Men are at work
Lively scenes now on
Cinder track

Big Squads of Men are Out—Strong in Long Distances

The work of getting the Iowa track team in readiness for the coming contests has begun in earnest. On Saturday, the cinder track yesterday afternoon was an animated one. More than twenty men were out. The squad practicing at present consists largely of the long distance men, but the hurdlers are also at work and some progress is being done by Allen and Schwartz with the hammer. Coach Chalmers is taking immediate steps to go as far as is possible with the team.

Iowa stock is picking up daily. The long distance squad has been strengthened by the addition of Jay Hodges, the first year student of the Morgan Park track team and whose brother is one of the principal point winners for the Chicago team. Jayne entered the game yesterday and after a game of 4:06 last week in the mile and bids fair to outdo that effort this year. He runs like an experienced man.

Jeffries is also strong on the long ones. There is an exceptionally great amount of fresh material.

Back runners entering in the high jump in which he is a star has decided to enter the hurdlers and is showing up in great form in the preliminary practice.

The squad will practice every afternoon from now on.

Honor for Iowa Men
Another Iowa man is taking honors in literary work. Randall Parrish, the author of "Wilderness Was King," just published by McClure, is a graduate of the Iowa University, although a native of Illinois. Mr. Parrish was admitted to the bar in the Iowa courts and practiced in this state for a short time. A roaring spirit led him westward, however, and he spent several years in Arizona, New Mexico and the southwest. Returning, he entered into journalistic work, and has employed the services of Sioux City papers for a time. At present he is employed in commercial journalism in Chicago. "When Wilderness Was King" is his first book, and the graphic autobiography of Port DeBord about the time of the noted massacre.

The national convention of Phi Kappa Psi will meet at Indiana April 5, 6, 7 and 8. Those of the Iowa chapter are Foster, Jayne, Law and Gregory.

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Main Leaves Drake

Mary Whiteside

Iowa University will retain her engineering department in spite of the first recommendation of the appropriations sub-committee that it be removed to Ames. The senate appropriation committee yesterday made its final report recommending that the department be retained here and in appropriation of $1,500 for its support the coming year. In addition to this the senate also raised the appropriation for the university from $129,000 to $146,000. So much pressure has been brought to bear upon the legislature by the friends of the university that this action resulted.

The house has yet to act on the recommendations. The appropriations for the university are as follows:

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$25,000

Contingent fund, $7,500

Equipment and supplies, $20,000

Purchase of land, $25,000

Engineering department, $15,000

Library, $20,000

Tunnel extension, $10,000

Paving and sidewalks, $6,000

$149,000

Dean Weld's Opinion

A letter in the Des Moines Register says Dean Weld voices himself as follows:

Judging from the reports, there is already manifest in university circles, it is hardly likely that this sentiment will be immediately realized. The more proper way would be for the engineering departments of the university to Ames has raised a storm of protest from the six thousand university alumni, who evidently do not look at all favorably upon this first step toward the dismemberment of their alma mater. It would be a serious mistake if this sentiment were practiced in any way, but it is perfectly safe to say that they will not and should not consent to the support of two mediocre universities.

The Alpha Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi gave an informal smöker in the fraternity rooms last Saturday evening. The men in the university who have worn the "V" plan to give a party soon and report an enjovably evening. Refreshments were served.

JUDGES ARE NAMED ARBITERS OF THE N.O.L. CONTEST

They Are Satisfactory to Iowa—Henry G. Walker Has Completed His Oration

Out of a list of seventy judges submitted by the N.O.L. institutions, to each one, forty were scratched. Of the ten submitted by Iowa not one was scratched. The board of alumni representing the seven universities and colleges interested met in Chicago yesterday and arranged the names of the judges in the order in which they were to be invited to serve. In the first ten, Iowa gets eight. The first three men from the fraternity lists are the best that could be selected. They are Senator Beveridge of Indiana, Congressman R.H. Young of Illinois, and M.H. Tibbets of Western Reserve University at Cleveland, Ohio. H.G. Walker of Iowa handsomely completed his oration before the assembled band of the printer's bands. It is due at Ann Arbor four weeks before the final contest which will take place there May 6.

The Laws Found Him

Register and Leader: The law students at the State University last week faced a difficult problem, and conferred with the delegate upon the occasion of the recent visit of the legislators to Iowa City. They are those who know the Lieutenant Governor who was asked to deign himself upon us, and to hear the problems that confront us with some natural difficulties should he attempt to do so. However the president of the senate was of the opinion that it was impossible. He heard the "laws" were holding a meet court and wished to hear them unobserved. They decided to let him do so.

Putting his coat back on and placing his hat over his eyes so as to hide his characteristic beard, the lieutenant governor did softly into a back seat. Things went on, as usual and he thought he was unobserved. Suddenly there was a hall, followed by a Comanche Indian-like knock. The lieutenant governor was discovered. He modestly expressed a desire to be let alone, but the students would not hear him. He was compelled to get down, and deliver a short address.

Then he wanted to get down, but the students good naturedly refused to let him do so until he promised to deliver a speech and others who happened to be in the room. After they had identified the students called on them for speeches also.

A spring tournament is also pending, in which the track teams of the universities of Northrop Field are finished in time, is a certainty.
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of that sort of thing. Managers who believe they have grievances are not talking about it and it is extremely doubtful if a murmur will be heard throughout the coming season. There are undoubtedly a few cases of "room, board, and tuition," but generally speaking, the larger schools of the state have given up that sort of business. The favorite method of inducing an athlete to at­

end some particular institution in Iowa is to get him a "job" and let him work his way through school. The job is generally a soft thing and connected with but little work. Particularly was this true last fall when one football team of Iowa had nine of the eleven men on the team at "work," earning their way through college. But the mana­

agers of other teams said nothing. In the larger schools of the state there is probably no one who is receiving actual pay. This is a long step towards the complete eradication of unclean athletics and the various other schemes to secure athletes will disappear in time.

GRINNELL got second in the gymnastic meet at Madison. Wisconsin got first and Chicago third.

Wisconsin got the decision from Michigan in the annual de­

-exchange

Wisconsin fraternities have organized a baseball league and will play a tournament.

Michigan won the indoor track meet from Cornell.

Purdue has won the Indiana championship in basketball for the last five years. This year she was pressed the hardest as she won the championship with Indiana by only point, the final score being 22 to 22.

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