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Iowa has the bottom place in the Memorial Union League. Are we going to keep it?

34% of Michigan's buildings have been built by Alumni and Students. We haven't even built one.

WORKERS BEGIN CAMPAIGN FOR UNION PLEDGES

Secure \$12,000 In First Day Of Drive For Memorial Union Funds

That \$12,372 from the 336 persons solicited has been raised was the report made yesterday noon when a nenthusiastic group of 400 Memorial Union workers assembled at the women's gymnasium to make reports on the number and amounts of pledges that had been secured.

R. H. Fitzgerald, director of the campaign among the students, in speaking of the amount already pledged and the progress of the campaign, said yesterday, "Applying the law of averages to the progress of the campaign up to noon today this project is bound to come out well. I am expecting very satisfactory results tomorrow. To make this campaign it will be necessary for each worker to persistently do his work. The team of nine students working with Captain Arthur Ernestene, M2 of Nebraska City, Nebr., secured pledges amounting to \$1150 from 15 persons. In regard to the work, Mr. Ernestene said, "Judging from the experiences related by members of the team to-day, they have had little difficulty in securing pledges. The attitude of most of the students seems to be very favorable to the Union. The only thing needed in getting pledges is self confidence and determination on the part of the workers."

George F. Kay, Dean of the college of liberal arts, in speaking of the report of the progress of the campaign that was given today, said, "The results were very gratifying. We couldn't have expected a better report on the first day."

The captains working with the (Major) George Gallup G of Jefferson, reported the total of \$1900 from 26 pledges. The five captains working with Howard Denbo D2 of Iowa City, have secured pledges amounting to \$1885 from 26 students. The captains of Chester Mead S4 Calumet have secured 17 pledges amounting to \$1225 and the captains working with Charles Hamilton M4 of Thornburg, reported the sum of \$1975 from 26 students. The reports of the remaining six groups of fifty workers, each amounting to less than \$1000.

In regard to the Memorial Union campaign, George W. Stewart, Professor and head of the physics department said, "The five hundred students are doing a splendid thing. By their determination to get this building project equally and effectively before every student, they are contributing far more than they can realize to the spirit of the University as well as to the material realization of the Union itself. Discouragement is shelved. Action is the word. It is a fine effort. Col. Mumma stated that the \$12,372 already secured represents about one fifth of what may be expected in the campaign. There are approximately 2000 prospective subscribers and less than 400 of these have been seen. The average of the pledges is about \$75 which is higher than in previous campaigns. A pledge of \$500 was made by one student who doesn't want to be left out of the Union."

Col. Mumma, memorial Union campaign director said "I am very pleased with the way the campaign has been organized by Mr. Fitzgerald and the spirit of cooperation that has been shown by the workers who are helping him complete this campaign. There is a spirit of quiet determination evident on every hand, which indicates not only certainty of completion, but satisfactory results."

"THIRTY" FOR MARY WHO SETTLES DOWN TO EVERYDAY LIFE

(By United News)

Chicago, April 11—The world has its last thrill out of Mary Landon Baker.

Mary, who achieved fame through her habit of leaving Allister McCormick waiting at the church, returned here Tuesday determined to settle down to a quiet normal life, just like any other millionaire's daughter on the local gold coast and not a single reporter or photographer was at the station to meet her. "There isn't going to be any more written about Mary because she isn't going to do anything to write about," announced Mary's sister, Mrs. Robert M. Curtis.

So this may be the very last word.

SCOUT LEADERS PRAISE FACULTY AND STUDENTS

Barclay Says No Salesman In Cosmetics Could Work Here

The student body, the faculty, and the people of Iowa City received unstinted praise from the executives who attended the Scout Executive Training Course that finished last night after a ten day session.

"The student body is made up of the best type of pure American stock according to my observations," said Lorne W. Barclay, director of the department of education of the Boy Scouts of America and in charge of the course here. "There is less evidence of jazz and superficiality among the students but at the same time they do not seem to forget the importance of social life."

"The flapper type so prevalent in the cities, and the bookworm common around many universities is on the campus and on the streets" continued Mr. Barclay. Captain Gidney, known as "Skipper" to the executive and occupying the same position in the British Boy Scouts as Mr. Barclay does in this country, added to the above statement by saying that he did not believe that a salesman in cosmetics would have much success here.

Mr. Barclay commented on the forward-looking and youthful type of mind of the leaders in the fa-

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WOMAN JURY IS UNSENTIMENTAL

Find Woman Driver Not Guilty Of Death Of Youth Who Was Struck By Car

(By United News)

Philadelphia, April 11—Do women make business like jurors? Are they swayed by sentiment?

A coroner's jury entirely of women answered "yes" to the first and "no" to the second question here Tuesday.

It took them just three minutes to decide that Mrs. Hugo Odenheimer, wife of the wealthy manufacturer, was not at fault in the death of ten year old Russel Wilson, who was run down and killed by an auto driven by Mrs. Odenheimer.

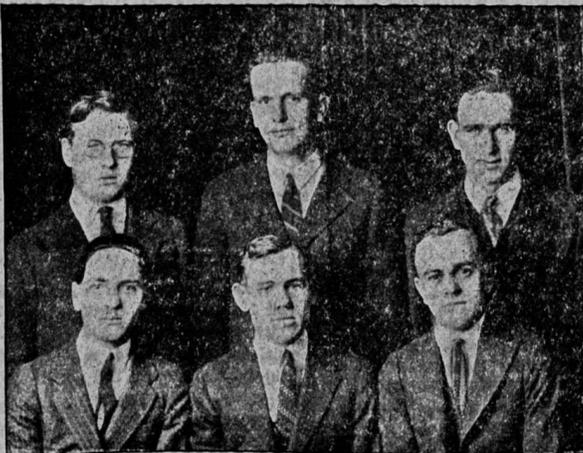
PRINCETON PROFESSOR HERE

Prof. H. C. Warren, head of the department of psychology at Princeton university, visited the department of psychology here yesterday.

THE WEATHER

For Iowa City and vicinity. Probably colder with rising temperature through the day.

University Men Will Debate With Nebraska And South Dakota Tonight



Bucy Baker, Birchard Beems, Stewart Sellers

SENATE RENEWS APPROPRIATION

Farmer Group In House Proposes \$7,000,000 Cut In Bill

The senate of the Iowa legislature yesterday morning passed a bill, 28 to 21, renewing the appropriation of two years ago for the support of Iowa university, Iowa State college and State Teacher's college, with a reduction of \$603,000 from the amount given for these schools in 1921.

The house spent the morning in debating whether the program of the legislative farmers' group, cutting some \$7,000,000 from the original request of the state board of education, should be adopted, or the sum asked by the state board minus such reductions which the board will agree to should be granted.

A close survey of sentiment in the house made by Chairman Hague of the house appropriations committee, indicates that the state board's requests would win out in the lower branch by one vote.

The passage of the proposed substitute bill, embodying the \$7,000,000 cut supported by the farm leaders, would mean that all state higher educational institutions would be decidedly cramped financially. The act as passed by the senate would give approximately the same amounts as were received the past two years.

209 MEN REPORT FOR TRACK PRACTICE

Two hundred and nine men, 104 varsity and 105 freshmen, reported for track practice last night. Weather was ideal and all men were put through a hard practice.

Is De Valera A Prisoner Or Not? British Papers Do Not Attempt To Decide Question

(By United News)

London, April 11—Despite denials by the Irish Free State government that Eamon de Valera, rebel leader of Ireland was captured near Clonmel, the belief persists that he was taken prisoner by "mistake and immediately released."

The London press Wednesday gave both versions of the story—one that De Valera was taken into custody and the other that he was not.

Supporters of the theory that De Valera was released after capture point to the fact that the Free State government would hardly dare to execute a man of De Valera's prominence and great following. Furthermore they say, if he were taken prisoner the government would have to put him to death because of the announcement that all rebels caught with arms shall be executed. It is unlikely that the "phantom rebel"

CADETS TO DRILL AT EARLY HOUR

Faculty Favors Six O'clock Military Classes Until May 19

As a result of an action taken at the meeting of the faculty of the University yesterday, military classes started a series of six o'clock drills this morning. Work in the military department will end on May 19, and therefore the equivalent of two weeks work is to be done in extra classes on three mornings at six, and on two Saturday afternoons.

Two companies are to drill at once in the mornings, while the entire regiment will drill on Saturday. Companies A and B began drilling this morning and will continue to drill for three days at six. Companies C and D commence their three days on Monday, E and F on Thursday, and G and H on the next Monday. The whole regiment will turn out this Saturday and next at one o'clock.

This drilling is necessary to prepare for the inspections which take place in the spring. The inspection of the War department occurs on the first, second and third of May. There is also an inspection by the Governor and his staff. This is on Governor's day which may be postponed this year until May 26 on account of the spring relays.

Body Of Suicide Not Recovered Yet From River

The body of Chauncey Morrison, who committed suicide Tuesday forenoon by diving off of the city park bridge into the Iowa river has not yet been found. The work of dragging the river with grappling hooks has been stopped and a line of more than one hundred hooks has been stretched across the Iowa river

WILL DEMPSEY PRICES PREVAIL IN THIS CITY WHEN JACK OPENS UP

(By United News)

Kansas City, April 11—Jack Dempsey's manager says the champion is about to become a coal and farm land baron.

In a telegram received here from Jack Kearns it was announced that Dempsey, not content with one coal mine as a starter, has bought three. They are in Utah, and close by the coal property. Dempsey has taken over 6000 acres of land in the Castle valley according to Kearns.

"There is a town site on the property," Kearns message added, "which will be known as Dempsey City, Carbon County, Utah. Jack will do his training there."

It is understood that the main street will be known as the Boulevard Dempsey. The Dempsey House will be the principal hotel.

CARTER, LORD CARNARVON'S AID, NOW ILL

Condition is Reported as Serious; Case Not Yet Diagnosed; Legend Is Revived

Cairo, Egypt April 11—Howard Carter, the American assistant to the late Earl of Carnarvon and co-discoverer of the tomb of Tutankhamen, has been ill for several days and his condition has just taken a change for the worse.

Carter's illness has caused great anxiety to Lady Carnarvon who even postponed her departure for London with Carnarvon's body, to remain at Carter's bedside.

Doctor Johnson, Carnarvon's leading physician and other doctors have not yet publicly diagnosed the case.

News that Carter is ill has caused a revival of the legend that the curse of the pharaohs would attend any one who disturbed the tomb of a King.

Carter, a New Yorker, holds the nine year contract with the Egyptian government giving his party of Archeologists permission to excavate in the Valley of the Kings. Shortly after Carnarvon's death, Carter announced that he would carry on the work as a memorial to the late Earl.

BRITISH MAY ACT ON RUM RUNNING

Laborite Charges English Seamen Paid High Wages To Smuggle Booze

London, April 11—The British government is considering whether action can be taken to meet the representatives of America concerning smuggling of liquor into the United States from the West Indies.

This announcement was made Wednesday in the House of Commons by Ronald McNeill, undersecretary for foreign affairs.

"It is very difficult for the government to interfere with the legitimate export of any article from British territory but the government deplores the complicity of British subjects infringing of laws of United States" Neill declared.

In response to a question the undersecretary stated that the government was aware of the rising tide of indignation in the United States concerning rum running, but he was informed of the charges of Emanuel Schinwell, laborite, that British seamen are paid high wages and furnish revolvers to carry on their illegal pursuits.

SOUTH DAKOTA HERE IN I-N-S.D. DEBATE TONIGHT

Iowa-Nebraska Clash At Lincoln; South Dakota Meets Nebraska At Vermillion

Three Hawkeye debaters come to grips with the South Dakota team tonight at 7:30 in the natural science auditorium in intercollegiate debate as to whether or not the United States should enter the League of Nations. Iowa maintains the negative in the argument. At the same time, an Iowa affirmative team which left for Lincoln, Nebraska, at 4:30 a. m. this morning, will be engaging the Cornhuskers in debate on the same question, and Nebraska and South Dakota will be arguing at Vermillion. The Iowa-South Dakota contest here tonight is one in the series of three debates tonight between Iowa, Nebraska, and South Dakota.

The Iowa-South Dakota clash this evening will be judged and a decision rendered by John Barnes, professor of public speaking at State Teacher's college. As all three of the South Dakotans have had experience in intercollegiate debating and two of the Iowa team are also veterans, the debate promises to be close. The Hawkeye team, upholding the negative here, consists of Paul C. Bucy A2 of Hubbard, Charles R. Sellers A2 of Davenport, and Buel G. Beems A3 of Anamosa. Bucy debated against Illinois last fall, and has also taken part in the freshman and championship intersociety debates. He is a Philomathean. Sellers faces his first intercollegiate debate tonight. He is not unexperienced, however, for he has been trained in the freshman and sophomore debates. He belongs to Kappa Beta Psi and the Philomathean society. Beems, the third speaker, engaged in the Iowa-Minnesota debate last fall, and has also taken part in the freshman, sophomore, and championship intersociety contests. He is a Zetathian, and a member of Delta Sigma Rho.

Facing the Iowans on the affirmative on behalf of South Dakota are Carl Hepperle '24 of Eureka, Edward Peterson '25 of Sioux Falls, and David Dykstra '24 of Running Water. Hepperle, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Delta Theta Phi, Rostrom Speaking Club, debated this same question against Hamline University. Peterson, Kappa Pi Alpha, Phi Delta Phi, Rostrom Speaking Club, argued against the South Dakota State college this year. He won second place in the University Extemporaneous Speaking contest last year. Dykstra, who belongs to the Etoyoc Speaking Club was the leader of the affirmative team against Hamline University in debate this spring.

This is the first time that Iowa has ever met South Dakota in debate. At Vermillion, intercollegiate debate occupies a prominent position on the campus, and if Iowa is to maintain her brilliant forensic record this year of victory over the University of Minnesota and two wins over Washington University by defeating South Dakota's experienced trio, her work is cut for her. Prof. Benjamin F. Shambaugh, head of the political science department will act as chairman tonight.

While Iowa is arguing the negative of the League of Nations issue against South Dakota here tonight the affirmative consisting of James M. Stewart L1 of Runnells, C. Edwin Baker A3 of Iowa City, and Robert E. Birchard A3 of Davenport, will be speaking on the Lincoln platform against Nebraska. The team left this morning, accompanied by Vernon L. Sharp L1 of Rolfe, the varsity coach of both Iowa teams, and will reach Lincoln at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Stewart is the only experienced intercollegiate debater on the

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Phi Omega Pi Initiates
Phi Omega Pi announces the initiation of Helen Berry A4 of Stockport and Marjory Roth A1 of Ottumwa.

Delta Sigma Pi Pledges
Delta Sigma Pi announces the pledging of Graham Hay Cm 3 of Waterloo, James Birkett Cm3 of West Liberty, and Asst-Prof. Ross

G. Walker of the accounting department.

Alpha Chi Omega Initiates
Alpha Chi Omega announces the initiation of Margaret White A2 of Webster City, Marguerite French A2 of Independence, Alberta Leytze A2 of Independence, Melva Jones A4 of Williamsburg, Frances Rock A2 of Williamsburg, Veda Falkenhainer A2 of Algona, Lucille Smith A2 of Spencer, and Grace Cox A2 of Montezuma.

Junior Prom
Capt. and Mrs. Charles C. Gilbert will chaperon the Junior Prom, which will be given in the men's gym tomorrow night.

Kappa Sigma
Members of Kappa Sigma will entertain at a dance at the chapter

house Saturday night. Dr. and Mrs. John Voss will be the chaperons.

Cotillion
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nelson will chaperon the dance at the Cotillion Saturday night.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon
Sigma Alpha Epsilon will give a dance at the Burkley Saturday night. Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Schenck will chaperon.

Phi Delta Chi
There will be a dance given by the members of Phi Delta Chi at the Criterion Saturday night. The chaperons will be Dean W. J. Teeters, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Raiford, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Weber.

Xi Psi Phi
The Xi Psi Phi's will give a dance Saturday night at the chapter house. Chaperons will be Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Gregg and Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Moore.

DAILY CALENDAR

Thursday, April 12
Memorial Union luncheon at women's gymnasium from 12 to 1 p. m. Opening of modern language convention at 3 p. m. at room 104 liberal arts building. Football practice at 4 p. m. at Iowa Field. Order of Artus dinner at Burkley at 6:15. Philomatheans meet at 7:15 at south entrance of natural science auditorium. Iowa-Nebraska-South Dakota debate at 7:30 in natural science auditorium.

Friday, April 13
Modern language convention. Memorial Union luncheon at women's gymnasium from 12 to 1 p. m. Chinese women of University entertained by Y. W. C. A. from 3 to 5:30 in liberal arts drawing room. University tea from 4 to 6 p. m. in club rooms. Meeting of graduate classical club in room 108, liberal arts building 7:30. Speech by Dean Willard L. Sperry at 8 p. m. in natural science auditorium. Junior Prom in men's gymnasium. Purdue-Iowa baseball game at Purdue. "Neighbors" given at Christian church at 8 p. m.

Saturday, April 14
Speech by Dean Willard L. Sperry at 2 p. m. in liberal arts drawing room. Faculty dinner in honor of Dean Sperry at Pagoda.

Meeting of Cosmopolitan club at 7:30 in liberal arts drawing room.

April Follies, art party at women's gymnasium.

Applications for "The Bath Road" must be filed before 8 p. m. at Iowa Supply.

Women's novice swimming meet. Illinois-Iowa baseball game at Illinois.

HONARY MEDIC ORDER ELECTS 2

Ensign And McMahon Named For Alpha Omega Alpha For High Grades

Dwight M. Ensign M3 of Iowa City and Arthur E. McMahon M3 of Iowa Falls are the two medics to receive the honor of election to Alpha Omega Alpha, honorary medical fraternity in its spring election. Election to it is one of the highest honors that can come to a man taking the medical course

Arthur E. McMahon is a member of Nu Sigma Nu, medical fraternity, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon, social fraternity. He is secretary of the junior class.

Dwight M. Ensign is the son of Prof. Forest C. Ensign, professor of education. He is a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity and Nu Sigma Nu, medical fraternity. He was elected to Phi Beta Kappa while in liberal arts, and is also a member of Sigma Xi, honorary scientific fraternity. Mr. Ensign was president of the sophomore class in the college of medicine, was a lieutenant in the S. A. T. C., and was assistant in the animal biology department while in liberal arts.

The senior medics who were elected to the organization last fall are John Eiel M4 of Buffalo Center, Thomas P. Treynor M4 of Iowa City, Clayton R. Johnson M4 of Iowa City, Emmett V. Kenefick M4 of Eagle Grove and Edward W. Anderson M4 of Des Moines. Dr. William F. Boiler, professor of ophthalmology, and Dr. Clarence Van Epps, professor of theory and practice of medicine, were also elected at that time.

Rudolph H. Kampmeier M4 of Iowa City, George I. Nelson M4 of Cherokee and Henry A. Bender M4 of LeMars were the juniors elected last year.

Physical Exams For Fort Snelling Begin Yesterday

Physical examinations began yesterday on the R. O. T. C. men who wish to go to Fort Snelling, Minn., and other training camps this summer. The examinations will be made by Dr. William J. McDonald, director of the student health and Dr. Norman W. Loud, his assistant, at the student health building. The men will be examined to meet the army requirements and will be vaccinated for scarlet fever and smallpox if they have not been made immune before.

In former years about three percent of the men who have applied have been excluded because of physical defects, said Doctor McDonald. The men will be taken in groups of two or three and be given careful attention.

Silken Clad Dolls Will Show Unique Review Of History

A pageant of some of the greatest figures in history are vividly portrayed by a rare collection of dolls attired in silk costumes which are being shown at the Dolly Henderson shop here in Iowa City. The materials used in the apparel of these dolls were collected by the National Silk Association. Two trips around the world to collect data were necessary before satisfaction was reached as to their perfection.

The dolls are about two feet high and besides representing some of the most interesting figures in history, they show the development of the wonderful fabric—silk, which the women of today would find it hard to do without. Some of the characters which are represented are: Queen Elizabeth, benefactress of the navigators from 1533 to 1603; Madame Bu Barry; La Fosse, Martha Washington; Yuan Fel, a mythical

character who presided over the destinies of the silk worm between 3500 and 2500 B. C.; Buddha, from a painting on silk gauze from the cave of the Thousand Buddhas; a Chinese prince; a Japanese empress; the Egyptian empress, Thias about whose life the opera "Thias" was written; Roger I the Viking ruler of Sicily from 1031 to 1101; Marco Polo; and Cosimo de Medici.

These dolls were displayed at the New York National Silk Show by

the National Silk Association under whose auspices the collection of the silk materials were made. Iowa City has the distinction of being the fifth city in the United States to secure these dolls in a display. They were brought here through the courtesy of Denecke Company of Cedar Rapids. Last week the collection was displayed in the silk department at Denecke's store and much interest was shown by shoppers concerning them.

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SPERRY TO HOLD APRIL CONFERENCES

"Religion Given; Not Learned," Says Theology Dean Who Comes Here Friday

"Religion is given, not learned," writes Dean Willard S. Sperry in his article "Peter Bell in Search of a Religion" in the Atlantic Monthly for October, 1922.

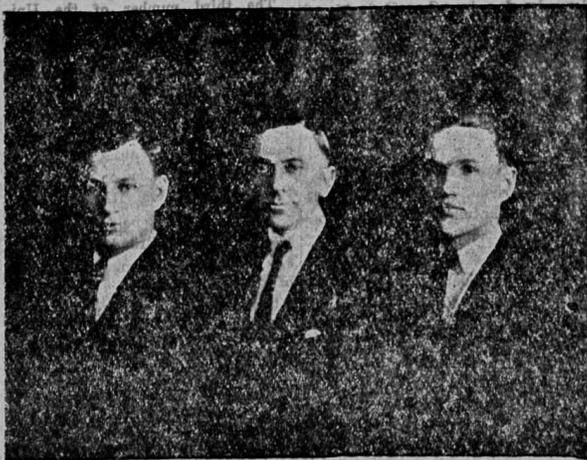
Dean Sperry, who is dean of the department of theology at Harvard,

will be in Iowa City three days, April 13, 14 and 15. On Friday and Saturday he will hold religious conferences and on Sunday, April 15, he will speak at vespers.

He continues, "Without the learning and the discipline, its very powers to give itself adequately are thwarted. An advanced and disciplined knowledge of what history has defined as religious experience, a wise perception of the ways in which men consolidate and utilize revelation, is the only assurance we have that we are fit for the given hour."

"The emancipated Sunday golfer

South Dakota Arguers Who Will Meet Iowa Debaters Here Tonight



Hepperia Dykstra Peterson

is in rebellion against the pedantry of religious education which would parade itself as the content of the reality. He is in rebellion against the monopolistic claims of churchmen to the sole mediation of reality. He has come to the independent conclusion that the divine is quite as likely to reveal itself on the eighth green as in hymn 349. But the ability to see God on the green depends upon the initial assumption that he who plays up to it is approaching with a mind that knows what it is looking for, a mind watchful and expectant. The ability to see God there depends on some advance discipline in insight which is roughly presented by having been to church that morning."

Sororities Announce Change Of Residence At End of Year

Sororities will make a number of changes in residence at the close of the present school year.

The Alpha Xi Deltas, who have lived at 431 E. Jefferson street for a number of years, have purchased Judge Otto's home, 404 Brown street, and will move there in June.

The Delta Gammas have purchased a lot at the corner of College and Summitt streets and will begin the construction of a new house this spring which they hope will be ready for occupancy by next fall.

The Delta Zeta's will move into the present Delta Gamma house, 400 N. Dubuque.

The Chi Omegas will move from 304 South Summitt street to 427 North Dubuque.

The Alpha Delta Pis have purchased a lot a block north of their present address, 126 North Clinton street, and will begin the erection of a new house next fall. Until the house is completed they will stay at their present address.

LANGUAGE MEET OPENS TODAY; KAY TO SPEAK

M. Firmin Roz To Lecture On French Opinion And Great Problems

The third annual conference of Modern Language teachers will open this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in room 104 of the liberal arts building. The program will consist of discussions of problems relating to language teaching in the fields of French, German and Spanish. The speakers of the afternoon will be Dean George F. Kay; Professor A. Coleman, of the University of Chicago; J. F. Deihl, vice-Principal of the Boy's Technical School of Milwaukee; and Prof. Edwin H. Lauer of the German department. Prof. Ralph E. House of the Spanish department will preside.

M. Firmin Roz's address on "French Opinion and the Great Problems of today" which will be held at the L. A. Auditorium this evening at 8 o'clock is probably the most notable feature of the conference. Mr. Roz is a prominent French journalist, a lecturer, author, and critic and has made a particular study of French and American idealism in literature. An informal exchange of social amnities will follow his address; Prof. S. H. Bush head of the department of Romance Languages will preside.

Three sessions of the conference will be held tomorrow. The morning session will be held in room 104 of the liberal arts building at 9 o'clock. The speakers are to be Edward Manley, of Englewood High School, Chicago, A. L. Owen, head of the department of Hispanic Languages of the University of Kansas, Dean William F. Russell of the College of Education, and Prof. Charles E. Cousins of the French department. Prof. C. W. Wilson, head of the German department will preside.

The afternoon program will be held at 2:30 in room 104 of L. A. Prof. Stephen A. Bush will speak on French Civilization—"Good and Bad"; Prof. G. G. Benjamin of the History department on "Historical Points, of Contact"; Prof. Benjamin F. Shambaugh, head of the Political Science department, on "How the French Government Works"; Prof. A. L. Owen of Kansas of "The Torpuenada of Galdos" and Prof. A. Coleman of Chicago on "The Fruit of the Tree". Prof. Orrie E. Klingaman, director of the Extension Division, will preside.

The evening session will be devoted to a discussion of French, German, and Spanish dramatists. Prof. Charles E. Young of the department of Romance Languages, will speak on "The Career of Brieux" and Prof. A. Heras of the Spanish department will speak on "Manuel Quinteros".

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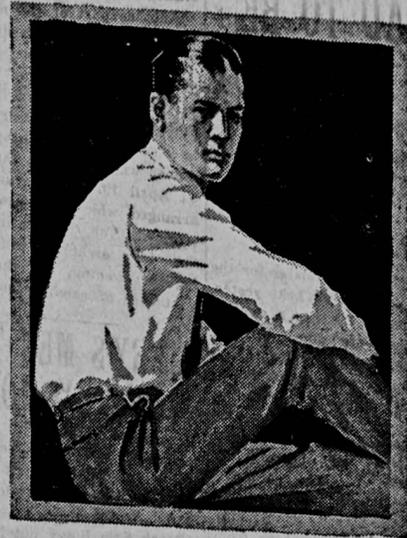
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FROSH TENNIS SQUAD TO BE WEEDED OUT

Tournament To Reduce Number Of Men Trying Out

At a meeting of candidates for the University tennis team, held yesterday afternoon in the men's gymnasium, to formulate plans for the spring season, it was decided that a freshman singles tournament would be held for the purpose of weeding out the poorer players. Thirty-five men, were present at this meeting.

Entries for the freshman elimination tournament can be made on a bulletin which will be posted at the east entrance of the gymnasium. Drawings will be made a week from next Saturday, and the actual playing will begin on the 23rd of April. "There are so many freshmen out that this is the only way to pick out the best men," was the statement made by physical training director, E. G. Schroeder last night.

The courts across the river by the Quadrangle are now being worked and will put into use as soon as they are in shape. Both varsity and freshmen teams will work over there from 4 to 6 every evening.

The varsity team will meet the Coe team on the Iowa courts either next Tuesday or Wednesday afternoon, the exact date not having yet been set. A return match will be held on the Coe courts on the following week. The varsity schedule for the spring is as follows:

- Wisconsin, April 28, there.
- Northwestern, May 4, here
- Minnesota, May 12, there.
- Chicago, May 19, here.
- The conference meet, at Chicago, May 24, 25, and 26.
- The dates for the conference meet at Chicago are not definitely set as yet.

At present there are eighty-nine men registered in the tennis classes in the physical training department. These classes will be held every morning except Friday and Saturday. Instruction will be given to the members of the classes by physical training director, E. G. Schroeder.

Law Fraternities Organize Three Baseball Teams

At a meeting of the Associated Law students yesterday it was decided by the three legal fraternities, Phi Alpha Delta, Delta Theta Phi, and Phi Delta Phi to organize baseball teams to participate in a series of games this spring. The teams are to be picked soon, and the schedule announced. After the fraternity teams are picked one team from the whole law college will be chosen.

The judge of the games will be Prof. Millard Breckenridge. This position in former years was held

by Prof. Percy Bordwell, and corresponds in the law college conference to that held by Judge Landis in the National field.

Another part of the meeting was devoted to planning a dinner party at which all of the students of law and the faculty of the college will be present. All of the deans of the University and their wives will be guests of the law students. The dinner will be held at the City park on April 19. A program has been arranged which will provide entertainment for the entire evening. Schaefer's orchestra will play during the evening, and there will be a number of cabaret features.

BARRY'S MEN TAKE LENGTHY WORKOUT

Locke, Thompson, Scantlebury, And Hicks Work For Strong Infield

Coach Sam Barry put his hustling baseball nine through a fairly hard workout on Iowa Field yesterday afternoon, polishing up the rough spots for tomorrow's game. After knocking the apple all over the lot in the hitting practice, the varsity aggregation took a long workout in the field, followed by a short go with the Yannisians.

The infield, composed of Locke, Thompson, Scantlebury, and Hicks, is looking better every night. These men have been working together with a precision and confidence that is nice to see, with Captain Barrett directing the plays from behind the plate. The second-sack berth, which has been more or less in doubt so far, seems to be well taken care of by Thompson, who was a yearling last year. Thompson looks to be Coach Barry's best bet for the job.

The outfield posts were held down by Poepsel, Laude, and Schirm, in the game. Poepsel and Laude seem to have the option on their respective left field and center field jobs, but in right Schirm and Hurlbut are putting up an interesting fight for the regular berth.

The men seemed to be in good condition after the Cornell game. Wayland Hicks took one of "Mutt" Barrett's pegs in the left eye in the practice, but the injury was not serious enough to warrant his leaving the game.

Coach Barry will put his players through the last workout on Iowa Field this afternoon, before entraining for Lafayette tonight, where Iowa opens the Big Ten Conference season with Purdue.

Co-ed Baseball Fans Show Great Ability In Practice Games

Over twenty co-ed baseball fans were out in full swing yesterday at the four o'clock practice held on the women's field. A great number of the women showed themselves to be batters of no mean ability, knocking flies to a remarkable distance.

Leone Wiggins A4 of Prairie City acted as coach in the absence of Miss Miriam Taylor, instructor

of women's physical education. The material out looked very promising and the women showed themselves to be hearty enthusiasts of the game. Especially good batting was done by Loraine Crawford A1 of Des Moines, Nellie Rader, A1 of Williams, Evelyn Harter, A2 of Keokuk, and Buelah Williams, A1 of Bronson. The wide, level expanse of the field gave ample opportunity to carry on a well-placed game.

The following women reported for practice yesterday: Lillian Barr, Au of Clarinda, Esther Fellows, A1 of Algona, Loraine Crawford, Georgia Grisby, Corine Mathis A1 of Boley, Okla., Coba and Cora Van Beek, A1 of Sioux Rapids, Blanche Clapper A1 of Rhodes, Iola Lund A1 of St. Ansgar, Nellie Rader, Maurine Ricke, Chloe Carson, A1 of Toledo, Lois Burns, A3 of Hartley, Corine Mathis, Evelyn Harter, Ivon Loveless, A2 of La Porte City, Buelah Williams, Julia Williams, and Delma Harding, A1 of Iowa City.

MITCHELL BEATS COURSE RECORD

British Pro And Ted Ray Survive Opening Round Of Golf Tournament

(By United News) London, April 11—Abe Mitchell, the British professional veteran, beat the course record by two strokes Wednesday in the qualifying round of professional tournament at Roehampton in which 64 pros were entered. This is the first big tournament of the year in England.

Mitchell played 18 holes in 67, two less, than Ted Ray who equalled the record with 69. Mitchell and Ray lead those who qualified with 140 for the 36 holes. J. H. Taylor, George Duncan and Alex Herd also survived.

Officers Of Seals Club To Be Named Within Two Weeks

Nominations were made for Seal's club officers for next year at a meeting of the club last night. Elections will be held in two weeks.

Amy Benner A3 of Keokuk, Beatrice McGarvey G of Iowa City, and Margarita McGoveny A2 of Iowa City were nominated for president of the organization. The one receiving the second highest number of votes will be made vice president.

The nominees for secretary are Emily Russell A2 of Aberdeen, S. D., Evelyn Byrne A2 of Dubuque, Gladys Brooker A1 of Omaha, Neb., and Sara Cox A2 of Iowa City. The women getting the second highest number of votes will be the corresponding secretary.

For treasurer Marjorie Kay A1 of Iowa City, Eleanor Chase A1 of Clinton, and Doris Green A2 of Des Moines will be voted upon.

The representative to W. A. A. will be elected at the same time as the officers are voted upon.

The officers of Seals club at this time are: Margarita McGoveny president, Helen Spencer A3 of Des Moines vice president, Charlotte Fisk A3 of Iowa City secretary, and Amy Benner treasurer.

CO-EDS TO REGISTER FOR HORSEBACK RIDING SOON

Those co-eds who have been looking forward to continuing the pleasures of horseback riding will be glad to know that registration for the riding classes will begin next Saturday morning in the women's gymnasium.

Sergeant John Teeterman A1 of Iowa City who has been given charge of the classes has a remarkable record. He taught riding in England after the war. Later he rode in the west and several riding camps where he demonstrated riding.

The classes will be held every week day at one, two, and three o'clock. On Sunday classes will be held between two and three, while on Tuesday and Saturday they will be held at six o'clock.

University Bulletin Aids Elementary History Teachers

The third number of the University bulletin on "Aids for History Teachers" has just been distributed to all the teachers of elementary history in Iowa. The subject of this number is the High School Library and is devoted to a discussion by Prof. Walther I. Brandt, instructor in History on "The High School Library in History".

The gist of this bulletin was presented by Dr. Brandt in a talk before the Third Annual Conference of Secondary School Teachers of History, held at the University on February 16-17, 1923.

Dr. Brandt's discussion is based upon a careful examination of the existing situation in Iowa, and his recommendations and suggestions for improvement are made with the school of slender means primarily in mind. The inexperienced teacher should find the recommended book lists which are included in the bulletin exceedingly valuable.

ARTISTS TO FROLIC AT UNIQUE BALL

April Follies To Dance Under Canopy of Cerise And Purple Check

Stocks of cheesecloth, tarlatan and cheap jewelry are being rapidly diminished as the date, April 14, set for the April Follies, annual art costume party, draws near. The party will be held in the women's gymnasium and the balcony will be open at the price of twenty-five cents to those who wish to see the affair. In previous years the balcony has been closed and only those belonging to the art department were allowed to witness the brilliant party.

It was estimated by Frances A. McCall A4 of Des Moines, chairman

of the finance committee, that at least 150 members of the art department are planning to attend. The keynote of the decorations will be a canopy of cerise and purple squares covering the entire ceiling of the gymnasium. This canopy has been designed and painted entirely by the class in designing. The programs which are being kept a secret are being made by the entertainment committee.

Many of the students who experience difficulty in designing their costumes are helped by a file of costumes which M. Ellen Thornburgh, an instructor in the department, has been keeping.

The department was highly commended last year upon their party. Judge Truen of Cedar Rapids, who is interested in the department and was a guest last year, commented on

the attractiveness of the party and expressed the wish to be able to attend again this year.

Founding of Rome Observed Yesterday By Classical Club

The founding of Rome in the month of April, 753 B. C., was celebrated last night by a Classical club banquet held at 6 o'clock at the Pagoda, at which twenty-four were present. In addition to observing this 2676th anniversary of the founding of Rome, the banquet was held in honor of the many festivals of the month of April.

This is the first banquet of this kind that the classical club has given and an effort will be made to make it an annual affair.

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BONAR LAW IS CAUSE OF MIX IN PARLIAMENT

Laborites Want Premier To Quit; Tories Ward Off Attack While Opponents Sing

(By Ralph H. Turner)
London, April 11—An attempted fist fight on the floor of the chamber, cries of "come outside if you want to scrap" singing of revolutionary songs and mutual exchange of abuse between labor and Tory members converted the British House of Commons, the "mother of parliaments", into a veritable ma house Wednesday.

The battle which was precipitated by the demand of laborites that Premier Bonar Law resign because this government by a majority of six was defeated Tuesday on its motion for aid to service men, raged verbally and otherwise for two hours, members occasionally taking "time out" to get their breath, after which the beligerent tactics were resumed.

The disorder broke out when a group of labor members yelling "resign" rushed over to the government bench on which Bonar Law's cabinet ministers were seated.

Fists were swung at several of the ministers including the honorable W. Ormsby-Gore under-secretary of colonies, and Colonel Walter Guinness, under secretary of war. One fist grazed the head of Ormsby Gore before he was able to throw up his arm for protection.

Ramsay MacDonald, parliament leader of the labor party, and Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer, rushed over and separated the milling combatants.

Eyers Monsell, a tory, and George Buchanan, a laborite, disappeared behind the speaker's chair and a scuffle ensued. Inasmuch as the battle was waged under the press gallery it was invisible to reporters and few details are yet known. Angry cries continued in the chamber even after most of the members had departed. During an hour recess, which was taken because of the disorders, the laborites sang "the red flag" and other revolution ary songs.

Fisticuffs apparently originated by a laborite making the accusation that a member of the government struck him.

Midwestern University Students Indulge In Variety of Occupations

Not only are the regular lines of work followed by students at midwestern universities who are earning the money for their college courses, but many unusual occupations are listed among those carried on by undergraduates. Students do everything from serving as state legislator to sleeping in undertaking establishments to save rent.

Indiana university is the school which boasts a member of the house of representatives. He is Everett A. Addington, a blind student, who also tunes pianos to add to the income he

receives from the state. In addition to Mr. Addington, Indiana has two other blind students who are paying their way, a girl who crochets and a boy who sells sandwiches.

Students at Nebraska are responsible for the idea of working in undertaking parlors in return for living quarters. Honor stands, where sweets are sold without attendants, are found here also. One Nebraska boy, operating such stands, reported his net profits to average 65 cents daily. Another university of Nebraska boy took a contract to paint a house and hired other students to help do the job.

The giving of blood for transfusion is the regular occupation of some students from the University of Minnesota. Teaching Hebrew is the occupation of an Ohio university student, and another undergraduate here leases a house and sublets the rooms.

At Kansas State Agricultural college a young man does housework and watches children while parents are away from home. Another student acts as a detective, tracing cigarette bootleggers for the mayor of the town. Still another boy sells salad dressing, and two students have a sign hung out which reads, "Dancing Lessons and Ford Repairs."

At Washington university, a student firm issues free blotters, securing profits from the advertising on the blotters. Marquette university has a student grave-digger, and an athlete who makes money as a dance hall bouncer.

700 YOUNGSTERS SEE PUPPETS ACT

Tony Sarg Marionettes Show "Rip Van Winkle" With Great Realism

More than seven hundred Iowa City youngsters laughed and cried at Rip Van Winkle's age old story as portrayed in a most life like manner by the Tony Sarg Marionettes yesterday afternoon in St. Patrick's auditorium. The tiny stage was so arranged in detail and the tiny puppets, dressed in appropriate costumes moved, in such a realistic way through out the play, that it was a positive shock to the senses when a real human stepped out to take a curtain call. In fact the whole world seemed to be of Broodingnagian proportion and for a

few minutes after the final curtain it was necessary for every spectator to reconstruct his entire idea of size and to emerge again into a world of reality.

The first scene shows in miniature, the exterior of "The King George" Inn and characters seemingly human are introduced. A scene in Rip's kitchen follows and in a most dramatic scene replete with realistic thunder and lightning poor Rip Van Winkle's wife drives him out into the storm. Act three is the gruesome spot in the Catskill mountains where the hero finds Hendrick Hudson's treasure and in punishment is sent to sleep for twenty years. Extra details are added to the story when the ghostly cries, bats, ghosts, skeletons and witches, fly around the sleeping Rip. They are so gruesome as to seem terrifying, especially to very young and impressionable spectators, but the children seemed to thoroughly enjoy it. We next witness the aged Rip awakening in the winter time twenty years later. The last act is again at the Inn this time "The George Washington" because the Revolutionary War has been fought during Rip's long sleep.

The last act is the most enjoyable of them all as the hero meets his daughter again and the story closes with the singing of Christmas carols by the entire company. The applause brings the actors before the curtain three times and then when the curtains part for the fourth time an enormous giant is seen gathering up actors and the audience realizes with a start that these "actors" are puppets manipulated by strings.

The Marionettes show the utmost ingenuity in construction and manipulation. Every detail of both sets and the costumes are carefully worked out and the lighting system is unusual in that the effects of dawn and sunrise in the mountain scene and the thunder storm in the second

act are made so convincing as to seem real.

Mention must be made of the animals who share honors with the human puppets. A dog fight is a feature of the play in which three dogs fly at each others throats with the most realistic and terrifying of barks, and later a rabbit hops across the stage, and dies at a shot from Rip's gun in a tragic manner. The real star however, of the animal part of the play is Wolf—the Dutchman's dog for he wags his tail, scampers about and struggles to talk to his master in just the way any living puppy does.

At Other Campuses

Ohio State

The men's student council at Ohio State recently petitioned the president and faculty to abolish the present system of final examinations. In case no better system could be found, it was suggested that the former system of setting aside several days for examinations be resorted to.

Minnesota

Publication of the Minnesota Daily was resumed on April 5, after having been suspended for some time, due to the lack of student support. Every student in the university will be a subscriber in the future. An extra fifty cents is being added to the regular university fees to cover cost of publication. The circulation of the new issue will be approximately 10,000.

Oklahoma

Establishment of a journalism week as an annual custom of the school of journalism was favorably passed upon by the Cub's club. The week of April 22 to April 28 has been selected as the date for the first year's festivities of the newspaper workers.

Radio Is Medium Through Which Sick Sailors Get Aid

(By United News)

Washington, April 10—Radio is now taking care of the sick tar aboard the ship that ploughs the sea in almost as perfect fashion as if he were in the best equipped hospital on land under the care of expert physicians.

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THE INHERITANCE TAX

The state legislature of Iowa took a step in the right direction by increasing the tax on inheritance. The per cent which goes to the state under the new law is still far too small but gives further proof of the tendency manifested in legislation during past years towards gradually increasing the amount which shall accrue to the government. In a few years it is likely that the greater part of a bequest will find its way into the common coffers.

Economists argue that such action on the part of the government will diminish the amount of working capital. They warn that captains of industry will not expend so much effort in making their organizations efficient if the money they save thereby must be given to the state upon their death. But granting this, the evils of the present system more than counterbalance those predicted to follow after a high inheritance tax levy.

Inheritance perpetuates the inequality arising out of capitalism and especially that pernicious brand common to America. It is debatable if a large tax would actually curb the desire to accumulate wealth. After one has saved enough to meet the necessities of life the further amassing of money is often due solely to the psychological factor of winning out in the game, in getting ahead of the next man. Again the factor of uncertainty in investments makes the capitalist wary as to possible reverses and causes him to protect himself accordingly. Still another factor is to be found in pure selfishness. The miser does not save that he may be benefactor to others after his death.

All in all it is unlikely that a large inheritance tax would cause capitalists to squander their wealth. The case of John D. Rockefeller seems to substantiate this argument. An increasing tax has not diminished his desire to accumulate wealth. It has caused him to look about for worth-while things upon which to bestow his favor. And in doing this the country has benefited more perhaps than if a like amount were to be turned over to the United States treasury.

THE TRANQUIL MIND

Strength of character is never evidenced by a noisy and blustering self-assertiveness. A large output is not necessarily accompanied by a large noise. The air of having time enough, room enough and of taking things as a matter of course is a contrast to the fussiness, the nervousness of the lesser men.

Dr. William Osler, one of the greatest doctors the world has ever known, used to stress the importance of the quiet mind for a physician. A betrayal of irresolution and agitation on the part of the physician harms the patient while an appearance of confidence begets confidence.

The remarks attributed to Sir Walter Raleigh before his death at the block show well the stuff of which he was made. No man ever loved life more than he did or met death more blithely. Having taken leave of his friends who flocked about the place of execution he called for the axe and running his fingers along the edge of the

blade observed, "Sharp medicine but a sound cure for all diseases," and then as the executioner bade him turn his head toward the East, "It is no great matter which way a man's head stands, so that his heart lies right."

CONTEMPORARY OPINION

(New York Tribune)

LET'S GO SOMEWHERE

April, on first-rate authority, is the month when folk long to go on pilgrimages. Without having the event precisely in view, Dan Chaucer five hundred years ago heartily indorsed this week's Travel Show. It is the season when the most incorrigible home lover begins to feel the annual repugnance for staying put and starts planning for a holiday change of scene.

He will be gratified on visiting the exposition to learn that, near and far, paradises are liberally sprinkled on the routes of railroads and steamships. His only perplexity will be to choose his Eden. Should he elect to "see America first" all the vacation states, with New York in the foreground, invite him to resorts guaranteed to be of unsurpassable charm, and Uncle Sam on his part is not backward in revealing the unequalled attractions of the national parks.

If none of these content him the agencies that smooth the way for tourists will help him across the boundaries that he may "know something of the contagious countries," as Mrs. Malaprop desired for her daughter. Or if he seeks backgrounds ultra-contagious he may, as thousands will, emulate the daring of Hiram Johnson, who recklessly exposes his isolation in the pleasantest haunts of Europe. Even Africa and Asia are dangled before him. The Travel Show, indeed, offers world-wide temptation with its siren chorus from the Seven Seas.

It is hard to map out an unpromising journey once the spring fever is on and with it the hunger for new places, new faces. "For my part," said Stevenson, "I travel not to go anywhere but to go. I travel for travel's sake. The great affair is to move."

The Sounding Board

"How fortunate," muttered the man who had waited twenty minutes for his Denver sandwich, "that I didn't order Swiss cheese."

Now there's a quip which offers a ray of hope for those who believe that the great American people have at least some sort of sense of humor; that we are not a nation composed entirely of Babbitts. It is on this major premise that the foundation of a newspaper column is reared.

OUT FOR BLOOD

(Photo by Sounding Board Staff Photographer.)



S. U. I. special policeman on trail of students who cut across campus.

Eleven student organizations have been suspended from the student council on account of failure of their representatives to function. Our first impulse was one of curiosity as to who was left to do the suspending.

We fear that we have a very mean disposition. Instead of feeling sorry for them, we get a good laugh from the barbs who are wild to be Greeks but never get the chance.

The thrill that comes once in a lifetime: when you first discover somebody reading your stuff and chuckling over it.

Southern chivalry is not confined to the solid South. A Valparaiso, Ind., jury could not be persuaded to convict a pretty bootlimber who was caught with the goods.

An interesting sidelight on the Nicaraguan canal question is the statement (by officials in Panama) that the present waterway will be adequate for the next twenty-five years.

"I just don't believe that any one can be better looking than Mary Pickford . . . Oh! she is nineteen times more beautiful than her pictures," cries Neysa McMein to a Philadelphia reporter.

Steady there, Neysa, steady! Nineteen is a good many, and one must always guard against exaggeration.

We have just been completely upset. Shan't be able to write any more today. Somebody passed the window singing that old English ballad:

"A-golfing we will go, a-golfing we will go."
SEVENTEEN.



GOING BACK TO HIS JOB

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Humorists Then and Now

BY DAVID A. CURTIS
NEW YORK TRIBUNE

His majesty the Public has always maintained jesters at his court. "In days of old, when knights were bold and barons held their sway," official humorist of the governmental outfit was esteemed somewhat after the same fashion as the professional actors of the period, and took his kicks together with his halpence with what grace he could, revenging indignities with gibes as bitter as he could make them. Under the sovereignty of his many-handed majesty however, both humorist and actors were accorded high honors, perhaps because in the case of humor the fashion has undergone great changes.

The recent republication in a letter of Mr. Rossiter Johnson to The Tribune of the poem written by a famous English scholar in memory of "Artemus Ward" serves well as a reminder of this condition, for Charles Farrar Browne was one of the first and also one of the foremost of the "funny men" who have enriched the literature of this country. "Tom" Corwin, who was one of them, said, as if in wistful regret, "The world erects no monuments to funny men," but surely that poem was no mean monument of its kind.

My own recollection goes back only to the times when George Arnold and Harry Clapp, of the famous Pfaff coterie, furnished Attic salt for the seasoning of the literary feast which Robert B. Roosevelt offered to the public in the columns of "The Leader"—the weekly paper he ran for a time. They two, rare wits both, were forerunners in the jovial throng. Browne came along a little later, and with him a goodly number of brilliant fellows, many of whom I had the good fortune to know.

Some of them would not rank high today. Even the slapstick is no longer in much favor. The story told by John Phoenix, concerning the fight he had, in which he placed himself firmly on his back on the floor and held his adversary in position by inserting his nose in the other's teeth, was then considered a masterpiece. And much of what we then called humor was on a par with that. A large part even of Artemus Ward's writings would not get past the copy reader today, even if the editor neglected to throw it in the waste basket. His wit is imper-

ishable, but his humor seems almost archaic.

Even the pseudonyms then in vogue seem childish now Browne's "Artemus Ward" and Clemens' "Mark Twain" had, at least, the dignity of simplicity, but Mortimer Thompson wrote as "Q. K. Philander Doesticks, P. B." and gravely explained that the title was an abbreviation of "Perfect Brick." Miner Griswold called himself "The Fat Contributor" and George Arnold, though he signed his poetry with his own name, signed "McArone" to his weekly feuilleton.

Grotesque misspelling has an undeniable claim to recognition as a form of humor. The recent success of the "Dere Mable" letters proves that, though even "archy" does not condescend to use of it nowadays. Artemus Ward, however, was considered to have achieved a veritable triumph when he wrote that something or other was "2 mutch" for him. And some of his contemporaries vied with him in the mangling of words for the amusement of their readers. Slapstick work was then in high favor.

"Them was the days" when we could see nothing funny in "Punch," and the English considered our effort at humor on a par with the festivities of naked savages, yet the American "funny men" were digging up real diamonds from the red clay of which the bricks of civilization were even then being fashioned.

They were a motley crew, these men who were doing the digging. Among those I remember were (aside from those already mentioned) "Brick" Pomeroy, Petroleum V. Nasby (whose letters from the seat of war afforded Abraham Lincoln the relief that he sorely needed from the cares that oppressed him); George D. Prentice (whose wit was so robust that much of it was regrettably laid aside by the exchange editors, who dared not republish it), and the never-to-be-forgotten Colonel J. Armoyn Knox, who claimed to have been born a colonel and cherished the title as his most precious birthright. His insouciance was as vast as the sombrero he brought to New York when he transplanted "Texas Siftings" from the field in which it had flourished, only to see it perish slowly, as "Brick" Pomeroy's Demo-

crat" did when that was brought here from La Crosse. And aside from those still living, I recall Orpheus C. Kerr and Bill Nye

There is no little pathos mingled with the pleasures of these recollections, for their was grim tragedy in the history of more than one of the number. We told as little of it as we could, and strove to forget as much of it as we knew, remembering how gallantly they had hidden it behind the debonaire front they presented.

There is no question that we are more sophisticated than we were. Purists in "style" are as intolerant as the sternest prohibitionist, and it may be that they have elevated the tone of American humor to as great a degree as they have lifted the stage and what few other things they have labored with. There is certainly a vast difference between Mark Twain's "Jumping Frog" and the subtleties of Chesterton and Chaw and the delicate fancies that only a Marquis can conceive. Perhaps it is proof of the advancement of the race, only—

The circus has been improved, too. We see pageants and living statues that were never under the canvas tents in the olden days, but while we admit the superiority of the more modern entertainment, we remember the glee with which we used to watch the clowns knocking one another around the ring. That was good fun also.

THE QUESTION BOX

(Q.) Have recent campaigns by other institutions drained both individuals and communities?

(A.) The American public and the individual have been trained to greater giving through repeated campaigns during and since the World War. They have come to appreciate that the mere giving of money is about the least they can do for worthy causes. Giving is not so much a matter of means as it is a matter of mind. The capacity of the American public and particularly of the Iowa graduate to give to really worthy causes has hardly been touched. Remember Iowa alumni are being asked for the first time to give something substantial to their Alma Mater.

LASSEN WINS IN FRESHMAN DECLAMATION

Award Merry Prize Of \$10 To Contestants Taking First And Second Places

First place in the freshman declamatory contest held Tuesday evening in the liberal arts auditorium was won by Arnold A Lassen of Avoca, with the declamation, "The Moral Issue." Philip C. Walker of Algona with "Address at Valley Forge" won second place, and third place was awarded to Joseph M. Colby of Lake Mills with "Lay the Axe to the Root of the Evil." A prize of \$10 is given to the winners of first and second places by Prof. Glenn N. Merry, of the department of speech. This is the first year that the Merry prizes have been offered although the contest is an annual affair.

Eight freshmen, two women and six men, competed in the final contest Tuesday. Each of the contestants delivered a thousand word declamation which was judged on the basis of effective delivery. A preliminary contest which eliminated thirty-one other entrants was held in March, and the eight who competed Tuesday were selected at this time.

The contest was judged by three faculty members, Prof. Sam B. Sloan of the English department, Robert W. Babcock, instructor in the department of speech, and Jacob Van Ek, instructor in political science. Abram M. DeVaul L3 of Fonda was the chairman of the evening and had charge of the contest.

The other contestants and their declamations were: Opal A. Keeney of Carlisle, "Prince of Peace"; Roy H. Geiselman of Fort Madison, "Emmet's Vindication"; David D. Terrell of Tangerine, Fla., "The American Conscience"; Hildreth A. Spafford of Iowa City, "Plea for Cuba"; and Eva M. Trekel of Chariton, "The Union Soldier."

A. F. I. Will Elect 12 Juniors During First Week In May

The annual election of junior men to membership to A. F. I., honorary organization of senior men, will take place in the first week in May. A. F. I. stands for "All For Iowa."

Men are chosen with reference to their ability in extra-curricular activities of the University. They must also have had an average of C in their studies throughout the time they have been in the university.

A committee of two is at work now and will present a list of twenty men, selected from the seven colleges, to the organization. These men are looked up and voted on by the active members. Ordinarily twelve men are elected, but it is probable that the number this year will be eight or nine.

The initiation is held later in the month, after which next year's president will be elected.



Pola Negri
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Coming To The Strand Next Sunday

Forty High Schools In Extemporaneous Speaking Contest

Announcement is being made of the state extemporaneous contest which will be held at four centers in the state prior to the final contest which will take place at Iowa City May 4.

The winners of the first and second places in this final try-out will receive scholarships to the State University of Iowa. This contest is an annual affair which is sponsored by the Iowa Patriotic league in co-operation with the department of speech of the University and has always proved very successful.

At present forty-one high schools have signified that they are sending contestants. The state has been divided into four sections each of which will have a contest from which one representative will be selected to come to the finals in Iowa City. The center for the southeastern district will be Oskaloosa and the contest will

be held April 28. The other three districts are to have theirs on the twenty-seventh. These three districts and centers are: for southwest, Atlantic; for northwest, Storm Lake; and for the northeast, West Waterloo.

BROADCAST MUSIC BY IOWA FACULTY TONIGHT

Tonight a program of music given by members of the faculty of the University school of music will be broadcasted from the Register radio station, WFG, in Des Moines. Dr. Philip G. Clapp, pianist, Prof. Frank Kendrie, violinist, Prof. Walter Leon tenor, and Mrs. Mildred B. Paddock, contralto, will give a program lasting an hour and a half.

The Register's radio plant is one of the best in the country, and its concerts are heard by radio fans over a large territory.

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Everybody will want to see these Historical Silk Dolls

ON DISPLAY THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

This exhibit which attracted such widespread interest at the New York National Silk Show can now be seen at Dolly Henderson's College Shop.

The dolls depict, through representations of great figures in history, the development of that wonder fabric, silk. A few of the characters in this big pageant are:—Yuan Fei, a mythical character, who presided over the destinies of the silk worm, 3500-2500 B. C.—Buddha, from a painting on silk gauze from the cave of the Thousand Buddhas—Chinese Prince—a Japanese Empress—Thais, the Egyptian Princess about whose life the opera "Thais" was written—Roger I, the Viking Ruler of Sicily 1031-1101—Marco Polo—Cosimo de Medici—Queen Elizabeth, mistress of the great navigators, 1533-1603—Du Barry—La Fosse—Martha Washington and others, numbering 34 in all.

This exhibit will be on display until Friday evening, April 13—going from here to Cleveland. Everyone who can should see this exhibit—Iowa City is the fifth city in America to show it.

Dolly Henderson's College Shop

OVER PRINCE'S FLOWER SHOP

RUSSIA AFTER FOREIGN MONEY FOR INDUSTRIES

Trotsky Writes Article Saying That It Is Now Only Necessary To Plan Details

(By United News)
Moscow, April 11—Russia, at this time when many nations of the world are threatening to refuse to deal with the government in any way because of the execution of Vicar General Budkevitch of the Roman Catholic church, has made a bid to foreign capitalists to aid in developing industry.

The bid came Wednesday from the pen of Leon Trotsky, communist war minister, who contributed an article in "Pravda", the official organ of the government.

One of the essential problems of Russia, Trotsky stated, is to work out the details of a plan under which certain enterprises will be turned over to foreign capitalists and to draw up a plan stating the conditions under which Russia will accept outside aid.

If foreign capital is used in Russia, Trotsky said, it must be to the advantage of the country and aid in promoting general economic development.

Experience in the past few years, according to the war minister, has shown that the use of foreign private capital is easily compatible with the soviet general economic policy.

Trotsky however pointed out that it will be necessary to enact further measures.

Trotsky's article was headed with this caption: "Approved by the Central executive committee of the communist party".

It is understood that a representative of the government with full powers to grant certain commercial concessions to French and British capitalists is about to leave for London, where he will start on the work in conjunction with the Russian trade delegation headed by M. Rothstein.

OPEN CHINA WEEK AT Y. W. MEETING

Dr. Suhindra Bose Speaks Of Chinese Love For All Learning

"One of the greatest traditions of China has to do with learning" said Dr. Suhindra Bose of India in his talks on Chinese customs in the Y. W. C. A. meeting yesterday afternoon, which opened China Week.

"In other days she limited herself to classical learning, but now she is reaching out toward Western civilization and learning," he continued. He went on to say that although Chinese civilization is the oldest in the World, China recognizes the value of modern civilization and learning. If she had a well organized government as do the European countries and America, she would easily surpass all the other countries.

"China is passing through a period of adjustment between the new life and the old, but she is making a supreme struggle and cannot fail to come out on top", he concluded.

The Y. W. C. A. began its China week with its meeting this afternoon. One of the features of the week will be the tea given in honor of the Chinese girls of the University on Friday afternoon from three to five o'clock in the liberal arts drawing room. Over one thousand attended this affair.

FRIVOL ELECTION OCCURS BY MAY 1

To Choose Editor-In-Chief And Business Manager For Coming Year

The election of the editor-in-chief and the business manager of Frivol for the next year, although no definite date has been set, must take place some time before May 1.

The requirements for editor-in-chief are, first, the student applying must have a sophomore standing or the equivalent for the year in which he or she is elected, and second, he must present a written application accompanied by a statement from the registrar to the board of trustees of the Frivol Publishing company.

The applicant for the position of business manager must also make a written application accompanied by a statement from the registrar, but can be any student in the University whom the board of trustees wishes to elect.

The board of trustees are Charles H. Weller, professor and head of the history and art department, chairman; William S. Maulsby, assistant professor of English; Clyde B. Charlton A3 of Rolfe; Paul C. Shuart A4 of Council Bluffs; George H. Gallup A4 of Jefferson; J. Stanley Bruner A2 of Waterloo.

SOUTH DAKOTA TO MEET IOWA MEN TONIGHT

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team. He argued against Nebraska last year and has also served on the championship Philo team. Stewart is treasurer of the Forensic Council. Although he speaks first in the constructive talks, he will occupy the responsible position of last speaker on the affirmative rebuttal. Baker, Irving Institute, University Players, won the Freshman declamatory contest

two years ago and debated on the Irving freshman and sophomore teams. Birchard, Philomathean, won the Sophomore Oratorical contest last year, and gained his debating experience on the Philo freshman, sophomore, and championship debates.

The Nebraska team which the Hawkeyes face has two experienced debaters on it. They are Bernard S. Gradwohl '23 of Lincoln, Delta Sigma Rho, Phi Beta Kappa, who debated against Iowa last year; and G. Wendell '25, Acacia, Delta Sigma Rho, argued against South Dakota last year. Their first speaker, T. Ronald Button '25 of Lincoln, Delta Upsilon, Iron Sphinx, honorary sophomore men's society, is unexperienced in intercollegiate forensics. He is an assistant editorial writer on the Daily Nebraskan. The debate at Lincoln will be open forum and judgeless. Iowa has debated Nebraska before but not in a judged contest.

The two Iowa teams held their last practice debate against each other in Close hall yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. That practice concluded more than a month of preparation for the forensic battle against the Universities of South Dakota and Nebraska tonight.

SCOUT LEADERS PRAISE FACULTY AND STUDENTS

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culty, and said "They have the finest democratic and cooperative spirit of any group of leaders in any university that I have visited. They are consciously preparing the students for better functioning citizens." He finished by saying that "on be half of the scout executives we wish to extend to the faculty and the student body the utmost thanks for the courteous and considerate treatment accorded us."

Captain Gidney, a graduate of Cambridge, and member of the crew while in college, said that the sportsmanship of the Iowa students seemed unusually high. The most force-

ful impression he received however was the hopeful attitude toward a world brotherhood prevalent amongst the faculty and student body. He said, "Of all the places in America that I have visited, and I have been traveling in the country for several months, this is the first that has looked on a world-wide relationship in a tourant way." He added that this was the first place also that he was not regarded in a sort of wild man from Borneo attitude because of his English mannerisms.

J. P. Freeman, national field director, John Piper, head scout executive of Region 8, and Prof. Charles F. Smith of Columbia University, all commented on the cooperative spirit of the faculty toward Boy Scout work. Prof Smith added that this is the third time he has given

an executive training course at the university, and that many more of the faculty are aiding in the course than did formerly.

Mr. Barclay was well-pleased with the Scout Club, and said, "We are looking forward with anticipation to the success of the club, and we believe that it will set the pace for like clubs in the universities of the middle west."

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Goodell Returns To Des Moines To Resume State Y. M. Duties

William Goodell B. A. '22 who has been at the university in charge of the university Y. M. C. A. while Secy. R. H. Fitzgerald directs the Iowa Memorial union campaign among students returned to Des Moines yesterday to resume his duties with the state Y. M. C. A. organization. Mr. Goodell secured a leave of absence for the month of March and part of April to come to the university. While he has been here he has directed all Y. M. C. A. activities and had a large share in promoting the Iowa carnival, Camp Foster banquet and the waste paper drive for the movies in the children's hospital.

Upon his return to Des Moines he will take up his work of representing Camp Foster, Y. M. C. A. camp for boys on Lake Okoboji to the various high school Hi-Y organizations throughout the state. During his undergraduate days at the university Mr. Goodell took prominent part in Y. M. C. A. work and has been one of the directors of Camp Foster during the summer season.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Coach Armbruster will not hold a swimming class this evening at the women's gymnasium.

Order of the Artus will dine at Mrs. Dunham's at 6:15 this evening. Important business meeting following. Be there. Darwin M. Staley, Pres.

All Philos will meet at the south entrance of the Natural Science building at 7:15 tonight, in order to attend the debate in a body. Absentees from roll, unless excused, will be fined 50 cents. No meeting of the society Friday April 13.

H. W. Voltmer, President.

Miss Bessie Gilmore will entertain the Iowa Women's Club at her home 213 Muscatine Ave. Thursday, April 12, at 2:30 o'clock Mrs. W. A. Jackson will assist in the entertaining. Those who wish may take the Rundell's street car and get off at Muscatine ave.



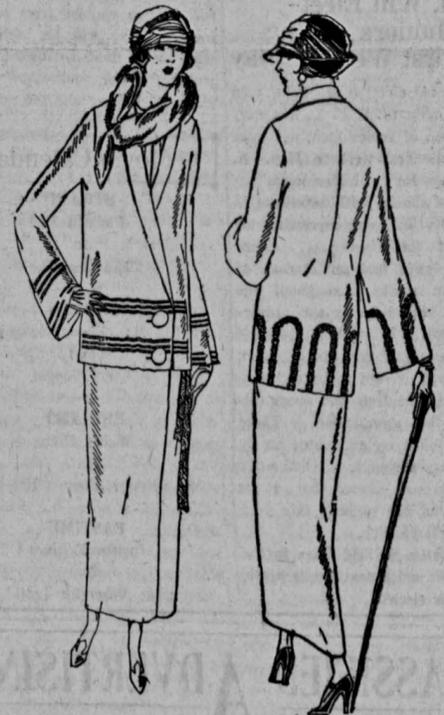
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