



Society and Clubs

Four Meetings for Church Organizations on Schedule

Holiday Season Cause of Lessening in Activities

Activities incident to the preparation for the Christmas holidays have lessened the number of meetings of church organizations. Four meetings are announced for this week.

Mrs. A. H. Hempstead, 615 S. Governor street, will be hostess tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. to the Ladies Guild of the First English Lutheran church. Mrs. Rebecca Williams, Mrs. T. H. Wright, and Mrs. U. S. Albright will be assistant hostesses. Officers will be elected from a list of nominees named by the nominating committee. Members of the committee are Mrs. C. W. Lillick, Mrs. H. Lorenz, and Mrs. M. G. Koser. Members of the guild are asked to bring their crucible envelopes to this meeting. A Christmas exchange will feature this meeting.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. O. Woodbury, 617 Grant street, at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. T. G. Standing will give the lesson on "Great personalities." Mrs. E. E. Lawyer will be in charge of the devotions. Mrs. Charles Maruth as assistant hostess is chairman of the refreshment committee. Members of the committee are Mrs. May Flynn, Mrs. Charles Heidt, Mrs. E. G. Hoopes, Mrs. R. A. Fenton, Mrs. A. M. Ewers, Mrs. K. H. Ekstrand, and Mrs. J. Eggenberg.

Mrs. E. C. Darling has charge of the program for the Reed auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church. The group will meet at the home of Mrs. J. O. Hughes, 215 E. Fairchild street, tomorrow afternoon. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. George Maresh and Mrs. R. H. Fitzgerald.

The Presbyterian church school program will be held in the church parlors Thursday at 7 p.m. Prof. E. B. Kurtz of the college of engineering is general superintendent. Each department of the church school has a part in the program. Bats of candy will be given to the children at the close of the performance.

Sigma Pi

A week end guest at the Sigma Pi fraternity house was Lyell Vanatta of Muscatine.

Lawrence Quigley, P of Eldon, and Arnold Allen, G of Baxter, spent Sunday in Cedar Rapids. Byron Arnold, G of Moline, spent the week end at home. Hugh Ware, L1 of Roopville, Ga., spent the week end in Des Moines.

Sigma Delta Chi

Clarence Wood, J4 of Evanston, Ill., was pledged to Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, at the regular meeting of that group held Sunday night at Iowa Union. The pledging followed a dinner and a business meeting.

Alpha Kappa Kappa

Marcus Magnusson, M2 of Clinton, was a Sunday dinner guest at the Alpha Kappa Kappa fraternity house. It was the fraternity's annual Christmas dinner.

Gamma Phi Beta

Ruth Webber, student at Stephens college in Columbia, Mo., was a week end guest at the Gamma Phi Beta sorority house.

Mrs. Somonds of Minneapolis was a Sunday dinner guest at the house.

Alpha Chi Omega

Alpha Chi Omega sorority members held their annual Christmas party Saturday night. Gifts were exchanged and a program was presented.

Theta Phi Alpha

Theta Phi Alpha sorority members entertained at an informal Christmas tea Sunday afternoon. Mrs. J. M. Furlong poured. Small Christmas trees and red candles formed the table decorations.

Week end guests were: Audrey Underkoffler of Newton, and Evelyn Neese of Des Moines.

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University to Award Degrees at Annual Mid-Year Convocation

Marked by the awarding of first and advanced degrees, the University of Iowa will conduct its annual mid-year convocation Jan. 31.

The ceremony occurs a day following the beginning of the second semester of 1932-33. All proceedings will be broadcast by station WSUI.

Although the final list of degree winners will not be known until after semester examinations end Jan. 28, it is expected that the candidates will total between 100 and 125.

O. E. S. Will Name Officers

Officers will be elected at a meeting of members of Order of Eastern Star tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic temple. Each member is asked to bring a can of fruit or vegetables. Dancing and refreshments will follow the meeting.

Mrs. J. W. Willard is in charge of arrangements.

Chi Omega

Week end guests at the Chi Omega sorority house were: Gene Bloom of North English, Helen Wareham of Davenport, Genevieve Musson of Council Bluffs, Lorine Katzky of Elkader, Helen Lenth of Elkader, and Edith Benson of Davenport.

The annual Christmas dinner was held last night with Prof. Fred J. Lazell of the school of journalism as guest. Following the dinner the Christmas party was held. The pledges put on a program for the actives.

Alpha Delta Pi

Alpha Delta Pi alumnae chapter entertained actives, pledges and guests of the sorority at the home of President and Mrs. Walter A. Jessup, 102 E. Church street, Games were played during the evening.

The committee in charge of the affair included Mrs. Van Crawford, Mrs. Ed Hogan, Lillian Fiean, Catherine Switzer, and Mary Louise Kelley.

Delta Upsilon

Sunday dinner guests at the Delta Upsilon fraternity house were: Adele Urbach of Dubuque, Mary Louise Comstock, a student at Lincolnwood college at St. Charles, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heeson of Iowa City, and John R. Cronin, L2 of Des Moines.

Triangle

The annual Christmas dinner of Triangle was held at the chapter house last night. Following the dinner, movie films of activities of other Triangle chapters were shown, and a program was presented by the pledges. Jack McGovern, E2 of Clinton was in charge. T. P. Tighe of Davenport was a guest.

Gamma Alpha

Gamma Alpha fraternity held its annual Christmas party Saturday night.

Beta Theta Pi

Sunday dinner guests at the Beta Theta Pi fraternity house were: Mr. and Mrs. Duq Harris of Kalona, George Alt, Edith Knox, John Cherry and Florence Weatherston, all of Cedar Rapids.

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PERSONALS

Prof. Frank E. Horack, Jr., of the law faculty at the University of West Virginia, is spending the holidays with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. F. E. Horack, 120 N. Dodge street. He will also attend the meetings of the American Law School association in Chicago before returning to the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland C. Wilson of Cedar Rapids spent last week end at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Stout, 422 S. Dubuque street.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived here yesterday to spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Bessie Adams.

Martin E. Nelson, United States engineer, has returned to Iowa City after a week in Vicksburg, Miss., on business.

Six employees of the United States engineer's office located at the hydraulics laboratory have secured leave of absence and will visit their homes. They are H. E. Howe of Cresco, Marvin J. Webster and Charles D. Rieck of Minneapolis, Minn., Carl Jetter of Maquoketa, Franklin Dinges of Omaha, Neb., and Clarence Cox of Hills.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul L. Risley announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Gray Risley, Dec. 17, 1932 at University hospital. Dr. Risley is an associate in the zoology department.

The Jewish Literary club will hold its first meeting Dec. 21 at 8:30 p.m. at Agudass Achem congregation. Everyone is invited.

Delta Gamma

Blue and silver candles and white Christmas trees decorated with blue and silver balls struck a yuletide note at the Delta Gamma sorority dinner Sunday noon. Ice cream molded into tiny Santa Claus, holy wreaths, and Christmas stockings helped carry out the Christmas theme. Guests at the affair were Ed Clapp, A3 of Shelby; Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Lundgren of Kansas City, and Betty Soleman of Iowa City.

Week end guests at the house were: Mary Morehead of Fairfield, and Edith Knox of Cedar Rapids.

Delta Zeta

Ten couples were entertained Sunday night at the Delta Zeta sorority house at a waffle supper.

Jeanne Walsh, C4 of Davenport, spent the week end at home. Helen Griffith of Elkader, was a week end guest at the house. Mary Golden Griffith, N of Elkader, was a Sunday dinner guest at the house.

Saturday night the sorority held its annual Christmas party. At this time gifts were collected to be sent to the poor in Vest, Ky. This is the annual social service project of the sorority.

Kappa Delta

Actives, pledges and alumnae were entertained Saturday night at a slumber party at the Kappa Delta sorority house. Gifts were exchanged.

Members of the committee in charge were: Vera Hanson, C3 of Iowa City, and Alberta Manahan, A3 of Vinton.

Delta Theta Phi

Delta Theta Phi's annual Christmas party had as its feature a program presented by the pledges for the entertainment of the actives. The affair was held last night.

Scout Group Initiates 8

Alpha Phi Omega Has Ceremony at Union for New Men

Formally initiated Sunday into Alpha Phi Omega, national honorary scouting fraternity were: Don W. Paden, A2 of Iowa City; Bedent B. Gallup, A1 of Council Bluffs; Mahmud M. Ghandeur, E4 of Beirut, Syria, and Robert R. Buell, A3 of Webster City.

Initiation ceremony was held at Iowa Union, and was preceded by a formal dinner. Four honorary members were also initiated at the ceremony, being: Dean C. A. Phillips of the college of commerce; Lawrence V. Griswold, G of Ft. Madison; Dr. A. E. Lambert of the college of medicine, and Prof. C. H. McCloy of the physical education department.

A "good will" program was presided over by Arthur W. Hannes, J3 of Council Bluffs, and included speeches by Dr. Lambert, Scout Executive Glenn Fordyce, Mr. Buell, G. Andrew Ammann, G of Boone, N. J., and W. Keith Weeber, E4 of Iowa City.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Sunday dinner guests at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity house were: Joe Webber, A1 of Neola; Ruth Burchard, A4 of Cedar Rapids, and Ruth Webber, student at Stephens college in Columbia, Mo.

Frank Phelps of Cedar Rapids was a guest at the house yesterday. He is a former student of the university, now attending the University of Alabama.

The annual Christmas party of the fraternity was held last night. Preceding the party a Christmas dinner was held. Guests were: Dean W. J. Teeters, Dr. Parsons of Iowa City, Prof. R. B. Kittredge, Glen Kenderline of Iowa City, Thomas Parsons of Iowa City, Phillip Walker, L3 of Iowa City, Robert Giles, E2 of Waverly, Frank Phelps of Cedar Rapids, and B. J. Bradley.

The dinner tables were decorated in Christmas colors and were lighted by red tapers.

The pledge group entertained the actives at a Christmas party held last night.

Phi Delta Theta

Dr. and Mrs. Vane of Cedar Rapids, were Sunday dinner guests at the Phi Delta Theta fraternity house. Wendell Dellzell, A1 of Cedar Rapids, spent the week end at home.

The annual Christmas party of the fraternity was given last night. A play put on by the pledge group featured the affair. Presents were exchanged.

Phi Gamma Delta

Prof. Fred J. Lazell of the school of journalism was a Sunday dinner guest at the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity house. James Hogan of Cherokee was a week end guest.

Last night the regular Christmas dinner and Christmas party of the fraternity were held. The pledges presented a play for the actives and presents were exchanged.

Students Tell of Engagement

Fisher, Philpott Give Announcement at Z. T. A. House

Louise Philpott, A3 of Boise, Idaho, and Weller Fisher, A4 of Schenectady, announced their engagement with the usual five pound box of candy which was passed during dinner Sunday noon at the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority house. Mr. Weller is a member of Delta Pi Nu.

The table appointments which were carried out in blue and silver, the sorority colors, were white Christmas trees hung with blue balls and silver icicles and blue tapers in silver holders. The guests were seated at one long table.

Guests at the dinner were: Prof. Beth Wellman of the child welfare department; Helen Reich, G of Moravia; Paul Campbell, L1 of West Side; Mr. Fisher; Frank Wettstein, L1 of Davenport; Robert Dorcas; Claire Holck, A3 of Reinbeck; John Jacobsen, A3 of Iowa City; Ed Gillfillan; Maurice Bates, C4 of Iowa City; Robert Asthaier, A3 of Muscatine.

Charles Tabb, E2 of Joliet; Lee Wagner, G of Iowa City; Lee Metzger, G of Olds; Charles Schneider, A3 of Erie; Pat Pearson; Mr. and Mrs. William Castles; Norma Chase of Muscatine; Edith Helmer, A2 of Iowa City; and Evelyn Brown, A3 of Iowa City.

Alumnae, actives, and pledges were entertained at a Christmas cozy at the chapter house at 10 p.m. Sunday. Everyone present brought a gift for the Christmas box which is sent annually to the Zeta Tau Alpha national philanthropic project at Curran Valley, Virginia.

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Kappa Kappa Gamma

Week end guests at the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority house were: Margaret Goodman of Mason City, and Betty Jean Barnes of Des Moines.

Sunday dinner guests of the sorority were Dean Warchow, G of Eldora, and Barbara Busse, a student at Christian college, Columbia, Mo., who lives at Atlantic.

Theta Xi

Guests during the week end at the Theta Xi fraternity house were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Samuelson of Cedar Rapids, and James Linsley of Cedar Rapids.

The pledge group entertained the actives at a Christmas party held last night.

Sigma Chi

Sigma Chi fraternity announces the initiation of John Van der Zee, A2 of Iowa City; Eugene Clearman, E4 of Iowa City, and Forrest Grimes, A1 of Colesburg, and announces the pledging of Robert Taylor, A2 of Highmore, S. D.

Phi Delta Phi

William Weaver of Wapello was a week end guest at the Phi Delta Phi fraternity house.

A pledge stunt featured the fraternity's Christmas party held at the chapter house last night.

Delta Tau Delta

Sunday dinner guests at the Delta Tau Delta fraternity house were John Grim, A2 of Iowa City, and Ben Douglas, G of Cedar Rapids.

Ted Bergman, national traveling secretary for the fraternity was a luncheon guest yesterday.

10 Guests Meet at Bridge-Dance

Ruth Fullerton and Kenneth Gilmore entertained 10 of their friends at a dancing and bridge party in the Spanish room of Hawk's Nest cafe last night. The guests included: Marjorie Shane, Burdette Marquart, Winifred Nolan, Marion Spicer, Gretchen Gibbs, Merton Spicer, Helen Smith, Reed Shelton, Genevieve Gordon, and Dale Koser.

Mrs. Seilhamer Entertains Club

Mrs. Meri Seilhamer was hostess to her bridge club last night when she entertained 12 persons in the Dutch room of Hawk's Nest cafe.

Kappa Phi

Initiated at a ceremony held in the Methodist church Sunday morning were 10 new members of Kappa Phi, Methodist student women's organization.

The initiates are: Gretchen G. Gibbs, A4 of Iowa City; Verna J. Nelson, A1 of Iowa City; Dorothy M. Petersen, A2 of Britt; Louise Shane, A2 of Pilot Mound; Doris R. Good, A1 of Waukee; Wilma

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Phi Beta Delta

Phi Beta Delta fraternity held its tenth annual Father's day banquet Sunday noon. Forty attended the affair. A. Bass, '29 of Cedar Rapids, was toastmaster and introduced the following speakers: Lou Shulman, '31 of Iowa City; Ben Golob, L1 of Toledo, and Henry Eransky, A1 of Waterloo.

The following were elected officers of the organization for next year: Nathan Kaiman, E3 of Glenwood, president; Ben Golob, L1 of Toledo, vice president; Normand Rosenberg, A4 of Weehawken, N. J., treasurer, and Bernard Hirsch, A4 of Chicago, secretary.

Phi Epsilon Kappa
Phi Epsilon Kappa, national professional physical education fraternity, held a Christmas party yesterday evening at the home of Prof. Ernest Schroeder of the physical education department.

Gifts were distributed among the 25 faculty and student members present by Larry Griswold, who played the part of Santa Claus. Bridge was played for the remainder of the evening.

Kappa Alpha Psi

Gage Moore, M3 of Des Moines, spent the week end in Cedar Rapids.

Acacia

Acacia fraternity held its Christmas party last night at the chapter house.

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Military Ball Sale Decided

Tickets Ready Jan. 6, Dance Committee Announces

Tickets for the Military Ball, first all-university formal dance of the year, will go on general sale at 8 a.m. Friday, Jan. 6, it was decided last night at a meeting of the general committee. The dance, scheduled for Jan. 13, will feature Herbie Kay and his orchestra.

Dorothy Lamour, radio "It" girl, will also accompany the orchestra as vocalist, it was announced last night. The entertainers will come to the Iowa campus from the Aragon ballroom in Chicago, and will also play for the University of Wisconsin Pre-Prom.

Sale of tickets to students registered in military will be opened Wednesday, Jan. 4, at 8 a.m., with blocks of tickets being reserved until Thursday, Jan. 5, at 10 p.m. for advanced course, basic course, O.R.C. members, and non-commissioned students who have completed advanced training.

All ticket sales will be completed at Iowa Union desk for the function this year, it was also decided by the committee.

Frank E. Meacham Named Worshipful Master of Masons

Frank E. Meacham, 323 S. Clinton street, was chosen last night to succeed Prof. J. Hubert Scott as Worshipful Master of the local Masonic lodge, No. 4, A.F. and A.M. for the coming year. The annual election was held at the Masonic temple, 312 E. College street, during the regular bi-weekly meeting. Other officers named at this meeting are: Dillard W. Bray, son for yarden; Warren W. Norris, junior warden; W. B. C. Foster, treasurer emeritus, a newly created office; Bertou V. Bridenstine, treasurer; John Springer, secretary, and Prof. A. H. Holt, trustee.

Actress Arrested in New York Theater

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—An actress identified by police as Mary Nolan, formerly known as Imogene Wilson, was arrested at a theater where she was appearing today on a warrant from Minneapolis.

Miss Nolan was taken into custody as she entered her dressing room in a Third Avenue theater after doing her turn in a vaudeville playlet called "The Strange Case of Mary Harris."

Booked at an uptown station she said she was 26, married, and living in New York. She was then taken to police headquarters. The nature of the charge against her was not immediately ascertainable.

Theta Tau

Theta Tau fraternity pledges entertained the active group at the annual Christmas stag party held last night at the chapter house. In charge of the affair were Garland Gearhart, Ed of Corning, and John Pritchett, Ed of Ft. Madison. Edmund Jeffries, Ed of Cedar Rapids, played Santa Claus for the group. Faculty guests at the party were: Prof. Frederic Mavis, Prof. Joseph W. Howe, Prof. Raymond B. Klitzke, and Prof. Andrew A. Holt. Don Marsteller, Ed of West Liberty, spent the week end at home.

What's Good in Food

Second in Series of Recipes by Iowa City Housewives for Holiday Dishes

This is the second group of favorite recipes of Iowa City housewives in a series to be published in The Daily Iowan. Watch for another set of kitchen favorites in tomorrow morning's issue.

Here is the housewife's champion—the sponge cake that never fails, or so claims Mrs. R. B. Kittredge, 630 S. Governor street.

Sponge Cake
5 eggs, separated
1 C. sugar
1 C. pastry flour
1 level tbsp. corn starch
4 tbsps. cold water
½ tsp. baking powder
½ tsp. salt
1 tsp. lemon extract
Bake in moderate oven 30 minutes. Ice cake with the juice of one orange and 2 C. powder sugar.

And here is Mrs. Ossie Solem's recipe for—

Spice Cake
Cream ½ cup of shortening (butter). Gradually add 1 cup of brown sugar. Beat 1 egg and 1 egg yolk. Add that to sugar and butter mixture.
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Pinch of salt

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Philosopher Ends Week of Fasting

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Dr. Arthur Kraus, philosophy instructor at City college, broke his fast today. Begun more than a week ago, the fast was in protest of anti-semitism in Poland.

Officials at the Beth Israel hospital, where Dr. Kraus was taken last Friday in a weakened condition, said they persuaded the instructor to end his hunger strike, reasoning that he could be of more value to his race "living instead of dead."

Demand Tax Cut
DES MOINES (AP)—The resolutions committee of the Polk county Farm Bureau today presented demands that tax expenditures and assessments on land valuations be cut to conform with the ability of the farmer to pay.

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The ACADEMY

A. F. I. Brings Carl Moore's Orchestra to Campus for Jan. 6, 7

Under the auspices of A.F.I., senior men's honorary society, Carl Moore and his orchestra from the Bismarck hotel in Chicago, will play at Varsity and Shadowland, Jan. 6 and 7.

The dances have been scheduled through the cooperation of the Varsity management. They have been made necessary, according to Bailey Webber, L3 of Ottumwa, president of A.F.I., because receipts from the annual I-Blanket Hop Nov. 11 were insufficient to cover the purchase of I-blankets for football major letter men. No other parties have been scheduled for the week and, the first after resumption of university classes.

GROWS PRIZE CORN



Wilfred Schaller, 18, of Bloom township, Chicago Heights, Ill., photographed at the county building in Chicago with some of the prize corn which he raised, making him champion of his 4-II club and of his county school. He was awarded a bank account for his prowess.

WSUI PROGRAM

9 a.m.—Within the classroom, Argumentation and debate, Prof. A. Craig Baird.
11 a.m.—Within the classroom, English novel, Prof. Sam E. Sloan.
12 a.m.—Luncheon hour program, Robert Manley.
2 p.m.—Within the classroom, General astronomy, Prof. Charles C. Wylie.
3 p.m.—Illustrated musical chats, Guy Bateman.
3:40 p.m.—The extension division, its scope and purpose, Bruce E. Mahan.
6 p.m.—Dinner hour program.
7 p.m.—Late news flashes, The Daily Iowan.
8 p.m.—Book review, school of journalism.
8:40 p.m.—Dento-facial orthopedics for the child, Dr. J. Elton Rose.
9 p.m.—Late news flashes, The Daily Iowan.
9:10 p.m.—Musical program, Martin Bruhl.

Lay Officer's Death to Felonious Wound

WATERLOO, Dec. 19 (AP)—A coroner's jury today held that Deputy Sheriff W. E. Dilworth met death as the result of pistol wounds feloniously inflicted by Elmer Bousler and Patrick Griffin.

After the inquest County Attorney John Gwynne announced he planned to file charges of murder against Brewer and Griffin. Dilworth and H. M. Mitchell, another deputy, were shot when they went to serve a warrant on Brewer and Griffin. Dilworth was fatally wounded and Mitchell is recovering in a hospital.

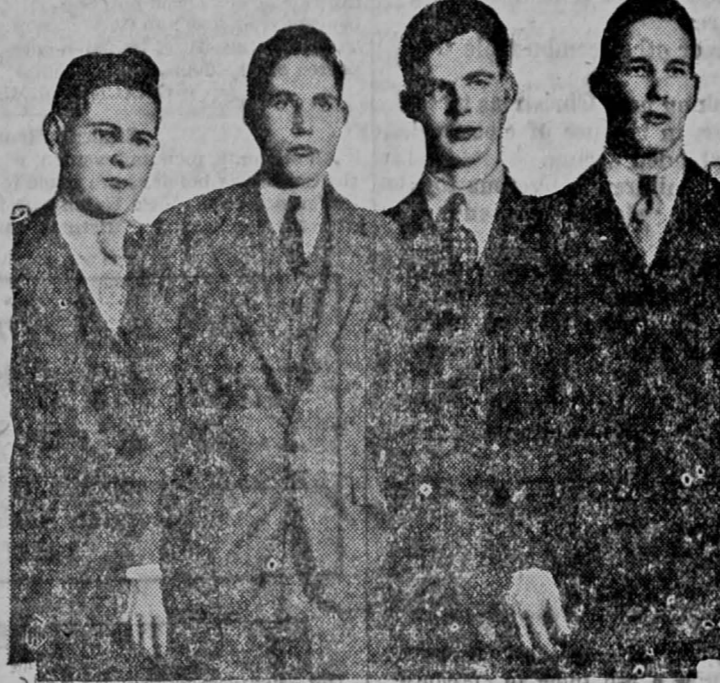
Alpha Xi Delta

Alpha Xi Delta sorority held its annual Christmas party last night.

Alpha Delta Pi

Dorothy Jane Fluke of Lone Tree, was a Sunday dinner guest at the Alpha Delta Pi sorority house.

AWARDED RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS



The four students of American colleges in the middle Atlantic district who won Rhodes scholarships are shown after they had received the high scholastic awards at Franklin university, Philadelphia. The scholarship includes \$2,000 in cash and free tuition at Oxford university, England. Left to right are A. Lincoln Gordon, New York, student at Fieldston college; Louis Van Dusen, Jr., of Cambridge, Mass., Harvard; Albert Weirich of Paterson, N. J., and F. T. Billings of Pittsburgh, both of whom studied at Princeton.

Sigma Pi Entertains Needy Children at Christmas Party

Small Guests Suggest Hosts Visit Them Sometime

"I would like to come over tomorrow and play with you boys," said freckle-faced Barney, 5 years old, as he played with a new dump truck he had just received.

Charles, 8 years old, who was trying on a new courtney jacket, interrupted him.

"Aw, we can't do that, Barney, 'cause they're goin' home tomorrow."

"They can come over to our house and play sometime," and Sally, 6 years old, smiled as she cuddled a new baby doll.

That was only a small part of the pleasantries that occurred at the Christmas party given last night by the Sigma Pi fraternity for three destitute children.

A turkey banquet featured the evening, during which Santa Claus read Christmas letters. Following the dinner Santa presented the boys with gloves and leather jackets and their sister with a big doll and some books. They received all the toys, candies, and cookies that their arms could hold.

"I have had a nice time. I would like to come again," Sally spoke for

the little group as they prepared to leave, their faces smiling above armloads of Christmas presents.

Guests at the affair were Margaret Lecker and Lucille Bruner of the special service league.

The Christmas party for destitute children of the city is an annual affair of the fraternity. The committee in charge this year was Paul Weaver, A4 of Sioux City, chairman; Lawrence Quisley, P4 of Eldon, and Ted Hollander, A2 of Schleswig.

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The Relief-Ridden Farmer

A COMPREHENSIVE plan for the relief of the farmer from a \$9,000,000,000 burden of farm mortgages was outlined the other day by a committee appointed by a group of national farm organizations.

Private adjustments between mortgage holders and their creditors, assistance by the federal land banks for delinquent borrowers, the establishment of arbitration boards to assist creditors and debtors in readjustment, and the provision of R. F. C. funds to refinance mortgage indebtedness were the principal features of the proposal.

The first proposition, if feasible, would undoubtedly provide considerable relief. It is doubtful, however, if enough creditors, depressed for the most part themselves in the economic doldrums, could be persuaded that it would be to their own advantage to reduce the sum of their dues.

The second proposal and the fourth appear to be merely the sort of palliatives which have been so staunchly relied upon and have been so futile for the last several years. Merely to loan federal money so that a man may pay private debts, while saddling him with debts equally heavy, seems to be rather poor economy.

The practice can be justified only on the ground that the government, since it has provided relief so liberally to industry, owes at least an equal obligation to agriculture. And that is the basis upon which such relief is being asked. It remains economically unsound.

Economists of repute tell us that relief for agriculture is a hopeless issue as long as our out-of-gear industrial system remains unchanged. The domestic allotment plan, the debenture system, and the proposal outlined above may and will be used as a groping physician uses laudanum to keep the heart beating just a little longer.

Meanwhile the problem will work itself out as such problems are wont to do; the industrial system, cracking under its own weight, will be forced into a semblance of reasonable organization; and the farmer, badly bruised and rather rudely awakened, will find his rightful place in the sun.

Classes and Culture

THE LAND of the free and the home of the brave—or, if you talk about the present and are a critical literary realist, the land where men hardly ever read and women commonly read trash . . . where it does a writer no good to write a book that really stimulates because "it would probably only stimulate about 350 people, and no publisher would buy it."

This from V. F. Calverton in an 80 minute lecture that condensed the thesis of his *The Liberation of American Literature*.

The background, tersely: The masses of Europe, downtrodden and oppressed, came to a new world for an economic something that might be called opportunity. They did not come, as Puritans and Quakers had, to preserve in wilderness quiet the tenets of a religious faith. They did not preserve, as did those in the seaboard south, their contacts with the Europe of classes and culture.

The individual thrived as never before: himself his source of food with land of his own; himself his own protection with a gun of his own; himself his preacher with no need for intercession between the individual soul and God; himself his own government through an equality and democracy such as Europe did not know.

There were no classes (except in the east)—for there was too much land. There was no culture—for these men were too busy clearing the soil and harvesting their crops. A great middle class nation whose farmer was no peasant, whose well-to-do formed no aristocracy of real culture and patronage of the arts.

From this a literature that swaggered and pounded its chest and talked with an energy that had conquered a continent. And that literature is dead, with no new faith in anything to take its place, only realism and despair or best sellers to please women's clubs and time killing cultivations of "literary" tastes. The nation is no longer classless; it is beginning to get culture along with its breadlines—but the hope for culture as for underdog classes lies along some new lines: "The trouble with your farmer today is not that he isn't anti-Wall Street but that he's pro Main Street."

This according to Calverton, in his talk here Saturday night. What next? A shrug—that would require another full lecture and remain unanswered; there is no Frederick Jackson Turner to explain the historical significance of this as the frontier has been interpreted. The way out for society is the way out for the individual, in culture no less than in economics.

Whatever does develop, Mr. Calverton deserves credit for having pointed so neatly to the present as a chaotic interlude between a time when "individualism" and "democ-

cracy" were more than words to be mouthed, and to a future when new words with new meaning will take hold of economics, politics, religion, literature, art.

Don't Is a Horrid Word

NO MATTER how true the title of this editorial is, there are certain times in the year that call for special sets of "don'ts." Perhaps the rules they embody should be set forth in the affirmative; needless to say they are more effective in the negative. And no matter how aggravated some people become when confronted with "don't do this" and "don't do that" the originators of the regulations doubtless have their best interests at heart.

Anyway, here are the "don'ts" promulgated by the National Board of Fire Underwriters for the Yuletide:

- Don't use lighted candles on trees.
- Don't set up a tree so that it can topple over easily, and don't place it near lighting and heating fixtures.
- Don't use paper or other combustible tree ornaments.
- Don't allow smoking near Christmas trees.
- Don't be careless in the use of electrical equipment or in extended wiring.
- Don't give small children dangerous toys such as those requiring alcohol, kerosene, or gasoline.
- Don't neglect to keep handy something with which to put out a fire if it does start.
- Don't keep the Christmas tree up after Dec. 31. It becomes dried out after a very few days.
- And whatever you do, don't forget where you've put this list after you've clipped it for future reference.

TODAY'S TOPICS

BY FRANK JAFFE

Economists have long held—and people have long believed—that it is a bad thing to produce much more than can be consumed, but little has been done by producers themselves or by their governments to remedy the situation.

The chamber of deputies in Italy, however, has recently passed a law making producers liable to the extent of \$500 for each director in corporations that insist on enlarging their plants or in any way increasing production without the consent of the government. The government reserves the right, also, to shut down the plants in question.

No new plant can be built, no new products can be manufactured without that consent, which is expected to be rarely given. Even in this time of crisis, says Mussolini, who introduced the bill, certain speculative ventures are reaping a harvest of profit, seriously hindering recovery by preventing a gradual scaling down of industry.

The United States in boom times, it is estimated, can utilize only within 10 to 20 per cent of its total capacity to produce. This excess capacity absorbs investment funds which must be lost because plants cannot utilize all their facilities profitably, and leads to bitter competition to the detriment of profits.

Perhaps the Fascist move is a good one, although it might have gone a step farther. In addition to curtailing new tools of production, it might also have regulated what already existed. That, however, might be carrying government too far, according to capitalistic views.

It is common belief, however, in America, that the extent to which governmental control is warranted depends on the extent to which abuses exist, or upon the extent to which such control would be in the best interests of all the people. Certainly, the producers would not care for it, while consumers might. Government monopolies are not unheard of in the world—they may still come to the United States.

Starting Jan. 1, 1933, the little republic of Nicaragua, with its 650,000 people, will have to make some brand new bona fide resolutions. For by that day, the last of the 1,400 U. S. marines will have left the country's safety to an "army" of 2,500 natives whom they trained for the job. It will be the second time in 20 years that no U. S. "policemen" will be on duty there.

Besides supervising elections and putting down innumerable revolts, the Americans have been busily engaged in humanitarian work, sanitation and relief their specialties. In the course of events, many American lives have been lost in the attempt to keep order.

The U. S. evacuation, which began Nov. 29, was decided upon by the state department because the Nicaraguans seemed to be settling down to peaceful pastimes instead of taking pot-shots at each other from time to time. What they will do when they find themselves without an armed police force is a matter for conjecture. The last time (1925) the marines evacuated after 13 years of service, revolution broke out almost immediately and back the boys went.

The really significant thing about the Nicaraguan situation is the protection of American interests. Just how far American investors can trust Nicaraguan promises depends on how far the Nicaraguan government can trust rebel leaders like Sandino, et al. And that, experience has shown, is not a very long way.

Book Bits

(From Hitler by Emil Lengyel)

In the beginning, there was the First Empire when brave Hohenstaufen kings battled the Popes. It was destroyed by Germany's own dissension and was long dead when Napoleon extinguished the ancient title and began to usurp the crown of the Holy Roman Emperors. The second empire saw light in the shadows of the walls of Paris when Prussian troops stood guard on the Butte-Chaumont. It endured until a stab in its back by criminal hands, as the Nazis say, put an end to its youthful existence. After November 1918 the Reich ceased to be German, in Hitler's view. He is now working to build up the Third German Reich in accordance with the program outlined above. It will be Germany's own, inhabited by millions of Knights of the Holy Grail. At the head of the Aryan hosts will stand Adolf Hitler, looking grim and severe, with two small tufts of mustache under his nose.

OFFICIAL DAILY BULLETIN



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General Notices

Library Books

It is requested that books borrowed from the university libraries which fall due during vacation be either returned or renewed before individuals leave Iowa City for the holiday period.
GRACE WORMER, acting director, university libraries

Library Hours

During the holiday recess, beginning Wednesday, Dec. 21, the library reading rooms, education-philosophy library, and foreign language libraries will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. and 1 to 5 p.m. They will close at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 20. Special hours for other departmental libraries will be posted on the doors.
GRACE WORMER, acting director, university libraries

Students Remaining for Holidays

All students, men and women, who are remaining at the university during the Christmas holidays are asked to meet for a few moments in the Y.W.C.A. conference room, Iowa Union Tuesday, Dec. 20 at 8:45 p.m., or immediately after the community Christmas music festival. Wm. H. MORGAN

Prince and American Heiress "Ideal Match" That Burnt Out

Rocks of Incompatibility Ended Matrimonial Voyage of Georgian Nobleman and Beautiful Bud of Astor Tree.



PRINCE and PRINCESS ALEXIS MDIVANI

NEW YORK — That it is much easier to predict the course of the stars in the heavens or the exact minute of the next eclipse than to chart the course of the good ship matrimony is evidenced by the divorce court termination of the "ideal match" that was struck in 1921 between Prince Alexis Mdivani and the former Louise Astor Van Alen, American blue-blood society beauty.

When the Prince married the American belle, at her Newport home last year, the union was hailed by the friends of both as "the climax of a perfect romance." But obviously with even the hand of a prince on the helm, the marital barque could not avoid the rocks of incompatibility; for that was the grounds alleged by the princess in her suit for divorce before a Dutch court.

The princess, who is now an "ex," is a granddaughter of the late James J. Van Alen, United States ambassador to Italy during the Cleveland administration. She is also a descendant of John Jacob Astor, founder of the Astor family in America.

Though her parents did not make any strenuous objection to her marrying the prince, it is well known that they were not too pleased at her choice. They refused to give their daughter a wedding of importance, the ceremony being a quiet affair with very few relatives present. After the marriage, the couple sailed for Europe, where the newly-wed prince went in strongly for polo and the most expensive make of cars. When the bride's mother went to Paris last spring, it was whispered that her mission was to curb her son-in-law's extravagance.

To friends of the couple the final curtain on the romance came as no surprise. They say that the lovely princess repented at leisure and has been living separated from her prince for the last several months. They further whisper that she will not long endure the state of single blessedness, but has already selected her next husband, a "handsome Spaniard, a member of an ancient Castilian house."

The prince, too, say the gossips, has matrimonial plans, but so far he has succeeded in keeping them to himself. However, it is recalled that Mdivani paid marked attention to lovely Barbara Hutton, one of America's most beautiful and richest society girls, when she visited Paris a short time ago. Miss Hutton's mother was a Woolworth and most of the gigantic fortune that is Barbara's came to her on that account.

Prince Mdivani is a brother of Prince Serge Mdivani, who was once the husband of Pola Negri, and of Prince David Mdivani, who, for a time, was the spouse of Mae Murray, another screen star. The princes are sons of General Prince Zachas Mdivani, who was an aide-de-camp at the court of the late Czar Nicholas of Russia.

Prince Alexis represent Georgia, one of the Soviet Socialist republics, at Paris, but by a new non-aggression pact signed between France and Russia, the "unofficial ambassador from Georgia" is no longer recognized. It seems kind of tough to lose one's wife and job at the same time. Miss Hutton, who, says the gossips, may be the next Princess Alexis, has been rumored engaged on many occasions, one of the most notable rumored husbands-to-be being Phil Plant, former Broadway playboy, who was once the husband of Constance Bennett, movie star. At the time of the rumored engagement, it was said that Phil went off to the jungles to hunt lions when the parents of Barbara frowned upon his suit.

Attorney General Issues Opinion on State Gasoline Tax

DES MOINES, Dec. 19 (AP)—An opinion from the attorney general's office today held that gasoline distributors who pay the state gasoline tax under protest cannot recover such fees, even though the gasoline tax law may be held unconstitutional.

In an opinion to State Treasurer Ray Johnson, it was held by assistant Attorney General Gerold O. Blake that such recovery hinged on the question of whether the tax was paid voluntarily or involuntarily. He held that mere protest of payment in the absence of fraud or duress is a voluntary payment and cannot be recovered.

Train Kills Two

MOLINE, Ill. (AP)—Mrs. Anna Plunkett of Rock Island, and Andy McKegg of Coal Valley, were killed and Sam Bedwell of Coal Valley, received serious injuries when the car in which they were riding was struck by a train early Sunday morning.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

(Reg. in U. S. Patent Office)

By Ripley



HOW TO DRAW A SPINNING BOX IN ONE LINE

ABRAHAM
The Eternal Pilgrim
WALKED 2500 MILES A YEAR FOR 40 YEARS (RUSSIA TO JERUSALEM) TO BE AT THE "LIFE GIVING GRAVE" ON CHRISTMAS

THE ANNUAL PRESENT TO THE KIKYU OF AFRICA. IS THE HAIR OF HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW! HE MUST WEAR IT PLASTERED IN A BRAID DOWN HIS BACK.

IT IS ALWAYS CHRISTMAS IN THE TOWN OF CHRISTMAS

"OIM2EZ4UICU82B4I81"
CAN YOU READ THIS?

For Explanation of Ripley Cartoons, See Page 5.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

Registered U. S. Patent Office

By STANLEY



AW, YOU CAN'T TELL ME SANTA CAN GET DOWN THAT LITTLE SKINNY CHIMNEY—HE'S TOO FAT!

NOW, NOW, ELMER IF YOU'LL JUST STOP CRYING, PAPA WILL TAKE THAT TILE OFF THE CHIMNEY THEN EVERYTHING WILL BE ALL RIGHT!

JOE FUSSBUTTON, A BIG HEARTED GUY, WHO TRIED TO HELP OUT SANTA CLAUS A BIT—WILL NEED A LITTLE HELP HIMSELF

BEHIND THE SCENES

— IN HOLLYWOOD —

STUDIO GOSSIP

By HARRISON CARROLL

SCREEN COMMENT

HOLLYWOOD—How short is the memory of film fans? Around this question revolves an argument between Frances Marion, ace scenarist, and some of the officials at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

Miss Marion believes that Wallace Beery followers still cherish the memory of him as "Butch," hero of the "The Big House." She believes it so confidently that she is writing the character into another story for Beery and little Jackie Cooper.

So far, certain M-G-M production officials wag their heads dubiously at the idea. They think that "The Champ" and "Flesh" have dimmed the interest in the early prison film. They're doubtful about sequels anyway.

But Miss Marion perseveres and, because she is so often right, the officials have agreed to hold an open mind.

As it happens, I can cite an instance to support her claim. The other night I ran into Beery, who had sneaked into Loew's State Theater here to see an early performance of "Flesh." As we were walking down the stairs together, two

girls spotted him. One sang out: "Mr. Beery, I thought your picture was great, but I liked you better in 'The Big House.'"

And here were two typical fans.

One of Hollywood's returning travelers around the canal picked up a swell story about an earthquake in a Central American town.

It seems that three strong shocks tumbled buildings and wrought general havoc. A certain hotel stood up but was pretty badly wrecked. As the police went through it, they came to a room on the upper floor. The ceiling was caved in and all the furniture was smashed except for the bed.

A man, they knew him for an American, was sprawled on the bed. Members of the constabulary rushed up to examine him for wounds. At the first poke he stirred, at the second he rose up in bed, stared at the uniforms and then at the wreckage around him.

In drunken dignity, he waved off the police.

"It's all right, boys," he said, "whatever the damage is, I'll pay for it."

And so Sidney Fox went and did it. With Charles Beahan, too. Of all ways to cross up columnists! When Sidney was out here, we all thought that she would wed Jean Noguiesco after his divorce was straightened out. There came reports from Paris that John Farrow, busy swain that he is, might be the lucky fellow.

And all the time it was to be Charles Beahan, Universal's eastern scenario head and a friend of Sidney's from New York stage days. Yesterday I talked with Noguiesco. In a slightly foreign accent (Roumanian) he said: "I learned about it 15 minutes ago and when a willing friend sent me a copy of your newspaper, well, that's how life is. All I can say is, I wish her happiness."

DID YOU KNOW—

That Spencer Tracy and Pat O'Brien were boyhood chums and roomed together at Ripon college in Wisconsin?
That George Raft, as a boy, delivered groceries in New York city?

Packers Turn Guns on Plan for Farm Aid

Say Allotment Scheme Would Act as Boomerang

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Predictions that the domestic allotment farm relief plan would prove a boomerang to the hog producer by lowering instead of boosting his income were made to the house agriculture committee today by representatives of the packing industry.

George E. Putnam, economist for Swift and company, and Frank A. Hunter, president of the Hunter Packing company of East St. Louis, Ill., both testified the processing tax proposed to raise funds for paying the producer a premium on his share of the domestic consumption would come out of the farmer's price.

First Witnesses
They were the first witnesses for the packing industry. Representatives of the milling and textile industries already have assailed the voluntary allotment plan which organized farm groups want applied to wheat, cotton, tobacco and hogs.

Hunter viewed "the entire proposition as an exorbitant tax on food." Putnam called it "an aggravated sales tax."

Asked his attitude toward "a small general sales tax to pay the farmer a premium," Hunter replied: "I wouldn't be so much against that. It wouldn't be a bad thing to do."

Three Groups Involved
Putnam said three groups were involved in the proposed tax on hog processing—the producer, the packer and the consumer.

"The profit margin normally received by Swift and company is not sufficient to absorb a sales tax of any kind," Putnam testified. "Our loss in 1932 was \$5,000,337."

"Fresh pork is a perishable product. We have to move it rapidly and at the price that will move it. Present retail prices run about \$7.50 a hundred pounds. If it could be passed on, this tax would mean a price of \$10.50. This is out of the question in the present market."

Predicts Over Supply
"If it were attempted, I can predict as surely as I can predict the sun will rise that pork stocks would pile up on our hands. The consumer would substitute right and left."

"Substitution and perishability would make it absolutely impossible to raise the price to consumers."

"If the packers can't pay the tax and the consumer can't, it must come out of buying prices. Hogs are bought by bidding and our bids are based on the daily average price received for the dismembered hog. It is generally believed that our selling prices are based on the price we pay for hogs, but just the reverse is true."

Hunter said he was operating at a loss. "How do you keep operating?" Chairman Jones asked.

"Because it costs me \$3,000 a day just to blow the whistle at my plant if we don't do a thing," Hunter replied. "I continue to buy to take a loss of 20 cents a hundred pounds instead of a loss of 50 cents."

Thieves Rob Grocery
BOXHOLM (AP)—Holdup men who entered the Johnson store today obtained \$50 and groceries.

THE HUMMER GROCER CO.

Open Evenings Free Delivery
803 South Clinton Street
Telephone Number 3155

- Black Pepper, lb.15c
- 2 lbs.29c
- Oatmeal, 9 lb. bag19c
- Cornmeal, 10 lbs.15c
- Flour, Gold Medal Kitchen Tested, 49 lb. bag at \$1.15
- In five bag lots\$1.10
- Camel Cigarettes, per pkg.15c
- Del Monte Coffee, lb. 29c
- P. & G. Naphtha Soap, 10 cakes for a customer (Limit 10 Cakes to a customer)
- Fresh Eggs, right from the farm, No. 1's, doz.32c
- No. 2's, doz.28c
- Beef Steak, cut from choice corn fed steers, lb.19c
- Lard, Armour's Simon Pure, 100% leaf, 1 1/2 lb. vacuum tin10c
- Cheese, Borden's Loaf, American or Brick, per lb.20c
- Canned Milk Northfield, 2 tall cans9c
- Dates, bulk Hallowi, 3 lbs. for25c
- Fresh Roasted Peanuts, No. 1 Virginias, lb. 6 1/2c

We invite you to shop at this store. We believe you will find the greatest food values in Johnson county. We solicit your orders for Christmas poultry—Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, Chickens. We have tons of Christmas Candy.

DOOMED TO DEATH



Snarling profanities and struggling with bailiffs, James ("Iggy the Bad One") Varecha (indicated by arrow), 17 year old Chicago bandit, killer and attacker of women, is shown here being taken from the court room in Chicago immediately after he was sentenced to die in the electric chair on Feb. 17 for the murder of Frank Jordan.

Vacation Times Mean Round of Conventions to Iowa Faculty

Heads, Members of Departments, Schools Plan to Attend Various Meetings During Days of Christmas Holiday

No sooner will students be on their way home today than faculty members will begin plans for convention-going.

Seven members of the college of law faculty will attend the convention of the Association of American Law Schools, in Chicago, Dec. 28-30. They are Dean Eugene A. Gilmore, and Professors Percy Bordwell, Clarence M. Updegraff, Rollin M. Perkins, Philip Mechem, Mason Ladd, and Paul L. Sayre. Helen S. Moylan, law librarian, will also attend the convention for a round table on libraries.

In the classical languages department Prof. Roy C. Flickinger, head of the department, and Minnie A. Keys, instructor, will attend the sixty-fourth annual meeting of the American Philological Association at Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 28-30. Miss Keys will appear on the program. Professor Flickinger is secretary-treasurer of the national organization.

Two members of the Romance languages department faculty will attend meeting. Prof. Stephen H. Bush, head of the department, will go to a national convention of the Modern Languages Association at Yale university, New Haven, Conn., Dec. 28-31. This is being held in conjunction with the meeting of the American Association of Teachers of French, of which Professor Bush is secretary-treasurer.

Attends Pennsylvania Meeting
Also in the Romance languages department, Prof. Grace Cochran will attend the Pennsylvania state meeting of the Modern Languages Association, at Harrisburg.

Prof. Erich Funke, acting head of the German department, will attend the national meeting of the same organization, and will give two addresses.

In the physics department, Prof. C. J. Lapp will attend two conventions, both at Atlantic City, N. J. The first is a national convention of American Association of Physics Teachers, Dec. 28-30. The other is the annual meeting of the American Physical Society, Dec. 29-31.

From the English department Prof. B. V. Crawford will attend the Modern Languages association convention, and a meeting of the American Association of University

Professors, to be held at Yale university Dec. 28.

Goes to Atlantic City
The annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science will attract Prof. Henry L. Reitz, head of the mathematics department, to Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 27-31. He will participate in a symposium on "Stabilization of employment," reading a paper entitled "Lines of actuarial aspects of unemployment insurance."

In the college commerce Prof. Earl G. Blackstone will lecture on "Educating the public about commercial education," at a meeting of the National Commercial Teachers federation in Chicago, Dec. 27-29.

Professors C. W. Hart and E. B. Reuter, and Walter L. Daykin, all of the same college, will attend the annual meeting of the American Sociological Society at Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 28-31.

In the college of engineering, Prof. Frederic G. Higbee, head of the department of engineering drawing, leaves today for Lafayette, Ind., to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the division of engineering drawing of the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education.

Talk Throws Shadow Over Wolf Theory

Evidence purporting to refute the Wolfian theory and re-establish the unity of authorship of the "Iliad" and the "Odyssey," was reviewed by Prof. Roy C. Flickinger of the classical languages department in a lecture yesterday in Old Capitol, on "Wolf and the Homeric problem."

Friedrich August Wolf was an eighteenth century German scholar who advanced the theory that these two poems, usually attributed to Homer, were not the work of any one man, but a combination of floating lays of anonymous authorship made in the sixth century B. C.

Resting on the assumption that authorship of the poems antedated writing, that they were transmitted orally and finally polished and harmonized by later writers, and that the artistic unity of the poems is due to this revision, the Wolfian theory stood almost unchallenged for 150 years, Professor Flickinger declared.

Prof. John A. Scott of Northwestern university was first to seriously question the authenticity of the theory.

Extensive linguistic tests applied to the Homeric poems by Professor Scott during the last 25 years have shown the fallacy of the Wolfian theory, and have re-established the unity of the poems.

Recent archaeological discoveries substantiate the geography of Homer and the Greek myths, and lend support to the unity theory. Professor Flickinger said.

Three Hundred Hear Music Presented by Des Moines Quartet

Synagogue music and operatic selections were interspersed with lullabies and humorous folk songs, as Cantor Aaron Edger and his quartet of Des Moines presented a musical program before an audience of nearly 300 in natural science auditorium Sunday night.

The program was sponsored by the Philo club, Jewish organization, as a part of its observance of Hanukkah, the "festival of lights." It was broadcast over station WSUI.

The recital included solos by Cantor Edger, Mrs. Jeanette Brown, soprano, and Mrs. Sonia Sands, contralto, and a humorous duet, by Cantor Edger and Irving Yaroslavsky, baritone. The quartet was accompanied by Sara Frank.

The "festival of lights" originated in biblical times, Prof. Moses Jung of the school of religion said in a short address preceding the recital. It is based on the burning of a lamp in the temple; it is said that the lamp burned for eight days without being replenished with oil, thus accounting for the eight days of Hanukkah.

School Proposals Get Approval of Teachers

DES MOINES, Dec. 19 (AP)—The legislative committee on the reduction of governmental expenditures today said it was gratified that a joint meeting of the Iowa Teachers association last Saturday had approved the committee's proposals.

Ed R. Brown, committee secretary, said that all proposals affecting the schools were the result of conferences between the leading school men and women of the state and the committee.

Benj. F. Shambaugh, head, and Prof. Kirk H. Porter will go to Detroit, Mich., Dec. 27-30 for the annual meeting of the American Political Science association.

The convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, at Atlantic City, will attract Prof. W. F. Loehwing of the botany department.

Robert E. Neff, University hospital administrator, plans to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the University Hospital Executives council in Chicago, Ill. The date has not been set. Mr. Neff is president of the council.

Mercy Slayer



Because he could no longer bear to see her suffer from an incurable disease, Robert Bruce Jonah (above) of Newton, Mass., killed his 60 year old foster mother, Amanda Jonah, with a hammer and a razor. Then, deciding that his 58 year old foster father, Charles Jonah, would suffer mental anguish on the loss of his wife, Robert killed him too, after which he attempted suicide by slashing his wrists. The boy is 19, a former basketball star at Newton high school.

Hoegh, J. D. '32, Chosen Sectional Head of Pi K. A.

Leo A. Hoegh, who received his J.D. degree from the University of Iowa with the class of 1932, was appointed district princeps of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity recently by the supreme council executive committee of the organization. It was announced from the national headquarters at Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Hoegh will direct district 12 of the fraternity organization, including chapters at Iowa State college, the University of Minnesota, the University of Wisconsin, and the University of Iowa.

At the university, he was a member of A.P.I., senior men's honorary society; won a major "I" in swimming, was captain of the water polo team, and vice president of Delta Theta Phi, as well as president of his social fraternity. He is at present practicing law with Paul R. Strain, J.D. '32, in Cedar Rapids.

Pleads Not Guilty

CENTERVILLE, (AP)—Lew Small, charged with entering a bank with intent to rob in connection with the robbery of a Cincinnati, Ia., bank May 26, pleaded not guilty today. His trial was set for the January term of court.

Ripley Explanations

EXPLANATION OF SUNDAY'S CARTOON
Wooden "Stockings": Even as Santa Claus, many of our modern Christmas customs were brought here from Holland. In accordance with their native habits the children of the settlers of New Amsterdam would place their wooden shoes on the doorsteps of their houses expecting the Christmas saint to fill them with gifts during the "night before Christmas." With the disappearance of the wooden shoe in New York, the modern "stocking" made its appearance. Tomorrow: "The wizard of Wichita."

Planes, Automobiles, Trains Aid in Carrying Iowa Students to Distant Corners of Country for Vacation

A few thousand miles' vacation is nothing to University of Iowa students, a survey yesterday showed. Travelling by plane, automobile, and train, students will penetrate to almost every section of the country, as well as a few spots in mid-ocean. Although this vacation is three days shorter than those of previous years, lack of time is proving no damper to the wandering spirit.

Honors for the longest trips go to three girls: Ruth Rodamar, A3 of Waterloo; Mary Louise Field, A2 of Des Moines, and Eleanor Alford, A2 of Waterloo. Miss Rodamar and Miss Field will go by plane from here to San Francisco, and then by boat to Tahiti. The entire trip will take five days each way. Miss Alford is spending her vacation in Cuba.

Travel by Plane
Miles Jackson, A2 of Los Angeles, Cal., is another student who will travel by plane, in this instance to his home.

Donald Pryor, J3 of Burlington, and John Pryor, J3 of Burlington, will also go to Los Angeles, although by a more conventional means, train. John Pryor will leave tomorrow; Donald Pryor, Friday.

Although for the first time in four years students living in the eastern states are not chartering a bus, many of them will go by other means. Those going to New York City are: Stanley Swartzman, L3 of Des Moines; Leo Slegel, A1 of New York; Max Drucker, A4 of Marshfield; Leo Newman, A2 of New York; Kenneth V. Lawrence, A1 of New York; Cassar Ruggieri, A2 of New York; John Nobiletti, M4 of New York; Piriko Pansakivi, A3 of Harpursville.

Will Go to Brooklyn
Sidney Blumenthal, M4 of Iowa City, will go to Brooklyn, N. Y.; Kenneth Barker, C3 of Keosauqua, will go to Bath, N. Y., and Benjamin Koppelman, D3 of Brooklyn, N. Y., will spend his vacation at home.

Barbara Muller, A3 of Lamoni, and Francis Tousey, A4 of Lamoni, will vacation at Elmhurst, L. I.

Three students will spend their vacations at their homes in New Jersey. They are: Eva Abegg, A4 of Perth Amboy; Robert Brandon, A2 of Ventnor, and Elizabeth Taylor, A2 of Caldwell.

Pennsylvania will be the destination of the following: Marlon Turnbach, A1 of Hazleton, Pa.; Dorothy Turnbach, G of Hazleton, Pa.; Thomas Richards, G of Iowa City, who will go to Philadelphia; Rebecca Hearst, A1 of Pittsburgh, and Henry P. Evans, G of Pittsburgh, who will vacation at their respective homes, and Louise Philpott, A3

William Haines in "Fast Life" with Cliff Edwards

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Music Head Talks Before History Class

History of eighteenth century music was outlined yesterday by Prof. Philip Greeley Clapp, head of the music department, in a lecture before Prof. George G. Andrew's European history class, which met in natural science auditorium.

Musicians of the eighteenth century depended largely upon the old system of feudal patronage, and were often little more than servants, Professor Clapp declared.

Two principal types of music were extant in the early part of the century—an elaborate type of church music evolved over a period of eight centuries, and a secular music of little academic standing, chiefly made by plucking string instruments.

"Instrumental music received a great impetus by the mechanical improvement of instruments during the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries," he said.

Beggars, racketeers, church singers, opera singers, and the Bach family were pointed out as five types of musicians of the eighteenth century. Sebastian Bach, in particular, was cited as the fore-runner of the newer classical music that followed.

Professor Clapp illustrated his lecture by several piano selections from Bach, Mozart, and Beethoven.

Men Wounded by Shotgun

CEDAR RAPIDS (AP)—O. L. Gerdl and Ted Merrifield, both of Cedar Rapids, were wounded when a shotgun shell exploded prematurely when they were hunting.

1,500 Persons Hear Performance of "The Messiah" Last Sunday

More than 1,500 persons heard the First Methodist church choir of 45 members present Handel's "The Messiah," under the direction of Dr. O. E. Van Doren, Sunday evening.

Solo parts were taken by members of the regular church quartet: Anne Pierce, soprano; Hazel Chapman, alto; Harold Stark, tenor; and Roy Maxwell, bass. Accompanists were Maude Whedon Smith, organist, and Vera Marsan, pianist.

It is planned to make the performance of "The Messiah" an annual Christmas affair at the Methodist church.

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St. Pat's of Cedar Rapids Downs Rambler Five, 24-15, in Rough Game



Last Quarter Spurt Brings Locals' Loss

Crippled Ramblers But One Point Behind at 3rd Period

By RON TALLMAN (Assistant Sports Editor)

Did you notice anything different at the basketball game Saturday night? The fans almost forgot to boo the officials. Of course, there were those certain few who can't go to a game without booing and crapping, no matter how good the game is, but not more than once or twice was there any concerted moaning. It must have been quite a shock to the officials, and almost as much of an upset to the Carleton team as was its sound trouncing.

The Ramblers made a game of it for three quarters last night, playing as they were without the services of three regulars, but in the end St. Patrick's of Cedar Rapids managed to wear them down by superior height and walk away with a 24 to 15 verdict in a game that was rough from beginning to end. "Wee Dick" Lumsden, diminutive St. Mary's forward, kept the "flu" ridden Blue and White in the game until midway in the third period when he left the game by the personal foul route, as did Werner of the Irish. Four field goals by the invaders while the Ramblers were going scoreless in that fourth period brought about the inevitable.

Maher Good on Defense

The defensive work of Joe Maher, the other regular in the starting lineup, coupled with the free throw ability of Adrian Rittenmeyer, captain of the game, did much toward starting Coach Francis Sueppel's team off on the right foot.

John Vogt, performing in Bob Bradley's guard position, opened the scoring with a free throw on Spaight's foul, the first of three committed by the Parlor City captain in the first quarter. Lumsden dropped in a nice shot from the side and it looked as if the Ramblers might pull a big surprise. But Driscoll, leading scorer of the game with his eight points, followed in for a field basket. Rittenmeyer and Maher made free throws before the quarter ended with the locals ahead, 5 to 2.

Tied at Half

Driscoll drove in for another follow shot at the outset of the second period and Werner, substitute forward, scored twice in rapid order in difficult shots from the corner before "Wee Dick" could account for another of his side shots. In a wild demonstration of basketball, which found the rival forces on the floor the greater share of the time, the ball changed hands rapidly during the remainder of the half. Adrian, Rambler, reserve, tying the count just before the gun with a charity goal.

The Ramblers started fast again after the intermission, Maher and Rittenmeyer tallying from the field to give them a 12 to 8 lead. Spaight tallied from close quarters before Lumsden fouled Eastman for his fourth foul.

Many Free Throws

The Shamrock guard sank the free throw, but Rittenmeyer came back with a similar count for the Ramblers. Two more charity tosses by Eastman tied the count before Captain Rittenmeyer gave the Blue and White another one point lead on Werner's fourth foul. Eastman tied the score once more from the free throw route, Driscoll dropping in two as the game reached its roughest of many rough spots. Rittenmeyer's free throw just before the period ended, with the score 16 to 15 for St. Pat's, was the last St. Mary's marker.

The fourth quarter saw the local quintet miss several scoring chances before Eastman scored from the field and Driscoll dribbled the length of the floor to tally. Cassidy, lanky Irish center, put the game away for the invaders with his only two field goals of the game, both from close quarters.

Take Rest

The Ramblers will rest now until after the holidays when Coach Sueppel hopes to have his full strength back in preparing for the invasion of St. Joseph's of Rock Island for a game Jan. 6.

MANILA, P. I. (AP)—Heavyweight fighters are a drug on the market here.

Eddie Jorge, New York Negro, managed to get one fight and won it by a knockout, but finally had to work his way back to the United States on a ship. They couldn't find anyone big enough to meet him.

Most Filipino scrappers are featherweights, or lighter.

Emanuel, Glenn, Get Recognition on All-Catholic '11

Dennis Emanuel, Irish tackle, was named on the all-state Catholic second team and Joe Glenn, back, was given honorable mention in the selections made by Earl Walsh, conference secretary, Sunday.

Emanuel was recently selected by his teammates to captain the Shamrocks next year. He was one of Coach Emmett Wilkinson's most reliable linemen this year. As a defensive player, he was hard to beat. Glenn, a senior, compiled the most yardage of any of the Irish backs. The two men are now playing regular guards on the basketball team, Glenn being co-captain.

he was at his best against Georgia Tech, when playing in a heavy rain, he sent 22 spirals down the field.

Announce Awarding of Numerals to Twenty-Three Freshman Gridders

ROUGH? YES!

| ST. MARY'S (15) FG.FT.PF.TP. | | | | |
|------------------------------|---|---|----|----|
| Lumsden, f-g | 2 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Selpmann, f | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rittenmeyer, f | 1 | 4 | 0 | 6 |
| Adrian, f | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Maher, c | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Corso, g | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Russell, g | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vogt, g | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Keller, g | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shearer, g | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 4 | 7 | 11 | 15 |

| ST. PAT'S (24) FG.FT.PF.TP. | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---|---|----|----|
| Driscoll, f | 3 | 2 | 1 | 8 |
| Corseillo, f | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Werner, f | 2 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Cassidy, c | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| Spaight, g (c) | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| Eastman, g | 1 | 4 | 0 | 6 |
| Totals | 9 | 6 | 14 | 24 |

Score by periods:
St. Mary's.....5 3 7 0—15
St. Patrick's.....2 6 8 8—24
Missed free throws: St. Mary's 10; St. Patrick's 10.
Referee: Harrison (Iowa).

Assemble Men for East-West

Dana X. Bible Leaves for Coast Game Today

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19 (AP)—Officials of the east-west Shrine charity football game, to be played here Jan. 2, announced today the 44 players comprising the two squads would assemble here Thursday.

Dana X. Bible of Nebraska, co-coach of the western team, notified headquarters he would reach Denver tomorrow where he is to meet seven members of the squad. They are Steve Hokuf, end, and Lawrence Ely, center, both of Nebraska; Jack Johnson, tackle, and Frank Christensen, fullback, both of Utah; George Atkinson, guard of Kansas, and Buck Koy and Harry Stafford, halfbacks, both of Texas university.

Hollingsberry Assists

Bible's coaching associate, Orin Hollingsberry of Washington State, is already here, as are several of the other western players. Other west team members include:

Ends—Gaddy, University of San Francisco; Stone, Olympic club; Coffin, Stanford.

Tackles—Morgan, Oregon; Higuera, San Francisco; Tozer, California.

Guards—Hodges, Olympic club; Senn, Washington State; Molinari, Santa Clara.

Centers—Ruhel, St. Mary's.

Quarterbacks—Sander, Washington.

Halfbacks—Brovelli, St. Mary's; Schaidach, California; Caddell, Stanford.

Fullbacks—Krause, Gonzaga.

Irish Prepare for Game at Cedar Rapids

A long drill on offense took up the greater part of the Irish camp practice last night, as they went through their last hard workout before the game with St. Patrick's at Cedar Rapids tomorrow night.

Four of the squad members were absent from practice with colds, but all will probably be ready to see service in the skirmish tomorrow night. The absent members were Glenn, guard, and McNamara, Bill Burger, and Dyorsky, forwards.

The Irish stand a good chance to emerge winners in the game with the Parlor Cityans. The Irish from Cedar Rapids were only able to best the local St. Mary's team by nine points here last night, and St. Mary's was playing without three of its regulars.

After this game, Coach Dick Connor will give his men a vacation until next Monday when short practices will be resumed in order to get in shape for the revenge game at Clinton with St. Mary's, Jan. 4. The Clinton aggregation turned back the Irish here last week in a bitterly fought contest which was forced to go three over-time periods before the visitors came out victors.

Woman Bowls 300 Score

KANSAS CITY, (AP)—Mrs. Cliff Johnson, who competes in a Kansas City bowling league, rolled the first 300 game ever bowled by a woman player on local alleys. Her previous high mark was 279.

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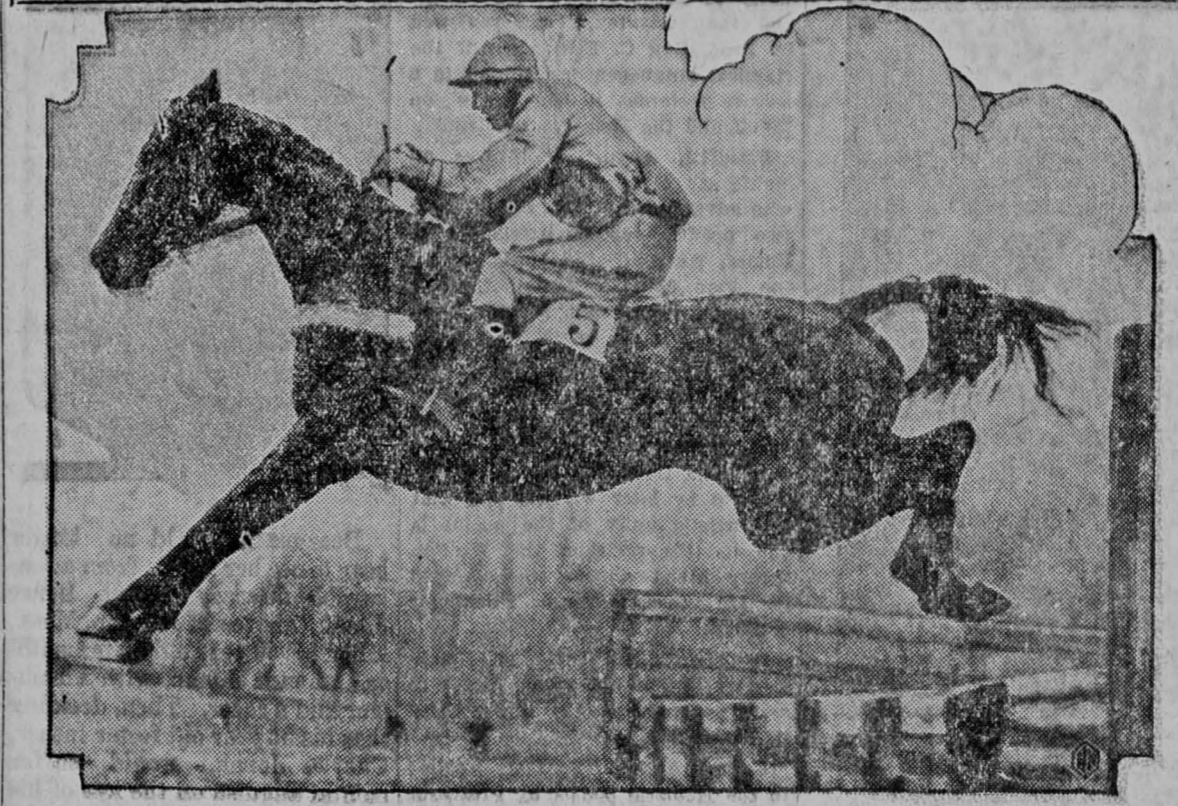
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AMERICAN THREAT IN BRITISH GRAND NATIONAL



Noel Laing, well-known American gentleman jockey, is shown as he took Mrs. T. H. Somerville's "Troublemaker" over the hurdles as he gets the jumper in shape for the British grand national steeplechase. Troublemaker will be the only American-bred horse in the classic this year. Both its owner and rider believe it will make plenty of trouble for the native entries in the event.

Jacobsmeier, Frosh, Wins University Tank Pentathlon

Accounts for 489 Out of 500 Points to Take Title

Final standings in the university swimming pentathlon were revealed yesterday by Coach Dave Armbruster.

Winner of grand first place with 489 points out of a possible 500 was Adolph Jacobsmeier, yearling swim captain. He stepped out ahead of Jack Sieg in the last event on the program, the 100 yard free style, as the Tulsa neophyte, hampered by a swollen arm, finished in the ruck for a grand second place and 478 points.

Jack McGuire, captain of last year's splasher, increased his total in the 100 to gain on the field and finish third with 462 points while Bruce Grove also of the varsity took fourth with 448.

Haskins Fifth

Others in the first 10 were, in order: Harry Haskins (430), Augie Anderson (428), Chet Mohl (425), Wilbur Wehmeyer (421), Steve Nielson (420), and Hurley (415).

All five first places were won by freshmen. Jacobsmeier won first in the 50 yard free style, 100 yard free style, and 220 yard free style, as well as finishing well up in the other two events. Sieg copped the back stroke and for a day was first in the breast stroke.

Sieg Was Leading

Sieg was leading Jacobsmeier until the last event, for all the former's proficiency of freest, as his average was higher. In the 100, although besting his own previous record, he yielded many points, however.

The pentathlon was featured by the consistent breaking of records by the freshman splashers. In every event, especially those won by Jacobsmeier, university times were unofficially lowered. The St. Louis merman usually set up such a hot pace that three or four other fresh and varsity men would shoot across the finish line also under record time.

In the feature race of the whole pentathlon, the 100 yard free style, a mighty duel was staged between Jacobsmeier, McGuire, and Anderson. The former's powerful stroke finally won the race for him a scant half length ahead of McGuire.

Cagers Take To Air

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Saling May Race Again

Receives Bid to Appear in Exhibition Run at Marquette

An invitation to run an exhibition high hurdle race may lure George J. Saling, the University of Iowa's Olympic champion, back to the track.

Saling, who won the Olympic 110-meter hurdles title last summer and set a new Olympic record in a trial heat, now is a first-year student in the university law college.

His first bid for an exhibition race came from Coach Con Jennings of Marquette, who asked the world's champion to appear at Milwaukee Feb. 11 when the Hawkeye track team competes against Marquette in a dual meet.

If Saling can arrange his schedule so as not to interfere with his law studies, he probably will appear in several exhibition races next spring and in the summer may return to competition in A. A. U. meets.

Long Rest

He has not donned a track shoe since mid-August when he was a member of the American squad which defeated the British Empire in a meet at San Francisco.

Last season, the great hurdler not only won the Olympic title but smashed the world's record for the 120-yard high hurdles when he took the national collegiate crown.

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Hawkeyes Take Rest

Coach Williams Gives Undeclared Cagers Week Vacation

Each of the University of Iowa's basketball opponents this season has entered the Hawkeye game unbeaten and has left the court later in the evening with a defeat upon its record.

Not only have the Iowans marred the record of Bradley Tech, Monmouth, and Drake, but in defeating Carleton last Saturday, 34 to 19, they snapped a winning streak at 13 games.

Now the team coached by Rollie Williams has convinced even the skeptics that it is of first division caliber in the conference race.

Christmas Rests Curtailed

After a short Christmas vacation which ends Dec. 27, the squad members will return to Iowa City for more practice. North Dakota State is the only test remaining before the Big Ten campaign opens, with the Bigsons scheduled to come here Jan. 3.

Both offense and defense now are functioning with surprising efficiency for December. The team has four high class guards, with Ben Selzer, John Grim, and Ed Break as stand-outs; the Iowans' defense has restricted opponents to a 20% point average.

Swift passes, sudden dribbles, and alert spacing of rebounds from both backboards characterizes the Iowans' play. On attack, tremendous power has been flashed, for the team has averaged 39 points per game.

Bastian Leads Scorers

A dozen men are in the scoring column, with the total reading 64 field goals and 23 free throws for an aggregate of 154 points. Howard Bastian, giant center, has 38 points, made from 13 field goals and 12 free throws, to rank as leading scorer.

The other four high men are Ivan Blackmer, forward who was kept out of the Carleton game by illness, 27; Howard Moffitt, forward, 24; Guslinder, Krumboltz, forward, 20, and Ben Selzer, guard, 15.

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SKIPPY—A False Hope

SO SCRAGGLES—NOT MICKEY TOOK THAT MONEY—THE SCOUNDREL—L'LL WAIT, PA!!—LET THEM GO—WE CAN GET HIM LATER

THE IMPORTANT THING NOW IS TO FIND OUT ABOUT MICKEY

WHY, YES—MISS MACKEY BOUGHT THAT GIFT—I KNOW HER WELL—THE ADDRESS SHE GAVE?—WHY, SHE SAID SHE WAS LIVING WITH YOU—LET'S SEE—IT WAS TWO WEEKS AGO MONDAY NIGHT SHE WAS HERE—

WELL, SORRY I CAN'T HELP YOU MORE— THAT WAS THE NIGHT BEFORE SHE DISAPPEARED— THAT'S WHY SHE STAYED BEHIND AT THE STORE— SHE WAS GOING TO BUY THE GIFT

YES YOU CAN, SIR!— IF YOU'RE A FRIEND OF MISS MACKEY'S— HOLD ON TO THAT SPOTTED TWENTY DOLLAR BILL THAT THE MAN WHO WAS JUST IN HERE GAVE YOU!!

Senator Wagner Criticizes Working Policies of R.F.C.

Senator Wagner, Democrat, New York, who said billions provided by congress for relief was still untouched. Asking in a speech in the senate that the reconstruction act be liberalized to give speed to the corporation's errand of relief, Wagner proposed the following changes: Removal of the \$300,000,000 limitation for loans to states and cities for aid of the needy.

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Advertisement for 'The Black Swan' by Rafael Sabatini, distributed by King Features Synd., Inc.

It is the year 1690. The "Centaur" sailing from the West Indies for England is captured by the cut-throat Tom Leach, who, on board his vessel, "The Black Swan," has long terrorized ships on the Spanish Main.

CHAPTER TWENTY Monsieur de Bernis paced the high poop of the Centaur in the staid, moonless, tropical night. His tall figure could be seen by those in the waist below, sharply silhouetted in black against the golden glow of the great poop-lamp as in his pacing he crossed and recrossed the ambit of its light.

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So, presently, when de Bernis was returning, he found an Irishman awaiting him arrayed in sarcasm. "Twas a fine notion yours, Charley, of the wardrobe for Ned and me. We're much obliged. So well do we like it that we'll not be troubling your lively madam and her hilarious brother with any more of our company at all. Ye understand?"

Advertisement for 'LOANS' offering \$50 to \$300.

Advertisement for 'BIG REDUCTION ON COAL' with prices for Great Heart Block, etc.

Advertisement for 'J. R. Baschnagel & Son' with address and phone number.

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Advertisement for 'Female Help Wanted' with address and phone number.

Advertisement for 'Housekeeping Rooms' with address and phone number.

Advertisement for 'Apartments and Flats' with address and phone number.

Advertisement for 'IOWA APARTMENTS' with address and phone number.

Advertisement for 'Wanted—Laundry' with address and phone number.

Advertisement for 'HIGH QUALITY LAUNDRY WORK' with address and phone number.

Advertisement for 'Free Radio Service' with address and phone number.

Martin Gives Talk on Local Relief Setup

Asks for Cooperation of Community in Chest Drive

In a talk which dealt briefly with the national relief problem and more specifically with the problems at hand in Iowa City, Thomas E. Martin, director of the Community chest drive, spoke before members of the Chamber of Commerce at their meeting in the American Legion Community building yesterday.

"There are 500 families in Iowa City receiving aid from the Social Service league in the way of fuel, food, or clothing," he said. "Three hundred of these are receiving direct aid."

Mr. Martin said that juvenile delinquencies were mounting here as well as in other portions of the state. This increase was blamed entirely on the present economic situation. Relief agencies, he said, through care of the unemployed, will aid in quelling this gain.

Speaking of conditions known as long as five years ago in the larger cities, Mr. Martin said, "In 1928 I was in New York. The stock market boom was reaching its height. Prosperity was on every corner. But even at that time, some were forced to eat through out food, anything to keep alive."

"I thought that condition could never reach the midwest. But it is reaching the midwest, and threatens to become even more acute unless action is taken at once," he said.

He urged the members to cooperate in every possible way with the chest drive planned for this winter. He said that the goal has been set at approximately \$30,000 or \$2 per person in Iowa City.

During the luncheon Mrs. Charles Baker, secretary of the Christmas seal sale here, presented a short play in the interests of the sale. Two boys took part.

FRANK NITTI Nears Death Following Duel With Police

(Continued from page 1) ing forces of Chicago were assembled hurriedly to solve some of the mysteries presented by the raid. Exports were assigned to decipher some of the orders and bills of lading for "wheat and oats" found in the office. Messages in code were given to others to translate. A quantity of black powder which would not burn when touched with flame was sent to the crime laboratory at Northwestern university. Detective leaders and State's Attorney Courtney rushed to the bedside of Nitti to question him. He would not help them.

The six gangsters arrested were whisked away to the detective bureau.

Play Silent Role
Nitti's role in the gangland theater had been a silent one since his emergence last March. 24 from the federal prison at Leavenworth, after serving 14 months imposed for dodging payment of an income tax on his \$842,888 share of the Capone profits for three years. He pleaded guilty, and the talk was that Nitti was to "take the rap" and get out in time to boss things after Al Capone went to Atlanta penitentiary.

There was rumor rife too, that others coveted the title of heir apparent to "Scarface Al" and would fight Nitti's return to power. As the "enforcer," Nitti was reputed to have given the orders for the killings, bombings and other violence the Capone gang required for disciplining its henchmen and blotting out its competitors.

Identities of Sextet
The sextet arrested with Nitti today identified themselves as Johnnie Pope, Louis Masserra, Charles McGee, Martin Sanders, Joseph Parrillo and Louis Carmins, whom police suspect to be Louis "Little New York" Campagna, one of the toughest gangsters of the nether world.

The papers that Nitti tried to swallow were recovered, but police said it would require expert work to decipher them. One was a penciled note concerning a railway trip, giving the round trip fare at \$96.46, compartment \$43.50, and other

BOY, CAN SHE HANDLE HER BEER!



Give this little girl a great big hand. Not that she needs it, mind you, for she already has a capable pair. She is pretty Clair Aufheimer, eye-pleasing bartender at a Broadway hofbrau, and she has the distinction of being the champion beer-carrier of her sex. The charming fraulein can serve an even dozen foaming beers in her two hands without spilling a drop. If, and when, beer comes back, Clair will come into her own.

AROUND THE TOWN with DON PRYOR

Cigaret Fad
There seems to be a new fad among petty thieves, judging by the number of cigarettes stolen during the last few weeks. The Witwer grocery has been one of the heavy losers. Yesterday a freight car was broken into on the Rock Island railroad and thieves got away with seven cases, or 7,000 cigarettes.

No Garage
W. C. Lantz learned yesterday that the public streets were not meant to be garages when he appeared before Police Judge Charles L. Zager and paid a fine of \$1 and costs for using the streets for storage.

Sounds Warm
Thirty-five dozen sweaters, or 420 garments in all, will be received at the Red Cross office in the American Legion Community building soon for distribution to families in need of clothing for the winter. The sweaters are being made from cotton held by the federal farm board.

Today's the Day
Today's the day the Red Cross spends in giving out flour to those who need help. Both the flour and the clothing is supplied by the munificent federal farm board.

Stockings What Is
To satisfy the wishes of two of her blind ex-soldier charges, who wanted stockings big enough to put something in this Christmas, Mrs. figures totaling \$385.84. No destination was mentioned. The other was in code.

Decipher Messages
One telegram found in the office read: "Car Q 132148 out today think you can buy oats and white shelled corn better in Chicago. No white corn left around here." It was signed "Schultz Baujar and N. O." and dated June 1, 1931, at Beardstown, Ill.

Another dated May 27, 1931 read: "Victim twenty nine forty vest twenty five forty vestal twenty six forty vestige twenty seven forty rye."

Many other papers indicated dealings in flour and grain.

Dad
would enjoy a box of fresh cigars from Racine's for Christmas.

Cheap Coal
In order to make room for other coal coming we will sell what we have left of the following coals at the following sacrifice prices for cash only:
"Render"-6x3 Egg \$6.50
"Render"-3x2 Egg \$6.25
"Render"-2x1 1/4 Nut \$5.50
Johnston Coal Co.
425 E. Washington Dial 2410

Stock Market Drops Lower in Dull Trade

German Loans Continue to Lead Foreign Bonds

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Financial markets generally worked lower today, although trading was dull in most directions.

German loans again outdid other foreign bonds and traded actively. U. S. government financed in a brisk turnover, but some irregularity seeped into other sections of the investment market. Wheat, facing a crop report tomorrow, was off about half a cent and cotton eased. U. S. Steel stocks reacted about a point each, the common dipping just under 29. Case and Santa Fe had similar losses, while Bethlehem, New York Central, Western Union and Union Pacific yielded around half a point net. A bullish demonstration in Auburn Automobile netted 3 points. Allied Chemical, up 2 at the best, forfeited all but a shade of its advance.

Other firm spots included the tobaccos, Standard Oil of New Jersey, American Can and Gillette. Rails were barely steady. Oils, helped by plans for closing the east Texas field, looked considerably smoother than last week. Coppers also were less susceptible to pressure, possibly because the foreign metal market has recently stopped declining. Transactions totaled 916,985 shares.

Former Iowan Dies in New York City

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Clarence Eugene Whitehill, American baritone with the Metropolitan Opera company, died last night in his sleep after returning from a theater where he sang at a benefit for the unemployment relief committee. He was 51.

Death was believed caused by a heart attack. Surviving is his widow, the former Isabelle Rush Simpson of St. Paul, Minn., and Philadelphia.

Mr. Whitehill, who was born in Marengo, Iowa, first sang at the Metropolitan in 1909 and had been a regular member of the opera company since 1920.

Man Pleads Guilty to Intoxicated Driving

Frank Jaroskey was fined \$300 and costs yesterday when he appeared before District Judge H. D. Evans and pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated.

The plea was entered to County Attorney F. B. Olsen's true information. Judge Evans ordered that Jaroskey be confined in the county jail until the fine is paid, not to exceed 90 days, and that he be restrained from driving a motor vehicle for a period of three months.

Junior Chamber of Commerce to Meet

A proposal to amend the constitution will be introduced at the Junior Chamber of Commerce dinner meeting at 6:30 o'clock tonight at the Hawks' Nest cafe.

Kenneth Bowman and Elwin O'Brien of the Bowman Electric company will demonstrate the modern radio and electrical developments after the dinner.

Seniors Present Christmas Assembly

A Christmas assembly will be presented before physical education students by seniors in that department at nine o'clock this morning. A dance drama, "The Juggler of Notre Dame," will be presented, followed by group singing of Christmas carols.

Weeks. Coats flew open and gloves were tucked away in overcoat pockets. But some, fearful of colds, kept themselves well bundled and safe.

SLEW WIFE, WOUNDED SON



"There were funny doings up at my house, so I just killed my wife." That is the only statement police could extract from Harry N. Burdette (right), of Baltimore, Md., when he appeared at the police station with his 15 months old baby to surrender. Investigation proved Burdette had shot his wife, Beatrice, to death and wounded their son, Archibald, 22. The son could offer no reason for his father's act.

Baker's Son Declared Legally Dead Returns After 13 Years

Father Obtained \$1,000 Three Years Ago on Insurance

RICH HILL, Mo., Dec. 19 (AP)—Alphonse Romy, a baker, received a letter today from Des Moines in which the writer said he was Romy's son, Fred, declared legally dead by a court action three years ago. The writer assured that he would be home for Christmas.

Romy last heard from his son 13 years ago when the latter, then a midshipman at the United States naval academy, wrote from Annapolis that he was resigning to take a position with a Pacific coast steamship company.

"Isn't this a real Christmas?" Romy exclaimed upon receipt of the letter today.

Three years ago an insurance company paid \$1,000 to the baker, who had kept up the policy payments while the search was pressed for his son.

The letter which came today stated the writer was employed with a New York firm of accountants and was in Des Moines only temporarily.

The letter bore the return address of a Des Moines hotel. Inquiry there brought the reply that Romy was out of the city but was expected back tomorrow.

The baker said that he was planning



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Lady shoppers will please the men's taste with these fine robes of luxurious brocaded silk fabrics in color harmonies that defy description—here is a real gift value.

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THE STORE WITH THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Wheat Prices Tumble Near Season Low

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 (AP)—Wheat tumbled today to within 1-8 cent of the season's lowest prices for Chicago May contracts.

Collapse in the Liverpool wheat market to new all-time bottom quotations on March delivery pulled values down both here and at Winnipeg. Enlarged export demand for Canadian wheat, however, led to subsequent rallies.

Wheat in Chicago closed nervous, 3-8-58 under Saturday's finish, corn at 1-4-3-8 decline to 1-3-1-4 advance, oats 1-8-1-4 up, and provisions varying from 12 cents setback to an equal gain.

Government figures on domestic winter wheat acreage and crop condition will be issued tomorrow after the close of trading. Belief was general today that these figures would show a heavy decrease of acreage, as well as low condition.

Corn and oats were responsive to wheat weakness. Provisions largely followed the trend of the hog market. Closing indemics: Wheat—December 43 1-4, bids; May 45 5-8-3-4, 46 3-4; July 45 7-8-46, 46 7-8-47.

Lodge Will Present Initiatory Degrees

Initiatory degrees will be presented tonight during the meeting of the Eureka lodge, No. 44, I.O.O.F., in the Odd Fellow hall.

An important business meeting will also be a part of the ceremonies, starting at 7:30.

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Nationally known glassware at a new low price—reductions up to 50%.

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This popular unit with chromium plated stand only \$1.98
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Nothing would please her more. It does a big family washing in one hour. One Minute has given satisfaction for 32 years to two million users. Has balloon rollers. Fast washing aluminum gyrator. Big sanitary porcelain tub. Machine fully guaranteed—(Contest Item)

Only \$39.95 Cash
Electric Corn Poppers85c to \$1.50
Electric Irons\$1.98 to \$5.95
Electric Toaster\$1.50 to \$10.00
Electric Waffle Iron, with heat control\$3.65
Electric Percolator\$3.45 to \$8.45
Cake Covers98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98

Our store is crowded with hundreds of useful gifts. Come in and see for yourself. Toyland at Lenoch & Cilek has never afforded so many wonderful toys. Bring the kiddies.

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The Big Gift Hardware on Washington Street

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I wish to announce to the public that I am back in business again, in my Funeral Home, on Linn street.

Our many years of experience qualifies us to give to the public the most efficient service with less expense, as we own our Funeral Home and equipment.

We are willing to take our share of loss with the public in this time of depression.
We have secured the services of Mr. Leo J. Knepfer of Dubuque, Iowa, a graduate of Worshams college, as assistant.
A. C. Harmon
Dial 5477 4 So. Linn St.