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## GREAT WORK OF INDIAN SCHOOLS IS WELL SHOWN AT STATE FAIR.

### Progress of Lo Under Beneficent Tutelage of Uncle Sam's Agents Demonstrated in Striking Manner.

Among the infinite variety of remarkable features of New Mexico's biggest and best State Fair it is safe to say that none is more remarkable, and certainly none more interesting, than the big Indian display gathered by Superintendent Reuben Perry, of the Albuquerque Indian School, the chairman of the committee having this branch of the fair in charge.

There is only one complaint to be made of the Indian display, and that is that there is not enough space to show all that there is to be shown. Like practically every other branch of the State Fair work, this department outgrew all expectations by the time for the fair to open, and when it was realized how big this feature was to be it was too late to increase the space to be allotted for it. The fair management knew that it was to have a big and good Indian exhibit, but it didn't realize how big and how good it was going to be.

Those who still think of the Indian as an illiterate savage, and those who have an idea that too much money is being spent by Uncle Sam in elevating his status, have something to learn by visiting the Indian tent at the fair. For instance, did you know that Eskanada Spencer, a pure-blood Navajo boy, has made a buffet that is equal to the best that could be turned out from Grand Rapids, and that he and other students of the Albuquerque Indian School have on display at the fair a collection of furniture, consisting of sideboards, dressers, chairs, settees, and divans that the richest man in Albuquerque would be glad to have in his drawingroom?

And did you know that Nat-ton-ne-at-so-se-bit-silly, another Navajo from the reservation at Shiprock, had hammered out a set of silverware that a trader was glad to give him \$500 for and that milady would be proud to claim as her own?

And did you know that Navajo blankets of the rarest and most elegant design, that would sell in any market for as high as \$500, are being shown in profusion at the fair grounds?

And did you know that a Hopi Indian boy, a member of a formerly hostile tribe, had made pencil sketches that any newspaper would be glad to run in a conspicuous place in its columns; and that another student of the Albuquerque Indian School had made an excellent copy of the cartoon recently published in *The Journal* showing President R. E. Putney as a jockey "coming in a winner at the big State Fair?"

The chances are that, although you may have lived among these people many years, you did not dream that this and other equally remarkable things were going on right around you; but if you will look in on Superintendent Perry's tent at the fair grounds the next time you go out you will see all these things.

The progress that is being made by the Indians under the intelligent tutelage of high-class teachers is almost incredible. The practical side of things is the one that is most stressed. Little time is wasted in attempting to drill Lo in the classics, for it is considered of far more importance that he should be taught to be a good farmer

and that his wife and daughter should know how to make a good loaf of bread than that they should become proficient in Greek and Latin.

And when one looks over the remarkable display that is now on exhibit at the fair grounds any idea that money spent on the development of the Indian is not well spent will immediately vanish. Any work that will bring about the improvement that is shown under the Indian tent is work well worth while, at whatever cost.

Here are a few things to be seen at the Indian tent: In the exhibit of the Albuquerque School there is some excellent harness—in fact, so well is the work done by the students of the school that fifty sets were furnished this year to the United States Government for the army. In domestic science there is a showing of bread and cakes and waffles of the finest quality, as well needlework and embroidery, that immediately gains and holds the attention of the feminine visitors. An improved stanchion, the invention of students of the school, is the feature of the blacksmith department.

Too much praise cannot be given the art display, which exhibits a high degree of talent on the part of those contributing to it. Before getting away from the domestic science work, however, mention should be made of a hat made entirely by Anna Santiago, one of the girls of the school.

Equally interesting is the exhibit of the Santa Fe Indian School, which is in charge of Superintendent Fred Snyder. Art, domestic, agriculture, horticulture, and manual training are shown in a high degree of development, and a group of photographs of the school buildings adds greatly to the attractiveness of the exhibit.

The needlework and pottery of the Indians of the Isleta Pueblo form the principle feature of their exhibit. Specimens of Sibyl Carter lace are among the attractive articles on exhibit. Some splendid peaches and quinces are seen, along with a number of excellent specimens of Soudan grass, and a display of honey made by the Indians of the pueblo show a new industry that bids fair to be an important item with these Indians in the future.

E. M. Goodnight is in charge of the exhibit from the Pueblo Bonito School, only two years old, and the work that it is accomplishing is a little less than wonderful. Weaving, agriculture, domestic science, and other features star in this exhibit. Mr. Goodnight has brought along some splendid specimens of Navajo and other varieties of sheep, which are shown in the live stock exhibit.

It is in the exhibit of the Shiprock Agency, under charge of Agent W. T. Shelton, that the set of silverware already referred to is shown, as well as some of the most elaborate and handsome displays of blankets and rugs to be seen at the fair. A most unique design in a rug is patterned after the famous sand paintings of the Navajos.

Owing to delay in arranging facilities for the ceremonies, the sand paintings, constituting one of the most solemn of all Indian religious ceremonies, could not begin at the time planned, but the tents are now in position and the ceremonies will begin today. This is one of the big features of the fair and will attract many visitors from every section of the State.

The sand paintings will be conducted in two tents, one near the east end of the grand stand, and the other opposite the casino and near the entrance to the grounds. No charge will be made to see these remarkable ceremonies. —*Albuquerque Journal*.

## BAND CONCERT SATURDAY EVENING.

1. March—The Merry Makers..... *Hall*
2. Overture—Jollification ..... *Mackie*
3. Violin Solo—Traumerie..... *Schumann*  
(Soloist, Fred Cardin.)
4. Spanish Serenade—Visions of Madrid..... *Holmes*
5. Valse—Adele ..... *Briquet*
6. Gavotte—Little Sunshine..... *Hazel*
7. Violin Solo—Schone Rosmarin..... *Kreisler*
8. Indian War Dance—On The War Path..... *King*
9. Mexican Serenade—Querida ..... *Vandercook*
10. March—Up The Street..... *Morse*  
Star Spangled Banner.

## CARLISLE, 23—HOLY CROSS, 21.

It looks as if the Carlisle Indian football team has come into its own from the way the players got into the game Saturday against Holy Cross. The 1915 team for once this season looked like the teams of former years, and the present outlook is that Carlisle will go through the remainder of the season undefeated.

At the beginning of the game Carlisle received the kick-off and the first few plays showed that Holy Cross was in for a licking. Numerous times the backfield, Dickerson, Broker, Calac, and Flood, broke away for substantial gains, and especially the going of Dickerson and Broker, lead by Captain Calac's great interference. Flood at quarter has improved considerably and looks mighty good running the team. The whole Carlisle team deserves much credit, for Holy Cross played as hard and as good a game she will again this season.

Carlisle scored 23 points the first half. Holy Cross came back in the second half of the game and with the assistance of a fumbled kick-off and a punt by Carlisle made a couple of touchdowns. It was not that Holy Cross outplayed Carlisle, but the "breaks" happened to be with Holy Cross.

Carlisle plays Dickinson Saturday, Fordham the following Saturday, and Brown on Thanksgiving. Carlisle hopes to wipe out her season's defeats by winning her remaining games. Carlisle will if she plays like she did against Holy Cross.

## RESERVES DEFEAT NEW BLOOMFIELD.

The Carlisle Reserves journeyed to New Bloomfield last Saturday, where they defeated the New Bloomfield Academy by the score of 13 to 0. The Indians scored a touchdown in the second and third periods, but also lost several other chances to score by losing the ball on fumbles near their opponents' goal. New Bloomfield worked the forward pass several times for good gains while in the middle of the field, but whenever they presented an opportunity to score the Indians held them for downs. The game was cleanly played as there was not a single penalty on either side during the entire game. The trip was made by an auto over the mountains and the boys enjoyed the trip immensely.

## BASKET BALL NOTES.

By Mr. Cleveatt.

Recruits for the Varsity Basketball team were called out last week for the first time this year. About thirty-five players of varying ability reported. Of last year's first-string men there were Grant and Chauncy White, Andrew Condon, James Crane, and Clairmont. Claude

Smith is showing excellent form for a player who has never tried for the team, and as soon as he has developed an eye for the basket we will expect great things.

Isaac Bettelyon, a new man in the school, is going to round into a first class man for the position at center. He and Chauncy White will hold down this position this year.

As soon as football season is over a number of good men are expected to swing over to the in-door game. We are finding better material among the shop teams in town this year, with the result that we will be able to have at least one good practice game with outsiders each week.

The Company Basketball League is on its second lap. The games are being played from six to seven and from eight-thirty to nine in the evenings. From these games we are getting a good line on all basketball material. The results of games to date are:

Band, 39; C Company 13; Shooter and Edwards, stars. A Company 21; F Company 9; Grant and Chauncy White, stars.

D Company 24; B Company 20; Lewis White and J. White, stars.

F Company 28; B Company 10; Axtell and Peters, stars.

C Company 10; E Company 7; D. Crowe and Baptist, stars.

D Company 18; C Company 16; J. White, stars.

## Varsity Defeats Todd Factory, 23 to 17.

Condon stars for Indians with four field goals and Hart for Todd with three. The line up was:

| Todd.           | Position      | Carlisle.          |
|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Hart .....      | forward ..... | G. White           |
| Pittinger ..... | forward ..... | Crane-Smith        |
| Yeager .....    | center .....  | Battelyoun         |
| Minich .....    | guard .....   | Condon             |
| Todd .....      | guard .....   | C. White-Clairmont |

## GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

We are very happy that both teams won last Saturday.

Many of our boys enjoyed a pleasure walk on the pike last Sunday.

Alex Roy has improved greatly on his trumpet during the past week.

Henry Herrera is a promising candidate for the second basketball team.

There are now twenty girls in the even section of the vocational class.

George Tibbetts' whirlwind basketball team has won all of its games so far.

John Sumner put up a good game at halfback on Saturday for the "Specials."

George White, an ex-student, who is now on the ship U. S. S. *Wyoming*, is a visitor for the week.

Last week Company F's basketball team was defeated by Company A. The score was 21 to 9.

We were all glad last Saturday when we received the report that our team won from Holy Cross.

Andrew Beechtree is getting to be some hunter. Rabbits are now very shy in the surrounding country.

Jesse Wofford had the pleasure of meeting an old friend from Bartlesville, Okla., while in New York City.

If predictions come true, Charles Peters is to be winner of the Dickinson-Indian cross-contry run tomorrow.

Alice Gardner, Evelyn Schingler, and Hattie Snow are added to the even division in the first-year vocational class.

Hurrah! only three more games to win. They will be easy. Brown is the hardest, but that will be another good Thanksgiving dinner. Dickinson game Saturday.

### THE CATHOLIC MEETING.

*By Jane Gayton.*

Father Feeser, in the Sunday Mass, preached on "Religion," which, he said, is the most glorious bond that unites us to God in time and eternity. It is a living, deliberate intercourse of man with God by means of knowledge and love, adoration and obedience. He also explained to us the difference between natural and supernatural or divine revelation. The former is the world itself. The world is a vast book, upon which God has impressed his being, his eternity, his omnipotence, and his wisdom. From it man might learn to know the existence of God and his attributes and therefore serve him, adore him, and love him.

By supernatural revelation God does not use the medium of created beings, but speaks to us either directly or through men whom he has inspired. He then told us of the necessity of divine revelation. Finally, he said that we ought to lift up our hearts and thank God for the glorious religion which Jesus Christ brought from heaven to earth; that we ought to treasure it and preserve it, so that by means of it we may rise again towards God in faith, hope, and charity, to eternal bliss.

In the evening, Father Feeser related to us the parable of the cockle among the wheat, which he treated from a threefold standpoint: (1) The good seed and the cockle; (2) The growth of the seed and the cockle; and (3) The wheat and cockle at the harvest. He then gave us the interpretation of the parable. He said that evil in the church does not come from God but from the devil. That God permits evil because one who is wicked may still repent and because the good may become still better if they bear evil with patience and humility. He concluded by describing the end of the wicked which Christ himself tells us "fire and everlasting ruin."

Then followed the usual Benediction services.

### THE PROTESTANT MEETING.

*By Hattie McAfee.*

The meeting was opened at the usual hour by John McDowell. Henry Sutton gave the Scripture reading, while the prayer was lead by Miss Dunagan. The choir then gave a selection.

The speaker for the evening was Dr. Exner. He said that three things needed in life are self-respect, character, and right relationship with your fellowmen.

The meeting closed by singing the Lord's Prayer.

### Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

*By a Member.*

At a business meeting of the association last week the twenty members present decided to assist the Dickinson College Association in financing the Dr. Exner sex campaign. Ten dollars was given for this purpose. Dr. Exner gave two excellent talks to our students, one on last Friday evening to the boys and the other on Sunday evening to all Protestant pupils. Five dollars was also voted to help in the expenses of our Chinese friend Lin, who was so appreciated by the fellows who heard him.

The Bible classes being conducted by Henry Sutton and Mr. Clevett are proving very interesting and are growing in numbers. These classes meet in the Gym Club room and in the Scout room and are open to all. Classes are held on Thursday evenings from 6:15 to 7 o'clock.

### Death of Miss Kate C. McBeth.

In a letter from Lapwai, Idaho, we learned the sad news of the death on Oct. 29th, of Miss Kate C. McBeth, the Pres-

byterian missionary, who has been there so many years. Her death followed a stroke of paralysis, but she had been in failing health for the past year. Burial was at Kamiah, where she commenced her labors.

### A NEW ARRIVAL.

"I've not much hair,  
And hardly any clothes,  
But folks declare  
I'm sweeter than a rose."

Thursday evening brought very much happiness to the Lipps family, when a little dark-haired, blue-eyed baby girl, weighing 11½ pounds, came to be the pet of the whole household. Although she has not as yet expressed her opinion of the school, we hope she will be pleased with her new home, for all Carlisle extends to her a cordial welcome.

### IN GIRLS' QUARTERS.

Rose Beauregard, Anna Boyd, and Margaret Raiche had a very delicious lunch in their room Saturday afternoon.

Evelyn Shingler has returned to Carlisle, bringing with her a new student, Hattie Snow.

Eliza Berard is taking music lessons. She can be heard practicing daily in order to have a perfect lesson.

### Birthday Party.

Last Sunday morning a party was given by Henry Perrault in honor of David Crowe's birthday. The following boys were invited to attend: Claude Smith and Robert Gerónimo. All reported a happy time.

### GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Ralph Bingham, musician and humorist, entertained the students and employees in the Auditorium Saturday evening.

We are all very glad to see Hilton Schenandore around. We hope he will soon be able to walk without the aid of his crutches.

Louis Flammond has proved himself an excellent waiter. He works in the school store when not in his shop. He is also a fine barber.

The "Hot Shots" went to New Bloomfield Saturday and showed that team how to play football, beating them to the tune of 13 to 0.

The many friends of Evelyn Schingler are glad to have her with us again, after spending a pleasant vacation at her home in New York.

Since the hunting season has opened some of the boys have purchased hunting licenses and a few have been successful in killing rabbits.

Congratulations were extended to Superintendent and Mrs. Lipps last Thursday, November 4th, on the arrival of their new born baby girl.

Boyd Crow was a good referee on Saturday. He took the ball away from the "Specials" on second down and gave it to the "Bear Creek" team.

The audience in the Auditorium Saturday night was highly entertained by Mr. Bingham, who gave an excellent program. More than one complimentary remark was passed on his acts, as all were very much pleased with the amusement he afforded them.

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## CALENDAR "DETAILS."

### To Visit Literary Societies Tonight.

*Susans*:—Mr. Denny and Mrs. Denny.  
*Mercers*:—Mr. Peel and Miss Donaldson.  
*Standards*:—Miss Rice and Miss Reichel.  
*Invincibles*:—Mr. Meyer and Mr. Gehringer.

### To Visit Literary Societies one Week from Tonight.

*Susans*:—Mr. Meyer and Mr. Gehringer.  
*Mercers*:—Mr. Denny and Mrs. Denny.  
*Standards*:—Mr. Peel and Miss Donaldson.  
*Invincibles*:—Miss Rice and Miss Reichel.

### To Inspect Dormitories, Sunday, November 14th. (8.30 a. m.)

*Large Boys*'—Mr. Brown and Miss Hagan.  
*Small Boys*' and *Annex*—Miss Georgenson and  
Mrs. Denny.  
*Girls*'—Miss Williams and Miss Sweeney.

### To Chaperon Girls to Sunday School, etc., November 14th. (9:00 a. m.)

Miss McDowell                      Mr. Peel,  
Miss Roberts,                      Mr. Rocque.  
Miss Beach,

### To Accompany Girls Walking Sunday Afternoon. (4:00 p. m.)

Miss Boyd,                      Mr. Heagy.

## NEW ARRIVALS.

Following are the names of pupils recently admitted:

Fred Fleury (*Sioux*), Crow Creek Agency.  
Thomas Hawk (*Gros Ventre*), Ft. Berthold Agency.  
Jacob Schenandore (*Oneida*), Oneida.  
John Blackelk (*Cree*), Glendoie, Montana.  
William Brooks (*Seneca*), Versailles N. Y.  
Clifford Brooks (*Seneca*), Versailles, N. Y.  
Hattie Snow (*Seneca*), Farnham, N. Y.  
Charles Roe (*readmitted*).  
Evelyn Schingler (*readmitted*).  
Ruth Janis (*readmitted*).

## COMING EVENTS.

Saturday, November 13.—Football, Carlisle *vs.* Dickinson, Biddle Field, Carlisle.  
Saturday, November 13.—Band Concert, Auditorium, 7:00 p. m.  
Saturday, Nov. 20.—Football, Carlisle *vs.* Fordham University, New York City.  
Saturday, Nov. 20.—Football, Carlisle Reserves *vs.* State Normal School, Bloomsburg, Pa.  
Saturday, Nov. 20.—Annual Debate, Susans *vs.* Mercers, 7:00 p. m.  
Thursday, Nov. 25.—Thanksgiving Entertainment, Auditorium, 9:30 a. m.  
Thursday, Nov. 25.—Football, Carlisle *vs.* Brown University, Providence, R. I.  
Thursday, Nov. 25.—Football, Carlisle Reserves *vs.* Peddie Institute, Trenton, N. J.  
Saturday, Nov. 27.—Annual Reception by Athletic Association.  
Saturday, Dec. 4.—Apollo Quartet and Concert Co.  
Saturday, Jan. 22.—Debate, Standards *vs.* Invincibles.

## TEACHERS' STUDY HOUR DETAIL FOR WEEK BEGINNING NOVEMBER 15th.

| Date.              | Large Boys' Quarters.                        | Small Boys' Quarters. | Girls' Quarters.                            |
|--------------------|--|-----------------------|---|
| Monday, Nov. 15.   | Miss Reichel<br>Mr. Heagy                    | Miss McDowell         | Miss Keck<br>Miss Robertson                 |
| Tuesday, Nov. 16.  | Miss Snoddy<br>Miss Dunagan                  | Mrs. Foster           | Miss Keck<br>Miss Robertson                 |
| Wed'sday, Nov. 17. | Miss McDowell<br>Miss Reichel<br>Mr. Heagy   | Miss Snoddy           | Miss Dunagan<br>Miss Keck<br>Miss Robertson |
| Thursday, Nov. 18. | Mrs. Foster<br>Miss McDowell<br>Miss Reichel | Mr. Heagy             | Miss Snoddy<br>Miss Dunagan<br>Miss Keck    |

*Notes*.—Teachers assigned to Girls' Quarters for Monday night will please ascertain from matron beforehand whether or not there is anything special to be observed for that night, and to what point chaperonage will extend.

Advisory members of literary societies are given credit for one night a week in making up study-hour schedules.

## SCHOOL STATISTICS.

|                                       | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
|---------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| Pupils on campus . . . . .            | 344   | 180    | 524    |
| Outing . . . . .                      | 83    | 83     | 166    |
| On leave . . . . .                    | 5     | 1      | 6      |
| Deserters . . . . .                   | 3     | 0      | 3      |
| Total on rolls November 8th . . . . . | 435   | 264    | 699    |

Whoever plants a seed beneath the sod  
And waits to see it push away the clod—  
He trusts in God.

—Anonymous.

## Alumni Department Notes

By MRS. EMILY P. ROBITAILLE  
Secretary.

Mrs. Earnest Yasteya, née Laura Lorenzo, is a busy little woman keeping house for her husband at Winslow, Ariz.

Rose Whipper, class 1914, has been employed temporarily at the Cheyenne River Boarding School, S. Dak., as matron in charge of 54 girls. She expects to enter the service soon.

Word comes to us that Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Abner, of 614 West Inn Ave., Albuquerque, N. Mex., are happy over the birth of a big baby boy. Mrs. Abner as Annie Kowuni graduated from here in 1897. Mr. Abner is at present yardmaster at the Santa Fe Railroad shops in Albuquerque.

A letter from Jennie Ross, who is still in the sanitorium at Laguna, N. Mex., says that she is well and able to be about now, although she has not been discharged from the hospital. She sends greetings to all her friends here. She informs us that Mark Yasteya is working at his trade, carpentry, and that Lupie Spira is house-keeper in one of the day schools.

Y. W. C. A.

By *Alla Printup*.

On Thursday evening instead of the usual meeting in groups, the Y. W. C. A. had a union meeting in its hall. A short program was rendered as follows: Song by the members; missionary reports, Lizzie Allen; talk on Armenia, Eva Jones; a quartette composed of Amy Smith, Sarah Monteith, Sara Fowler, and Alta Printup gave a vocal selection.

Miss Snoddy made a few remarks about the general welfare of the society. The meeting closed with the Mizpah.

### At the Auditorium Entertainment.

The Saturday evening entertainment by Mr. Ralph Bingham was very amusing to all of the students. The two most entertaining caprices of Mr. Bingham that evening were: "At the Base Ball Game," and "Possum Hunt." The musical part of the program was enjoyed immensely. Mr. Bingham played several violin solos, selections from grand opera, and his rendering of "Danny Deever" was most impressive.

### Leaves for Oklahoma.

Mr. Overton L. Burney, who has been assistant store-keeper for over a year, left us last Saturday for Muskogee, Okla., where he will be employed as assistant clerk in the Union Agency at a substantial increase in salary.

We will all greatly miss Mr. Burney, for he was known and liked by every one. However, we extend to him our best wishes for success in his new work.

### Hiram Chase a Benedict.

A clipping from a Nebraska paper received here says: "Hiram J. Chase packed his grip last Friday and in the evening started for South Dakota to look up 'greener fields and warmer skies.' That is what he told his friends

here, but transpiring events have proven that he had higher ideals in his head, for Miss Clarabell Van Meter met him in Sioux City on Saturday and they were married in the evening and immediately departed for Hot Springs, S. Dak., where they are enjoying their honeymoon. The contracting parties are well known here, the bride being the daughter of landlord and Mrs. Van Meter of the Palace hotel, and the groom is a son of Attorney Hiram Chase and was until a week ago employed in this office.

The *Republic* joins with relatives and friends in extending congratulations."

Hiram graduated with the class of 1915 and his friends extend their congratulations, especially the members of Invincible Society, of which Mr. Chase was an active member.

### GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Trainer Moran has completed a Turkish bath in the cage.

The Carlisle Indians were victors in both games last Saturday.

The walk to the old mill last Sunday afternoon was delightful.

John Flinchum is a promising basketball player for the Vocational team.

Every one seems to be very happy now because of our victory over Holy Cross.

The detail changed last Friday and all the girls seem to be pleased with their new work.

The "Hot Shots" had quite a ride through the country to New Bloomfield in an auto truck.

Word comes from Lillian Barnhart that she likes her new home and she is getting along well.

John Leroy, owing to such good work while a "Hot Shot," has been promoted to the Varsity.

Mr. Duran's "Bear Creek" football team defeated the strong "Special" team by a score of 6 to 0 last Saturday.

Last Saturday a number of boys husked corn for a neighboring farmer. They all enjoyed the work and especially the dinner.

Last Thursday night Fred Cardin entertained the girls in assembly with several violin selections. They were enjoyed by all.

The football boys greatly enjoyed their trip to Worcester, Mass., last Friday, especially the trip by water from Jersey City to New York.

Frances Roberts, an ex-student, writes from White Earth, Minn., that she is working in a hospital and likes the work very much.

While in Worcester, Mass., Fred Broker, Guy Dickerson, and Henry Flood had their pictures taken. Ask Guy what he did with his picture.

Henry Perrault spent an enjoyable Sunday afternoon at the first farm, taking pictures of the live stock. He spent much time in the turnip patch.

Peter Calac and Gus Looks each played star parts in the basketball game between the vocational and non-vocational boys last Wednesday evening.

Last Saturday evening the band and a few of the boys marched around over the campus after getting the final returns of the Holy Cross and Indian game.

Mr. Floyd Maine stopped off on his way from Winnet, Mont., and paid Carlisle a visit. He was enroute to Boston, where he was going to sell some cattle.

Supt. Evan W. Estep, of Crow Agency, Mont., arrived Sunday and is spending a few days in Carlisle. He has a number of friends here who are happy to see him.

Fred Blythe and Lloyd Welch were taken in as members of the Methodist Episcopal Church last Sunday, after which they took the communion, as did a good many of the girls.

### THE STANDARDS.

*By Lawrence Silverheels.*

The house was called to order by the president at the usual hour. After the Society song was sung, roll was called.

On account of many absentees the program turned into a volunteer one, as follows:

Declamation—Joseph Shooter.

Essay—Henry Sutton.

Impromptu—Francis Eastman.

Oration—Arnold Holiday.

Next in order was the debate. The question was:

*Resolved*, That roads are of more benefit to man than money.

The speakers for the affirmative were George Warrington and Francis Eastman, for the negative, Joseph Shooter and Henry Sutton.

After the debate the discussion was opened to the house with many volunteers to respond.

New business and reports of committees were next in order.

The judges gave their report in favor of the affirmative.

### INVINCIBLE DEBATING SOCIETY.

*By Lyman Madison.*

The society assembled at the usual hour. The song was sung under the leadership of Pablo Herrera.

The most important business for the evening was the adoption of a number of amendments to the constitution. The program rendered was as follows.

Declamation—Obed Axtell.

Essay—John Flinchum.

Extemporaneous speech—Wilbur Anderson.

Select Reading—Mike Gurno.

Oration—Lewis Flammond.

Guitar Solo—Pablo Herrera.

#### Debate.

*Resolved*, That an allowance or pension be paid from the public funds to mothers of dependent minor children.

*Affirmative*—Chauncey White and Isaac Willis.

*Negative*—Guy Burns and Donald McDowell.

The decision of the judges was in favor of the negatives.

After the second roll call and the report of the critic, adjournment was next in order.

### SUSANS.

*By Addie Hovermale.*

The house was called to order at the usual time by the president. Roll was called, each member responding with a maxim. The minutes were read and corrected. All business was transacted, the reporter gave her notes, and then the following program was rendered:

Song—Susans.

Recitation—Myrtle Peniska.

Biographical sketch—Lucy Green.

Vocal duet—Addie Hovermale and Charlotte Cadotte.

Impromptu—Relia Oshkosh.

#### Debate.

*Resolved*, That military training should be given in all American colleges and universities.

*Affirmative*—Rose Allen and Catherine Vornwald.

*Negative*—Pauline Chisholm and Eva Jones.

The judges were Kathryn Waldon, chairman, and Sarah Monteith and Lizzie Allen, associates. The judges decided in favor of the negative side.

The official visitors were Miss Donaldson and Mr. Peel.

Miss Jean Richards and her guest from Pittsburgh gave helpful talks.

### THE MERCER SOCIETY.

*By Mary G. Wilmet.*

The meeting was called to order at the usual time. Roll was called and each member responded with a quotation. The following program was then rendered:

Song—Mercers.

Recitation—Alice Logan.

Anecdotes—Rachel Cabay.

Vocal Solo—Charlotte Smith.

"My Most Pleasant Vacation"—Nancy Peters.

Reading—Clara Sundown.

#### Debate.

*Resolved*, That good roads are more valuable to mankind than the money used to construct them.

*Affirmative*—Marie Poupard and Gertrude Pego.

*Negative*—Beulah Logan and Elizabeth Janis.

The judges decided in favor of the negative side. There was a general discussion.

Beulah Logan favored us with a piano solo.

Miss Reichel and Miss Rice were the official visitors. Miss Reichel gave us some helpful remarks.

### GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Our Varsity football team has at last struck its gait and we hope to win the remaining games.

Rose Beauregard takes up every spare hour she has in her embroidery work for Christmas presents.

David Wasase and Fred Ettawgeshik have organized a new basketball team. They seem to be the fastest around here.

Last Saturday afternoon Mary Welch had the pleasure of going to Millersville, Pa., to speak in Sunday school about the American Indian.

Alex Washington spent the day at the corn-field last Saturday and was the star of the day at husking in the field and eating at the table.

George Warrington is training hard for the three-mile race in the cross-country meet with Dickinson College, which will be held on November 13.

A lunch was cooked last Saturday afternoon by Margaret Raiche, Rose Beauregard, and Anna Boyd. The main dish was wild rice, which tasted very good.

Mr. Roque, who has been clerk in the outing office, has Mr. Burney's place as assistant storekeeper. He got his new position by promotion. We congratulate Mr. Roque.

Corrinne Janis, from Winner, S. Dak., is visiting friends in Carlisle. She came with her sister Ruth, who will re-enter school. Corrinne intends to visit friends in Illinois after leaving Carlisle.

James Luther, an ex-student of Carlisle, has been married recently. James has been an employee in the Santa Fe Railroad Co. shops at River Bank, Cal., for two years and states he is doing well.

The patients and nurses regret Agnes Owl's absence from the hospital. We hope she will soon return, for we miss her smiling face at the table, and her cheerful laugh during the quiet hours of the evening.

J. Elmer Hayes, who was admitted September 4, and who deserted October 21, has decided to try it again and is now being given a chance to make good. He returned here from St. Louis on the 7th instant.

Monday evening Dr. Rendtorff gave an interesting lecture on smallpox, chickenpox, and cowpox to the pupil nurses. After the lecture Miss Cornelius served delicious hot egg sandwiches. Her guests were the Doctor's pupils.

## GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

We all enjoyed the musical entertainment given by Mr. Ralph Bingham at the auditorium Saturday night.

Several of the boys went to husk corn Saturday. One of them, Lewis Kanard, stated that he earned a whole dollar.

Lesley D. James, who is employed in the Ford Factory in Detroit, writes that his is getting along fine and enjoys his work, and also sends his greetings to some of his old friends.

Last Saturday evening Mr. Ralph Bingham impersonated, "You can't play every instrument in the band," a recorded by the Victor Graphophone Co. Mr. Bingham also rendered a violin solo by Beethoven, accompanied by Mrs. Bingham.

Miss Elizabeth Bender, accompanied by her sister, Miss Emma Bender, spent Saturday and Sunday in Philadelphia visiting their brother Charles. Miss Emma returned to Battle Creek, Mich., to continue her course in nursing at the Battle Creek Sanitarium.

In a letter to a friend Mrs. Alvin Kennedy, née Mary Bailey, states that she and her husband are getting along very well and enjoy housekeeping. They are living in Washington, D. C., where Mr. Kennedy is employed in the United States Radio Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Cheama, who are now living at the Flathead Agency at Dixon, Mont., write that they are getting along happily and send their love and best wishes to all their friends. Ursula and Aloysius were married here last June, and each one is well thought of by all who knew them.

Through a letter from Mrs. Adeline Greenbrier Shawandosa, '10, of Cleveland, Ohio, we learn of the death of Frank Lonestar, who was one of Carlisle's faithful students. He died at Shell Lake, Wis., at the home of his brother, October 30, 1915. Carlisle extends her heartfelt sympathy to his relatives and friends.

It is one thing to write a history of chairs in general, or to address a poem to a throne, or to speculate about the occult powers of the chair of St. Peter; and quite another thing to make with your own hands a veritable chair, that will stand fair and square and afford a safe and satisfactory resting place to a frame of sensitiveness and solidity.

*Professor Huxley.*

## BEING A BACK NUMBER.

One of the easiest things, these swift moving days, is to become a back number. A lawyer may school himself thoroughly in the knowledge of his profession, but if he is to win he must continue his study; there will be something for him to learn every day, and then he will wish for longer days in which to learn more. So with a physician, especially with a specialist. Every day is sure to add something to his particular science, and he must know it, if he is to lead. What is true of these two professions of law and medicine is true of every profession and skilled employment. The knowledge which is all the time accumulating one must have as certainly as a carpenter must have his tools.

That is why it is so easy to become a back number. Keeping abreast with the knowledge peculiar to one's occupation is hard work and constant work but the reward is abundant for the man who thus exerts himself. Years may come to silver his hair, but he is still the master of his task,

and he will not be distanced by the newcomers in his field of endeavor. Moreover, his keen interest will keep him young his continued success will conserve his health, and he will serve better and live longer. Don't by any sort of let-down, run the risk of becoming a back number.—*Columbus (Ohio) Dispatch.*

## READ THIS TO THE "KIDS."

Just a little message to the boys and girls who are starting in school again this fall.

Don't be one of those foolish children who are simply trying "to pass" instead of trying "to learn." You will find that you will have to depend upon your knowledge long after your "standings" are forgotten.

Don't think you are cheating the teacher when you skin through a lesson with a hair's-breadth escape. You aren't cheating the teacher. You are cheating yourself.

Don't think about what you are going to do after school until school is out. Concentrate on your work with the same earnest enthusiasm that you concentrate on your play. It will make the work easier and the play more fun.

Don't gauge your school work by a successful recitation or a well passed test. It isn't what you let the teacher know you know that counts. It is what you know you know yourself.

Remember that your parents are doing everything they can to make you happy—and the least thing you can do in return is to give them the keen satisfaction that will come if you take your school-life seriously and live it with the very best and most fruitful results that you can get out of it.

Remember that you can't fool the cold, matter-of-fact old world of business when you enter the battle of after-life. You can't bluff your way to success. There isn't any "pony" you can ride. You will find out that you will be rated for exactly what you are; and you will be exactly what you make of yourself right now when you are providing yourself with your equipment. Better make your equipment just as good as you can. You pass through school but once. What you don't learn will never help you reach a pinnacle. What you do learn may be the straw's weight that tilts the scale from failure to success.

Be honest with your lessons. Be honest with your books. Be honest with your teachers. Be honest with your opportunities. Be honest with yourself.—*Grand Rapids (Mich.) Herald.*

## An Indian's Comment.

Are we civilized? A young woman of this city who visited the Grand Canyon a few weeks ago had an educated Indian as a guide one day and as the party went along they saw a father, aggravated by something his young son had done, stop on the edge of the canyon and give the boy a thorough spanking. The Indian was indignant. "That is what I call barbarous," he exclaimed. "Now that boy will always remember this great canyon as the place where he received a spanking. He might have carried a picture of its grandeur in his mind that would have assisted in developing him, but now all that is spoiled. We Indians don't do things that way. We expect our children to endure pain, but we don't inflict it." And wasn't the Indian right?—*Leavenworth Times.*

Nations are possessed with an insane ambition to perpetuate the memory of themselves by the amount of hammered stone they leave. What if equal pains were taken to smooth and polish their manners?

*Thoreau.*

### THE VALUE OF A UNIVERSITY DIPLOMA.

One of the Pundits of the State University is quoted as saying that a "university diploma has no cash value and is not even good for fertilizer."

Possibly the reporter did not catch the exact words or divorced them from some modifying context, so we do not print the name of the professor, lest the authorities regard the alleged remark as outside the limit of academic freedom. For the diploma is the main stock in trade of all universities.

The remark, if made, is such a commingling of truth and error as may well disturb the workings of the unanalytical mind. If one imagines that a university diploma has no cash value, let him try to get a job in a California high school without one. Whether by law, or by convention even more effective than law, Thomas Edison would be ineligible as an instructor in any physical science in a California school. Physicians and dispensing chemists must have a diploma or some legal equivalent before they can practice their healing or other arts upon the human body, although the human soul may be lawfully dealt with by all who feel a call to do so. The profession of astrology or other means of predicting the future to the curious, although apparently one of the most abstruse of sciences, is open to all who can square themselves with the police.

But that the university diploma does have a cash value to some people for some purpose there is no question. It is helpful to one who desires employment as an engineer, for it is evidence that he has been to school for four years at a place where he could learn the elements of mathematics and physical science if he tried. It is of value in giving one a chance which might otherwise be denied him.

But for one who does not expect to teach or to gain a living by the practice of one of the exact, or near exact, sciences, we do not know that the university diploma has any cash value whatever.

In fact, one might not be far out of the way who should hold out that a university diploma for the ordinary citizen is what the mathematicians call a negative quantity.

This is not to say that the diploma is not presumptive evidence that the person named is possessed of some useful, or, at least, interesting, information, has had some training in the art of thinking, and probably could more quickly than the average person find out something of which he was ignorant but desired to know.

What is meant by saying that the diploma has no cash value to the majority of those who get them, or that it is actually a negative quantity, is that at a given age the acquirements of one who from the time of leaving the elementary or high school had been spent in the diligent pursuit of the vocation he has chosen are of more cash value than if he had spent four years of precious time in getting a diploma.

The pursuit of a vocation for money is a greater stimulus to, and better training in, clear thought and the acquirement of information than four years of university training at somebody's else expense involving the certainty that much of that time will be devoted to the acquirements of information which one will promptly forget because he will find no productive use for it.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

### A BOY'S BADGE OF FAILURE.

There goes a boy down street, hollow chested, a big hat on the back of his head and a big pipe in his mouth. He is going home from school. He might stay at home for all the good he will do in the world. If he gets no better impulse at school than to light a pipe when school is out, when he leaves the school at last he will be lighting a pipe and all the hopes of a noble destiny will go glimmering from his life.

In the formative period of a boy's life he ought to get away from all narcotics, opiates and stimulants. It is

the chief part of his education that he gets rid of them. Poisoning his blood with these things weakens his will, drives away his high ideals, depresses his thinking and loads his life with all sorts of distressing burdens. For a boy to go from a good habit to a bad one is far worse than if he failed to parse a sentence or work a problem. It is the man education is after, and not the parser or sum worker. That boy should stop his smoking or leave school.—*Columbus (Ohio) State Journal.*

### FOURTH ANNUAL STANDING ROCK INDIAN FAIR.

The fourth annual Standing Rock Indian Fair for North and South Dakota opened at Fort Yates Wednesday morning and comes to a successful close this evening.

The fair was largely attended, and every event on the program was carried out in a manner that reflects credit upon the officers in charge and the reservation officials who cooperated with the Indians. No accident occurred to mar the occasion, and there was an entire absence of rowdiness of any kind, despite that over 3,000 people were present on the grounds throughout the greater part of the week.

The agricultural display was exceptionally fine, and visitors present from other places went on record as saying that the exhibits were the finest ever seen anywhere this season, this despite the fact that the fair was held rather early.

Manager Mills, of the State Agricultural Association, was present with Photographer Holmboe, of Bismarck, and secured 1,000 feet of moving-picture film of the various features of the fair, which will be shown at the State Exposition in October and later be taken on a trip through the United States to advertise the resources and possibilities of the State.—*Fort Yates Pioneer.*

### THE AIMLESS COLLEGES.

The majority of colleges open this week. Thousands of young men, overflowing with some sort of silly slush that they call "love for their Alma Mater" and with some real joy at renewing old acquaintances, will take up their pursuit after "higher learning," where they left off last spring, while thousands of others, filled with enthusiasm for something that is rather vague to them, will make their first acquaintance with our founts of learning, of football and social snobishness. The tragedy of the thing is that with the exception of those men who are in search of technical training along definite lines and those who are frankly attending college for a good time and the fun of playing football, there is not a handful who know what they are going for, and the greater tragedy is that the colleges themselves are not at all certain of what they are going to give their students when they have gathered them within their walls.

This is not at all the same as saying that the men, with some exceptions, will gain nothing from their college courses, nor that the colleges will flimflam their students out of their tuition fees by giving them nothing in return for their money and their effort. The statement, however, is intended to imply that colleges would be more successful if they would formulate more definitely their idea of what a "preparation for life" consists in and, in drilling their students, would conform more rigidly to their formula. Who can tell what "education" and "culture" are, except in phrases just as vague as the words to be defined? A reform wave is spreading over our colleges. The logical thing to do, first of all, if improvement is to be made, is for the colleges to find out definitely what they are trying to do and for the students to find out definitely what they want.—*Rochester (N. Y.) Union and Advertiser.*