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MT. BAKER CLIMBED BY NORMAL MEN IN BLIZZARD

In spite of wind, snow, and cold, a party of thirteen men from the Normal fought through a storm cloud and scaled the top of Mt. Baker at 12:30, Saturday afternoon. They now claim the distinction of being the second party to reach the top this summer, having been preceded only by a group of mountaineers a week before.

The group left this city at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, parked their cars at Glacier, and camped through the night at Glacier Creek. Two divisions of the party camped about a mile below this place.

The boys broke camp next morning, climbed Heliotrope Ridge, crossed Roosevelt Glacier, and reached the Saddle at 10:30. From a thousand feet below this place to the top of the mountain, the snow was very soft. At times the members sank to their knees in the soft snow, and climbing was very difficult and tiring. Many crevasses were encountered on the way.

After eating lunch at the Saddle, Coleman Route, through the Black Buttes was followed until the top was reached at 12:30. Advance was very difficult during this six miles. Snow was coming down so thickly that it was almost impossible to see beyond fifty feet. There were several crevasses at the top, and sulphur fumes were strong. After resting in the cold for half an hour, as numbness began to threaten the climbers were forced to descend. The morning's camp was reached at 3:00 and the distance of ten miles to Glacier covered in four hours.

The party's original intention had been to camp Saturday night, but the undesirable weather prevailed on them to

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B. S. N. S.

MRS. C. IRISH RESIGNS FROM MESSENGER AND BOARD

Mrs. Carl Irish has tendered her resignation as student secretary of the Board of Control, and as editor of the Weekly Messenger, because of illness. She has closed her apartment and gone to her mother in Winlock, where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Irish expects to be able to return to the Normal in the fall.



D. B. WALDO.

DEAN GREATLY PLEASED WITH NORTHWEST AND SCHOOL

MISS SHUEY HONORED BY SURPRISE AT EDENS HALL

Miss Adele Jones Dean of Women, is very much pleased with the Northwest. She thinks that the Normal has a splendid group of young women students, and she will enjoy making her home among them. She is eager to become personally acquainted with everyone as soon as possible.

Miss Jones is now engaged in working out a constructive program for the fall so that the girls may get the most out of their school life. She feels that each girl should take part in some outside activity to develop her ability as a leader. In order to be a good teacher, she says, one must have a good personality, be able to carry responsibility, and be a successful leader.

Miss Jones is making her home at 525 High street, during the summer months.

Miss Mabel Shuey, social director of Edens hall, was the guest of honor at a surprise party given Friday evening in the social hall by the Edens hall girls.

Plans for the party were made during the week under difficulties because the girls were determined that the party was to be a real surprise.

Consulting each other behind closed doors, dodging through the halls with trays, glassware, and refreshments, and giving last minute reminders and directions, gave many a thrill to the ones planning the party. The result was gratifying because the surprise was complete.

As a part of the evening's fun, several excellent numbers were given.

Piano solo Thora Pedersen
Reading Helen Parsons
Solo dance Daphne Haugen
Vocal solo Zada Zimmer

After the program dancing was enjoyed. Punch and wafers were served as refreshments.

WALDO BIDS FAREWELL TO STUDENTS AND FACULTY

A special assembly was called at 9:00 o'clock, Monday, in order that the students might have an opportunity to say farewell to President Waldo who left that day. The entire student body was present.

Mr. Thomas, representing the students, expressed their appreciation of what President Waldo has done for the school. He explained that it was mainly through Mr. Waldo's efforts that the Normal acquired its splendid track field. In grateful recognition of this fact the name Waldo Field has been selected.

The Ladies' Quartette sang "One Fleeting Hour" with Miss Belton as accompanist.

President Waldo's farewell was brief and sincere. He believes Bellingham Normal has a wonderful future. We may hope for a new library and gymnasium and for granting of the bachelor degree. He said that he would always remember the wonderful people and this northwest country.

President Waldo left on the 10:20 train for Seattle. Before returning to Kalamazoo he will visit Yellowstone National park.

As President Waldo left the platform, three rousing cheers from the students followed him.

B. S. N. S.

THE VICTORIA EXCURSION POSTPONED TO A FUTURE DATE

It will be impossible to get a boat to carry the students to Victoria on July 21, as had been planned.

Mr. Bond and Mr. Heckman have tried to get several different boats, but have been unsuccessful. They will try to perfect plans so that the excursion may be made early in August, but at present no definite announcement can be made.

B. S. N. S.

MR. EPLEY SPEAKS TO ASSEMBLY

Mr. Francis W. Epley, who was for sixteen years a member of the Normal school faculty, and with the school when it began, spoke a few words in Wednesday's assembly.

He said that the successful teacher is always prepared; that is, he knows his subject and has something to teach.

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return the same day. At 10 o'clock Saturday evening, a weary and exhausted group of students arrived at Bellingham.

Those reaching the top were: Dan Beighle, the first to the summit; Robert Tunstall, pace-setter; Arthur Heimen, Evrey Rice, Alan Woolford, R. H. Fergin, Buford Schnebly, Benny MacDonald, Harold Smith, Edwin Johnson, Raymond Frick, Paul Pinckney, and Frank Bowen. On the way up, Clyde Burmaster and Ralph Miller, formerly of the Normal, joined the party. Burmaster reached the peak, but Miller, because of an injury to his foot, could not get to the top.

—B. S. N. S.—

When members of the Messenger staff ask people for news they get it in very much the same manner that other people of whom we have heard get it.

A traveling man had returned from an extra long trip and was met at the train by his butler.

"Well, James," he said, "is there any news?"

James replied very promptly that there was none, but after a moment's thought he said, "Oh, yes, the dog died."

"What! Did my dog die?"

"Oh, yes. He died from injuries he received when the barn burnt up."

"Do you mean to say that my barn has burned?"

"Oh yes, sir! It caught from sparks which flew from the house."

"And did the house burn, too?"

"Yes, the house caught on fire when your wife was burned so badly that the doctor doesn't think she will live."

No, there wasn't any news.

—B. S. N. S.—

"What ship carries the most passengers?"

"Courtship."

ROSE MAIDEN CANTATA

SHOWS MARKED

PROGRESS

Miss Belton is pleased with the work being done on the "Rose Maiden," and also with the interest shown. Several persons not belonging to the chorus are cheerfully lending their time and abilities.

The singers for the solo parts are being selected and their names will be published in the Messenger as soon as chosen.

—B. S. N. S.—

TRIP TO AUSTIN PASS ON FOURTH.

Two Hudson busses and a Hudson seven, of the Yelton and McLaughlin stages, left early July 4, with a happy crowd of 49 Normal students and teachers, bound for Austin Pass. The fifty-one mile ride brought the pleasure seekers to a point beyond the old mining town of Shuksan.

Owing to recent rains the first bus met with difficulty, although the Hudson went through splendidly. In trying to get the car out of the mud, the tow rope broke. Then it was that the Normal maids showed their mettle, for as soon as they were called into action, the bus sailed out of the mud hole.

At the end of the road, the cars stopped and everybody got out. The wrong trail was taken at first, but Mr. Kolstad came to the rescue and straightened things out. The hike to Austin Pass Meadows was six and one-half miles.

Camp was made at the Meadows about noon. Coffee was served, "with mosquitoes for dessert." After lunch all went to see the Meadows and look for the lakes. Tin pants were found to be excellent for coasting on the snow. Shoes made fairly good skis.

Austin Bond climbed Herman mountain.

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Small groups went to Mazama Dome, from which Mt. Baker, Baker River, and Mt. Rainier could be seen. Some crossed the Pass.

The rumbling of rocks and snow at Mt. Shuksan could be heard at the Meadows throughout the day.

At 6:00 p. m. the return trip was begun. A few made a stop at Nooksack Falls. The evening lunch was eaten at Glacier at 8 o'clock. The bus driver had a pleasant surprise for the travelers in the form of a crate of watermelons and cantaloupes. During the remainder of the trip, songs were sung.

—B. S. N. S.—

Mr. Rahskopf: "I wish we could work in a few more realistic touches in this woodland scene. Now, how would it be to have some one growl like a bear?"

Student: "The very thing! We'll call in the critics!"

—B. S. N. S.—

The Last Straw.

Mr. Burns: "They say, dear, that people who live together get to look alike."

Norine: "Then you must consider my refusal as final."

—B. S. N. S.—

Miss Schupp: "You ought to be able to write fine comedies, Mr. Rahskopf."

Mr. Rahskopf: "You flatter me, Miss Schupp. Why ought I?"

Miss Schupp: "Because you make such amusing plays."

—B. S. N. S.—

Mr. Caskey: "What is this peculiar key on your typewriter? I never saw it on any before."

Mr. Burns: "Hist, My own invention. Whenever you can't spell a word, you press this key and it makes a blur."

—B. S. N. S.—

The Far Future.

Tommy: "Father, what's the future of the verb 'invest'?"

Father (a congressman): "Investigation."

—B. S. N. S.—

Mr. Burns: "What makes you think, sir, that I will not be able to support your daughter?"

Her Father: "The difficulty I've had in doing it myself."

EDENS HALL SCENE OF

GRISLEY MURDER SUNDAY

One of the foulest and most cold-blooded murders ever committed in the history of the state was perpetrated Sunday evening at Edens Hall when Mildred Lucas, in a final fit of desperation, hit Mr. Gray Rat on the head with her tennis racket. His skull was crushed and death was pronounced instantaneous by Coroner Myrtle Rod, who, after feeling the pulse could detect no sign of life.

Mr. Gray Rat had been residing on the third floor for the past few weeks. His neighbors, when interviewed, said his reputation was anything but enviable. He had been seen prowling around much of late and was suspected of the robbery of Alice Vicker's box of chocolates.

Miss Lucas was also a resident of the third floor and had been highly respected as a member of her community.

Immediately after the fray, she and her accomplice, Alice Banbury, were taken into custody. A charge of murder has been lodged against them. They were dismissed on \$5.00 bail, pending trial.

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ADDRESSES STUDENTS

Dr. Howard R. Driggs, of the University of New York, spoke on "Teamwork in English" in assembly Wednesday. He said in part:

Every lesson is a lesson in English. No lesson is effectively taught without some good teaching of English coming as a by-product of that lesson. Three fourths or nine-tenths of the failures in arithmetic, geometry, algebra, and trigonometry are due to the lack of ability to read. The problem is to teach people to read so that they understand what they are reading.

It is not the reading of lines that counts, but the reading between the lines. You do not get something out of a book; the book gets something out of you, if there is anything to get. You interpret according to your experiences which may or may not be the same as the author's.

When children are taught to read they should know the sober, divine meaning of it all and should read with brains awake.

An idea that people must rid themselves of is the one that they can get something for nothing. Among the spiritual gifts of life, the more they give away the more they have. Real things of life cost time and effort.

—B. S. N. S.—

CODE OF THE TRAIL DISCUSSED

Mr. Joe Hazzard, of the famous Mountaineers' club, lectured on "The Code of the Trail" in assembly, Monday morning.

Mr. Hazzard believes that everyone should have some hobby. To be most beneficial, it should be in direct contrast to one's work. For instance, hiking and climbing are excellent for the student, stenographer, and business man. Three things to be developed to increase the richness of life are the body, mind, and spirit. Not the least among these is the body. When a person becomes so absorbed in his work that it takes a great deal of his time and energy, then is when a good, up-building hobby plays a saving role.

For regular mountain climbing, the principal equipment includes the pack-horse, clothing, grease paint, smoked glasses, caked shoes, and an alpinestock. The most important of these is the pack horse since the burden of the work falls on him. In the code of the trail, a person passing a pack horse on a mountain trail takes the down side. In fastening packs, the "diamond hitch" is the only safe hitch.

The two things to remember in this work are: Try to be able to take care of yourself, so as not to inconvenience any others in the party; and be ever on the alert to help others, if they need assistance.

The camp fire programs on these trips are one of its splendid features. Dancing, singing, stunts, and any other things conducive to good fellowship, are present. Sunday is always observed as a day of rest if conditions permit.

Mr. Hazzard closed with the following quotation: "No work, no matter how brilliant, is accomplished off-hand, but is wrought by patient toil and inspired zeal. An educated man is one who has knowledge, and sympathy, and understands life."

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INSPIRATION POINT SEEN

The Normal students hiked to Inspiration Point last Tuesday afternoon. About forty enjoyed the trip and picnic lunches.

At a little after 5 o'clock, the members started from the campus. After following the Sunset Trail into South Bellingham, they passed through Fairhaven park and on to the Pacific Highway.

For about two miles the hikers tramped along Chuckanut drive, which wends its way over hills and valleys, through woods and forests. The bay to the left, and the hills and trees all around serve to make the scenery here very inspiring.

After the lunches had been eaten, the party rested for a short while, and returned home before dark.

—B. S. N. S.—

DISTRICT MISSION CONFERENCE.

Anyone interested in mission work is cordially invited to attend the District Mission conference at Geneva, July 24 to July 29, inclusive. Students are especially urged to attend the conference over the week-end.

To those interested in going, it is suggested that they telephone Mrs. Cole, 2623W2, at what hour they expect to arrive at Whatcom Falls park, so that she may make arrangements to have some one at the park to meet them. The trip to Geneva will be made in the automobiles. Meals may be obtained there at reasonable prices.

—B. S. N. S.—

Proving Him Wrong.

"From your bumps, I should say you are a very quarrelsome fellow."

"Well, you're a liar, see?—and if you say it again I'll smash yer jaw!"

—B. S. N. S.—

Nellie, aged four, was gazing intently at the visitor's new bonnet.

"Well, dear," asked the lady at last, "what do you think of it?"

"Oh," replied the small observer, "I think it's all right. Aunt Mary told mama it was a perfect fright, but it doesn't frighten me any."

—B. S. N. S.—

There was a sweet girl called Adair, Who bit much too hard on a pear;

Her tooth cracked without, Two pieces came out,

So she bought a new peg at the Fair.

—B. S. N. S.—

Endless.

"Paw, what's the longest period of time?"

"From one pay-day to the next."

—B. S. N. S.—

Dr. Hughes: "Can any girl tell me the three foods to keep the body in health?" Silence till one maiden held up her hand and replied:

"Yer breakfast, yer dinner, and yer supper."

Former Student Dies.

Many personal friends and acquaintances of Tyne Saarinen were saddened at the recent news of her death at the Portland Open Air Sanitarium at Milwaukie, Oregon. Her death was the result of tuberculosis contracted after an attack of influenza. Miss Saarinen was a graduate of March, and was well known in Normal circles.

—B. S. N. S.—

A party consisting of Edrie Ault, Gladys Jensen, Dan Beighle and Irving French had an enjoyable time on Lake Whatcom on the Fourth.

They took the Lake Whatcom car, to the lake, procured boats, and paddled to Normalstad, where they had a picnic lunch. Lemonade was the big feature of the day.

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Dwight B. Waldo, president of the Bellingham Normal school for the past year, left the morning of July 9, for his home in Kalamazoo, Michigan.

Mr. Waldo's year with us has left an indelible imprint upon our institution. A man of scholarly attainments and high ideals, he has bent his energy in the direction of achievements for our school. Each time we see, in fact or memory, the Normal athletic field named Waldo Field in his honor we shall think of the high type and standard of athletics which he desired for this school and know that upon that Field, fine honor and character can be developed as well as winning teams.

During Mr. Waldo's administration progress has been made in many ways. New instructors have been added to the faculty group. Land has been purchased for a men's dormitory and plans laid for its construction. Various committees

have been organized, making possible a more effectual school administration.

The General Social Committee, composed of five faculty members, has aimed at developing a better social life. For the first time a Social Director has been placed at Edens Hall. The restriction on supervised dancing has been removed.

Mr. Waldo endeavored to obtain for the Normal the power to grant degrees. He made a strong plea for the much needed library and gymnasium buildings. In every detail he has shown that he has had the best interests of the school at heart.

We shall miss him and shall often think of him during the coming years and hope for the time when he will feel and answer the urge that will bring him back to the hills, and the mountains, and the old familiar halls he has now left behind him.

—B. S. N. S.—

The Messenger Staff greatly regrets the illness of Mrs. Irish, the editor, which makes it necessary for her to give up her duties for the remainder of the summer. The staff is hoping for her rapid recovery.

—B. S. N. S.—

The Messenger Reporters wish to extend a greeting to their new faculty critic and adviser, Mrs. Vaughan, who has just returned from her vacation.

They feel confident that under her guidance the paper will continue to progress and serve the interests of the school.

GOOD ENGLISH

CHARACTER, REPUTATION—These words are not synonyms; but they are too often used as such. How commonly do we hear it said that such or such a man "bore a very bad character in that vicinity," the speaker meaning that the man was of bad repute in his neighborhood. We know very little of each other's character; but reputations are well known to us, except our own. **Character**, meaning first a figure or letter engraved, means secondly those traits which are peculiar to any person or thing. **Reputation** is, or should be, the result of character. Character is the sum of the

individual qualities; reputation, what is generally thought of character, so far as it is known. Character is the inward and spiritual grace, of which reputation is, or should be, the outward and visible sign. A man may have a good character and a bad reputation, or a bad character and a good reputation—although, to the credit of human nature, which, with all its weaknesses, is not ignoble, the latter is more common than the former. You may leave your reputation, but you can never leave your character behind you.

PRES. WALDO AND FAMILY ENTERTAINED BY FORUM

A salmon bake was given at the State Park last week in honor of President Waldo and his family. The party took the Chuckanut drive and arrived at the park about 6 o'clock. Mr. Kolstad was chief cook, and all agreed that he was a very capable one. About one hundred guests were present.

—B. S. N. S.—
Obedient Pupil.

Father: "Frank, why did you hit Peter in the eye with that lump of clay?"
 Frank: "The teacher forbade us to throw stones."

PRES. WALDO INTRODUCES DEAN OF WOMEN TO STUDENTS

The new Dean of Women, Mrs. Adele Jones, was formally presented to the students at Monday's assembly. Applause greeted the introduction. Miss Jones expressed the desire to be of service and even offered to be worked overtime.

—B. S. N. S.—
His Limit.

Mrs. I (to her husband): "What would you do if I were to die?"
 Mr. I: "It would drive me crazy."
 Mrs. I: "Would you marry again?"
 Mr. I: "I don't think I would be as crazy as that."

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NORMAL NOTES



GUESS WHO.

Several girls from Edens Hall hiked to Dead Man's Point, Sunday. Among those present were: Alice Banbury, Agness Miles, Dolly Furness, Mildred Lucas and Myrtle Rod.

Miss Louise Young spent the week-end at Anacortes at the home of her friend Bertha Sundeen.

Misses Alta Jacoby and Louise Worden spent Sunday at Ferndale with friends.

Miss Sperry's Sunday School Class and several other girls—twenty-nine in all—spent the Fourth picnicking at Normalstad. They took the ten-thirty boat and cruised around Lake Whatcom, stopping on the way back at the Normal Eighty, where they roasted weiners and enjoyed a generous lunch. The girls played a new game which Miss Sperry invented, and which she intends to have printed. Mrs. Henderson and her daughter, Sally Lou, were members of the party.

Mr. William Bush, who is visiting his wife at Gerold's Hall, took several of the girls to Whatcom Falls park on the Fourth of July. The lucky girls were Mrs. Bush, Misses Eugenia and Catherine Gideon, Anne Flakoy, Jeanie Jones, and

Mrs. Helen Case. They report a hilarious time, eating a picnic dinner and going down the slide with the two small Bush sons.

"Backward, turn backward! Oh, time in thy flight; Make me a child again; just for to-night!"

Frances Clauson, who has been teaching a class in Citizenship Training for several months, has completed his work. He had twelve students from Italy, Scandinavia, and the British Isles. They were all excellent students and most of them have taken out their first naturalization papers. This class is under the American Legion's Americanization department. Before becoming an American citizen, it is helpful to the foreigner, to take this three month's course in civics and government. A month ago, Mr. Vance Urness took up the class on Monday nights.

Mr. Frances Clauson visited at Saxon with Oliver Nelson over the Fourth. Oliver has been a student at Normal for the past year and he is taking his summer vacation now.

The education department was represented at Austin Pass on the Fourth of July by Dr. Henry and Dr. Henderson. One got there before the other, but they both made the trip.

Miss Billie Lacey spent the week-end in Seattle visiting her sister.

The Kalamazoo faculty members visited Portland this week-end. They enjoyed the Columbia River drive immensely and advise everyone to take it.

Mr. Weidman spent his Fourth attending the meeting of the National Educational Association at Oakland, California.



A SOLEMN OCCASION

Mr. Goss has bought a home in Bellingham—627 High street. His wife returned with him from Bremerton and his family will move to Bellingham at the end of the month.

Several girls motored with Miss Frances Pepper to Canada on the Fourth of July.

Mr. Al Hannah took several relatives and friends in his car to Sedro-Woolley where they celebrated the Fourth of July.

Miss Lovegren is now on her vacation. She will go by boat to California, where she will visit friends and relatives in San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego, and Pasadena. She will then return to Portland to stay the remainder of her vacation. Her three boys will stay with her mother on Vashon Island.

Miss Susan Steele visited friends at Concrete on the Fourth of July.

Miss Mable Waters enjoyed her Fourth of July at Mt. Vernon.

Miss Susan Steele visited friends at Concrete, on the Fourth of July.

The girls from Jacob's hall, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs, spent the Fourth at the State Park.

Miss Helen Chandler motored to Vancouver with friends on the Fourth of July.

Dr. Henry, Miss Shaw and Miss Spindler spent the week-end in Portland, Ore. The Kalamazoo instructors wish to see as much of the west as possible while here.

Miss Lillian Klein spent the week-end with home folks in Seattle, returning Sunday evening, July 8.

Mr. James Bever entertained the instructors of the Social Science department, at his home at 614 Ivy, on Friday evening, July 6.

A most enjoyable informal evening was spent, during which Mrs. Bever served dainty, delicious refreshments of ice cream, cakes and cocoa.

Mr. Lawson, who was called to Seattle on business, was the only one of the department who was absent.

The Lovegrens motored with the Glen Madisons to Harrison Hot Springs, B. C., last Sunday. They went through Chilliwack, B. C., and across the Fraser river by ferry. They report a splendid time swimming, although there were a few mosquitoes. A wonderful view of the snow-capped Canadian Cascades was had.

Miss Goldie Baird, graduate of '22, is spending this week visiting her Alma Mater and friends in Bellingham.

Miss Belton and mother, Mrs. Belton, spent the week-end at Mt. Vernon.

Miss Longley's vacation begins this week. Friends from the East will visit her and they intend to spend their time in taking trips around Bellingham.

Mr. Rahskopf is returning to his school duties this week.

Miss Keeler is having two new Education 12 classes this term.

The teachers and helpers in the Art Department had a picnic dinner Wednesday evening on Miss Druse's lawn in honor of Miss Johnson, who left on her vacation, Thursday.

The guests included the Misses Johnston, Landis, Gray, Breakey, Porter, Stenvig, and Lee.

Miss Johnston expects to see a great many interesting places this summer on motor trips.

Miss Roberts left Wednesday evening

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on her vacation to Europe. She will stop and visit with her mother at Wisconsin for a few days, and then sail from New York for Europe. While there Miss Roberts will attend Oxford University, for which she has a scholarship. She expects to return in October or November.

Misses Josephine Herron, Ada Richmeyer, Florence Hegg, Josephine Hutchison, and Myldred Stendal spent July 4th with their parents at Sedro-Woolley.

Pearl Bailey visited with her sister at Kirkland, July 3rd and 4th.

Pearl Bailey, Janet MacCallum, and Messrs. Tunstall, Fergin and Beighle motored to Glacier, Sunday.

Miss Sperry, head of the English Department, will not teach the latter half of this quarter, but will leave school for her vacation at the end of the first term. Miss Sperry will spend the first three weeks of her vacation camping out at Lake Whatcom, where as she expressed it, "There will be no telephones to disturb one's peace and comfort."

Mr. Joe Hazzard, who is a member of the Mountaineer's club of Seattle, is in Bellingham this week, and while here is kindly devoting some of his time to this school. Monday, July 9, he gave a talk in the assembly on the "Code of the Trail;" Tuesday, July 10, his talk was upon the short story; and Wednesday, July 11, he gave an interesting talk on "A Trip to Japan." He will lead a party up the Mt. Baker trail in August.

Miss Headrick and Miss Johnson were delightfully entertained at a porch dinner, given by Miss Sperry at 509 High street, Tuesday evening.

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Miss Sperry and the Normal girls living at the Davis house had the pleasure of partaking of a lawn dinner Wednesday. Mrs. Davis was the hostess. An entertainment arranged by the girls as a surprise for Miss Sperry and Miss Billington, who are leaving for the summer, proved successful.

Miss Florence Gould, from Portland, has been visiting her sister, Doris, for a number of days. Miss Doris Gould graduates from this Normal at the end of the six week term.

The Misses Gragg, Ullin, and McDonald spent Monday evening picnicking at Squaleum Beach.

Miss Gragg of the Business department, leaves this week for her summer vacation. Part of the time will be spent in visiting her sister in Vancouver, B. C.

Dr. Henry, Miss Brown, Miss Shaw, and Miss Spindler spent the week-end in Portland. While there they took the wonderful drive over the Columbia Highway.

Minnie Busse had her mother, Mrs. Busse, from Seattle, as a guest over the week-end.

Miss Betty McCoy spent a very pleasant week-end at the home of Dr. Phillips, at Mt. Vernon.

Miss Lillian Billington, a student of the Normal taking post-graduate work, will stop school at the end of the first quarter to enjoy a summer's vacation.

Zada Zimmer entertained the students of Wednesday morning's assembly with a few vocal numbers. She was accompanied by Blanche Torkey.

Mrs. Walter Guernsey Reynolds, who was the guest of Miss Marie Druse for several days, left for her home in Seattle, Monday morning.

Augusta Glassmaker, Genevieve Rogers, Mable Turner, Sibyl Julson, and Evelyn and Dorothy Woodhouse enjoyed a fudge party at Edens Hall, Saturday evening.

Miss Druse gave a dinner in honor of Mrs. Walter Guernsey Reynolds, Sunday.

Vera Harris had a watermelon feed at Edens Hall, Friday evening. Those enjoying the treat were Gladys Motter, Edrie Ault, Mildred Stout, Marion Edgerly, Helen and Mary Walsh, Maurine Goddard, and Vera Harris.

Miss Hubbard was Alta Jacoby's guest at dinner recently.

Sydney Stokes, of Seattle, spent the week-end in Bellingham visiting Dorothy Woodhouse.

Miss Jeanie Jones went to Snohomish Friday to see her sister, who is very ill. Her sister attended school here the first of the quarter, but she had to leave because of illness.

Mrs. Bush spent the week-end at her home in Mt. Vernon.

Miss Laurine Keeler went to Seattle Friday, to visit friends and returned to Bellingham Sunday, on a motorcycle.

Miss Gladys Davis spent the week-end

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Mrs. Hilda Nye spent the Fourth with her husband in Seattle. Mr. Nye, who is in the employment of the U. S. government, leaves on the Victoria for Akutan, Alaska, to spend the next year on project work.

Mrs. McDougal spent the week-end at her home at Sedro-Woolley.

Mrs. Kate Armstrong Mattson visited old friends at Mt. Vernon, over the week-end.

Professor and Mrs. O. R. Anderson,

Miss Dillon, and Mrs. Linder made a trip to British Columbia on the Fourth, lunching at Birch Day on their return. All report a delightful time.

Miss Margaret Clark is spending her summer vacation at Sumner. She had expected to continue her studies in the Normal, but decided on a vacation near to nature.

—B. S. N. S.—
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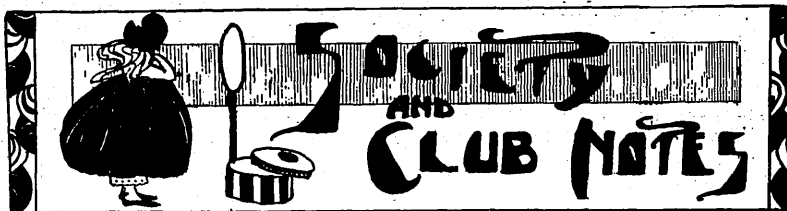
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Chief Cook: "Close the door on them and leave them to starve to death."



Miss Sperry's vacation begins this week. Her two Bible Study classes at Gerold's and Nichol's halls are sorry to see her leave although they appreciate the fact that she needs a vacation. The girls at Gerold's hall have studied the first six chapters of Mark this term, and they expect to continue their work under some other instructor. There have been over two hundred enrolled in various Bible Study classes this summer.

Miss Lucille Uran visited in Snohomish over the week-end.

Misses Barbara Willan, Addie Martin, and Elsie Wilson, and Messrs. Rahskopf, Bob Tunstall, and Paul Young, hiked to Lost Lake on the Fourth of July. It was a long hike over a rough trail and they greatly appreciated the swim and the lunch at the end of the trail.

—B. S. N. S.—

HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT.

The textile students, under the direction of Miss Stevens from the Oregon Agricultural college, are now studying the choice of materials and are learning practical tests anyone can easily apply.

Miss Longley will spend her vacation in this city with her brother, Rev. William J. Longley, wife, and little girl, who arrived here Tuesday evening, July 10, to spend the summer. They come from Ramaputam, South India, being connected with the theological seminary there.

The class in pattern-drawing, under Miss Longley, has completed what it considers a very profitable course. In this course they drafted clothing patterns from actual measurements, made

paper dress forms, which actually represent the individual, and designed paper costumes from the drafted patterns.

—B. S. N. S.—

PHILO-THESPIAN JOINT WEEK-END PICNIC SATURDAY

All the members of the Philo and Thespians clubs are invited to attend the week-end picnic at Point Roberts on Saturday, July 14. The boat "Motor Tulip" leaves for Point Roberts at 7 o'clock, and everyone interested in going should be at the Citizen's dock at that time.

Splendid entertainment has been provided for those going, as salmon bakes, hikes to Indian Reservations, and similar attractive features.

—B. S. N. S.—

RURAL LIFE SUPPER.

Students who are members of the Rural Life club are urged not to miss the delicious picnic supper at Whatcom Falls park on Friday, July 13, at 5 o'clock. Kindly bring your spoons or forks. An extra good time is assured all who come.

—B. S. N. S.—

ALUMNI NOTES

Does higher education kill marriage? If you think so, just read the following list of our own graduates who have entered married life within the last few weeks.

Miss Eva La Count Ames, who taught in Kent for two years, after graduating from the Normal, married Mr. Robert A. Burns, of Tacoma. They will reside in that city.

Miss Ruth R. Cederberg, graduate of the Bellingham Normal, has recently wedded Mr. H. C. Strathdee, of Seattle.

Before her marriage she taught two years in Bremerton. They will live in Seattle.

Miss Margaret Tue, graduate of '21, and Mr. Paul Toms went to the Christian Endeavor convention on their honeymoon. They will make their home in Bellingham.

Miss Wilhelmina Peterson was quietly married to Mr. Harold Olson, of Aberdeen, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilken, near Lynden. Miss Peterson is a graduate of the Bellingham Normal school.

Miss Violet Gorrie, who has just graduated from Normal, was married to Mr. Harry Wilber Hazlett, on the afternoon of June 25. The ceremony took place at the Garden street Methodist church, with the Rev. J. C. Harrison reading the service.

Miss Mamie B. Moore married Mr. Julius Wagner, of Doty, Wash. Rev. Weiss, of Seattle, officiated at the First Congregational church. The church was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. The bride wore a wedding gown of white canton crepe with elaborate head trimming. Her veil was held with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of white sweetpeas and roses.

Miss Albertina Pearson, one of our prominent students this past year, has just become the bride of Mr. Clyde Banks, who is well known as a photographer.

Miss Helen Martin, who is a former student of the Normal and has been teaching on Lummi Island, was married to Mr. Harold Walling, one of our spring graduates.

—B. S. N. S.—

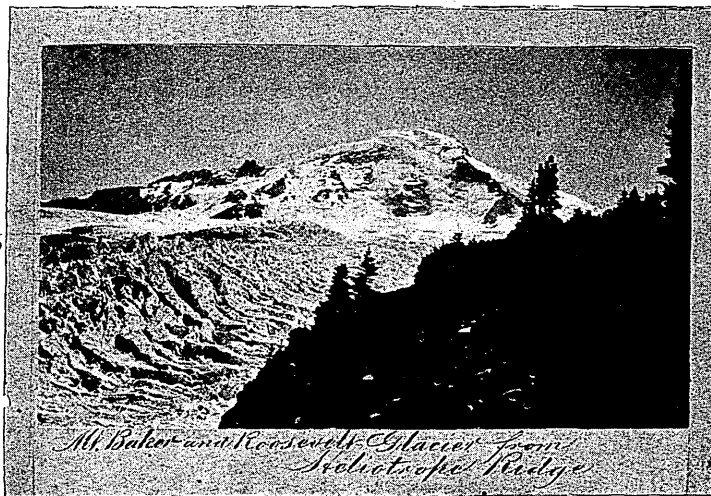
Many Play the Position.

Mrs. Neighbor: "They tell me your son is in the college football eleven."

Mrs. T.: "Yes, indeed."

Mrs. N.: "Do you know what position he plays?"

Mrs. T.: "Ain't sure, but I think he's one of the drawbacks."



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 "Asking for your hand?"
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 "Yes, I wrote."
 "That's strange. I supposed papa
 would be terribly angry. You know he
 doesn't like you."
 "Yes, I know. But I fixed it all right.
 I—I didn't sign the letter."
 —B. S. N. S.—

We editors may dig and toil,
 Till our fingers are sore;
 But some poor fish is sure to say,
 "I've heard that joke before."
 —B. S. N. S.—

Davis House is now organized, with
 Alice Mohr as president; Betty McCoy,
 secretary; Agnes Schauble, treasurer;
 Polly Schauble, sergeant-at-arms. The
 social committee, composed of Charity
 Nevins, Minnie Busse, and Beatrice
 Phinney plan a lively time this summer.
 —B. S. N. S.—

Ford: "Where did you get that hat?"
 Barker: "At the store."
 Ford: "How much was it?"
 Parker: "I don't know. The store-
 keeper wasn't there."
 —B. S. N. S.—

Inside Information.

Tommy: Mama, have gooseberries got
 legs?"
 Mom: "Of course not, Tommy."
 Tommy: "Then I've swallowed a cater-
 pillar."
 —B. S. N. S.—

An Old Friend.

Sentry: "Halt! Who goes there?"
 Voice: "Chaplain."
 Sentry: "Pass, Charlie; all's well."
 —B. S. N. S.—

Calendar

THURSDAY—July 12.
 Senior College wienie roast, Squalicum
 Beach, 5 to 7:30.

FRIDAY—July 13.
 Rural Life picnic.
 Thespian-Philo week-end picnic. Point
 Roberts.

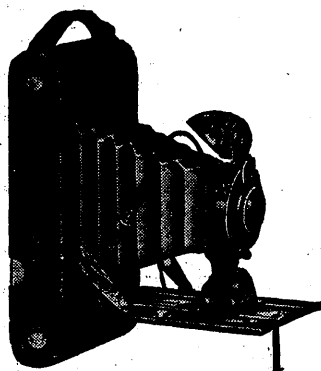
SATURDAY—July 14.
 Oregon Club all-day picnic.
 School Hike, Mt. Chuckanut. Eight
 miles, return trip.
 Interurban back, if necessary.
 —B. S. N. S.—

Jimmy Dougan arrived late to school
 one morning, and the teacher asked:
 "Why are you late, Jimmy?"
 "Oh, I came to a sign."
 "What did that have to do with it?"
 "Well, it said, 'School. Go Slowly!'"
 —B. S. N. S.—

E. B.: "Do you know Boo?"
 C. C.: "Boo who?"
 E. B.: "Well, don't cry about it."
 ; —B. S. N. S.—

Mr. Hazzard told this one:
 Pat: "If I'm not mistaken, which I
 think I am, your name is Casey."
 Mike: "Be gorra, you are mistaken,
 you're not mistaken. Me name is Casey."
 —B. S. N. S.—

Father: "Daughter, what is your favorite
 hymn?"
 Daughter: "The one you kicked off
 the front porch last night."
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TRAINING SCHOOL NOTES

Mis Ruth Walbon gave a reading in
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 11, at 11 o'clock in the morning.

As Miss Crawford will be away on
 her summer vacation, Miss Wallace will
 have charge of the assemblies during the
 remainder of the summer term.

The third and fourth grade pupils of
 the Training school, who have been at-
 tending school at the Sehome building,
 were transferred to the Normal, Tues-
 day, July 10.

Wallace Dent, a pupil in the fifth
 grade, wrote the following poem at home
 and presented it to his teacher. Upon
 inquiry, it was found that he obtained
 no assistance at home, his mother being
 away:

A little town of tulips
 Close beside the sea,
 Guarded by a sentinel
 As proud as one can be.
 All you need is to command
 Our hearts and hands for service
 To you, fair Bellingham.

Leta Belle Smith wrote the following
 poem called "Dreamland":

When days their golden hours come
 creeping into night,
 I wish I had my little bed and close my
 eyes up tight;
 There I dream of all my toys, of pretty
 things for girls and boys.

The following supervisors will leave
 this school for their vacation at the close
 of the first half of the summer quarter:
 Misses Montgomery, Jacobs, Tompkins,
 Osbourne, MacDonald, Abbott, and Craw-
 ford.

The returning supervisors are the
 Misses McMeen and Black, and Mrs.
 Sampson. Miss Wallace will remain
 through the entire quarter.

The kindergarten will close at the end
 of the first term of the quarter.

Miss Montgomery, superintendent of
 the pre-primary grades, may attend the
 Chicago University during her summer
 vacation.

Miss McMeen, who has just returned
 from her vacation, will resume her du-
 ties in the Training school at once.