

# The Weekly Spectrum

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## BLEACHED FLOUR CASE.

### It Will Stay in the District Court.

In a decision handed down by Judge Spaulding of the State Supreme Court on the 20th, the application for a writ of prohibition against the district court alleging that the bleached flour case was out of its jurisdiction, was refused. This means that the case will be fought out in the district court and meanwhile the millers will be allowed to sell their bleached flour unlabeled until the constitutional-ity of the law is decided.

In the opinion of the court the legality of the act of the food commissioner may be questioned, also whether or not he is overstepping the power conferred upon him; and the district court may properly entertain jurisdiction brought by parties whose property is about to be destroyed. The pure food commission may be enjoined from distributing circulars and condemning the property of manufacturers as harmful and deceptive when the acts of the commissioner are in excess of the power conferred upon him or would cause an irreparable injury.

The writ of prohibition was refused on the ground that the legality or illegality of the acts threatened by the commissioner were left in doubt by the records.

## STOCK JUDGING CONTEST

### John Dinwoodie Gets the Gold Medal.

The annual stock judging contest is over, and the prizes awarded. Once more the gold medal offered to the contestants in the advanced classes changes hands, this time going to John Dinwoodie, who last year won the silver cup among the first year men.

Mr. Evan Hall, '10, won the silver cup donated as second prize to the advanced class, by Prof. Shepperd. This prize becomes the personal property of the winner.

Among the first year judges, Chas. Ruzika, '11, was the star and scored even higher than Dinwoodie. He was awarded the silver cup donated by Prof. Richards. This cup must also be won for the second time.

Several prizes were offered for the best judging of the individual classes. In this John M. Johnson, a schedule man, carried off the lion's share of the honors. For the best judging of sheep he was awarded a silver watch fob, donated by the Zenier Disinfectant Company; for the best judging of hogs, a Poland China gelt, donated by the College. For the best judging of dairy cattle a Plymouth Rock cockerel, donated by the local department of poultry husbandry.

Burke Critchfield, '09, made the highest score on beef cattle and was awarded a Poland China gelt, donated by S. Fletcher of Madison.

Prof. Thos. Shaw, Mr. Gosling, and Prof. Richards acted as referees in the contests.

## BUSY MAN.

Mr. Whitcomb may be seen at any time of the day or night reading Agassiz copy on the campus.

## Farm Husbandry Class Graduate

### Seven Students Finish the Three-Years' Course.

The graduation exercises of the third year farm husbandry students, held Wednesday evening last, were very well attended and an interesting program was rendered. The music for the occasion was very ably furnished by a students' orchestra which rendered several much appreciated numbers during the evening. Literary numbers were given by two members of the class, Reinhold Flohr having prepared an interesting paper on the subject of "Fragments of Equine History," and John Henderson acting as the class historian.

The feature of the evening's program, however, was the address to the class delivered by Prof. Thos. Shaw of Minnesota. Professor Shaw needs no introduction to any of the North Dakota people as regards his knowledge relative to matters of agricultural interest, and his fitness to deliver an address at an occasion of this kind cannot be well surpassed, as was indicated by the highly appropriate address he delivered last Wednesday evening.

The first impression which the speaker left upon the minds of his audience was the true meaning of the term "graduation." "Graduation," he said, "does not simply mean that a student has completed a certain amount of work and that he has successfully ended a struggle of several years' duration. It has a far greater significance, namely that the holder of the diploma given him on this occasion must now begin his real life's struggle, which is far greater than the one which he has just completed." He then went on to show what the significance of graduation as applied to this particular class is. In this part of his talk he pointed out a few facts which the outgoing agricultural college graduate must keep in mind. The citizens of North Dakota have a reason to expect more of them than of their neighbors who have not had the opportunity of acquiring the training which they have obtained. They must therefore be very cautious about their proceedings, as there is no more fatal blow given to the agricultural college whence they came than their failure while attempting to put to practice some of the matters long advocated by that college. The agricultural college student is inclined to do a good deal of experimenting on account of his contact with the methods of doing work on the experimental farm in connection with the college. Experimenting is expensive, however, and the ambitious farmer may get himself into debt from which he cannot extricate himself. He must therefore go rather slowly from the beginning in order to save himself from disaster. Another fact which he must not lose sight of is that two of the essentials in agriculture are industry and economy. The farmer must not farm seven months of the year, but twelve months. The five months' idleness which so many of the farmers are apt to take in the winter are apt to produce disastrous

results for the reason that it brings so completely out of touch with their work that they lose the ambition which ordinarily spurs them on to an effort for higher attainment. Furthermore, the farmer must be reasonably economical, for no matter how rapidly he accumulates wealth, if he allows his expense account to keep pace with his income, he will never make much headway.

Remarks such as these, together with his holding up the industry of agriculture in its true light, by impressing his hearers with the fact that it is, as a noble and independent industry without a peer, when placed side by side with any of the other callings in which men engage, ought to inspire everyone who has any interest in this calling with the profoundest respect for it. The assertion that the members of the class in whose behalf the talk was delivered will begin their work with a determination to do their part to raise their favorite calling to the level to which it can attain is surely not too broad.

## Domestic Science and Art Exhibit

The domestic science and domestic art exhibits held last Thursday in Francis Hall, were a great success.

The sewing exhibit consisted of work done in the second, third and fourth terms, and also work in a special class given by Mrs. Ash in fancy work. Medals were offered for the best second term's work, both the quantity and the quality being considered. Miss Edith Fowler, teacher of domestic science in Oak Grove Seminary, who was asked to judge the work, awarded the gold medal to Miss Jessie Peterson of Fargo, and the silver medal to Miss Lillian Merritt of Moorhead.

The domestic science exhibit was held in the reception hall and kitchen. In the reception hall the girls had a table properly laid for breakfast. At another and smaller table Russian tea and marguerites were served to all the visitors. On a third table was the laundry exhibit consisting of work done by the various girls in the laundrying class. In the kitchen was the cooking exhibit proper. One table was entirely filled with deserts, which drew forth a great deal of admiration and comment. On another table were arranged the breads, both plain and fancy, and on still another the meats, vegetables, canned fruits, and jellies.

The members of the advanced class in cooking are deserving of great credit, for, on account of the illness of Miss Childs, all the responsibility of the exhibit fell upon them and their untiring efforts to make it a success certainly were well rewarded.

The two exhibitions considered as a whole were the most successful ever given at the College, both from the standpoint of the work exhibited and the number of visitors they attracted.

## MAP OF SUB-STATION.

Prof. Shepperd received a very complete contour map of the Williston Experiment Farm, with eighty surface readings, showing ditches of all kinds, etc., from H. A. Storrs, chief engineer in charge of the government reclamation service at Williston.

The farm is exactly half prairie and half broken, and contains four of the five different kinds of soil in the project. The quarter section which composes the farm has been hacked irregularly out of the middle of a section on the outskirts of the town, part of which was platted for city lots and originally be-

longed to five different parties. Dry land and irrigation farming will be practiced side by side. Much thanks is due to the Commercial club and to the citizens of Williston for this station as they have gone to considerable expense and trouble to secure the site.

## DRILL HOUR CHANGED.

Military drill, during the spring term, will be held from 1:30 to 2:30 and regular laboratory periods will start at 2:30. This change in the arrangement of the afternoon hours should be noted by all students.

Alfred H. Parott,

## Y. W. C. A. State Convention.

### Over One Hundred Delegates From North Dakota Schools Saturday Morning.

The fourth annual convention of the Young Women's Christian Association of North Dakota was held in the city Saturday and Sunday, March 21 and 22. The opening session was held at the First Methodist church with a large attendance, over 100 delegates being present besides a large number of visitors. Delegates were present from the city association the State University at Grand Forks, Mayville State Normal School, Valley City State Normal School, Ellendale Industrial School, Phillips Academy at New Rockford, besides large numbers of the members of the associations of Fargo College and the Agricultural College.

After a praise service the organization of the convention took place. A most profitable and instructive Bible Hour was conducted by Miss Ethel Cutler of the Secretarial Training School of Chicago. Then followed the reports of the officers for the past year and reports from the student associations were made. At 12 o'clock the convention adjourned. Luncheon was served to the delegates by the state committee.

### Saturday Afternoon.

Convention convened again at 2 o'clock. Miss Florence Palmer spoke on "City Association Work," telling of the splendid work which the city associations are doing. Miss Elizabeth Hatch of Fargo High school conducted a "Missionary Hour," emphasizing the importance of the study of Missions. At 4 o'clock the meeting adjourned. The visiting delegates were then shown through the new city association building.

### Saturday Evening.

A reception was given to the visiting delegates of the convention Saturday evening by the associations of Fargo College and the Agricultural College at Francis Hall. Besides the delegates there were present the Moorhead Normal Association, the Senior Girls of Fargo High school and the wives of the faculty members of both colleges.

The parlors at Francis Hall presented a very pretty appearance, the one being decorated in the Blue and Gold and the other in the Green and Yellow. College banners and pennants were everywhere in evidence and on the walls nearly surrounding one of the rooms an exhibit of posters from the six institutions appeared. Pillows and rugs added greatly to the cozy effect of the rooms.

In the receiving line were Miss Moore, Miss Cutler and Miss Pear-

son, Miss Palmer, city secretary of Grand Forks; Miss True of Fargo College, and members of the state board. During the evening the following program was listened to:

Vocal Solo—"O, Dry Those Tears," Miss Mabel Piers.

Recitation—"Pickens' Toboggan Slide," Miss Jessie Buchanan.

Vocal Solo—"Irish Mother's Lullaby," Mrs. Willard.

Piano Solo—Miss Agnes Peterson.

Recitation—"A Shaker Romance," Miss Moore.

Following this program refreshments consisting of pineapple ice cream and cake were served. About 100 people were present.

### Sunday Morning.

The opening meeting of the convention on Sunday morning was held at the First Presbyterian church, when Miss Cutler gave her second "Bible Hour." The subject was the "Yearning Love of Jehovah," Isa. 30:18, and the manner of presentation even surpassed the "Bible Hour" of the previous day.

At 10:30 the Sabbath morning service was held, Rev. Chas. Adams of the First Presbyterian church presiding. Mr. Adams first introduced Miss Cutler of the Chicago Secretarial Training school, who presented the subject of "National Work," telling what it stands for and what it seeks to do. She spoke briefly of both the Home and Foreign departments. Miss Pearson, state secretary for North Dakota, was next introduced, and talked of "The Student and City Work." She told in a very interesting manner the great work which has been done during the last thirty years in the student and city associations.

Miss Moore, chairman of the state committee, told of the work done in North Dakota in the several organizations now doing active work.

### Sunday Afternoon.

At 4 o'clock a Vesper Service was held at Fargo College Chapel, Miss Pearson having charge of the service. Her talk was very impressive and helpful.

### Sunday Evening.

The Sunday evening meeting was held at the First M. E. church, the large auditorium being completely filled. Special music was provided by a chosen quartette. The Convention Sermon was delivered by Rev. H. G. Leonard, pastor of the First M. E. Church, the subject being "The Abundant Life." Immediately following a farewell service for delegates was led by Miss Pearson and one of the most successful of state conventions was adjourned.

# SOCIETY

## MINERVA CLUB.

A business meeting of the Minerva Debating club was held Thursday noon, March 19. The important business transacted was the election of officers for the spring term. The following officers were elected:

President—Ruby Gibbons.  
Vice President—Margaret Magill.  
Secretary and Treasurer—Matilda Thompson.

A business meeting was called for Thursday noon, March 26, when important business will be brought up. Not only members of the club but all College and Senior Preparatory girls are asked to be present.

## ATHENIANS.

The chief interest at Athenian meeting Friday evening centered on the debate, "Resolved, That the establishment of a monthly College Hour would be beneficial in promoting harmony and unity and the best interests of the College." Judges were Miss Mabel Piers, Prof. Slocum, and Mr. Gunness. The decision was two to one in favor of the negative upheld by Messrs. John Thysell, Leroy Gifford, and John Magill.

The two musical numbers consisted of a vocal duet, by Miss Grest, and Mr. Ross Babcock, and a violin-clarinet duet by Messrs. Olson and Ray Babcock. Both numbers were very pleasingly rendered.

"The Wild Horse" was the title of the original story by Mr. Raymond Thomas and showed promise of marked ability together with originality of thought and expression. The locals read by Miss Agness Peterson were refreshingly original. In the absence of the critic Mr. Darling criticized the evening's program.

A business session followed immediately after the program and a large amount of business was transacted. Miss Ruby Gibbons was elected secretary upon the resignation of Mr. Parker.

## TEAMS ENTERTAINED.

The members of the basketball teams and Coach Dobie were most pleasantly entertained on Thursday evening by Miss Doleshy at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bestic, on Second avenue and Ninth street.

Progressive whist was played until 11 o'clock, Frank Darrow winning the prize and Arthur Ueland being tendered the consolation. At 11 o'clock sumptuous refreshments were served. After a slight-of-hand exhibition by Frank Darrow all joined in singing some popular songs. A very appropriate speech was made by Mr. Dobie, after which the party broke up,

voting Miss Doleshy and her sister royal entertainers.

## FRESHMEN PARTY.

The second Freshman party of the year was given in Francis Hall last Thursday evening. About forty-five members gathered at 8 o'clock and proceeded to enjoy themselves by playing games and having a good time all around. Delightful refreshments were served. Miss Lucy Glacier acted as chaperone. The affair was very pleasant and a success in every respect.

## Y. M. C. A.

A meeting of the association was called Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of straightening up matters before the installation of the new officers who assume their duties at the beginning of the term. Plans of future work were discussed and a talk was given by Mr. Leavitt.

## NORTH DAKOTA FUNGI.

The first section on the "North Dakota Fungi" which has just been distributed by the department of botany, and largely representing the work of Professor Seaver, is receiving many complimentary comments from those who have received the specimens for exchange. About twenty sets of this collection of fungi have been sent to the various institutions of the country for exchange.

## ICE CREAM.

We have good reason to suppose that most of our readers have a more or less definite idea of the composition of the above named product, but considering some of the mixtures that are sometimes served under this head, it is probable that these ideas have been more or less perverted, and so we print below in full the official standards issued by Professor Ladd:

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The foregoing definitions are so framed as to exclude from the articles defined substances not included in the definitions.

The use of gelatin, gums and cream thickeners or substances are prohibited in ice cream. Several of the ice cream thickeners recently examined have been found to contain a chemical preservative rendering the product in direct violation of the food law. Other thickeners have been found to contain an added color giving a false impression regarding the product.

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Signed: E. F. LADD,  
Food Commissioner.

## PRACTICAL WORK IN FARM MECHANICS.

During the past two weeks the students in farm mechanics have devoted their attention to the study of the strength of materials and cement and concrete construction. These are practical subjects, and on account of the constantly increasing cost of building materials, are of considerable importance to the farmers. The safe load of joists and beams was figured out and enough problems considered to enable the student in designing, for example, a granary, to determine the necessary strength of joists and beams.

## PREPARING FOR SPRING.

The department of botany of the experiment station is now sorting, selecting and preparing its various samples of seed for spring planting. This gives work for a good number of students and at the same time gives them opportunity to learn some of the finest points in regard to plant breeding and seed selection.

## DEBATE AT FARGO COLLEGE.

By request of the representatives of Fargo College in the matter of the place of the holding of the coming debate, it will occur in the chapel of Fargo College. Remember the date at Fargo College, March 31, 1908.

## WILL GET BUSY.

The drill hour has again been changed from 3:30 to 1:30, and the Military department is preparing to cover a large amount of ground in this term's work. Drills for the spring term will occur as follows:

On Mondays—Company drill, extended order.

On Tuesdays—Company drill, practice marches.

On Wednesdays—Battalion drill, inspection and parade.

On Thursdays—Battalion drill, guard mounting.

On Fridays—Range or gallery target practice during the months of April and May. Target practice will last from 8:00 a. m. until 3:00 p. m.

The band will turn out for battalion drill on Wednesdays.

Recitations in tactics will take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:00 o'clock.

The extended order drills scheduled for Mondays and Tuesdays will consist in all company movements in open formation, skirmish drill, the posting of advance and rear guards, normal attacks, skirmish fire and practice marches.

All cadets will report for drill on March 24th.

## DISTINGUISHED VISITOR WELL PLEASSED.

Mrs. A. H. Parrott and her daughter visited the College on Saturday. This was Miss Parrott's first introduction to the institution in whose work her father became interested before her birth. Miss Parrott, although somewhat young, showed great interest in the work which our school is carrying on and expressed herself as being satisfied that this was the greatest institution of its kind she had ever visited.

## BEREAVED.

We are saddened to hear of the bereavement of Dr. and Mrs. Holley. Their son died recently in Detroit, Michigan. Their many friends sympathize with Dr. and Mrs. Holley at this time.

## CHEMISTRY NOTICE.

Prof. Ladd announces that a class in elementary chemistry will

be offered during the spring term. This course is offered to accommodate those in pharmacy as well as preparatory students. Prof. Remington will have charge of the work.

## CHEMICAL APPARATUS.

The Chemistry department, during the past week received large invoices of apparatus and supplies from Eimer & Amend and from Bausch & Lomb.

## IMMUNE FLAX.

Requests, for as much immune flax as the department of Biology can furnish, are now in, and distribution will begin immediately. These samples are sent out with an accompanying letter explaining what the department claims for them. It further states the manner in which it is expected that the seed will be handled.

## ADVISORY BOARD MET.

The advisory board of the Athletic Association (was called together Wednesday morning by Dean Keene. Coach Dobie and Manager Halland were invited to consult with the board at this time. The matter of the disagreement of the managements in the case of Valley City and the Fargo College games was considered and the stand of the board in regard to this, was formulated.

Manager Halland reported excellent progress in the matter of the interscholastic track meet to be held at the College during the spring term.

## FARGO COLLEGE VS. A. C. DEBATE AT FARGO COLLEGE TUESDAY, MARCH 21.

The coming intercollegiate debate with our sister institution across the city will occur next Tuesday evening in the Fargo College chapel. By a recent request of the F. C. representatives to have the debate over there the change of place was agreed upon. Every one should bear this in mind.

One hundred seats will be reserved for the A. C. and those students who desire seats should get their tickets early from some of the ticket sellers.

Last year Fargo College carried off the laurels from our chapel. This year they will be returned to their proper place and it is the duty of every student as well as faculty members to be at Fargo College and show by their support that they believe the laurels will be returned.

This will be an excellent time to show some real college enthusiasm and every student who is not there should have an excellent excuse for staying away.

## AT THE GRAND. Week of March 30.

Mrs. General Thos. Thumb, County and Baron Magri, will appear in public as it was only through influence that the managers of the Grand got them to spend a week here as this is on their return to retire from public life. Don't forget the date, March 30 to April 4.

## THOUGHT HE WAS A MONKEY.

The great amusement afforded by the hypnotic exhibitions of the Great McEwen, who comes to the Fargo opera house for three nights, and Saturday matinee, beginning Thursday, March 26, is largely due to the fact that after the suggestion is given to the subjects they are left to their own devices in following it out, and in this way the individuality of each subject is retained by him. It is a constant source of surprise to see how differently different persons accept the same suggestion, and it sometimes requires all the tact and address of Mr. McEwen

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to keep his subjects within bounds. He used to put on an "African Jungle" scene; but one night one of the subjects, who thought he was a monkey, climbed a post from the parquet to the balcony, then shinned to another post to the gallery ceiling where he hung suspended by one hand from the top of the column, to the consternation of the audience. It required the fire department to take him down and since then Mr. McEwen has avoided giving the animal suggestions.

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# SPORTING

## COMING EVENTS.

The fall term ended after a most successful season of football. All the contests resulted in victories for the A. C. The many benefits that were gained by the participants in the games, and their services, were appreciated by all. It was very evident that last fall was the best football season that Fargo ever witnessed, from a victory standpoint.

The winter term was as successful as the fall term. Although we indulged in a different kind of athletics the very best results were accomplished. Our basketball season was a climax in our basketball history. It is true that we did not win all the games that we played, but winning games is not the whole result sought for in athletic contests. However, we won a large majority of the games we played. In nearly every instance our teams played against opponents who were much larger and possessed a greater reach. As an evidence that our basketball teams were superior and always put up the best game that could possibly be expected, we have the interest of the large crowds that witnessed the contests. Every one seemed well satisfied with any game that our team played. When we were beaten it was only after a struggle so close that the winners had at the most only a few points in their favor.

We are now at the beginning of another term of school. There is a great amount of discussion as to what our spring athletics will develop into. Some advocate exclusive track work. Others want a college baseball team, while still others would like to see a large amount of inter-department baseball.

The present outlook seems to indicate that there is to be a mingling of all those forms of athletics. Track work will perhaps occupy the attention of a number of the students. Inter-department baseball has come to stay. It is a valuable feature of athletics as it tends to develop rivalry between the classes and departments. It also aids greatly in binding together the members of each class and society. It often affords an opportunity for all those who cannot make the regular college team, to participate to some extent in

athletics, not infrequently planting the seed of a desire to become more proficient in athletics. This may finally result in the developing of much valuable material for the regular college team.

As to the regular college team many of the students wish to see one developed. Our attendance during the spring term is greatly decreased by the departure of a great many of the short term course students. But this does not decrease the number of available athletes very materially for most of the short course men do not remain here long enough to receive the training necessary to fit them for positions on the first teams.

No doubt there will be a variety of college athletics carried on here this spring. The subject is being considered by the management and the advisory board. The form of athletics that will do the greatest number of students the greatest amount of good will be adopted as the principal feature of our college sport.

There are many students who can make the track team but cannot make the baseball team. On the other hand there are several who are good baseball players but who do not care about track work. Again there are a large number of students who cannot make the track team or the baseball team, but who still wish to take part in some sort of our door recreation. For this class inter-department baseball will probably appeal strongly.

Not the least important form of athletics available to all our students, is that which the gymnasium affords. This includes nearly all forms of indoor physical training. Taking every thing into consideration we have every evidence that this term will be as successful as the two terms that have just passed. Much credit is due to Coach Dobie and Manager Halland for work done along athletic lines during the past few months. Whatever will be the nature of our spring term athletics everything will be done for the best interests of the students and with a view to the furthering of general college athletics.

## ENGINEERS WILL PLAY BASEBALL.

A number of engineers got together on the 19th and decided to organize a baseball team. The matter of taking up track work was discussed but it was decided that all engineers who wanted to

do track work would have to work with the regular College squads in order to have the benefits of competent coaching.

## DONATED BY BISHOP MANN.

The department of zoology recently received from Bishop Mann an excellent collection of shells of fresh water moluscs obtained from New York. Bishop Mann has an exceptional knowledge of biological specimens and has identified all the shells in the collection. This fact together with the additional one of their being accompanied by a record of the locality in which they were found, makes the collection an extremely valuable one.

## FARGO OPERA HOUSE.

In securing the West-Henry Stock Company for a three nights' engagement at the Fargo opera house, March 23, 24 and 25, the management is trying an experiment, the result of which will be watched with great interest. The management of the company and also that of the Fargo opera house have long been of the opinion that Fargo would, in the right time of the year, support a permanent stock company, changing plays twice or three times per week. Minneapolis has a permanent stock company at the Lyceum, Winnipeg has also, as well as nearly all the large cities of the country. These companies make complete productions and very frequently give much better performances of plays than the original. All those companies play at a reduced scale of prices and at the same time, draw the most fashionable audiences in those cities. There is no reason why Fargo should not support a fine stock company, and although Mr. West and Miss Henry will change their plays each night next week, it is to be hoped that they will install a stock company at Fargo. Despite the high royalties on their plays, popular prices will be installed, being 50 and 35 cents. Gallery, 10 cents. One lady will be admitted free on Monday evening when accompanied by one paid 50 cent ticket. Seats now

## QUEBEC BRIDGE DISASTER.

The Engineering Record of March 14th gives a full account of the report of the Royal Commission of Inquiry appointed by the governor general of Canada on Aug. 31st, 1907, to investigate the cause of the bridge failure.

This report not only gives the details for the causes of the bridge

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Anyone interested in engineering can spend a few hours profitably in studying this question.

## McKINLEY BILL LAID OVER.

The McKinley bill failed to leave the hands of the committee at the present session of congress but it will be taken up at the next session with better results, it is hoped.

## PASSED GOOD EXAMS.

Dean Keene says that the exams went off with the usual fear and trembling in the engineering department and that there were the usual number of anxious inquiries, but that there were an unusually large number of successful students.

## STILL IN THE EAST.

The illness of Professor Beckwith's father still detains him in the east, and Professor Bolley is kept busy in trying to keep all lines of experimental work running in Professor Beckwith's absence.

Prof. (in Philos)—Do all living forms tend to do good to man and assist in his development?  
Miss R.—The bed-bug does not.

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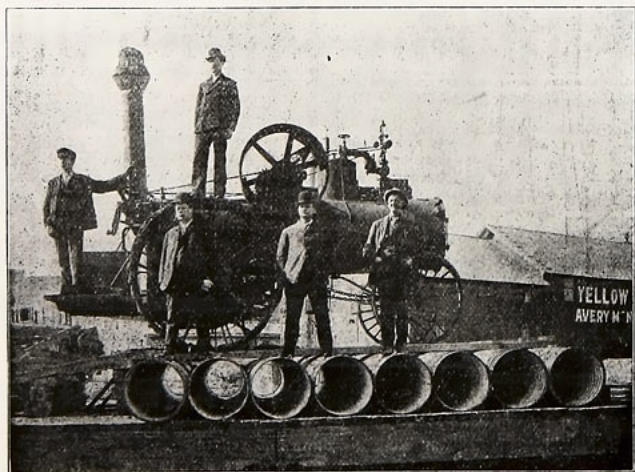
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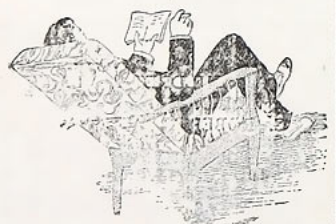
**COLLEGE SONGS.**

Probably music does as much to bind a body of young people together as any other one thing. There are a number of old college songs that every student should know, but these cannot be learned if an opportunity is not given to sing them. It has been suggested that this be done at Chapel and this is an excellent place for it. We hope to see more of the college songs sung at Chapel. Such as "Forsaken," "Sweet and Low," "Soloman Levi," "Juanita," and others are lively and good and might profitably be sung at this time.

It has also been suggested that it would be a great factor in bringing the members of the societies closer together if one or two college songs were sung at each session. There is nothing more enthralling than to sing in a body some of the lively pieces. It would seem that this might be followed up with material benefit to the individual and at the same time create in the whole student body an increased College spirit. It is the duty of every student to be familiar with such songs as the "Alma Mater," and the "Green and Yellow," and this is an excellent place to become familiar with them.

**THE NEW TERM.**

Today witnesses the beginning of a new term in the College year; the last and shortest one of the three. Our guests of the winter, the short course students, have left us for greener fields, and the enrollment has sifted down to the few hundred regular students of the College; the backbone and



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mainstay of the institution; in fact, the College itself. Now what are we going to do about it?

Let us get together and see what we can accomplish for our Alma Mater and ourselves during the short ten weeks remaining. We shall get our lessons first, of course, but when that is done we are at liberty to take an active part in College affairs. Let us have no "loafers," or "quitters." If everybody will do something, no one need do much and we shall have the satisfaction of seeing the College in the light of a live and wide-awake institution.

Time and again we have been accused of a lack of College spirit. Do we really lack it? This is the term that will show. Let each one do something; do the best he can for himself, and give the best of himself for his College. Let us follow the doctrine of the strenuous life and do something.

**THE DEBATE.**

One week from tonight, March 31, occurs the debate with the representatives of Fargo College. The debate will be held across the city.

It is the duty of ever loyal supporter of the A. C. to be there and by your presence show that you have some good College spirit. The debaters have been working hard and they deserve your support. Do not disappoint them by your absence.

It looks as though the A. C. might be represented among the city "Dads" of Fargo. Mr. Tibert is candidate for the short term and Prof. Willard for the long term in the city council, from the Seventh ward.

If you did not do anything last term see if you can do just a little better this term. It might help when you came to your senior spring term.

The negative of the "College Hour" question won in the debate at Athenian session Friday evening. Does that express the sentiment of the students?

The pending amendment to the constitution of the students' organization will be voted on early this term. Be there.

While the Cyclone was a financial success, most of the organizations had larger expenses than receipts.

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- Be frank.
- Be helpful.
- Be sociable.
- Be unselfish.
- Be generous.
- Be self-confident.
- Be a good listener.
- Be kind and polite.
- Be yourself at all times.
- Be ready to lend a hand.—Ex.

**THE WISE COLLEGE MAN.**

- Freshman—Feel wiser.
- Sophomore—Budweiser.
- Junior—Get wiser.
- Senior—Look wiser. —Ex.

Arthur Brisbane, editor of The New York Evening Journal, believes the profession of journalism needs new men, new energy, enthusiasm and earnest conviction. He thinks that the opportunities offered to college men in this line of work are innumerable, especially in the field of politics.—Ex.

**GOOD GEOGRAPHY.**

The following were taken from some of the Prep. exam. papers: "St. Louis has a lot of commerce with Europe and other cities in North America." "North Dakota weather is mostly composed of cyclones."

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**WHICH.**

He.  
"You ne'er can object to my arm around your waist, And the reason you'll readily guess; I'm an editor dear, and I always insist On the liberty of the press."  
She.  
"I'm a minister's daughter, believing in texts, And I think all the newspapers bad; And I'd make you remove your arm were it not You are making waist places glad."  
—Ex.

The Engineering News of March 12th has a very comprehensive write-up on the use of ethyl and methyl alcohol in the ordinary gas engine. An I. H. C. 6-horse power engine, such as we have here in the laboratories, is one of the engines used in the test.

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Miss M., at debate—"I think the shoe hospital will be busy after all that kicking."

No education is adequate to the needs of life which does not produce decision of character, courage, self-control and perseverance.—Ex.

I had a little pony. His name was Cicero, I loaned him to a friend of mine To pass an exam. or so.

He rode him to the limit, And was really doing well, But Professor got the pony, And he gave the pupil—zero.—Ex.

When the donkey saw the zebra He began to switch his tail, "Well, I never," was his comment, "Here's a mule that's been to jail."—Ex.

If a body meet a body Coming through the rye, Can't a body kiss a body, For fear of bacilli?—Ex.

"Steam is water what's gone crazy wid de heat."—Ex.

If college bread is a four year's loaf (The smart folks say it's so) Oh, tell me where the flour is

found For us who knead (need) the dough.—Ex.

Quicker. Judge—"You are charged with being drunk. Guilty or not guilty?" Prisoner—"Both, your honor." Thus did he out-Ruef Ruef.

**FOR THE NEW DICTIONARY.**

Appendicitis—A modern pain, costing about \$200 more than the old-fashioned stomach-ache.

Board—An implement for administering corporeal punishment, used by mothers and landladies. "The Festive Board" may be a shingle, a hair brush, a fish-hash breakfast, or a stewed prune supper.

Civilization—An upward growth or tendency that has enabled mankind to develop the college yell from what was once only a feeble warwhoop.

Dabble—V. t. To play in water. Dabble in stocks—Same thing.

Engagement—In war, a battle. In love, the calubrious calm that precedes the real hostilities.

Flue—An escape for hot air. Fluency—The art of releasing the same.

Gondola—A pleasure craft which plies in Venice, at world's fairs and other popular watering places. From Eng. gone, and Lat. dolor, sadness, or Eng. Dollar. Sadness gone; also, a gone dollar.

Hypocrite—A horse dealer. From Grk, hippos, horse, and kroto, to beat. One who beats you on a horse trade.

Infant—A disturber of the peace.

Infantry—A defender of the peace.

Jimmy—An implement employed by men of acquisitive natures who cannot afford seats on the stock exchange.

Keyhole—A frequent test for sobriety.

Lent—A church fast that is slow to go; or something loaned that is slow to come back.

Mark—In Germany, twenty-three cents. In America, only Twain.

Note (promissory)—"The substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen."

Obesity—A surplus gone to waist.

Plumb—To ascertain the capacity of.

Plumber—One who ascertains the capacity of your purse, soaks you with a piece of lead and gets away with the money—a process vulgarly known as "a lead-pipe cinch."

Question—Is marriage a failure.

Rhetoric—Language in a dress suit.

Stove-Pipe—A movable cylinder larger at one end than the other, used as a receptacle for smoke and profanity.

Tobacco—A nauseating plant that is consumed by a large green worm and man. The worm doesn't know any better.

Usher—One who takes a leading part in church.

Veranda—An open air enclosure often used as a spoon-holder.

Whisky—Trouble put up in liquid form.

Yawns—The air brakes on a sleeper.

Zero—Originally, nothing; but now meaning a good deal on a thermometer or bank-draft, and comprising two-thirds of the 400.—Ex.

"What you say goes," he sadly said,

With eyes and heart aflame, She glanced at the clock and turned her head

Then softly whispered his name.—Ex.

Bars Frats From Schools. Chippewa Falls, Wis., March 19.—Supt. Swartz yesterday ordered the members of the Greek letter fraternity Alpha Delta Omega to disband the organization or suffer expulsion from school. He declared that no secret organization of pupils would be tolerated. The members promised to heed the warning.

Raid on Milk Dealers. La Crosse, Wis., March 19.—Deputy State Dairy Inspector P. A. Larson has started a raid on milk dealers of this city and already three of them have been arrested for selling cream not up to the legal standard of butter fats. Other arrests are expected to follow the secret investigation.

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| Assets                                     |                  |
|--|------------------|
| Real Estate.....                           | \$ 29,409,158.80 |
| Mortgage loans on real estate.....         | 125,741,836.42   |
| Loans on policies.....                     | 52,022,021.33    |
| Collateral loans.....                      | 11,805,000.00    |
| Bonds and stocks, market value Dec 31, '07 | 260,026,493.51   |
| Cash.....                                  | 6,487,545.88     |
| Premiums in course of collection.....      | 4,085,477.99     |
| Interest and rentals, due and accrued..... | 3,999,487.10     |
| Admitted assets.....                       | \$494,177,021.03 |
| Liabilities                                |                  |
| Net policy reserves.....                   | \$420,094,742.00 |
| Other liabilities on policies.....         | 5,532,879.66     |
| Premiums and interest paid in advance..... | 1,828,360.34     |
| Dividends payable in 1908.....             | 8,311,002.02     |
| Miscellaneous liabilities.....             | 879,267.50       |
| Held for future dividends.....             | 57,539,769.45    |
| Total liabilities.....                     | \$494,177,021.03 |

The work accomplished by the Company in 1907, under the new conditions, in respect of benefits dispensed to policyholders and in the furtherance of their best interests, has been especially satisfactory. The Company paid directly to policyholders and their beneficiaries in death claims, endowments, dividends, annuities and surrender values.....\$43,959,245.40  
 It added to the net reserves held in trust for policyholders.....16,368,678.39  
 Total benefits from sources named.....\$60,327,924.79  
 Total received from policyholders.....57,151,401.71  
 The total benefits above named exceeded premiums received by.....\$ 3,176,883.08  
 The amount paid DIRECTLY TO POLICYHOLDERS during the year was 77 per cent. of the amounts received from them.  
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### In Gains for Policyholders the Company Remains in the Front Rank

Its gross earnings from interest and rentals for 1907 were.....\$23,103,953.59  
 Its gains from loading, mortality, surrenders and annuities were.....8,760,440.79  
 The total earnings and gains were.....\$31,864,394.38  
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NOTE—The admitted assets would be given greater by \$15,989,158.97 were the bonds taken on the company's basis of amortized book value; or \$13,211,349.94 were the securities stated by the average market value (13 month rule), recommended by many commissioners at the Louisville meeting.

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## AT OTHER SCHOOLS.

The Yale Daily News in a recent issue deplors the habit of Yale students going home over Saturday and Sunday nearly every week. It says it is not conducive to the formation of college friendships which are an important part of a college course.

The claim is made that Harry M. Grant, a high school boy of Spencer, Mass., has rigged up a wireless electric lighting plant. He operates a dozen incandescent on sale.

Fifteen hundred students recently cheered the announcement that football would be played at Northwestern next fall. For three years the game has been tabooed on account of the fever of reform that swept over the country. Three games will comprise the schedule at Northwestern during the coming season.

According to latest reports Yale is to have another daily paper to rival the Yale Daily News. The paper will commence to be published next fall.

Idaho has good prospects for a winning baseball team this season.

Alumni and alumnae of Swathmore college are said to be earnestly considering a plan to convert the institution into a woman's college solely, so as to receive the million-dollar bequest of Anna T. Jeanes.

Every year at Yale the seniors vote on the question of chapel, and it is invariably decided that the daily chapel exercises shall be continued and that attendance at chapel shall be compulsory.

The sororities at Minnesota have adopted a rule requiring that freshmen, to be eligible to membership, must have passed in seventy-five per cent of their work. A higher standard will be adopted next year.

At Princeton boxes for the junior prom. are secured by sealed bids. No bids under thirty dollars are received.

At Dartmouth football emblems of gold will be given to the members of the team which defeated

Harvard. They will have the score of the game inscribed on the back.

Whitman will this year conduct a three-state interscholastic track meet and declamatory contest open to the high schools of the Inland Empire, including eastern Washington, eastern Oregon and Idaho.

Students of the Agriculture and Mechanics College of Texas, are in open revolt against their president. They recently refused to attend classes until the president should be removed. It is thought that the president will be compelled to withdraw because of the student animosity.

The Polytechnic Club of the University of California, recently gave a "Night of Boxing" at which three world champion professionals appeared. The affair was not a prize fight, but an exhibition of boxing. It aroused, however, a storm of criticism in certain church circles of Berkeley.

Whitman College is promised \$1,500,000 by New York and Chicago capitalists in a movement to make Whitman the Yae of the Pacific coast. This will be given on condition that Washington, Idaho and Oregon raise half a million.

In Columbia University there is a chair of the Chinese language and literature with an endowment of \$150,000.

An Anarchist Club has been organized at the University of Chicago.

### U. N. D. DEFEATS U. S. D.

Weekly Student, March 14—The debate between the North and South Dakota State Universities on the question: Resolved, that the Des Moines-Galveston plan of municipal government is the most feasible solution of the problem of city government in the United States?; after a series of pointed arguments by both the affirmative and the negative closed with a brilliant and effective rebuttal by Scott Cameron for the affirmative.

The judges, President McFarland of Valley City, Professor Harding of Brookings, S. D., and Mr. Love of Fargo, awarded a

unanimous decision in favor of the affirmative, upheld by the University of North Dakota.

### OLD FRIENDS MARRIED.

Mr. A. D. Smith, a former A. C. student, and lately of Casselton, was recently married to Miss Edna Mallett at San Diego, Cal.

Mr. Frank Hilborn, a graduate from the farm husbandry course, was recently married to Miss Neisemeir. The ceremony occurred Wednesday, March 18, Casselton.

### ONE ON YALE.

The following letter written from Orange, Conn., is a fair specimen of some of the inquiries which Professor Rose is already beginning to receive in regard to the Summer School of Traction Engineering to be held here next June:

Dear Sir:—  
 I note that the school of traction engineering at Fargo commences June 8. I have a son that I would like to have attend this term, but he is attending Yale University, Sheffield Scientific School, and the spring term does not end until June 29, so that it will make it impossible for him to attend this term. Is there another place where there will be a term held under your management later on? Thanking you for any information or suggestions, I am  
 Yours respty., etc.

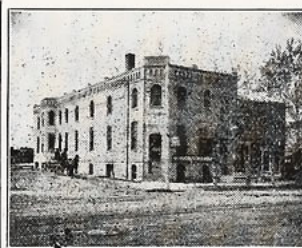
It might be interesting to note that Sheffield Scientific School is the engineering school in connection with Yale, and supposed to be one of the best engineering schools in the country.

### GOES TO JAMESTOWN.

Professor Waldron goes to Jamestown this week for the purpose of furnishing the state asylum with plans and suggestions for the improvement of the asylum grounds, which will be commenced this coming summer.

### PROF. WALDRON WILL SPEAK

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**PERSONAL**

Mrs. Ash made a business trip to Hillsboro Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. Lawrence T. Nelson, a former student, will pitch for the Brandon team of the Northern League this summer.

Mr. Ralph Hilborn attended the wedding of his brother at Casselton last Wednesday. He reports that the young people of that place gave Frank and his bride a good send-off.

Miss Dora Welo is spending the recess with her relatives in Barnesville, Minn.

News has come of the birth of a son and heir to Prof. Lindsay, formerly of the department of English, but now in the high school of commerce, New York City.

Mr. Adolph Mikkleson, '05, of Devils Lake, was a College visitor over Sunday.

Mr. Ray Towle has returned to his home in Ypsilanti, where he will take charge of his father's farm.

Mr. Irving Phelps left for his home at Grafton last Friday evening, where he will spend the recess. Mr. John Pease accompanied him as his guest.

Postmaster Plumley was showing Mr. H. B. Schafer of Taylor about the campus last Friday.

Mr. W. M. House, ex-superintendent of schools of Richland county visited the College last week.

Mr. Arthur Bryant, of Andover, S. D., a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harrington, was looking over the College grounds Thursday.

Coach Dobie spent the recess in the twin cities.

Messrs. Carl and Earl Yerrington have left school for their home at Antler, N. D. They will return to Colege next fall.

The Misses Matilda and Mary Thompson visited at their home in Ayr during vacation.

Miss Cecelia Eyolfson spent the few days of vacation at her home near Edinburg.

Mr. Hoveskeland of Deehr, N. D., was present at the graduation of his son Severt on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Lee of Gladstone was a visitor at the College Friday.

Miss Maud Knight is suffering with the mumps.

Miss Amy Peet, an old school friend of Miss Childs, now teaching at Fergus Falls, Minn., was visiting at the Dormitory Saturday.

Miss Childs has so far recovered from her severe case of tonsilitis as to be able to leave her room.

**HURRY UP.**

The various members of the department of botany of the experiment state are at present very busy testing the seeds of grasses, clover, alfalfa and other forage plants for viability and purity. A large number of samples have been received from farmers and seedsmen within the last few days. Farmers who wish to have their

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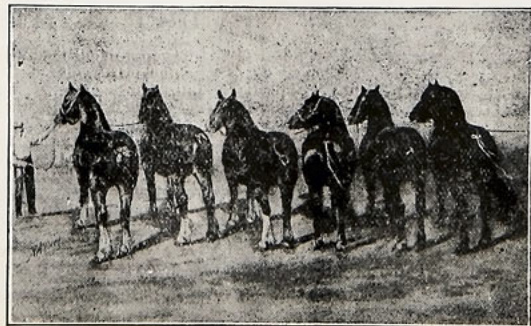
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Prof. Richards introduced the speaker, Mr. Gosling, who for the first time appeared before a North Dakota audience. Mr. Gosling explained the revolution of the beef industry in the last few years. Beeves are being butchered now earlier than formerly, and "baby beef," as this class of finished animals is called, is the most popular and choice on the market.

There was on display for demonstration "baby beef," 11 months old, "unfinished beef," and beef from the prize Angus steer "Jack," and mutton from lambs and adult sheep. All these animals were gone over with the class in stock judging before being slaughtered, Mr. Gosling judging the per cent of dressing, the depth of fat, etc., and as he went along with the demonstration he called the attention of the students to them. He gave a very practical discussion on meat cutting, illustrating his remarks as he progressed. He also gave some excellent points on the judging of meats, telling how to know a select piece of meat for consumption.

Mr. Gosling won the good will and interest of the students and every one with whom he came in contact, by his genial and considerate disposition. His address was one of the best ever heard on the subject in this section.

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S. Prof.—I appreciate your honorable feeling of loyalty to friends. I ought, however, to know. I shall not say a word to the culprit, if you tell, and will always respect and honor your confidence.

Loyal Student—Well, on that condition—well, it—you see, I was the principal offender.

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