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## Gym-Cracks

The Examiner is coming! Everyone who is interested in taking Red Cross Life Savers examination for examiner is invited to come to the gymnasium next Monday through Thursday to hear the lectures, see the demonstrations, and take the test. Remem-ber, February 17-20.

Snow and ice-covered athletic fields do not keep the enthusiastic hockey players indoors. They are getting some last minute points of technique and practice in preparation for the visit of the United States Field Hockey Association Touring Team which will be here Friday afternoon and Saturday. Everyone is cordially invited to come to watch or play in the game Saturday afternoon!

Swimming meet practices are rather lacking in certain classes' coming out. What's that good old class spirit? Come on! Have it! What about those Seniors, Juniors, and Sophomores? Come on!

Basketball is really in full swing with only two more weeks of practice before the intra-mural tournament. Managers, the chairman, and Miss Hoffman have been putting the girls through their paces. You come out to the games and back 'em up!

Mary Cunningham is going to get bowdled underway in the next week or so. Those that were out last year split forth to your neighbor what fun it is; and bring her with you!

Six of the Senior Physical majors are to go to Knoxville, Tennessee, in March for the convention. The six students—Eleanor King, Ethel Sweeney, Dickie Burnett, and Dot Manning, will demonstrate six Recreational Sports: badminton, one tennis, table tennis, aerial dart, shuffleboard, and tetherball. Miss Julia H. Post will speak at this time, explaining the sports and offering teaching suggestions.

## Maintains Superiority By A Unique Method

Minneapolis, Minn.—(ACP)—Losing an inferiority complex, finding a broad-minded, intelligent girl or impersonating a faculty member are all as easy as growing whistlers, in the opinion of Herbert Jense, University of Minnesota senior, who is the owner of the school's only undergraduate newspaper.

"Everyone I met suggests a reason for my beauty," he says. "Just to clarify the situation, let me say that I have not been disappointed in love. I am not trying to establish myself as a campus personality, and I am not mentally deficient."

"To me my head has been more than just whiskers. Psychologically speaking, it has been a boon to me in getting rid of an inferiority complex; it gives me that virile feeling."

"I'd admit, though, that it doesn't exactly please most girls. But at least I have the assurance that any girl who goes out with me is broadminded and intelligent," says the bearded man, who has not revealed the number of such girls at Minneapolis.

"My beard also gives me an academic advantage over the smooth-shaven students," Jense argues. "Members of the faculty are extraordinarily cordial to me. They nod at me on the street and shake hands with me in the classroom. They treat me as a colleague. My beard gets the credit!"

Cultivation of the beard has been a matter of perseverance, explains Jense. It received a severe set-back when only two weeks old—a number of his fraternity brothers, doubtless motivated by patty jealousy, forcibly removed a considerable portion of it.

## W. L. Riley III At Orangeburg

W. L. Riley, a member of the Board of Trustees of Winthrop College, is seriously ill in the hospital at Orangeburg, S. C. He has been in this condition about two weeks.

Mr. Riley is from Denmark. He was related to the Board on February 5 by the State Legislature.

## Idealism vs. Realism Discussed At Vespers

Mrs. T. B. Jackson, of Rock Hill, discussed the topic "Idealism vs. Realism" at Vespers in Johnson Hall, Wednesday, February 16, at 6:30.

## Tender Story of Gooffrey Reviewed

1—This is the story of Gooffrey. 2—Gooffrey was a monotone from birth. He couldn't sing a bit. 3—He stood at the foot of his class in music and whenever there was a morning anthem they knew who was responsible for it.

4—in addition to this Gooffrey talked through his nose.

5—Nevertheless he always wanted to join in the singing and fought all the Stop-Gooffrey movements of his day.

6—He didn't seem to have any special talents along any line.

7—He found him an exceptions teacher, but nothing that he did with that instrument seemed to indicate that he would go far musically.

8—They thought he ought to become an engineer or a lawyer or something with money in it.

9—Gooffrey was sent to college and made the college band, but his popularity was somewhat retarded by the fact that he continued to join in all college songs, singing through his nose as usual.

10—in the class victory for the Man Most Likely to Succeed he didn't even get a ballot.

11—but he went to the big city and took a radio test. His nasal emphasis was more pronounced than ever, but the radio people declared he "had something new" and signed him to a long-term contract as a crooner.

12—Nothing like it had ever been heard through the mike before, they said. And they were right.

13—And so, he became one of the band's foremost radio crooners and allowed in money for the rest of his life.

MORAL—it sounds differently when uttered through a microphone—Pub-isher's Autograph.

## Dr. Wheeler Continues His Poetic Publication

Finding that Dr. Wheeler has been "holding out" on us, we've been looking through some back issues of The Atlantic Journal. Just as we thought, we found the following poem in the November 12, 1933, issue:

*Nocturne*  
When sunset comes tomorrow,  
And I shall no more drink with you  
The glory of the Evening's chalice,  
You will remember her I said,  
At times and such a time,  
The little things that seemed so silly  
Then.  
And with dim eyes—  
For Evening's grey fadre—  
You'll fit them all together,  
Parts of a picture-puzzle,  
Until you see the truth,  
And learn that why I loved the sunset  
Was only because then  
The tired day let me go  
Just long enough  
To lean against you for a while,  
And hold your hand . . .

## College Selection Is Kappa Delta Pi Topic

"College Selection" was the subject discussed at the meeting of Kappa Delta Pi on Wednesday afternoon, February 5, in Johnson Hall. Those taking part on the program included: Elizabeth McDonald, Eleanor Hobson, Alfred Pettigrew, Ida Blair, and Margaret Ida Blair.

The membership committee gave a report of Juniors who are eligible to become members of the fraternity.

## Beta Pi Theta Meet Informally Friday

Beta Pi Theta met Friday afternoon, February 7, in Johnson Hall. Each member was called upon for a French word whereby refreshments were served. Mary Caroline Ulmer and Bobbie James had charge of the program.

## Miss Schuchart Talks At Scout Initiation

New members were taken into the Girl Scout organization at a meeting held in the gym on Saturday, February 8, at five o'clock. Preceding the initiation, Miss Mary Schuchart spoke on "Trees," and the woodsy hymn was sung.

## Music Club Hears Piano Selections

Professor Walter B. Roberts and daughter, Mary Anne, played several piano selections at a meeting of the Rock Hill Music Club, which met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Ritterer, Saturday afternoon, February 8.

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## CAMPUSIN' AROUND

The "Gamecock" recently printed this item:

"Scruba Hope was returning from Greenville in a car at the end of the holiday. He was listening to a radio when the selection 'Broken Record' was played.

"What are we listening to WIS for?" Scruba wanted to know. "They're the only one who would play a broken record!"

In a recent survey at Ohio State University, reports *The Daily Tar Heel*, the dean of women investigated into what the girls attending that school considered the most desirable qualities for a girl to possess. The freshmen, apparently on the way to the bows-wows, placed good morals fourteenth. And we send missionaries to China! Oh, well, let's leave those little freshies alone; we do hear that hell is earth air-conditioned.—The Florida Flambeau.

I shall always remember our last minute together Sunday, while the train did blow. Our parting kiss now I remember—and HOW! You were standing on my toe. —Audrey Fleishman

Olds to Chemistry Should I dorm.  
The Hall of Fame,  
Make not my praise gigantic;  
Merely write beneath my name,  
"Behold, he passed organic." —The Horset.

A definition from Drake—a blind date is like a bee either you get stung or you get a honey.—The Bates Student.

According to the Villanovaan, prehistoric skulls have been unearthed on the football field. The University of Kentucky, however, We never knew before that prehistoric man played football.—The Florida Flambeau.

Poem For The Week  
Now heavy hang the shrouded eyelids low,  
And fast the bitter salt pursues its flow;  
The swollen socket hugs the weeping eye  
As Mentholum squishes sinus' cry.  
Alot the willed tarchief weekly waves  
To dam the stream that green cheek deeper laves.  
The lashes plead, the lips are pinched, and pale—  
And pain yet the brow droops 'neath its veil  
Of damped misery. The rushing tide  
On swifter comes, the burning fever glide  
With evil breath as pounds the nose's knell.  
O. Dante, Milton! You forgot this hell! —Junior Collegian.

Times as many students are using their college libraries now as in 1925. The answer must be more par-  
ticular. —The Tiger

Poetry:  
When first I saw this  
You probably thought  
It was a poem

2  
By this time you have  
Surely found out  
That it isn't

3  
Isn't it funny how  
People will keep  
Right on reading when  
They know darn well  
They're being fooled?  
—The Reville.

Veterans Graduates Have Three-Fourths Baby Each

American brides and bride-grooms are getting younger. Men are marrying at an average age of 24.8 and women at 21.7. We don't know what this proves. Yes, and statistics show that veterans graduates have three-quarters of a baby each.—The Yellow Jacket.

## THE COLLEGIATE REVIEW

(By Associated Colleges Press)

An editorial essay contest to encourage youth to express itself on matters of government, education, and business is being urged on President Roosevelt.

Regular graduate courses on automotive traffic control will be started next fall by Harvard's Bureau for Street Traffic Research.

Privately endowed universities and preparatory schools might be wiped out by "tax rich" legislation if Dr. John Dewey's Angel of Yale—Ten Harvard students, interested in mud, snow baling, have formed the Polar Bear's club at Cambridge.

## Puppet Show Given For 4-H Club Girls

Several pupils of the fourth grade at Winthrop Training School under the direction of Miss Ruth Eddy, presented a puppet show, "Hansel and Gretel" at a meeting of Winthrop 4-H Club girls Thursday afternoon, February 6, in Johnson Hall.

Preceding the puppet show, Miss Mary Shaw Gilliam gave a talk on "Uppets." The Inter-Collegiate conference, to be held at Camp Long, was discussed.

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