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A True Sportsman.

Dick Stanton was lying at full length on a couch in a room overlooking the campus. He was thinking, really, soberly thinking, which, in itself, was a most unusual thing for him to be doing. "Here I am, a Senior in school, and I simply must win that Track Letter this spring or I can never get it," so thought Dick. In the midst of his cogitations he felt the soft thud of a pillow on the back of his head and while disentangling himself from the ruins heard his roommate, Jack Travers, laugh in most diabolical glee. Jack's moment of triumph was of short duration, however, for the pillow struck him squarely in the mouth and the laugh ended in a mulfiled howl as his head struck the wall behind him. Then ensued a battle royal which finished with Dick sitting upon his friend, pounding him with the pillow. The howls caused by this drastic treatment brought in some of the fellows from nearby rooms to see the row. Shouts of approval were brought forth by the skillful manner in which Dick was wielding the pillow, until both combatants were so breathless that no more effort could be made by either. Then the room was put in order and the fellows sat down for a talk.

Jack Travers, Dick's intimate friend, was a Junior in Westlands, where both were students. The two roomed together, and whenever Jack's work proved too much for him his roommate was ever willing to help him out of his trouble. Both fellows were aspirants for track honors, but it happened that both were half-mile men. This circumstance, fortunately, did not cause either the least pang of jealousy, for either would gladly have seen the other win all possible honors.

The conversation inevitably led to track work, because spring had just set in and the early training must begin. "I wanted to go out this season for the weights," remarked one fellow, "but old Ellis told me that I could find enough training in trig. to keep me busy, so it's all off." The professor referred to was teacher of mathematics in the school and was dubbed "Old" Ellis by the students as a mark of their wholesome regard for his knowledge.

"I believe he could give a few pointers to Euclid himself," remarked another, who also had proof of the professor's superior ability.

At three o'clock all the fellows in the room left for the gymnasium, some for the purpose of trying-out, while others went merely to look on.

After the candidates had donned their trunks and jerseys they were inspected by the new coach. Williams, and allowed to warm up on the circular track of the gym. After an inspection Williams gave each man some individual advice and dismissed him for the day.

From that day on, for the next three weeks, practice went on

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daily. By the end of that time it was generally conceded that the two chums, Richard and Jack, were to fight it out for half-mile honors. No one, even the coach, knew which was the better man for the team. The choice had been doubtful even from the first and Williams often scratched his head in perplexity.

The season had nearly passed and the real big meet of the year, the one with Greenwood Academy, was soon to be held in the rival school's gymnasium. The coach, Williams, was still undecided which one to enter in this meet, but the other school settled the question by announcing that two of their men would enter the half-mile run. This announcement was received with joy by all concerned, the coach, the chums and even the general student body, for the competition was so close that the attention of the entire school was drawn, and, at the same time, both fellows were so well liked for their attitude toward each other that it was almost a pity to give either man preference-

A few days before the meet Dick received a letter from his sister stating that she and their mother intended to see the meet and imploring him, Dick, to win his event. The letter was read, in part, to Jack, but the part concerning his winning was omitted.

The night of the meet came at last and with it came to Greenwood almost the entire school of Westlands, filled with the belief that victory was already assured for them. The gymnasium was filled early in the evening, students of each school occupying the respective sections alloted them, and working up more enthusiasm by shouting school yells. The visitors were sandwiched between the rival school factions in whatever places they could find vacant. Among these, you may be sure, were Dick's mother and sister, almost as eager and enthusiastic as the most ignorant Freshman could possibly be. As the teams ran on the floor each was greeted by a roar from its school, followed by another for the rival team. Then the referee advanced to the middle of the floor, held up his hand and amid profound silence read the list of events and competitors in each event. The men entered in the first event were called out to the starting line, then, "On your marks! Get set! Bang!" And the meet was on.

As the half-mile run was among the last events of the night, Dick and Jack found time to go up to Mrs. Stanton and Dick's sister. Jack, being unused to the society of ladies, remained in the background during the meeting of his friend and the ladies until called forward by his chum. "Jack, I want you to meet my mother, and also my sister, Grace." Then Jack found himself mumbling commonplaces and heartily wishing himself out of the affair. Then he heard Grace say to her brother, "You must win, Dick, for mother and me."

Jack went down to the track thinking of what Grace had said to her brother. No one knew better than he that Dick was ambitious to win his letter, and it was evident that this chance would be the last, because this event would finish the season's track work and Dick would leave school in June. These thoughts and others of the same nature occupied Jack's mind until the call for half-mile came to his cars. Then he found himself on the line, next to a Greenwood man, the gun cracked and they were off. The Greenwood man almost im-

mediately took the lead and Jack satisfied himself with hanging close to the other man's heels. This continued for five or six laps, but the pace was too much for the Greenwood runner and he fell to the rear, winded. The other Greenwood man was plainly in distress, so the contest was between Dick and Jack- Again Grace's words flashed through Jack's brain and he resolved to sacrifice his chances for his chum's ambition.

The spectators saw Jack take the lead and hold it for two laps and then, suddenly, fall on one knee. He was up in an instant, but Dick was in the lead a good five vards and the finish was made with Jack a good three yards in the rear. Dick had won his "W."

"What did you do?" asked Dick, anxiously, of his chum.

"Nothing," was the serene reply.

"I'm going to see the coach. I know what you did, but I won't take the honor that way," said Dick.

"You shut up," said Jack. VERNON SCHLEY, '12.

ALUMNI NOTES.

A glance into the business world.

Alfred Abrahamson, '11. Al's wagon is still hitched to a star and we have every reason to beleive that he has been quite successful in driving. He is at present employed by the Nebraska Bell Telephone company, in this city-

Wyman Beebe, '11. Wyman may be seen busily engaged as a stenographer at the Union Pacific shops. He quite regrets the vocation he has chosen for he says he can't talk and typewrite at the same time.

William Jorgenson, '11. We are quite surprised to learn that after all this matinee idol has not become Eva Lang's leading man, but is holding a good position at the Government Indian Warehouse.

Harry Lindberg, '11. Harry is in Sioux City, learning to be a grocer drummer.

Walter Lycke, '11, is employed with the B. F. Swanson Typewriter company in this city.

James McKinnon, '11. It certainly is not only the little things in life that count, for this eight footer is making great headway in the City National bank. We will soon learn that he has shares in the bank?

A glance into the school room.

Walter Krampert, '11. Walter is attending a Harvard Preparatory School,

Minnie Malchien, 11-12. Taking a P. G. course in the dear old O. H. S. Well! we can't get rid of Minnie while there is a foot-ball star alive and kicking.

Where life is all of pleasure-

Kathro Lusk, '11. Kathro spends her time with music and entertainments. She believes in enjoying life.

Eula Crawford, '11. Eula is at home spending her leisure hours in learning to be an artist. We are quite certain that Eula will some day be famous.



Finances of The Register.

Below is a statement of the receipts and expenditures of The High School Register, for the year 1911-1912, up to January 31, 1912, inclusive:

RECEPTS.
RECEIPTS. From advance subscriptions\$352.50
From regular subscriptions 110.00
From advertisments 413.60
From advertisments Floor
Total receipts
EXPENDITURES.
For general fund
For general fund
For printing 538.00
For illustrating
For postage
For miscellancous expense 12.57
For prizes
For prizes
Total expenditures
Balance on hand January 31, 1912

It is interesting to note by way of comparison, that the total expenditures last year, up to January 31, 1911, *including* \$150 for salaries, were but \$667.07. Thus, since the staff receives no salaries under the present rules, we have spent practically \$250 more on The Register for the first five months than was spent last year. It is the sincere hope of the staff, that this amount has not been spent in vain, but that the subscribers are pleased with their school paper.

An Interesting Meeting.

On Wednesday, January 24, the editor and business manager of The Register, as representatives of the subscribers, had a most interesting meeting with the executive committee, which represents the faculty as the governing board of The Register, and has as members the principal, the vice-principals, the secretary-treasurer and the chairman of the advisory committee. Before going into detail about this meeting, a few brief explanations are necessary.

Last year, one-half of the money from the first five hundred subscriptions, or \$125, was set aside by the secretary-treasurer and put into the "General Fund". The object of this fund is "to pay expenses incident to the annual campaign for advance subscriptions and the annual election, to pay for printing, postage and stationery, and to meet emergencies that may arise." This money is at the disposal of the executive committee. Although the actual amount of money expended from this "general fund" was not disclosed to the editor and business manager, they believe that it can by no means be a large amount, as necessary expenses provided for by this fund must be very small.

In view of the foregeoing facts, we of the staff, requested the executive committee to turn over the surplus in the fund and allow the staff to expend it on the Annual, advancing the following reasons.

FIRST—The money was paid out by student subscribers, to be spent on their school publication.

SECOND—The money therefore properly belonged to the subscribers and should be paid out in their benefit.

THIRD—The executive committee could have no possible use for so large amount, and it did no good to any one by lying idle in the bank.

FOURTH—If the desire of the executive committee was to secure a school paper reflecting greatest credit on Omaha High School, this was a favorable opportunity for them to give a means toward that end-

FIFTH—The amount which could be charged by the staff for the expenses of the Annual had been greatly cut down and limited to \$1.50 from each Senior. Thus practically \$300 is lost to the staff, formerly used to pay expenses of the Annual.

SIXTH—The staff could not hope to publish a creditable annual with this limited amount without sacrificing their possible dividends of \$450.

In answer to this request the executive committee made the following statements:

FIRST—The staff knew the rules when elected, and were literally under contract to publish The Register under all the conditions in the rules.

SECOND—They thought the staff could publish just as good an annual anyway.

THIRD—The staff need not publish an annual, but simply a "Senior Year Book," with pictures of the graduates.

FOURTH—There might some time in the future, be a need for the general fund, although no example could be given.

FIFTH—The committee would like to try the rules for one year without abrogation, and see how it would come out.

SIXTII—They had eliminated the expense of \$300 formerly paid out for salaries, and the staff should have saved that amount instead of spending it on the improvement of The Register.

Need we conclude, that the money paid in by the subscribers, was not paid back from the "General Fund" for the benefit of the subscribers.

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Girls' Number and Annual.

It has not been the policy of the staff in the past, to make promises, but rather to do its best and say nothing. We have a few stunts up our sleeve, however, planned for the March number and the Annual, and are so tickled when we think of them, that we can't hold in, but must tell just a little.

Next month will be a "Girls' Number," but not at all like the old-fashioned girls' numbers of The Register. Oh, no indeed! An entirely new staff of girls has been selected, who have never before held positions on The Register, and they are now hard at work on a breezy, unique, original paper, of a type unheard of, surprising. (We ran out of adjectives.) It would be giving the secret away to say more now, wait, you will not be disappointed,—extra copies one dime.

In spite of heavy handicaps, the 1912 Annual is going to be the best ever, if the students will stand by us. The staff is preparing to sacrifice a large part of their own dividends, if necessary. We would greatly appreciate any help the students or faculty could give in the way of ordering extra copies of the Annual-Extra copies will cost seventy-five cents if ordered early, later the price will go up-Every cent we secure in advance will be turned over for the improvement of the Annual, which will be worth double the price. Different, —and better—it must be, best ever it will be if you help.

That Incident At the Junior Hop.

Every sincere friend of Omaha High School must feel the greatest sorrow over the false report spread abroad of but a minor happening at the Junior Hop. The newspapers in their scramble for a sensation published a story to the effect that a couple had to be expelled from the floor at the dance because they were dancing the "Grizzly Bear" or "Turkey Trot." This report was given prominence in all the papers and as a result a great deal of misunderstanding has arisen concerning the character of high school hops, and many good citizens, with nothing to rely upon but the newspaper comment, have formed the hasty conclusion that a high school dance is not the best place in the world to spend an evening.

The simple truth of the matter is this. A couple, not high school pupils, had come in to watch the hop, went on the floor and danced the closed "Boston." There is absolutely nothing wrong with this dance, but Mr. Chambers, in order to avoid even the merest suggestion of anything wrong, quietly requested the couple not to dance that way. Very few persons even saw the incident, but a newspaper reporter, with the unworthy desire of writing a good piece of news, and with no regard for the fair name of his school, wrote up the incident in true newspaper style.

The whole affair is most regrettable, as such a report always gains more credence than the truth of the matter. A number of the faculty, and a great many outsiders have formed a wrong impression of our school. It should be the duty of each one to nail the lie whenever the opportunity is presented, and the reporter or reporters responsible should be made to feel the disloyal nature of their action.

Notes for the Alumni, Social, Organization, Squib and Social Departments, which it is desired to have published in The Register, should be in our hands by the ninth of each month. Literary society reporters, and persons giving parties, etc., can expect no notice in The Register unless they themselves write the news. Our box is the last one in the office.



Basket Ball.

OMAHA, 18; COUNCIL BLUFFS, 13,

In the first two games at the Omaha gymnasium, the High School five demonstrated its superiority over the Bluffs' lads, excelling in both team work and individual play. The first game was closely contested and the home team put up some stiff playing, pulling off a victory of 18 to 13 as a result.

OMAHA, 52; COUNCH, BLUFFS, 10.

Council Bluffs weakened in the second game and Omaha romped away with the large end of a 52 to 10 score.

The team work of the High School five was the feature of both games and the showing by them is sufficient proof that Coach Clark's constant coaching has not been in vain. Every member of the team held his own at all times and kept the ball in motion whenever it was in his possession. Leslie Burkenroad, at left guard; and Mark Hughes, center, put up a stellar showing, in individual work and ability to toss baskets.

OMAHA VS. OMAHA UNIVERSITY.

On January 13, the High School quintet trounced the University lads in two contests, 19 to 5, and 10 to 3,

The first game was comparatively easy for the purple and white, but though they won in the second contest the collegians played a guarding game. The high school boys excelled in both team work and individual playing.

OMAHA VS. TIGERS.

On January 27, the Omaha team won two games from the Y. M. C. A. Tigers, to the tune of 29 to 7, and 25 to 15.

At all stages of the games the high school players were in the thick of the fray and showed splendid ability at team work and classy individual work. During the first game the school five completely bewildered their opponents with their ability to place the ball in the

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baskets from different positions about the floor. Mark Hughes, center, and Burkenroad, right guard, showed up especially strong.

Robert Sandberg, right forward for the Tigers, was easily their star player.

SIOUX CITY, 27; OMAHA, 19.

In a hard fought game the Omaha quintet dropped its first conquest of the year to the speedy Sioux City High School, 27 to 19, at the local Y. M. C. A., February 3.

Although the home team was out-classed in team work and individual play, they were never out-gamed. Their ability to put up a stiff fight against such odds proved that Coach Clark has developed a bunch that is game to the core.

Shull, the Iowans' big right forward, and Aldrich, right guard, featured with their double passes. Shull was able to reach over every player on the Omaha side by his lanky 6 feet 3 inches.

All the Omaha five put up a fast exhibition at times but as a whole their playing was erratic. Mark Hughes and Sidney Meyer were the stars on the local team.

CLASS GAMES.

The first of the series was played on February 3, and resulted in a defeat for the Juniors at the hands of the Freshmen. The game was close and hard-fought, and was in doubt until the whistle blew. Score 17-16, in favor of the Freshmen.

ORGANIZATIONS.

Though the different societies of the school have been very inactive during the past month it is entirely due to the fact that they have no place to hold their meetings. We can but look forward with delight to the time when the new wing will be completed and they will be able to resume their work in such a way as to interest each and every member and create in them a spirit of loyalty to the school.

Athenian D. S.

The A. D. S. had a program meeting February 2, at the Y. M. C. A. On Friday, the 9th of February, a "Lincoln Program" was held at the Y. M. C. A., and the society was honored by hearing Judge Howard Kennedv speak.

Webster D. S.

A business meeting was held Friday night, February 2, and the following officers were elected:

President-Waldo Shillington.

Vice-President-Maurice Johnson.

Secretary-Treasurer-Lester Hanson.

Sergeant-at-Arms-Porter Allen, Henry Baldwin.

Mr. McMillan was elected society teacher.

Pleiades.

On January 19, Grace Northrup and Edith Finch entertained the girls at the home of Grace Mackin. A musical program was given.

On February 2, the girls and mothers were entertained at the home of Cail Howard which was followed by a theater party at the American. Twenty-five girls were present.

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Needless to say, when the thought of examinations and cards became a thing of the past, everyone felt free to live and be happy again. But once more we are working hard after our all too-short "breathing spell." Think of having one period each day when you would not have to worry over Latin or German or any particularly troublesome study! But this sounds too much like an advertisement for some patent cure-all, when I was merely telling what a novel sensation it is to do cooking right in school. How much fun it is to walk through the halls nibbling on a piece of a muffin or some other delicious result of your inexperience as a kitchen mechanic. Then some other day, imagine your delight on entering Room 1, when you happen to remember that there is to be a test that day and that all you know about flour is that it is white and fluffy! In some miraculous way we all live through these thorough monthly tests and then immediately forget about them.

By the way, did you know that flour was one of the very first foods man knew of and used? The primitive peoples pounded the wheat between stones, mixed this powder with water, and baked it Later on, when they became a fitric more civilized, a leavening substance was added to it which made a more appetizing dish than before. From this first kind of bread, come all our modern variations, such as biscuits, pan-cakes, doughnuts and cookies. These are the batters and doughs on which the Domestic Science girls have had lessons lately. They have had very good success with them too. For originality in shape, pop overs take the prize. There are never any too alike and they always have a ridiculous way of "popping." Some take a high jump and stay there, some topple over and others just flop out of the pan. But for the best tasting of our experiments, the waffle seems to win, though of course that is a matter of personal opinion. Notwithstanding the fact that we had some new waffle irons and griddles to cook on, the waffles and pan cakes were as good as those we so often hear about "that mother used to make!" As for muffins, they have a merciless way of telling on the cook. If there is a little too much flour in the batter or if the oven is a little too hot, they crack open on top. But even with this great drawback, muffins are delicious and are good for any meal of the day. Most everyone likes baking powder biscuits and perhaps if you know of the comparative ease and speed with which they are made, you may like them still better. The most common mistake in recipes for this particular kind of biscuit, is in overmeasuring the baking powder—a level teaspoon and a half of baking powder to a cup of flour.

Aside from the mere cooking and preparation of foods, there are innumerable things to learn. With our lectures, washing and cleaning, and luncheons, the most important household facts are discussed. The lunch this month was given for five girls and our teacher. Out of each class one girl was chosen and out of the first hour class the two waitresses were taken. The waitresses were Misses Carney and Day-

The guests who lunched with Miss Turner were Misses Swoboda, Lumry, Doris Johnson, Shamp and Clifton. The classes made out and prepared the following menu:

(a) Fruit mixture-Candied cherries.

(b) Moulded Salmon and Cucumber Sauce—Peas—Lattice potatoes—Heart-shaped biscuits, buttered.

(c) Celery—Cream cheese—Red peppers—Pecan salad—Bread and butter-rolls.

(d) Cranberry Ice-Cakes-Candy.

What is goup? Guess before next issue of the Register— "Haines."

Mid-Term Commencement.

Twenty students, representing the entire class of 1911-1912, were given their "sheepskins," showing that they had finished four years of creditable high school study, at the second annual mid-year commencement exercises, held at the First Congregational church, on Friday evening, January 26-

Fond parents, who had guided the ambitions of this score of gradnates, teachers, who had cultivated these same impulses and friends, who had watched them take root and grow, were there at their best, filling the church almost to overflowing. The platform on which the class was seated was banked with potted ferns mingled with masses of red and white carnations.

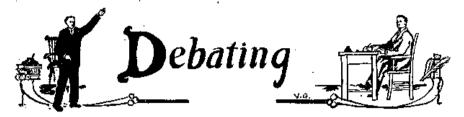
Superintendent E. U. Graff presided and, after the invocation by Dean J. S. Tancock of Trinity Cathedral, introduced Dean Charles E. Bessey of the University of Nebraska, who delivered the address of the evening on "Things Worth While."

Dean Bessy laid stress on the following things as worth while: health, play, friendships, reputation, ability and knowledge. "The main substance of reputation," said the speaker, "is the opinion which other people form about you. Forget the 'don't care' attitude and believe that things in life are really worth living for."

After Dean Bessey's address, Charles R. Courtney, president of the Board of Education, presented the twenty graduates with their diplomas which were stamped with the official seal of the board.

The following students were graduated: Earl Bressman, Lois Corey, Gladys Ellis, Albert Elsasser, Victor Galbraith, Carl Hanson, Grace Huntley, Minnie Malchien, Louis Kowaleski, Marion Marowitz, Morse Olander, Ethel Padmore, Elma Pearson, Arthur Padolak, Julius Rachman, Arthur Robinson, Joseph Rosenberg, Lynn Sackett, (president), Boise Turk and Paul Wigington.

Freshman Goup will touch the spot. 15c "Haines"



On the afternoon of February eighth, a preliminary debate bebate between the members of the squad was held in Room 309. This preliminary was to choose two teams to represent the Purple and White in two debates to be held with Council Bluffs and West Des Moines, on the question: "Resolved, that the present immigration laws should be so amended as to exclude all persons over sixteen years of age not able to read and write, provided, that none dependent upon an eligible immigrant be excluded."

Everything was taken into consideration in choosing the men to represent the Ömaha High School, argument, clearness of expression delivery, and team work. In order to test the team working ability and rebuttal of the members of the squad, the squad was divided by lot into four teams, two affirmative and two negative, and two complete debates were delivered. The judges, did not, however, pick the best teams, but the best men. In the first debate the affirmative was upheld by Barney Kulakofsky, Paul Mackin, and George Grimes; against them on the negative were Maurice Johnson, Carson Hathaway, and Waldo Shillington: in the second debate Alfred Adams, Fred Rypins, and Milton Petersen clashed with Edwin Landalc, Max Block, and Maurice Clark. The judges, Prof. Woolery, Prof. Mac-Millian, and Prof. Burke, after consultation, chose the following: George Grimes and Edwin Landale to be captains of the teams, one against Council Bluffs, and one against Des Moines; Fred Rypins, Maurice Clark, Carson Hathaway and Barney Kulakofsky to be the other members of the teams, to be placed on one or the other at the discretion of Prof. Burke, the coach; and Paul Mackin and Milton Petersen to be alternates:

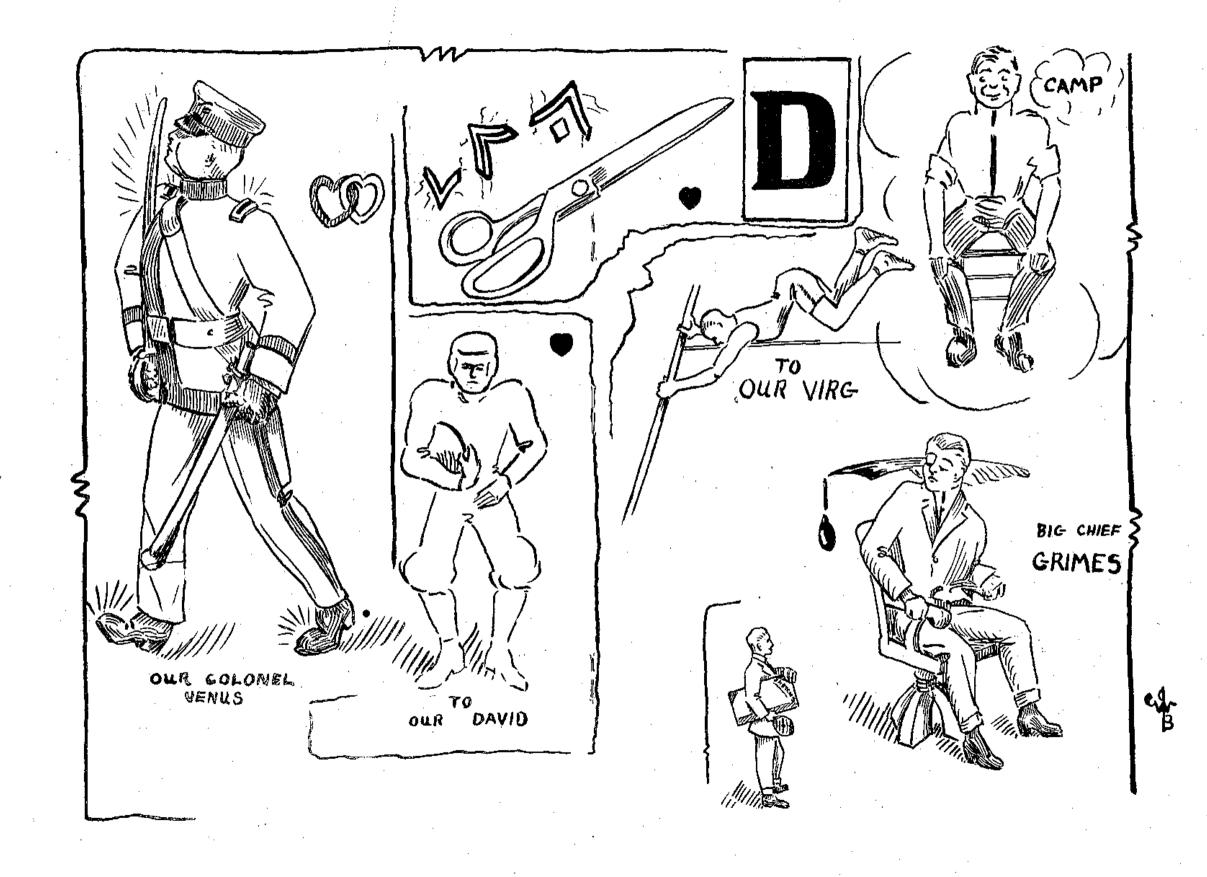
The debates with Council Bluffs and Des Moines will probably be held in those cities, as last year Council Bluffs met us here, and two years ago, when we last debated Des Monies, Des Moines made the trip. Prof. Reed is trying to make arrangements to have the debates held on the same evening. As Omaha propsed the above question to Des Moines, Des Moines will choose the side it wishes to take, and the opposite side from that upheld by our lads against Des Moines will be upheld against Council Bluffs.

THOSE HATS.

"Mother," exclaimed the enraptured youth, "I am engaged to marry Miss Mazie de Millions."

"Is she pretty?" "I really don't know; I never saw her with her hat off."—Ex.

Senior Goup is good dope. 15c "Haines"





DEAREST BETTY:

Here it is nearly a month since I last wrote you, but goodness knows it seems only a few days to mc. From Jan. 22d to 26th, we had exams. As you have passed through those awful ordeals yourself you of course know how we all went around with our noses in books and a rather blank expression on our faces due to trying to learn a whole lot at once and consequently learning nothing. Honestly when I finished my last exam, I was so relieved that I just wanted to jump up and down and squeal. But really I didn't do any such undignified thing. On Friday of that week we got our cards and then some of us weren't quite as cheerful as we ought to have been.

When I sat down to write I couldn't think of more than one or two social affairs to tell you about, but as I thought things over I managed to scrape up quite a few—enough at least for this letter. To begin with, on January 13th, the Amatof club entertained a number of their girl friends at an Orpheum party. Some of the stunts were fine and we certainly did have a dandy good time.

The Ky Laes gave a bob party on January 19. It had been planned for the week before but the day before the date set the weather turned so terribly cold—if I remember rightly, it was nearly twenty below zero—that if we had gone out we would all have frozen stiff. The next week however, it was all right. Oh Betty, how I do wish you had been here to go! We all met at Lois Howell's and the sleigh called for us there. It was quite cold but we had on warm wraps and plenty of rugs were in the sleigh so we didn't notice it a bit. We took a long ride and there were several very exciting moments once or twice, when we thought the bob was surely going to tip over. But it didn't. After we had finished the ride we returned to the Howell home, where a dandy warm supper was served. About half past eleven or twelve we departed our respective ways all tired and sleepy but supremely happy after having had such a jolly evening.

On January 20, Blanche Busk entertained fourteen members of the Junior class at a most delightful luncheon. On the table as a center piece was a basket of beautiful pink and white flowers. Not being a Junior I wasn't there, but I was told that the girls had a lovely time.

On the twenty-sixth was the Junior Hop, and Betty, what a grand time we all did have! The hall was decorated in lavendar and black, the class colors, but the programs were purple and white. Everyone was fiercely tired at the end of the dance, but none of us minded it in the least, because we'd all had such a fine time. Although the hop was on the same evening as the mid-term graduating exercises, still neither suffered in the way of attendance. The grand march at the Junior hop was led by Miss Elizabeth Finley and Frank Hixenbaugh

Beulah Byrd entertained the A. X. X. at a delightful card party on January 27. Besides the members of the club, there were as guests Bess Heaton, Sarah Cole, and Helga Rasmussen.

On February 10, Dorothy Weller will entertain a number of her girl friends at a luncheon at the Weller apartments, in the Clarinda.

January 31, Miss McHugh entertained the twenty members of the Mid-Term class at her home. Great time was had by everyone.

Last, but not by any means least, on February 16, will be the C. O. C. All of us are cagerly anticipating this event, yet we hate to have it over with for it is the last of the large hops this year.

Well my dear, I simply must stop or I will fall asleep and dream of writing endless letters, as I am now so sleepy that I'm afraid you'll think I'm writing in Egyptian hieroglyphics instead of in plain English. So farewell for a time.

Yours lovingly,

Ruth.

P. S.—I think I'll apply for a position as social editor of a newspaper someday. Will you give me references?

NOBLE DOGGEREL.

IN MEMORIAM.

Ah! me, so new and yet so fast a friend. Has past to his eternal end And left me here in sorrow deep, With mournful pen and eyes that weep.

For one like him a future was in store And rudely was he snatch'd from earth forevermore. My friend has enter'd his deserved reward He died the culture of the world to fo'ward.

I remember him up on the dance floor careless, free, And now he's gone, alas! ah! me! That's why this downcast look I wear, Goodbye forever "Grizzly Bear."

A SEQUEL TO "HIS PROBLEM."

Oh, joy! joy! joy! And happiness beside it Upon the school where I shall go My father has decided.

And I shail study rules and laws And work and dig and bone. I'm sure the joy is all pap-pa's, For I am bound for Doane.



The Round-Up, North Platte, Neb.: Your school notes are good, but a few good stories would greatly improve your literary department.

The Echoes, Council Bluffs, Iowa: The contents of your paper are good, but couldn't you find a more appropriate cover?

The Comet, Milwaukee, Wis., is indeed a very interesting magazine. Your account of "The Milwaukee Sky", is very entertaining.

The Onas, Philadelphia, Penn., is among our best exchanges. Your cover is neat and your stories exceedingly clever. Your continued story, "A Coward," has been very interesting.

The Forum, St. Joseph, Mo., contains a very good exchange column. Your stories all very clever.

The Tooter, South Omaha, Neb., is interesting and cleverly arranged. Your cuts are also very good.

Whims, Scattle, Wash.: Your cover design is very neat. Your department headings are clever and original, also very appropriate.

The Opinion, Peoria, Ill., is an exchange we always welcome. Your stories are excellent and your jokes are very humorous.

Crimson and Gray, Waitsburg, Wash.: Your Faculty number is excellent, although a few of your cuts need some improvement.

Herald, Kansas City, Mo.: We are delighted to have you on our exchange list. Your story, "The End of the Trail", we especially enjoyed. Your cover is also very clever.

The Papyrus, Stamford, Conn., is an exceedingly good paper throughout. Your exchange column is very complete. Your cover is neat and attractive.

"As others see us."

The Omaha High School Register is indeed an excellent publication. The "Cleverness of Patty," is a very clever story.—The Papyrus, Stamford, Conn.

The Register, Omaha, Neb.: The story entitled, "The Victory" is unusually good. The author deserves credit.—The Opinion, Peoria, Illinois.

"The Register" of Omaha H. S., is up to its usual standard and has a neat cover,—The Echoes, Council Bluffs, Ia.

What is Goup? What is Goup? \$5.00 "Haines." Junior Goup "is right". 15c "Haines."

"A PUPILS."

The following is the list of the pupils of the Omaha High School who made a record of "A," (above 90), in three or more studies for the first somester of the year 1911-1912. Drill subjects (studies not requiring preparation) count one-half point. Four points are regarded as a full term's work. Those having made $4\frac{1}{2}$ or 5 A's have done unusually good work, but parents have reason to be proud of any child named in this list. At the close of next term the school hopes to present a still stronger list.

Galbraith, Victor Kirkendall, Bourdette Woodbridge, Sands Getten, Margaret

Anderson, Myrtle Crawford, Elizabeth Culver, Catherinc Kulakofsky, Hannah Blacker, Sam Landgdon, Grotchen

Adams, Alfred L. Boyce, Ethel Caley, Lila Emmett, Florence Howell, Lois Allen, Alice Brewster, Elsie Calkins, Dorothy Haller, Mary Jenkins, Paul Bantin, Elmer Buck, Flora Elkins, Bertha Hart, Elizabeth Johnson, Lotta Johnson, Maurice Kulakofsky, Barney McCoy, Margaret Nelson, Arthur Bloom, Elsie Grodinsky, Manuel McGrath, Leonard Morris, Bessle Ncef, Henry

Anderson, Qlga Culver, Catherine Keirn, Frances Lumry, Lorene McMullen, Hazel Peterson, Mildred Rainey, Elizabeth Carlyle, Thelma Ewers, Marie Krebs, Alma Metcalf, Rachel Arnold, Mildred Hampton, Marie Nelson, Edna C. 5 A'S.

Torell, Harold Trumble, Grace Woodruff, Margaret

4½ A'S.
Davenport, Katharine Davis, Lorine
Harto, Grace
Moore, Lois
Presson, Velista

4 A'S.

Nuelson, Albert Robbins, Lois Trumble, Grace Owen, Austin Johnston, Marjorie Krueger, Ruth McGiffen, Hadassah Noble, William Peterson, Emma Rosewater, Irene Wilbur, Leroy Slabaugh, Grace Metcalfe, George McGilton, Eleanor Norman, Harold Predmetsky, Nora Squires, Judson Wrlght, Margaret Rachman, Florenco Rouse, Winifred Street, Allan Rushton, Alice Rylander, Ruth

314 A'S.

Neef, Henry Presson, Velesta Sturgess, Helen Crawford, Elizaboth Hoffman Margaret Lear, Eleanor Meskimen, Elsie Pearson, Harold Raabe, Louise Wykoff, Adeline Jorgenson, Ruth Kuse, Lucilo Walton, Beatrice

Abraham, Stella Berryman, Elizabeth Bloom, Elsie Brotherton, John Dansky, Nathan Flinn, Gazis Anderson, Ruth Black, Dorothy Browster Harlene Brown, Lovina Day, Mary Flothow, Paul Grodinsky, Manuel Havens, Mark Hoel, Lois Johnson, Frances Landale, Edwin Majors, Irene Bailey, Louise Blair, Pearl Brisbane, Benjamin Burke, Margaret Dickey, Clem Fradenburg, Kendall Hansen, Evelyn Heitfeld, Louise Hupp, Louise Kopald, Hannah Leaverton, Hazel Malm, Frank Miller, Gladys McGrath, Leonard Holquist, Katherine Houser, Alma Loomis, Arthur Olsen, Mario Shamp, Gladys

3 A'S, Grimes, George Harte, Helen Hinkhouse, Irma Hutton, Hope Johnson, Ralph Levine Edna Parsons, Marion Rannle, Elva Rushton, Alice Sandford, Helen Sherman, Harriet Tomsu; Louise White, Ada Mills, Ruth Noble, Martha Peterson, Sam Rosen, Ellen Russell, Anna Sears, Sarah Stenner, Freda Swett, Margory Turelson, Arno Woodruff, Jean McCaffrey, Marion Ogle, Ruth Rule, Walker Rylander, Ruth Shames, Florence Stout, Gertrude Thomas, Margaret Usher, Henrictta Wooley, Junior Shellberg, Lilian Sundland, Ruth Snyder, Byron Weller, Marion Williams, Hazel

Dr. Senter Honored.

Friends of Omaha High School will derive much satisfaction in learning of the honor bestowed upon a member of our faculty, Dr. Herbert A. Senter. In the 1912 edition of "Who's Who In Science," which contains the names of the most prominent scientific men of the world, we find the name of Dr. Senter. But one other Omaha man is mentioned, Father Rigge of Creighton University. The notice is as follows:

SENTER, HERBERT, Head Dept. of Chem. Omaha High School since 1897; Pres. Nebraska Sect., Amer. Chem. Soc. B. 1868, Omaha, Nebr. Educ. Nebraska Univ., Heidelberg, B.Sc. (Neb.) 1893; Ph. D. (Heid.) 1896; Soc. Amer. Chem., Amer. Assoc.; Nat. Educ.; Nat. Geog. Late Sec. 1905; Pres. 1906, 1907, Dept. Sci. Instr. N. E. A. Book, "Pseudo Cumenols," 1896.

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Captain of Company—"You don't know how nervous I was when I asked you to be my sponsor."

Fair Damsel—"And you don't know how nervous I was until you did ask me."

About the most practical suggestion for a Christmas present that we saw last year was the janitor's way of wishing us a very Merry Christmas.

Sophomore Goup. Another good one. 15c "Haines."



WE HAVE HAD MADE

A Special lot of box Stationery for High School Students—bearing the high school purple O. H. S. Omaha. We think you will like it. Let us have an expression please—price 60 cents per box.

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THEY GENERALLY ARE

Wanted-Lady presser. Must be swift. Inquire Lisle Keys.

How the Drum beat it last Saturday night. Clarence Drum shook the dust of Ada from his shoes and departed forever—(Ada (O.) Record.)

John Hannighan: Shan't I play you the woolen underwear record?"

Clarence Peters: "Is that the name of the piece?"

Hannighen: "No, we just call it that because it sounds so scratchy."

Domestic Science Student: "I want a piece of meat without any bone, fat, or gristle."

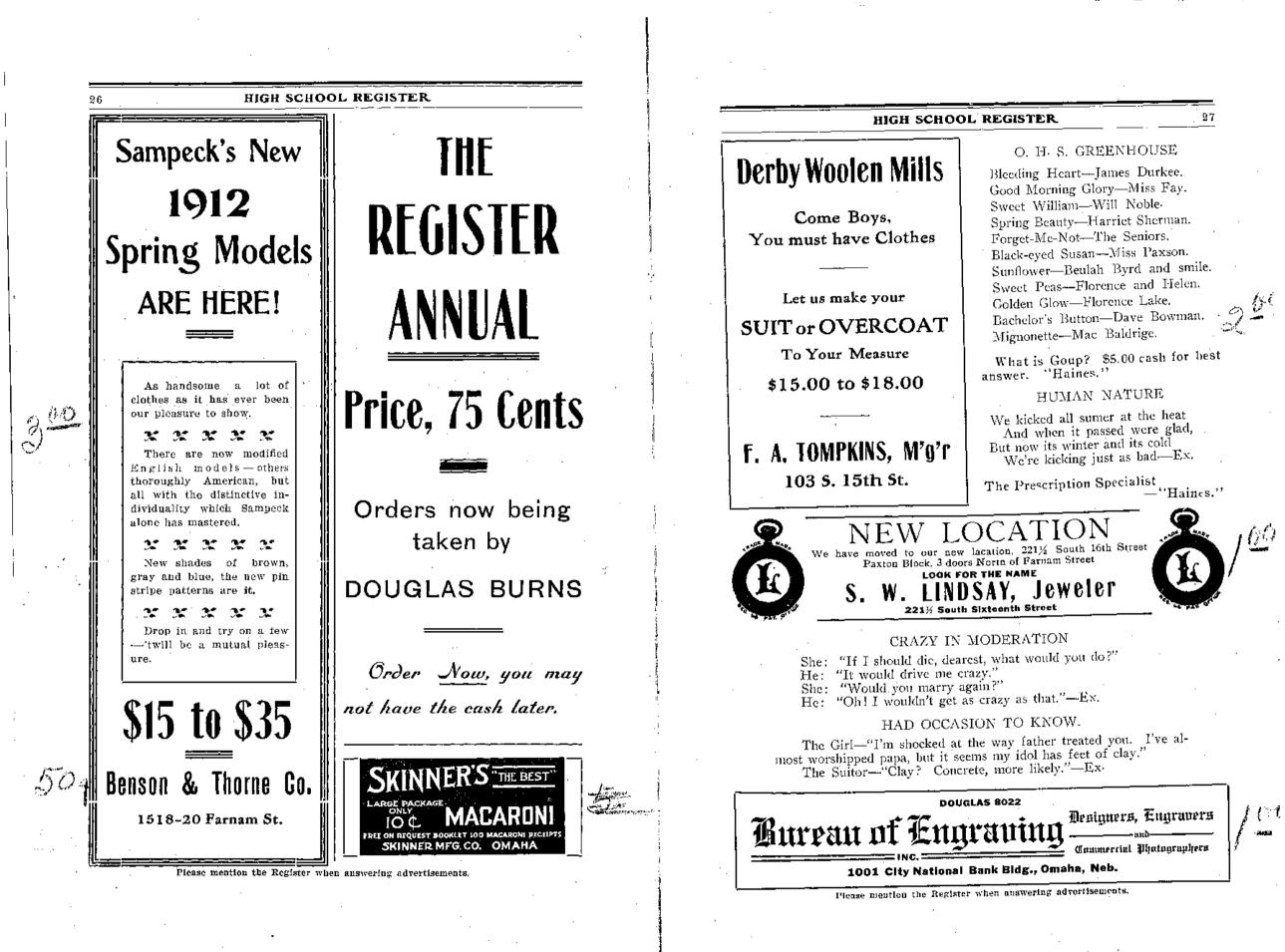
Butcher: "I think you had better have an egg."

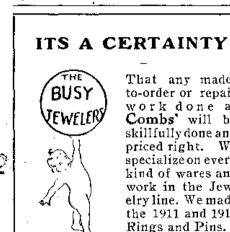
Hix: "What do you call your machine, an automobile or a motor car?"

Pete: "I call it either when it runs; when it doesn't I call it other things."

Sievers: "I am feeling miserable doctor, I can't get my mind on my lessons, my appetite is gone and I can't sleep. What would you advise me to do?"

Doctor: "Marry the girl. "Two dollars, please.""

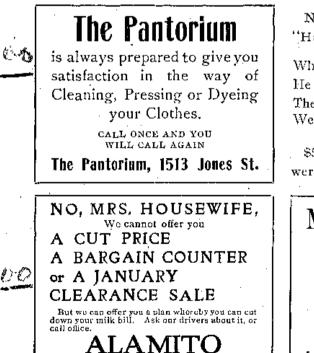




The subject of this little toast That any madeto-order or repair work done at **Combs'** will be skillfully done and priced right. We specialize on every kind of wares and work in the Jewelry line. We made the 1911 and 1912 Rings and Pins.

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PUZZLES FOR SENIORS.

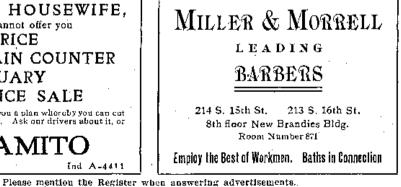
But often misconstrued for gall.

The rights of friendship, dear to all

Ne Notriz Goup is a new one. 10c "Haines."

When he to the castle came, He didn't think he'd soon be slain, The witches 'round the cauldron great, Were the cause of his dire fate.

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THE LANGUAGE.

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"Navther. Oi said ye had twinty minutes to ate, an' that's all ye did have. Yer train's just gone."-Ex.

BOTH ON THE WAY

Bessie was sent to the pantry to get some sticky fly-paper. She was gone a long time, and finally her mother called: "Bessie, hurry with the fly-paper. Have you got it?" "No, mama, the fly-paper's got me But-we're coming."

CLOTHES? NEW What's the Use?

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In days of yore, when many score Of knights rode ponies brown, They rode them well, and strange to They never tumbled down.

But in our school, when a poor fool A pony fine would ride, He learneth naught, is quickly caught, And he wishes he had died.-Ex.

Triangle Sundae. "It's Fine." 15c "Haines."

EVERLASTINGLY.

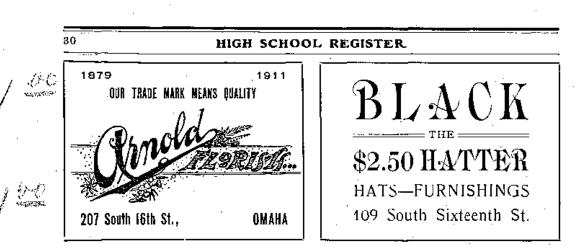
Wallace Shephard-"Lend me two bits, Ralph, will you? I'll be everlastingly indebted to you."

Ralph Campbell-"That's just what I'm afraid of, old fellow."

"I wasn't always like this," said the tramp, who was our old friend, Eggs Delameter.

"No, you had the crutch under your other arm last time," said the lady.

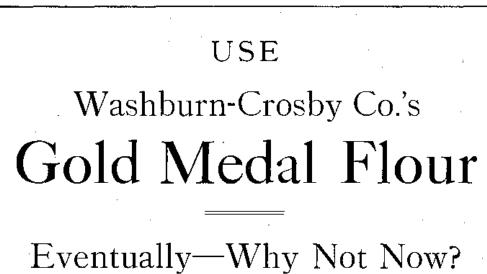
"Arthur says its' going to be awful cold tomorrow." Freshman (singing)—"Oh, my love's like a red, red nose."



First Caddie.—"Hie, Bubbey, whatcher doin'?"

Second Caddie, (quietly)—"I'm goin' round with Mr. So and So, now; but when he gets through tearin' up the earth I'm goin' fishing with the worms he's raised."—Ex.

- When I see a youth with his pants turned up and his beautiful sox on view,
- And over one eye perched a little round hat with a ribbon of mauze or blue,
- And fourteen rings and the seven pins that he got at his dear prep. school.
- Why, it strikes a chord, and I say, "Oh, Lord! was I ever that big a fool?"



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French Maid: "Oni, madame, but eetees not my fault. Eet was only last night zat you son propose to me."-Ex.

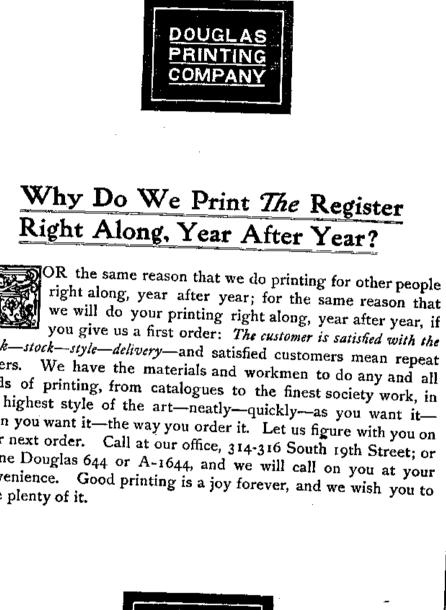
"Bridget, did you hear the door bell?" "Yis, mum."

"Then why don't you got the door."

"Shure, mum, I don't be expecting anybody to call on mc. It must be somebody to see yourself."-Ex-

"Mother, is that bayrum in that bottle?" "No, Phil, that's glue." "Well, maybe that's why I can't get my hat off."









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