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OUR AMUSEMENTS

Only a few days ago some one was heard to remark, "The students of State College are made to spend so much time in attending college that they have no money to spend."

And when one stops to think of it, isn't it quite true? First, think of the comparatively small amount that one has to pay for student tax tickets in comparison with the high-class things that we can attend by just showing that little ticket in Manager's office and often by not even doing that.

More than one person gaped over the prospect of attending London String Quartet for nothing.

We are not giving the impression that London String Quartet location itself gave us of no small interest and afforded all those who were wise enough to go a far pleasanter evening than the Grammar школа.

Then there were the fine players when the Dramatics and Girls' Glee Club went on. The lighting effects and the costumes would make one think that he was at the Hall watching Miss Gilmour do her bit of acting. The music furnished by the college orchestra was certainly as good as we hear at Harvard.

The latest privilege which has been brought to our attention is the exhibit of paintings which have been making our halls nothing but bare and unattractive. One good way of doing this thing just as good, but he couldn't go out between classes with his friends and enjoy talking over them.

A PROPOSITION

How many of you are boy scouts or girl scouts? Even if you aren't a boy scout or girl scout, do you know of someone who is? "Do a good turn daily." If anyone had a job to find 100 propositions, to his credit, here's a suggestion. There's going to be a selfish reason behind it, but nevertheless it will answer its purpose. You all know the story of Gallus and the rest, don't you? Well, they got wildly tired of running around after the egg and went so far as to poll all the papers and all the trash that we leave lying around.

This is the proposition that the fop-tenors and jinniesters are out on and at the same time the college buildings look neater. The basement and the gym are the only places that suffer. They are the only places that suffer. For the gym teachers to keep the students in the gym we're likely to get where when people in their hurry leave the remains of lunches behind them.

Yes, the News office is an eyesore sometimes, but we're going to try to get the good turn stunt too.

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divisions, which usually coincides with the boundaries of a province, is divided into districts and several towns. The head of the district is called the superintending teacher. He is the direct representative of the superintendent.

The Philippine public school system is patterned after that of the United States: we have the elementary school, the high school, and the university. The courses of study are modified to meet our needs. Industrial work, gardening, and agriculture are included. In vocational education much attention is given to agriculture, in as much as the prosperity of the islands depends upon it. We have several regular agricultural schools in different parts. Practical instruction is introduced; for the children are mostly cajoling and games, and for older boys and girls, athletic sports such as baseball, basketball, high jumping, hurdles, and other track events. Baseball was first introduced by the American soldiers, and it has become the national game. Annual championships are held in each province, and the winners in each province compete in the inter-provincial, national, and international competition. Every year the Far Eastern Olympiad is held, in which the best athletes of Calina, Japan, and the Philippines test their strength.

The interesting phase of the educational progress is the co-educational system. Before a woman's education was composed of reading, writing, simple arithmetic, and embroidery. Her social influence was largely limited to the home. The only government position opened to her was teaching. Now, she studies pharmacy, law, medicine, dentistry, and is taking nearly all kinds of work in the government. She participates in discussion of social and political problems. She takes an active part in social work. Women's clubs, mothers' leagues, and other societies have been organized. There is a movement now a movement to give them the right of the ballot. As to the influence of our strong and gentle sex, we may quote Miss Vida, who for several years taught in the Philippines. "Possibly on these lovely isles, where the flocks bloom and the wind is lifted high, we may find our motherly love doing good, and not biding in the streets." So the messenger of the gods came to him and said, "The Olympic Games shall be held on Olympus. Come." But the man the heart is before he saw someone approach him, and heard not the voice. And when the messenger returned, he told him that he had not listened. Therefore, the gods smiled, and Zeus gave the man's heart to the man and cried, "Save him!" But the man, when he saw them coming toward him, thought, "Let them hear my provocation; if they are impartial and most careful, they are likely to form a decision they like best from their surroundings; and, therefore, I conclude that the good turn stunt was not our fault.

The following people have been chosen for this year's election: Miss Vida, Mrs. Emma Martin, Dr. William B. McGeorge, and Victoria Peterson.

A FABLE BY AESOP, JR.

Once upon a time, when the gods ruled the earth, they endowed each of them with a certain power. The first day they gave to a certain man the gift of great wealth and power, and afforded all the others what suited them. "He will be of great value to the race of men, and will save life by his long-continued usefulness." His followers, however, did not like him at all. He became impatient and walked long distances with his long nose. One day, when he approached the king, thought, "Let them hear my provocation; if they are impartial and most careful, they are likely to form a decision they like best from their surroundings; and, therefore, I conclude that the good turn stunt was not our fault.

And again, you know the story of the woman who refused to be befriended by the man, she preferred to continue thinking so.

Now, aren't a good many conclusions drawn by the students of State College about the standards of State College and the truth about them. We, being impartial, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the statements made about honor systems, or being impolite, let me ask you if you are sure that all the states...
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**Kappa Delta**

Kappa Delta announces the purchase of its home at 380 Western Avenue, and it is unveiled Saturday evening, March 15th, in room 130 at a tea. 

**Music Association**

Techkowsky will be studied in the Music Association meeting on Friday, March 17. The program will consist of four violins, piano, and violinola selections. All are welcome in room B at 4:15.

**Spokane**

At the last meeting of the Spanish Club Friday, March 10, Professor Simon addressed the interesting talk on some of his experiences in the cities of Spain. Principles in yeast vitamin. Two were able to cure beri beri and scurvy. As a result the workers became interested in the intermediate school and the school: regular normal schools were established and now the College of Education in the University of the Philippines is created. According to the latest figures we have now about 20,000 Filipino teachers and over 500 Americans teaching in 6,886 secondary schools with a total enrollment of 935,678.

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cing. The United States has not
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the maintenance of the army and the
keeping up of the naval station.

The influence of the Philippine
public schools is not confined to its
boundaries, but reaches to the
neighboring Oriental countries. Ed-
cational missions were sent by
George, Colman, and Java to study the
system. There are Filipino teach-
ers employed by the government of
Java.

As to the progress of the Philip-
ines public schools, Dr. Paul Mon-
roe, of Columbia University, after his
personal, thorough investigation
of the conditions there, af-
irmed that "greater educational
progress has been made in the
Philippine Islands in ten or twelve
years than in any place in the
history of education."

In order to understand the cause
of such rapid development, the
topographic foundation is to be noted.
Before the Philippines became an
American possession there were
2,000 "rudimentary public schools,"
seminaries, colleges, and an
American university. The University of Santo
 Tomas is twenty-five years older
than Harvard, the oldest American
university. It can be said, there-
fore, that when America occupied the
islands she found a people ready
for the educational system that she
was to establish. She did not find a
savage people, but a nation eager to learn and anxious to
co-operate.

NEW EXAMINATIONS
FOR COLUMBIA MEN

Essay Type of Tests to Be Supple-
mented in Examinations

Steps have been taken by Colum-
bia College to modify the character of
the grades in many depart-
ments. Side by side with the traditional essay type of exami-
nation a new aid has been introduced, which, according to Dean Herbert
E. Hawkes, affords no chance for
the bluffer to exercise his arts
and schools, and of which Ben D.
Hawkes, assistant to Dean Hawkes,
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"Hence a correlation of more
than 70 per cent between the col-
lege grades and anything else
would be a chance result and with-
out significance," says Dean
Hawkes. "Since we now have a
correlation of 65 per cent with the
mental tests it appears that we
have proceeded properly as far as
determination of the grading system has been
improved.

"Not only is the present system of
grading unsatisfactory on ac-
count of the variation due to the
personal equation noted above, but
also owing to the fact that there
is no agreement, even among mem-
bers of the same department in the
same institution, as to what they
are trying to measure, what units
they propose to use, and where
the zero point should be placed.

"Figures giving the accuracy of the
grades in certain courses in Colum-
bia College have been prepared ac-
cording to principles accepted by
those most familiar with such
matters.

"It appears that the accuracy of the
marks during the years 1919-
1920 of a large number of students
ran from 35 to 68 per cent, in the
various departments, while the
accuracy of the combined grade
for the entire work of a student is
70 per cent. Consequently, in
attaining to compare the results
of the mental test with the college
grades, we are using a scale that
is only 70 per cent accurate. Hence,
the correlation of more than 70 per
cent, between the college results
and anything else would be a chance result and without signifi-
cance. Since we now have a cor-
relation of 65 per cent with the
mental tests it appears that we
have proceeded nearly as far in this di-
rection as is possible until the
grading system has been im-
proved.

"This difficulty has been attacked
by modifying the character of our
examinations. The kind of exami-
nation which has been uniformly
used in the more descriptive sub-
jects like history and economics
may be described as the essay
type. A relatively small number of
questions are presented to the
student who is supposed to write
an essay in answer to each of the
questions, all during the two or
two-and-one-half hours of the exami-
nation period. Any one who has spent
days and nights in readings and
results of this process does not need
be informed regarding the com-
plexities of the problems grade-
ing the student.

"It is probable that in the essay
type of examination there is a
marginal error of from 10 to 25
per cent, which is entirely elimi-
nated in the new examination.

"Furthermore, the new examina-
tion covers the course to an extent
utterly impossible in the essay
type."

The young man walked down the
street, one shoe off and his coat
turned inside out. A policeman
stopped him.

"What's the idea?" he demanded.

"Well, you see, it's this way," re-
plied the young man. "I'm taking
a course at a correspondence
school and yesterday those darn sopho-
more wrote me and told me to
hate myself."—The Owl.

The Prof. had written on the back
of a theme: "Please write more
legibly."

Next day: "Professor, what is
that you put on my theme?"

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