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Alumni And Ex-Students

R. King, '04, is now employed by City Railway, and Light Construction engineer.

W. Schmitt, '03, is now conducting a private business as mine engineer and engineer in Sao Paulo.

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The mailing list of the Alumni association has been revised and is now up-to-date. All members of the association are listed together with their location and employment.

Myrtle Alderson, '13, is now secretary to the president of Montana W. C. T. U. She formerly held the position of assistant dean of women and preceptress of Waldo Hall at the Oregon Agricultural College.

Word has been received that Fred Walchli, a graduate of mechanical engineering at the college in 1910, is the erecting engineer for the Allis-Chalmers company of Milwaukee, which is putting in a hydraulic plant at Thompson Falls, Montana. This plant, when completed will have a capacity of fifty-one thousand horsepower. The construction work will consist of three separate dams and a power house. Mr. Walchli has a very good position, likes his work, and is doing well in the engineering profession.

Extension Notes

Miss Carlotta Ford addressed the Livingston Woman's Club Tuesday on the subject "Malnutrition."

Dr. W. J. Hartman is doing some extension campaigning in Gallatin county with a view to securing a county agriculturist to succeed Mr. George H. Cook.

G. E. Piper, Michigan Agricultural College, 1913, foreman of a large stock and grain ranch in Ferguson county for some time, is the latest addition to the extension department. Mr. Piper is working on a flax circular at present, but will be assigned a county agriculturist's position in the near future.

H. B. Cannon has completed a farm survey in Flathead county. Among the results of the analysis of data, the influence of good cows on farm profits was quite pronounced.

Miss Katherine Jensen, assisted by Miss Ethel Miewald, is conducting a short course in home economics at Chester this week. Next week Miss Jensen will conduct a short course at Fort Benton.

Word has been received from the Dairy Bureau of the United States department of agriculture offering to place an additional specialist in dairying in Montana for the purpose of building up that industry in this state. Director Cooley is co-operating with J. E. Dorman of Salt Lake City in the selection of a man to fill the position.

Miss August Evans is organizing boys' and girls' clubs in Custer and Wibaux counties this week, in co-operation with J. C. Taylor.

C. L. Hansen conducted farmers' meetings at St. Ignace and Arlee last Friday and Saturday, assisted by President J. M. Hamilton, who spoke on "Farmers' Co-operative Associations in Europe."

M. L. Wilson is now in Eastern Montana on business pertaining to the placing of new agriculturists. He addressed a business men's banquet at Billings Tuesday, going from there to Miles City to help lay plans for the Eastern Montana corn show in charge of J. C. Taylor. He met the county commissioners of Dawson county on April 5.

ENGINEERING NOTES

The electrical department lately received a static machine which was donated to the college by Dr. Ragsdale, formerly a resident of Bozeman and now connected with the state insane asylum at Warm Springs, Mont.

Two hundred flame arc carbons have just been received from the General Electric company to be used for experimental purposes in the electrical department.

NEW CATALOGUE ISSUED SOON

New Catalog Will Be Distributed to Prospective Students in a Few Days.

Proof on the new 1915-1916 catalogue has been read and returned to the printer by Register R. O. Wilson, and the book will be ready for distribution among prospective students in about ten days.

Space has been given to the college of agriculture, the college of engineering, the college of applied science and the college of industrial arts. The courses in each college and all information that could be of any possible value to any one in selecting a course has been included in the book, and altogether this will be one of the best catalogues issued by the registrar.

Besides the regular catalogue the registrar is working on separate bulletins for each of the colleges. The first bulletin to be published will be one of the college of agriculture. This will be a 24-page book, plentifully illustrated with cuts of the different departments in the college, with written matter telling exactly what the college offers and what the prospective student may expect. This bulletin will be off the press in about two weeks and bulletins on the college of engineering, applied science, and industrial arts will be printed as fast as possible. It is the intention of the registrar to distribute these bulletins among the high school graduates and all prospective students.

GOVERNMENT JOBS ATTRACT GRADUATES

Scientific agricultural investigation for the federal government is one of the most attractive occupations open to the agricultural college graduate, according to George W. Morgan, who graduated at the Montana State College in 1912, and is now stationed on the Huntley Project, where he directs the experiments in crop rotation and cultivation methods.

Mr. Morgan has just been visiting his parents in Bozeman on his return from his five months' stay in Washington, D. C., where he goes each year to prepare his report of the season's investigations, to meet his fellow workers from other sections of the country, to confer with the supervising officers of his department, and to plan the work for the coming season. The great government libraries, probably the best in the world for scientific agriculture, are also available for research in Washington, giving the men while there an opportunity to extend their knowledge of their subjects under the most favorable circumstances.

The combination of the winter residence in Washington, with the summer open air work in the field is so attractive that the government holds many men in its service who could command higher salaries in private commercial enterprises.

Fifty-five students graduated April 1, from the short course in agriculture at the South Dakota State college. The course covers four years of five months a year.

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Columbia, 11,294; California, 8,180; Chicago, 7,131; Wisconsin, 6,695; Pennsylvania, 6,505; Harvard, 6,411; Michigan, 6,319; New York University, 6,142; Cornell, 5,930; Illinois, 5,664; Ohio State, 4,072; Syracuse, 3,913; Missouri, 3,385; Texas, 3,199; Pittsburg, 2,975; Iowa, 2,768; Kansas, 2,650; Tulane, 2,441; Cincinnati, 2,190; Indiana, 2,163; Stanford, 1,893; Princeton, 1,641; Western Reserve, 1,523; Johns Hopkins, 1,375; Washington University, 1,345; Virginia, 902; whereas last year the order was: Columbia, California, Chicago, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Harvard, Cornell, New York University, Illinois, Ohio State, Minnesota, Northwestern, Syracuse, Yale, Missouri, Texas, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Tulane, Indiana, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Stanford, Princeton, Western Reserve, John Hopkins, Washington University and Virginia.—Ex.

STRAW MULCH RAISES THE CABBAGE YIELDS

The work recently begun by the horticultural department of the Montana Experiment Station to determine the merits of mulching non-irrigated gardens with straw, as compared with cultivation, has given results in favor of mulching. In the case of cabbage especially, mulching increased the yields as much as 6,000 pounds per acre. The higher yield was due both to an increase in the size of the heads and to a higher percentage of marketable heads.

For this mulch the straw was applied to a depth of six inches, and this settled to about four inches. It was applied soon after the plants were set in the field and did away with all cultivation and weeding. The cost of the mulching is slightly greater than that of cultivation, but the work can often be done at a slack time, while cultivation must be given regularly if the weeds are to be kept down and the moisture conserved.

This method of handling the cabbage is especially useful for the busy dry-land farmer who is apt to plant his patch of late cabbage and then, in the rush of work later on, fail to cultivate it and to weed it properly.

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The first baseball game of the season was played Wednesday.

Although ragged in many respects there was some real ability displayed at times.

The day was not such as to permit of any real baseball class and the showing of the two teams in this contest was even better than could be expected under the conditions.

Cain and Todd played excellent ball around the second sack. Both are fast and shifty on their feet and their batting was probably as good as any seen in the game.

Romney was the surest man in the game at the first station. He had no difficulty in nailing the high ones and his form clearly shows that he has been there before.

Both Borton and Grimes made good as backstops. Although the pitching was of such a class as to require no particular ability behind the bat the bases were covered in good shape by these men.

No man was allowed to pitch more than one inning. Consequently all varieties of twirlers were in the box. Of the entire aggregation Roubideaux and Holt probably showed up the best.

Good, clean hitting was noticeable, chiefly by its absence. Men who were

reported to be the heaviest sluggers struck out time after time. This was probably due to the lack of practice in this department of the game, since it is to be remembered that this was the first real practice of the season.

Fourteen hits were made during the game, eight by the Freshmen and six by the High Birds. The individual hitting was as follows: Grimes, 1; Romney, 2; Todd, 1; Dahl, 1; Welch, 1; Borton, 2; Cain, 2; Dickson, 2; McCabe, 1; and Collet, 1.

No count was taken on the error of the game. This information and one other little incident of the game the writer was requested not to publish.

Reports have it that the Montana State School of Mines has been dropped from the program of the Triangular track meet. Granting that the Miners stood little if any show to win the meet, they should certainly be permitted to participate in a meet with other Montana schools.

The Miners are very much disappointed in this turn of affairs as the establishing of a new record in the pole vault by McAuliffe was almost a certainty.

However, a dual meet between the State college and the Mines scheduled for May 8, will give Mac a chance at the record.

Colleges in which he recommended such a system. Purdue University, the University of Georgia and Clemens college are a few of the colleges and universities that have adopted this method.

Whenever letters of reference are received, offering positions, the senders ask for characteristics, disposition and personality of the students.

CONVENTION DELEGATES HOLD GOOD MEETING

The Y. M. C. A. held one of the best meetings of the year last Tuesday evening. The program consisted of talks by several of the members who had attended the Helena convention and was called "Echoes of the Convention."

S. L. Hedrick spoke first on the topic "Power", mentioning some of the important factors in connection with Fred B. Smith's success as a religious speaker. A. Paul Thompson chose as his topic "A Personal Confession" and told of some of his mistaken ideas regarding the work and purpose of the Y. M. C. A., which the convention had cleared up.

Francis Woolridge spoke on the great impression which had been made upon him by close attention to detail in order to make the meeting Sunday afternoon in which Fred B. Smith said that America's greatest sin was the failure of the people to respond to Christian teachings, a success.

Ed. Jacobs, the last speaker, spoke on "The Real Purpose of the College Y. M. C. A." He mentioned some of the difficulties which beset the work

head. When the pellet was found and returned to the confines of the diamond Romney was found to be safely stationed on the third sack. A clever bunt on the part of Gilruth brought the manager of the High Birds home.

Roubideaux came to the plate next and it could be seen at a glance that he had something up his sleeve. A nice slow one came over the rubber and Ruby stepped in front of it. He was granted a pass.

Meanwhile the overanxious English Prof was caught in an effort to steal home. Todd went out on an easy fly and Fat Dahl, despite his tattered appearance as a result of an attempt to slide, took his place at bat. A beautiful little hit brought in another run, but Welch stilled the hopes of the Birds by striking out and the game was over.

The lineups:
High Birds—Grimes, c.; Roubideaux, p.; Romney, 1b.; Welch, 2b.; Gilruth, 3b.; Jennison, ss.; Todd, cf.; Dahl, lf.; Parker, rf.

Freshmen—Borton, c.; Glass, p.; Luce, 1b.; Todd, 2b.; Cain, ss.; Dickson, 3b.; Borton, rf.; McCabe, cf.; Collet, lf.; Kuhns, p.; Holt, p.; Drummond, p.

THALER GIVES ADDRESS

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graduates desiring to take the graduate course at the Westinghouse factory may do so by providing suitable references and receiving an appointment to the course. Their recommendation for a position depends upon their record of the graduate's personal characteristics.

Professor Riggs of Clemens College in South Carolina presented a paper before the Association of Agricultural

of the association on the bill and suggested some remedies.

At the close of the program, a large amount of business was transacted and plans regarding the work for the remainder of the semester were outlined. A Mission Study class under the leadership of S. L. Hedrick will meet every Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock. A Bible study class, which Professor Atkinson has consented to take charge of, will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the same hour.

A committee which will nominate officers for next year, a committee to interest students in attending the conference on the coast and a committee to revise the constitution were appointed. An advisory board consisting of two of the faculty, two down-town business men and one of the ministers was selected in order to give the association the benefit of their counsel and thus strengthen it.

At the next meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Secretary Colton of the down-town association will deliver a lecture illustrated by stereopticon views on the northwest conference and the Estes Park conference.

VALLEY COUNTY BOY HEADS LITERARY

The School of Agriculture and the association of the Montana State college elected the following officers for the coming year: Arthur Rowley Poplar, president; W. E. Thompson Decker, vice-president; Albert of Victor, secretary-treasurer.

Miss Roda M. White, dean of the women at Washington State, will be guest of Dean Herrick at the hall the latter part of the week. White is one of the most prominent educators of the northwest.

Dean Herrick, accompanied by Miss White will leave the first of next week for Spokane, where they will attend the conference of deans of women which will be held in that city on 15-16. On her return trip Dean Herrick will do some extension work in the western part of the state.

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