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MR. CARL E. GOULD LECTURES ON HOME

At the regular assembly hour Wednesday, the student body heard Carl F. Gould, a Seattle architect, give an illustrated lecture on Modern Architecture. Mr. Gould said that up to the present time, people have been too much concerned with that which goes on within the home, giving too little thought to making the home attractive.

Home art has never been taught as a definite subject. The subject of home building has come under a severe and detailed study during the war times. The English government discovered during the recent war that the best results could only be attained by giving the individuals the best homes.

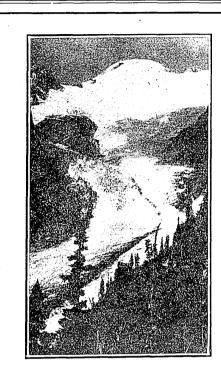
There is too much "economic waste" in elaborately built homes. Professor Gould then showed slides illustrating the historic survey of the house. First the cave dweller, second the home of the Indians; tents because their wants made it necessary for them to migrate from one place to another; third the tree dwellers, who built homes to get away from the ants, and lastly, the Pompeian house, built with a garden in the center.

Next we were shown slides of the Dutch homes and shown how our homes today are on the same plan.

Houses must be built according to conditions under which we live. They should be built in such a way that ten or even fifty years from now they have the same value as today. We must build homes for economy; and build homes to be occupied by us permanently rather than for a temporary home.

In the course of his lecture Mr. Gould showed several house plans. He said (Continued on page two)

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	Thursday, July 3-Y. W. C. A.	÷
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Mount Baker

Purple, mauve, a violet haze, a splash of fine spun gold. A charging cloud 'cross an opal sky, like an heavenly warrior bold A fringe of green in the shimmering sheen, a glare of silvered sun, A sigh of breeze 'mong the sentinel trees, the work of God well done. A mountain rears its wonderful height like a crown on Nature's brow A towering mountain clothed in white as pure as an angel's vow, A circle of hills, a stretch of land, a sweep of an inland sea The mountain enthroned on the roof of the world beckons to you and

to me, The sun beats down on its silver crown, the waters softly creep, There are stars, a moon, the nights' soft croon, the world has gone to sleep.

GUY MANNERS,

AT MONDAY ASSEMBLY

MUSIC AND POETRY

local cadets help In playground work

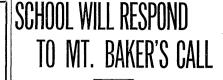
Miss Agnes Iverson, of Bremerton, Washington, has been appointed supervisor for the park play-grounds of this city by the Parent-Teacher Association. The work has progressed favorably during the past week under the direction of Miss Iverson and the following cadets from this school: Grace Barto, Annie Davis, Lillian Spinner, Pearl Carmon, Bertha Sunnel. Cora Densmore, Ethel McKinnon, Florence Bixby, Mildred Farington, Pauline Bornstein.

The purpose of this play-ground is to teach the children the right kind of play and also to render first aid in case of accident on the play-ground. To further this phase of the work first aid kits have been placed in both parks. The time is spent with telling stories (Continued on page two)

The musical program offered Monday. June 30, proved very interesting to the students. The first number on the program was a song by little Jane Kindall, who was accompanied by Josephine Kindall. The two are pupils of Miss Ethel Gardner. Miss Marion Ells, a talented young violinist, played four selections. She was accompanied by Miss Gardner.

Dr. Nash then reminded us of a few important dates that we all should remember. He also announced the names of some of the future speakers of our Assemblies.

The reading of Longfellow's "King Robert of Sicily," by Miss Bagstad, was a fitting close to the assembly.



Have you heard the call Students one and all To climb and stroll And see the sun's charm On the mountain's bowl?

Have you ever visited a whole day with Nature? Did you ever spend a day with mountains, the great judges of human endeavor, and feel their greatness enshroud you?

One of the most enchanting homes of nature is in the vicinity of Mount Baker and family. Glacier, a nestling, in the foot hills is the guard. Any one with a smile or a benevolent look toward the height of glory (Mt. Baker) can pass through this little city to the winding trails which give them access to the arms of Nature.

Traversing these canyon bordered, and creek wreathed trails, one can see in the distance the great family of mountains. Skyline Ridge, which marks the medium between earth and sky; Church mountain, with its head six thousand feet above the sea level inspires one to climb. Excelsior beckons for all to come and rest at its feet in perfect peace.

Barometer and Shuksan are mountains reminding you that the elements of Nature are cooled by them. Here may be seen snow and glaciers that radiate the colors of the sun.

Two mountains, Herman and Ruth, attract our attention. The former because of his altitude and suggestive power. The latter gets her name from a meek beautiful woman who desired to be like a mountain.

The protector of these mountains is Mount Baker, whose head towers above them all, and is as a magnet among needles.

It has been made possible for the student body to spend the day in the vicinity of these mountains July 12th. The plan is to leave the station at 7 a. m. reaching Glacier at 8:30 a. m. The students, who have previously visited in Baker vicinity, will act as guides. At mid-day the students will enjoy a lunch that they have each, or in parties, provided for the occasion.

Many cameras will be snapping some beautiful spot, with a friend in the background.

After a day spent climbing Nature's mountains or resting by her creeks and in her canyons the Nature lovers will find their way back to Glacier. The party will leave Glacier at 7 p. m. for Bellingham, there to dream over their good time with the Baker family.

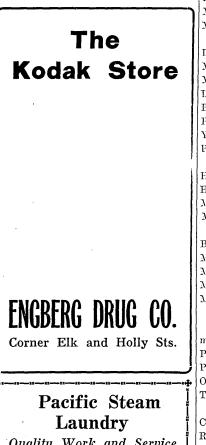
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MR. CARL F. GOULD

(Continued from page one) that these were difficult sometimes to understand because we are not taught to visualize. He said, too, that the small house problem is the greatest problem in home building.

He related his subject to the present time by the following summary: "One of the great impulses-outcome

of the war-seems to be the desire of home ownership. The Government of England, France and the United States are now grappling with the problem of how best to assist in this great homebuilding era that is about to become a reality. The Department of Labor is now working out a method of financing those desiring to build, a method in the nature of the farm loans. Preceding any great movement there must be a desire of accomplishment and today the most universal desire, the subject most talked about in the press and in conversation is home ownership. In spite of economic difficulties which momentarily seem to stifle the actual accomplishment, I feel confident ways will be found to offset the high costs of constructioon and that within a few years the world will see one of the largest output of individual homes ever produced in the history of the world. The Government will go into partnership with the home owner for there is no more certain copartner than he. The nation which procures in the next ten years the greatest number of intelligent home owners is the nation that will lead the world in industry, stability and we hope spirituality. The transient worker with his family in a flat, and the



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movies his diversion, and the alien LECTURES ON HOMES from picturesque Europe in our cheap, ugly slums can be made a patriotic and contented citizen more easily if he has a home and acre of his own. "The Government realized this in the war. We have evidence of home communities in the past as evidence and it is one of the most apparent truths of human nature-the family unit stabilized in the right habitation fundamentally gives the most certain assurance of human stability and happiness."

LOCAL CADETS HELP IN PLAYGROUND WORK

(Continued from page one) and playing games. The girls are very enthusiastic over their duties, and with this spirit play-ground work is an assured success.

DRAMATIC CLASS TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

The Dramatic Club, under the direction of Mr. Hoppe, will give an evening of drama in the auditorium July sixteenth. This class, known as Expression 4, is working on seven one act plays. From this number four will be chosen for the evening's entertainment. They also expect to present one other play at an assembly hour, in the near future. The following casts have been chosen for the evening program:

"The Neighbors" by Zona Gale. Grandma Miss Jones Mis' Abel Miss Goodchild Inez Miss Phillips Peter Mr. Whittaker Ezra Mr. Shusman Mis' Moran Miss Craig Miss Trot Miss Larson Miss Ellsworth Miss Rice "The Trimplet" by Stuart Walker. Lady Bobolara Miss West Marquess of Strenathco Mr. Shusman Marquise Strenathco.....Mr. Shusman Lady Caratina Miss Parlette Baron Milton-MauriceMr. Nobles PersonPassing By Miss Van Liew You Miss Van Liew Prologue Miss Wiel "Overtones" -Alice Gerstenberg. Harriet Miss Poe Hetty Miss Henderson Margaret Miss Perry Maggie Miss Lemlev "Joint Owners In Spain"-Alice Brown. Mrs. MitchellMiss Hamilton Mrs. Fullerton Miss Risk Miss Dver Mrs. Richard Mrs. Blair Miss O'Brian

The other plays are: "Dust of the Road"-Kenneth Good-

man.

Peter Steele Mr. Shusman Prudence Steele ----- Miss Poe Old Man Miss Larson Tramp Miss Craig "Teeth of the Gift Horse"-Margaret Cameron. Richard Butler Miss Linstedt fifty siz pages and will be issued as Florence Butler Miss Howell a quarterly. The greater part of the Marietta Williams Miss Richard magazine is devoted to class records

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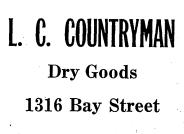
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Organizations

Philos

The first social gathering of the summer school Philomatheans occurred on the shore of Lake Padden Friday evening, June 20. To say that all present enjoyed themselves would be stating the fact too mildly. Patient readers allow me to recount some funny things that happened that evening:

To begin with those members of the harrassed sex Vernon Broadbent, Roswell Oliver and ye humble scribe, Elwyn Bugge, went out ahead of time and very patiently constructed a fire preparatory to a salmon bake. This done they spent the rest of the afternoon waiting for the salmon to show up. The coveted fish finally arrived, accompanied by Misses Irma Brown and Dorothy Goodchild. Kenneth Selby appeared from somewhere in line to help stow the poor fish away in a bed of hot coals.

Vernon, suddenly remembering that he had forgotten his portable checker board, suddenly let out a wail of distress. He was quieted when someone gave him a tennis ball to look at.

The rest of the company arrived and the business of eating was soon under way. It was astonishing how quick the salmon lasted. The poor fish, he couldn't help himself. During the course of the meal someone upset consternation.

After supper boats were secured and starlight romanticisms were indulged in to the accompaniment of dainty trilling thru the unruffled fingers water.

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amusement by trying to ride a horse, the first one he ever mounted. While in the midst of the venture the horse ran a race with a Ford and came out winner after a mile or so of fast travelling. His rider had nothing at all to say about the matter. He gently persuaded the horse to take him back to camp.

The festivities broke up late in the evening and each and every Philo patted him or herself on the back for being a member of one of the happiest wide-awake clubs in school.

There is no danger of Mr. Phillipi growing old. He is an A1 Philo and will always remain so. He is the club's sponsor and in every way the most active member enrolled.

Y. W. C A

The Y. W. C. A. met at 2:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Y. W. rooms. Miss Fay Headrick led the meeting. The girls of the organizatioon were very fortunate to have Miss Andrews to speak on her experiences in India.

Last week the Y. W. girls were exceedingly fortunate in having Mrs. Neth from Vancouver to talk to them Saturday and Sunday evenings.

CLARKE COUNTY CLUB

Thirteen "lucky" members of the Clarke County Club hiked to Inspiration Point, Friday, afternoon, where they enjoyed supper around the campfire. Never again will anyone dare say 13 is an unlucky number. To be sure, all the coffee was spilled, but what did that matter when the creek was at hand, and there was more coffee?

After being duly "inspired," all went homeward bound. Not a few proved themselves good markswomen, for they could hit a mark at a distance of ten feet from them. Surely, these people will make their "mark" in the world! All decided that the evening was pleasantly spent, and although there were not so many present, still it is "quality," not "quantity" that counts.

SAGEBRUSH CLUB HAS PICNIC Last Friday evening sixty Sagebrushers spent a very enjoyable evening at Mr. Bissel's home on Lake Whatcom. The party left town on the fivethirty car, carrying coffee cans and large grub boxes. While on the car, the Jazz band, assisted by the club's most noted singers, rendered a harmonious concert. On the Marguerite, everybody proceeded to get acquainted with everybody else. The trip on the Lake was delightful. When we arrived at Mr. Bissel's home, we found a camp fire already burning, so the eats committee at once fried the bacon and made the coffee. Soon sixty hungry Sagebrushers were enjoying a regular camp "feed."

After supper we listened to the program prepared by the Entertainment committee. The entertainment was given in the open air theatre, using the cottage veranda as stage. The ing in Oregon.

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stage was equipped with lights, curtains and scenery. The lights were May Phinney, Myra Benson, Serina Anderson, and Mr. Landall. The scenery consisted of Beth Stuart, Ruth Maryatt, and Marie Verrill, while Agnes Kirkman and Mr. Coughlin were the curtains. The following program was given:

Selections Sagebrush Jazz Band			
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Prince Mr. Harlow			
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Serina Anderson			
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Agnes Kirkman			
Gladys West			
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Recitation Miss Whitaker			
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"Mum and Nil"			
Mrs. Radley and Miss Deering			

burn and Miss Bargquist

After the program we gave three cheers for the Bissel family. Then the Jazz band led the procession to the boat. We sailed to the head of the Lake before coming back to the car line. The joyous evening ended with the club yell and three cheers for Mr. Coughlin.

On Friday, July twenty-seventh, Miss Harriet Sheldon, of South Dakota, was a visitor at the Normal School. Miss Sheldon graduated from the Northern Normal and Industrial School of Aberdeen, South Dakota, eight years ago and found in the faculty here several old time friends. During the past year Miss Sheldon has been teach-



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DIFFIDENCE

Did you ever look up the meaning of diffident? If you haven't, visit the dictionary, take a look at yourself and take stock of your list of acquaintances in the Normal school. You can't do it too quickly, for four weeks of valuable opportunity is past.

Doubtless that adjective could not be applied to you in your home town on circle. You couldn't be disinterested among friends. There wasn't room. But how many people have you passed repeatedly on the campus without greeting because you were too tired lazy, preoccupied or shy to make an advance. It may be that the person you've been riding behind on the street. car for days has been teaching in the section where you used to teach. You might find it of interest to know that the girl sitting next you in class is a gifted pianist or belongs to the same church as you. These facts may not be revealed by the cut of her blouse or the style of her rings. If you are placed in close proximity with any person more than once you are losing a good opportunity to add an interesting incident to your day if you fail to become acquainted. Nearly everyone who has spunk enough to leave home and come to Summer School is inter. How to get from Room 305 to 313 with-

esting to know. Appearances deceive You may have felt that an advance would be presumption. You will be surprised some day to discover that the one about whom you have built a hedge of unapproachableness is more gracious than formidable-yes, even eager for the acquaintance.

on't wait for a mixer to force the first friendly words. If the association of the few in a class doesn't arouse you surely association with hundreds won't do it.

True, there are clubs and societies. But they would lose their value in the school if they expanded to take in the whole school. They must sift for members. If you want to be wheat prove it. Don't wait for society pledge committees to discover your worth, for we all look much alike.

Some public spirited students have felt the need of a more intimate association than that of the halls, campus and class rooms, for those not included in the established clubs. So they have started a movement to organize a club for "Odds and Ends." They believe that the work of the organization, and the planning for good times will promote camaraderic among the students who are unacquainted.

If the appelation "shy," "diffident" or "unbending" applies to you, go to the next meeting of this club: swallow your scare or indifference and rise to your feet and nominate for office some one whom you know only by name. Then he will suggest your name for a committee, and they'll put you to work. You will immediately be more of a person of importance with yourself. Next winter when you meet that B. S. N. S. graduate, down in the southern part of the state, you will be able to talk of people and affairs with real familiarity and affection for good old B. S. N. S .- the livest, most hospitable school in the state.

---G. W. J.

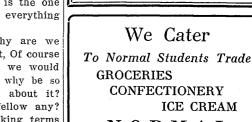
BELLINGHAM SPIRIT

A much lauded characteristic of the Bellingham Normal is its spirit of democracy. This favorable criticism is not confined to Whatcom County but is heard wherever the school is mentioned. thesis to write, or even an editorial The building itself, with its numerous windows and doorways has an air of friendliness and goodfellowship here just for that extra credit, or bethat inspires the newcomer with confidence of success.

The kindly, sympathetic manner of the programming committees banishes all doubts that may beset a new student and he enters upon his classes with vim and a determination to achieve. This attitude is further strengthened by each and every member of the faculty he may come in contact with, for the aim of every teacher seems to be one of encouragement and helpfulness.

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like a family group, and while "Father" serves "Hot or cold?" and "Mother" pours tea, the news goes round the board that 'Priscilla had three letters from Germany, yesterday," or "Peggy swam all the way across the tank without stopping" or Jane Ellen moves that "this gastronomic convention adjourn." And when we forget our manners, a gentle reproof from "Auntie" restores order.

is not democratic!

But the one worth while, is the one who can smile, when everything goes dead wrong."

How about it? Just why are we here on earth doing our bit. Of course things do not go just as we would like,-they seldom do-but why be so self-centered as to mope about it? Does it help the other fellow any? Does it put you on speaking terms with yourself? Can we as teachers, who have the opportunity of meeting and mingling with so many people, of different types, dispositions, and ambitions, afford to be self centered for a moment? "No!" I hear the emphatic reply. Well, then let's be up and doing-and above all things come up smiling. Why even tho we are at Summer School when we might be taking a vacation elsewhere, we must not forget for a moment we are human-if we have a lesson to get, a do it—but smile, don't let any one ever get the impression that we are cause we need that special course in education that is offered-make that secondary-the thing to do every day and every hour of the day is to create an atmosphere of good cheer. Try it and see what happens

-L. S.

RECITAL BY PUPILS OF MISS GARDNER

The Normal Auditorium was the scene of a piano recital given by the students of Miss Gardner, Thursday evening, June 26. Approximately two hundred persons were present, and all who came enjoyed the talent shown by Miss Gardner's pupils.

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STUDENT EXPLAINS

Perhaps you have wondered what the nature study class has been doing out on the campus at various times with hoes, shovels and rakes.

NATURE STUDY WORK

We have been working on the perennial and annual borders. In the perennial border are: Alyssum, wall flowers, oriental poppies, columbines, canterbury bells, snap dragons lupines, hollyhocks and Iceland poppies.

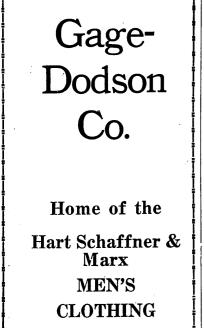
Our first trip to this was to weed and cultivate. About two weeks later, we noticed that many blossoms were going to seed and we went out and picked off the seeds, leaving a few, which we marked for seed study. After a few days we went out again to cut off the dry, dead leaves of the poppies. The canterbury bells were failing over, and we tied them up. By doing this, the spittle bug is easily washed off with the hose.

We noticed the columbine infested with an insect that lives in between the layers of the leaf. The only thing to do in this case is to cut off the infected part and burn it.

At the annual border, we first measured the plot, then made a drawing of it on squared paper, locating each shrub and bush. The second lesson was a lesson on transplanting, and we transplanted hollyhocks lupines stalks, mignonette, verbenas and godetia.

At the pansy bed we learned the correct way to pick pansies. In picking them, pick off all the blossoms and all the seeds if thee are any, leaving the blossoms on until they go to seed takes the strength from the blosoms which leaves it small.

The vegetable garden, which was planted by the spring class, was cultivated in one lesson. The soil in this plot is very poor and the vegetables are not making quite as good a showing as they might.



With a little help from the gardener, who does the first spading and fertilizing, we have entire charge of the perennial, annual, bulb and fern border, and the pansy bed and the greenhouse.

In our field lessons we have learned a key by which to classify the trees on the campus. We have named and studied the native trees and with Miss Baker's assistance are learning about the imported trees. Along with this, special attention has been given to the leaves and the seeds.

On our field trip to Lake Samish two weeks ago, we classified many trees and a few ferns. We also found various kinds of bugs and insects.

The work you see on the campus is but a small part of our work. There is much to be done along other lines in the class room.

There has been a rumor about school lately that the poppies in the perennial border were planted in memory of our dead. This is not true, for these were planted by the nature study class three years ago.

-BETH STUART.

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GUY MANNERS VISITS US AND READS VERSE

One of the most interesting assemblies of the term occurred last Friday morning when Guy Manners addressed us. Altho we had been disappoined in his coming before, our waiting was completely recompensed by his unique entertainment at this time.

The topic of his lecture had been announced as "Educational Current Events," but Mr. Manners in his charac teristic informal way allowed us to choose between this and some of his own readings. The latter was immediately chosen.

In compliance with our wish. Mr. Manners read ten of his inspiring compositions. They were his "Impression of Mt. Baker," "Common Things," "His Last Letter Home," "Hello-Land", "Can We Ever Forget?" "Demobilization," "The Skeleton" and others unnamed. Mr. Manners has written some ter ribly impressive articles on phases of the Great War,' "His Last Letter Home,' and "The Skeleton" being perhaps those which stand out the most.

At the close of his readings, Mr. Manners entreats us not to criticize the efforts of our government at this time, but to stand ready to help. The most stirring note of his takk was sounded when he proclaimed that he was British by birth, but American by thot and choice.

The enthusiastic audience demanded an encore and were read, "Rendezvous with Peace."

We are truly grateful to Mr. Man ners for his visit to us and hope that we may again in the near future be allowed the extreme privilege of a similar pleasure.

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Mrs. Neth. of Vancouver, B. C., conducted meetings Saturday and Sunday evenings at 6:45 at the Normal. She brot a message each night to the girls, which was of benefit to all who attended. The meetings were held under the auspices of the Normal Y. W. C. A.; Saturday evening, in the Y. W. C. A. rooms and Sunday, on the Campus. It is hoped that more girls will turn out when such a splendid opportunity is offered again.

WALLACE SUTHERLAND

It will be of interest to those who knew Wallace Sutherland to learn that he is now holding the position of Club Leader in Grays Harbor county, having been employed by the county commissioners for one year beginning April 1. He is winning the confidence of the chambers of commerce, and of the boys and girls amongst whom he has organized a large number of clubs-stock clubs, garden, and potato clubs, and canning clubs, in all of which he is instructor and adviser. Mr. Sutherland is a graduate of this school.

WOUNDED ALUMNUS

PAYS SCHOOL VISIT The school was honored Monday by a visit from Mr. O. D. Adams, who graduated from this institution with the class of 1915. Mr. Adams was a member of the famous 91st Division and served eleven months overseas. At the time of his visit to the school be was still in uniform. In the battle of Argonne he was wounded in the foot and leg, and so will ever wear marks of the great world wor. The Messenger is glad to welcome the return of Mr. Adams, and to assure him that his services are needed now in the teaching world.

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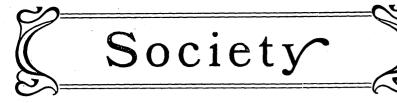
TO NORMAL GIRLS

A long gray narrow width of creeping A million golden shadows, a molton, A shaft of soft toned, shimmering light, a source of Almighty God, weighs lightly on the placid face of earth; Behind the low hung clouds a snow The day is dead; the joyous day of happy mirth. An angel lights a beacon star, behold!

'tis perfect night.

NOW A CLUB LEADER





What would you do if you had one hundred eight buns, eighty five weinies and other things to correspond in readiness for an all day yachting trip, and awakened that fateful morning to find the rain coming down in torrents? That was the question that confronted twenty enthusiastic would-be sailors last Saturday.

However, after numerous meetings and ardent appeals to the weather man, Mr. Nobles was finally successful in securing a clear sky, and at three o'clock the party joyfully embarked, hoisted sail, and started for unknown shores.

After sailing for several hours the happy group landed on a sandy shore and the question of the buns and the weinies was speedily settled.

The return trip was made by way of many beautiful inlets and coves, and upon arriving home the party voted this the most delightful trip of the summer season.

The fortunate twenty were Miss Woodard, Mrs. Showalter.

Pauline Schauble. Lola Thompson, Kathryn, White, Edna Young, Grace Draz, Frieda Portman, Beryl Gordon, Miss Peterson, Anne Lloyd, Jean Mallory, Gladys Erickson, Frieda Erickson, Mr. Nobles. Mr. Landall, Mr. Turnbull.

Miss Rebeka Hudson came from Acme last Wednesday to visit with Louise McMurray. She returned home Saturday.

Ruth Leyshon enjoyed herself Sunday on a pienic at Birch Bay.

Inez Grandberg of Mt. Vernon was the guest of Lila Robin last week. Miss Grandberg came to attend the Epworth League Convention.



Olga Santhei was the guest of Elizabeth Gallenger last week.

Dan Johnston, Bill Nobles and Mr. Wright attended the Masonic initiation and banquet last Wednesday night. They report a very good time with the principal emphasis on the banquet.

Anna Simonson and Margaret Clark spent Sunday at Lake Whatcom.

Maida Evelyn and Nita Johnstone visi,ted with friends from the East Sunday. They spent the day motoring about the city and out to Lake Whatcom.

Elsie Meiscke spent the week end at Lynden with Allene Minor.

Ferndalecmfw shrd shr shr shrd Thelma Wogenson enjoyed helself at the Chautauqua in Ferndale last week end

Rella Ebeling came from Burlington to spend the week end with Hilda Washke.

Sunday, Kenneth Selby and Austin Bond went to Lynden and then "Forded' to Blaine.

Clara Root entertained Grace Deoze at dinner last Wednesday.

Paul Washke, a former B. N. S. pupil is visiting at home from Point Roberts. Earl Droz, member of 146th Field Artillery, just arievd from Germany, and on his way to his home at Colville,

Wash., visited his sister, Grace Droz. here at the Normal Monday. Bernice Hamilton week-ended with

Miss Estep at the University in Seattle. Miss Estep is a graduate of the Normal. Miss Mead who is also at the University, sent her regards, by Miss Hamilton, to the school here,

Beth Stuart was the week-end guest of Miss Bergman in Sedro-Woolley.

Gerold House

Miss Jacoba Troup and Miss Mabel Lewis spent the week end at home. Miss Virgie Bryson is enjoying a series of auto tours.

Swimming and basketry have been absorbing occupations this week.

Cherries are ripe!! Gerold house has been feasted. Miss Mabel Auvel received two boxes of cherries from her parents this week. Needless to say we were all willing to aid in their disposal and stand ready for any future

Miss Florence Rice andd Mabel Auvil joined the Sagebrushers at Lake Whatcom, Friday night.

D. A. Y. Den Notes

We are informed that Justice struck a false trail Sunday afternoon. A man answering his description was seen in rapid locomotion between Day's Den and Elizabeth Park. Look out for false trails, Justice!

Johnson and Gilbraith spent Sunday afternoon at Whatcom Falls Park. They

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affirm that they were alone. Mr. Turnbull enjoyed the yachting party Saturday. He tells a story of seeing a fish as long as the boat and brought back six sandwiches to prove it. The yacht turned out to be a gas boat.

Sunday evening, in Turnbull's and Gilbraith's suite, Dan Johnston entertained with lurid words concerning the vivid scenes of the recent war. We would recommend this for a Sunday School lecture.

Mr. Gregory spent the week end at Sedro-Woolley. We rejoice that the permitted him to come back. Ora is still sittin.

Mr. Schuzman visited at Everson over the week end. As a result of his absence we all failed to get up in time to get our breakfast.

It is with a great deal of pride that we report a charter member of the Heavesiah Club from our Den. Our Gallant Dan falls for lemon pie.

Cordz and Baxter are so enthusiastic over things educational that they carry on debates at 5:00 o'clock A. M. much to Brown's enjoyment.

Lost-Collar button in Lake Whatcom. Return to correspondent of these notes.

The Fraser House

Last week Mary Turner enjoyed a week end visit of her sister from Seattle.

Martha Patten was pleasantly surprised last Thursday by her brother and his wife from Seattle. They came to spend the day with her and greatly enjoyed a visit to the Normal building and grounds.

On Wednesday last the Ught girls from the Fraser House joined en masse the new club of the Normal, the Hev-a-Sis, which was organized at that time. Four of the girls enjoyed the initial gathering of the club—a marshmallow toast held at the end of Sunset Trail.

Marie Turner and Janet Dewhurst spent a pleasant evening last Thursday as the guests of Violet Burgh on the Alethian Club marshmallow toast which was held at Chucknaut Rock.

All the girls enjoyed a beach supper on Chuckanut Rock last Sunday evening. After seeing the beauties of this place we wonder why people go East to see beautiful scenery.

Rizwan

At a very informal, unparliamentary meeting Isabel Ross was chosen as house reporter.

Hazel Means and Margaret Shannon who inhabited Rizwan last quarter, visited in the neighborhood last Thursday and Friday.

Glada Nutter borrowed an alarm clock on Saturday evening so as to be able to catch the earliest Interurban for Edison where she spent the day

with her father, sister and brother. On Friday evening the light sleepers were entertained with duets, quartets and choruses by the feline-frog company.

Saturday evening Grace Ryckman Glada Nutter and Isabel Ross visited Anna Maddox and Rena Baker. They were entertained with music on the phonograph which Miss Baker has recently taken unto herself.

Miss Irene Thomas spent the weekend with Miss Gladys Stauffer of Lynden.

Isabel Ross received a box from her home on Monday, on the strength of which she entertained Grace Rychman at supper on Tuesday.

Cedars

Miss Mary Bishop stole away from the rest of us, to visit some friends, who live on a farm near Lynden. Her gay times consisted of short cake, chicken, strawberries, cherries, rasp₇ berries and other dainties too cruel to mention.

Regina McCabe and "Peter" Foster also enjoyed the same menu at the Olsen farm near Ferndale. It's still a debatable question whether Lynden or Ferndale furnished the best "eats." Lulu and Regina claim that it must have been Ferndale as she won the baseball score Sunday 11 tot 7.

The Misses Mable and Nellie Petersen. Helen, Lemley, Emma Zehle, and Clara Barbezat, all enjoyed community dinners Sunday.

Frances Willard went to her home at Sedro-Woolley, so Kathryn March is living the life of a bachelor for a few days.

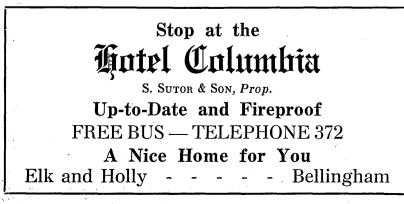
Note: Why do the Cedar hall girls pay so much attention to eats?

Ans. Because they "cook themselves." It's the food we live on that makes us so clever.

Jenkins Apartments

Miss Barbara Still and Irene Miller, former members of our apartments, were guests during the week.

Miss Susan Steel reports a good time during the Alkasiah week-end party at Miss Baker's on Lummi.



Misses Freda and Glayds Erickson and Frieda Portmann spent the day, Saturday, on a yachting trip to Beech. Miss Cora Philips was entertained at the home of the Johns girls Sunday. Talk about a good house mother! The girls returned Saturday evening to be surprised with a lovely treat of home made candy, made by our "ma." "She can't be beat."

Parker House Notes

Georgia and Luverna Johnston, the only Sage-Brushers of the house, accompanied the members of the sage Brush Club to Lake Whatcom Friday evening.

Miss Stryker was a guest at din ner Tuesday at the home of Miss Druse Two of our girls, Hazel Beach and Bess Van Eaton, were fortunate in having birthdays over the week-end. A party was given for them Saturday evening. they enjoyed themselves by a and peanut hunt, molding objects from paraffin and making their life booklets. Martha Kjelstad won the prize for finding the most peanuts, and Hazel Beach received a prize for the paraffin modeling. A friend presentea the guests of honor with beautiful corsages and candy.

The "third-floor brigade" is well armed with a "uke" and a series of new? sones. The second floor is in acony.

Located on second floor front a hot house. It contains many various and fragrant posies.

Martha Kjelstad was a guest of Margaret Fogel at Johnson House for dinner Sunday.

Jameson Hall

Winifred Osten and Mary Fellington went to Lummi Island on the Alkisiah trip.

Miss Marie Turner was a week-end guest of Vera Cade.

Last Wednesday evening, Winifred Osten, Vera Cade, and Mary Fellington entertained sixteen of their Seattle High School and college friends.

Sunday afternoon Serina Anderson, Agnes Kirkman and Lorus Thomas hiked to Chucknaut beach where they enjoyed a clam bake.

Hazel and Gladys West spent the week end with relatives near Everson, and report a glorious time.

The members of our household have been startled a number of times by several of the girls making queer performances. Investigatioon has shown that these said girls are members of the Shakespeare class and have become so enthusiastic over Hamlet and Ophelia that they even imagine themselves to be those characters. We were worried for fear some of them might go so far as to meet the same fatal end as Shakespeare's characters. However, everything his quieted down since the class began studying Othello, so we believe the danger is over.

1200 Indian St. Notes

Esther Pinckney had as her weekend guests her sister Alice Pinckney Helen Cameron and Vera White all of Blaine. Florence Dinkle spent the week-end at her home near Harmony.

Grace Coburn has decided that we are a too frisky crowd for her studious nature to enjoy so she has gone to reside with Mrs. Baxtrom, where she may study in peace.

Zilpha Wessel spent the week-end at her home near Harmony.

Tompkins House

Miss Unabelle Tompkins has accepted a position in the Seattle Schools for the coming school year. Anna Seigel. Anna Uden, Emily Mc-Ccrkle, Clara Hiller and Unabelle Tompkins were at Squallicum Beach Sunday and pronounced it "very good." Lillian Phillips and Grace Woods enjoyed a motor trip through Lynden and Everson Sunday with a boatride on the mysterious lake Whatcom as the grand final.

Wednesday being Vera Reynold's birthday, she was presented with a lovely cake by our house mother, Mrs. Tompkins. Those prophets, the candles told us that Miss Reynolds will be missed by our happy circle within a year because she will no longer be a Miss.

Bever House

Last Tuesday evening Frances Erickson received a box of strawberries from home so we had a spread. Those present were Misses F. Erickson, Vera M. Moffat, Eleanor Gray, Bodil Wiel, Margaret Owens, D. Del Duca, Olive Provan and Violet Bergh. We all certainly wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Erickson for their kindness. Sunday Frances Erickson had as a week-end guest, her father from Everett.

Margaret Owen went to her home over the week end as per usual.

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Dr. A. C. Herre, head of the Department of Biology, returned from Pasadena, California, where he attended the meeting of the western division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. The meetings were question were special features in Miss held con-jointly with those of a large number of scientific societies, and at a session of one of these-the Western of last week. Society of Naturalists,-Dr. Herre presented a paper on the lichens of Southern Alaska, and discussed the relation of lichens to Mendelion inheritance.

Representatives of every phase of scientific activity in the west were to the United States as in the case present, and a considerable part of the program was devoted to a consideration of the means to make scientific Affirmative men as effective in the reconstruction activities of peace, as they were in bringing the war to a successful conclusion. War was looked upon as a scientific monstrosity as it only destroys and does not create, while science is constructive. "Society should, therefore, not only utilize the vast resources of science, but should also place scientific men in charge of the work of meeting societies problems'."

While in California, Dr. Herre visited the High School at San Jose, which has 1940 students this year. He also had a conference with Dr. E. C. Moore. president of the State Normal at Los Angeles, relative to certain phases of Normal school work. Dr. Herre reports that "It was a very pleasant and

Miss Excan Woodard addrest the Bellingham District Epworth League Convention last Friday afternoon at introduction of rabbits into Australia 4 o'clock. The topic of her address was "New Social Service."

Miss Langley of the Home Economics Department gave a lecture on Textiles to the Salesmanship Class at Wahl's Store last Tuesday morning at S:30. Miss Langley says that she never before addrest a class that was as enthusiastic as the one at the store. She adds that aside from being instructive, it also formed a connecting link between the Normal and the towns people.

Miss Langley also visited the University Friday inspecting the Home Economics Department and the large cafeteria, "The Commons", that accommodates so many of the University students. A very pleasant and profitable trip is reported.

Miss Exean Woodard chaperoned a

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party Saturday afternoon to Lúmmi Island. Left about 4 o'clock, had a lovely cruise, a splendid lunch, and a lovely sail home, arriving at a reasonable hour.

STUDENT-DEBATES IN CIVICS CLASS

Student-debates on the Japanese problem and the general immigration Cummins' 3 o'clock class in Community Civics Tuesday and Wednesday

After a chairman.

After a chairman, Miss Ober, had been appointed, the students on Tuesday turned to the questioon: Resolved: the Mongolians, especially the Japanese should be allowed free admission of other foreigners. Those speaking before the class on the subject were: Negative Miss Clara Gordon Miss Jessie Currier Mr. Elbert Baxter Mr. H. A. Harlow Miss Dorothy Doyle

Mr. Raymond Elder In a most interesting discussion of the situation in America, those speaking for the resolution emphasized the honorable character of the aliens in question and the folly of fearing them in a country of ninety million Americans. The effect of a German propaganda in arousing this antagonism was mentioned, and lastly, the idea of race-equality and the right of naturalization were developed at length.

Over against this, however, those who would keep the alien out brought before the students the economic danger of competition owing to the return of the soldiers, and the social danger involved in the absorption of a backward, undeveloped race.

As Mr. Harlow said, the point seemed to be: "It would turn out like the -there's be so many there would be room for nothing else.

By vote of the class the negative side was given the decision, 6 to 13.

The class returned Wednesday to a debate on the more extended question: Resolved: the immigration from the old world should be suspended for a period of 4 years, and then restricted. Here the following presented their view of the problem:

Negative

Miss Reser

Affirmative Miss Morse

Miss Ruby Jackson Miss Remington Miss Watson Mr. V. C. Lee Miss Morse began the discussion by sketching the historical and educational effects of immigration—stressing the need of assimilating the aliens now here, before allowing unlimited rumbers to enter this country.

Miss Jackson and Mr. Lee discussed the political and economic dangers of unrestricted immigration. Especially vital was the point made by the affirmative in dealing with the condition of labor:

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Those of the opposition brought out in Civics.

the value of the immigrant a few years ago in developing the resources of the country, and of his initiative, amply shown in leaving his European home.

A call for votes by Charman Dunagan showed that the negative side was again given the decision-18 to 9.

These debates are designed especially as practical preparation for the sociaized recitation work of the teachers themselves. Made familiar with the modern questions to be discussed by school-students and with the method of debate employed, they will be better able to conuct up-to-ate classes

A 4th of July program is being planned for the same purpose.

GENERAL SCHOOL NEWS

Orville Adams-class of '16 visited school Monday. Mr. Adams is just returned from France.

Tom Marshall-class of '15-'16 visited school Friday.

Mrs. A. L. Tyler of Lawrence and Mrs. Adele Urfer were guests of Mrs. Tyler's niece, Mrs. Annis Cotter at the Normal Thursday. Mrs. Urfer was a student at the Normal in 1901 and renewed acquaintance with members of the faculty who were here at that time.

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