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Student Life

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NUMBER 1.

OUR FOOTBALL PROSPECTS

Never before in the history of game, has Coach Teetzel felt more optimistic over the prospects for the year's success. Those who have seen him about school the last few days, can not help seeing a list of victories this fall.

The reason for this happy, satisfied air is the return of so many football men, both of last year's heroes and of new material. Only two of last year's team are missing, and they are Elmer Brossard and Sam Price. A full football eleven of those who received gold footballs last year have returned. Captain Godbe, who was out of the big game last year with a broken arm, has been working hard to see that his team is properly made up. We all know what he can do. Hugh Peterson, who won the name of the "human thunderbolt" last year by his terrible line plunges, will be back to his old place. Howard Brossard will most likely hold the position he filled so well last year at half back. Green has developed wonderfully and is running hard for the other position at half back. The mere sight of "big Joe" Snow in the line should frighten our opponents out of ten or twelve points. Dave Jones, Wm. Doutre, Cyril Owen, Amos Griffin, Elmer Rigby and Hugh Williams have all won their reputations as line men. Then there is "Wes" Lindsay, who played at half back on the 1909 team. Our old men, however, good as they are, will have to work for a place on the team, as most of the "scrub" team of last year is back and doing good work. Among those who are showing up well are: A. Esplin, E. Edlefsen, G. Lewis, A. Caine, J. A. Hendricks, R. Rider, G. Vorhees, A. W. Anderson, M. Luke and I. McAllister.

Work was started in earnest last Friday and the coach is working his men hard to get ready for the opening game.

The A. C. is now a member of the Rocky Mountain Faculty Athletic Conference, but owing to the lateness of admittance to the conference, only two games with conference teams have been arranged. There will, however, be six big games for our team this year. Our first game will be with the Montana Agricultural College on October 10. On October 24th we will play the Gonzaga University at Spokane. Next we meet the University of Montana at Missoula

on October 30. The University of Wyoming comes here on November 7, and the Colorado "Aggies" will play us here on November 14. Then comes our final game on Thanksgiving at Salt Lake. Get in and boost from the first day.

DR. THOMAS HONORED.

The high national standing which Dr. Thomas has won as an educator, was shown by the honor conferred upon him recently by The National Institute of Social Sciences, when he was invited to become a member. The following letter is self explanatory:

New York,
Sept. 17th, 1914.

To Prof. Geo. Thomas.

Dear sir:

By nomination of the Executive Council of the American Social Science Association, and in recognition of the distinction attained by you in education, you are hereby invited to become a member of The National Institute of Social Sciences.

(Signed) W. C. LEGENDRE,
General Secretary.

Proposed by Archer M. Huntington, Esq.

THE FIRST DAY.

It was quite amusing to the spectator to watch the busy throng which filled several rooms of the lower floor of the main building during the first day of registration. The students on this day were mostly new students, the high school graduate dominating. The faculty members were busier than ever we expect to see them till next year.

Timid freshies were frightened and awe stricken by the very sight of the dignified college professors. They came up shyly, diploma in hand to have their credentials examined. Most of them were assigned to the "green cap" class without much ceremony.

The registration the first day was extremely heavy, being about three times as great as for the first day last year. The students presenting high school certificates were five times as many as on the first day last year.

ART DEPARTMENT.

Courses in art are very popular this year. Registration is very heavy in every department of the work. This college being the only school in the state offering these practical courses in art. Inquiry has been very general from all parts of the state. The course in advertising which is being given for the first time this year, meets a very important demand from both business and industries of

the country. Wide awake students are taking this opportunity to equip themselves to be first in the field of advertising.

Manual training is beginning to mean more than wood work, forging and machine work, which is only a conception of manual arts as handed down by engineering schools. Manual training means the development of our different senses through every phase of manual work. Students who are fitting themselves for teachers of manual training have exceptional opportunities in the applied arts work of the art department. Such crafts as china decorating, copper and silver smithing, jewelry making and tool leather and bookbinding are taught in this department. Any inquiries or information desired by students will be given gladly on application to the professors of the department. Students and visitors are welcome at any time.

CACHE COUNTY FAIR.

Logan is to have three days of festivities the fore part of next week. September 28, 29 and 30, are the days set apart for the annual Cache County Fair. Much has been done, by the officials of the Fair association, to make this year's exhibition the best in the county's history.

Very few people, even of those living in this county, realize the extent of the wealth of this valley. The fair is one means of educating the people to the possibilities lying all around them.

The exhibit will be especially good in the livestock department. All the foremost farmers and livestock men of the county will participate in the display of the valley's resources.

Aside from the displays, arrangements have been made for an ample supply of amusements for all attending the exhibit.

ALUMNI NOTES.

The votes for new members of the Alumni council are in, but owing to the fact that the proper addresses are not known in all cases, the list of results of election will not appear until next week.

Will all Alumni members who have changed their addresses since last year, kindly send us their new addresses as soon as possible.

Loyalty is an important motto of our school. Read its meaning in the main hall, and do not forget to apply it.

The regular eight page issue will appear, beginning next week.

CHIMES

One of the customs followed by each graduating class, is the leaving with our Alma Mater, of something which will benefit the school and future classes. Many such gifts are now in our buildings, but the last of these was installed during the vacation just past.

No doubt all have heard the chimes, but likely few know what they are like or how they came. They are valued at \$2600, and were purchased jointly by the classes of 1914 and 1915, as the undertaking was rather too big to be met by one class. Harold Hagan of the class of 1914, was appointed as agent for the two classes and secured the chimes from Walter H. Durfee company of Providence, R. I. They are the largest kind made by this or any other company in the United States. They are not bells as many believe, but long brass tubes, varying in length to give the difference of tone. There are fifteen in number and begin with B flat. The larger tubes weigh hundreds of pounds and it was with difficulty that they were installed in the tower of the main building.

ADAMS' FIELD.

The new athletic field is now in condition for the opening of the football season. The old student will need no introduction as to the whereabouts of the field, or as to how many boards in the fence, or even the number of nails in each board. However, for the benefit of the new student it is well to state that the Adams Field is an athletic field, the use of which was secured by the school from the L. D. S. church, mainly through the efforts of John Q. Adams, a member of the board of trustees of the school. It is now about one year since the deal was closed, but the interference of unfavorable weather kept anything from being done with the field until last spring. Then the place was leveled and the ground prepared for a football and baseball field and a running track. The whole field was then planted with grass and white clover to prepare a good sod.

The event longest to be remembered, however, was the erection of the fence on "A" day, when every student (with one or two exceptions afterwards accounted for) was out digging post holes and nailing on boards. In less than a day the whole field was enclosed with a strong high board fence. The girls did their part at noon in

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Owing to the uncertainty of the return of the students, it was impossible to completely organize the editorial staff before the close of school. This leaves us, at the beginning of this school year, in a practically unorganized condition. We wish to thank Professor N. A. Pedersen and other faculty members for assistance they have given us with this issue. We also ask the assistance of the faculty and student body at large in helping us to organize as it is impossible for us to know all of the literary and journalistic talent we have in school.

We extend a hearty welcome to all new students, and hope that they will enjoy the work, as well as the pleasures of this year, as the older students have enjoyed them in past years. We suggest that you newer students become acquainted with the customs, rules and regulation of the school as soon as possible. You will always find any of the older students ready and more than willing to assist you in anything pertaining to school affairs. The best way to become one of the school and acquainted with its ways is to register early and attend classes from the beginning, then become a member and take part in your class organization. You will also find that loyalty is one of the strongest factors of A. C. life. We are all boosters for our school in every line of its activity. Be one with us and imbibe the A. C. spirit. If you do this we can assure you a happy and prosperous year.

It may be that some little difficulty will be experienced by students, especially those here for the first time in securing boarding places. This should not be interpreted to mean that there are not sufficient boarding places to be found in Logan. It only means that suitable places are not always easily located by a stranger the first day or two.

On further search and a little better acquaintance with the town, every student will be able to locate a desirable place to stay.

One of the first men to report for duty was President Nelson, who feels ready to assume the responsibility of his official duties.

Several freshmen were seen about the building last Tuesday. It is believed that they have designs on a "sheep skin" at some future time to be more definitely specified by the committee on scholarship.

IMPROVEMENTS.

There has probably been more activity around the College during this summer, than during any summer before. Although there have been no new buildings erected, and while the chemistry building still exists only on paper, yet much has been done towards the comfort and convenience of the students. In the first place, all the building from the main building to the poultry house, have been repaired and painted both inside and out. A large force of carpenters, painters, electricians and cleaners have been busy most of the time. Among the improvements worthy of special mention, is the change made in the cafeteria, the installation of the chimneys, and the completion of the Adams Field. The gardner has also been busy about the grounds, in making the already beautiful campus, even more attractive.

TO THE NEW STUDENTS.

First of all we bid you welcome to the Agricultural College and in doing so, our wish to extend to you all the warmth and pulsation that the word implies.

Deep down in our own heart, we remember so well the first day at College. Memorable day!—when far away from friends and home how the word "welcome thrilled us with new joys, and made us forget that we were "strangers in a strange land." How can we ever forget it.

Friends—your day has come for a similar realization, with similar hopes and fears and a similar future before you. You have heard "there is no excellence without labor"—soon you shall know. But what is labor but life? And you now come to a new labor, consequently a new life is before you.

In all things be honest, for "an honest man is the noblest work of God."

Whether you are religious or not, be thankful that it is your fortune to live under the greatest government in the whole world and that our own state is the choicest spot in this land of ours. The spirit of humility is helpful on the way, but he who is ungrateful will someday be

found wanting.

From this day on, you are one of us; your success is our success. We are anxious about your welfare and shall watch over you; therefore we reach out our hearts and hands in a most cordial welcome.

We have attempted to learn how the new members of the faculty were impressed with Utah and the school upon their arrival. The impressions of two of them are given here, and will be of interest to those who have always lived in the State.

IMPRESSIONS OF A TENDERFOOT

(By Vincent H. Ogburn.)

When I first looked at the pictures of the U. A. C. in the catalogue, I decided then and there that it would be a good place to live. As I approached the West, my first impression was scenery. When I reached Utah, my next thought was its prosperity. And when I had been in Logan a day my final impression was that it was most difficult to find somewhere to live.

"Prosperous Utah," as it was phrased by the newsboy when our train entered the state seems to me to be a good description. A succession of lowland gardens surrounded by natural walls of grandeur forms a variety that is ever surprising and new. It seems a land where beauty and plenty are brothers.

As we left western Colorado we could feel a change in conditions. Green fields of clover, fat cattle and horses, and heavy-hanging orchards replaced bare cabin homes. The odor of ripe apples almost tempted us to climb from the car window and appropriate a few samples. We have hardly seen an apple in Iowa this year. Naturally, we were well pleased when we found two kinds of plums and an apple tree growing on a spot less than two feet square in the yard which we finally secured to claim as ours.

Of course we notice and are surprised by the clearness of the atmosphere. Last night I saw the horn of the moon apparently resting on the hilltop, and the stars flashed but little above. Nature seems to be playing a practical joke in placing the mountains as near and yet so far. Even the camera's eye is deceived.

Finally, I may say that second impressions are even better than the first. The climate grows more attractive, the people are cordial, and work promises to be a pleasure.

MY IMPRESSIONS OF THE U.A.C. (Interview)

By PROF. BROOKE.

Since you ask me for some impressions of the Agricultural College, I might say that they are varied and difficult to describe. One's first impression of

any place consists of an adjustment between what he imagined he would find, and what he actually meets with.

Perhaps the first distinct impression I had was of the extent and quality of the buildings and equipment. My previous experience has been with much older colleges and universities, and I can honestly say that I was amazed, as well as pleased, to see the large number of good buildings so well arranged upon the campus, and so thoroughly equipped for their work. A stroll about the grounds revealed a surprise at every turn. It ought to make a Utah man proud of his state to see what the Agricultural College has here. And then, it ought to make a student proud of the opportunity to come here. Many a man, hungry for an education would give a great deal for this wonderful privilege to broaden out and learn something of the most vital industry, agriculture.

No doubt this gratitude that many a student here feels is responsible for the excellent *esprit de corps* among the students which I noticed on my first visit here last spring. There seems to be a loyalty to the interests of the College, which prevails over any sudden impulses to betray the child that may still exist in a few.

Then, I don't want to forget the chimes. They are, indeed, an improvement. Nothing conduces so to real culture and education as restful and harmonious surroundings. And the sounds that greet our ears daily are just as important a part of our environment as the flowerbeds that grace the lawns. The happy combination of good music, beautiful grounds, and old ivy has given many of the older colleges much of their great attraction.

The Theta house is ready once more to welcome back its old friends as well as its new.

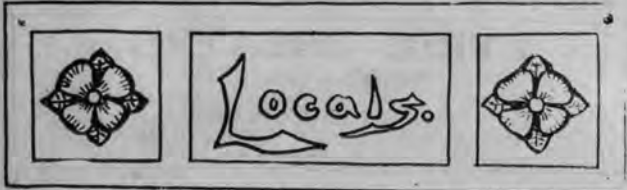
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"Hungry Pete" returned to school Tuesday evening.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. Clayton, a former student, is with us again this year.

Watch the Home Economic Club girls this winter. They promise to be the life of the school.

Bill Goodspeed is back, but it is not for football this time. He has joined the faculty and will assist in Horticulture.

Miss Mary E. Johnson attended Summer School at Berkeley and spent the remainder of the summer visiting throughout California and Oregon.

A most remarkable Agricultural experiment is the moustache grown by Bert Carrington and now on exhibition in the President's office. Mr. Carrington will be pleased to answer inquiries of persons interested in this line of work.

The \$1.00 withdrawal deposit which is collected from all students, is returned to them at the end of the year if it is called for in person before they leave school. It is collected so that students will report at the office before leaving, and thereby give notice that they intend to withdraw.

E. J. Kirkham, a well known character in the state and at one time cheer-leader at the B. Y. U., registered at the College during the early part of the week. Mr. Kirkham was formerly connected with the Extension work on the Utah Farmer, but has spent the last three years in Germany. His good looks and fascinating manner bid fair to make it interesting for the girls here.

The Misses Allen and Midgley, of Salt Lake, and Miss Snyder of Park City, are guests at the Sorosis house at present.

Blythe Crawford, Hazel Reid and Edith Peterson are the first occupants of the Sorosis house, but others are arriving daily.

Miss Ruby Ostler, a popular student of last year, and Mr. George Fister, '12, were married last Wednesday in Salt Lake City, and left the same day for Chicago, where Mr. Fister will enter the Rush Medical College.

All girls interested in the Home Economic Club movement watch the bulletin board, for a meeting will be called early next week to outline the work for the coming year.

Another interesting marriage of the summer is that of Miss Amy Lyman and Mr. Melvin C. Merrill of Richmond. Since her graduation from this institution Miss Lyman has been a valuable worker in the A. C. Extension Division. Mr. Merrill is also an A. C. Alumnus, and both are well known throughout the State. They have made their home, for the present, in St. Louis, Mo.

Our happy school days are here again, and it delights one to greet every fellow student, after a most pleasant vacation, we hope. We are also delighted to see so many new faces with us, and feel their vim and purpose is to become affiliated with us for another years work in our class rooms. We assure them that they have taken the right path and our college welcomes them and everything possible for the welfare of its students, both intellectually as well as socially, are afforded them. —Contributed.

Miss Kyle spent a pleasant vacation at Portland this summer.

Hugh Williams was seen coming up the hill with his mother Tuesday morning, to register.

Up to date we have had graduates from nearly every High School in the State apply for registration.

Among the first to show up early Tuesday morning, was our honorable and esteemed President, Howard Maughan, with his bright and ever-ready smile.

Get registered, attend classes, get busy.

The following B. Y. C. graduates are registered at the A. C. up to date. Carl Wood, Edgar Everton, Orita Smith, Marvella Leishman and Clifford Goldthorpe.

The Sorosis girls are now comfortably situated at the McAlister home on East Center, where they will be pleased to welcome all of their friends. Mrs. Reid is the matron and last but not least they find themselves very pleasantly surrounded by Frats.

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ADDITIONS TO FACULTY.

In general the faculty remains the same this year as it was last, though some additions have been made with the idea of strengthening the courses of study.

The Animal Husbandry department has been strengthened by the return of W. E. Carroll, M. S., now Ph. D., who has been away one year on a leave of absence and returns with wider experience and his doctor's degree. George B. Caine, A. M.,

is also assistant professor of Animal Husbandry.

The foods and dietetics department has been strengthened by Agnes Saunders, A. B. M. Pd. The knowledge and wide experience of J. D. Howell, former registrar, will add greatly to stenography and typewriting department.

C. T. Hirst, the school's first graduate with a M. S. degree is now instructor of chemistry.

W. E. Brooke is a strong addition to the Economics department.

Of last year's graduating class, several have been engaged as instructors. Leslie A. Smith in bacteriology, H. R. Hagan in Entomology, Wilbur E. Thain in accounting, and Percy N. Shelley and John A. Sharp in chemistry.

Samuel E. Clark and Nettie Sloan add strength to our new department of Music.

ADAMS' FIELD

(Continued from page one) appearing the hunger of the student laborers.

Recently the entrance has been completed and a ticket office erected. The material for the grandstand and bleachers is on the ground, and ample seating capacity, as well as suitable training quarters for the athletes will be provided for. When properly broken in, the field will be as good as can be found in this part of the country. The field is a full block long and over a half block wide, with its main entrance at the corner of Fourth East and Fifth North streets, only one block from the car line.

THE CAFETERIA.

The Cafeteria in the basement of the main building, is conducted by the college solely for the benefit of the students. Students may obtain good lunches for a very few cents. Each dish costing but five cents; just what the actual cost of the raw material and the preparing of the same amount to.

In order to give the most good for the money it is necessary to reduce the running expenses as much as possible, therefore Mr. Cooley asks the patrons to kindly bring all dishes to the table, by the kitchen door as soon as they are through with them.

During the summer the room has been enlarged so that it will now accommodate from 150 to 200 people comfortably at one time. The entire room and all furniture has been recently painted and everything is absolutely clean. Co-operation of the patrons in keeping everything as neat and clean as possible will therefore be greatly appreciated and at the same time it will reduce the service required, thus making it possible to obtain the best possible meal for the money expended. —Contributed.

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