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## FULL LINE OF ENTRIES FOR INDOOR TRACK MEET

### PREP SCHOOL TO ENTER

**Gold Medals Up For First Places.  
Freshman Relay Team  
Strong.**

With a full list of entries, the annual indoor track meet which comes off Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock holds the attention of all those interested in athletics. Every day squads are being run thru by Coach Grant and at almost any time men may be seen training for the different events. The list of events will be as follows.

#### Prep. Schools.

- 1 60 yd. Dash.
- 2 Low Hurdles
- 3 Relay Race

#### University.

- 1 60 yd. Dash.
- 2 Low Hurdles.
- 3 High Hurdles.
- 4 Half Mile.
- 5 Two Mile.
- 6 Pole Vault.
- 7 High Jump.
- 8 Shot Put.
- 9 Inter-Fraternity Relay Race.
- 10 Inter-Society Relay Race.
- 11 Inter-Athletic Relay Race.

All five of the Minneapolis high schools, St. Paul Central, Mechanic Arts and Shattuck have entered in the prep school events. Practically all of last years stars and a large number of promising freshman are out. In the dashes, Smiley, Melvin, Bush, Hull, Johnson, Frenata and Statske have been doing the best work. In the hurdles, Giltinan, Faegre, Ertle, Jones, in the distance runs, Hull, Ertle, Connley, Tydeman and Cooley, in the weights, Shane, Walker, Ostrand, Weld, Frank, Grant in the pole vault, Strane and Dorrance in the high jump, Ostegren, Lewis,

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## ROCKY MOUNTAIN CLUB TO ESTABLISH CHAPTER HERE

**Is a Secret Fraternity of Western  
Men—Chapters in All Leading  
Universities.**

Thru the efforts of Mr. Howard Sinclair and Mr. John Majerus, both of Montana, a chapter of the National Society of the Rocky Mountain Club will be established at Minnesota. Several meetings have been held and all the Western men have expressed a desire to have such a society established here. The chapter will start out strong, as there are about seventeen Western men who have already signified their intention of helping it along.

This organization has chapters in the leading universities of the East such as Harvard and Yale, and also in most of the Middle Western universities. The society was founded at Michigan State University for the purpose of bringing all Western men together in a true bond of friendship. The society is a secret one and membership is elective. Only Western men can belong. The pin is of gold, shaped as the head of a Rocky Mountain goat.

## WAKEFIELD LECTURES TODAY IN JOURNALISTIC COURSE

**Will Speak on "Measure of News  
Value"—Fourth Lecture in  
Course.**

Henry B. Wakefield, managing editor of the Minneapolis Daily News will deliver the fourth lecture in the journalism course this afternoon. His subject will be "The Measure of News Value and the Make-up of a Newspaper." He will describe the manner in which the undesirable news is filtered out and explain what stories are good to run and what to kill. He will also dwell upon the proper arrangement of news on the newspaper page.

Mr. Wakefield, who was a graduate of the University in '92, has had a very thorough newspaper training and is excellently fitted to talk on this subject. He has a dominating personality and a sharp spicy way of talking which makes his talks especially interesting.

The lecture will be given as usual in room 13 of the library at 4 o'clock.

## REGENTS REAPPOINTED

**A. E. Rice of Wilmar and Thomas  
Wilson of St. Paul Will Succeed  
Themselves.**

A. E. Rice of Wilmar and Thomas Wilson of St. Paul were reappointed on the Board of Regents last Monday by Governor Johnson. Their terms will be six years.

Mr. Rice was formerly lieutenant-governor of the state and is a veteran of the civil war. Judge Wilson is general counsel for the Omaha Road.

## U. C. A. GIRLS BANQUET

**Covers Will Be Laid for Seventy-Five  
—Julia Thuet to Act as  
Toastmistress.**

Tonight at 6 o'clock the girls of the University Catholic Association banquet in Shevlin Hall. The tables will be decorated in St. Patrick's green and covers will be laid for seventy-five.

Julia Thuet is to act as toast-mistress and will call for responses from Helen Stanley, Olivia Trautman, Marie Browne and Irene Marden. The banquet proper will be followed by a musical program.

## Y. M. C. A. MEETING OMITTED.

The regular midweek meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be omitted this week in order to give students a chance to hear J. Wilbur Chapman the world famous evangelist. He is to speak at the Metropolitan Opera House at 1:15 Friday noon and as a great many students have expressed a desire to hear him they are planning to go down in a body. All men wishing to walk down, meet at the Y. M. C. A. building promptly at 11:15.

D. A. R. at Syracuse awarded the annual gold prize for the best essay on a subject pertaining to American history.

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\* Miss Ethel E. Hoff will play a  
\* piano solo waltz, "Mann Lebt  
\* Nur Einmal," by Strauss-Pau-  
\* sig, in chapel today.  
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## COACH MUIR ANNOUNCES GIRL'S BASKET BALL TEAM

**Varsity Represented by Erickson,  
Ueland, Loberg, Burtner, Sinder-  
son and Lawrence.**

When the girls' Basketball team lines up for the first game of the season, against the Aggie girls, tomorrow night, three positions; those of guards and center, will be filled by veterans.

Left and right guard and center will be played by Elsa Ueland, Capt, Ruth Erickson and Nellie Loberg all who played on last year's team. Ruby Burtner, Grace Sinderon, or Marion Lawrence, will play forwards. In a practise game with a picked team of tournament girls, last night, the varsity won by a score of 8 to 6. Coach Muir has been running the team thru a severe practise during the last week and they promise to give the Aggie girls a stiff game. Elizabeth Dunn, coach of the Aggie team has not announced the final line up, but it is very probable Mary Gleason, Ethel Chase, Mary Hartzell, and Edna Christopherson will play.

## Y. M. C. A. GANG CELEBRATES

**Sinclair Hosts Gather for Big Time  
Friday—All Men Invited.**

"Sinclair's Shingle Social" which is scheduled for Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A. building bids fair to be the biggest surprise of the year. It is to be a very unique entertainment and a lively time is in store for all those who attend. These so-called shingle socials have proved very popular at other colleges and enthusiasm is running high over it. It has been hinted by the powers that be that the old proverb "Come early and avoid the —" is to be given considerable weight. Contrary to the usual custom the social is to be held on Friday evening instead of Saturday. This was done to give those students who work over town on Saturday a chance to attend.

Everybody is invited. Come and bring your friends.

## SOPH DEBATERS CHOSEN

**Popular Election of Senators the  
Question—Contest to Be  
Held in April.**

Last Friday, March 12th, the tryouts for places on the intra-sophomore debate teams, were held. The men chosen for one team are, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Conimer, and Mr. S. S. Dahl.

Messrs. Nichols, Prebe, and Chase were chosen as the opposing team.

The question which will be debated in the finals, is; "Resolved that United States Senators should be elected by popular vote, Constitutionality granted."

The finals will be held some time in April.

## MICHIGAN RECORDS.

The following records were made at Michigan indoor meet shot put, 44 feet 1-4inch; thirty-five yard dash: 04 1-5; forty-yard high hurdles: 05 1-5; pole vault, 11feet. 6in; high jump, 5ft. 10 inches; quarter-mile: 53; half-mile 2:05 4-5; mile, 4:30.

## THESPIANS PRESENT "KING RENE'S DAUGHTER" MARCH 30

**ARTHUR ALLEN IN THE LEAD.**

**Several Changes in Cast—Arthur  
Allen to take Lead—Date Set  
for March 30.**

"King Rene's Daughter," a one-act comedy, will be presented by the Dramatic Club Tuesday, March 30, afternoon and evening in chapel, instead of the earlier date previously announced.

There has been some changes in the cast, Arthur Allen taking the part of Tristram in place of Augustus Milner, and Arthur Carlson succeeding Mr. Allen as Geoffrey. The personnel of the characters as it stands is as follows:

The King—John McKinnon.  
Tristram—Arthur Allen.  
Geoffrey—Arthur Carlson.  
Bertrand—Howard Williams.  
Almerick—Edgar Renke.  
Ebn Johia—Sol Fliegelman.  
Iolanthe—Mary Heritage.  
Martha—Helen Painter.

All of the characters are working hard under the direction of Prof. Clure and the production will be one of the best of its kind seen here this year.

The cast is exceptionally good, Mary Heritage who plays the role of the heroine, having starred in "As You Like It."

The new scenery which has arrived is very good and will add much to the effect of the production.

The scene of "King Rene's Daughter" is laid in Medieval France, in Lorraine. There is a fire in King Rene's palace and his daughter, Iolanthe, is saved but loses her sight. The doctor, Ebn Johia, tells Iolanthe that she may secure her sight when she is sixteen and the play opens on her sixteenth birthday. The heroine has remarkable opportunity for showing her talent, as the whole play centers about her.

## SEVEN MEN AND ONE GIRL FOR DUNWOODY CONTEST

**Preliminaries Held Last Night—Thir-  
teen Entered—Prizes \$25, \$15  
and \$10.**

Preliminary trials for the Dunwoody oratorical contest resulted in a choice of the following: Freshmen, Tillie Will, Geo. Gamble, H. P. Simpson; Sophomores, Hadden Ostlund, Chas. Rodeen, Merton Hillman, Ed. McKeen and Chas. Eisler. These were selected from a field of thirteen candidates who participated in the trials.

This contest which is to be held early in April takes the place of the Pillsbury contest which is not open to underclassmen. The prizes at stake are first \$25, second \$15 and third \$10.

Tufts College lays claim to the brightest boy in the world. He expects to graduate this spring, being only fourteen.

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John Sinclair's article  
in the last Intercol-  
legian brings up once  
more the question of  
which is preferable, the five or the six  
day system. Under the five day sys-  
tem, besides Sundays, the student got  
Mondays off, and under this system  
fewer studies were taken and more  
time devoted to each.

Mr. Sinclair has presented the argu-  
ments for each system in a clear man-  
ner. The arguments for it are:

1. "A great saving in room space re-  
sults." Mr. Sinclair shows that the  
forces of this argument largely disap-  
peared with the erection of Folwell Hall.
2. "A student receives a greater vari-  
ety of subjects than formerly thereby  
equipping him in more lines of knowl-  
edge than formerly." It is questionable  
if this argument for or against the pres-  
ent system. It is the opinion of many  
students that they would derive more  
benefit from their work, if they took  
fewer subjects and studied them more.  
Under the present system there is hard-  
ly more than an opportunity to skim  
over a subject except in a few advanced  
classes where a student pursues one line  
of work for three or four years.

The arguments given in favor of the  
five day system are:

1. "One day a week (Monday) a stu-  
dent can use in organizing and thinking  
over the work of the past week." We  
might add to this, that it gives a stu-  
dent an opportunity to catch up, when  
he has fallen behind in his work; and  
that it also gives him a number of con-  
secutive hours to put in on a special top-  
ic or report.

2. "The five-day system fosters a  
continuity of thought along four differ-  
ent lines of thought during the week.  
Today a student may become interested  
in a line of work and instead on continu-  
ing that same line the following day,  
he is compelled by the system itself to  
allow the matter to go over for one or  
more day, thereby breaking continuity in  
his line of thought." This is certainly  
a great advantage.

3. "The five-day system gives  
strength to the belief that the student  
needs and demands one day a week for  
rest. And that day, under the old sys-  
tem was Sunday." Mr. Sinclair goes on  
to argue that the six day system tends  
to become a seven-day system and that  
under it, Sunday study has increased  
fifty percent. His estimate is certainly  
conservative.

It has been our opinion for some time  
that the six-day system is bad. We  
hope Mr. Sinclair's article will call the  
matter up for serious consideration.

An editorial in the Williams Record  
written on the occasion of William's  
recent victory over Amherst in  
aquatics, urges most emphatically the  
need of compulsory swimming in-  
struction.

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plishment which the mere instinct of  
self-preservation in these sudden  
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a course is instituted, it will no longer  
be possible for men to disgrace them-  
selves and their physical training.  
(as on of the present seniors did last  
summer) by almost drowning in six  
feet of water, and finally submitting  
to the rescue by a girl."

This freshman-sophomore controv-  
ersy reminds us of the barking dog  
that never bites.

**From Other Colleges**

A Chinese student won a place among  
the nine men chosen at the first orator-  
ical tryouts at Washington.

Yale has a two-mile relay team that  
averages better than two minutes for  
each half mile.

Berkeley High School won a base  
ball game from the University of Cali-  
fornia by a score of 6 to 2.

Harvard is agitating the question of

a school of journalism. The Magazine  
has published a number of articles  
outlining plans.

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#### JAMES TO LECTURE.

Dean James will spend Friday and Saturday at Faribault, where a meeting of the South Central Teachers' Association will be held. He will speak there Friday afternoon.

On Friday and Saturday also, the Northwestern Teachers' Association will hold a meeting. Professor Rankin will be present and will give an address.

Many students are hearing the addresses by Rev. R. T. Wiltbank at 13th Ave. and 4th St. S. E. The question for discussion Sunday evening is, "Has the Church a Future?"

#### GIRLS CHOOSE DELEGATES.

At a recent meeting of the Y. C. A. Cabinet, Leila Albrect, Edith Sage and Helen Painter were elected delegates from the University association to the National biennial convention to be held in St Paul early in April.

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#### Society News

Plans for erecting a new chapter house were discussed by Phi Delta Theta at their annual banquet Monday evening.

Dean Olson will entertain the faculty and their wives and the graduating class of the Agricultural School at a banquet at the Commercial Club parlors, this evening.

Several Minnesota alumni are busy with rehearsals for the two plays which the College Women's Club of this city will present Friday evening, March 26, for the benefit of the scholarship fund which is given to a Minnesota student. Josephine Schain will take the part of Micheline, Aimee Fisher, that of Osip in Mrs. Burton Harrison's play, "The Russian Honeymoon," in which Margaret Ladd, who is well known among University students, will take the part of Poleska. Miss Helen Griffith, instructor in the Rhetoric department, will take the part of Mrs. Pell in the other play by John Kendrick Bangs entitled, "The Real Thing."

Elizabeth Cox, '05, is teaching mathematics in the Cental high school of this city.

Estelle Conway, '05, is principal of the high school at Barron, Wis.

Quill thinks nothing is too good for its Phi Beat Kappa members. Saturday afternoon it entertained the honored ones at a theatre party to see "Aristocracy."

Quill will have a box party at the Princess Thursday night.

Invitations are out for the Delta Upsilon vaudeville entertainment which is to be given at the Minneapolis School of Music, Saturday, March twenty-seventh.

Carroll Smith, '06, has been made general superintendent of the International Timber Co., with offices at Minneapolis and Motley, Minn. The mill is located at Motley.

Monica Keating, '07, gave a St. Patrick's party Wednesday afternoon in honor of Florence Burgess formerly a Pi Beta Phi of Minnesota.

Xi Psi Phi had a smoker at the chapter house last night.

#### TRACK MEET SATURDAY.

(Continued from 1st page.)

Jacogson and Holms have been starring. This years sophomores relay team is practically the same as that of the last year. It is composed of Johnson, McGovern, Murphy and Faegre. The freshman after a thorough tryout of their best men, selected Bush, Melvin, Jones and Statske to represent them in the race.

Gold medals are to be given for all first places, and silver medals for seconds. The winning teams in the various relay races are to be presented with banners.

All men wishing to enter in any event should do so at once as the entry list closes at noon tomorrow.

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The price of tickets is one dollar.

Final arrangements are to be made at a later meeting of the committees.

#### LAW LITS ELECT.

At a regular election of the Law Literary Society last Monday evening, the following officers were elected: President, C. L. Nichols; vice-president O. M. Wassing; secretary, C. O. Nelson; treasurer, James Patterson; sergeant-at-arms, H. M. Berry.

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#### NEBRASKA TURNS

DOWN CARNEGIE.

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**Triangle Club** meets tonight at Psi U House. All members out.

Call at Registrar's office for one brown muff and one grey squirrel muff.

**At The Theaters**

**Metropolitan.**

Hilda Spong opens tonight in "A Man and His Mate." The star is known as a very clever and charming actress, but the play has not been favorably received in other cities. Its only claim to distinction is said to lie in the introduction of a character new to the stage, an educated Chinese.

**Lyric.**

Edith Evelyn is demonstrating her ability as an emotional actress in the title role of "Camille" next week she will be seen as Peg Woffington in "Pretty Peggy." Elaborate preparations are being made for this play and considerable interest is being aroused among theater goers.

**Bijou.**

Clean, whole souled fun runs rampant here this week. "The Smart Set" are the real thing as entertainers, and the extreme action with which they sing, dance and make merry affords huge delight to large audiences.

**UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION FOR RESEARCH.**

The next meeting of the Association will be held at 8:00 p. m., on Saturday, March 20th, in Room 16, Library Building. Professor Wallace Notestein will read a paper on "Witchcraft in the reign of James I." this being one of the chapters in his forthcoming book on English witchcraft.

All members of the University are invited.

**HARRIS FOR PRESIDENT**

President A. W. Harris of Northwestern university, Evanston, Ill., looms up as a strong possibility for President Northrop's successor. Tuesday he was introduced to the members of the board of regents by President Northrop who spoke of him in the highest terms.

For eight years he served as president of the University of Maine and has been at Northwestern since 1906.

**MLLE. CLOPATH PLEASES.**

Miss Clopath gave a very interesting lecture, with stereoptican views, on Constantinople Tuesday afternoon.

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