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# The Montana Kaimin

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## DEBATE FINALS HELD TONIGHT

**TWELVE STUDENTS OUT  
FOR THE SEVEN PLACES  
ON VARSITY PLATFORM.**

**ORATORS DIVIDED  
INTO FOUR TEAMS**

**Will Have Two Regular Arguments, With Both Direct and Rebuttal Speeches.**

The University debaters will meet tonight at 7:15 in a final tryout for places on the regular teams. The contest will be held in the auditorium. One woman and 11 men will participate. They will be divided into two debates of two teams each. The question to be debated is: "Resolved, That the Federal Government should own, operate and control all the railroads within its borders." Attorney W. S. Murphy, Judge John E. Patterson, and Professor Ralph D. Casey will act as judges. Professor J. E. Kirkwood will act as chairman. Each contestant will be allowed eight minutes for debate and three for rebuttal. Seven varsity debaters and one alternate will be selected.

The order of the debates is as follows: First affirmative, Hazel Baird, David Berg, Phil Daniels; first negative, Leslie Wilson, Stuart McHaffie, Mac Pherron Gault. The affirmative on the second debate is Charlest Hicky, William Jameson and Verne Robinson, the second negative is Leslie Shobe, Joe Townsend and A. C. Wiley.

The University, according to Manager Stuart McHaffie, is assured of three debates this year. One will be with the University of Utah, one with the University of Southern California, and one with Idaho. Utah will send three men here; California will send two, and Montana will take two to Idaho. McHaffie also announces that a game with the Utah Agricultural college will probably be arranged.

The contract with Southern California calls for the debaters to appear in evening dress.

## WIDOW WINS SUIT AT MOCK TRIAL

"Mrs. Rachel Williams," the widow who recently entered suit against the "Central Life Insurance Co., to recover \$10,000.00 on her husband's death, was given a verdict Thursday night in Judge Henry C. Stiff's court, conducted by students of the University law school.

The defense built their case around the alleged fact that Mr. Williams was still alive and was seen leaving Helena on the night of Oct. 3, eloping with a strange woman. But evidence brought in by the plaintiff clearly proved that the man was drowned in the Missoula river south of the Orchard Homes bridge.

A large crowd attended the trial which lasted from 7:30 p. m. till 12:30 a. m. Ben Reardon represented the plaintiff and Edgar Reed conducted the case for the defense.

The trial was a mock affair held in the practice court of the law school. Mr. Stiff, the local attorney who presided, expressed himself as being well pleased with the way the law students conducted the case.

**Princeton**—An elective course in military tactics has been inaugurated. The course is open only to upper classmen.

## Hunt Tries Hard But Match Fails With Liquid Gas

(By Roxie Reynolds.)

He struck a match and held it to the mouth of the rubber tube. It sized and went out. Being a persevering youth, he tried again and again, but with the same result. He rumbled his hair and stamped his shapely foot, for it was very aggravating to realize that he—Guy Hunt—the shining light of the chemistry class, was baffled by an ordinary gas jet. He ceased his wild tirade, leaned upon the experiment table, and buried his perplexed head in his arms.

Suddenly the high forehead came into view with a jerk. His sensitive ears had caught the sound of a liquid slowly dropping upon metal. He stared at the tube, removed his spectacles, wiped them, refitted them to his eyes and looked again—a colorless liquid was slowly issuing from the mouth of the gas tube. He stuck his head under the tube and sniffed, then allowed a drop of the fluid to fall upon a slim finger.

He put the finger to his mouth and turned away with a sheepish grin. He had attached the gas tube to the water faucet.

## "I'M A RAG PICKER" NEW THETA SONG

**Women's Fraternity Has Pledges Gather and Sell Old Clothes for Scholarship Fund.**

A youth rushed out of main hall, fell down three stairs, and burst out upon the campus. "Yea, boys!" he yelled. "heard the news? No? Gather 'round while I elucidate." He swelled his chest, surveyed his audience with a superior look, and spoke: "The Thetas are buying old clothes, and shirts are at a premium." Then the stampede started, and the room-mate who wasn't at home looked in vain for his pajamas that night.

All of which means in straight news that the eleven young women who were pledged to Alpha Nu chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta last month are working hard to add materially to the national scholarship fund of the fraternity.

The young women pledges have organized partnerships of two and three and are gathering all the old rubbers, automobile tires and old clothes that can be found in Missoula. Arrangements have been made with one of the local firms whereby rubber can be disposed of at seven cents a pound and four cents a pound is given for old clothes. Clean white rags bring a higher price. A room in the basement of the chapter house on University avenue has been reserved for storing these articles.

The plan for a Kappa Alpha Theta scholarship fund was originated at the convention of this organization in 1913. Thirty-nine college chapters and thirty-three alumnae chapters contribute their share toward the fund and the money has been raised in various ways. The St. Louis alumnae chapter conducts coffee sales each year in the down-town districts. One chapter in the east is collecting papers and magazines and selling them to a publishing house. Another chapter has a silver tea one afternoon each week in the chapter house. Still another group sells a cook-book compiled by one of its members.

The scholarship fund was established for the purpose of loaning money to undergraduate members of Kappa Alpha Theta who are unable to finish school without financial aid. This year the scholarship fund has made it possible for 19 young women undergraduates to attend institutions of higher education.

## HI JINX WILL COST EACH MAN FOUR BITS

**MANAGER SAYS ANNUAL SHOW AND DANCE WILL BE CHEAP AT THAT PRICE.**

Everything is ready for an evening's frolic worth two dollars, but all for fifty cents, according to Leroy Lebkeicher, manager of the Hi Jinx to be held in the auditorium and the dance to follow in the gymnasium tomorrow night. The Jinx will start at 7:30, in order to give time for the dance.

Plans for the Hi Jinx are still in the dark, but the committee are willing to give plenty of details for the dance. It is to be informal for every man bringing a woman and either fifty cents or a ticket from the Hi Jinx. No admission will be charged women. A four-piece orchestra will furnish music.

Few presents have been placed in the box placed for the purpose in University hall. In years past the present-giving feature has proved especially humorous and enjoyable. The committee wants everyone to bring at least one present for some one.

While the wit to be floated over the footlights may be directed toward anyone in the University, and is sure to be planned for those who are most often in the limelight, no one need fear offense. The show is to be censored at a rehearsal before faculty members.

## LIBRARY WILL BE OPEN FEW HOURS IN VACATION

During the Christmas holidays, those who wish to do reference work and study will find the University library open from 9 to 12 o'clock on the mornings of December 22, 26, 27, 28, 29 and January 2 and 3.

## Co-Eds May Boycott High Priced Hi Jinx

A co-ed strike for a lower admission charge to Hi Jinx!

That may be the result of the decision of the management of Hi Jinx to raise the ante from the "free admission" or "10c each" at former festivals to 50 cents for each man this year. Some of the leaders of opinion among the women are opposed to the innovation of making the annual homegoing frolic of the students so costly an affair. They say they favor a boycott of the show by the girls unless the price of admission is lowered to at least 25c. So far no organized effort to this end has been made.

## FOUR ARE INITIATED BY SIGMA DELTA CHI

The Montana chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, national journalistic fraternity, initiated John T. Crowe, Joseph Townsend, Emerson Stone and Howard Perry last Thursday evening in the Florence hotel. After the initiation the fraternity gave a dinner in honor of the new members. Among the speakers were George Stone and French Ferguson, local newspaper men, and Dean A. L. Stone, honorary members of the fraternity, and Ralph D. Casey, member of the chapter at Washington university.

## CLEMENTS VISITS HERE.

Colin Clements, a former student at the University, spent the week end with friends on the campus. He left last night for Chicago, where he will attend the convention of the Associated University Players, a national fraternity for students interested in dramatic. Clements is editor of The Cue, the publication of the organization.

## FACULTY APPROVES GAME WITH GOPHERS

## ASSOCIATION ELECTS A. L. STONE PRESIDENT

**OREGON DEAN BELIEVES EVERY JOURNALISM SCHOOL SHOULD HAVE PLANT.**

Professor A. L. Stone, dean of the school of journalism at the University, was elected president of the Western Association of Teachers of Journalism which met in Missoula Friday and Saturday. During the session Eric W. Allen, dean of the Journalism School at the University of Oregon, pointed out the fact that schools in the northwest were pioneering in journalism—that they realized the importance of business administration for the success of newspaper work. He said: "Without gaining a proper training in the business management of a newspaper the most excellent reporter will fail in the attempt to establish himself as the proprietor of a paper."

Dean Allen declared that every school or department of journalism should have a mechanical plant to properly equip its graduates with a knowledge of the mechanics of printing and of the business administration of the paper. The first printing press in the Oregon school was one that had seen 50 years of service, but one that still turned out many University bulletins.

"A purely literary training, or, in journalism, the ability to write a good news story, is not the only essential for the making of a journalist," Dean Allen continued. "A man must have liberal culture and ability to write and evaluate news, but he must also have ability in newspaper administration to succeed."

The officers elected by the association for the ensuing year were: Dean A. L. Stone, president; Eric W. Allen of Oregon, vice president, and Lee A. White, secretary-treasurer. Seattle was chosen as the place for the next annual meeting.

## RIDER TO GIVE PRIZE TO BEST ART STUDENT

Ten dollars in gold or a medal of equal value is the prize which Dr. T. T. Rider of Missoula has agreed to give annually to the student of drawing and painting in the fine arts department of the University who shows the greatest improvement.

The awarding of the prize will be determined from the first and last drawings done by the student during the year. Dr. Rider, assisted by Professor F. D. Schwalm, head of the fine arts department of the University, will judge the work.

Two prizes are now offered in the department. A Duniway scholarship book is given each year to any student in the department who shows the greatest improvement during the term.

## CHILDREN ENTERTAINED WITH TREE BY SORORITY

Santa Claus visited about 40 "kiddies" at a Christmas tree at the Kappa Kappa Gamma house, 330 Connell avenue, last evening. There was a party first for the children with a brightly lighted Christmas tree, and plenty of ice cream and cake for every one. And then Santa Claus, round and merry as always, distributed presents to each child and stockings filled with candy and nuts. About 7:30 autos took the children home.

Anders Orbeck, instructor in English at the University will spend the Christmas holidays in Wisconsin.

**Nothing Now Hinders Grizzlies Meeting University of Minnesota on Minneapolis Gridiron Early Next October.**

## CAMPUS SENTIMENT DIVIDED OVER GAME

**Most Students Are of Opinion That Montana Will Make Good Showing Against Easterners—Both Veterans.**

A football game between the Grizzlies and the University of Minnesota on the Minneapolis gridiron next fall received the official sanction of the faculty at their meeting last Thursday. Nothing now remains to hinder Manager John Patterson of the R. S. U. M. from drawing up a contract with the Gophers for the game they ask for on October 13, 1917.

Sentiment towards the intersectional game is somewhat divided on the campus. Most of the students are enthusiastically in favor of the contest. They point to the fact that only one Grizzly—Captain Clark—leaves the team this year. They point to the surprise handed by Montana last year to a certain eleven hailing from a New York university of considerable renown. With ten veterans for a "nucleus" for next year's eleven they do not find it hard to decide that a man of Jerry Nissen's admitted skill as a football coach will find no trouble in maintaining Montana's prestige against the Minnesota players.

Other students, however, doubt the feasibility of a game with so strong a team as Minnesota on a distant foreign field in the early part of the season. They do some pointing, too. They refer to the record which the Gophers made last season. They recall the statements of certain critics that Minnesota had the best team in the country last fall. And then they gloomily add that eight of the men who made this record for Minnesota will be back in the Gopher lineup for the 1917 franchise.

The doubters, however, appear to be in the minority and it is probable that the game will be arranged for with Minnesota.

## SIX STUDENTS WILL GET DEGREES

One woman and five men, students of the University of Montana, will receive their degrees at the end of this semester, their names have been recognized by the members of the University faculty and will be O. K. ed by the State Board of Education, which will meet in Helena tomorrow.

Those completing their courses for a degree are: Baxter, Galen Otis, B. A., history and economics; Gilbert, Isabel Alice, B. A., Latin and Greek; Baird, Alva Clarence, B. A., law; Chen, Ching Han, B. S., commerce and accounting; Buffington, Joseph P., LL. B.; Judson, H. W., (certificate of completion of course in law).

Mrs. Lucy E. Wilson, matron of Craig hall, opened the new addition to the dining room with a dance for the student waiters and the faculty members who take their meals at the hall, Saturday night. Seventeen couples enjoyed the hospitality.



## Kaimin Opinion

### WHY A STATE UNIVERSITY?

Mr. Silcox in his speech at convocation Thursday emphasized the one idea which needs to be kept at all times before the University students. He urged them to get the point of view of social service instead of personal advancement.

The Kaimin would go even further. It would say that the student, man or woman, who does not have that point of view has no business remaining at a State University. If he hasn't enough moral sense to leave of his own accord, he should be forced out. He is a hypocrite. He is gaining his education under false pretenses. Viewed in the light of moral sense, he is in the same scale with the man who steals the pennies of the blind. Reason it out.

No one will deny that the registration fee of \$10 paid by each student does not begin to pay for the cost of that student's instruction. Then who does pay it? The State. And how does the State obtain the money? By general taxation. Which means in plain terms that every citizen in Montana contributes something to the support of this institution. The rancher on the eastern plains, the miner in Butte, the lumberman in Libby, they are all paying the cost of higher education for us.

And what does "us" constitute? A paltry number compared to the population of the state, a small minority of the young people.

Did it never occur to you to question, Why a State University?

If one of the members of the coming legislative assembly should ask you to show cause why all the people of the state should be forced to chip in that you might get an education beyond that of your fellows, what would you have to say to him?

Suppose this legislator were to point out to you the lives led by many graduates of state universities. Show them with their eyes bent on the goal of success, in the usual meaning of that word. Show them out for themselves, out for personal distinction, out for money, fame. Show them eagerly joining the ranks of big business, lining up on the side of wealth, property, power.

Show the law students defending the trickery, the unjust acts, the crimes of big corporations, because, forsooth, they must be "good" if their own ambitions are to be realized. Show the journalists, engaged in the delightful task of prostituting the talents which the state enabled them to develop. Show the business men trained by the state in commerce, using their abilities to further the concentration of wealth, of course diverting a share of it to themselves. Show the shelves of the University trained pharmacist lined with fake medicines. Show the forester grafting or laying down on the job because his employer, the people, can not see him. Show the "intellectual aristocrats" moving high above the herd who paid for their education.

Suppose this legislator made you see the supreme irony of the "man hemmed in with the

spears" spending part of what little money he has that the sons of some of the spearholders may devise even more efficient means of hemming him in.

Suppose this legislator declared that he represented the mass of humanity. That his constituents were tired of being the goats. That they thought the state university a mockery. That they realized from the men whom they saw the university turning out that they had been tricked into giving aid and comfort to their enemies. That they refused to support an institution whose graduates took their money and used it for their own personal advancement, even to the oppression of the very ones who had provided them with the means of an education.

What would be your answer? How would you justify the present state university? You don't make a virtue of ingratitude. How then, could you defend your acceptance of this gift of the state, an education beyond that of your fellows, unless on the ground that you intended to consecrate yourself to social service, to the humanity which made your education possible?

If personal advancement is your aim, there are plenty of institutions where you can pay for your education. Have the grace not to accept that which you intend to use against the giver. If you haven't the point of view of social service, the only manly thing left for you is to get out of here.

### THE CHARGE FOR HI JINX.

The Kaimin believes that the management of Hi Jinx is making a mistake in charging so much as fifty cents for admission to the home-going festival of the students.

Hi Jinx was never meant to be costly. It was meant as a sort of last jolly gathering of the happy university family before the students scattered to their various homes for the holidays. It was meant to include everyone. Its success is measured by the number who can attend it and catch the happy spirit of the occasion.

The idea of Hi Jinx is not to make money nor to cost a great deal. Both detracts from the homey, get-together spirit which is its real inspiration.

The managers of Hi Jinx say that a charge of fifty cents is necessary to pay for the dance which follows the show. If students can not be found who will, in relays, furnish music for the dancers, then let the management charge for the dance. For our part, we do not see that elaborate, costly music, is necessary for the success of a Hi Jinx dance. It isn't the music but the size of the crowd that should be the aim of the committee. But even if we must have expensive music, let it be charged to the dancers who enjoy it. Let Hi Jinx itself be free, or so cheap that every student can attend it.

It is not too late for the management of Hi Jinx to surprise the students with an old-fashioned, "everybody welcome" festival.

### MONTANA KAIMIN

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### FAKE SIGNATURES CAUSE REJECTION OF PETITION

The faculty members of the University flatly refuse to recognize any petition containing such signatures as "Buffalo Bill," "Calamity Ann," and "Slippery Slim." Many students signed such nom de plumes to the petition asking for an increase of several days to the holidays at Christmas, and accordingly the faculty turned it down. The Christmas vacations will begin at 4 o'clock Thursday and extend until 8:30 a. m., January 4.

### LONG CONVALESCENT FOLLOWING OPERATION

Will Long, A. B. '16, law '17, underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at the Seattle general hospital last week, according to information received by his friends on the campus.

Long has just passed the state bar examinations at Helena, from where he went to Seattle for the operation. He expects to be back to school to complete his law course next semester.

For four years Mr. Long has been a debater for Montana and has never lost a debate. He is also an extemporaneous speaker and is prominent in school activities and politics.

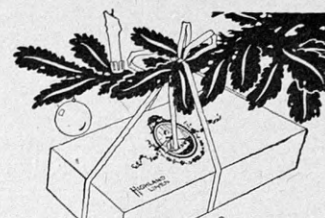
### SKEELS WOULD CUT DEER SEASON

"In my opinion the open season for deer hunting in this state is too long, and should be shortened," said Dorr Skeels, dean of the school of forestry, when interviewed about his latest hunting trip up the Blackfoot, near Potosi.

"Since the heavy snows during the first part of this month the deer have come down from the mountain ranges to feed, and have been at the mercy of the hunters. A great many have been killed since the first of December, and I believe that the state legislature will see fit to shorten the season by fifteen days, terminating the season the last day of November. Owing to the lack of snow in the mountains during November the deer stayed up high on the ranges and were almost inaccessible to the hunters."

When asked about the success of his last hunting trip Dean Skeels said that the results were not for publication, making it easy to guess that he "got back."

Jack Goldman left yesterday afternoon for Chicago, where he will spend the holidays with his brother.



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## EXTENSION COURSES OFFERED BY ELLIOTT

BUTTE PEOPLE TO HAVE CHANCE  
TO MAKE CREDITS FROM LECTURES BY "U" PROFESSORS.

Chancellor E. C. Elliott of the University has offered an extension course to the teachers of Butte by which they can earn credit on the number required for summer school work.

The plan is to have a professor from the University go to Butte every two weeks to meet with the teachers; the teachers to submit written work to the professors during the intervals of meeting. If the proposal is accepted this system will be in force from January to the end of the college year.

Following are the suggested courses:  
Psychology—General psychology, 3 credits, and social psychology, 3 marks—Prof. F. O. Smith.

Education—Principles of education, 2 marks; school of hygiene, 2 credits, and educational psychology, 2 credits—Prof. Freeman Daughters.

English and Literature—Nineteenth century literature, 4 credits—Prof. Carl Holliday.

Mathematics—Teaching arithmetic, 2 credits—Prof. N. J. Lennes.

A course in history is also considered, to be handled jointly by Professors H. A. Trexler and Paul C. Phillips.

## FOUR OLD STUDENTS MARRIED LAST WEEK

Four former University students were married in Kalispell last week. Clarence Forbis of Missoula married Josephine Hunt of Kalispell, and Robert Borland, who came to Missoula from Pennsylvania, was married to Alvina Hodgson of Kalispell. Mr. and Mrs. Forbis and Mr. and Mrs. Borland will reside in Missoula.

Both Mrs. Forbis and Mrs. Hunt are members of the Montana chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Robert Borland is a member of the local Sigma Nu chapter, and Clarence Forbis is a member of Sigma Chi.

## Dean Stone Finds Things That Shouldn't Be There

The scene is the journalism building. The time is last Friday. Dean Stone of the school of journalism is in the act of pointing out the treasures contained in the building to the delegates to the meeting of the Western Association of Teachers of Journalism.

"This is our morgue," said the dean, taking the delegates to the rear of his office. "We are very proud of our morgue. We devote it solely to clippings on all important news happenings. In this drawer you see everything from 'aviator' to 'dyestuffs.' In this one we keep filed—"

The dean's voice stopped as suddenly as he pulled open the drawer. There, back of the clippings a coffee pot, four tin cups, four spoons, a can of cocoa, a can of milk and a sack of sugar were snugly tucked away.

It was The Kaimin cooking kit.

## MISS OLDRIDGE TO LEAVE MONTANA FOR NEW JOB

Miss Bernice Oldridge, cashier and bookkeeper at the University for the past four and a half years, will leave December 30 for Oakland, Calif., where she will assume her new duties as business manager of Mill's college, an institution for young women connected with the University of California.

As yet no one has been appointed to fill the place left vacant by Miss Oldridge's departure from the University.

Frank Bonner, chief geographer of District Number one, United States Forest service, will address the students of the Forestry club in the forestry building Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Bonner's subject will probably be "Road Surveys."

## THE CLOTHCRAFT STORE IN THIS TOWN

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## SCHEUCH WILL SPEND HOLIDAYS IN HELENA

President F. C. Scheuch will spend most of the Christmas holidays in Helena. He will leave December 21 for Helena to attend the meeting of the legislative committee of the State Teachers' association.

He will be home Christmas and will return to Helena again on December 27 for the annual meeting of the state board. The budget will be the main topic of discussion at this meeting, as the University's allowance for the ensuing year depends upon its action. President Scheuch expects to return to Missoula January 4.

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## FRESHMEN STILL HOLD LEAGUE'S LAST PLACE IN BASKETBALL GAMES

JUNIORS DEFEAT 1920 CLASS QUINTET IN SLOW GAME BY SCORE OF 19 TO 9.

### SENIORS WILL MEET SOPHS AT GYM TODAY

Nissen Will Pick Players for Varsity Squad from Men Who Have Shown Good Form in Contests.

#### Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Sophs .....	4	0	1.000
Seniors .....	2	2	.500
Juniors .....	2	3	.400
Frosh .....	1	4	.200

The freshmen added another game to their lost column in the interclass series last night when they were defeated by the juniors by a score of 19 to 9. The sophs still hold their perfect score of 1,000 in leading the league. This afternoon they will meet the seniors. The series will close Thursday afternoon.

In the game yesterday afternoon, the juniors ran away with the first year men from the first whistle. Sanderson was the individual star of the game, scoring all of the points in the first half. The frosh were unable to score in this period, which ended, 7 to 0. In the second half the infants scored 9 points, but were unable to overcome the seniors' lead.

Freshmen: Johnson and Larkin, forwards; Sailor, center; Bryan and Gosman, guards. Juniors: Sanderson and Herring, forwards; Bentz, center; Wingett and Patterson, guards.

The sophomores defeated the frosh quintet Friday by a score of 17 to 8 and the seniors won from the juniors, Thursday afternoon, by a score of 17 to 16.

At the close of the series, Coach Nissen will make a definite selection from the players for a University squad for the coming season. The season will start here January 5 and 6 with a two-game series with Whitman college, and the following week the University of Idaho will come here for two games in the University gymnasium.

### AGGIES WITHOUT UNIFORMS.

Two hundred and fifty raw recruits are drilling at the State college in Bozeman Tuesday and Thursday of every week under the direction of Captain Clark, an officer detailed by the war department for instruction in military tactics at the institution. The recruits are handicapped by not having uniforms. According to the bill passed in congress last June uniforms and other equipment will be furnished, but none of this equipment will be available before July, 1917.

### THETAS TO ENTERTAIN.

The active members of Kappa Alpha Theta will entertain the alumnae and pledges this evening at a Christmas party. It will include a Christmas tree, a spread and an exchange of gifts. This is an annual affair for Alpha Nu chapter and is held each year just before the close of college for the holidays.

Professor W. H. Drake of the forestry school returned to the University from Omaha, Nebraska, where he was summoned to appear as a witness in a federal court.

Jessie Lease, Marion Duncan, Eleanore Little and Ethel Johnston kept "open house" yesterday afternoon for the women of Craig hall and friends of these

Guy E. Curtis, manager of the Y. M. C. A. store: "The sales of Hershey's chewing gum have increased wonderfully since the boys found out that they get six sticks for a nickel."

George Abbott will leave Friday for Washington, D. C., for a visit after being away from his native city for seven years.

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## NOTED EDUCATORS ENGAGED FOR NEXT SUMMER SESSION

ROWE ANNOUNCES LIST OF MEN WHO WILL ADDRESS SHORT COURSE STUDENTS.

Contracts for lectures and courses during the 1917 summer session of the University have been made with three noted eastern educators, according to an announcement made today by Dr. J. P. Rowe, director of the summer school. Other men of national reputation are being asked to appear at the summer session, as Chancellor Elliott is determined to make the short term of the University especially attractive.

One of the best features of the coming summer school will be a week of lectures by Dr. George D. Strayer, head of the department of education at Columbia University. He will be in Missoula from June 25 to 30. Dr. Strayer is in great demand among educational circles as a lecturer.

### Dykema Will Be Here.

Professor Peter William Dykema, head of the department of music at the University of Wisconsin, will be among the faculty of the summer session for the entire six weeks of the school. Professor Dykema is a musician of unusual ability. His work as a director and instructor has attracted much comment. He is a leader in the community-singing movement.

A week of lectures on the administrative phases of educational work by President C. G. Pearce of the Wisconsin State Normal school will be another feature of the summer school. President Pearce is considered an authority on this subject. He is a past president of the National Education association and has been city superintendent of schools at Omaha and Milwaukee.

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elementary grade instruction have given their tentative consent to come to Montana for the summer session. Their definite acceptances are expected this week.

Director Rowe is now preparing the bulletin announcement of the courses for the summer school. It will be ready for distribution in the early part of the second semester.

Clarence Hanley, law '16, who is a practicing attorney at Plentywood, Mont., was a visitor on the campus yesterday. He left for Butte this morning, where he will spend Christmas with his parents.

Everett Butler will leave Friday morning for Chicago, where he will spend the vacation at his home.