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Wednesday, February 20, 1924.

We believe that a policy devoid of factionalism should govern the administration of student body affairs.

We believe that it is the right of the student body to know every procedure of its officers and executive bodies in the exercise of their official duties.

We believe that if the executive committee cannot decide, by use of the ballot, who should occupy student body offices, the decision should rest with the student body.

THE MILITARY BALL

Of all the gala events at the college during the year, the Military Ball probably ranks as the largest and traditionally the oldest. This year's ball will be the thirtieth annual affair that has been given by the Military department at the college. Ever since the days when the cadets wore navy blue uniforms with brass buttons, the Military Ball has been the supreme social function of the year.

The policy of the Military Department this year is to make the ball a Military Ball in reality as well as in name. Cadets will be required to wear uniforms. One of the platoons will give an exhibition drill, and ex-soldiers, disabled veterans, and members of the American Legion will be present to enjoy a real Military Ball.

No doubt there are some who resent having to wear uniforms, but those irrecconcilables should remember these things: It is an honor to wear the uniform of this great government; army officers, ex-soldiers, cadet officers, and the men of the platoon selected to give the exhibition will be present in uniform; the affair is a Military Ball. When these things are taken into consideration, it will be seen that the ruling of the Military Ball committee in the regard is justifiable and that the student body should cooperate in the pursuance of this suggestion.

R. O. T. C. WORK

The Military Department is one of the most important departments at the college. Fortunately the Utah Agricultural College is a Federal Land Grant institution and is in consequence given this department by our government.

Each year there are from seven to fifteen students who graduate from the institution with a standing rank as second lieutenant in the reserve corps of the regular army. These students have taken military work all four years at college, the basic work the first two years and the advanced work the last two. In addition to this they have attended summer camp at least once. These men are the leaders of our armies in time of war. Their service was very valuable to our government during the last crisis.

The experience gained in military science and tactics is almost as valuable to those taking it, in time of peace as in time of war. They are taught the value of obedience to those in authority, to walk with "chin in and chest out," to appear at all times as real "men," to talk with firmness. They are taught mental as well as physical discipline, all of which not only prepares them to defend our nation in time of war but helps them to gain success in every-day life.

Military work makes men valiant citizens. Those who reap the richest fruits it has to offer are the ones who enter it with a whole-hearted desire to gain something from it.

Division Engineer Will Address Students

Mr. E. B. Ross, division engineer of the Warren Brothers Co. of Portland, will address students of the School of Engineering in the Agricultural Engineering auditorium tomorrow at one o'clock. Warren Brothers are manufacturers of the bituminous pavement, "Warrenton." Students and townspeople interested in the subject of engineering are invited to attend.

MORE

There was a young man named Bose
Who was one of his girl's best boys
Zeta Phi
Gamma Xi Gamma
Boreas
Because they said, "Wear evening clothes."



Buzzer Finances Topic of Discussion By The Executive Committee

Honor System Is Aired Before Governing Body. Opinion Divided; Coburn Gives Financial Report

A report of the financial condition of the Buzzer was given by Manager John and a discussion of the merits and demerits of the honor system took place in the executive meeting held last Saturday.

The financial condition of the Buzzer was reported favorable, having still a slight margin to work on. Due to the fact that school organizations are of vital importance in financing the Buzzer the point was stressed that a continuing or the present working margin depended largely upon the support of these school organizations. If the organization obligations are met honestly, it will mean much to the success of the Buzzer.

After a general financial report was given by Secretary Coburn, the committee engaged in an elaborate discussion of the advisability of adopting the "buzzer system" at this institution. The opinion of the committee was somewhat divided and as yet, a definite stand has not been taken.

Sorosis Hold First Vaud. Practice At Capitol Sunday Nite

The Sorosis girls held their first vaudeville practice at the Capitol theatre Sunday night. Previous rehearsals have been held at the Chamber of Commerce, Smart gym, and Nibley Hall. Three more rehearsals will be held in the Capitol before the "Revue" is presented on March 3.

The girls are making rapid progress in their preparations. The work

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Miss Manie Lowe, Battalion Sponsor, who has been assisting Major Adams with the work of all the committees, will be the honored lady of the evening.

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Graduate And Former Prof. Publishes Book

Dr. C. W. Porter, a former graduate and professor of chemistry of the College, who is now Associate Professor of Chemistry at the University of California, is the author of a new text book of organic chemistry called "Carbon Compounds" which is meeting with great approval and has been adopted for immediate use in several of the large schools of the country.

Dr. Porter graduated from this school with the class of 1895 and after studying at Harvard and obtaining his Doctor's degree at the University of California he returned and taught here for a number of years.

The new text book contains all the latest work in organic chemistry and although it came off the press only last month it has already been adopted by such institutions as the Northwestern University, Oberlin College, Amherst and the University of Cincinnati.

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Alpha Gamma Phi	84.81
Alpha Delta Epsilon	84.01
Pi Zeta Pi	82.45
Omega Tau	82.89
Lambda Iota	80.69
Psi Delta Rho	82.22
Sigma Alpha	77.92
Psi Kappa Iota	77.64

Societies

Sigma Theta Phi	82.71
Beta Delta Phi	82.52
Zeta Phi	82.45
Gamma Xi Gamma	82.76
Boreas	82.15

