

Now By These Things the Balance Swings

By C.

Once upon a time there lived in a land and Tower of Knowledge a handsome and knightly Prince. Upon the peak of Human Kindness and the road of Honest Labor and the Fruit of his Endeavors he daily feasted; in a Bed of Wholesome Dreams every night he lay. His conscientiously acquired Self-Education gave him a Broadened Vision which every morning enabled him to see farther across the Sands of Time beneath the slowly sinking sun that at the Light of his Experience through the Favorable Atmosphere to see the Prince in clear-eyed contemplation stood.

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One evening after climbing long and earnestly up the Steps of Learning within his Tower of Knowledge, his Broadened Vision enabled him to see far away across the Sands of Time, a beautiful Air Castle that he majestically from the plain. His insight born from ceaseless use of his Powers of Observation permitted him to see within this tower the most beautiful Princess of his art—fairer was she than the morning light; cleaner her heart than the lightning flare; purer her soul than the evening dew; stronger her mind than the western wind.

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Into the plain straightway the Prince in purposeful eagerness came, bringing with him the Fruits of his inheritance from the Family Tree, the Charter of Trust from his Fountain of Truth, and his entire store of his knowledge of Hope, he mounted his fleet and dependable Charger of Love and rode away across the plain in quest of the Princess of his Heart.

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From the plain he could not see the castle; the Sands of Time stretched on and on—burning sands, that scorched his body and fired his mind with vivid dreams of the future; ever again he saw ahead his Princess in her castle, and joyfully rode near to see the vision vanish or ever he could reach it, a mere mirage that left heart-rending pain behind. Anon, up stones upflung from the flying hoofs of his tireless steed cut deep in the blood ran free. But always priceless water of Faith and his knowledge of Hope renewed his fighting spirit, and his ever-fleeter and always longer charger of Love carried him forward by week, until at last a mirage proved real, and the Prince drew up at the castle's foot.

At the castle wall he climbed, with the Strength of Youth and the Courage of his Determination, until he reached an opened window in the wall of rock. Climbing in, he removed his net and bowed to the Princess sitting near.

The Princess through her magic of Discernment looked at the Prince's cleanness of mind; at his kindly heart and his strong desire; she blushed as she saw his love for her and his faith and trust in her. Rising, she offered him her hand, then drew it back as she asked him, "First show me your Fruits of inheritance."

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The Prince drew out his offerings and laid them at her feet. She knelt and tasted them one by one: his Temperament and his Emotions; his sense of Justice and of Truth, of Appearance, and Reason, and of Merit; his Self-estimation and Self-reliance; his ideals of Kindness and of Love. Then quietly she arose, and said:

"Good are your offerings but for your Fruits of Temperament and Self-estimation are distasteful. Your offering does not please me."

"But stay!" cried the Prince, "Do you please? I cannot change Fruits of Inheritance, else I surely would. Are the sour fruits too at a price for the sweet?"

"Princess of his Heart and her Castle had vanished like the Aurora-Borealis at the burst of day. The Prince stood alone on the barren plain, Fruits of Inheritance at his feet. (Continued on Page Three)

MONTANAN PROOFS COMING IN WELL

Opening Section is All Ready to go to Press; Will be Printed in Three Colors

Proofs of the Montanan's Opening Section have been received. Engravings and type composition for this section are complete and everything is ready to go to press with it. The printing of this section will mark the completion of the first unit of the Blue and Gold Montanan.

The eight pages of this section will be printed in three colors, black, blue and gold, thus keeping the color scheme in accord with the general theme of the book. The art scheme, using a distinctive border and featuring the bobkitten, has been developed with the idea of producing a section that is unique, yet is without any suggestion of gaudiness.

The engraving company, the printing concern, and others who have seen the proofs are enthusiastic over this section. When the printers saw the layout they immediately ordered a number of Montanans to be used as samples by their salesmen. The consensus of opinion, in fact, is that the 1925 Montanan's Opening Section will compare favorably with the opening section of any other 1925 collegiate yearbook.

NIHILL BOYS ARE STATE CHAMPIONS

Win State High School Stock Judging Contest; Kalispell Second; Chinook Third

Competing against 151 teams from the high schools of this state, and other nearby states, the three boys from Nihill, Montana, won first place in the High School Boys' Stock Judging contest held at the college in connection with the Vocational Congress that convened last week. Nihill made a total of 1604 points out of a possible 1800, Kalispell came second with a score of 1597, Chinook third, Great Falls fourth, Jordan fifth, Big Sandy sixth, Glendive seventh, and Butte eighth.

It is a remarkable fact that of the first eight teams named above, five were coached by Montana State College graduates. J. E. Border, '16, coached the Nihill team; Houston Smith, '22, coached the Chinook team; F. E. McSpadden, '15, coached the Great Falls team; Melvin Conkling, '22, coached the Jordan team, and Ray Cameron, '22, coached the Big Sandy team.

The three boys representing Nihill were Howard Stewart, Golden Retallic and E. E. Story.

FRED B. SMITH SAYS AMERICA GREAT NATION

"Is America a great nation?" Mr. Fred B. Smith of New York City, in speaking before the assembly last Friday morning says it is a great nation. But, he warned us against the dangers confronting us which have confronted all the once-great nations of the world and which, because they have failed to heed them, caused their downfall.

Mr. Smith was very strong in his statement that America can no longer afford to continue her isolation policy, for, as he says, "We have girdled the world with our education. We have girdled the world with our religion, with our science, our business. But, we shudder and withdraw when we are asked to solve the problem of world peace."

The greatest social evil of the day is the disregard for law among the youth of the nation, according to Mr. Smith. He cited the example of the prohibition law and said, "If you break one law, break all and then you have not aw."

In closing Mr. Smith urged upon us the need of preserving our traditions, of basing our living in God and exercising care in the great economic turmoil of today.

GIRLS!

Don't miss the C. G. A. party Thursday nite!

Military Ball February 20

Special Music and Entertainment Features Planned For Guests

The second annual Military Ball will be given at the Davis Hall February 20. That was the announcement made yesterday by those in charge of the affair. It is intended to have a five-piece orchestra and a special entertainer for the affair.

This dance is open to all college students, and plans being prepared by the entertainment committee call for an excellent program.

GIRLS FINISH CLASS SERIES

Seniors Seem to Have Edge So Far in Interclass Series

Last Friday the second games of the semi-finals in the girls' basketball series were played and both games were very close, the seniors winning from the frosh 13 to 12 and the junior team from the sophomore team 8 to 7.

Saturday at 1:30 the third games were played, between the seniors and sophs and the freshmen and juniors.

The seniors won from the sophs with a score of 26 to 8. They have every chance of winning the tournament if they keep up their present skill. Keturah Tibbles, star forward, has made more baskets than any other forward. Louise Kellens did some fine work as running center and Fuzzy Cooley has also given the other side plenty of opposition. In fact, the whole senior team has splendid team work and well-worked out signals. The sophs did some good playing, but were handicapped by the absence of two of their best players. Esther Asbury continued to hold her reputation of being the hardest girl on the floor to guard.

The frosh won from the juniors 11 to 2. The game was a hard one. The frosh centers, Edith Swingle and Thelma Gaylord, made a splendid combination and aided materially in the winning of the game. Helen Mason made some very pretty baskets and also did good team work. The frosh seemed to rank next to the seniors so far in team work and good signals. The juniors have some good material but show lack of practice. One of their team has never played before this year. Their guards have done some good work. Vida Mathews has made most of her free throws, but has had hard luck with baskets.

On the whole the series has been very good considering that the girls had no practice during the boys' vocational congress. There have been a great many fouls called due to the fact that practices were not strict. There have been so many girls out this year that each one gets only about five minutes practice three times a week.

SENIOR COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED; PLAN DANCE

At a meeting held last week the Seniors appointed an announcement committee consisting of Carl Reddout, Edith Kuhns, and Curly Dyer.

It was decided to levy a tax on the members of the class which would go to make up a fund to buy shares in the Alumni Association. This fund will remain in the Alumni Association until such time as plans for the proposed new Central Building shall be completed, when it will be transferred and used for the furthering of that project.

The Seniors also decided to give a dance in the Spring Quarter.

INDIANA RECOGNIZES ENGINEERING COLLEGE

The Indiana State Board for the Registration of Engineers has advised Dean Norris that M. S. C. graduates in engineering will be given full credit for their college work towards the engineers license in that state. Thus Indiana follows the example of New York and other states in ranking M. S. C. among the best engineering schools of the country.

LOOT SHOW IS MARCH 9 AND 10

Cast Includes Bill Ennis, Mercedes Staebler, Jake Forbes, Rhoda Harris, Thornley Pitt and Bailon Rivers

College comedy, an English heiress whose education in some respects had been sadly neglected and a train wreck. Those are the things that furnish the basis for what will probably be the best musical comedy to be staged by the "Looters" since the organization started five years ago.

Work on the bill has been in progress for the past two weeks, and the cast is fitting into the various parts in a manner to provide a good bill when the show is staged March 9 and 10.

Bill Ennis and Mercedes Staebler will take the leads in this production, while Jake Forbes, Rhoda Harris, Thornley Pitt and Burton Rivers add many clever bits to the comedy of the production.

Chorus rehearsals for the show are being held four nights a week. The members of the choruses are being put through a regular dancing course so that they will be able to execute the intricate steps necessary in the musical numbers for the show.

Whitehall to Debate Wilsall

Teams Meet in Bozeman to Decide District Title; Each Has Unbeaten Record

A forensic contest of much interest will be held at the Gallatin County High School auditorium Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock when the teams representing the Wilsall and Whitehall high schools will compete for first place in this district. These two teams have succeeded in defeating all other schools in the district and are coming to Bozeman for the championship contest in order that they may appear before an impartial audience and may have competent, impartial judges. The judges will be chosen from the faculty of Montana State College.

GRADUATE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING MADE PHYSICS INSTRUCTOR

Leonard J. Neuman of the class of 1923, who is a candidate for his doctor's degree in the Physics department at the University of Oregon was made an instructor in Physics at the University of Oregon recently. Mr. Neuman graduated from Montana State College from the Electrical Engineering Department and took much of his elective work in the Physics Department during his stay here.

GIRLS RIFLE MEET HAD TO BE CANCELLED

Owing to a lack of interest in rifle the girls' interstate rifle meet with Washington University had to be cancelled. There were not enough girls who had consistently practiced to make up a team. Miss Paque is hoping that the girls will pep up and practice for the interclass meet, the last of March. There should be a good team out representing each class. It only takes 10 or 15 minutes to shoot and there are three days in which to practice. Tuesday from 9-12, Wed. from 10-12, and Thurs. from 9-12. Everybody out!

KITTENS MEET FIRST DEFEAT IN HELENA

The Kittens lost their first game of the season to Helena High school last Saturday. Both teams put up a good battle, which made a very interesting game for the spectators. The game was a tie at the end of the regular time, the score being 23 to 23. During the extra five minutes of the game the Helena boys were able to drop in two field goals which won the game for them. The final score being 23 to 27. The line up for the Bobkittens was as follows: Field, Lloyd, Yandell, Rosenkrantz, Cashmore.

FROSH DEBATE SQUAD TO MEET BILLINGS POLY

WHERE?

Is the Most Popular Place on the Campus?

Are you a frequenter of one of the most popular places on the campus? Do you know where the crowd gathers morning and noon? When you are looking for some one, give the throng at this place the once-over first. You will probably find him there with his elbows parked on the counter. So many students like to spend spare time here that the counters can't accommodate the crowd. We intended to give you the usual three guesses where this place is, but probably by now, you know it is the candy counter in Main Hall.

This candy counter is sponsored by the 'M' club and is in charge of two of the members, "Hattie" and Ted Cogswell. The 'M' Club puts this business yearly in charge of two of the members. Hatfield has had it for three years and Cogswell for two. Thirty per cent of the profits go to Hatfield and Cogswell and the rest to the 'M' Club.

FAMOUS GLEE CLUB ENTERTAINS TONIGHT

Intermountain Singers To Appear at Presbyterian Church for Program

The Intermountain Glee Club of Helena, composed of twenty-one members are to put on their program at the Presbyterian church this evening. Their engagement in Bozeman this evening is their last stop on their annual trip around the state.

The Club is offering a mixed program of heavy and light music, including a comical skit. Included in the class of "heavy" music is the famous "Vagabond Song," "The Trumpeter," "Hallelujah Amen," and "Where'er You Walk." A group of typical college songs is also featured.

Besides the ensemble singing of the entire Glee Club, solo numbers will be featured as will be numbers by a quartette and an octette. "Bud" Carr, of Kalispell, who won first place in the voice contest of the State Music Contest last spring is tenor soloist of the Club and Miss Lois Treloar of Butte is accompanist and pianist.

During their stay in the city the members of the club are being entertained at the various fraternity houses. Tomorrow morning they will be entertained at breakfast by the executive committee of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Ticket sales have been gratifyingly large and it is expected that a large audience will be on hand to hear the program this evening. Admission charges are fifty cents for students.

Hiking is a popular sport at the University of Texas, and has been adopted as a major sport for women. Long hikes are held each term and the women who make the team are awarded T's.

COLLEGE CHAMPION COW IS DEAD

Grace Koningen Died February 4; Held World's Record for Ten Year Old Cow

Grace Koningen is dead. The World's Champion cow owned by the college died about noon February 4, following an illness of several weeks.

This Holstein cow made a very enviable record for Montana State College. She held the world's record for milk production for a ten-year-old cow. She also held the state record for butter fat production. She was never beaten when entered in show ring competition.

Death to the cow came as a result of an illness of several weeks following the birth of twin calves.

IS FIRST DEBATE FOR THIS YEAR

Claire Robinson, Fanny Neiman, and One Other Not Yet Selected Will Represent Frosh

The first debate of the season will take place at Billings, Montana, February 13, between the Montana State Frosh and Billings Polytechnic teams. Claire Robinson, a graduate of Galatin County High school, will be the opening speaker for Montana State. Miss Fanny Neiman will be second member on the team. Miss Neiman comes from Butte and has had considerable experience in public speaking. The third person to represent the College has not yet been selected but will be chosen from three of the remaining members of the squad who are Ed Cooper of Butte, Ed Fuller of Helena and Frank Richards of Bozeman. Fuller and Cooper represented their respective schools in the State Extemporaneous contest last year, while Richards has taken an active part in forensic activities at Galatin.

The frosh team composed of Mr. Robinson, Miss Neiman and one other will meet the State "U" team in Bozeman and the State Normal at Dillon later in the season.

The freshman have been working hard on debate since early in November when thirteen members were enrolled on the squad. Of this number all but five have been eliminated by severe and keen competition. Three of these five were on the frosh team which defeated the Sophs Dec. 8.

HOOPSTERS TO TAKE EIGHT GAME TRIP

Play University in Missoula Friday and Saturday Nights

The Bobcats leave this week on a trip which will virtually wind up their schedule away from home and go a long way toward deciding their claim to the state championship title.

The locals meet the State University quintet at Missoula on Friday and Saturday nights in a two game series that will undoubtedly be close. The University has not won a large per cent of their games, but they have met some mighty stiff competition in their conference this season. The names of Ilman, Sweet, Baney, Kelly and the Dahlbergs, spell basketball ability for the University, and our men are expecting a hard fight when they encounter the Grizzlies this week.

The following Monday the Bobcats will play the State Mines at Butte; Tuesday, Idaho Tech at Pocatello; Wednesday, Ricks College at Rexburg; Thursday, the State Normal at Dillon; Friday, Intermountain Union at Helena and Saturday Saint Charles at Helena.

Those making the trip with Coach Romney are Hatfield, Hartwig, Cottam, Glynn, McGuin, Winner and Cummins. Manager Sanford will also make the trip.

BUTTE BEATS BILLINGS IN CLOSE CONTEST

Butte won a hard earned victory from Billings high school in the college gym Feb. 4. Billings held the lead during the first half, but lost it in the second half. The Butte team came back in the second half with a fighting spirit that would beat the best of teams. The final score was 18-19.

Billings will play the frosh in a preliminary February 28, before the Missoula and Bobcats game.

ALPHA PI MEETING HELD

Alpha Pi, honorary chemistry fraternity, held a meeting on Wednesday, January 28, in the Chemistry building. The program was as follows:

"The Absorption Method of Producing Casing Head Gasoline—Mott Sanders.

"The Periodic System"—Jesse Green.

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There are different kinds of heroes, there are
some you hear about.
They get their pictures printed and their names
the newsboys shout;
There are heroes known to glory that were not
afraid to die
In the service of their country and to keep
the flag on high;
There are brave men in the trenches, there are
brave men on the sea,
But the silent, quiet heroes also prove their
bravery.

—Guest

DISSATISFACTION

The other day a certain student was referred
to as a "fellow who was never satisfied with things
as they were." It was really a complaint. The
person referred to has been giving his energies
for the betterment of affairs on the campus, and
has been trying to "do his bit" for Montana State.
Now the thought to be gleaned isn't that this
person is working for Montana State. The im-
portant thing is that he isn't satisfied to let
well enough alone and go on the old "sleepy hol-
low" doctrine that all so well.

History tells us that great things have been
done because some one was dissatisfied with ex-
isting conditions. Morse was dissatisfied with
the primitive modes of communication of his
day and he devised the telegraph. Edison was
dissatisfied with the lights he had to endure, and
promptly he started working on electric light.
Einstein was not in sympathy with many of the
theories of gravitation, and he went out to get
a new view on the whole matter. So it has been.
The statesman, the orator, the inventor and scien-
tist—everyone of them who have survived in our
history did so because he made great contribu-
tions—the result of a dissatisfaction.

It was James J. Hill who developed the first
railroad in the Northwest, and he was profoundly
dissatisfied with things as they were. Woodrow
Wilson proposed his League of Nations to remedy
a situation with which he was not in sympathy.
And so it goes.

Today we thing there is nothing more to be
done. Leaders tell us that we have just started
and that the next 25 years will see miracles pro-
duced. That is a healthy situation for that is
evidence of the fact that there are those about
who are still dissatisfied with what we have ac-
complished.

HIGHER EDUCATION PAYS

The United States Bureau of Education brings
out some statistics to bolster up the self-respect
of that much derided thing, the college diploma.
It points out that although less than 1 per cent
of all Americans are college graduates, this 1 per
cent has furnished 55 per cent of the presidents,
36 per cent of the members of congress, 47 per
cent of the speakers of the house, 54 per cent of
the vice-presidents, 62 per cent of the secretaries
of the treasury, 67 per cent of the attorneys
general and 69 per cent of the justices of the su-
preme court. As it figures it, the college man's
chances for eminence is 370 to 1 against the non-
college man. Even more surprising is its show-
ing that 277 times as many college men had
amassed wealth as had non-college men. This
proportion is expected to grow sharply in the next
fifty years, for the colleges are now turning their
attention largely to preparation for success in
business careers.—Kansas Teacher.

Keep your eye on a governor who boasts that
he has cut down the school budget.—Scottish Rite
News Service

The university must do more than furnish the
minds of its students; the university must free
their minds as well. American democracy needs
mental freedom even more than it needs mental
furniture. The primary task of the university
is to make men free; to make men scholarly is
secondary to this. In fact, real scholarship is
impossible until men's minds are freed.—Glenn
Frank.

WITH OTHER COLLEGE STUDENTS

The material presented in this column is
taken from the college newspapers that
maintain an exchange service with the
Exponent.

FUSSERS AT U. OF OKLAHOMA

TO BE STOPPED BY WHISTLE

From now on at the University of Oklahoma, all
dates will be regulated by the power house whistle.
The first whistle will be blown at 10:20 nightly and
at 12:20 on Fridays. The second whistle blown ten
minutes later, will consist of two short blasts to
mark the actual separation.

WOMEN CAUSE MOST LIBRARY DISTURBANCES

Oberlin, Ohio—Oberlin Review states that women are
the cause of most distractions in college libraries, ac-
cording to statistics compiled by the department of psy-
chology of McGill University. Various classes were ob-
served individually and the results were assured to be
accurate by checking independent observers.

The main distractions proved to be women, campus
noise, sleepiness, talkative neighbors and a few other
minor ones. Further summarizing disclosed the fact
that from 10 to 26 minutes were wasted each hour by
the average student.

FRATS ON PROBATION FOR POOR SCHOLARSHIP

Chicago—(N. S. N. S.)—Because of a recent ruling at
Chicago University, providing penalties for fraternities
who make a poor showing in scholastic work, Alpha Tau
Omega has been refused the right to initiate during the
winter quarter, and Sigma Chi fraternity has received
the penalty of no social privileges for the winter quarter.
Both fraternities had permitted their averages to fall to
a (C-) level for the autumn quarter.

This policy of fraternity probation aims to bring up
the scholastic standing of fraternities. The University
of Minnesota and several other institutions have made
such rulings this fall.

FROSH MUST HEED TRADITIONS

Pasadena—At California Institute of Technology action
has been taken against the freshmen because of their
neglect to observe the traditions of the school. Due to
the laxity of the Court of Traditions the frosh have the
idea that penalties for overlooking regulations may go
unheeded but since the action taken by the Court a more
universal wearing of hats, and a less universal display
of red in the form of belts and ties is promised by the
freshman.

Other colleges and universities seem to be having trouble
with the neglect of the freshmen to keep the traditions.
Many schools confine the punishment of the law breakers
to paddling, others try different methods. Columbia
sophomores paddle some offenders and to others they
attach dog collars bearing signs stating, "Offense-No
Caps, Poor Attitude," or "I am Smart—I Break Rules."
At Princeton stringent measures prevent extreme lack of
taste in clothes, smoking on the campus, or walking on
the grass.

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY STARTS MUSEUM

A novel collection of donations has been received by
the history department of the Louisiana State University,
which recently started a museum.

One diary of the Civil War is reminiscent of the war-
time feeling of the South. It is of unbound blue paper
and contains several pieces of music copied by hand and
poems, many of them in French, of the trials and hopes
of the Southern people. A list of 81 negroes who had left
the plantation is another feature. Some were noted as
"since returned" and one as "gone again."

The secrets of the post-war Ku Klux Klan are revealed
in a ritual loaned the University. The ritual is in French.
A land office receipt for \$40 issued in 1856 is one of the
donations. It shows that land in Louisiana could be
bought at that time for 25c an acre.

Other articles loaned or donated are: Three pieces of
Spanish money dated 1814, 1819 and 1831, and a copy of
the Planters' Gazette of Plaquemine in 1844.

OIL WELLS AT TEXAS U. YIELD GOOD INCOME

Oil wells recently discovered on the campus of the
University of Texas will yield that school over \$250,000
a year in royalties. This money will go into the Univer-
sities permanent endowment fund and the interest will
be used for the construction of new buildings.

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PICK-UPS BY ELI



Eli is in a terrible quandry this
week. Everything he knows is a
deep, dark secret. But then, it
wouldn't be a secret unless it could
be told to at least one person, so—
he is telling it to you, thrill seeking
student, with your promise, he trusts,
that you will keep it a secret from
all—but one.

And apropos of thrills. Imag-
ine if you can the thrill that was
granted the S. A. E.'s when the
postman delivered what only
Ralph M. could identify as the
freshly laundered wearing appar-
el of the Lady from Trident.

Maybe the postman knew the right
address at that.

And speaking of prize winning ad-
dresses, we present for your appreci-
ation the ambitious vocational con-
gress delegate who, when told that
he would have to sleep in a Pullman,
inquired,
"Are all the Sigma Chi houses
full?"

Are they?

And to another of our high school
visitors we proffer a copy of "What
Every Boy Should Know."

It was the hour of "blinks" at the
Dorm—that most popular of M. S. C.
landmarks. When the lights flashed
on again our friend cried, "Thanks."

To who, and for what, is the ques-
tion.

How did he know that it wasn't
merely a blowout fuse?

However, all activities on the
Campus are nor Dormant. In fact,
the old question has been revived,
"Are we over-organized?" Last week
there was reported the new Learn
about Women From Me club, with
George Finley at its head. This week
we have the Disappointed Lovers

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attached to his Sig pin—the w. k.
Arrow.

All of which recalls the time
some years ago when George was
an underclassman. In an inter-
view with Eli, George admitted
that he had kissed every woman
on the campus but one—and he
had a date with her the next
night.

CARD OF THANKS

To the Sigma Chi Fraternity for
their kindness in sending us three
dozen Phi U. doughnuts.

(Signed) S. A. E.

There are fast workers—and faster
ones. When he does the knee dust-
ing act, clamps the gold—or brass—
band (See Woolworth's) on her dainty
finger, and after tenderly-osculatory
salutes all around, all in the space of
½ the revolution of the large hand
of an Ingersoll, that's speed.

Here's how, Earl.

And the next day, an official, with
notebook in hand, appeared at the
Alpha Gam house inquiring for the
name of "the Mister."

The Theta Nu's, holding that pro-
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education as one-hand driving, send
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tain school on Main street twice
each week where this branch of sci-
ence is propounded.

Getting ready for the quarterly
party, perhaps.

Or maybe it's the instructress.

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is burdened with the painful (for his
bashful self) task of selecting a

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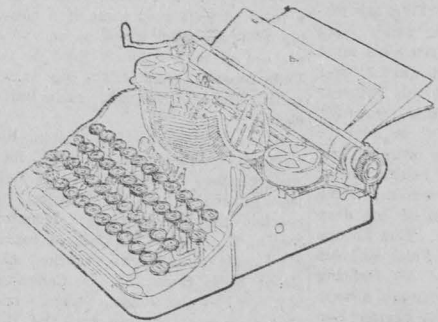
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and Bows

There are bows and bows and bows, but bows aren't beaux by any means, neither are beaux bows. That is a bit of deductive reasoning (and that it can be seen the author is giggling with English 102) was occasioned by the appearance of so many new spring bonnets since the beginning of February.

There are bows for every stage of life. Little pink or blue bows for baby's blanket, bows in little boys' neckties, that just won't stay tied, bows for the kid sister's hair, gently red, Windsor ties with great bows, his first bow tie, and now in spring these coy little bows on the tops of the new models, perhaps, in order to prove that they have not left the gay green days of childhood.

And of course we can't forget the bow that Cupid carries, but the bow that will not admit this as it is irrelevant to the matter at hand.

Bows have many purposes but the one in one is for ornament, but can be said the beaux are for the same purpose? If, on the other hand, these fashionable bows catch beaux, and a preacher ties the marriage bow (be poetical) let us hope the first mentioned above will be as fashionable as this new sort of trimming.

9 YEARS AGO

Montana States Activities
from the Pages of the
Exponent

A committee of the college faculty is at work on the revision of the rules of study.

Upon the completion of the new buildings the college will be supplied with a first class aquarium, which will be a great advantage to the zoology and physiology classes. In addition to the aquarium, Dr. Williams intends to secure a collection of Montana snakes.

National
ives

The opinion is prevalent among persons that education is to be used to gain a livelihood, or to earn great amount of money, that could otherwise be obtained, and if it is not seen to be a direct means to the mercenary ends the time spent acquiring an education is thought to be wasted.

Our progressive age when we have such advantages for practical application in taking the place of the time theory it is hoped that the will come when all will realize the benefits of education, for those are not going to use in a direct manner the training received at college, and none will say to the earnest student: You are wasting your time, will never use the knowledge you are now gaining.

Description
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is a curious note how few people are able to give a good, intelligent description of anything. Defects in description is most commonly due to lack of observation.

The descriptive art is one that deserves more attention than is often paid to it. All people cannot see things for themselves, and it would be well if we had more careful observers, who could not only see a thing for themselves, but make others see it with them.

GIRLS!

Don't miss the C. G. A. party
Thursday night!

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Feb. 12—C. G. A. Masquerade.
Feb. 13—State University as Misses.
Alpha Gamma Delta Dance.
Feb. 14—State University at Misses.
Theta Nu Dance.
Feb. 20—Intermountain Union at Helena.
Military Ball.
Feb. 21—St. Charles at Helena.
Y. W. C. A. Stunt Night.
Feb. 27—University of Montana at Bozeman.
Athletic Association Dance.
Feb. 28—University of Montana at Bozeman.
Septemviri Dance.
March 4-7—State Basketball Tournament.
March 9—Looters Show.
March 10—Looters Show.
March 13—O. B. Dance.
March 14—Debate, Intermountain Union and M. S. C.
Engineer's Dance.
March 20—Fang Dance.
March 21—B. E. Dance.

Alumni Notes

Frank Ware, '21 is teaching chemistry at the Des Moines University, Des Moines, Iowa.

Helen Tripp Davis, '21 is visiting with her sister, Dolly, at Hamilton Hall. She will be here about a week.

Leo Humphrey, '19, is doing graduate work in chemistry at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.

Otto P. Roberts, '20, who is teaching high school at Cody, Wyoming, is visiting Bozeman friends during the Vocational Congress, having accompanied three delegates from his school over here.

"Shank" Border, '16, who is teaching at Nihill, was in Bozeman during Vocational Congress. His stock judging team won first place in the contest held for high school boys.

Huston Smith, '22, Leonard Swan, '23, and Earl Chattin were visitors in Bozeman during Vocational Congress.

Gladys Mathews, '22, is teaching English and dramatics in Helena high school.

SOCIETY



Helen Mason and Nellie Cecil were dinner guests at the Sig Alph house Sunday.

Pi Beta Phi entertained their patronesses and alumnae at a tea, on Sunday, Feb. 1.

Dean Van Cott of the U. of Utah was a guest of Hamilton Hall during Vocational Congress.

Miss Gladys Brannegan was a guest at Hamilton Hall Wednesday evening.

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The members of the Amigo Club held their winter party at the Elks' Hall on Saturday evening. The fraternity colors of maroon and gray were carried out in the decorations, and favors. Among the guests were Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Wieda, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, J. Wheeler Barger and Miss Muriel Pease.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaler, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, and Mr. Murray were Sunday dinner guests at the Sigma Chi house.

Eugene Grandy of Terry was a dinner guest at the Beta Epsilon house Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beck were Sunday dinner guests at the Beta Epsilon house.

Huston Smith, a graduate of M. S. C., and a member of Beta Epsilon fraternity was a guest at the Beta Epsilon house last week. Mr. Smith is a member of the faculty of the Chinook high school.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hodge of Helena were week end guests at the Amigo house.

Superintendent A. T. Peterson of Dillon was a dinner guest at the Amigo house last Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Mrs. Hannon, Miss Schneder, and Miss Requa were guests at the Kappa Delta house at dinner Thursday evening.

Governor and Mrs. Erickson were guests of honor at a reception given by the members of Theta Nu fraternity last Monday evening.

Dean Herrick was the guest of the Theta Nu fraternity at dinner Sunday.

Alpha Gamma Delta announces the pledging of Anna Nordquist of Bozeman.



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Dick Ross was a guest at dinner at the Alpha Gamma Delta house Sunday.

Margaret Shaw spent the week end visiting in Livingston.

Several of the members of Alpha Gamma Delta were hostesses at an informal party last Friday. The evening was spent at cards and dancing, and later light refreshments were served.

Dinner guests at the Lambda Phi house during the past week were: Mr. Johnson and Mr. Chapel of Missoula, Mr. Baker and Mr. Anderson of Thompson Falls, Gene Little and Alvin Williams of Butte; and Mike Evans of Great Falls.

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BOB TOOTELL, SPORTS EDITOR



WE SHOULD SEND THE BOBCATS OFF ON THEIR TRIP WITH JUST SUCH A SPIRIT THIS WEEK

BOBCATS TIE HONORS WITH AGGIES

Fans See Two of Best Games in Years Thursday and Friday Nights

The Blue and Gold basketball squad of Montana State College divided honors with the visiting Utah Aggies in two of the most thrilling games ever witnessed by local fans. The game Thursday night was by far the most exciting. Utah started the scoring and led the Bobcats by a considerable margin throughout the first period. In the second half Ott Romney's men came back with a brand of basketball that was superb. They completely outplayed the visitors and in fifteen minutes overcame the seemingly hopeless twelve-point lead which the Aggies had accumulated the first half. From then on it was nip and tuck, with first one team leading and then another. The score was a tie, 35-35 at the end of the scheduled time. An extra five minute period was played in which both teams fought desperately for a lead. With only one minute to play, Baker fouled and Hartwig converted both tries. A Bobcat victory seemed certain even after a foul gave Crowther a free throw. Just as the timekeeper raised his gun for the final shot, Baker, Aggie center, threw the ball over his head from well up the floor and it dropped neatly through the hoop as the gun sounded a victory for the Utah Aggies.

The game Friday night, although much slower, was a great exhibition of basketball. The Bobcats started scoring from the start and managed to keep one or two points ahead during the entire contest. Both teams were playing a safe game with spectacular guarding being the outstanding feature. The game ended 27-23 in favor of Montana.

It is really unfair to pick outstanding players of other teams. There were clearly five men teams and every man did his best. Hartwig was high point man the first game, making nine field goals and two free throws, while Cottam was high point man the second night with five field goals and three free throws.

The Aggies had an exceptionally good team. Baker, the rangy center was their outstanding performer. He played a consistent, flashy game that kept the crowd on edge during both games. Sanders at guard did some spectacular work, as also did Crowther and Nielson at the forward positions.

The gymnasium was crowded for both contests and a good student spirit was very evident. The game Thursday certainly left a lasting impression on the minds of the visiting Vocational Congress boys and it should do much to favorably advertise Bobcat sports and bring enthusiastic support to Montana State College.

CARDIFF COLLEGE COEDS HOLD SMOKER; WEAR MEN'S CLOTHES

The girl students at Cardiff College have enjoyed their first smoker. Only girls more than five feet four inches tall were admitted. All wore men's clothes, some wore plus fours, others business suits and a few evening clothes. None of the girls smoked pipes.

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The third part will go for a nation-wide crusade in the interests of higher scholastic standards. In many colleges and universities the society has only been honorary, and members have not been admitted until just before graduation, thus taking little active part in the society's affairs. By encouraging deserving students, not only giving honors but also granting fellowships and scholarships to enable students to continue their studies when they cannot otherwise afford it.

BOBKITTENS BEAT BUTTE BY ONE POINT

The Bobkittens have added one more victory to their list by beating the Butte high school in a hard fought game. The Butte team succeeded in keeping in the lead during the first half. The last half was a nip and tuck between both teams until the gun was fired; leaving the score 13 to 19 in favor of the Kittens. Worden was the bright light on the Butte team.

About thirty-five members of Y. W. C. A. assembled in the Aggie building last Tuesday night at six p. m. The girls ate lunch and had some very exciting discussions. The girls had planned on selling candy during the Boys Vocational Congress but someone else has usurped that opportunity. Every two weeks they have meetings of all the members. On the intervening Tuesday night only the cabinet officers meet.

GIRLS!

Don't miss the C. G. A. party Thursday nite!

M. S. C. HAS CHANCE TO BE CHAMPIONS

Standing Will Depend on Showing Made by Utah Aggies During Season

Just where do the Bobcats stand in regard to Rocky Mountain Conference rating? That is a logical question that is probably in the minds of cannot be definitely answered.

Due to the fact that we have no more scheduled conference games this year, our chance rests with the showing which the Utah Aggies will make. By virtue of our dividing honors with the Utah Aggies in the recent two-game series, we are going to be rated on exactly the same basis as that team. If the Aggies win the Utah championship we will have an opportunity to play them for the championship of the Utah-Montana division of the conference. The winner to play the winner of the Wyoming-Colorado division. There seems to be plenty of it's in the way, but still the Bobcats may get a wallop at championship. There is also a chance even if the Utah Aggies don't win first place in Utah. If their showing is very creditable, we may have sufficient grounds to be allowed an opportunity to play the Utah winners.

This complication of affairs will be entirely eliminated next year when the new Utah-Montana division ruling goes into effect. According to this ruling, Montana State will play two return games in Bozeman with each of the Utah teams, and also two return games at each of those schools. Thus, having four games with each school, it is going to be easy to pick the winner of this division, which will in turn play the winner of the Wyoming-Colorado division for the conference championship.

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AROUND THE GYM



The two Romney brothers have broken even in their basketball teams for the past two years.

The spectacular work of Baker at center makes him look like a dangerous contender for the position of all-conference center this year.

The Bobkittens seemed unable to cope with Helena's six-man defense. They admit that five men and a referee was too much for them.

McCleary let his appetite get the best of him at Manhattan on the return trip, and missed the train. Luckily, he didn't have long to wait

for another.

Werden, the Butte high center, won the admiration of many high school delegates here last week, when he turned an almost certain defeat into victory for his team.

In some conferences, the first of a two game game series is the only

one that counts. In our conference both games are taken as a basis of conference rating.

A review of the game Friday night shows that the Utah Aggies made out of 28 tries for basket during first half, while the Bobcats made the same number out of 42 tries. Nothing very lucky about that.

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