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ST. CLOUD NORMAL GOES DOWN TO **DEFEAT UPON THE LOCAL FIELD**

Northwest Wind to see the A. C. Win.

NEMZEK FRACTURES RIGHT ARM.

Darrow, Grondahl and Anderson Make Good in the Back Field.

Saturday upon the local field the A. C. scored their first gridiron victory of the season by a score of 28-0 over the Minnesota Normals of St. Cloud. It was a clean cut decisive victory in a hard fought game and the only thing that marred the joy in the A. C. camp was the fact that in the last few minutes of the first half, Nemzek, our stalwart captain, left the field with a fracture of his right arm. Every man of the A. C. team was in the game every minute he was on the field and the team even surprised the rooters by the form showed for the first game. For this credit is due Coach Magoffin for what he has done with the raw material he had at hand during the past month.

Large Crowd.

The crowd in spite of the fact that it was a cold blustering day was by no means small. Practically the entire body of students were upon the side lines and the turn out of Fargo fans was by no means bad. The rooting was good and consistant throughout the entire game. For this the crowd of students that stuck to the beachers deserves the credit.

Band Out.

The music of the College Cadet Band was a feature of the game and stirred up the rooters to great. er enthusiasm. For this and the part that they played in the advertisement of the game they deserve praise and credit as they had to brave unpleasant weather. Game eBgins.

Promptly at three thirty the band ceased playing, the whistle blew and rousing DA-KO-TA greeted the teams as they appeared upon the field.

The visitors won the toss and chose the South goal. First down A. C. ball; and Darrow got into the game with a fifteen yard run. The first attempt with the forward pass failed and the A. C. lost the ground gained. A. C. forced to punt to St. Cloud: Visitors get the ball on the ten yard line and then think best to kick. A few straight line bucks and Nemzek carries the ball over for the first touchdown. Nemzek ricks the and the goal 6-0 with three minutes gone.

advance 25 yards and then punt. heady little quarterback, Darrow, A. C. holds visitors on downs and whose dodging was worth seeing. Both sides then kick in turn. peatedly and made two touchplace kick. Darrow passes the his place at this and did good formerly.

ball to Nemzek who carries the Large Crowd Braves Blustering ball over the line for the second time. Nemzek again kicks the The score then stands goal. 12 to 0. A. C. again receive the kick,

fumbles but "Nemy" gets it. Punts the ball about forty yards, and the visitors are held without a gain. Darrow makes another good

run and Anderson breaks away for a touch down. Fail to kick goal so the score stands 7-0.

Nemzek Injured.

Nemzek gets the ball on the kick off and in advance is met by three St. Cloud men who carry him down. Nemzek is hurt and the doctor who is called pronounces the right arm fractured. Nemzek goes out and Sparling takes his place at full back.

The visitors get the ball on punt. Full back make a brilliant run to the A. C.'s five yard line where he is tackled by Biersdorf. The ball was brought back because of a foul for holding on a part of the visitors. St. Cloud again make good with the forward pass and get within the A. C.'s ten vard line when the time is called at the end of the first half.

Second Half.

A. C. starts with the handicap of the loss of their captain and fullback. A. C. kick to the visitors who return from their ten yard line, A. C. ball. Ewen makes a fine run to the fifteen yard line. In an exceedingly pretty play Grondahl carries the ball over the line. This play was a clever one and showed good work both on the part of Grondahl and Darrow. Aftercking the goal the score

stood 23-0. Darrow receives the ball and advances it. Both sides are penalized. Visitors get the ball and the A. C. receives the punt, Donaldson advances the ball to near the center of the field. Darrow again breaks through for 15 yards and the Anderson goes thirty-five yards for a touch down. Goal is missed and the score stands 28-0.

Longest Run of the Game.

In a little mixup on the field Biersdorf found the ball kicking two thirds of the length of the work was done for nothing. The remaining six minutes of see-sawed back and forth two fumbles on the part of the A. C. prevented any further scoring during the rest of the game.

Quarter Stars.

The feature o fthe entire game Visitors kick to the A. C. who was the quarterback runs of the

Minnèsota Symphony Quartette at First Presbyterian church, Oct. Annual Mixer Once More Proves

COMING EVENTS.

15 Literary Societies meet Oct. 16. Philo dance Oct. 17. A. C. vs. St. Thomas at St. Paul, FACULTY GET LAST

Oct. 17. Musical program at chapel Oct. 18

Bishop Quayle lectures at First Presbyterian church Oct. 20. A. C. vs. S. D. S. C. at Fargo,

Oct. 23. A. C. vs. St. Thomas at Fargo, Oct. 31.

work though he could not bunt the pigskin near as far as the big captain. Anderson and Grondahl both played star games. Both, though light, made good and repeatedly got around ends for good gains.

Anderson carried the ball over the line twice and Grondahl once. All that need be said of the line is that the visitors avoided it as much as possible when they wished to gain ground. At the ends Ewen promptly discouraged any runs around his way and Murphy had to bare the brunt of the attack but was in the game all of the time and made some splendid tackles.

The visitors looked fully as heavy as our men but the 'ee was, slower. There was one or two men in the backfield that kept our boys watching.

The Line Up.

Position St. Cloud. A. C. Murphy..... L. E. .. Quickstead Bert Haskins. .L. T. Hubble McDonald., L. G., Mckrose, Cofut McGuirren. ... C. Stewart Biersdorf... R. G. ... VonLevenn W. Haskins R. T. Redding, Boehm Ewen...... R. E.Day Kent Darrow Q. B.... Marsh Grondahl... L. H....Peter Ahlas Anderson ... R. H. .. Nick Ahlas Nemzek, Sparling. .F. B... Parent Officials.

Refferee, Kaumbach; Umpire, Richardson; Lineman, Dynes; Halves twenty-five minutes.

WIN THE GAME AND GET TREAT.

Twenty of the football squad, including the coach and manaaround lose, picked it up and ran ger, were guests of honor at the ing two crackers. Fargo opera house Saturday evenfield for a touch down. The whis- ing as the result of the St. Cloud should occupy the boxes. All the the play was interesting. The ball first team were out including Nemzek, who had his arm in a sling. A fine performance is reported.

FIRST PARADE.

The first parade and inspection the ball goes over. Darrow makes Nemzek while he was in the game band will be out also. This weekly classes joined in the race to de- handkerchief was played till rea pretty run of twenty-five yards. broke through for long gains re- parade was a feature of the Col- termine which could pick up his freshments were served. The two Grondahl makes a good return for downs. His kicking was also that as large a number will be out them in a pile. They all showed of the Y. W. C. A., deserve much the A. C. A. C. fans to make good. Darrow was forced to take to watch the boys as there was great ability at this fine art and credit for the way in which the

Feature of the College Year.

IN THE POTATO RACE.

A Grand Success

Association Social

Pleasant Games, Music and Dainty Refreshments During the Evening.

The annual joint social of the Women's and Young Young Men's Christian Associations was held in the armory last Saturday evening. As usual a goodly number of faculty members and students turned out to this annual jollification. So well did the "ommittee on entertainment perform their duties that there was not one dull moment for anybody, old or young.

As the guests arrived they were each given a number which cor responded with another number which a young lady or gentleman. as the case might be, held. When all had received their numbers and found their partners a march was played and everybody joined in the grand march. As the leader of the march came around each time, all the gentlemen dropped back one place; this gave each person an opportunity to become acquainted with several people. At the close of the march some

time was devoted to the old familiar game, Ruth and Jacob.

Clothes Pin Race.

When the clothes pin race was announced Dean Sheppard and Professor Minard were chosen as captains. They lined up their contestants, which numbered something over forty on a side, and began giving instructions. Soon the word was given and the race was on. Down the line went the two bunches of clothes pins and up went the excitement. As the excitement rose the clothes pins began falling to the floor and had to be picked up. Finally the race was over and Professor Minard's team was announced as the winners and received the prize.

Miss Halland Wins.

Volunteers for the cracker eating contest were next called for and six girls and boys stepped forth ready for the feed. The object of this contest was to see who could whistle first after eat-When the crackers were distributed and the signal given the crackers began at the A. C. for \$1.25 a piece. At tle had blown however and the game, it having been arranged disappearing at such a rapid rate previously that the winning team that the price of flour went up half a cent a pound in about a minute. Soon the judges were started by a piercing whistle from place and Mr. Cooper second.

Seniors Win Spud Race.

of the Cadets for the year will ing the faculty, and one student take place next Wednesday The from each of the four college tato race had subsided drop the lege last year, and it is expected row of potatoes first and deposit societies, and especially the girls soon Clarence Plath of the Senior reception was conducted.

Plans for Annual Institute Series

Superintendent Hoverstad is Busy Making out the 1908-'09 Schedule.

TOWN SHOULD APPLY AT ONCE.

Prof Thorman Shaw and Other Lecturers of Eminent Ability Will Lecture.

The management of the North Dakota Farmers' Insitute is planning a series of meetings for the winter season. The circuit will commence about December 1st.

Prof. Thos. Shaw has again been secured as a lecturer for the coming season. He is making special preparation for this institute circuit.

Speakers of outstanding ability or men who have distinguished themselves along agricultural and other useful lines will be secured from time to time as opportunities afford. We hope to place the work on a higher plan than ever before.

Towns wishing to have a meeting this winter should send in their applications at an early date. Commercial or Farmers' Clubs, private individuals or organizations may apply for meetings. All the expense to the town locally will be to furnish a comfortable hall.

T. A. HOVERSTAD, Supt., Farmers' Institute.

FARM HUSBANDRY AL-UMNUS WINTER RYE INRICHLAND COUNTY

A. O. Hertzgaard a member of the farm husbandry class of '06 has sent in a report of a yield of 43 bushels per acre of winter rye. He obtained the seed from the station last year when it had been grown and selected for hardiness. Mr. Hertzgaard tells of a good example of the relative har diness of the winter rve as compared with the winter wheat. He had the rye and wheat in fields side by side and last spring when the snow melted and both fields were flooded the rve was uninjured while the wheat was damaged considerably.

READ SPECTRUM ADS.

AND SAVE MONEY. Last week a young man was selling ink pencils to the students the same time they were advertised in The Spectrum for 68 cents, and they were the very

Agnes Halland and another from class was declared winner of the Chas. Cooper, and they according- peanuts, with Allen Clark of the ly awarded Miss Halland first Juniors, second. Professor Sheppard showed that he had been this game before by the spirit Professor Sheppard, represent- with which he went into it.

same make.

After the excitement of the po-

Students Assemble in Chapel

"PA" PHELPS LEADS THE YELLING.

Gunness Elected Official Yell Master for the Season.

Upon Friday at half past eleven the students all assembled in the Chapel to stir up enthusiasm and to practice the college yells for the game that was held upon the following day. President Worst started the ball rolling by explaining why he had granted this half class has just completed the subhours leave from the college work.

Paul Heath, '01, was called upon to preside at the meeting. He immediately called upon "Pa' Phelps, the famous yell master of last year, to lead with the college yell and all joined with a vim.

Manager Halland spoke for a few minutes upon the business phase of the game, exhorting the students to true sportmanship upon the side lines and courteous treatment at all times of the visiting team.

Coach Magoffin was then called to the platform. He assured the audience that the team would do its best, and emphasized the importance of organized rooting upon the sidelines.

Professor Keene spoke for a minute upon the possibilities of the application of certain physical laws in the football game.

Captain Nemzek then appeared upon the scene and in his usual fluent manner told what the team had been doing upon the field for the past month and made an appeal for the most loyal support upon the sidelines.

Gunness Yell Leader. In consideration of the fact that "Pa" Phelps would be in uniform at the game it was thought advisable to elect a yell master, and Mr. Gunnes was nominated and received the unamiious vote of the assembly.

New Courses Added To Aggies Schedule those students that suspici-

Dean Sheppard and Professor Richards Each Add A New Subject to Their Active Courses.

The two classes which were started at the beginning of the term in the Agricultural Course are meeting with the approval of the students and are proving very interesting.

The class in Farm Management is under the direction of Dean Sheppard and Professor Doneghue and consists of six students at the present time who do reference work on the various topics Kraft grinned in the back ground assigned and make a report to the class about once a week. In an smiled by turns while Pat O'Keefe interview Professor Doneghue said: "The subjects taken up will broke up without any result. It be of various characters and will was too much for them. cover the various conditions and problems with which the farmer ries and ous hitching posts will has to deal." Turning to his outline he said: "To give you an idea dents in the future. what the work is like I will give you some of the topics which will be taken up which are as follows : edit. This is the situation which Values of farm land and factors effecting the same in the United States; sizes of farms and different systems of tenure; farm plans, which will include the consideration of the most improved methtions; farm equipment and factors week.

effecting the same; organization of large enterprizes; cost of livand Make Dakota Resound ing on farms; various systems of farm operations with respect to source of income and localities; general discussion of crop rotation; and relation of the type of farming to equipment and stana ard of living."

> Care and Management of Livestoc This subject is under the direction of Professor Richards who gives the work in the form of lectures, after which there is an opportunity for general discussion. The various problems of the livestock industry are studied from a practical standpoint. The ject of horses and are now taking up sheep. This is the first time

> these subjects have been offered and they promise to be of special interest to students taking agricultural work.

Hitching Posts Now Green and Yellow

Somebody Works Early or Late and adds Yellowstripe to Fresh Green.

BEALS OUT WITH WEAPONS

Everybody Wears A Smile at Pranks of Night.

Upon Wednesday night of last week some unpardonable miscreants in the dead of night, (between the hours of eight and nine p. m., while the faculty were iocated in the Chemical Building listening to Professor Remington's lecture,) with a little can of vellow paint and a little paint brush went about the Campus and put a band of beautiful bright yellow around each of the twenty hitching posts about the campus. Forman Beals had painted these posts a bright green only the week

before and this added decoration made a very appropriate combination of the Green and Yellow. The Next Morning. Eevery student that came up the brick walk had "a smile that wouldn't come off," and even

ously had a dob or two of paint upon their clothes looked very innocent. The faculty were affected much in the same manner as the students put on a broad pleasant frown and turned away. Those posts were without doubt the most conspicious objects upon the Campus and as patiotic works

of art didn't look half bad. Council of Authorities.

Just after the classes were assembled a party was noticed in secret council upon the walk between the Administration Building and the Chemical. Professor Parrott had a stern look hidden underr a four inch smile: Dick Forman Beals, locked black and looked on innocently. The party

The shades that deck our praibe the popular ballad of the stu- absolutely prohibitory."

An editor without any thing to 'Bill Parker'' who is entrusted with producing a Washington song book at the University of the state.

The two year engineers were

Fifty Cents and In

THE WEEKLY SPECTRUM

NO MORE STUDENTS TICKETS TO THE ATHLETIC CONTESTS.

Students Petition Faculty. The Faculty Approve, Think the Plan Will Increase Attendance and Sport.

All of the students will now get into our athletic contests for fifty cents each term as the result of the faculty action placing their stamp of approval upon the matter last Friday afternoon.

The plan had its origin early in the week when the Athletic Board of Control assembled to fix the price of admission to the games of the season.

The Association brought forth the plan, which in detail is that everybody who registers at the College be required to pay a fee of fifty cents which will go to the support of the athletic contest of the term and after this was done every student shab received a nod of recognition or presented his registration card to the manager at the gate will be admitted without further charge.

Board Favorable.

The Athletic Board reported favorable upon the matter and were in favor of adopting the plan providing it was approved og by the students.

The student members of the Board of Control then took the matter in hand and circulated a petition among the students asking the faculty to take action upon the matter and authorize the collection of the fifty cents. The petition was very generally signed, none of the students disaproving of the plan.

The faculty at their regular meeti Friday afternoon considered these petitions and voted for the immediate adoption of the plan.

The Advantage

The argument advanced in favor of the plan was that in the past the sum contributed to the support of athletic contest has been under 500 dollars and without a doubt this plan will increase the yearly income from the students to at least 800 hundred dollars. And this will cost no student more than adollar and a half while the ordinary price of the season ticket for football alone is usually that amount for the students.

What They Say.

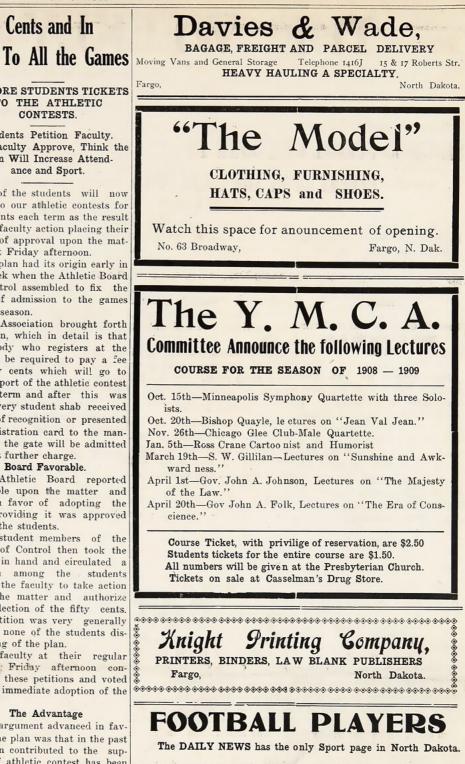
"All of the students can now feel themselves at home when they enter the Armory of the Athletic Park'' remarked Manager Malland.

"The Association will be the winner not from the financial standpoint only but the great gain will be in the increase in the attendance and the arousing of a better and more spontaneous spirit at the games," was the verdict of Captain Nemzek.

"Professor Keene, chairman of the Board of Cotrol stated to the Spectrum: "I think it is a migthy good thing. The usual price of admission has in the past been fifty cents or a dollar and with of last year's squad are out a large proportion of our students again. Among these are Captain this looks like a large sum of Ella Hydner, Miss Geneva Lasmoney, and if a young man wanted to take his young lady it was first team.

Everybody Out.

Last Saturday, as the result of this action, all of our students walked in to the game needing nothing more than their registration card or a nod of recognition from the manager at the gate for a pass word. In the future the student that can't find time away from his studies enough to come ods of laying out farms with re- practicing in lining and setting to the game should be dubbed off by the cadets will pass the Armory. The Mus never have spect to specific natural condi- the old Port Huron engine last a quitter of the first order. And soap factory. The odor is strong if you want to know what Captain enough to stop any thing.



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Nemzek thinks of such a student, MILLER LEADS stay away and then call around after the game and ask him.

GIRLS OUT FOR PRACTICE THURSDAY.

Twelve Girls Report for First Time and Girls are Jubilant.

The girls basket ball team held their first practice last Thursday was the genial "Pa" Phelps. at four thirty. Among the twelve Miller however was favored begirls reporting for the first prac- cause he was a back fielder while tice are high school girls of con-| Phelps is the center lineman. siderable experience and several son, and Miss McKee of last years

The girls are enthusiastic and confident of having a winning team this year. They will practice regularly from now on upon the afternoon of Mondays and Fridays of each week. All girls interested in this form of athletics are urged to get out to practice and to get out regularly.

Guaranteed that no bullets shot

At an enthusiastic meeting of all the members of the second team at one o'clock upon Friday Miller, a snappy little backfield player was elected captain of the seconds by a vote of eight to nine. The other candidate in the field

THE SECONDS

Driver Injured.

Professor Richards drivinghorse severely injured itself by training endon while ning at large the other day. It is now upon Dr. Van Ess's hospital list.

Alpha Mus to Give Hop.

The Greek lettermen have obtained the date Friday, November 13th, upon which they will be hosts at a dance in the College failed to give a good entertainment.

ample of the Corn Belt.

is Being Done in North

Dakota.

This year North Dakota will

follow the example of other states

of the corn belt by holding a

genuine corn show. This show

will be conducted in Fargo dur-

ing the Tri-State Grain Grower's

Association, January 19-22, and

is open to all North Dakotans who

may wish to participate. The

farmers of this vicinity are re-

quested to be on the lookout for

ten choice ears to be taken or

sent to Fargo next winter. There

will be no entry charges and a

nice line of prizes is offered. Prof.

G. W. Randlett of the Agricultur-

al College has the matter in

charge and will furnish rules and

Prizes Offered.

ular which Prof. Randlett of the

College has been sending out to

the newspapers of the state for

The prizes which are being of-

fered amount to nearly two hun-

dred dollars in cash, and in addi-

tion there are offered two gold

medals, two silver medals and

several trophies. Professor Rand-

lett is very enthusiastic over the

exhibition and expects to have

on exhibition some corn that will

open the eves of the visitors at

the grain growers convention in

January when they see what

North Dakota can do and is doing

Considerable corn has already

been received for the show from

the farmers of Richland County.

Most of the leading flint and dent

varieties are represented. One

sample of Mercer flint is especi-

ally fine. Some of the ears of this

sample measure twelve inches in

The editors cleaned the Spect-

rum office last Tuesday. This

will be a regular weekly occur-

length.

rence after this.

in the way of raising corn.

The above is a copy of a circ-

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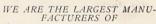
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Corn Show The regular target practice took place last Friday. In an interview with Major Ulio he stated North Dakota will follow the Exthat the marksmanship as a whole this time was poor, especially at the 200-yard distance. Seargent M. N. Johnson made forty-one Will Make Visitors open their points which was the best record Eyes When They See What made at this practice.

Polytechnic Society

Dean Sheppard will Head the New Scientific Society

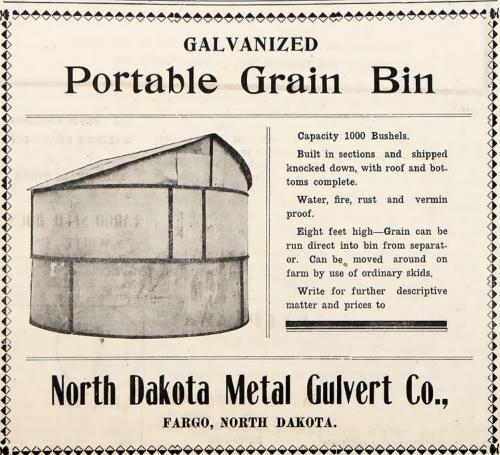
Immediately following the lecture last Wednesday evening the Polytechnic Society adjourned to a business meeting. The business to be taken up was the consideration of the report of the nominating committee that had been appointed to nominate officers the week before.

which was accepted was as follows:

Agricultural Department, for President; Linwood A. Brown, Professor of Pharmacy, first Vice President; H. L. Bolley, Professor of Botany and Zoology, Second Vice President; Roe E. Remington, Instructor of Food Chemistry, Secretary;" and W. L. Stockham, Assistant in Chemistry Sergeant at Arms. A program committee was alto elected consisting of T. D. Beckwith, Professor of Bacteriology, and P. S. Rose, Professor of Steam and Ex. 3000 of which are under cultivatiperimental Engineering. cure a man from North Dakota

With such officers there can be no doubt that the iniatial year of the Polytechnic Society will be farm. a succesful one which will insure the permanence of the organization.

out to the second.



noteworthy on the letter is that they should report to Dean Shep-

One thing

Daily themes are the cause of faces of the freshmen.

A GOOD OPENING FOR

on.

ONE O. OUR "AGGIES"

Dean Sheppard is in receipt of

a letter from an investor re-

siding in Alabama who owns

10,500 acres of land in Alberta,

who is able to undertake the man-

He wants the Dean to se-

finds fault because the team is not the studious expression upon the

agement and development of the This would be an excellent position for a young man with the necessary ability. Standard Definitions.

Quitter, one who does not go pard at once.

always successful.

not get out to the first football that they would like this position game.

Knocker, one of the above who

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advantage because of not know-

St. Cloud the following day. Besides this our team was at a dis-

ing their signals and a lack of team work; this was due to the fact that the players necessarily have to be shifted more or less in the regular practice with the first team and consequently were not in good form. Miller (captain) who played quarter and Allen Clark, one of the backfield, played the best ball of any of the team, although many made good tackles. The High School were very good with their forward pass

and worked it many times. The High School no doubt feel quite jubilant over their victory, the writer specifically states that but had Frank Darrow and the he wants a man from North Da- rest of the team which were out Deadhead, a student who did kota. If any of our students feel of the game been in, the score would no doubt been somewhat

Notice to Freshmen.

different.

Knowledge may be best absorb ed by keeping eyes and ears open

and mouths closed. The Student published a cut of

the new Wesley College Dormi-tory for men. This suggests a

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FARM HUSBANDRY MEN

ARE NOW COMING IN. Yesterday was the first day of registration of the students of the H. Bachman who is playing a cor-Farm Husbandry Course and this morning saw a crowd of farmer boys in the Administration Building waiting their turn at the Registrar's desk.

Professor Parrott stated that he expected the registration the first two days would be about 100 and appearances would indicate that his expectations would be \fulfilled. So far the registration has exceeded that of last year by 50 per cent for this period of the itself very readily to decorative year. Last week twenty-seven effects and will act as an ornament students registered over the eight to all official documents. during the same period last year.

EXCELLENT LECTURE

BY ENOS A. MILLS Enos A. Mills delivered an in

teresting lecture upon the value of the forest at the Grand theater last Sunday evening. The address consisted of the presentation of tinued prosperity of the country, and was well interspersed with personal reminiscences of the speaker's experience in the government forestry service.

Coming Lectures.

"The Grand Free Lecture Association," under whose auspices these lectures are carried on, have lege last week and is now in the prepared another strong course for this fall and winter. Among dently to be used by those enterthe men that will appear later in the season are E. A. Ross, of Madison, Wis.; A. A. Bruce, of Grand Forks; A. P. Hollis, of Valley City. These lectures are free and should be taken advantage of by all students who possibly can.

BAD CASE EXPLAINED.

The bad case of the blues which a story of the Ordovician period. seems to have been prevalent It is to be written up in a popular among some of the members of way suitable for schools of primthe upper classes has recently ary grade. During this period been explained by the fact that there were no vertebrates on the new matron of the Dormitory earth. The write-up will treat of only allows the young ladies to the physical geography of the pereceive callers on three evenings riod and the animal life.

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of the week. This rule seems to have affected some so badly that a solution of the problem seemed necessary, so the following plan has been suggested by someone: "Either take to drink or have this rule that is causing so many heart aches changed."

It might be said for the benefit f the uninitiated that these three evenings of perfect bliss, to which many of the students look forward to the other four evenings of the week, are Friday, Saturday, and Sunday evenings.

BAND OUT SATURDAY.

The Cadet band turned out 28 men upon its first appearance on the occasion of the St. Cloud game last Saturday. 4 trip was made around the town in a street car and a few numbers were played in a group upon Broadway. Among the men who have just joined the band for this year are Leo Schmidt, who played a trombone in the second band of the winter term of '06, and is now playing bass; also Mr. net.

NEW SEAL DESIGNED FOR THE COLLEGE.

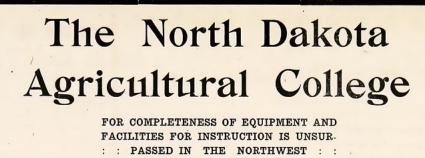
The Engineering Department has submitted to the faculty for approval a design of an official seal for the College. The design submitted is in the College colors and uses a plow and anvil as symbolizing Agriculture and the Mechanics Arts. This seal will lend

SECOND TEAM WILL PLAY FOUR OR FIVE GAMES THIS FALL.

The second team are jubilant over the fact that the management has arranged, or is arranging three or four games for them the necessity of forest for the con- this fall.. The first of the series turned out rather bad for the subs last Saturday but they are confident of a great improvement before the next game.

> An enormous mathematical machine known as the Kuffeland Es. sen slide rule arrived at the Colengineering building. It is eviprising engineers that only do things on a large scale.

The classes in zoology are the largest they have ever been. One of the classes is compelled to use a small storeroom for a laboratory



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> WRITE TO THE PRESIDENT FOR CIRCULARS AND CATALOGUE COURSE IN GAS ENGINES BEGINS NOVEMBER 9, 1908.

We clean The Spectrum office Tuesday so when the readers offer to do so we can decline their offer with thanks.

The only thing missing at the social Saturday evening was the They winning football team. could not forego the pleasure of seeing Max Figman.

First College dance of the season will come Saturday evening, tickets this year. much to the joy of the lovers of the art.

Prof. Willard returned Monday night from Tolna, N. D. He conducted a geological excursion to Devils Lake and brought back some duck specimens.

The fifty-cent rule is having its effect. There were a large number of old students that saw their first game Saturday.

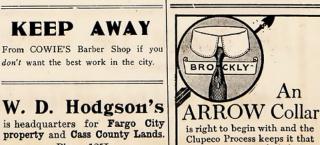
given up Fargo College has beating us this year, but they are still confident that they can hold us down to one score. This from a remark overheard at the game Saturday.

When we become Juniors we put away childish things and begin worrying about Junior annuals.

The faculty were the only ones that had to buy season football 8

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The class in geology is writing

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INSUBORDINATION NOT PATRIOTISM

Last week there appeared upon the bulletin board a large poster announcing that a foot ball rally would be held in chapel upon Friday morning between the hours of eleven and twelve. It later developed that this poster was put up by a student without any authorization from the faculty and was removed from the boar by the President.

Even if the perpetrator of this act did it in some moment of thoughtlessness and with a false idea of patriotism it is hardly par- Chili exported 1,453,000 tons of donable. A student that holds himself in such high estimation as to call a meeting of the student body atan hour when they are supposed to be in the class room, should be taught his place and this should not be left to the faculty. A cold bath would probably awaken in him dim memories, at least, of his position.

We notice in the "Dakota Farmer'' an article entitled, 'Will the Dakotas be dry again?' This is a revelation. We were under the impression that North Dakota was dry now.

Keep Off.

And that is to protect the fine

tions neither plants nor animals can make any use of the nitrogen of the air. Nitrogen of the Air

Prof. Remington tells Scientific Society How the "Lake of Nitrogen about us can be Utilized.

The First Meeting of the Polytechnic Society is well Attended and Successful.

"The Fixation of Atmospheric Nitrogen," by Professor Roe E. hoped that it will be used to the Remington was the subject of the extent of replacing all the nitrogfirst lecture before the newly formed Polytechnic Society at the first regular meeting held tion it will be seen that any availin the lecture room of the chem- able supply of combined nitrogen ical Building last Wednesday will find ready and profitable apevening. The subject is one that plication. is exciting a great deal of interest, in not only the scientific world, but also in the field of turned their attention to the imcommerce and agriculture, and mense inexhaustible lake of nithe Professors discussion was highly appreciated by the society members and visitors present.

"Nitrogen of the Soil."

Agricultural chemists tells us that all of the substances contaned getable growth. The most essential to plant life, and the most diffiare those compounds which contain Nitrogen. The return of these nitrogenous compounds to the soil in some form or other is absolutely essential to its continued use. A soil from wihch they have been in a large measure removed is said to be worn out, or exhausted, and must be regenerated by the application of nitrogen compounds, either as artifical or na-'tural fertilizers.'

"Only a small portion of the nitrogen is at present restored by natural manuring and hence we must resort to artifical fetilizers. Sources of Nitrogen.

"The principal sources are ammonium sulphate, which is a byproduct in the manufacture of coal gas; Chili salt petre from the mines of South America, The amount of ammonium sulphate produced in 1900 was approximately five hundred thousand tons." hence will not vary much from this amount as it depends altogether on the extent of which the manufacture of coal gas is carried on." In this same year sodium nitrate, three fourths of which was applied as a fertilizer the balance being used to manufacture the compound of nitrogen used in the arts and trades. Stalast more than twenty years at the present rate of consumption.

These considerations make the problem of the fixation of the atmospheric nitrogen a vital one at the present time.

Nitrogen.

"We are taught that the only function of the nitrogen of the air so lifeless a substance is it.

"Nitrogen in combinations other elements on the other hand, contains bound up in the mole-A conspicious notice in the gym cule a vast amount of energy. announces that students who in- Our explosives are all nitrogen dulge in any form of gymnastics compounds, nitric acid is the uniwithout tennis shoes upon their versal solvent of all metals. Nifeet will forfeit their privilige to trogen compounds are among the the gym is there for the purpose. most useful and important and useful because most active. 'When by the nails of heavy shoes. Every nitrogen gas i liberated. To get then suddenly cool the mixture student should feel it his duty to it back into combination that en- the reaction velocity decreases so

Legumes. "Botanists tell us that plants of this class have growing in tube rcules upon the roots certain

micro-organisms which manage in an unknown way to supply the necessary energy to take up nitrogen of the air and convert it into a form that can be used by the plant." This method where applicable

will supply nitrogen to these specified crops but it can not be en removed from the soil.

"Taking all this into considera-

An Inexhaustable Supply. "Scientists in recent years have

trogen of the air. The problem thus far has been attacked by three different methods.

First Method.

"Certain of the rare metals particularly Lithium and to a less in the soil which are utilized by ve- | marked degree Barium when heated in an atmosphere of pure Nitrogen take up the gas to form cult to replace when exhausted nitrids, which whe nheated with steam form ammonia and acids. In this method there are technical difficulties that are difficult to overcome and the Lithium of which a little is lost in the process, and it is quoted at three hundred dollars per pound.

Second Method.

"The second process owes its conception to Dr. Adolph Frank of Charlottenburg. He found that Calcium earbide with which we are all familiar as the source in nitrogen took up nitrogen to form a compound which he called carcium eyanamid. This product may be used directly for fertilization or converted in to Ammonia Sulphate.

Third Process.

As early as 1781 Cavendish noticed that water formed by burning hydrogen in air contained nitric acid, and later showed that if oxygen be added and heat sup-This is an insignificant product of plied in the forms of electric the manufacture of coal gas and sparks, all the nitrogen in a given volume of air could be burned. A small bubble of gas always remained, which was shown to be Argon one hundred years late, Nitrogen may be burned but unlike other combustible substances its heat of combustion is negative To burn it we must continually supply energy.

When air is heated to a very high temperature, say about 2000 tisticians say this supply will not degrees C., there are always present greater or less quantities of these nitrous gases, independent of whether the heat be furnished by chemical means, electric discharges or the heating of resistances. That is to say it is a purely thermal reaction.

"Now it is an established chemical fact that such a reaction may pending upon the conditions. By 1.2 cents. this is meant that nitrogen will combine and form the nitric oxtogether upon the concentration. Burning the Air.

If we heat air up to any given temperature, allow time for an new floor from rapid destruction any of these compounds break up equilibrium to establish itself and enforce this rule. There is no ergy must again be supplied in much more rapidly than the temdoubt but that the coach will do some way. Perhaps this will ex- perature that although there is a students are wearing is that those his part. students are wearing is that those who do are then distinguishable.

en to dissociate, it is impossible BEIDLER & ROBINSON Lbr. Co to cool it to a point where dissociation is impossible, say below 1200 degrees.

"For successful burning of the air there are necessary extre un heat and sudden and extremcooling. For these reasons it has been found that any of a flame is not desirable or practicable. Among the electrical sources of heat, heat due to resistance might be available if a rapid enough current of the air be blown across it.

The Electrical Discharge.

The processes that have been worked out, however, have all been based on the electrical discharge, the arc discharge. The principal of the process is briefly as follows: If two electrodes be tween which discharge is taking place, under a current of high voltage, and with high resistance in the circuit be drawn apart, at the moment of breaking the arc a large amount of energy is expended, with accompanying high temperature, and in the next instant sudden and extreme cooling.

"Here then we have the right conditions for burning the air, for during time when the discharge is at its maximum concentration, the cooling is so rapid that the inverse reaction cannot take place to a measurable extent."

It will impossible to reproduce here in detail Professor Remington's discriptions of the actu working of the process and the intricacies of the apparatus without the aid of the illustration. which were used briefly by the Professor to make the subject intelligible.

Factory at Notodden.

The new factory at Notodden is equipped with three of the furnaces devised by Birkland and Eyde and the yield is 1500 Kilograms per or over 3300 pounds per 10 hour day. The company has options on the use of the Norwegian waterfalls which yield at a very low cost 350,000 horsepower.

The Process.

The technique of the process is somewhat as follows : After pass ing through the furnaces the hot nitrous gases are passed under the boilers thus generating steam to concentrate the cacium nitrate solutions. (Calcium carborate be used to neutralize the acid.) They are then passed into the oxidation towers, which are lined with acid proof stone and merely serve to check the current and allow time for the oxidation of the nitric acid to nitrogen perosid They are then passed through absorbtion towers in which water is allowed to drip over flint, the gases being dissolved to nitric acid.

"The yield is one hundred grams of acid per kilowatt hour. Placing the cost of the electrical energy at 12 cents per kilowatt hour and taking the yield as 100 grams of acid the cost of the energy required' to produce one is to dilute the oxygen, so inert proceed in either direction de- Kilo of the acid would be about

The present price of crude niides or when it is once formed tric acid is six cents hence the there is an equal tendency for it cost of the energy to produce the to break up in to the simple ele- acid is only one tenth of the markments. The results will depend al- et price of the product. The energy necessary to produce the synthetic fertilizer calcium nitrate is approximately one fourth of the price of the Chili saltpetre.

> The only argument in favor of those freak hats that a few of the students are wearing is that those



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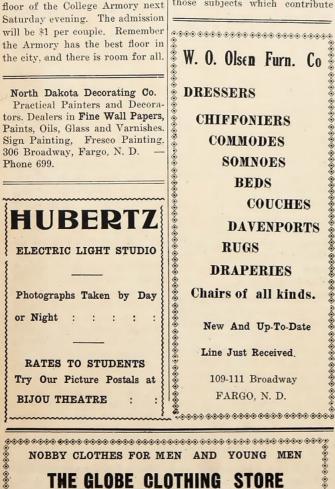
Assembly Upon Christian Association.

"A World Wide Student Movement" was the subject of a pleasant address by Miss Myra B. Fishback, college secretary of the Young Women's Christian asso iation

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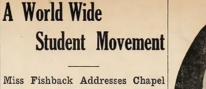
"Of the men foremost in the affairs of our nation and the other nations the greatest are all Christian men. Gladstone, the grand old man of England, stands out in our minds as the highest type of the Christian-statesman, While he lived he said that he met sixty men who swayed the affairs of the various nations, and of these fifty-four were Christians, and the remaining six had the greatest respect for the Christian religion. Of the men that hold places on the supreme bench of the United States all are Christians and of these Justice Brewer, a prominent church worker, is an example.

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000 associations and Germany has about 3,000 separate Young Women's Christian associations. Nineteen different countries have national organizations of this movement.

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New Scientific Agr'l Society

Aggies Plan Organization of a New Society With Exclusive Membership.

A petition was presented by students of the Agricultural Department to the faculty at their last regular weekly session to recognize the organization of an 'Agricultural Scientific Society.'' The faculty approved of the organization and the students are now free to proceed.

Object.

The object of the society will be to hold semi-monthly meetings upon Friday evenings and take up to the discussion of the curen agricultural literature with a view of broadening the knowledge of the student along these lines and to keep him in touch with the advance of Scientific Agriculture. Members of the society will be assigned to report upon certain subjects of current interest and it is thought that the students will in this way not only become acquainted with the subject matter but will also become more proficient in presenting it in an intelligible way.

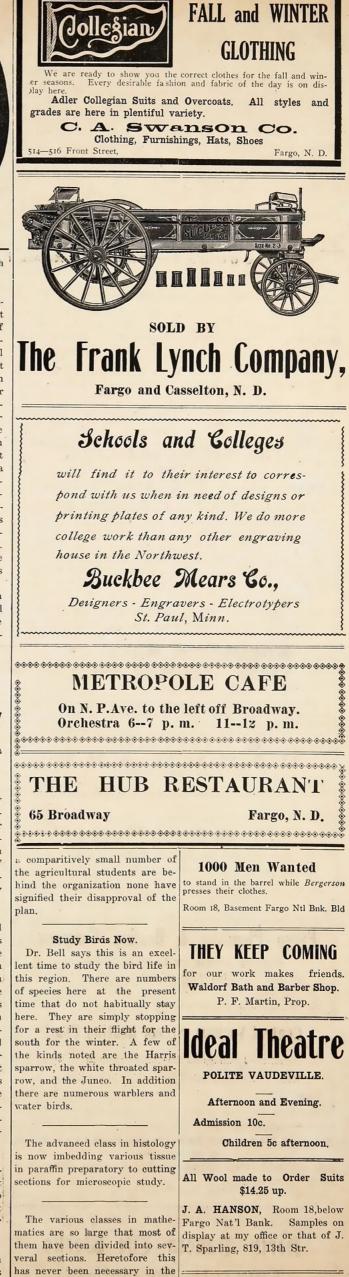
Membership.

It is the present plan of the organizers of the society to limit the membership this year to the four upper classes and next year to limit it to the three upper classes.

All Approve.

Dean Sheppard is the champion of this new organization and is confident that it will be a splendid thing for the Department metic are now up to involution and the students. Althoug only and evolution.

fall term. The classes in arith-



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