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# STUDENT LIFE

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Heber Meeks, Editor and Mgr.

## HOSTESS HOUSE FOR SOLDIERS OPENED

### MUCH ENTHUSIASM MARKS OPENING NIGHT

Greatest enthusiasm marked the opening of the Hostess House at the Utah Agricultural College last Monday night, when the soldiers in training there were generously entertained by the citizens of Logan. Smiles wreathed the faces of the boys and only when the "vaccination arm" was heartily slapped by some too enthusiastic visitor, did a look of anything but pleasure cross their countenances.

The Hostess House, which has been installed in the Women's gymnasium of the college, presented a most homelike appearance with its easy chairs, its settees, its cozy corners, rugs and potted plants. Piano and victrola will furnish music for the boys, while tables covered with papers and magazines, or supplied with writing materials will offer opportunity to spend any spare moments they may have.

The Hostess House is being conducted under the auspices of the Faculty Women's League of the Utah Agricultural College. The special committee that arranged for the opening and that will conduct the Hostess House consists of Mrs. Stephen Abbot, chairman, Mrs. John T. Caine III, Mrs. George B. Caine, Mrs. C. R. Sorenson, Miss Goldie Faux, and Miss Ida Mitchell. Each night some special feature will mark the evening. For the opening week of the House, the following have been arranged:

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## Dance For Soldiers Saturday Night

The Summer school students will entertain the soldiers at a dancing party Saturday night in the Thomas Smart gym.

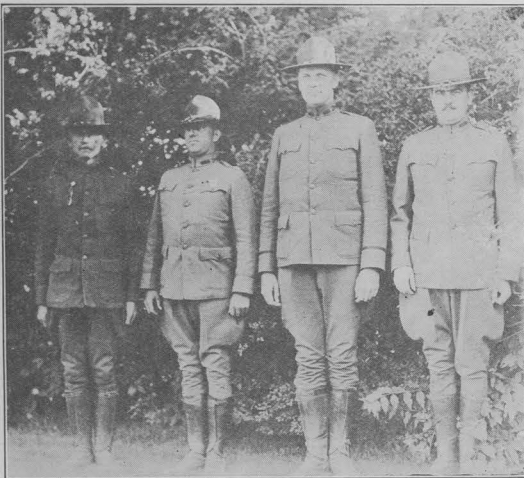
All students, especially the girls, are requested to be there.

Dancing will commence at 8 o'clock. Be prompt. A good orchestra has been secured.

Girls be there. Meet the boys and show them a good time before they have to meet the Hun.

## OFFICERS IN CHARGE OF MECHANICAL TRAINING CAMP AT THE U. A. C.

Reading from left to right: Lieut. J. M. Curtis, M. R. C.; Capt. J. R. Frazee, I. R. C.; Lieut. H. C. Force, I. N. C.; Lieut. T. H. Holcombe, I. R. C.



If Bill Kaiser should walk into the camp of the detachment of soldiers at the A. C. and see with what spirit and enthusiasm they have entered into their work he would remove his helmet and offer the boys his scalp without a struggle.

Every thing from mixing cement to receiving wireless messages is being done to the tune of "Kill the Kaiser."

Five million men in France with the high morale of these boys from Wyoming and Bismark will turn over in his grave, Hindy will fall on his sword, William will take strychnine, Berlin will fall, and the dreams of the pan-Germans will go up in smoke.

By way of recreation Coach Jensen has organized the teams into baseball, track and basketball teams. In baseball there is some splendid material showing up and with a little more training the soldiers will be ready for any team in the valley.

Some of the boys are doing a

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## A. C. TEAM VICTORIOUS

### BOYS GO OVER THE TOP WITH HIGH SCORE

In the opening game of the season the A. C. Summer school quintet handed the Logan business men five a lemon as big as a grape fruit.

A tune of 80 to 10 is no slow music but that is what the boys marched to victory on.

The A. C. boys were masters of the situation throughout. Speed and accuracy were what the A. C. boys possessed and what the business men lacked.

The boys now are anxious to meet the soldier team. They also have hopes of meeting the U. of U. team.

The line-up was as follows:

A. C.	Logan
Baines.....	r.f. .... Adams
Paice.....	lf. .... Colburn
Tolman.....	c. .... Naishet

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## Prof. Peterson Made Director of Extension Division

### TAKES PLACE OF JOHN T. CAINE III.

Professor William Peterson, state Geologist and in charge of the work in geology at the Utah Agricultural College has just been appointed Director of the Extension Division of the Institution, according to an announcement just made by President E. G. Peterson. Prof. Peterson will have charge of the extension work of Utah during the absence of John T. Caine III, who has entered government emergency extension work for the duration of the war.

Professor Peterson who is a native of Utah and a practical agriculturist of great experience, is one of the oldest faculty members, in point of year's service, on the faculty of the Utah Agricultural College. He is especially well fitted for his new duties because of his wide acquaintance with agricultural and sociological conditions throughout Utah. Extension geological explorations have made Professor Peterson familiar with every part of the State. Special soil studies conducted by Professor Peterson of the

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## ATTENTION STUDENTS

Under the auspices of the Women's Faculty League, there will be a dancing party for the entertainment of the soldiers given every Wednesday night from 7 p. m. to 10 p. m. in the gym.

Summer school girls are invited on the following conditions:

That she is 18 or over.

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No party dresses.

No partner.

Married women may bring their husbands.

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## A. C. TEAM VICTORIOUS

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Hurren.....r.g. ....Bowen  
Larsen.....l.g. ....Homer

Coach Jensen and M S. Ec-  
cles also played for Logan.

## EDITORIAL

### ENTERTAINING THE SOLDIERS

At last the students and citizens of Logan have awakened to the fact that the soldier boys on the hill are real human beings and that it is a fine thing to entertain them and make their stay here as pleasant as possible before they leave to meet the Huns on the fields of Flanders. This is no time for sentimental sophistry and foolish mannerism. This is a time when the destiny of things is being determined. This is an hour when men are giving their blood that democracy and christianity might live. Here in our community is a detachment of our soldiers preparing to go out and make the supreme sacrifice for the defense of our homes and the principles we hold nearest our hearts and we have robbed ourselves in conventionalities fit only for a pacifist minister in times of morbid peace. But at last the shell has been broken. Summer school girls are to be praised for the attitude they have taken in inviting the boys to attend the parties and mixing with them when they came. Friday night the student body is to entertain the soldiers. Every girl should be there and make them forget home and war for awhile. The Women's Faculty League of the College is to be congratulated upon its splendid work in opening the Hostess house for the benefit of the boys. The citizens of Logan have plans under way for a big entertainment some time this week. This attitude should be fostered. The deep appreciation of the boys can not be estimated. The citizens can do no less than let the boys in uniform know that they will support them to the uttermost in the sacrifice their country is asking them to make.

There are some very mature students at Summer school who have not learned the relationship that an audience should have toward a speaker. It is really disgusting to attend a lecture in college hall and see the students from every part of the room get up and walk out during the lecture. Students having that inexcusable habit who cannot overcome it should at least have the good taste to take a back seat. But better still they should stay away. There is no excuse for students leaving a lecture. They are held at a time when there are no classes. Students know that most of the lectures are an hour long and should go prepared to stay. Most of the Summer school students are teachers and certainly should have a better sense of propriety. But at least an act showing such poor training should be stopped in an educational institution.

Some sensitive people are beginning to wonder if a man will feel any better in the next world after being blown up by a mine, than he would have felt had he been sunk by a submarine.

Bankers don't like the new coins because they say they are hard to stack. But we are not running a bank.

It is perfectly appropriate for the ladies to visit the canteen while the soldiers are at lunch.

If you follow the Hoover life it will take you back to the Garden of Eden.

Now that the soldiers are inoculated everybody is anxious to entertain them.

The greatest war efficiency measure would be one to do away with congress.

You can still get plenty of sugar but not the refined kind.

Garfield doesn't believe in keeping the home fires burning.

Don't blame the girls—this is an age of bare necessities.

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H. H. Denton, one of the soldier boys at the U. A. C. camp received orders that he had been honorably released from duty on account of having poor teeth. But Denton didn't go home. He went to the dentist's office. He lost twenty nine teeth and a chance to go home in order to stay with the boys and get to France as soon as possible. Some fellows would have went home, but Denton is made of the right stuff. That is the kind of morale that means a peace with victory.

PROF. PETERSON  
MADE DIRECTOR OF  
EXTENSION DIVISION

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College have put him in close touch with soil problems of the West.

A genial personality combined with a wide acquaintance throughout the State, and unbounded enthusiasm will make of Professor Peterson a very efficient as well as a very popular leader in extension work.

As in the past, the aim of the Extension Division under its new director will be to aid the government in winning the war. Especially will methods of increased conservation and greater production be stressed. Director Peterson has expressed his slogan as being "Agricultural and Home Efficiency." With such as an aim in view, not only will the government be aided in its vast agricultural war plans, but a most valuable basis for rural progress will have been laid for peace times as well.

OFFICERS IN CHARGE  
OF MECHANICAL TRAIN-  
ING CAMP OF U. A. C.

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little boxing on the side. There isn't one of them that would not take the Crown Prince on tomorrow.

The boys represent practically every trade, occupation and profession. There are engineers, mechanics, lawyers, merchants, clerks, school teachers, farmers, and cow punchers. They are every one true westerners, full of

courage, grit, and enterprise, and they are going to hand something to the Hun when they get there.

## LOCALS

Lost—Pair of glasses in black case somewhere on campus. Finder return to registrar.

Prof. Stewart just returned from a trip through the southern part of the state inspecting the experiment station farms. He reports that section of the state in a really dry condition.

The town members of the Sigma Theta Phi sorority spent the Fourth in Logan canyon at the Thatcher camp. About ten of the girls were in the party. Mrs. Preston was chaperon.

Dad Gleason, a member of the Be-No-Club and a prominent musician at the College two years ago, visited Logan with the 145th band. Dad was happy to get back to Logan and visit his old friends before he goes to France to play the death march for Bill Kaiser.

George A. Ward, last year's manager of Student Life, and at present taking technical training at the U. of U. under the direction of Uncle Sam, was a Logan visitor last week. George is studying up on the gas engine and in all probability will soon be driving a tank through the German lines.

Mr. Stocks, an old A. C. student was about the campus Tuesday bidding his friends goodbye before leaving for Berkeley, California, where he will take his ground school work in the aviation section of the U. S. army. Stocks enlisted and passed the physical examination last winter, but just received his call to service.

To the winter students Lora Bennion needs no introduction. She has been one of the most prominent students at the institution. Last year she was secretary of the student body organization and a member of the Buzzer staff. She was also a reporter for Student Life. Lora has a very versatile nature. She can ride a horse as good as most men. She is a violinist of no mean accomplishment, and plays the piano. She is thoroughly modern, not bound down by religious superstition nor a believer in sentimental womanisms. She is a typical A. C. student—the kind the institution is proud of.

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## AMERICA MUST STAND BY RUSSIA

IS ELLOQUENT APPEAL OF  
DR. RAYMOND

Making a strong plea for the United States to stand by Russia in her present crisis and predicting that out of chaos, the new found spirit of Democracy in Russia will at last bring order, Dr. Jerome H. Raymond, lecturer of National fame, outlined the problems presented by conditions today in the colossus of the north before the students of the Summer quarter of the Utah Agricultural College on Monday last at noon.

"We must not despair of conditions today in Russia," declared Dr. Raymond. "Although German influence is entrenched there as much at the present as it ever was under the Old Regime, we must have courage that yet we may bring about happier conditions in that stricken country." Even now our government, in connection with her allies, is planning intervention and we must stand squarely behind any program that will save unhappy Russia from her apparent fate.

"Russia's failure in the present war, her disastrous internal situation are but the natural resultants of her despotic form of government and her lack of education. However much we may condemn the present democratic revolutionary government of Russia, we must give them credit for insisting that the Russia of the future must be built upon universal education."

A very intimate idea of life in Russia, her cities, her churches, her agriculture was given thru the use of colored slides illustrating the lecture. In particular was the immense part played in the life of the Russian by his religion portrayed. "Under the Old Regime the power of the Czar was made possible by the close union of Church and State" said Dr. Raymond. "Not only the head of the government, but the head of the Orthodox church. The Little Father was all powerful in Russia. But now the day of freedom has dawned. As yet the dawning is very faint, many clouds may arise to obscure the sun before the full day has appeared but day will surely come. We must stand by Russia and hasten the time of her emancipation."

A treaty with Germany about now would be about as valuable as an outlawed lottery ticket.

## Home Economics Dept. Enlarges its Work

CONSERVATION OF FOOD IS  
KEY NOTE

The Home Economics department of the Extension Division of the College has entered upon a comprehensive plan to place before the housewives of Utah the most approved food preserving methods to add to them in the preservation of fruits, meats and vegetables, according to an announcement just made by Miss Gertrude McCheyne, late Leader of Home Demonstrators and in charge of home economics extension work for Utah.

According to the plan worked out by Miss McCheyne, schools of from two to three days duration will be held in various parts of the State. At each of these schools, which will be conducted by the county Home Demonstrator of the community in which the school is held, one woman from each of the neighboring towns or communities will be present. Here will be taught, by demonstrations and lectures, the latest and most successful methods in the home preservation of food, including dry salting of meat, brining of meat and vegetables, drying of fruits and vegetables and canning of fruits, meats, and vegetables. The ladies in attendance will then return to their various communities where they in turn will instruct the housewives in these methods.

The first such school will be held in Ogden on July 11, 12, and 13. Dates for the other schools are now being arranged.

Work of a similar nature has already been conducted in Millard county by County Home Demonstrator Hattie White, who has held extensive schools on the canning of early peas. Miss White has arranged for the housewives of her district a complete canning schedule for July.

Special demonstrations are being given by Miss Hortense White in San Juan and Grand counties from the eighth to the thirteenth of this month. These include dry salting and brining demonstrations as well as the use of wheat substitutes in the diet. During the same time, Miss Genevieve Potter, federal expert in cottage cheese preparation of the Dairy division, is conducting a series of cottage cheese demonstrations.

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## HOSTESS HOUSE FOR SOLDIERS OPENED

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Tuesday, songs by Miss Gladys Smith; Wednesday, at seven, a dancing matinee in the Men's gymnasium; Thursday, address by President E. G. Peterson; Friday, address by Professor Frank R. Arnold; Saturday, quartet by Miss Batt and others. The committee in charge wishes to thank most heartily the many citizens of Logan who, by personal aid or by contribu-

tions, have helped make the Hostess House a big success. They wish to urge upon all that the Hostess House is an open house and that all are invited to visit it during open hours and get acquainted with our friends from Wyoming. The Hostess House will be open every evening from 6:30 to 9:30 and on Sunday from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

In England they say, "Every shilling wasted stabs a soldier in the back."