FORMER LIBRARIAN DECLARES SOLDIERS APPRECIATE BOOKS

Mr. Malcolm G. Wyer, who had charge of the Library in its various branches, has declared that the books are being used to the greatest advantage by the soldiers.

PRINCIPAL BOOKS IN DEMAND

From All Walks of Life are reading for recreation and instruction. Subjects and Books.

If you are still in doubt as to the kind of books to give for your little ones, the experience of a man who has had a great deal to do with boys and girls and the work among the soldiers may clear up the matter. Mr. Malcolm G. Wyer, formerly librarian and director of the library, held a position at the University of Illinois and was associated with the work of the University of Texas, Georgia, and New York. In Texas, the organization of the books at that place is considered one of the best in the country. Mr. Wyer gave the following account of how the books are being used by the soldiers and sailors:

Drill Room

Contrary to the general impression, the boys do have time to read, according to Mr. Wyer. After the necessity of the new life has worn off, they seek cheer in books. Mr. Wyer believes that soldiers read as a means of escape from their present life, because they do not have home chores, and social diversions to take up their time. Mr. Wyer also believes the rumor that soldiers read nothing but the lightest and most tiring books. In fact, in the military library more serious books are demanded than fiction and like material.

Tastes Vary

Mr. Wyer believes that the tastes of all lives are found in the army camps. Accordingly, their tastes vary greatly. From the officers to the common soldier, every man is ambitious. To further this statement, Mr. Wyer states that on all sides of the camp are books, newspapers, and magazines being read by the soldiers. All good fiction and poetry is enjoyed. The following shows some of the greatest hits with the men: Buck Beach, Bower, nose gray, Richard Huddles David, Ralph Connor, O Henry, Kilg, Jack London, Oscar De had, O. Henry, William Lee, Buckingh, North Fighting, Stewart Howard, and Harold Bell Wright.

DEAKED TO ASSIST ARMY MEDICAL MUSEUM

Library in Washington has asked Prof. Schuch, head of the Army Medical School in New York, to assist the Library in its various branches. Mr. Wyer is an advisory chess. The staff is composed of experts in various lines of work, including Prof. J. C. Reed, and members of the Yale In- stitute of Medico-Legal examinations. In the museum at Washington will be placed all the books that are of use to the army, and in the hands of such an official as Mr. Wyer, a director of the medical museum in the world.

The Y. W. C. A. will give a tea party for the soldiers on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

BASKETBALL MEN RECEIVE LETTERS

Six Men Awarded "I" While Three Others Receive "II".

At a meeting of the Athletic Board of the University, the following basketball men were awarded an "I": For their work the past season Capit. Van Engen, Capt. Sibley, Brown, O'Neil, and the President; and for industrial instruction J. C. "12" was granted to Jenkins, Fyke, and Frenn.

LECTURER URGES BALANCED RATIONS AND VIGOROUS PLAY

Claims That Lack of Proper Food Brings Less Than Half the Normal Records for Decruts.

RECOMMEND VIGOROUS EXERCISE

Desiderous Ancient Childish Work

And Urges Spring Fishing Forms of Play.

"I would like to see all the University girls do" the running; the running is most beneficial. It makes one breathe deeply," said a Virginia Bobbitt, who addressed the freshmen girls yesterday afternoon, and her statement was publicly approved by Dean Klingenberg.

Dr. Holmes was for sixteen years a practicing physician in Omaha and is now lecturing for social welfare, believing that the exercises and methods are more important than adventure. Nature is a nurse of Iowa.

Food, the balanced ration, with particular stress upon the importance of the mineral salts, was the subject of the first half of Dr. Holmes' address to the girls. Lack of proper sanitary food is undoubtedly the chief cause of the offenses which are observed on the records in the physical examiners' reports. "It is not in four environments," said the doctor, and I clearly saw the need of a woman's hand in the planning of diet.

The men who were awarded letters will meet sometimes in the future to select a capital for next season. It looks likely between Berrien, who has been placed at the front for the past two seasons, and O'Neil, who has performed at center during the same time.

S. U. I TO DIRECT RED CROSS WORK

Chapter Course in Home Service to Be Given in the University every City in State.

The American Red Cross has asked the extension division of the State University in cooperation with the Red Cross chapter, to put a chapter course in home service in practically every town in the state.

This will be the most intensive.edu-

B Xploratory of the Department's work and a hundred would not be too many, Mr. Klingenberg en-

phasis.

Under whose guidance a conference will be held at the University, probably the second week in June. W. F. Peterson, first general of civil relief in the United States, and a member of the National Board of Civil Relief of the central relief of the central women, will be present during the entire time to help the University authorities to train the lectures.

The chapter courses which will be given in hundreds of Iowa towns will embrace four lectures, in two hours each. These lectures will deal with the necessity for home service and the need of the normal family and certain items dealing with old work. Their persons will take part in every course, one lecture by each.

The lectures will be supple-

mented by conferences and informal discussions.

TAKE PART IN SURVEY

Dean W. F. Russell, head of the college of education at the State University, has announced the formation of an extension division, which have been begun on the part which the Iowa University-Extension University extends its activities to the college system of the state. In addition, a number of other professors and graduate students, will report on the educational work that high schools have been so vastly in quest of this.

BASEBALL CANDIDATES PLAY GAME

Kent Briggs Squad and Les Thun Battle for a Few Enthusiasts.

Coach Kent directed his baseball team, which was put in full strength and sent them through three or four innings of plays of one of the teams the very first half of the season so sti-

very, with Frank Satchell, who is the best of the medics.

He relaxed on, however, and is easily, briskly, frantically, friends at large.

In the last great game, received no amount of the boxgrandstands were given a test. No one was hurt but the Indians.

LO Versity will be biggest one of the year.

LOYALTY MEETING WILL BE BIGGEST ONE OF THE YEAR

Under Apologies of Loyalty Leaders, Base Ball Game to Be Particular Feature.

Will Be Held in Armory Sunday

Former Senator Late Young Will Speak Before Prominent Men of State.

Former Senator Late Young, editor of the Des Moines Capital, has assumed the chairmen of the Loyalty County Loyalty Mass meeting which will be held in the University armory Sunday afternoon, March 31st.

Other centers who have been ap-

proved for this function include, Hon. Martin J. Wade, Pres. Walter A. Juncey, and Attorney Charles M. Deitner.

This meeting, under the auspices of the Loyalty leaders, will be the biggest patriotic feature of the loyalty movement. The natural suffrage auditorium will be used for an overflow purpose as at least 3,000 persons will attend.

If this proves to be the case, the speakers another hall will be ob-

vided. Officers Defted.

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One of the distinctive features of the mass meeting will be that each organization will be represen-

ted to be expected to bring a service flag. At a given signal, the flags will be displayed throughout the auditorium signifying what Johnson county will offer to the cause of the loyal men for the war.

The Iowa State University will not be represented. Prof. G. F. kay, dean of the Lib- rary arts college, is on the committee to invite the mass meeting for the meeting. Prof. W. H. Walker, former head, has been invited to the meeting.

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### Society and Personal

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- **Gladys Russell of Clinton** is visiting her brother, Robert D. Russell, at the Alpha Xi Delta home.
- **Victor Queen of Grinnell**, father of Marion, has been called to her home in Forrest City, and with Van McLeod and Cedar Rapids, will be week guest at the Gamma Phi Beta house.
- Alpha Xi Delta will give a dinner dance at the chapter house Saturday evening. Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith and Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Pilse will chaperon. Gladys Rhodesmith, Alpha Delta Pi, is visiting in Cedar Rapids.
- Notre Dame, the University of Notre Dame, has been guest at the Gamma Phi Beta house.
- **Frances rubbing, Alpha Delta Pi,** in visiting in Cedar Rapids, is guest at the Gamma Phi Beta house.
- Martha Blunt of Charlotte is a guest at the Pi Beta Phi house.
- **Dorothy Stewart of Des Moines** is a guest at the Pi Beta Phi house.
- **Melinda and Ethel Harkins of Des Moines** are guests at the Pi Beta Phi house.
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- **Notre Dame** is a guest at the Gamma Phi Beta house.
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