakers. This banquet is to take place at eight o'clock Saturday evening, April 10th, in the banquet hall of the College Y. M. C. A. building. Among the students there are expected to be a half a dozen representatives from each of the sorities and fraternities as well as other organizations, social, technical or otherwise, on the campus. There will also be a number of students selected from the student body at random, in order to give a truly cosmopolitan representation at the affair. Any student who desires to attend the dinner will be at liberty to do so if he will present his name to the committee in charge of the affair.

The opportunity presented to those who will have the privilege of attending this affair is a very unusual one and it is certain that there will be a goodly number at the tables. It is understood that a certain nominal charge will be levied upon those

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Lindsay, Vachel.—"A Handy Guide for Beggars," 1916.
 Repplier, Agnes.—"Americans and others." 1912. Humorous essays portraying American characteristics.
 Rittenhouse, J. B.—"The Door of Dreams." 1918.
 Seeger, Alan.—"Poems," 1919.
 Smith, R. H.—"Justice and the Poor," 1919. Shows the injustice done the poor because of legal delays and expenses. Describes the work of legal aid societies.
 Tietjens, Eunice.—"Profiles from China," 1919.

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STUDENT OPINION.

Mr. Editor:

I am sending this letter to Hamlet Larson and the student body in your care. This is in answer to the questions asked in the last issue of the Spectrum by the above named gentleman.

—A Student.

Dear Ham:

I shall take up the questions in the order in which they were asked.

In the first place, what do I think of hazing?

I think that hazing is one of the most needful and beneficial of the many courses of instruction provided at our higher schools for the edification of the new students. When the "boys from home" first sever relations with the parental paddle, they naturally react to the non-restraining influences of the new environment, by forgetting to say "Thank You," to their supervisors; by indulging in loud, superfluous conversation when their elders wish to think; by becoming sassy and disrespectful to, and not accepting the advice of, those who have long since passed through this perilous stage of existence and are thus well qualified to advise them and to receive their due respect, awe and admiration in return; by asking foolish questions as to how they should act (if they happen to be as meek as they should be) when one good object lesson applied personally, would cover the ground in an effective manner in one operation and no further information would be necessary; and, worst of all, the great majority of them are too ignorant and misinformed to be able to recognize as their superiors, elders and rightful advisers, the members of the classes above them. Surely Hamlet, you will agree with me when I say that these evil tendencies are deplorable and must be corrected before they prove the ruination of the misguided children afflicted with them. Now what more efficient and appropriate manner of correction could be devised, than that method, based upon the discovery of the extreme sensibility of the Glutaeus Maximus muscle to stimuli received from the application of a strong piece of board. The effect of such stimuli seems to be transmitted directly to the corrective portion of the cerebrum and to act catalytically, producing a radical change for the better in the way of good manners, etc.

Secondly, how far do I think it should go? Here we come to something a trifle different. Because of a few isolated instances of abuse of this system of placing big-headed freshmen where they belong, the general public has wrought itself up to the state where it reads of a student being "hazed," with the same feeling of horror chilling their minds and the identical shiver trickling up and down their spinal column that they had when they read the latest Mexican atrocities. What's the idea of trying to kid ourselves into thinking that we have been cruel and abusive to the tender first year man at this school? We haven't. They will tell you so themselves. Any freshman that ever received a paddling at this school, got it for disobeying a given order that he fully understood the penalty of disobeying. As a rule the freshman

have even received the privilege of a fair battle and were given the advantage of their superior numbers and during my time here I have seen but one or two that belied to the ground for mercy. It is an aspersion upon the love of battle of the present freshman and their good sportsmanship, as well, as not displaying the proper attitude toward maintaining our college traditions, to claim that such hazing as has taken place during this past year or any other, has done harm to the school or to the school spirit of any individual. Any man who cannot accept what hurts he receives in such a struggle with a smile and take the pains in good part, without holding a grudge against the school or some man or group of men, is not worthy to have his name on our class rolls. I do not believe in the abuses of the hazing system when they do willful and unnecessary harm to the persecuted ones but there is not the slightest doubt but that in this school the only tendency toward abuse, is in not using the system enough.

Yes, Ham, what to Hell is the matter with the sack rush? They had 'em in my years and they were royal battles for the two years I was privileged to be in them. It isn't too late to have one this year even if it is spring time. It ought to be a better battle this year on that account. Since it has dragged so far, why not let all the classes in on it on the old Junior-Freshman vs. Senior-Sophomore plan? Let's wake up and forget that we're dead by doing some of these old stunts and devising some new ones.

The flag day has become a thing of the past because of lack of a suitable pole but I've got a hunch that if some class has initiative enough to hoist their flag on top of the Chemistry building, one of the wireles spoles or some other prominent high point on the campus, it will be down before the twenty-four hour period of the contest is over, or else they will have won the hardest battle they ever fought. I've got enough confidence in the fighting spirit of the Aggies to make that prophecy. Who has enough pep to try it out?

I covered the next question in my first answer, as fully as I believe is necessary at this time.

Let us see, the next question ran, "Shall we lay him up for a month or shall we permit a life-long hatred to be started?" Well, as to that, Hamlet, I'm not just decided as to which would be preferable. Either plan has its advantages and they would both be exceedingly effective no doubt. I think it would be more fun to lay him up for a month and doubtlessly would be better for his personal spirit. However, seriously old man, the suggestion you bring forth in that question, is not a just one to apply to the conditions at school here. An unfortunate accident caused one of our students to be hurt in the class scrap last fall, but if you will look up the young man's status it will be found that he was among the ranks of the upper classmen, which is a double point in favor of my contention that State College hazing is not a harmful factor in our school life. In the first place the young man took his hurt in good part and attached no blame to any person, thus showing the spirit of good sportsmanship and at the same time showing that any freshman who cannot take any slight punishment that may be his share, should not be pitied but rather be given a worse punishment as this upper classman laughed at a hurt far worse than any of theirs. In the second place the abuse and punishments applied to the freshman do not look so cruel and utterly devoid of human pity when compared to a broken ankle received by the upper classman, who simply considered it a horse on him. Let us remember these things when our natural feelings of mercy tend to too far weaken our good paddle arms and our torture-bent minds which are working in the interests of maintaining our college spirit and traditions by forcing the new men to undergo what is a mere bit of trivial sport compared to what their predecessors went through to acquire that same spirit which has brought our college to its present state.

Now you've heard from me, Hamlet. Do you agree with me? Isn't every inter-class battle and every all-college battle, another link binding the students together in a closer group than before, from the common interests of self-protection and successful offense, that such engagements bring forth? I for one would like to see some real class battles next year and some hard and fast restrictions placed upon the freshman class and kept there by a hand of steel. It will improve the school a hundred per cent and give all the participants in the events something to look back upon that they can never forget.

—A Student.

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LLOYD HUNTER JAUNTS HOME OVER EASTER

Lloyd Hunter, one of the freshmen pharmlcs, was among those of us who spent our Easter at home in spite of the un-Easter like weather. He expects to return from his home

at Bowbells, North Dakota, during the early part of this week.

GERALD ANDREWS SEEKS HOME AND

Gig Andrews, our erstwhile as-

sistant editor, was last seen on Friday afternoon chasing the Easter rabbit over the prairies Westward Ho. He does not expect to catch said rabbit until it reaches Carrington, North Dakota, where it is supposed to have a nest. Among other things Gerald intends to bring back some of the feathering for his own nest. There are certain well-founded rumors about a certain red-cheeked, black haired little lady being among the prominent points of interest.

PERCY BEALS ATTENDS PARTY

Percy Beals '16 attended the All-College party last Saturday evening. Percy is one of our loyal alumni who come in for the different functions of the year. At present he is the agent for the Fargo branch of the Home Oil Company.

FRED BALL VISITS DURING VACATION

Fred Ball, who took two years pre-medic work here, was a prominent guest at the April Fool's party. Fred is completing his course at the University of Minnesota and he is enjoying the Easter vacation visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ball of Fargo. Fred expects to return to Minneapolis the last of the week.

"CHING" CHALLEY VISITS RHO'S

"Ching" Challey '17 spent the week end in Fargo and visited the Alpha Gamma Rho house. Mr. Andrew Challey is one of our loyal boosters and drops in to see the boys real often. At present he is associated with the Rhozeta Stock Farm Enterprise located at Webster, North Dakota.

HOMER DIXON VISITS CAMPUS

Homer Dixon, Ag. '15, was a welcome visitor on the campus and at the April Fool's party last Saturday evening. Homer spent the greater part of the week in Fargo and was frequently seen about the campus. He is a member of the firm, The Dixon Motor Company located at Grand Forks. This year has proved to be an exceptionally fine year in the automobile business and has kept Homer and his brother George busy furnishing cars to their customers.

FRIENDS.

For glory and fame—for glory and fame,
We're all of us here to make a name,
Working singly or side by side,
Toiling as long as the world is wide.

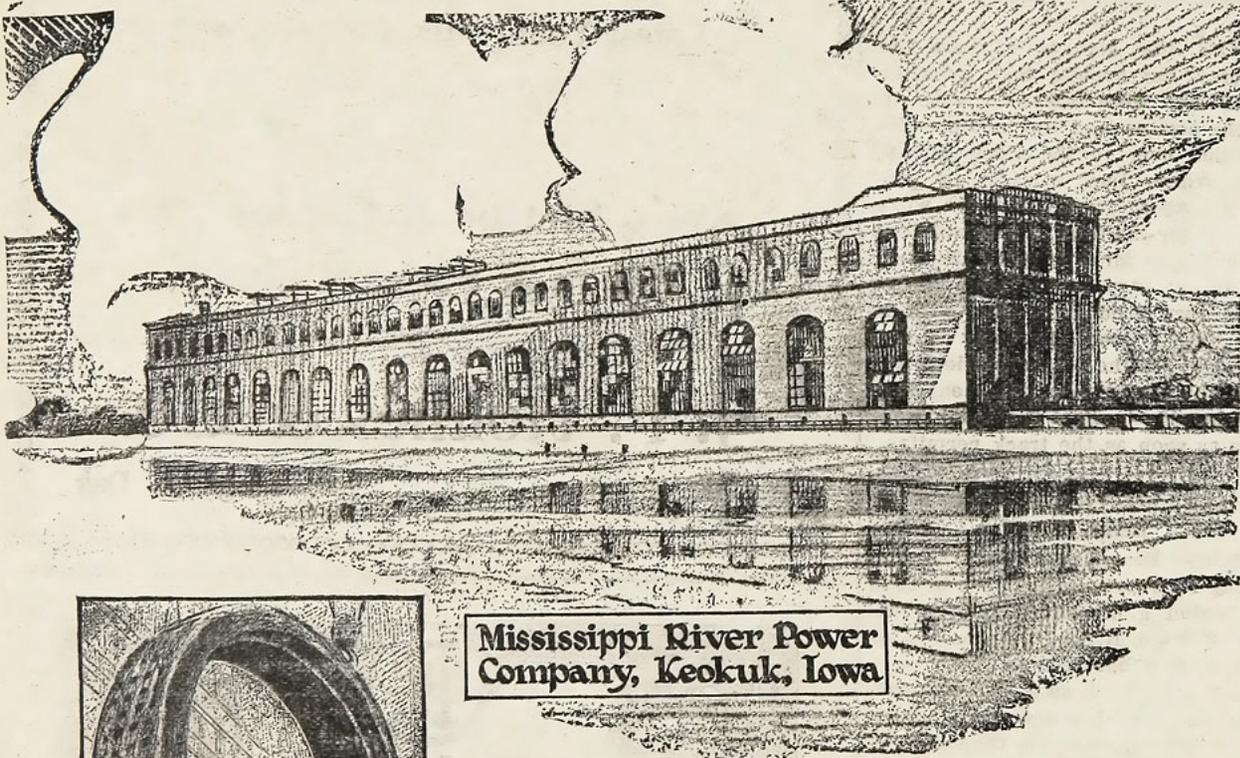
But why are we glad—But why are we glad?
What keeps this strife from driving us mad?
What is there in life to kill the pain?
Whence comes the joy in worldly gain?

'Tis the friends we make—'Tis the friends we make
Who strengthen us for the give and take;
The fight for station, to be in the van
Is seasoned with friendship and love of man.

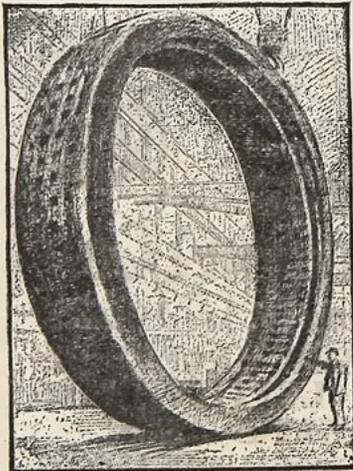
—Puss, 23.

BETA'S INITIATE

The Delta Phi Beta sorority received into full sisterhood their two former pledges, Miss Marion McLaughlin and Miss Gladys Larson on Wednesday evening last, at the home of Miss Alfa Stein, Arlington Apartments.



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SPORTING NEWS of NORTH DAKOTA

SNOW STORM PUTS BLANKET ON BASE BALL.

The men out for base ball had to be contented with working out in the armory the past week due to the prevailing weather conditions. The men have been playing catch and working their arms into condition, with some bunting practice indoors, after chalk talks by Coach Borleske on the inside dope on base ball. About twenty-five men have been out trying out for the team and some of the prospects would please Connie Mack to have them on his squad.

It is hoped that the men will be able to work out on the diamond this coming week and condition themselves for the hard schedule that is ahead of them. Coach Borleske is well pleased with the present outlook and hopes to cop the State Championship hands down.

THE CALL OF TENNIS

Our tennis courts will soon be in perfect condition and the followers of the game should be able to play a set and loosen up their arms and put all of the latest serves, that we heard so much about all winter, to a test. The courts are being overhauled and repaired and will be in shape within the next week or so, and, just a tip, where is your racket and does it need restringing?

A meeting will be called in the near future of all tennis players and ones interested in the game, and a little get together talk with the view of making some plans for the spring tennis games. The formation of a tennis league is hoped for, with the final games of the series in the latter part of May. Lloyd Hunter has been chosen as tennis manager for this year by the Student Council, and the student body can rest assured that everything will be done to keep the courts in the best possible condition and suggestions will be appreciated by the manager.

SPRING FOOTBALL FOR SOUTH DAKOTA STATE.

The Industrial Collegian: Coach West announces that he will inaugurate a course in Spring Football training at State College to start about the 10th of April. At the present time all of the larger schools of this section of the country have courses in spring football, and in order for State College to compete successfully with them it will be necessary for us to make ample preparation. The main object of this new course is to teach the men the parts of the game which a coach has no time to dwell upon during the fall. Certain technicalities, as blocking, tackling, dodging, etc., should be learned before one comes out for fall football, and if these are properly learned in the spring practice, the coach can start directly on the fine

points of the game in the fall. State has an exceptionally good schedule for next fall, and it is imperative that everyone does his part in making the season successful. The time to start is right now.

TRACK MEN IN THE BARN

With the blanket of snow that covered the ground last week the track men were forced to work out in the armory and the hammer men traveled over to the stock judging ring where they carried on their work. About twenty men are working out for the team and competition is very keen for a berth on the team, as we are very fortunate in having some very good track men with us this year. Coach Borleske is well pleased with the present outlook and with the condition of the men; they will be able to start the heavy work outs as soon as the track permits.

"POLLY" FOSS BACKS PAGE BASE BALL TEAM.

Palmer Foss, one of the graduates of the Pharmacy department in 1915 in behind a movement to give the city of Page, N. Dak., the best baseball team it has seen in years.

"Polly's" work as a baseball reader at the A. C. has never been equalled, before or after his time and we are certain that the presence of this formidable catcher in the ranks of the Page baseball aggregation will be a big factor for the success of their team during the coming season.

The Page team, under the impetus of the spirit of the new leader and the strong backing of the other business men of the city, has declared itself ready to battle with any team in the state.

NOTICE TO STUDENTS Hybrid Corn

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—H. L. BOLLEY.

PHI'S ENTERTAIN

Last night the Alpha Kappa Phi fraternity entertained the Delta Phi Beta sorority at an informal party. The evening was spent in dancing and playing cards and the party was voted to be a great success. Toward the end of the evening delicious re-

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INFORMATION ON LAPSED GOVERNMENT INSURANCE POLICIES

Announcement is made by Director R. G. Cholmeley-Jones of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance that the insurance division of the bureau is virtually at the end of its period of congestion and consequent dissatisfaction and vexatious delays, resulting from the great volume of work suddenly thrown upon it by the demobilization of the armed forces during the past year.

Former service men whose insurance has lapsed or has been canceled are encouraged to take advantage of the very liberal provisions for reinstatement of War Risk insurance by the payment of two monthly premiums with the application and a satisfactory statement of health. They are assured that from now on, receipts for premiums will be sent to them within a few days from the date of the original receipt of the remittance. Instead of the former paragraphs and unsatisfactory form letters which formerly it was necessary to use to answer the flood of mail, they will be replied to with real letters in insurance cases which require detailed and specific answers.

The number of unposted premiums in the bureau, which last October was approximately 88,000 has just been reduced to an average of 10,000 or less than one day's work.

Unanswered mail in the insurance division shows a reduction of approximately 60% from the daily balance of five months ago. Probably it will be two or three weeks before it will be possible to answer all the letters as quickly as it is now possible to mail out receipts for premiums, but it is a matter of only a few weeks before the answering of all ordinary inquiries in reference to insurance matters within four days of their receipt in the bureau will be the regular practice.

While some difficulties due to the failure of service men to furnish serial numbers and other necessary information always will be inevitable, very serious handicaps in the addressing of the men have just been overcome. Through a special appropriation made by Congress, the bureau has been enabled to put its entire list of former service men on addressograph plates. This prevents errors that previously occurred through repeated copying from the millions of records with typewriters.

Former service men desiring to reinstate War Risk Insurance which has lapsed or been canceled, or to convert their insurance in cases where it is now in force, should apply to any post of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, or other organizations of former service men, Army, Navy and Marine Corps recruiting stations, State Insurance Commissioners, any home service section of the American Red Cross, Salvation Army, Knights of Columbus, Jewish Welfare Board, Y. M. C. A., or to other fraternal or welfare organizations or agencies which are in a position to furnish blanks and necessary information. Or, if they prefer to do so, they should write directly to the Insurance Division, Bureau of War Risk

Insurance, Washington, D. C., in all cases furnishing the following six points of information for the identification of their cases in the records:

1. Full name (including first, middle, and last name) and complete address.
2. Rank, rating or grade at the time of original application for insurance.
3. Army or Navy organization at time of original application for insurance.
4. The number of Insurance Certificate or Government Life Insurance Policy, if known.
5. Army Serial Number, if in the Army.
6. Date of discharge, if discharged.

Service men whose insurance has lapsed or has been canceled are reminded, however, that as long as they are without insurance, they are without its protection, and, in their own best interests, should apply for reinstatement of their insurance without delay.

Ceres Hall

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The Misses Pauline Hall, Anne Jorgenson and Ellen Aageson spent their Easter vacation with Florence McDonald at Gardner, N. Dak.

Miss Thelma Smith of Page, N. D., has been the guest of her sister, Miss Delores, for the week end.

Miss Letita Jones is able to be around, after an attack of bronchitis.

Ellen Walker had as her guest over Easter, Miss Rose Mittun.

Miss Anna Lang had as her guest Miss Clara Gackle, who is enjoying a few days vacation before she returns to teaching for the remainder of the year.

Lila McDowall and Esther Lunden dropped in during the Easter vacation to visit the latter's sister Mabel for a few days.

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MESDAMES THOMPSON AND STEWART MINISTER TO A STRANGE FLOCK ON EASTER

The Lord called for a leader to give His word to the pure in heart at Oak Mound, Minnesota, and the call was not in vain, for behold Mademoiselle Dell Stewart boldly stepped forth from the ranks of Aggie sinners and in company with a still greater light, the right reverend Mrs. H. J. Thompson, sallied forth in the Lord's cause. It is understood that these two venturesome damsels, in accordance with the vile customs of the day, went clothed in male attire. We have received no word of the nature of their reception at the above named Mecca but are certain that the element of surprise must have predominated the minds of their audience as we are quite certain that they expected male speakers for the day. Our reason for this conclusion is that they called upon the college Y. M. C. A. gospel team to furnish the speakers and it is generally understood that this organization has not yet allowed the elusive female to penetrate its bonds of fellowship. In defense of the gospel team it must be admitted that they were under false ideas as to the status of these two individuals. Up to this time their male status has been unquestioned but it fell to the lot of one of the daily diarists of the city to discover their true sex and in the Saturday evening edition it announced that, "Mrs. H. J. Thompson and Mrs. Dell Stewart" would be among the prominent speakers. Evidently this latter shameless creature has also entered into the holy bonds of matrimony and has maintained the same criminal secrecy in regard to these activities as has characterized her treatment of her true sex. It is with the deepest feelings of sadness that we read this cruel denouement and we considered the matter long and carefully before bringing it to the attention of our readers, among whom are many of those who

these two women have numbered among their dupes. However, now that the matter has proceeded thus far we can do naught but recommend that the utmost severity be used in dealing with these beings who have shown themselves to be so utterly devoid of propriety, in order that there be no recurrence of this sad state of affairs into which our trustfulness has led us. Tears such as have never been shed by even the mightiest of the Nile's mighty Saurians, so obscure our vision that we are unable to proceed further upon the sad paths of this public duty.

HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR AND SENIOR BANQUET PROVES DELIGHTFUL SUCCESS

The Junior-Senior banquet of the A. & M. T. H. S. for 1920 taking place a week ago Monday was, from all reports, one of the most pleasant events of the school year for those who were present. The interest which the two classes took in the affair was shown by the fact that there was not a single member of either class that missed the affair. The dinner took place in the Hayloft, the official gathering place for all informal student affairs which has been provided by the school and is situated above the Little Country Theatre. The hall was prettily decorated in the class colors of the two classes with a general color scheme embodying the green and yellow of the school, which made an unusual effect. There were two tables set and each class sat at its certain table and provided a toastmaster. The toastmasters handled themselves in an excellent manner and provided much entertainment for their audiences with their witty toasts as well as furnishing considerable inspiration for those selected to respond to the various toasts. The banquet started at five o'clock and from that time on there was one continual round of merriment until nine o'clock, when the party broke up.

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