

THE LAWRENTIAN

Hold Annual Festival Of Music In May

Sixth Yearly Production To Be Given in Chapel May 13 and 14

Plans have been completed for the sixth annual musical festival which will be presented at Lawrence Memorial chapel, Sunday and Monday, May 13 and 14. The festival will consist of three performances, one each evening and a matinee Monday afternoon. The Minneapolis symphony orchestra, directed by Henri Verbrughen, will play at each concert.

Oratorio by Schola

The first program, which is to be given on Sunday evening, will be featured by choral singing and solo work. At this time the schola cantorum under the direction of Dean Carl J. Waterman will sing Mendelssohn's oratorio, "Elijah". Elizabeth Vreeland, soprano, of New York, Helen Mueller, contralto, of the Lawrence conservatory faculty, Barre Hill, baritone, and Oscar Heather, tenor, both of Chicago, have been engaged for the solo parts.

The matinee performance on Monday afternoon will be given by the symphony orchestra. Gladys Brainard, of the conservatory faculty, accompanied by the orchestra, will play the Rimsky-Korsakov piano concerto. The orchestra will present a symphony concert at the last performance on Monday evening. Miss Vreeland will be soloist.

Carl McKee of the conservatory faculty is managing the festival.

Former Lawrentian In Severe Plane Accident

Winston Kratz, ex '28, escaped without injury when the airplane which he was piloting over Lake Mendota, Madison, crashed into the ice last Saturday afternoon. A freshman at the university who was riding with Kratz was seriously injured in the fall.

Kratz attended Lawrence for one semester with the class of '28. He then transferred to the university where he has been studying aviation as an avocation, and it was while he was doing commercial flying near the winter sports carnival that the crash occurred.

A few hours after the accident Kratz won the 200 yard breast stroke in a swimming meet against the Milwaukee Athletic club. He is captain of the university swimming team and is holder of the Big Ten and National Intercollegiate titles in the breast stroke. He is also an active member of the Haresfoot club. While at Lawrence Kratz was a Theta Phi pledge.

Race Problem Subject Of Convocation Speech

"The final solution of the race problem lies in three directions," said Mrs. Fredricka Smith in her talk to the students at convocation Tuesday. "The Negroes may absorb themselves in the white race, they may go to Africa, or they may live with the whites in harmony."

A native of Liberia, the only Negro republic in the world, she came to Chicago and then to Lawrence, where she was known as "Freddy" Brown. After her graduation from Lawrence in 1917 she taught in Texas.

In relating the history of her native country, Mrs. Smith mentioned the founding of the first colony which was called Monrovia after President Monroe. Later it was changed to Liberia, for the word liberty.

Elmer Rehbein, Green Bay, was a visitor at the Delta Sigma Tau house over the week-end.

President Speaks To Eastern Organizations

Dr. Henry M. Wriston, who is spending two weeks in the east, addressed the Boston Lawrence Alumni chapter at the University club on January 6. He attended the meeting of the Methodist Educational association which met at the St. Charles hotel, January 10-12, and from January 12-14 he is to be at Chalfonte Saddon hall at a meeting of the association of American Colleges.

He will address the Lawrence alumni of New York City at a dinner at the Town Hall club on January 14.

Detloff Is Appointed Business Manager Of Sunset Production

Rehearsals for "Twelfth Night" Are Being Held Daily By Large Cast

Edward Detloff, '29, will be business manager of "Twelfth Night", Shakespearean comedy which is to be presented by the Sunset players in the Memorial chapel February 23. Detloff has had considerable experience in dramatic work, having been a member of the players for two seasons. Last year he was forced to drop a major part in "The Goose Hangs High", because of illness.

With the business manager and Miss Lucile Welty, director of "Twelfth Night", working together on the personnel of the production staff, all staff members will be selected this week, and the non-acting side of the Shakespearean presentation will begin its work.

Rehearsals Started

The opening rehearsals for the Sunset play have already been held, and work on the first act is rapidly proceeding. The large cast, which besides a number of extras, includes Elmer Ott, '28, John Robson, '28, George Beckley, '31, George Jacobson, '28, Jack Willem, '31, William Meyer, '31, Bernita Danielson, '29, Henry Stowe, '31, Ross Cannon, '30, George Krause, '30, Kenneth Miles, '29, Oscar Fredrikson, '30, Bernice Kleman, '29, and Agnes MacInnis, '29, has stepped into its work with considerable enthusiasm, and is rehearsing daily.

A meeting of the Sunset players will be held next week, and in addition to the presentation at that time of two one-act plays, plans for the coming production will be discussed.

Long Hair For Coeds At Lawrence College Is Doomed: Dresely

"Long hair will come back—with long skirts and goggles," said H. J. Dresely, barber, as he clipped the neck of a co-ed who had started to let her hair grow and repented.

Although occasional pugs dignify the backs of Lawrence girls' heads, and uncut hair flaps like airdale ears about their cheeks, barbers remain serene. The desire for long hair attacks every girl once, claims Mr. Dresely. Like measles and weddings practically every girl goes through it once.

Campus girls with long hair who proudly display their achievement in classes and down College avenue, would be considered extreme on the Champs Elysee. "Paris Spurns Fad For Long Hair," says a headline in "Square Deal," a dermatology magazine, and the article beneath the headline goes on to attack the erroneous idea that there even is a fad for long hair in America.

According to Mr. Dresely, of the many permanent waves given in his adjacent beauty parlor during the past year, only one was given in long hair.

Marielle Edens, '28, has been confined to the infirmary this week.

Sandburg To Lecture Here Wednesday

Famous Poet To Appear At Peabody Hall In Lecture-Recital

Carl Sandburg, "poet of the middle west", who will lecture at Peabody Hall Wednesday, January 18, is recognized as one of the foremost of modern American poets.

The author of several volumes of poetry and prose, Mr. Sandburg has had a wide range of experiences that have provided the background for these volumes. His early years, which were spent in Illinois brickyards and potteries, Kansas wheat fields and at various work in Omaha and Denver, have largely contributed the material to books of poetry, such as "The Prairie Years", "Chicago Poems", "Slabs of the Sunburnt West". His latest publication is an "American Song Bag". He is not entirely dependent upon the middle west for his subjects as two of his poems have been included in Martha Foote Crow's "Anthology of Christ Poems."

Other Works

Mr. Sandburg has not confined his literary ability entirely to poetry. He wrote the "Life of Abraham Lincoln" and "Rootabago Stories", both of which have been widely read by the American public. Many of his poems have been translated into several foreign languages.

He is a graduate of Lombard College which has conferred an honorary degree upon him. Since his graduation from college he has been associate editor of the System magazine, represented the newspaper Enterprise association during the war in the Scandinavian countries, and editorial writer of the Chicago Daily News.

Tickets for the lecture-recital may be obtained at the high school, conservatory or Belling's drug store.

"Stop Rumors" Wires Snyder From Beirut

That two and two sometimes cancel each other instead of making four was proved when Harry Snyder, '27, who was rumored murdered when his parents received a long knife from Beirut, Syria, where he is teaching, sent the following telegram to Professor A. L. Franzke: "Stop rumors. Very much alive."

Professor Franzke wrote to Snyder immediately after the rumors started and the cablegram came in answer to the letter, said Mr. Franzke.

Professor Thiel Is Convocation Speaker

"After College What?" was the title of an address given by Prof. R. B. Thiel, before the student convocation Wednesday.

"The problem of choosing a life's vocation," said Professor Thiel, "is one of greatest importance, and Lawrence students should analyze their aptitudes before making the choice. One type of individual places a college education on a pedestal and regards it as all that is necessary; others regard a college education as valuable only for its social advantages."

"The world is not interested in what we know in general, but what we know in particular," said Mr. Thiel. "The whole problem lies in individual responsibility."

Ariel Sale

Ariel subscriptions will be sold every forenoon next week between 9:00 and 12:00 on the first floor of Main hall. A deposit of one dollar will be sufficient to hold a subscription until the Ariels are released.

Contests In Forensics To Be Held Here

Orators Will Speak On Tuesday; Extempore Contest Thursday

Plans for elimination contests in oratory and extemporaneous speaking, both of which are to be run off next week, were completed at a meeting of the Lawrence college forensic board, held in the forensic office Wednesday noon. The oratorical contest will be held Tuesday afternoon, January 17, at 2:30 in Main hall, while the extempore contest has been set for the following Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Two extempore speakers and one orator will be selected from those trying out to enter the state contest at Waukesha, which will be held under the auspices of Carroll college on February 16. The winners in this event will advance to district and national contests, until eliminated.

Those who intend to try out for the local oratorical contest must signify their intention of so doing at the forensic office not later than 1:30 o'clock on Monday. The judges for the contest have not yet been selected.

One hour's preparation for speaking after the selection of a topic Thursday afternoon will be allowed entrants in the extempore contest. Speeches are to be six minutes in length, on current topics, and five subjects will be open to the choice of each speaker.

Pi Delta Epsilon Is Conducting Contest

Pi Delta Epsilon, national honorary collegiate journalistic fraternity, is offering a series of prizes for editorials published in college newspapers and journals.

The prizes will be awarded in two groups: Group A which is open to all college journals and staffs, and Group B which is open to all members of Pi Delta Epsilon on the staffs of college journals in institutions where Pi Delta Epsilon has an active chapter. The prizes, which are identical for the two groups, are as follows: \$50, first; \$35, second; \$25, third; \$15, fourth; and \$10, fifth.

Editorials must be submitted to the grand vice-president of Pi Delta Epsilon, Henry Gratton Doyle, dean of men, George Washington university, Washington, D. C., not later than July 1, 1928.

The editorials must have been published during the academic year 1927-28 in a college journal daily, weekly, or bi-weekly and must be submitted in the form of a clipping accompanied by a complete issue of the publication in which the editorial appeared. A statement signed by the editor-in-chief, editorial chairman, or faculty adviser must accompany the two copies.

Lawrence editorial contributions for this contest must be submitted to the editor of the Lawrentian, who will pass upon them and print all good contributions.

Musical Program Was Broadcast Wednesday

A musical program consisting of selections by the Methodist quartette, the local artillery band, and Professor Percy Fullinwider, accompanied by Mrs. Fullinwider, was broadcast over the Milwaukee Journal station, WTMJ, at nine o'clock last Wednesday evening.

Members of the Methodist quartette are Mrs. Clinton McCree, instructor of voice at the conservatory, Dora Edin, student at the conservatory, Carl McKee, voice teacher of the conservatory, and George Nixon.

Graduate Of Class Of 1859 Dies In Appleton

One of Lawrence's oldest students Mrs. Mary A. P. Stansbury, died Saturday at her home in Appleton. She was graduated with Lawrence's third graduating class in 1859.

Mrs. Stansbury has lived in Appleton for seventy-five years, arriving here when the town was six years old and when Lawrence had been established about two years. She was a writer of considerable note, having published several volumes of verse and fiction. "The Path of Years", a book of poetry, is in the college library.

Her eldest son, E. P. Humphrey, was graduated from Lawrence in 1885. Her other sons, Karl Stansbury, now a trustee of the college, and George Stansbury, were graduated in 1901, and her daughter, Clara, now Mrs. Frank Young, in 1897.

Mrs. Stansbury, who was a cultural influence in the community for many years, showed brilliant ability during her college career, receiving her A.B. degree at the age of sixteen.

Well Known 'Cellist To Appear In Chapel Monday, January 23

Pablo Casals Is On Tenth Tour of America; Is Native of Spain

On his tenth tour in America which will take him from New England to Nebraska, Pablo Casals, famous Spanish 'cellist, will appear at Lawrence Memorial chapel January 23.

The 'cellist, who is a native of Vendrell, Spain, received his musical training in his own country and in France, where he played in the noted orchestra, "Les Concerts Colonne". While still a young man he made his debut in Vienna where his genius created a furor.

To America in 1914

After having played in all the countries of Europe, Pablo Casals made his first appearance in America in 1914. Unfortunately he has never been able to devote an entire season to this country, for each year he has gone back to Spain, partly because of the failing health of his mother, and partly because he likes best of all to play for his own countrymen. In addition, Casals has established a symphony orchestra in Barcelona which bears his name; he conducts two series of concerts, one in the spring and one in the fall.

Despite the brevity of his visits, the extraordinary genius of the Spanish 'cellist has already made him well liked by American music lovers.

Editor Of "Le Matin" Unable To Speak Here

Mr. Knecht, editor of the Paris newspaper, "Le Matin", has been forced to cancel his engagement to speak at the Lawrence Memorial chapel, since he was called to Havana, Cuba, to report on the international conference which is being held there.

The BILLBOARD

- Saturday, Jan. 14—Delta Gamma Formal.
- Delta Sigma Tau House Party.
- Sigma Alpha Iota Informal.
- Tuesday, Jan. 17—Chemistry Club.
- Wednesday, Jan. 18—Carl Sandburg's Lecture.
- Thursday, Jan. 19—Y.W.C.A. meeting at Hamar House.
- Friday, Jan. 20—Lawrence vs. Cornell.
- Saturday, Jan. 21—Phi Mu Formal.
- Monday, Jan. 23—Pablo Casals, 'Cello Concert at Chapel.
- Saturday, Feb. 11—Beta Sigma Phi formal dinner dance.
- Tuesday, Feb. 14—Juegos Florales Spanish Festival.
- Thursday, Feb. 23—Sunset Play, "Twelfth Night."

Team Leaves Appleton For League Games

Vikings To Play Hamline At St. Paul Tonight; Will Face Carleton Saturday

Coach Denney's basketball squad, composed of ten players and Manager Clark, pulled out of Appleton at eight o'clock last night, embarking on a week-end jaunt through the north-western part of the Midwest conference territory. The Vikings open their conference season tonight at St. Paul, Minn., when they tangle with Hamline and then journey to Northfield for another league game with Carleton on Saturday.

Play at Kimberly

Although handicapped by the fact that they were unable to use the Armory for practice the past week and were forced to use the small floor of the gymnasium, the team has been getting in some good ticks on the fundamentals and in floor work. The squad hopped over to Kimberly Wednesday afternoon and had a practice game against the crack Kimberly-Clark team of that city, and according to Coach Denney, the floor work was better and the team showed the best defensive strength to date. The third team, playing against Kimberly high school, won by a score of 40 to 4.

Important Change

The ten men whom Coach Denney has selected to make the trip are Remmel, Rasmussen, Hoffman, and Schlangenhaus, forwards; Slavik and Ellis, centers; Voceks, St. Mitchell, Pierce, and Ott, guards; and Kermit Clark, manager. One important change has been made in the combination since last week in an effort to give the Vikings a stronger offensive punch. Ellis has been placed at center and Slavik shifted to guard in the revamped battlefront. Ellis is a good jumper, and although he lacks the offensive power of Slavik, he succeeds in getting the jump a good percentage of the time, a weakness apparent in the Marquette game. Remmel and Rasmussen will be at forwards, with Pierce at the other guard position, in all likelihood.

Strong Teams

The real strength of the two week-end opponents is not known, as neither team has been in this part of the state as yet this season, but Hamline is said to have a smooth combination, while the Carleton five is of the calibre of athletic teams usually turned out at the Northfield school. Hamline hasn't been defeated this season, and among its victims are Ripon, which the St. Paulites defeated, 34-33, and McAlester, falling, 25-17. The relative strength of Carleton can be judged by their 39-21 trouncing of Ripon's veteran aggregation and a 40-20 score run up against the University of North Dakota.

While Coach Denney is not optimistic of a pair of victories he is firm in his belief that his "ponies" will give a good account of themselves. To use his own words, "we are not going up there with our snails set too high, but we never go anywhere with the idea of getting a trimming."

The lineup: Remmel, rf; Rasmussen, lf; Ellis, c; Slavik, rg; Pierce, lg.

Two Pamphlets By Alumnus In Library

Two pamphlets published by Herbert B. Dorau, '19, have recently been received at the college library. They are "Municipal Ownership in the Electric Light and Power Industry of Wisconsin and Massachusetts" and "Some Measures and Measurements of Telephone Utility Taxation." The latter was written in collaboration with Marjorie Alexander.

Kermit Clarke, '29, spent last week-end at his home at Wild Rose.

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THE GLEE CLUB

The problem of student support or student non-support of any college activity is one which has assumed serious proportions on this campus. While it may be a bit premature to bring up the subject at this time, the recent announcement of the final personnel of the men's glee club has brought another phase of this problem to mind, the problem of student support of the glee club, which among other things, seems to be left out in the cold as far as student interest is concerned. Why this should be is a mystery, but the fact remains that the Lawrence glee club is not getting the support which it deserves.

The glee club is entering its thirty-third year of existence as a Lawrence organization, fifteen years of which have been under the direction of Dean Waterman. In all of these thirty-three years it has maintained a standard in the musical world as one of the most finished male ensemble groups in middlewestern collegiate circles and is one of the best advertising mediums which the college possesses, yet the student body dismisses it from thought with a wave of the hand. When the club can sing to packed houses for two weeks in nearly every city visited on the annual tour, and then return to Appleton to appear before the small audiences which have greeted it in the past few years, audiences made up for the most part of townspeople, there is something wrong—and it isn't with the glee club.

This apparent lack of interest is reflected strikingly in the attitude of members of the club toward the home concert. It is surprising to find that, instead of looking forward with pleasure to their home debut, members of the club adopt the attitude of "What's the use? No one will be there to hear us anyhow." A pessimistic view, surely, but a just and natural one. Lawrence students should be proud that their college can boast of a club of the calibre that the "Judge" annually produces. If they do not appreciate it, what is the value of a home concert?

COLLEGE VS. UNIVERSITY

Perhaps one of the greatest fallacies in regard to institutions of higher learning to which the American people are victims is the belief that the university is merely a large college. A recent issue of a Dartmouth publication has some illuminating things to say about this difference between a college and a university.

"The emphasis of the university is, or should be, primarily on the discovery of knowledge; the emphasis of the college is, or should be, primarily on the training of men. The two things are very different. The chief interest of the university professor should be his subject; that of the college professor, his students. A university professor should be judged by his contributions to learning; a college professor by his contributions to humanity through personal influence exerted upon young men and women."

The few independent colleges of the country, Lawrence included, can thus feel that they have a very important mission in the training of humanity.

ROWDYISM

Rowdyism in any form is a pastime of the uneducated and the very young. College students do not fall in the class of the very young, and the fact that they are college students dismisses the other alternative. Why, then, should college students, when they attend a theater performance in a college town, act in any other manner than their position in the community demands? When at home, students are bound by the rules of conduct to act as ladies and gentlemen. There is no point in behaving like children in their adopted home.

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WHAT IS WRONG?

Ever since the shameful exhibition in Student Chapel last Friday morning I have been wondering what is wrong at Lawrence. From time to time we have had signs of a low morale, but probably no one dreamed that so disgraceful a condition existed as was revealed Friday morning. Not more than a fourth of the student body joined in the singing of the Alma Mater and before the end of the pep meeting even fewer than that took part in the cheering. That our senior men should deliberately set out to wreck, and succeed in wrecking a student pep-meeting, to me reveals a pitiful condition. And this wasn't the outburst of a moment either. There have been signs of its coming for at least six weeks.

Now, the point is that something should be done about it. But before we can do anything we must know the causes which underlie this condition. The demonstration Friday showed that those reasons must be more than superficial. There is something wrong, something very wrong somewhere. The question is: "What is it that is wrong?"

I understand that in some schools where they have had serious problems, student committees, acting entirely independently, have made investigations and then reported what they found. Might it not be high time for a real honest and fearless investigation by us students into the reasons why the Lawrence spirit is dead and student morale at the lowest point it has been for three and a half years? Surely no one can want more convincing proof than we had last Friday.

Perhaps we can start with some honest expressions through the columns of the Lawrentian. Just what is it that is wrong—what is at the bottom of it? Why should the senior men want to wreck a student pep meeting? And why was it possible for them to succeed in the attempt? Before we can have a remedy we must know the cause. What is the cause?
 L. H. W.

Robert Standard and John Diederich, Sheboygan, visited the Delta Sigma Tau house on Tuesday.

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By Zeta Tau Alpha
 Zeta Tau Alpha announces the pledging on Wednesday of Marion Jaeger, '30, Waupaca.

Mrs. Wriston

Entertains Students
 The cabinet members of Y.W.C.A. met at the home of Mrs. H. M. Wriston Tuesday evening.
 On Thursday Mrs. Wriston entertained groups of brothers and sisters, who are attending Lawrence, at tea.

Phi Kappa Tau

Announces Pledging
 Phi Kappa Tau announces the pledging of Alexander Smith, '28, Green Bay.

Marriage

Announced
 Announcement has been made of the marriage of Philip Runquist, ex '29, to Florence Hertel of Appleton at Menominee, Michigan, November 20.

Mu Phi Epsilon

Alumnae Hold Dinner
 The alumnae of Mu Phi Epsilon held a dinner at the home of Miss Dorothy Murphy, E. College avenue, Tuesday evening. Charlotte Waterman, '30, was a guest as a representative of the active chapter.

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Theta Phis, Phi Taus, Have Clear Records As Bowling Begins

Phi Kaps Defeat Betas, 2 to 1; D.L.'s Drop Two Games to Psi Chis

Amid the rumble of over-sized marbles and the crash of falling timber, the interfraternity bowling season got under way at the Elks' club alleys Monday afternoon, and when the splinters had settled the Theta Phi and Phi Taus were away to a flying start with clean sweeps in their first matches. As both matches rolled Wednesday were split decisions, these teams are in the lead in the league percentages.

Theta Phi-Sig Ep

The Thetas displayed their ten-pin ability to advantage in their opening contest against the Sig Eps, taking the College avenue keglers into camp in three straight games. The winners rolled 692 in the first game, 748 in the second, and gathered 757 pins in the final to cop. The Sig Eps hit the pins for totals of 617, 675, and 742, for a grand count of 2034 against the Thetas' 2197. None of the scores were above the average, Maloney's 188 for the Sig Eps being the high score of the match, and the totals were considerably less in both of Monday's games than in Wednesday's maple harvest. Wenzel's 457 total was high three game score for the match.

In the other pin fest held Monday the Phi Taus downed the Delta Sigs, three games to nothing. The first game was decided by a margin of one pin, the score being 772 to 771, but the Phi Taus took the other two by safe margins of 798 to 744 and 772 to 734. Berzinski set the pace for high man in the day's play, and incidentally for the league to date with a 216 in his third game. Quam, Phi Tau keglers, took high three game honors with 529, including a single of 201.

Wednesday's Games

Both of Wednesday's matches resulted in 2-1 scores, the Psi Chis rallying to take last year's champs, the D.L.'s, into camp while the Phi Kaps outscored the Betas by the same count. The D.L.'s won their first game in impressive style, 832 to 722, but the Psi Chis got their pebbles filed to the alley grooves in the second and chalked up the high water mark for the first round with 856, while the D.L. total dropped to 694. The third game was close throughout, a last minute sharpshooting attack mowing down enough lumber to give the Psi Chis an edge, 827 to 779. Broughton, ace of the Psi Chis, copped both high single game and three game honors for the day with a lone 296 and a 561 total. After dropping two

Track Veterans Start Practice

Between twenty-five and thirty men, most of them veterans from last year's team, have answered the call given last week for candidates for the Lawrence track team, and these men are now working out regularly in an effort to be in condition for the coming season. Coach Christoph has announced that the season will open earlier than usual this year, and he wants his men to be in the best of condition.

The squad has been working out three times a week to date and will continue to do so until weather conditions permit regular practices. Lawrence is weak in the field events this year, due to the graduation of several veterans last June, and consequently Coach Christoph has been sending his men through their paces at a steady clip. The weight men and the distance runners have been doing their work out of doors so far and will continue to do so as long as the present mild weather keeps up. The rest of the squad has been working inside.

Three Freshman Track Managers Are Needed

Three freshmen managers are wanted to work with this year's track team, it has been announced by Coach George Christoph. Any first year men interested in obtaining these positions are asked to report as soon as possible to Coach Christoph or to A. C. Denney, athletic director, at the gym.

games to the Phi Kaps, the Betas took the final game of the other match, the scores being 765 to 702, 765 to 758, and 740 to 799. Hill took all the honors in this set with a 205 and an accumulation of 554.

The Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Theta Phi	3	0	1.000
Phi Kappa Tau	3	0	1.000
Psi Chi Omega	2	1	.667
Phi Kappa Alpha	2	1	.667
Delta Iota	1	2	.333
Beta Sigma Phi	1	2	.333
Sigma Phi Epsilon	0	3	.000
Delta Sigma Tau	0	3	.000



There was a young Scotchman from Drave Who in college on Econ would rave. He'd wear heels of leather, But liked rubber ones better For the reason, he said, that they gave —Beau Didapper.

Have I gleaned anything from my courses? Surely a pair of scissors from the zoology lab.

"And Byron died fighting for Greece," said the mechanic as he wiped the surplus goo from his face.

"Papa, why do all the college boys turn up their coat collars?"

"To hide the fact that they need a haircut," sadly replied the bankrupt barber.

"Have you ever read 'To a Field Mouse'?"

"No, how do you get them to listen?"

Which reminds us that Eve was the first carpenter because she boxed Adam's ears.

Student, during Xmas vacation — "Yah, I do quite a bit up at college. I broke a record while I was up there.

Adoring Friend—A record? Gosh, weren't you thrilled? What did they do about it?

Student—They made me buy another.

"Yes", said the editor-in-chief, "We use this kind of copy paper because it doesn't make much noise when you crunch it up."

Foolish Frosh—Oh, is that snow? Sophomore—By no means, those are mashed potatoes the farmers have put out to feed the birds. Contrib.

Says Filbert—"Why leave me out of this picture? You may be old yourself someday."

Yes Filly, but not if we keep this job.

Greek Cage Race Opens Saturday

The fight for honors in the interfraternity basketball race will open Saturday afternoon, when the first four games of the tournament will be staged in Alexander gymnasium.

The first tilt will start promptly at one o'clock, and the following schedule is on tap; Delta Iota vs. Beta Sigma Phi; Sigma Phi Epsilon vs. Phi Kappa Tau; Psi Chi Omega vs. Theta Phi; and Phi Kappa Alpha vs. Delta Sigma Tau.

Competition is unusually keen this year, and closely contested games are expected in the first round of the tournament, which is a major event in the struggle for the Greek athletic supremacy. Theta Phi won basketball honors last year.

Harold Briece, '26, will officiate at all of the games.

The Easy-going Reporter

Assignment: Cover Science Hall before tomorrow.

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Oxford Club

Guy Saulsbury, '29, gave a report on the Oxford club convention which was held in Detroit in December at a business meeting of the Oxford Fellowship club which was held in Dr. Denyes' room in Main hall Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

A report of the Student Volunteer convention, which was held in coordination with the Oxford convention, was given by Harry Hanson, '29.

The club will have charge of the services at the Neenah Methodist church and at the Brokaw Memorial church of Kaukauna next Sunday evening.

The next meeting of the club will be held January 4 in the Appleton Methodist church.

Zoology Club

Elmer Leavitt, '28, will read a paper on the "Chemistry of Digestion" at an open meeting of the zoology club to be held in Science hall, at 8:15 Monday evening, January 16.

Philosophy Club

Vera Wilkeson, '28, will speak on mysticism at a meeting of the Philosophy club which is to be held next Friday evening. This will be followed by a philosophical review of the life of some great philosopher, which will be given by Marie Buritz, '29.

Tourmaline Club

Eleanor Smith, '28, spoke on the geology of Devil's Lake before a meeting of the Tourmaline club which was held Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock in the geology lecture room of Science hall.

Amos Lawrence Club

Dr. John B. MacHarg, of the department of history, gave an illustrated lecture on the South at a meeting of the Amos Lawrence club last Sunday evening in Parish hall.

Physics Club

Dr. A. D. Power, head of the department of physics, spoke on "Principles of Oscillating Circuits" at a meeting of the physics club which was held last Tuesday evening in Science hall.

The next meeting of the club will be held January 24, at which time a lecture on radio transmission will be given.

Delta Chi Theta

Clarence Iwen, '28, led a discussion on Manganese at a meeting of Delta Chi Theta which was held last Thursday afternoon in Science hall.

Rifle Practice

Girls' rifle practice is held every Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:00 in the basement of the armory, in preparation for the interclass tournament which will be held in a few months. W.A.A. credit will be given for all time spent at these practice meets.



Browsing Through the Bookshelf

By JAMES COLLIER FORD

BISMARCK, The Trilogy of a Fighter. By Emil Ludwig. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$3.75.

This is the tragedy of a man of iron, a man who was content only when the power was in his hands. When that power—that had formed an empire and established a nation—was taken from him, the vitality of his life was wrest away; life was over.

Emil Ludwig certainly has a gift for democratic biography. I know of no finer representation of life, adapted to portrayal on the stage, than this trilogy of plays, **BISMARCK**. I am tempted to compare his work with Shakespeare's, with **HENRY IV** and **HENRY V**. Perhaps this is lese majeste. However, if this be treason, make the most of it. I prefer Emil Ludwig and his moving, vivid realism to even the Bard of Avon.

"King and People" is the title of the first play, dealing with the salvation of the Prussian kingdom, of Wilhelm I's by the then-youthful Bismarck. The second play, "Union", treats of the Franco-Prussian war of 1870. In this, a striking contrast is drawn between the facilities of the French court and the machine of German efficiency—obviously from a German viewpoint. "Dismissal" is the last of the series. It gives us an intimate narration of the arrogance of the Kaiser Wilhelm II, whom we know, and the dropping of the old pilot, Bismarck, from the ship of state which he had guided so long.

Ludwig has dramatic sense and technique, and a gift for characterization of the people of the past. **BISMARCK** will be, I hope, an incentive for the writing of a number of other such historical dramas.

Plays in Chapel

Mr. O. G. Thompson of the Conservatory faculty played several clarinet selections at convocation Thursday. They were: "Down in the Deep Cellar", by Kroepseh, and "Minuet", by Paderewski.

He was accompanied on the piano by Elizabeth Thompson.

Fencing Practice

Fencing practice for girls will be held at 3:30 on Tuesdays and Thursdays instead of at 4:00, as formerly. There are several foils not in use, and girls are urged to attend practices and learn the technique of this sport.

Special Practice

There will be a special girls' basketball practice on Thursday from 3:30 to 5:00 for beginners and those who cannot attend regular practices at night.

Professor Elected

Dr. J. R. Denyes has recently received word of his election as member at large of Pi Gamma Mu, national social science fraternity.

GREAT STORIES OF ALL NATIONS. Lieber and Williams. Brentano's. \$5.00.

This compilation of one hundred and sixty short stories, culled from thirty-four countries and literatures, is, I believe, without a doubt the most complete and extensive one volume edition of such material ever published. It will undoubtedly be a collateral, text and reference book for any number of courses in the short story or narrative-writing. As such, it will probably give delight to profs and students.....best unsaid! However, one cannot see how even the most oppressed or reluctant student can be unimpressed by this volume.

The stories in this collection are too varied, too well-selected, to fail to please in some way the most jaded or woe-begone reader. For pure fantasy, try "The Story of a Chicken" or "A Great Invention". Tragedy and drama are strong in "The Beast" and the familiar "Markheim". Irony bites in "The Maid of the Dauber"; humor chuckles in "Zenobia's Infidelity"; atmosphere charms in "Of a Dancing Girl." And so one might go on. You'll be sure to find something to suit your mood or taste.

The editors of such a volume are to be complimented. Of course, it does not include all the great stories. It cannot. But for general excellence, a wide range of subject-matter and styles, and representation of the literature of the world, there cannot be many collections which surpass this.

Discussion Group

The Sunday morning discussion group, under the leadership of Dr. Denyes, will continue the discussion of the subject "The Relation of God to the Evil in the World", at the regular meeting next Sunday, in Dr. Denyes' room.

Gives Address

Dr. J. R. Denyes, of the religion department, gave an address on "Life in the Far East" before the Knights of Columbus of Kaukauna Monday night.

Baker Speaks

Dr. Louis C. Baker gave a lecture on Henri Beque at a joint meeting of the West End reading club and the Fortnightly club Wednesday afternoon. This was the fifth of a series of lectures which Dr. Baker is giving before the club.

Ray Bohan, ex-'29, has left for Queen's university, Canada, after visiting with Phi Kappa Alpha brothers.

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