NORTH DAKOTA AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, TUESDAY, JAN. 24.

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Debators Have Bee Chosen To Ma S. D.

TRY-OUT DEBATE WAS . RIT-ED AND GOOD ARGUME WERE ADVANCED.

Two Team Selected

THE DEBATING PROSPECTS OF THE N. D. A. C. ARE PROMISING

Last Monday occurred the try-out debate for the selection of the team to represent the A. C. in the coming forensic contest with South Dakota. debate was given in the old chapel and the place was well filled with those who were interested in the selection of those who are to represent our institution.

Five judges were selected from among the faculty, the members selected being Professors Minard, Beckwith, Martin Smith and Weeks. The subject that was discussed was, "Resolved that the Government should establish a Central The contestants discussed that side of the subject that appeared to them to be the most advisable. The discussions that were given were of a high order and entered into with a great deal of spirit. The arguments set forth by the speakers made it rather hard for the judges to decide how the speakers should be ranked. However, after some deliberation the judges decided that the following students should compose the college team; Messrs Dodge, Gifford Towle, Hammond and Horst and Miss Camp. Messrs Welo, Caldwell and Storland were chosen as alternates.

Grouping the debaters into teams has not yet been decided upon, this being a matter that is left to the discretion of the head of the Department of Oratory Prof. Arvold. The team that takes the trip to South Dakota will have to discuss the negative side of the question while the team remaining here to meet the visiting team will uphold the affirma-

Of those who have won places on the team four are from the Athenian Literary Society and one from the Philoma-thian and of those who have been chosen as alternates, two are Athenians and one Philomathian. All, owing to the connection with the Literary Societies have had more or less experience and will undoubtedly aquit themselves creditably on April twenty first, the evening of the contest. Mr. Towle, one of the members of the team, has the distinction of being a member of last year's winning team.

Basket Ball Quint Take Extended Trip tution and particularly to its leader.

Fast Teams To Be Encountered.

The local Aggie Quint will leave Monday morning for an extended trip over the two states, North and South Dakota, where they will meet several of the most representative teams in this territory. Due to the fact that the games are to be played in such close succession and that the distance covered will be such a long one the added handi-cap of fatigue will be an added factor of the showing they will make to say will meet.

Monday night they will meet the fast aggregation from Wahpeton and a very hard contest is anticipated. Tuesday, the 23rd, they will travel all day and all of that night, arriving in Brookings about Wednesday noon. They will play the S. D. S. C., who are acknowledged to the premier basket ball tossers of their state, that evening and Huron, S. D., on the following evening. From all the data that could be gotten together on this last team, it is estimated that they are a close second with the S. D. S. C. in the race for the S. D. championship. The last game on this trip will be played with the Ellendale Normal Industrial School, a-return contest which ought not be greatly feared, still the effects of the weeks strain will give the Normal Industrial a great advan-

When interviewed Saturday, Coach Reuber said that all his men were in good condition and that they would be farmer who has made good at diversivery much in evidence, in every minute fied farming and has given the subject

N. D. A. C. Cadet Band **Entertains Big Crowd**

THE TRI-STATE GRAIN GROW-ERS TREATED TO A FREE CONCERT BY

40 Piece CollegeBand

DR. PUTNAM'S MUSICAL COM POSITIONS RECEIVES HEAR-TY APPLAUSE.

Last Thursday evening the North Da kota Agricultural College Cadet Band under the leadership of Dr. C. S. Putnam, gave their annual concert at the opera house before the Tri-State Grain Growers' Convention. The opera house seats were all occupied and many were crowded into the aisles. Promptly a



7:30 Dr. Putnam raised his baton and the music began. The following program was rendered:

March-President Worst. Dr. Putnam Descriptive Fantasie-AVision of Sa-Selection—On the Popular Song— "What's the Matter with Father"...

A Medley selection of College Songs— (Mss) Specially arranged for this band by Dr. Putnam.

Finale-In addition to the above the follow-

ing encore numbers were given: iome of These Days-Brooks, Hedges Bros., and Jacobson.

March-Favorite Regiment..Dom Ertl Intermezzo-Indian Summer Neil Moret March-A Warrior Bold....Frank A. Panella

Each selection was roundly applauded and particularly the Humouesque, 'What's the Matter With Father" and the Medley of College songs which was especially arranged for the band by Dr. Putnam. While all of the selections received encores these two particular numbers were most enthusiastically encor-

From the demonstration received it may be safely inferred that Dr. Putnam has a band that is a credit to the insti-

Agricultural Club To **Hold Institute**

BIG AGRICULTURAL EVENT TO BE PULLED OFF FRIDAY EVENING IN OLD CHAPEL

The Agricultural Club will have an nnual farmers institute this year as before, with speakers made up entirely of port the Soph's party has been called agricultural students of this institution. upon for an explanation. He penitently claimed by many to be as good or better as many institutes where only experience speakers have spoken. This year the club will put on a better program than ever before as will be seen from the

following list of speakers.

Carl Hofstrand will speak on the subject, The Economic Value of Ventilation. Mr. Hofstrand is a graduate of our farm husbandry course and has now spent nearly two years in the col lege veterinary course. He has studied extensively along this line so will be well qualified to speak on this subject.

Edwin Traynor will talk on The Direct Shipment of Grain. Mr. Traynor has had experience in this line and has given this subject a great deal of study so is well qualified to talk on this topic. No person at all interested in the shipment of grain can afford to miss this

Stein Myrdahl will have something to

Freshmen Roar Some At Spectrum Report

THE ACCOUNT OF LAST WEEK'S PARTY NOT SATISFACTORY SOPHMORE WHOLLY SOPHMORES BLAMED.

Spectrum In HotWater

POPULAR LANGUAGE USED AND THE OUTLOOK IS NOT GOOD.

Last week's Spectrum contained an article (or rather a conglomeration of malicious slander) pertaining to cer-tain hostilities occurring between the Freshmen and a miserable group of Students (?) called Sophmores. We, the Freshmen are of the opinion that such article was a product of some prejudiced member of above mentioned class, as we know the Editor to be fair in all his reportorial effects. We wish to take exception to a few of the state-ments existing in the article.

In the first place we were not as badly chemically treated as were the Sophs themselves, even tho the chemicals were manipulated by them. Be it known that the Freshmen are not afraid of a little iron sulphate ejected through a force pump, even tho such a dream a "Ole" himself is the man behind the

The attacking party was strictly Freshmen (another misconception cor-rected) and while our rapidly gathered forces only amounted to a small proportion of our entire class, we kept at bay over twice as many Sophs. The doors and windows, by the way, were securely closed and barricaded, but a door would not hinder the Freshmen, so we broke right through it. After throw ing in a few tons of snow through the open door someone discovered that W. ad been squirting the above mentioned dandelion destroyer in our vicinity, though the bulk of it had lodged on the walks and ceilings of the hall. quickly removed the pump from the afore-mentioned freak, whereat he ran upstairs and hid, along with his fellow members who, in consultation with the female members of the class, had decided to give up the ghost. At this time they were being constantly besieged with accumulations of the beautiful. One unprincipled villain however, reached down and hit one of our unsuspecting members over the head with a shovel This was all the injury received by us.

Suddenly the fertile mind of "Stape conceived the idea of sending for the night watchman. This was done and we then, at his suggestion, quietly walked away with the banner of victory in our hands.

We regret that the Sophs had such an unhappy termination to their "party.' We would advise them to either hire the police force or take some "Nervine" be fore attempting another spread, altho we admit they were nervy in telling such slanderous untruths as appeared in this sheet last week.

Also, for such a constitution as theirs we recommend imbibing eggs instead of oysters, as they did last week.
Signed. A Freshman.

(Yes, Freshman, the Editor has but one ambition and that is to be fair and to give the truth and nothing but the truth in keeping with the tendencies of the times. The reporter assigned to re-

cle "Freshmen Exorcise Sophmore Serenity" which appeared in the last issue of the paper. The few paragraphs have been slightly attennated so as to eliminate some of its virulency which was too

If "miserable" is the word that ex-(Continued on page 3.)

dahl will have something to say worth while

Thomas Calnan will speak on the subject, Importance of Horticulture in North Dakota. He has had much practical experience before coming here and since coming here has given much time to the subject both inside and out of the class room so is especially well prepared

to talk on the subject assigned him.

Donald Dyke will preside and in addition will give a talk on Cooperation Among Farmers. Whenever Dyke talks he has something to say worth hearing so be sure to be there next Friday of rotation no little thought. Mr. Myr- evening at 7:30 in the old chapel.

Farm Husbandry Alumni Hold Annual Reunion

PARTAKE OF SUMPTUOUS BAN-, QUET AT GARDNER.

Pass Important Reso tions

URGE LEGISLATURE TO MAKE LIBERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR DAIRY BUILDINGS AT A. C.

The Farm Husbandry Alumni Asso-ciation held their annual reunion and banquet at the Gardner Hotel, Wednesday evening, January 18th. Twenty members were present with Pres. Worst and Dean Shepperd as guests of honor.

After partaking of the sumptuous feed, Pres. Worst in his usual eloquent and inspiring way, responded to a request for a speech. He spoke of the future outlook for the Association, of the work that the members had to perform individually and collectively and impressed upon them the importance of sticking together and working for the

Dean Shepperd was called away be fore the banquet was over to speak before the Corn Growers Association a the A. C. Armory. At the close of President Worst's address, several mempers were called upon to give impromptu speeches. Secretary Porter read the following resolution which was unaninously adopted by the association and a committee was appointed to present the same to the Grain Growers to be incorporated into the resolutions of their mmittee.

The resolution follows: Whereas, more distric tof the State

of North Dakota are interested in dairy ng this year than ever before, and Whereas, it has been shown by evperience to be a most profitable and per-

manent type of agriculture, and Whereas, the Agricultural College has no fit nor even sanitary place to give dairy practice and instruction in that subject, be it,

Resolved, that we urge our legislature to make a liberal appropriation for a dairy laboratory and a dairy and cattle

barn for the Agricultural College.
At the business meeting which followed it was decided to extend a standing invitation to President Worst and Dean Shepperd to attend all future meetings

At the close of the meeting the fol-lowing officers were elected: President, Carl Yerrington; Vice President, J. C Smith; Secretary, Theo. Kristjanson.

Mountain Ash Chorus Delights A. C. Crowd

ARMORY WELL PACKED -CROWD HELD SPELL BOUND BY DELIGHTFUL SINGING.

The Mountain Ash Male Chorus of Wales unquestionably please over 1100 people last Friday night at the College Gymnasium. The chorus consisted of voices under the direction of Mr. Richards and so perfect were the var-ious voices and so well did the director Last year a very good program was petitions for space in which to insert they were able to produce held the auput on for this occasion and it was the following. Editor.) derful chorus most vividly fired the imagination as they described a journey

> The numbers were most enthusiastically encored and it was with regret that the audience realized that the program was over.

> After listening to such programs it egins to dawn upon A. C. people that they have much to thank Profs. Arvold, Randlett and Palmer for, who are largely responsible for the fine entertainment course that we have had the privilege to listen to this winter.

NOTICE!

The basket ball boys will arrive home Saturday evening from their extended trip just in time to play a return game with the Moorhead Normal quint. The game will be played on the A. C. floor. Be there but do not forget your tick-

Freshmen And Cops Banquet Together

FRESHMEN FESTIVITIES SAFE LY PULLED OF AT UNION HALL.

Sops Countermand **Orders**

FRESHMEN INVESTIGATES, RE-ORDER EATABLE AND FESTI-VITIES PROCEED WITHOUT FURTHER HALT.

The Freshman class of the College, otherwise knows as the Class of '14, held a party at Union Hall last Saturday evening, January 21, which was well attended by the whole class. A large delegation of the gentlemen gathered at Flynn's store at aboue 7:30 in the evening, and from there proceeded to Ceres Hall with the intention of acting as a ody buard for the ladies of the class. This precaution was wholly unnecessary, however, as the Sophs, even tho they had laid some very elaborate plans, failto appear on the scene. The whole party, policemen and all arrived at Union Hall without a mishap of any kind.

The festivities commenced at about eight o'clock with dancing and games of various kinds. Miss Elliott, and the Messrs, Caldwell and Holt furnished the music upon a piano with which the was decorated. Stone's Music House kindly loaned the class an Edison Victrola, but the size of the hall made it inefficient for dancing, because of its lack of volume.

At ten thirty, refreshments in the form of ice cream and coffee were served. The Sops, kind creatures, carefully countermanded the order for refreshments earlier in the evening, but one of the cunning Freshies, hearing of this awfully crude joke, quietly corrected the order, and thus the treacherous Sophs found themselves foiled at their only attempt to get even with the Freshmen.

The whole class unites in extending its sincere thanks to the Misses Simmons, Haggart, Griffin and Donaldson, who kindly acted as chaperones for the occassion, and who greatly assisted in making such an unbounded success of the party.

The happy gathering broke up at ele-ven fifteen, and all were unanimous in the decision that the gathering had been a huge success from the minute they left the dormitory till the musicians

N. D. A. C. Crack Squad Give Fine Exhibition

GRAIN GROWERS AND FARGO PEOPLE LOUDLY APPLAUD WORK OF MILITARY BOYS

On last Thursday evening in the Opera House immediately after the Band Concert the Crack Squad of the N. D. A. C. Cadet corps made their first appearance before the public.

Many large schools which have cadet drill make the crack squad a feature. This plan was inaugurated here last fall by Captain Ogaard who is the drill masseemingly draw these voices out that the impression prevailed that Mr. Richards volunteers, about twenty responded this was playing on a strange but well tuned number was cut down to eight of the The effects that collectively men who made the best showing in preliminary practice

the incessant work it took to complete the maneuvers, by the way the public took their first appearance. during the drill Director Ogaard had to await the cessation of applause before

Never once during their lengthy per-formance did one lag behind, every man was on time, every volley of the guns sounded like one report and this excellent time and accuracy characterized ev-

The school feels proud of being able to say that it was students from here that gave the first crack squad drill in North Dakota

The men all from Co. "A" who compose the squad are, Peters, Halland, Holt, Powers, Dynes, Ellingson and

River about a mile above the city.

Veterinarians Hold Interesting Meet

A. C. VETERINARY EQUIPMENT PROVES TO BE DRAWING CARD.

Enjoy Unique Banquet

On Tuesday and Wednesday of last week was held the annual North Dakota Veterinary Convention.

On Wednesday forenoon a business meeting was held in the Gardner Hotel. Officers were elected and new members installed. Invitations from Commercial clubs of the larger towns to hold their next meeting with them were considered, Fargo won out owing to the location of the A. C. here and to the fact that the Vet, Building contained the best operating and demonstrating pavilion in the state.

The regular programme, a lengthy one, was continued in the afternoon. The discussions were interesting, many new views being brot to light.

The banquets on Wednesday night at the Gardner was an elaborate affair. The regular style of having a toastmaster was done away with and each person present was allowed to talk upon what ever subject he wished. Not being confined to topics the speeches provoked much laughter and amusement Invited guests were Dr. Schalk A. C Drs. Merilatt and Campbell of Chicago and State Dairy Inspector Flint.

The special feature of the programme was Dr. Merillatt's address Tuesday forenoon in the Vet. Building on "Neurectomy" his ideas and explanation were performed and demonstrated in the afternoon in the operating room, in this he was assisted by Dr. Schalk A. C., Dr. Walsh, Minot, and Dr. Fulton,

\$1000 Given Away by A Fargo Bank

OF GREAT INTEREST TO THE FARMERS AND GENERAL WELFARE OF STATE.

The First National Bank of Fargo has nnounced that it will offer prizes to be known as the Fargo National Bank Corn Specials, in connection with the state show of 1912.

This Corn Show will continue as an affiliated organization of the Grain Growers convention. This bank will offer \$1000 in prizes next year. The state will be divided into four districts and the banks over the state are expected to offer prizes and hold local shows preiminary to the state contest to be held nere. The show is to be well organized and an attempt will made to interest more farmers in the growing of corn. It will be necessary to have much

larger buildings and better equippment to accommodate this enlarged corn show, but the bank has agreed to arrange for a suitable place. The management of the contest is to be in the hands of the regular state corn show. Dean Shepperd and Prof. Randlett have een asked to prepare suitable plans and to formulate suitable rules to guide those who may wish to enter the con-test for the banks special premiums. Here is a chance for A. C. men to show what they can do.

Oratorial Board

Held Conference TOWLE REPRESENTS A. C.

The Board of Control of the N. D. Inter Collegiate Oratorial Associa-tion met last week in this city, for the purpose of organizing for this year and to make preparations for the Inter Collegiate Oratorical Contest to be held in the spring. This year the contest will be held in Fargo April 14th, under

the auspices of Fargo College. Those present were Messrs. Greenleaf of the University, Zeiglman of Wahpeton Science, Arnoson of Fargo College and Towle of the A. C.

Judge B. F. Spalding of Bismarck is promoting the organization of a North Foreman Kennedy of the Agricultural Dakota branch of the Sons of the Amdepartment has been busy the past week erican Revolution. He would be glad to directing the filling of the college ice secure the names of students or faculty The ice is secured on the Red members who are descendants of soldiers of officers of the Revolution.

The Fraternity of Alpha Zeta invites you to Annual Hop to be given at the ARMORY Friday Evening, January 27. Good Music. Admission \$1.00.

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When crops fail who suffers? The farmers? Yes, but he is not the only one that suffers. He suffers far less than those that depend upon him. He can economize and shift along some way until another crop is grown. Not so with business men. They are the real sufferers. Business and professional men can get hold of but little except as farmers spend it.

When crops are good farmers spend money freely and everybody is prosperous. What then will contribute most for general prosperity? Manifestly those agencies that build up agriculture; that go to make a reasonably sure business; that information and training, whether obtained at college or in farmers institutes, that enables the farmer to do the right thing at the right time and in the right way. It is to everybodys interest to boost for education of this sort. To much economy along these lines makes for hard times, except during favorable years. The country wants good crops when the seasons are not This is what agricultural education is for, to enable the farmer to make the very best of every year. Even during the past exceptionally bad year, the good farmer had fair crops. What the country needs is more good farmers
—more agricultural education. Everybody can afford to boost for it. No one can afford to knock.

Mr. B. F. Yoakum, one of the country's most prominent railroad men says "National and state legislation to aid agriculture is of the greatest importance

Continuing he says, figures show for themselves what the politicians whom the farmers have followed blindly, are doing for themselves, and what they are doing for the farmer. As shown by Chairman Tawney, of the appropriation committee ,of the total revenue of the government last year \$71.00 out of each \$100 was used for military expenses. This was much greater than it should be and calls attention to the fact that from the same revenue only \$1.85 out of each \$100 was used to aid agricultural development.'

Does it appear as the agricultural interests are being over stimulated. The farmers of this state are being assessed approximately 217,000,000 out of a total of \$278,000,000.

After paying this large part of the taxes of the state, should not their interests be carefully looked after. Should not that institution that is theirs and whose every act has their welfare in view be given consideration and encouragement?

At the request of the nursery men of the state, Professor Waldron is drafting a bill which is intended to regulate the sale of nursery stock and provide for the inspection of all nursery stock that is offered for sale within the state. In the past, farmers have suffered greatly at the hands of unscrupulous agents who have offered for sale all kinds of trees, many of them not adapted to our particular climate and many not true to name.

Under present condition unscrupulous agents can buy up discarded scrubby stock of eastern and southern growers and sell it out to the great detriment of the honest and confiding purchaser.

Should this bill become a law, these unscrupulous dealers will no doubt be put out of business and the farmers will consequently be protected. The bill provides that every nursery man offering stock for sale within the state must se cure a certificate of inspection from the A. C. In securing this certificate the nursery man must show where the stock was grown, must give the name of the variety in English and guarantee its freedom from disease and insects. The bill further provides that each dealer, agent or nursery man shall be required to give a five hundred dollar bond.

The four days beginning Jan 17, and ending Jan. 20 were days of much interest to the farmers of the Northwest. These were four days set apart for the meeting of almost every agricultural association of this section of the country In spite of the poor crops the attendance was the largest that has been known. The chief meeting was the

Published every Tuesday of the school are by the students of the North Dakota gricultural College, at the Fram Publishing Company, 207 Broadway, Fargo N. ciations, the Farm Husbandry Alumni ciations, the Farm Husbandry Alumni College, at the Society of Equity. From the DR. E. F. ganizations such as Live Stock, Veteri- Drs SORKNESS & CARPENTER great interest shown it is evident that this past year has been a lesson to our farmers and that they are taking advantage of it. They were kept busy from the time they landed in Fargo until they boarded the train for home, and they made it a point to hear and discuss as many of the agricultural subjects as possible. There were a large number of the best speakers and the subjects were dealt with in a thorough and practical manner. The speakers consisted of a number of the A. C. pro-fessors and instructors and men from barbar property of the A. C. pro-description of the A. C. pro-fessors and instructors and men from barbar property of the A. C. pro-way, Fargo, N. D. fessors and instructors and men from other colleges and other prominent speakers from this and the neighboring states. Each day was devoted to some one or two certain general subjects to be discussed and men interested in the OCCULISTS AND AURISTS. respective lines of agriculture were asked to speak on the day set aside for that particular subject. The main discussions seemed to center around the conservation of resources, the methods to be practiced in a year like the one just

In his annual address President Worst spoke on the subject of conservation. He emphasized the need of conservation and how it can be brought about. In Fargo, part he said, "It may well be questioned whether a man has a moral right through extravagance or reckless farm management to bequeath the necessity of a curative sacrifice upon his future neighbors. The soil unquestionably belongs to future generations as certainly as to the present generation-to the children as well as to the parents-and hence the farmer that despoils the land by starvation, by noxious weeds, or foul fungi is a detriment to his country. Certainly it would require a big stretch of charity to label him a blessing. In this, as in law, ignorance cannot be pleaded as an excuse, for no excuse can remedy the evil that is wrought."

Dean Shepperd took up the subject of What Can be Learned From the Dry Dr. F. E. Ball Dr. J. L. Graves Year of 1910. He pointed out how such eason served as a great school master to the farmers, and spoke of cases in which farming had been done in the right way and in the wrong way, and the difference shown in the crops raised on the different farms in the unfavor-

Space will not permit a detailed ac- Fargo, count of the many excellent addresses delivered by A. C. people before this convention. Among those who spoke were Prof. Dolve on the subject, Economic Advantages of Good Roads; Professor C. B. Waldron on the Conservation of North Dakota's Natural Resources; E. D. Harris, Eradication of Tuberculosis; Dean Shepperd, Lessons from the season of 1910; Prof. Mc-Means, The Farmer's Garden; Prof. C. B. Waldron, Dry Land Tree Grow-C. B. Waldron, Dry Land Free Growing; President Worst, Annual Address; Prof. Abbott, The Country
Schools in North Dakota; Dr. Batt,
The Farmer's Library; Prof. Bolley,

DR. H. C. GREEN, Dentist, No. 10 Soil Sanitation with Reference to Cereal Cropping; Mrs. Campbell, What DR. F. A. BRICKER 61 Broadway Economics Means to Me Home lege; Edwin Traynor, Why an Education Benefits the Farm Boy and What the Agricultural College is Doing to Supply That Need.

Rev. Walters Addresses Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. held their second Sunday afternoon meeting in their rooms in the Men's Dormitory, Sunday at 2:30.

mean to be a Christian." A twenty minute discussion was greatly appre- TAYLOR CRUM, Rooms 3 & 4, N. P. ciated by the boys present. He used to be a Christian meant service and sacrifice. He said there are a lot of people who imagine that by divine right there are expected to receive all the blessings that come along and are never willing to serve or take hard knocks. For his part he liked to meet a man who had convictions that cost something.. As these meetings are expected to consume not more than 30 minutes they necessarily had to be brief and to the point. However this adds greatly to their value considering the question from the busy student's standpoint. Besides the inspiring talks these meetings are partly devoted to the singing of songs. The

Y. M. C. A. quartette usually renders e or two selections. The next speaker will be Rev. Beard. He will speak on the subject "Man's Relation to the Church."

All boys are welcome and should make it a point to attend if they can find time to do so. Services begin ot 2:15, Bible classes following at 3:00 Physicians and Surgeons.

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press their opinion they are justified in using it because Webster gives over valuable space for its explanation, although. Webster might feel embarrased by having a Freshman class make use

They are deriving some consolation from the idea that the Sophs unintentionally got sprinkled also. Sure, we had to try out the strength of our solution so sacrificed one of our members, give him a good application and he felt rather sick, uneasy at the least. We now knew that when it effected a Soph. it would surely be very deterimental, if

We too wish to make a few corrections, not tha tthe Freshmen will absorb the truth, a well known fact, but it appears better in print, even if falsism does add to the spice of article.

Of course! you're not afraid of iron sulphate or you wouldn't have stood around like a duck in the rain and absorbed it. We can excuse you for thinking it was a force pump for your vision was impaired. Call around and have a look at a sprayer. We'll show you how it works even if Ole is'nt an engineer. We can hardly place ourselves in your position, if we could might see a reason for picking out individuals and calling them names. Yes Sir, the Registrar has again

changed his classification. He must have for the Freshmen say the ranks were composed entirely o fclass members.

It is a new mode of warfare when the attacked, barricaded, army is kept at bay. Reverse the idea, lets not overthrow the meaning of this old established word and give it some new mean-

Emphatically yes! The Freshmen numbered just half the Sophmores there being 80 Sophmores present from the new count.

Doors and barred windows stop Freshmen! Nonsense! The idea! Why they actually cracked a quarter inch pine board that was replacing the door

We are glad they called the amount of snow a few tons for last weeks artile was much exaggarated as to amount in this respect.

Horrors! a Freshman hit with a shoved. They should have been received with sterilized lilly white gloves, escorted into the hall and fed Hellins Baby Food moistened with Korlick's Salted

"Miserable" "Freakish" Sophmore 'Stape" sending for the night watchman. How did you make your escape from Music Hall to deliver the urgent call? No telephone being accessbile.

Their must be two imaginary banners Now dear freshmen if you have any eggs or oysters you wish consumed reand deglutition, please consider our abi-

Signed "Miserable Freakish Soph nores" per Jno, Dinwoodie.

Pen Pusher

Farm Managers Form Organization

Donehue Chosen Secretary

Another organization is to hold its meetings in connection with the Grain Growers convention. This is the Farm Managers' association, which is an organization for the purpose of discussing farm management problems.

They have been meeting in the past in Minnesota points and as a result of an argument by Dean Shepperd they saw the advantage of getting together where there are a large number of farmers to interest. They decided to meet in con-nection with the Grain Growers regular-At the meeting last week Charles R. Wright of Minnesota was elected President and Prof. R. C. Donehue of the A. C. was elected Se-

This is an organization that will take up one of the most important problems which is interesting the farmers of to-day, and should be able to do good work for the farmers of the Northwest.

Miss Grasse of the Music Dept. leaves the first of next week to give a short musical program at the wedding of Miss Emma Stevens of Bismarck who is to be married to Mr. Ralph Ward the evening of Jan 31st. Miss Grasse will ing several songs and play the wedding march Miss Emma Stevens who has been the guest of Miss Grasse on a number of occasions is known to a number of the A. C. people. Mr. Ralph Ward is a well known rancher near Garrison and one of the first gradnates of the A. C. The wedded couple will leave for an extended wedding trip to South America.

Mr. Hansman, President of the State Board of Pharmacy visited the Pharmacy department Friday.

PERSONALS

Mr. William R. Reimer, a brother of Miss Reimer of the A. C. was a college visitor Thursday. Mr. Reimer was at one time a student here and is at present a twine salesman for the Minnesota

Mr. Gorman recently joined the ranks of pencil pushers and is affiliated with one of the down town papers

Profs. C. A. Michels and P. J. Otson, two of our younger alumni engaged in agricultural educational work in Minnesota high schools visited friends at the College during the Grain Growers' Convention last week. Mr. Michwas here to attend the convention and the corn show, and we gather from circumspect observation, that Mr. Olson came here ostensibly for the same pur-

College friends of Professor and Mrs. J. A. Jeffries will be pained to learn that Mrs. Jeffries died on January 17th. Professor Jeffries was some years ago connected with the agricultural department of this college and went from here to the University of Michigan, with which school he is at present connected.

Misses Robinson, Rose and Peterson from Stirum, North Dakota were visitors at band practice Thursday after-. Miss Robinson is a sister of Mr. Earl Robinson, of this year's Farm Husbandry class.

Mr. Ward, who has been suffering vith sore eyes for the past month, left Saturday morning for his home in Wahpeton. Mr. Ward was accompanied by his father and his uncle who were in Fargo to attend the Miller's convention.

Mr. Holkesvig, ex-officio:-The pro fits of the Bookstore are not thoroughly appreciated by the general public.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders, of Fairmount, N. D., weer college visitors Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders were shown through the various departments by their friend, Mr. Williams, of the

Professor C. B. Waldron goes Frilay to Leal, N. D. where he will speak before the Consolidater schools

Ceres Hall Notes.

Tuesday evening all the visitors at the Grain Growers' Convention were given a reception at Ceres Hall. At 7 o'clock the doors were opened and the building was thrown open for inspection.

A number of girls were placed in varpositions thruout the building, whose duties were to conduct the visit-ors about and explain to them the many things of interest. After the guests had visited the many rooms all were invited to the dining room where dainty refreshments were served.

Wednesday noon all the lady visitors at the Convention were brot out to the College where they were entertained for a day. At 10:00 they were shown about the campus and 12:30 a dainty luncheon was served by the Home Economics girls. This luncheon was prepared by the short course girls and served by the Juniors and Seniors..

The Menu was as follows: Scalloped Corn

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After dinner, at 2 o'clock, a splendid programme consisting of speeches and much enjoyed in the girl's' gymnasium conservation bills existing in other in Ceres hall. The programme was as

Violin Solo A. J. Stephens Vocal Solo—Happy Song.....Teresa del Riego Miss Edyth Grasse.

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downs and ins and outs, the host and hostess brought on a dainty repast. The first course of this was very unique, in that it consisted o fchemical formulae to be solved, and a dainty bow of green and yellow ribbon for each person. Following this, more tempting viands were ing the very best. The table was tastely decorated in the College colors and of the stations. candles.

and expressing their hope that this of Hettinger; E. G. Schollander of might be the beginning of a permanent Thompson, of Edgeley; W. R. Lanxon, organization of this state in the Capital

The N. D. Conservation Committee which was appointed at Saint Paul last fall met in Fargo, Grain Growers' week This committee consists of one member from each judicial district and has as its President, Professor Waldron of the A. C. At the Fargo meeting last week, the committee decided to prepare a bill asking the legislature to create a State Conservation Commission. Professor Waldron for the committee is at present drafting the bill and defining its functions and power. A small appropriation is to be asked for to carry on the work. a delightful musical programme was This bill will be somewhat similar to

> LOST-A pair of gold cuff links and a white pleated shirt. When last seen was perfectly clean. (Alexandria papers please copy).

> Professor Weeks will address Fortnightly Club January 30th, on "Human Nature at School."

The Agricultural Club met at seven o'clock Friday so that the program would be over in time to allow the members to attend the concert by the Mountain Ash Choir.

The following program was rendered: A debate on the question Resolved: That our present tariff is a benefit to the American farmer. Affirmative

S. K. Myrdahl Ray Gibbens Adolph Dohlbeck Edwin Gryde Fred Lowe Mark Brindle The decision was in favor of the nega-

Essay on traction plowing, Oscar Mikkelson.

Reading, Wm. Sherman. Next week the Club will put on its annual farmers institute program. This is written up in another part of the

The Board of Trustees were in session Tuesday and Wednesday of week. This was the regular monthly session and the business conducted was somewhat of a routine nature. session however differed somewhat from the regular sessions in that the Superbrought on, which all pronounced as be- intendents of the Substations were called in on matters pertaining to the work

The Superintendents present were: L. At a late hour all departed voting Mr. R. Waldron of Dickinson; O. A. and Mrs. Babcock royal entertainers, Thompson, of Edgeley; W. R. Lanvon, of Edgeley; W. Lanvon, of Edgel and T. T. Kristjanson of McLeod.

Dire Predicament

One of our promising seniors has gone thru in the past week, the seventh and last stage of what Dante has termed the Inferno. He was not even allowed to go thru the preliminary six stages so as to get acclimatized. No such kindness was hown him, he was thrust into the "Quintessence of the lower regions" in one moment.

It all happened as the results of the carelessness of some of his friends and this caused him to lose, his general air of conservatism and also his temper. But after a period of time he regained control of himself and put on an air of self-sacrifice with which he won the sympathy of a certain portion of his true friends and they presented him with a missive of condolence and praise for acting in such a charitable and magnaminious way. It is indeed ensouraging to note that men like him are appreciated especially by the weaker sex for there are so few men who can survive the awfulness of a sojourn into such a dire predicament and come out smiling.

The Kansas people will have a Kansas Day banquet at the Gardner Hotel next Saturday night. The Sunflower is well represented at the A. C. and in Fargo.

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Interested young lady-Isn't he a Her informer-"Yes, thats what the

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Engineers Convention

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The afternoon session was in fact a 'University Session" for both papers were by University professors. Dean ered as follows: Babcock of the School of Mines gave ar excellent paper on lignite coal and its He gave a very exhaustive report of the work that the School is doing in solving the Lignite Problem. Professor Becker gave a paper on Concrete and pointed out several things that should be looked out for in the design of concrete structures. After the discussion of concrete the members adjourned to the A. C. to observe the testing of three reinforced concrete beams by Prof. Slocum.

The morning session of the next day was taken up with the election of officers and opening the question box. The officers for the coming year are:

President-Sam Crabbe, Fargo. First Vice Pres.-J. C. Fields, Wil-

Second Vice Pres .- T. R. Atkinson

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At the afternoon session a paper of special interest to Fargo people was read by City Engineer H. G. Lykken Grand Forks on "The Modern Trend of Water Purification and its application in Grand Forks."

Prof. E. F. Chandler of the Univerity addressed the Society on the sub-"The Surface Water Supply North Dakota." This was also of intense local interest as Fargo is now engaged in the solution of the water pro-

The last number of the convention was a paper prepared by George Sanford, project engineer of Williston and read by J. C. Fields of the same place on the Reclamation work carried on by the Government in the Northwestern part of the State.

The first evening was taken up with banquet at Piries' Hall at which Sam Crabbe presided at Toast master and toasts were given by Frank L. Anders of Fargo; T. R. Atkinson of Bis-marck; E. F. Chandler of the University and Ex.-President C. M. Baker of

The A. C. people who are members of the society are. Active: Paul Funderhide, C. I. Gunness, R. M. Dolve, H. Chisholm, E. S. Keene, Fred Birch, R. H. Slocum ,E. S. Hill, Robt. Stevens. Junior: J. W. Wheeler, Eric Martin-son, L. D. Gifford, Horace Rueber, Mark Keeney, C. B. Gunlogson, Keith McGuinn, Tom Lough and Robert Lembcke.

Prof. Dolve To Speak Before Polytechnic

NORTH DAKOTA'S ROAD PRO-

The civilization of a country may be judged largely from the character of its roads. The question of roads is a vital one in every state and is now before the people of Dakota . A bill for road improvement is to be introduced before the state legislature during this session. Prof. R. M. Dolve of the Agricultural Department will speak be fore the Polytechnic Society on the road problem of the state. Mr. Dolve has made a study of roads and is familiar with the conditions in the state Come out and hear what he has to say. You as a citizen of N. Dak ought to be interested. The subject will be discussed Wednesday evening at eight in the Physics Lecture room.

PROGRAM OF N. D. A. C. L. E. Thursday Jan. 26, at 7:00.

Music-Frank Peters. Discussion-Commercial Motorvehicle ersas the Horsedrawn Truck .-- C. A Williams

Paper-Wm. Romniel Magazine Report-J. Howard Hess. Social Session

Millers Meet At A. C.

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Millers Meet at Agricultural College

The call issued some time ago by the North Dakota Agricultural Experiment Station, to the millers of North Dakota and northwestern Minnesota, to attend a convention held at the Agricultural College January 18, 1911 for the purpose of discussing the advisability of permanent organization, met witl quite a large response. While the number of delegates present was not a great as was hoped for, the good feeling and enthusiasm of those who did attend made up in a large measure for the lack of numbers. A program which had been previously arranged was rend-

The Miller's View Point of the Relative Commercial Value of the Various Northwestern Wheats, by H. S. Helm, of the Russell Miller Milling Co. Minneapolis, Minn.

Flour Testing for the Miller, by C. H. Bailey, Bureau of Plant Industry, Dept. of Agr.

Experimental Milling and its Relation to the Miller, by T. Sanderson, Experimental Mill, N. D. Experiment

Grain Inspection, by W. C. Macfadden of the N. D. Bankers Association. Wisconsin Grain Inspection, by H. A. Johnson, Chairman of Grain and Warehouse Commission of Wisconsin

Method Employed in the production of Good Wheat and other Cereals, by Prof. J. H. Shepperd, Dean of Agriculture, N. D. Agr. College.

Composition and quality of Northwestern Wheat Flours, by C. H. Bailey U. S. Dept. of Agr.

At the completion of the program the permanent organization was effected and with Prof. Ladd acting as temporary chairman, the following officers were elected:

President, E. Van Houten, Moorhead Minn., First Vice President, J. J. Padden, Grafton, N. D., Second Vive President S. F. Madden, Crookston, Minn., Secretary, T. Sanderson, Fargo N. D.

A resolution favoring a meeting in June 1911 was unanimously adopted at which meeting the committee on Constitution and by-laws will report. This concluded the business transacted, the meeting adjourning Wednesday evening January 18, 1911.

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