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### CALENDAR

February 15—Literary society. Vespertine program.  
Saturday, February 16—Motion picture—Eupert of Hentzau.  
Wednesday, February 20—Illustrated lecture on Pacific Northwest by Frank Branch Riley.

### Senior Cottage Glimpses

Frances Ann Blake visited with friends in Corvallis Saturday and Sunday.

We were all very sorry that it was necessary for the Biersdorf girls to leave us.

Dorothy Aken and Helen Michaelson were guests of Bunnie Bunnell over the week-end.

Marelda Sturgill and Margaret Hansen have moved into the room vacated by the Biersdorf girls.

Winifred Nelson, former student here, was the guest of Frances Thompson, Saturday and Sunday.

### Dormitory News

Miss Pearl Pehrsson from O. A. C. spent the week end with Miss Mearle Straley.

Miss Frances Randelin had as a week-end guest, Miss Myrtle Aden from Wilsonville.

Miss Marion Hendricks entertained her mother at Sunday dinner at the Dormitory.

The members of the basket ball team of the Portland Art Club, were dinner guests at the dormitory last Saturday evening.

Miss Betty Enright and Miss Grace Drago, are spending the week-end at their homes in Eugene.

Professor Hart of Harvard College was the dinner guest of the dormitory Wednesday evening.

### Ephabians

Just a reminder of our meeting tonight at 4:30 in Mr. Butler's room. Any girls interested in joining our group will be welcomed at this meeting. Those girls who signed up for hiking on Tuesdays and Thursday and others interested in hiking be sure to turn out sixth period. It's splendid weather for hiking now and we're sure of a good time.

### FARM REMINDERS

Epsom salts given to the flock at stated intervals is an excellent tonic. It should be given at least once each month at the rate of about one-half pound to each 100 adult fowls. It may be dissolved in the drinking water and put before the birds for a few hours in the morning, during

Root crops are a good substitute for kale as green feed. There are many poultrymen without a sufficient supply of winter green feed, especially is this true when we have cold, freezing weather such as we have had in the past few weeks. Ask your county agent for information as to desirable varieties of root crops for your section.

Most poultrymen, however, prefer dissolving the salts in water and mixing a moist mash to put before the flock.

The Brown Rot Problem in Oregon is the subject of a circular published by the Oregon experiment station. It is now in the hands of the printer and will be available soon.

Where brown rot is a serious problem growers should plow their orchards before the winter buds open. This may be done in winter or early spring and should be followed by repeated harrowings throughout the blossoming period to destroy the spore producing mummies which are responsible for starting the disease in the spring.

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## Leaves Stirred by O. N. S. Breeze Pedagogic Instincts Early Manifested

Miss Arbuthnot was born in Mahro, Nebraska. Her parents, who were Scotch, died during her infancy and she was taken to rear by a maiden aunt in Des Moines Iowa.

Miss Arbuthnot entered kindergarten at the age of three. Since then she has been steadily in attendance in school and in teaching.

Her chief delight in childhood was to play school with inanimate objects to impersonate her own school mates.

She graduated from the grammar and high schools of Des Moines and attended both state colleges, the state college of Ames and the Cedar Falls normal.

Miss Arbuthnot continued further study at Dinke university and at Columbia. She then taught for several years in the public schools of Des Moines. Thru the influence of Miss Brenton she came to the Oregon Normal as a critic teacher in the Monmouth training school. When the Independence schools were taken over by the Normal she was placed at the head of the critic teachers in that city. She has been connected with the Normal for the past ten years being now head of the Geography department.

### Junior House

Lillian Wirth is usually a quiet young lady but a few days ago she surprised us all by saying—"O, girls, I cut out valentines all night yesterday."

Junior house finery is being brought out from the moth balls for inspection—the formal is Saturday you know.

Last Thursday Lillian Schroeder and Jennie Horner came down again with the tennis fever. Their recovery is very doubtful.

A new variety of folding and walking beds has been discovered on the sleeping porch. What is the world coming to with all these new inventions.

Agnes Martin left for her home in Portland on Tuesday.

Jennie Horner, Mildred Seufert, Katherine Andrews, Lilah Hallaway and Audrey Wood will spend the week-end at their homes.

Lillian Schroeder's grandfather, Mr. C. S. Finch, and her sister, Bernice Schroeder, visited her over the week end.

### Arnold's Hall Secrets

Mary Walker was called home Thursday night on account of the sudden illness of her sister who is in the Dallas hospital.

Another one of our members is a victim of the measles. Ethel Grant is the measley one now and is at her home in Dallas.

A new Normal student has taken abode in our hall. She enters school the coming six weeks. The said student is Vesta Biers.

Ruth Morgan spent the week-end at home in Carlton.

### Music Department

O. N. S. has in its music department a live wire music organization.

The Glee Club has taken it upon themselves to furnish special music for the chapel exercises and Friday, Florence Metcalf sang "The Trees". This poem was composed by Joyce Kilmer, the soldier poet, while he was on the firing line in France and it was later set to music by Oscar Rasbach.

Monday the Normal Quartet sang, "The Lord is My Shepherd." The members of the quartet are:

Myrtle Mortenson, first soprano; Pauline Bond, second soprano, Mildred Lovett, first alto, Hazel Hicketier, second alto.

If the members of the Music Department realized how much this special music was appreciated they surely would feel well paid.

### Art Club

The club met at the photographer's to have their pictures taken for the Norm. All the members were present, numbering sixteen. From here they went to the Domestic Art Department in the training school to make the "gesso" for our work next Saturday.

Misses Le Velle Wood and Vivian Chandler spent Saturday in Portland shopping.

Misses Brainerd, McPherson and Godbold drove to Salem Friday to attend the Stuart Walker plays.

Miss Jennie Peterson was a week-end visitor at Eugene as the guest of Miss Marian Thompson.

Miss Ida Mae Smith spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother and sister in Corvallis.

Friday was Arbor Day in Western Oregon, and, in honor of the event, a very beautiful vocal solo was given by Miss Florence Metcalf entitled "Trees".

## Tact and Persistence Overcame Opposition

Recently it was the good fortune of the writer to attend a rural school meeting. The purpose of the meeting was to secure funds to better light the school building. By reason of the sharply drawn division in the district amongst the patrons, this seemed the only way of securing the funds. Each side said such a meeting would not succeed but despite the repeated warnings the teacher held persistently to her course and prepared for the occasion. Quietly soliciting donations of home made candy from each side, adroitly choosing the musical and literary numbers on her program, she soon found all parties taking more interest in the success of the evening. Again, choosing a person to talk in the evening who knew nothing of the local situation and one whose presence commanded some respect because of the fact just stated and the position he represented, the teacher allayed suspicion and increased interest.

The room was decorated befittingly with a few potted plants, some evergreens, some most appropriate pictures by masters, and some well blended colors in crepe paper on the walls and ceiling. As invited guests, we were deeply interested in watching the teacher receive her guests—the effect of this and the atmosphere of the room on them as they came in and the greetings exchanged. The speaker in turn rose to the occasion and made a talk by getting his audience to talk to him, opening questions of paramount interest and stimulating discussion on both sides, being mindful that this did not become too sharp but quite spirited. For some forty minutes this sort of talk was carried on and one could see the discord disappearing and feel the real community spirit gripping these good people again.

Following this the candy sale was begun and as the sweet meats were enjoyed both by eating out of one's own "bag of candy" and in "taking and giving with his neighbor," the "differences" were lost in the hearty visiting and mutual exchange of ideas. The real success of the evening was apparent when the patrons remained till eleven o'clock. To the visitor it was a splendid illustration of the ability of the teacher by the use of good, common sense and a study of her problem to solve it.

Again this reflection comes to us. As teachers—are they altogether too apt to become too set in their ideas, too little disposed to brook any difference of opinion or dare they provoke any discussion least they be beaten in the argument? Does the little difference too often divide the teacher and the student? Like the patrons, would not a bit of thought and the application of a little common sense and perchance the simple exchange of a "bit of candy" remove the trouble?

These and similar reflections passed through our mind, conscious as we were of the conditions too often existing in the lives of all of us. If this is true, what a pity that there can not be cultivated a spirit of frankness, open-mindedness and a willingness to go at least half way.

Must there be amongst teachers, the third party to do the work of "rounding out" our difference? Truly this teacher did by her program that evening, a big benefit to that community and she taught a lesson not found in the text book.

## Literary Societies Adopt Conduct Regulation Rules

The Delphians and Vespertines each had an important meeting Wednesday at which all members were required to attend. The important questions under discussion were attendance and conduct in chapel and at picture shows. A set of rules were adopted and later signed by the members. We feel that this will be a success for when the societies take anything up they mean business.

Each society elected a council to enforce the rules. The Vespertine council is: Marelda Sturgill, Mildred Hoyt, and Pauline Bond.

The Delphian council is: Maurine Brown, Anna Johnson, and Carol Judson.

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