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# U. N. M. WEEKLY

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## ALL'S WELL FOR THE "FRATERNITY FOLLIES"

Daily Rehearsals Being Held, and No Doubt of Great Success of the Play Remains.

Next Friday night will witness the second of the Sigma Tau Fraternity's annual follies. The show this year is to be presented at the Elks' theater, where it was given the first time the fraternity offered a "Follies." Contrary to the former affair, however, this year's production will be on a much more elaborate scale. There will be music and some clever costuming, though the piece is not a "costume" show but one of modern times and people.

The basis of the Follies is a well known play by George Bernard Shaw, the exact title being kept secret along with sundry other details usually made manifest through the press about five times as often, as they are of any value. The fraternity has announced no cast, no directors, no musical directors, stage managers nor anything of that sort. The only statement made is that every man in the organization will take part in some of the activities of the event, those not in the cast acting as ushers, and that there will be no announcement of the cast, title of play or anything else of that sort. The whole matter is to be left to the guess-work of the audience, who will have to sharpen their wits to a high degree if they are to recognize in the various "young women" of the cast and chorus well known student figures.

The musical program promises much, though it is somewhat on the order of the mysterious. It is as follows:

ACT I. 1. Searching.

Her Hero."

ACT I. 3. I'm Back Home.

ACT III. 4. She's Twenty-Three.

"5. (a) Thank the Lord.

"(b) Fraternity Song."

No statement is made as to which of these are chorus and which are solo numbers. The orchestra will be a six-piece one and will render choice selections, of a sort rarely heard in theaters, between the acts.

The management assures that the curtain will be rung up promptly at 8:30, setting a new record for amateur performances. The stage waits will also be short. It is the endeavor of the fraternity to present their show with all the professional finish and polish possible, and to that end no pains have been spared in either stage management or rehearsals.

The cast is well selected and will "type up" well, especially those members to whom the female characterizations have been confided. Special electrical features have been arranged for and some very good electrical effects are promised.

Taken all in all, the piece will doubtless attain a success much greater than that of the fraternity's first presentation, which in itself kept people laughing for many days after it had been produced.

That Sophomore Weekly will be some class, take it from us.

## NOTES ON THE SECOND INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

Encouraging Letters Received From Heads of Educational Institutions Point to Success.

That the Second Interscholastic Track Meet, to be given by the University of New Mexico on Saturday, April 25th, will be a great success, is evidenced by the encouraging number of letters received from the different heads of educational institutions, by President Boyd, in answer to his letters of January 10th.

### For High Schools Only.

This meet, it will be remembered, is for high schools only, its purpose being that of promoting track athletics in the different high schools of New Mexico, by bringing them together in competition once a year.

### Prizes to Be Given.

The prizes for the different events will consist of medals; gold for first place, silver for second place, and bronze for third. The school winning the greatest number of points will receive a banner emblematic of the Interscholastic Track Championship of New Mexico. The University will do everything in its power to take care of and make pleasant the stay of the different representatives of the various high schools, while they are in Albuquerque. The athletes will be the guests of the University during their stay, which will insure their being looked after O. K.

### Professor Milne's Views.

The following is from a letter received from Professor John Milne, Superintendent of Schools of Albuquerque:

"I have read with much interest and pleasure the announcement that the University of New Mexico will again hold a high school track meet. I wish to state that the one held last year was the means of arousing much enthusiasm in the Albuquerque High School. It is impossible for us to estimate the amount of good that will result from this wholesome sport, which you are doing so much to encourage.

"I want to express to you my hearty appreciation of your effort, and to assure you that the Albuquerque High School will be again represented."

### Professor George's Ideas.

The following is from a letter from Professor Charles D. George, of Alamogordo:

"Our boys will be present if possible. Hope they can arrange to do so."

### From Professor Paris.

Professor R. L. Paris of Artesia, has the following comment to make: "Your letter concerning the Second Annual Interscholastic Track Meet is at hand. Such a meet will undoubtedly be very helpful to the young men of the State.

"We have been planning for a meet for this side of the State for the 15th of April, which will be in line with the State meet. We shall send a team to yours, if it at all possible. Distance is all that will prevent our participating."

### More Notes Next.

Next week The Weekly will give some more extracts from the large numbers of letters pouring into the

## SECOND LECTURE ON "AUTHORITY" GIVEN

Father Mandalari Continues Interesting Discourse on Highly Important Subject.

Tuesday morning, at the Assembly Period, Father A. M. Mandalari, S. J., gave the second part of his lecture on "Respect for Authority," in which he went over the ground covered the previous week, arriving at the conclusion that authority is derived from God alone, and from no other source.

### Guard Against Despotism.

Under this theory, according to the speaker, there could be no despotism possible; the people must obey the ruler only in as much as he governs justly, and whenever he attempts to overstep his rights, then the respect and obedience due him is not binding, and they can depose him.

### Respect Due Rulers.

The speaker then went on to state that respect is always due the ruler, both for what he represents and himself personally. The ruler is entitled to respect, and it is wrong to deny it to him, even though it is felt that he is not the right man for the place; this lack of respect for rulers, according to the lecturer, was one of the chief causes in this country for the lack of respect for law and order that seems to prevalent at the present time.

### One More Talk.

Father Mandalari went on to explain at length the different points he had enumerated, being followed by the closest attention of his audience. At the conclusion he was greeted by hearty applause, and all present were pleased to learn that he would soon come again to Rodey Hall and give one more talk on this subject. The date for his third appearance will be settled on shortly. At the conclusion of the talk, a good many of the students availed themselves of the opportunity to go upon the stage and make the acquaintance of Father Mandalari.

## INSIGNIA TO BE AWARDED THURSDAY.

Thursday morning, at the assembly period, the members of the 1913 football team who have been entitled to their insignia, will be awarded same, along with the football sweaters, which are now here. A large crowd of the student body is expected to be present, to give the gridiron heroes the enthusiastic greetings they have deserved for their good work the past season.

President's office each day, indicative of the keen interest being taken in this Meet all over the State. Last year's meet, while not large in point of representation, certainly woke things up in this respect, and paved the way for better and more enthusiastic representation this year, and it is hoped that this year's Meet will "keep the ball rolling," so that in a few years from this annual Meet will be the greatest thing in the athletic line in the State, to be looked forward to with keen anticipation on the part of all concerned in it.

Gallagher wants some more musical comedy, right away, quick! Too bad, Ed, you are past redemption.

## FIRST MEETING OF HISTORY CLUB TOMORROW

Interesting Programme and Delightful Social Hour to Be Features of This Event.

The first meeting of the U. N. M. History Club, the purpose of which is to study and comment on current events in the world's history, will take place tomorrow afternoon, at 3:30 p. m.

### Please Join.

All students of the University of the rank of Freshmen or above, are eligible to membership to this Club, and all such are requested to hand in their names to the Secretary of the Club, so as to have full membership, and attend the meetings.

An extremely interesting program is arranged for tomorrow's meeting; this will also be followed by a social hour, the full meaning of which is known to all who were members of the Club last year, and partook of its hospitality; they will all tell as hosts the members of the Club are unequaled anywhere in the Southwest.

### Events Discussed.

The following events will be discussed at the meeting:

"The Mexican Situation"—Fred Myron Calkins.

"The Currency Bill"—Florence Mason Seder.

"The Colorado Strike"—Matthias Higgins.

All the above persons are eminently qualified to discuss the different subjects assigned to them, and it is hoped that all persons with any interest in the subject of History, will try to be present at the meeting tomorrow.

## SOPHOMORE NUMBER TO BE OUT THE WEEK AFTER NEXT

Staff Hard at Work, and Extra Fine Edition of The Weekly Is Confidently Looked For.

The Sophomore Number of The Weekly, under the guidance of Miss Treasure Hartmann, Local Editor of the regular numbers of The Weekly, will be out the week after next.

It is confidently expected that this number will be a great success, and its appearance is being anticipated with much interest. The staff of this number, from all reports, are already hard at work on the paper, and quite a few innovations are promised which will make the students sit up and take notice.

This will be the first time in the history of The Weekly that the Sophomore Class has undertaken this responsibility, but that class, feeling that the custom should be started at some time, have decided to do it now, and accordingly have taken it upon themselves to start a custom which, it is hoped, will be followed in the future.

### The Tie That Binds.

Wife—I am a bundle of nerves.  
Sympathetic Husband—Well, so long as the string doesn't break, you will be all right, my dear!—Judge.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1914

## THE SIXTH DEFEAT?

Had the Round-Up known the actual conditions in regard to the debating here, it is very probable that it would have said the Las Cruces team would win the debate with a unanimous decision. Although the time for the debate is little over a month off, practically nothing has yet been done by the debaters. The University has the unpopular side of the question, and to debate against popular prejudice is a difficult proposition. Undoubtedly, the long list of failures by the University in debates has taken much of the courage from our students. Nor is the attitude of the people of Albuquerque so friendly that the University debaters will enjoy any advantages from the debate being held here. However, in spite of the unfavorable outlook, a few of our young men are going to try out. They need all the help that can be given them, for if they lose this year, it will be nearly impossible to secure a team for next year. Let every student do his or her part. Are you going to do yours? Remember, if we win this year the honor will be all the greater because of the unfavorable outlook.

## SIGMA TAU DINNER A PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

Fraternity House the Scene of Much Merriment and Gaiety Friday Night, With Good Time.

Friday evening, last, the Sigma Tau Fraternity in its house on the Hill, gave the first "mixed" dinner of the year. A large number of guests were on hand to enjoy the hospitality of the boys, and all present reported a most enjoyable evening.

The dinner started promptly at 6:30, by which time the appetites of all were well whetted, and after the close of the meal, all repaired to the parlor, where the next few minutes were taken up with music and song.

A few minutes later tables were made ready and five hundred was in vogue for the next hour or so, the game being played on the progressive plan. For those who did not indulge in this pastime, various other amusements were provided, so that everyone was kept busy. The prize for five hundred was won by Miss Dorothy Safford, for the ladies, and Mr. Hugh Carlisle, for the men.

After this, the parlor, with a crack-

ling grate fire, was the fashion for quite a time; songs were indulged in, the music for the occasion being furnished by E. Stanley Seder.

After a time at this, a dance was unanimously decided upon, so the matrimony-makers repaired to Rodey Hall, where terpsichorean activities were indulged in until midnight, when the party broke up, with everyone unanimous in the declaration of a splendid evening.

## AFFIRMATIVE SIDE OF QUESTION SELECTED BY AGGIES

Varsity Will Have to Scrap, As is Usual, for Unpopular Side of Much-Mooted Question.

Word has been received from the Agricultural College that the College has chosen the affirmative side of the question submitted for this year's debate between the U. N. M., and the N. M. A. C.

## Unpopular Side.

The question on the Minimum Wage is being widely discussed at the present day, with the greater force of opinion on the affirmative side of the argument; a great number being in favor of it, so, as was the case two years ago, with the debate on Woman Suffrage, the Varsity will have to argue for the unpopular side, on its own home grounds. Those still at the Varsity, who were on the team two years ago, will well remember the rounds of hissing they received from prominent Albuquerqueans, both men and women, when they presented their side; it was the most amusing feature of the evening to some of them, but it is not conducive to enthusiastic effort on the part of those hissed.

## Short Time Left.

Under the articles of agreement between the two Colleges, the latest date for the debate will have to be the end of the first week in March, so there is not much time left for the Varsity team to get in good shape. The issue will be hard-fought, as usual, but the Varsity is looking forward to better results than on former occasions.

## UNIVERSITY MOTTOES.

- Twenty-three of them.
1. Owne no man.
2. Smile and push.
3. Plunge right in.
4. Sticktoativeness.
5. Remember Lot's wife.
6. The prize is at the top.
7. Cultivate a neat appearance.
8. Get acquainted with the Librarian.
10. Cleanliness is a large part of Godliness.
11. If you can't be a booster, at least be a clam.
12. The door to success is always plainly marked "PUSH."
13. Remember, leaders are chosen and not self-appointed.
14. If you are to have friends yourself, then: Be friendly.
15. It takes lots of time to keep friendship in good repair.
16. Precedence is the inalienable heritage of the upper classmen.
17. Every man is a gentleman until he is definitely proven otherwise.
18. Show class spirit—learn to yell lustily the University's yells.
19. A man's thoughts generally constitute his complete and entire table of contents.
20. You may bluff your professors, but you cannot bluff many of your fellow students.
21. Your four years of College may look like eight now; but in 1917 they will look like two.
22. Good fellows are found out by their deeds—and never by any kind of self-advertisement.
23. Toast: May my school always be right, but—right or wrong—(in the words of the immortal Stephen Decatur)—my school!



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## REPORT OF KANSAS CITY STUDENT CONVENTION

The Seventh International Student Volunteer Convention.

Continued from Last Week.)

(By W. R. Brashear.)

## Sermon by W. J. Bryan.

Saturday night, the last meeting of the delegates was held, and Secretary of State Bryan, addressed the convention. He delivered to a hushed and expectant audience an eloquent and powerful sermon, breathing the very spirit of religion. He made a powerful plea for foreign missions, an appeal for colleges to go into that field and a prophecy that the Student Volunteer movement would evangelize the world in this generation.

"I have heard many arguments against foreign missions," he said. "I have heard it said that we should not try to improve others until we are perfect ourselves. But if we should convince ourselves that we must not help others until we are perfect ourselves, we will postpone that time until death. If this nation is not to stretch out its hands to help other nations until we have none to help at home, America will have no part in the world's redemption."

The secretary made a strong plea for more foreign students for American colleges, to acquire western civilization and carry it back to their own land.

"I hope the time will come when the money that we now spend for battleships will go to bring young men of other countries here to learn our ideals and carry them back home. This, I believe, would give us greater assurance of peace than all the battleships we could build. Christianity puts behind a body a moral purpose, behind a mind an ideal that directs it. Christianity tells us that a body without a soul is a brute and that a mind without its guidance will go astray."

"Take out of a man's life a belief in a Being to whom he is responsible and there is no telling what that man will do. The only basis of morality is the belief in God and the desire to know his will and do it. We go to the Bible for our statute law, and in all the centuries of civilization we have not progressed beyond it."

Mr. Bryan declared that Christ was still working miracles in the world.

"Do you wonder," he asked, "that He could perform miracles in his day? He is doing it today. He is making men love what they hated, and hate what they loved. He is opening the eyes of the blind. He is raising men from the grave. He is making men to be born again—men who had been in the gutter. A Christ that could do these things could have broken the bonds of the tomb."

Mr. Bryan warned the students against being put on the defensive by the arguments of the atheist.

"We have given the atheist too much latitude," he said. "We have been permitting him to ask all the questions. Let us ask him questions hereafter, and make him answer. The atheist who presumes to question the existence of God cannot explain to you the simplest phenomena of nature. He must have somewhere to start, and he asks you to let him assume the creation to start with. Yet he himself cannot tell you why a red cow can eat green grass and give white milk with yellow butter in it."

This speech of Mr. Bryan's was the most powerful one delivered at the convention.

(Continued Next Week.)

## Wants to Capitalize His Prospects.

Mr. Rocks—So you want to marry my daughter. Well, young man, what are your prospects?

Young Man—Excellent — if you don't spoil them.—Judge.

## OPEN LETTER TO MISS SISLER.

University of New Mexico,  
January 26, 1914.  
Miss Della J. Sisler, Librarian,  
The University of New Mexico,  
Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Dear Madam:

We, the undersigned, the Student Body of the University of New Mexico, request you to add "The Police Gazette" and "Town Talk" to the files of the University Library immediately, in order to meet the tastes of a large number of the University's students, Newman, Murphy, Carlisle and Frank in particular.

Respectfully,  
THE STUDENT BODY,  
By W. Frank Gouin,  
(Seal) Secretary.

## NEW PAPERS IN THE LIBRARY.

Miss Sisler begs to announce, through the valuable columns of The Weekly, the fact that the library has recently added two new daily periodicals to its files, to-wit: "The New York Times" and "The Chicago Tribune." These two papers will be extremely valuable and interesting to all students desiring to be informed on Eastern affairs or the general news of the world, as given in the columns of the great Metropolitan dailies.

Miss Sisler is to be commended for her foresight and thoughtfulness in adding these papers to the library files.

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## LOCALS and EXCHANGES

Some of the boys are taking up a collection to buy the girls' Dorm a rag-time phonograph. Miss Dean just adores rag-time, especially Sundays.

Why have the boys and girls taken on such a lost look? Is it because exams are over or because the new semester is frowning at them?

Miss Hickey just loves late enrollment. Oh yes, any time will do.

Say, Mike Robe, are you a Sophomore?

Murphy surely has a fetching dressing robe, hasn't he, girls? It's a perfect love.

The Sigma Tau play is progressing rapidly.

One of the boys worked in the shop Sunday and broke about s'teen exercises. No, he hadn't been to church. Yes, I thought so.

Anyone who can beg, borrow or steal a cat will be paid two dimes and a nickel by Treasure and Olive. They want the poor little creature to cut up. Boo—Hoo—Cruel wimmen.

The Eagle men entertained the girls Saturday night by a concert. They sang this about a hundred times: "I took my wife to the circus and we sat on the umph row." The Riely Turkey lead the band.

First Bird: Say, who knows best how to run a paper than the editor?  
 Second Bird: His enemies.

Lawrence Lackey is a first-class magician; sure he is, he got away with fifty biscuits (more or less).  
 Moral: Never exaggerate, you might be taken for a prevaricator.

Miss Cora Greenfield left the U. N. M., Monday evening, for her home in Dexter, New Mexico. We regret very much to lose Cora and we all miss her.

Someone heard someone else say that the Dorm. girls were to give a party for the boys on the Hill. Here's hoping that that someone is truthful and knows whereof he speaks.

Say, doesn't the New Gym. look fine? And won't we make good use of it?

Miss Tiny, Coach Hutchinson's little daughter, met with a painful accident last week. She was reading a book and ran into a chair and cut and bruised her mouth. However, she is much better now.

Eldot: Say, fellows, let's go to town and paint it red.  
 Fellows: All right, what shall we do?  
 Eldot: Go to the movies, I guess.

There isn't much water in the pool at present, but do you suppose that the wild and woolly fellow at the boys' Dorm. would enjoy it?

Al Hunt has joined the Stenographic force in Dr. Body's office.

Matt Higgins, Georgie Butler and Al Hunt have been working on "The University News" for the last few days, under the excellent "espionage" of Professors Hodgkin, Mitchell and Bonnett.

Did you "flunk" 'in the exams?

Who is 'Sugah'?

What does "Spiffy" mean, Ruth?

Don't forget "Fraternity Follies".

### FORMER STUDENT BREAKS INTO HIGH LITERARY PRINT

"Sunset, the Pacific Monthly, Accepts Poem of Aurelia M. Michener of This City.

The following poem, kindly sent by the authoress, for The Weekly, at the editor's request, is the work a former student of the Varsity, Miss Aurelia M. Michener, who attended this Institution during the academic years, 1912-13.

Miss Michener, while a student at the Varsity, displayed unusual talent and skill, both as a writer of short stories, and of poetry. One of her poems, "To a Desert Flower," appeared in a number of The Weekly last year, under an anonymous title. Miss Michener is now residing in Berkeley, California, where she has been attending the University of California, and writing on the side. Her friends predict a great literary future for her, and judging by the following poem, their predictions seem to be justified.

Following is the poem:

#### THE CATTLEMAN'S CHOICE.

Jim and Pete's gone to the city;  
 They wrote to me today:  
 They's both a-runnin' autos, an'  
 They say this doesn't pay!

"Come get a job with us!" they says.  
 "We're picked for winners! Change  
 That old moth-eaten bronk o' yours  
 Far a cyar, an' quit the range!"

But Jim an' Pete, they make me sore!

Great sarpents! Don't they know  
 A good, sound, tough old bronk like  
 your

Instead o' shiny red  
 An' got them wicked whites uv eyes,  
 Not gas-lamps, in yer head?

An' glad yer saddle's no tun-no  
 Yes reins no steerin' wheel  
 An' glad I don't persuade yu round  
 With valves, but quirt and steel?

An' glad yu buck instead o' balk  
 When first led out at morn?  
 An' glad yer hungry whicker-call's  
 No brass-mouthed, honkin' horn?

An' glad the pantin' o' yer ribs  
 Is lungs, an' not machine?  
 An' glad yer breath is upland grass  
 Not stinkin' gasoline?

Yes! an' tho roundup times is hard  
 An' grazin' sometimes poor  
 By gum, I'm glad I'm Lonesome Hank  
 Not Henri, the chauffeur!  
 —AURELIA M. MICHENER.

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