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## The Highway of Peace

By Henry M. Harder, College, 1929

One day a Galilean carpenter left his bench to teach humanity the worth of love and the intrinsic value of Brotherhood. He incarnated anew the law of old, "Love thy neighbor as thyself" a law which expresses the essence of social character. He not only taught this law, but he himself lived it. He was enemy to one; he manifested love towards all.

Centuries have passed since he walked the plains of Galilee and taught the people love and contentment; but the world has not yet come to realize the value of peace and brotherhood.

Time was when man's first care was. self. He was as indeyendent as the deer in the forests. But conditions have changed so that he is $n$ ? longer independent; he is only a spoke in the huge wheel of social relationships. As it is with men so it is with nations. No nätion is independent; no nation liveth to itself; no nation dieth to itself. if one nation suffers, all other nations suffer with it. The fate of France, of Germany, of China, of Armenia is the fate of America. The day has come when nations must be each others keeper, or go down together in destruct:on. Therefore the law of old, "Love thy neighgbor as thyself," is today even more essential than when human ears first conceived it.

Since nations have grown so dependent on each other, international relations have also grown more complex, and have brought new sources of quarrel. What cared the German for the French? Was he not merely an enemy to be conquered and exploited? How could Germany afford to help France, her rival in industry, commerce, and power? Thus international conflicts have continued. They have taken on new forms and and grown in magnitude. Instead of the primitive fight between man, we have collective selfishness of opposing nations. The World Powers have armies and navies which slay each others strongest men in battle. In consequence we have nations utterly jealous, bristling with guns, and bearing a bitter heritare of hate from the mistaken rivalries and the unhealed wounds of centuries.

The Bible teaches man not to kill. But let pride be involved, and all that is noble in man is forgotten in the heat of his baser instincts and passions-the race-long lust for revenge, for wealth, for power.

Picture to yourselves a scene of battlea picture graphic and terrible. Two men, but personfying two nations at war. In the foreground lie two soldiers, both dead; one has a smoking rifle beside him, the other is cleaning a bloody knife in his hand. Behind, silhouetted against a ruined
horizon, lie the ruins of a once thriving civilization. Horrible, unthinkable vision!

Is that the ideal of humanity? Is that the destiny of the men and women and children of tomorrow? That awful scene-the shell-torn, desolated plains of Europe, the millions of white crosses that speak with dumb eloquence in Flanders, the ruin and wreckage of industry, the countless masses crushed with the awful burden of taxation, the tragic loneliness of ten million of vacant homes, the hopeless thousands of maimed and blind, and the pathetical throats of half-starved and diseased children that cry in unison to the world to change and to construct a surer foundation than that built on implements of warfare and on their ruined homes.

At the Council Table of the World Court sit the representatives of the various nations, each representing his nation in helping to form a barrier against the four horsemen of the Apocalyse-Conquest, War Pestilence and Death. Oh, people of the World Opinicn, if you stand back of these representatives, and if you heed the ringing challenge that bids you to unite in love and brotherhood and to stand unitely against those four friends, who seek to destroy humanity, then they shall not pass.

Toward such a challenge, how can we remain id!e and indifferent? If much longer we remain idle, we shall break faith with the Hones of our fathers, we shall be false to the Hopes of our sons, and we shall betray the Hopes of the growing child. "There could be nothing more tragic than to see World Opinion in the day of might, calm!y and indifferently, like the Levite of old, selfishly walking the middle of the road, while by the side of the way lies the world, bruised and bleedirg, pleading but for the hand of a good Samaritan-and pleading in vain."

Friends, the world has come to the crossroads of Time. Humanity stands at the foot of the signpost, looking at the two hands pointing out the way. The left hand points to a path, "bristling with the preparations for war, overgrown with suspi cion, and culminating, inevitably culminating, in war itself, brutally scientific, utterly annihilating." The right hand points out a path leading through friendship, and
cooperation, and harmony, to universal Brotherhood and Neighborly love. To the left, the trail leading to the fields of battle, a trail "trodden deen with the blood and tears of the ages, leading down, down into the Valley of the Shadow of Death." To the right, the trail of the Prince of Peace. The trail which his followers are already following, leading up, up to the lofty mountain tops of peace and harmony. And here stands Humanity at the foot of the signpost, hesitating which course to choose. Thence she may go to the doom of Battle and Destruction; thither she may enter the gates of Peace and Prosperity. Which? Which? There can be only one answer; there can be but one choice: the right hand path, the upward path-the path that leads to Peace and Prosperity.

I am pleading for no nation, for no alliance, for no balance of power. I am pleading for All the Nations of the World. That the nations could comprehand the words of Edwin Markham when he says:
"There is a destiny that makes us brothers, None goes his way alone."

The nations cannot, they must not hold back and cling to the bloody Past and tread again the gloomy road which they have trodden for centuries; they must unite for the Common Cause of All and cast off their blood stained garments of Battle. If nations remain sundred from nations, letting jealous nride predominate, instead of forming a mutual friendship and extending a loving hand of brotherhood, surely, surely the days of world peace are numbered. If the present international relations should fail, then indeed will the sorrow and misery of past wars be but as a ripple on a sheltered lake comnared to the oceanic storm of desolation and death that will devastate the world.

Patiently and hopefully Humanity waits for the nations to decide. Would that they could but grasp the words of James Russell Lowell:
"Once to every man and nation comes the moment to decide."
Would that the nations could decide now to tread the right hand road, before another conflict hurls them at the bloody feet of Mars.

The nations may either lift the bleeding
world to a civilization of which their fathers rarely dreamed; or they may hurl her down to a position of barbarism of which they never conceived.

If they choose the right hand path, then shall Humanity push forward and fulfill its loftiest aspirations. Then shall the eternal principles of the Prince of Peace reign supreme in the hearts of men. Above the gleam of the armor shall shine the glories of the cross. Instead of the Warrior shail be heralded the man of Galilee." Instead of strife and discord shall be peace and harmony, wherein the jarring, warring elements of mankind shall be merged into one single, united, harmonious family recognizing Christ as its head. And with Christ as leader, they will move steadily onward, upward on THE HIGHWAY OF PEACE.

## DO WE WANT PEACE?

(Submitted with request for publication in Bethel College Monthly)

How many people really want peace, either in their own lives or among the nations? The answer comes readily, "Almost everybody." Is it not nearer the truth to say' "Almost nobody," or at any rate, such a small fraction of those on earth as to be almost negligible? For the word "peace" is a very deep and searching word, and necessarily carries with it implications from which the natural man shrinks. A Christian man with keen insight in the Bible truth and human nature writes: "Men do not want Bible peace, but simply freedom from war. The 'peace' of history consists of quiet times between the last one and the next one. Nations live at 'peace' for years; then something happens! They fight until tired; then sign papers. Paper peace is not permanent. What men make, men break. True peace is of the heart, and is not via The Hague or Locarno (or Geneva). True peace is absence of fear through obedience to God through Jesus Christ, his Son, the Prince of Peace. The Bible says that he is our peace, having made peace through the blood of his cross. Thus, true peace with men can come only through peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ." And that is what men do not want. Peace means the end of singing. The unsaved man is at war with God, "because the carnal mind is eter-
nity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be." (Nom. 8:7). And men who are at war with God cannot be at peace with each other. God's neace is conditional: 'Glory to God in the highest' must precede 'Peace on earth.' But those who really desire peace with their whole hearts can have it, instantly, completely. The moment they receive Christ as Saviour, God writes a blessed "herefore" after their names: "Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ." As ind:viduals, we can be at peace with God and with our fellows even while the nations continue to wage war. Meantime we know that He who is our peace is coming again to this earth, to establish the worldwide peace that sinning men can never bring to pass. -Sunday School Times.

## RECOGNITION OF SCHOLARSHIP

The athletics-mania which has in recent years taken a firm grip on the American colleges has established a new basis for the evaluation of student attainment. If formerly the hero in a college was a scholar, he is today an athelete. If it was then Daniel Webster, it is today Red. Grange.

This shifting of hero-worship has a tendency to show itself in a more or less pronounced way even at Bethel. The activity for which class periods are cut to forty minutes and to which faculty and students hurry in good quota is not a forensic tournament, or a C. E. Convention, but a football game, or a trackmeet. The hero is not he who has excelled in mental superiority, but he who has shown himself superior in physical skill. He who rises on Alma Mater morning amidst enthusiastic applause of the many to receive his maroon sweater with the " $B$ " is not the A-student in the obscure corner, but the C-student who kicked the goal.

To counteract, in part, this tendency, the faculty recently voted to create a system of honors which calls for public recognition of those students who have excelled in scholarship in each year of their attendance; furthermore, a unique recognition of seniors who have attained certain prescribed standards. The faculty voted also this arrangement shall be retroactive making it

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possible for graduates of past years to receive this specific recognition. In order that the alumni may more fully understand the details of the plan the resolution as adopted by the faculty are submitted:
I. That honors be awarded in some form of public recognition at the close of each school year to students who have accomplished a certa:n definite standard of work.
II. That a student to be eligible for honors carry not less than 15 hours of work each semester and that he conform with the general regulations of the instíution.
III. That these honors be of two kinds:
(a) An award to be granted to any student who has achieved an academic standing for his particular year in conformity wi h the following regulations:

1. Freshmen must have at least 60 honor points, one-third of which must be A points with no rrade below $C$.
2. S phomores must have at least 65 honor points, one-thind of which must be A poin's with no grade below C.
3. Juniors must have at least 70 honor points, one-third of which must be A points with no grade below C.
4. Seniors must have at least 75 honor points, one-third of which must be A points with no grade below C.
5. That the names of honor students for a distinct scholastic year be announced at the Alma Mater Meeting and published in the Bethel College Monthly.
(b) An award to Seniors who have won special distinction by having achieved high scholarship, who have shown a spirit of loyalty and cooperation in the school's activities, and who have shown themselves in sympathy with the highest ideals of the institution. Such Seniors become el gible for membership in the Honorary Association. Membership in this Association is to be regulated by the following provisions:
6. The candidate must have 300 honor points, at least one-third of which are A points.
7. The candidate must have no grade below $C$ in his entire school record.
8. H? must have done at least three full years of work at Bethel College.
9. Seniors who have submitted grades for a vear's work from another college and who did not submit honor points from that
institution may be granted honor points for such work in accordance with our system.
10. The names of Seniors who have won membership to the Honorary Association shall be announced at the annual Commencement Exercises and shall be published in the catalog for the following year.
11. Members of the Honorary Association shall be entitled to wear an insignia which insignia is to be the permanent standard insignia of the organiaztion and is to be purchased at the option of the student. This insignia shall be worn exclusively by members of the Association.
7.College graduates of the years preceding the establishment of this Association shall be eligible to membership in the Association if they so request and their scholastic record warrants it.
IV. That the names of all candidates for honors be submitted to the faculty for approval.

The faculty has also decided that all those graduates who can qualify for membership to this honorary organization shall constitute the charter members of the organization. A committee has been appointed to investigate past records to find who may be eligible. Another committee is appointed to suggest name, an insignia, and to draft a tentative constitution.

## Campus Comments

## THE PRESIDENT ION A TOUR

President J. W. Kliewer has gone east to Hartford Theological Seminary for the purpose of given a series of lectures, discussing the Mennonites. Bethel is happy to know that an eas'ern institution, such as Hartford, is sufficiently interestzd in Mennonites to call the president of a western Mennonite college to acquaint her students better with them. Dr. Kliewer will also stop at Washington, D. C., where he is urged to go in the interest of a bill which threatens to take the mission lands from the Mennonite Montana missions. Later he will go to Bluffton, Ohio, to deliver the Commencement address.

## THE ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN

The success thus far of the launched endowment campaign is a combination of things both encouraging and discouraging. In one community the donations for a day were large and most encouraging. Yet that community gave only one third of what conference churches must give, proportionally, if the $\$ 250,000$ is to be realized within the allotised time. In another community the donations for a day were also very good. Still, should the field secretary spend all his time from now on, secure as much as he secured on that one day, remain at his work constantly at the rate of five days per week, it would take fully until September 1 , 1927, for the needed amount to be subscribed. This simply goes to show the enormity of the task which confronts Bethel College, and the difficulty there will be in accomplishing that which is undertaken. There is, however, still the confidence that it can be done.

Mr. Riesen is at present soliciting in Hillsboro and community. He reports very satisfactory results, many people doing more than could logically be expected of them. It is hoped that people in the different church communities will give the field secretary the cordial welcome that has thus far been given him, and will grant him favorable opportunity to present his cause.

## COMMENCEMENT WEEK PROGRAM

Sunday, May 30th, 8:00 p. m. Baccalaureate Sermon.
Monday, May 31st, Examinations. $8.00 \mathrm{n} . \mathrm{m}$. Academy Senior Program.
Tuesday, June 1st, 2:00 p. m. Field Events. 8:00 p. m. College Senior Program.
Wednesday, June 2nd, 9:45 Last Chapel. 10:30 Alma Mater Meeting.
1:00 n. m. Ladies' Choir and Men's Chorus Reunion Rehearsal.
2:00 n. m. College Alumni Business meeting.
3:00 p. m. Ladies' Choir and Men's Chorus Reunion.
3:30 ŋ. m. General Alumni Banquet and Business.
8:00 n. m. "Elijah" Oratorio.
Thursday, June 3rd, 9:30 a. m. Commencement.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

With the approach of Commencement, the heart of every loyal Alumnus turns to his Alma Mater. The Bethel College Alumni Association has over six hundred fifty members. Of this number only one hundred seventy remembered to send the annual dues to the treasurer last spring. The officers of the association suggest that those who neglected to pay their dues last year be given an opportunity to make good this spring.

If every alumni member will send his dollar to the treasurer at once, it will be possible to announce at the annual meeting that the debt on Alumni Hall has been paid. Then we can undertake new and better things for Bethel.

The next issue of the B. C. Monthly will contain the report of the business meeting of the Association. The officers would like to report a large number of pail-up members at that time.

## RECITAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bethel College takes pride in announcing five graduates, for this year, in the Department of Music. Two of these will receive their teachers certificate in organ, and three in violin. Following are the announcements of their recitals. These recitals are free and the public is cordially invited.

May 17, 8:00 P. M. at the Congregational Church, Mr. Harold Dunlap will give his organ certificate recital.

May 24, 8:00 P. M., at the Catholic Church, Miss Zelda Hanna, will give her organ certificate recital which will be in the nature of a vesner service.

May 26, 8:00 P. M., at the College Chapel, Miss Ruth N. Latschar and Messers Kenneth and Shirley Byler will give jointly their violin certificate recital.

## THE ORATORIO "ELIJAH"

The Bethel College Oratorio Chorus has this year continued its practice of studying one major choral work each year for presentation to the public sometime during Commencement week. This year the chorus took up the study of the difficult and dramatic but extremely beautiful music of the "Elijah" by Mendelsohn. This will be presented in public on the evening of June 2.

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The chorus of over a hundred singers is under the direction of Mr. John Thut.

The soloists secured for this presentatian are among the best singers to be heard here in recent years and are amply capable to do justice to their respective parts. The difficult baritone solos will be sung by Mr. William B. Dawning, head of the voice Department at Kansas Uuiversity. The Contralto solos will be taken by Mrs. Justina Regier Claassen of Omaha, Nebraska. Mrs. Claassen is not a stranger to Bethel audiences, having been a teacher here several years ago. For the soprano and tenor solos we have secured Mrs. Ruth Andrews and Mr. Roy Campbell, both of Friends University at Wichita. Mrs. Andrews was recently heard to good advantage and with much favorable comment with the Friends Glee Clubs in a concert at Newton. Mr. Campbell is one of the best tenors in this section of the state and comes highly recommended. With this quartet of eminent soloists to assist in the presentation of the oratorio the public may be assured of a worth while concert.

There has been considerable difficulty in the past in accommodating the crowds that have wanted to hear these oratorio concerts, because of the lack of room in the College Chapel where the oratorios have always been sung heretofore. In fact many people have been entirely unable to hear the concerts for this reason. Therefore the management has decided to sing the "Elijah" in the Newton City Auditorium. This auditorium will accommodate a much larger audience than the College chapel can hold and the large chorus will also be heard to a better advantage in the larger hall. Thus we are expecting this arrangement to be more satisfactory to all concerned and we sincerely hope the friends of Bethel will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing this great oratorio. The admission charge will be fifty cents as in former years.

## COLLEGE SENIOR PLAY

The precedent has been establtshed that the College Seniors present a program of some sort during Commencement week. This year the class decided that it could do nothing that would be more interesting and
more worthwhile than to give a suitable play.

After much deliberation the famous character play by Jerome, "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" was selected. It is a story with a great message.

The action thruout takes place in a cheap London boarding house. The owner of this boarding house as well as all of the boarders are selfish, gossiping, unloving creatures, until one day a stranger drops in, and by his kindly and sympathetic manner, even more than by the words he speaks the whole spirit of the boarding house is changed. There is nothing cheap in the play, its high moral tone being kept up all the way thru.
"The Passing of the Third Floor Back" will be presented by a cast of 11 College Seniors on June 1, in the gymnasium, at 8, o'clock P. M.

## ACADEMY SENIOR PLAY

On April 31 at 8 p. m. the Academy Senior Class will present "An Old Fashioned Mother." The play is a parable of a mother's love triumphant over the ingratitude and neglect of her children; and is arranged as a drama in three acts.

## EDITORS ELECTED

At the last session of the Student Council the following elections resulted for the publications for the year 1926-27:
The Graymaroon:
Editor-in-chief $\qquad$ Waldo J. Epp Business Manager _-.-.--Carl Richert The Collegian

Editor-in-chief __-_ Herbert R. Schmidt
Business Manager _-_-_-_Philip Voran
Advertising Manager -- Gerald Pearson Bethel Colleoge Monthly

Student Editor, English__Sewall Voran
Student Editor, German_-Theo. Schmidt

## THE 1927 GRAYMAROON

The 1927 Graymaroon is on the way. The student Council has chosen the staff and early preparations are being made to give a good representation of the 1925-26 school year's activities as well as those of next year.

The Graymaroon is an annual compiled once every two years portraying as nearly
as possible a true picture of college life at Bethel; and is intended as a souvenir by which students may retain the thought and spirit of their Alma Mater and refresh the lingering memories of their Bethel days. To the friends and constituency it is a criterion of the steady growth and progress of Bethel College and an index of her students and activities.

The Graymaroon Editors.

## AN INDEPENDENT COLLEGIAN

It will be of interest to the readers to know that Bethel College plans to do next year what most colleges have been doing for years: publish a separate and independnet college paper. For a number of years "The Bethel Collegian," formerly "The Bethel Breeze," has been published as onepage paper in the "Evening Kansan." This arrangement offered some advantages, but also had some decided disadvantages. At a recent session the Student Council voted, with the consent of the faculty, to print the paper independently as an experiment for one year.

Chief among the reasons for making the change were the following: 1 . The "Collegian" is distinctly a student paper, containing material of interest primarily to students and to no one else. 2 It has become more difficult each suceeding year to publish the paper, in its present form, successfully from a financial standpoint. Students could not be expected to subscribe for the "Collegian" separately when they had already subscribed for the "Kansan" which contained the "Collegian." Furthermore, there was an opportunity to get all of the "Collegian" material much cheaper in another publication. 3. The "Evening Kansan" is a daily newspaper and wishes to bring news from Bethel College on the evening of the day on which it occurs. Under the present arrangement the college news in the "Kansan" is a week old, and when it appears it has already been learned from other sources.

The college feels confident that all exBethelites will welcome the "Collegian" in its new form and will gladly subscribe for it, from motives of loyalty, if from no other.

## A POWER LAWN MOWER

Year after year the alumni return to Bethel for the Commencement Week for a season of joyful recollections amidst the the happiest moments of their lives. Every scenes which are associated with some of year, too, these scenes are so be-grassed, so be-weeded, and often so be-rubbished that the recollections of happy incidents are found to have had much more enchantment when pondered upon many miles away from the place of their occurrence than they had when brot back to such place. In order to help avoid the recurrence of this disappointment year after year, the College Alumni Association has purchased a power lawn mower. This is a large, quite powerful machine, that runs with a good speed and cuts a swath twenty-five inches wide. It requires the constant and controlling attention of a broad, tough, somewhat wiry back, similar to that in possession of Mr. Albert C. Groneman. With such a back, plus two bunchy, solid arms and a pair of extension legs, this machine can quickly transform the campus weed patches into veritable court lawns. Let alumni plan to come back this year just to see whether old scenes will not have become doubly dear and trebly beautiful under the benignant influence of a power lawn mower.

## AN ALUMNI MAGAZINE

Would it not be extremely interesting to know something of the where, the why, and the what for of all those with whom you attended Bethel College years and years ago? Would you not be interested in reading that Ebenezer X, who flunked his Grammatik and slept in chapel, back in 1900, or 1910, established a fox farm in northern Alberta and made a fortune; that he married Mathilda X, who you will remember had a corner on Sunday dates and who finally graduated in Music; that there are today a number of little $X$ 's, some who have in turn become big X's; and that, finally, all the X's, big, little, and otherwise, have now gone to Georgia to raise peanuts for oil? Naturally you would be interested.

Briefly the matter is this. Ex-Bethelites have, outside of personal communication, no medium by means of which they can be in touch with each other and know anything of the welfare of each other. What they
need is a paper that will have for its purpose primarily the reporting of any and all news available of any and all Bethelites, past, present, and, if possible, future. In other words, they need an Alumni Magazine. The "Bethel College Monthly" can not bring what is needed; it brings no news of alumni and ex-Bethelites; and that is exactly what is wanted. Let this paper be replaced by a publication for reports about ex-Bethelites, and let Bethel have a contributor to that publication. Let the alumni have its own editor who may draw for material from whatever sources he chooses.

Come to the annual business meeting of the General Alumni Association and see whether such a publication can not be established.

## WHERE AND WHAT THEY WILL TEACH

Following is a report of the Bethel teacher placement work up to May 8th, giving names of the successful candidates and showing where and what they will teach.

Four college seniors and a number of other aspirants have not yet found what they want or have not been successwul with their applications. Some did not have the combination of subjects that were called for, others wanted grade or city school positions and declined rural positions. Most of them, however, found their handicap in lack of experience. Vacancies are still occurring, and it is hoped that several will get places yet.

While the campaign for placing and getting teachers was on, the Placement Office at Bethel had eighteen visits from school boards, superintendents or a combination of the two. This is a very encouraging sign. It shows that Bethel teachers are in demand and that the Bethel products are appreciated.

In view of the fact that there is a serious over-production of teachers in Kansas, Bethel seems to have done pretty well in getting her candidates placed. Three of those given in the list below were not enrolled in the Placement Bureau.
Albrecht, Abraham, teacher of Bible, German and History, new rural high school, Goessel, Kansas.

Baergen, Samuel, teacher of science, etc. and coach, high school, Viola, Kansas.
Brandt, Leo, teacher of rural school, District 71 Big Lake, McPherson county, Inman, Kansas.
Brown, Evalyn, teacher of first and second grades, Sedgwick, Kansas.
Buller, Sophie, teacher of rural school, District 66, College Hill, Marion county, Tampa, Kansas.
Deppler, Vinnie, teacher of rural school, District 22, Harvey county, Burrton, Kansas.
DeWalt, Bessie, teacher of rural school, District 54, Harvey county, Newton, Kansas.
Dick, Ruth, teacher of rural school, District 67, Lake Valley, McPherson county, Inman, Kansas.
Duerksen, George, teacher of 7th grade and assistant coach, Canton, Kansas.
Enns, Rudolf, director of physical training and coach, high school, Stafford, Kansas.
Franz, Agatha, teacher of rural school, District 26, Harvey county, Burrton, Kansas.
Funk, Arnold, principal of two-room school, District, Marion county, Canada, Kansas.
Graber, Edna, teacher of rural school, District 6, Pleasant Valley, Kingman county, Kingman, Kansas.
Hiebert, Sarah, teacher of German and English and dean of girls, Hillsboro, Academy, Hillsboro, Kansas.
Janzen, Helen, teacher of rural school, District 30 , Harvey county, Sedgwick Kansas.
Jantzen, H. W., Teacher of history and social sciences, high school, Medicine lodge, Kansas.
Kelly, Ethel, teacher of home economics, high school, Whitewater, Kansas.
Klassen, Hilda, teacher of rural school, District 11, Morgan, Butler county, Kansas.
Kliewer, Regina, teacher of rural school, District 71, Harvey county, Newton, Kansas.
Krehbiel Viola, teacher of English, mathematics and gymnastics, high school, Spring Hill, Kansas.
Lichti, Wilma, teacher of rural school, District 52, Grant county, Medford, Oklahoma.
Pankratz Eva, teacher of rural school, District 78 Light House, Marion county, Hillsboro, Kansas.
Pankratz, Frieda, teacher of rural school,

District 70，Brudertal，Marion county， Kansas．
Pankratz，Marie，teacher，teacher of rural school，District 77，Harvey county，Burr－ ton，Kansas．
Penner，Hulda，teacher of rural schooi， Watonwan county，near Mountain Lake， Minnesota．
Pike，Modelle，teacher of English，high school，Buhler，Kansas．
Priest，Hazel，teacher of 5 th and 6 th grades， Canton，Kansas．
Reed，Leona，teacher of 2nd grade，city schools，Newton，Kansas．
Regier，Alvin，teacher of mathematics and science，high school，Kiowa，Kansas．
Rich，Selma，teacher of English and home economics，and dean of girls，Freeman Junior College，Freeman，South Dakota．
Rich，Willis，teacher of 7th and 8th grades， Freeman，South Dakota．
Richert，Ruth，teacher of 3d grade，City schools，Medicine Lodge，Kansas．
Schmidt，Esther，teacher of home economics and dean of girls，Oklahoma Bible Acad－ emy，Meno，Oklahoma．
Schmidt，Johanna，teacher of（home）rural school，District 99，Greenfield，Marion county，Goessel，Kansas．
Schmidt Lena，teacher of rural school，Dis－ trict 44，Barton county，Albert，Kansas．

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## Ticutldye Abteilung



Bricfe zut Mertanidiautug att citent menmpuitioden Stubenten．

## 3．Brief：Gin Gant burd）bic Geiditate ber griedfifden ßbitotophit．

（Raction $u$ díd geftattet．）
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$\mathfrak{e}$ freut midy，Daß ©ie bie exiten Briefe jehr aufmerfiam gelejen haben，and daß̄ß ©ie dent weiteren $\mathfrak{M} u \mathfrak{B f i t h}$ rungen mit $\mathfrak{J n t e r e f i e}$ folgen wollen．Suf Einzelheiten fönten wir bei umi＝ rex idyriftlicfen $\mathfrak{A l u s i p r a c h e ~ n a t u ̈ r l i d y ~ n i d . ) ~ e i n = ~}$ treten．Das $\mathfrak{i f t}$ autd nidgt notwendig．Wenn wir mur cinen Weg aus bem Urwald ber verwir＝ renber $\mathfrak{F r a g e n}$ finben．

Sie mollen ben Unteridfied zwifden Wselt＝ bifb mo $\mathfrak{B e l t a n i d a u n n g ~ w e i t e r b i n ~}$
flar feithalten．Sie faratiben：＂さ̃al glante Sie ridatig verftanden zu Gaben．In wierm $\mathfrak{B e}=$ wutbtiein Gaben wix eine Sunnte bon Borjtel＝ lungen，bie wix aus ber Exfabutng gemonnen Gaben，Sie brücten fictit pajtiod aus und pre＝ chen won einem Bemußticintaal mit Bewnibt＝ jeinæbitbern barin．©er Snhalt unfer马 Be＝ mußtjeins ift ßrobuft unirer Beobaçtung． Und biejer ganze Beobactung innhalt unjerez Betwítieins macfot unier Weltbils aus．Ith＝ jer WSythild ift bas Refultat umirer Erfahnung bon ben Dingen und Borgängen ciner Welt außer uns．－Nam fommt bie Weltanictanuty und betractitet unier weltbild als eine $\mathfrak{B i} t=$ $\mathfrak{f}^{1} 1 \mathrm{nrg}$ ，und zaar ald berwirft von einer alfum＝
 Und Dann weiter fragt bie Weltanidauning nadi

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Dem 3wede bon allem，was exiftiert．＂
Sie haben midy ganz ridftig verjtanden．Die Weltanidauning ftellt bie zragen：Wober ift alles und toozu exiftiert alles？Sie be＝
 Sinn）dee Dajeins und joeziefl autd bes Men＝ fajen，weshalb man won Belt＝und seben anictanung jpridat．Sie umfabt bie Welt＝uno die Rebensfrage．

Solange es wrenfoten gibt，ift biefe Dop＝ pelfrage zur Beantmortung geftellt morben． Febes Bolf hat fie fathon auf ber bormifien＝ idfaftlichen Sufe geitellt und irgensmie beant＝ wortet．Man fat fich bann aber immer ener＝ gifder um ihre Beantroortung bemuitht，immer bemupter und fyitematifacer．Daraus ift bie Bhilojophie geboren．
 zutexit naturwifienichaftliche Unterjudiungen an． Er orientiente fich in ber gegebenen Welt．Erx fuctute ein flares Meltbild zu erlangen． $\mathfrak{M a}$ dit （gridifid＂meta＂）biefen phyfifalen $\mathfrak{H t}=$ terfuchungen ftelle er bie æragen rach $\mathfrak{H r}=$ fprung und Broctí bes Ganzen．So fpridgt man benn auct bon metaphyififund oon metaphyfiifach ひragen und werftert barunter jene lebten Meltaniffoung gfragen．

Der Mienid fteft auf ber ©renze einer finn＝ Yidenen und einer überfinnliden Welt．Wie ifn die finnliche，ficfatbare $\mathfrak{B e l t}$ fefthält，fo aud sie emige．Erx fant fidy niemats auf bie Dauer mit ber finnliden Erafhrung马welt allein be＝ gnïgen．Sr vernimmt den gefeimnizbollen Ytem bes unendliden Dzeans，an beffen 1 ffer er fte氏t，bie Wonen fafäumen zu feinen ぶüfen， ifr Rantichen faflägt an fein ©hr und seerz． Ere itt，ob er will ober nidut，int Bann ber Emigleit，fie beunnubigt，quält inn bas ganze Reben Iang．Refen Sic Darauffin neben ber Bibel Dock die groken Didgter，bie id gerre bie Bropheten des natüxlidfen Menibigen nenne． Sie werden itaunen，wie bie crmigfeitafrage， bie ærage nath ふerfunft und Biel des Dajeins， und bie ©semifiensfrage，bas Soll und bas saa＝ ben in ber Rebensführung in Den Schöpfungen Dicier Geifter eine außfolaggebente Rolle fios＝ len．Und ba werben Sie merfen，daß $\mathfrak{F b x}$ Rinaen itn Sutchen bas Ringen und Sutchen ber Menidhteit ift．Sie werben aber aud bald in＝ ne merber，báb bie Sdyrift bieje fraaen fete bon（sot auz，bie Didfter omm Meniden aus betractiten．

Whe ber Geidficfte ber Bhilofowhie＊önnen wir erfehen，Dáb beridfiedene Geifter bie quall＝
wolle Doppelfrage，von Der bie Rede far，Da＝ Dutd abzuidutteln verfudten umb verfucten， dáb fie bas Dajein einer überjinnlideen Welt einfach leugnen．So bie Materialiften und bie Fogenannten Sopitiviften．Dex Matexiafizmas fiegt sie Belt als cinen riefigen wemiifd $=$ phyififalijden ßrozés an．EFs exiftiret nich，B ald Stoff．Das，was man Gseift nenut，iit nidtats anderes als eine Wirfung ber Matexie．『゙ gibt feine linjterblicgleit，feinen（s）ott．－ Der $\mathfrak{B o j i t i v i z n u z , ~ d e n ~ b e r ~ \mathfrak { F r a n z o f e ~ C o m t e ~ }}$ （ $\dagger 1857$ ）begründete，hält fich an bas $\mathfrak{I a t i a ̈ d y}=$ Yicte，Gegebene uno lehnt alle Erörterung me＝ taphyfitifer $\mathfrak{z r a g e n}$ als nublos ab．

Die erfahrung rehrt，Daß Der Menfather geift auf bie Dauer bieje meltanictaulicte 5un＝ gerblofabe niçt exträgt und bulbet．Je län＝ ger man ifn metaphyfifager Diät interwarf， Defto Gungriger wixd er und befto giexiger wirft er ficti auct auf bie ungefiindejte soit．Der Spixitismus ift beifpielsweife mux eine Reat＝ tion gegen bas einjeitige naturaliftifare Denfen． Der $\mathfrak{H n g l a n b e}$ fiithrt immer zum Nberglauben． Berorängte Bediurfnifie bes S．erzens und Gei＝ ftes find wie Römen int תäfig，Die eines Tages mubbrecten，zum Schaden oft aud gepumber Ewigfeithbesinfnifie und＝wayrbeiten．Wix haben beute in Europa eine $\mathfrak{N r t}$ gebeimmififen idfaftlictie Eptomie，eine offultiftiiche Seutche．

Der Menidengeift wirb immer wieber nadi bem Yetzen Gramb imb dem Yetzten Biel bes $\mathfrak{D} a=$ jeing fagen．Diefe zragen find nie ein über＝ wumbener Standpunft．Sie ichreiben ja auth in Fhrent leteten Brief，wie Shre famteraben Giz in bie tiefe Nacht Ginein entwener iiber philojophifchen Büchern briuten ober miteinarn＝ der dißputieren，daß̉ die Balfen biegen．Eomte hat alfo nidyt recht，bais bie＂metaphyitidye sha＝ ie bes Denfens＂als תindheit马tufe bes menich＝ Yidgen（beiteslebens abqetan iei．Eb bleibt bei ben Worten im＂צsaut：＂＂Itno alfe Räh＇tub alle zerne befriesigt nicht bie tiefbewegte Brujt．＂

Der Menid mit ib nacit ben Yekten Dingen juthen．Hnd mun ift bas Iragifithe，báb er wont fitd $\mathfrak{a n g}$ die Werträtiel，bie Rebensrätfel，bie Rätiel autd feines eigenen Rebens nicht löfen

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Die Gefdicfte ber ßrifoion我ie ift ein grobes Ringen um bie $\mathfrak{A n t w o r t ~ a u f ~ b i e ~} \mathfrak{D o p p e l f r a g e . ~}$ Sein Merifit und audg fein ©hrift fann fie ofne Erjduitterung itubieren．Es gegt burdi îe hindurch jene stage bes $\mathfrak{B a u l t s}$ in Römer 7： ＂J̌t elender Mienich－iver wird erlöjen？＂

Die eriten griectifaten Whilopophen forid）$=$ ter nady der $\mathfrak{U x}$ facte aller Dinge．Sie fanden fie in ciner S adbe（Mafier，Luft，æruter，cine nidft weiter zu beichreibende Hrmaterie）．Die Belt war ignen ein Sinnlitues．Nber fie abn＝ ten foblon ein Geifiges，eine Bertvernumft． Den elleaten erichien bas burch bie Sinne（be＝ gebene jogar als blober Sajein．Die Melt der veränberliffen Dinge war ihnen mur eine Edfeinwelt．Sie fipracten bon Den Trugbildern Der Sinne．Die benfende Bermunft ftellen fie über Die Sinne．Wix baben in biejer Schute gleidiam ein Sidflosringen bon bem bloben finnliden Sein．Man ahnte bie Erbigfeit． Sinter aller ふeränberung mußte ein Mnver＝ änderliches fein（Bergleidfen Sie bas Bialm＝ wort：„Dit aber bleigit wie $\mathfrak{D u t}$ biit＂）．

Man fuctie tweiter nacti den＂Monzeln＂ind ＂Samen＂Der Belt．Dabei blieb man aber Doct am Stofflidfen Gängen．Demofrit aus Mbbera（ $\dagger 360$ ），der größre Naturforibyer bes Mrtertums，betractitet die Welt als einen riefi＝ gen Med．anismus．Exr ift Der Begründer Der Mtomiftif．AHtes Geidyehen ift Bewegurg， Bereinigung und $\mathfrak{z r e m m i n g}$ ber atome．Wuct bie menicflicte Seele beiteht auts Atment．So＝ mit haben wix Gier einen aqsgefurdenen $\mathfrak{M a}=$ texialimut．Sein Beitgenofie $\mathfrak{H}$ naragoras ba＝ gegen lefrte，es mitiffe ein $\mathfrak{B e r n u n f t m e = ~}$ ien geben，weil man bie georonete Welt－ Den Rogmos－jonit nidet begreifen fönte． （fx trente ©off mob beift．Das toar ein be＝ Deutiamer Wendepunft．

Fortan trat ber Menid）und jein Geift in ben Mittelpunft bes phitopophifden Denfens． In ben Sophiften ríb fich ber griedfiftye Gefift iozuiagen bon ber Mußenmelt los．Sie find eine $\mathfrak{H}$ th philojophifder Flegel．In ben Slegeljahren itt ber junge Menid in fich jelfit verliebt，er fiight fict als Mittelpunft ber Welt， man fönte ein Bild bon ifn mayen，bab er
 unb bod aud twieder hoffnung buolle Jahre．
（Sefäbrlich ift，Dab ber Flegel feine Sutoritüt anerfennen mill．Šoffrungsworl ift，Dáb fid） in ibm ber zutünftige felitändige Mann regt． Die Eophitten maren Banderlehrer，bie in Der Sunit des Disputierens unterwiefen，bie im po＝ litifden Zeben eine große Rolle ipielte．Sie verwerteten bie Bhilofophie für ihne Sroede． Fine feititehende $\mathfrak{B a h b r h e i t} \mathfrak{g a b}$ es für fie nidgt． Selute fonten fie etwas als wahr and morgen Dasjeltbe ald falfd betweifen．Bahr war alles， was ifnen Muken bractite．Sie ftellen ben Meniden in ben Mittelpunft．Sie namten ihn bas Maballer Dinge，b．b．alles muific fict nacti bem Meniden umb feinen $\mathfrak{F n =}$ terefien ridaten．Wix Kaben es Gier alfo mit ausgejprocfenen ©ubjeftiviften zu tum．

Wififen Sie，biejer Typus von Seuten triut inmer in Hebergangszeiten auf．Wenn Sie eine füpitlerifoche Darjtellung Desfelben baben wollen，bann miuifien Sie Dtto 氏rnit，，Die sul gend bon heute＂Yejen．¿̌iut bie Saliden biefe弓
 ein ふubenjunge，（ssoethes $\mathfrak{F}$ auft cin ，，2tpfel＝ muร．＂Begriffe wie $\mathfrak{z r e u t}, \mathfrak{M e n f o f h e i t ~ u i p . ~}$ firs Unfinn，fie wotlen eine neut Sultur her＝ auffiithren，und einen Borgeidymadi von bex＝ felben bieten uns bie Gsedidfte bes Gugen Wolf， bie fait mur auß Gebanfenftrichen beftehen．D． h．Der Berfaifer bat feine ©Sedanfen，er erwar＝ tet fie bom Rejer．

Der Sophismus artete aus in fittentofes Sraftmenidjentum，Dem jich alles in Witb uno ærivolität auflöfte．2lber gerabe biefes geifti＝ ge Grobeben hat bazu bienen müfien，bie grie＝ difitye Seele zu wecfen．Nack ben Sophitten alfein war ein Sofrates möglicty．

Die Sophiften waren Breifler，Sfeptifer． Sie Yeugneten，dá es eine abfohute Bahrbeit und eine abjolute Sittlidfert gebe．Sie pro＝ flamierten bie æreiferrlicfleit dee Indivibiume． Sofrates webrte biejem zerjetzenden Subjefti＝
 geiftreid）atnd fittlicif hochitehend．Erx farb füx ieine $\mathfrak{H e b e r z e n g u n g e n . ~ S e i n e ~ B e b e u t u n g ~ Y i e g t ~}$ Darin，Dā̉ er einen neten ficfern Weg，eime
 fenntniz zu erlangen．Sofrates lehrt，daía e马 cine wirfliche Wahrbeit gibt，umb baß man fie muty erfennen fann．Unt fie zu finden，führite er Efepuäde in srage und Yntmort．Dieie （Seiprächafüibrang nennt man Diałeftif．Durch Das Mittel ber Dialeftif，Der Mnterrebung，fudd＝ te ber Whilopoph beifpielaweife bie frage：，Wa马 iit ein ভtaatanann？＂zu flären．Aus ben ver＝
iffiebenen Meinungen，von benen jede ein Stülf Wahryeit enthält，fand er burch Buiammen＝ fajiung idfliejplich einen allgemeinen Satz bier， wie man jagt，Den Begriff Des Staats＝ mannes．Ein Jeloherr ift ein Staatsmam， Denn er führt Sriege．Solon ift ein S．aates＝ mann，Dem er gab Gejeke．Dieje，？Y utmorten find inthaltlict veridfieden，aber fie wiederipue＝ chen fich nicht．Man fam fie zu einer Mrit＝ foort zufanmenfafien：（Ein ©taatsmann iit Der， Der in Srieg und ひrrieden bie Gejchäfte Des States beiongt．Die an einem folcten（Se＝ （präch Teifrebmenden merben biejer Buiammen＝ fafiung ifre fuftimmung nidet veriagen．©os frates idacalt io bas ben beridfiebnen Mremm＝ gen Gemeiniame heraus．So crbält er flare Begriffe．Seine Methode ijt bie ber $\mathfrak{I n}=$ Duftion und der Definition，D，Y．Die cinzelnen ふälle werben berglicfen und bas innen Gemein＝ jame berausgeitellt，zuiammengefaßt．So er＝ hält man einen Begriff，ber von anderen $\mathfrak{B e}=$ griffen idfarf abgegrenzt wirb（finis＝（Srenze）． Mit biejem Berfahren zwany Eofrates jeme §örer auth über bas Reben，über fittliche Fras＝ gen nachzutenfen，Shmt war bie praftifiche $2 e=$ bengfüh rung eigentlid midftiger als bie theore＝ tifde Weltanichaung，went er auch Tugens timo 2sifien eng berfniipfte．Sofrates mar $\mathrm{D} a=$ xin Beritaniesmenid，Shfflärer．Er war ber Nuffafing，Dã jeber ber bas Gnte twei $\mathfrak{B}$ ，es aud will，und tut．Iugend ift lehrbar．－Sie jeben，bā Sofrates in jeinem Denfen alles auf Bexnunft unb（sewifien zuriuct＝ fiibut．Ex glanbte an eine göttlidye $\mathfrak{B e l t r e g i c}=$ rung umb Rebenbleitung und bebouptete，Dás er in feiner Brujt bie göttlidue Stimme ber＝ nefme．Diejer ©Sfanbe an einen götrlicfen MSiL＝ Yen über ifm liés ifn heiter in ban Tod gehen．
Bon Sofrates find grobe innegugen ausge $=$ gangen．§hn fant man ben Begrgïnber alfer wahren WBifienifhaft mennen．Sein Wamber， － $\mathfrak{A B}$ jein geiftiger Enfel－Mriftoteles－Dee Bater aller Bifienidaften geworben ijt．

Bwifiden Eofrates unt Arrititoteles jtelbt Blato．Gr Yebt in ber überjimfliden Welt． Sainter biejer Cridfeiningswelt gibt es nod eine andere，viel wirflidere Welt．Die jofratifdyen Begriffe badgte er fich als 1 rebiliser，als einen
 Die oberite Joee ift bie Joce bes finter． Die Dinge in ber Eridecinuggmelt find mur $\mathfrak{H b b i l i m e r}$ jener efoigen Mutiterbilder．Mes $\mathfrak{H z}=$ sifage ift mux ein Gleideni马！Heber alfen Sbeen und Geiftern und borweltlicien Seelen ftebt

Gbot．Erx bat bie Weft，wie wir fie fefen，sie materielle Welt georonet．Die Erode ftegt int Mitrelpunft der \＄Belt，und affes Rëben auf Der Grbe bollenbet fidh in Mentiden．Seine seet＝ mat ift nitht Gier，fonbern in ber uiberfinnlicfen Welt．Er ift in biejes Dajein wegen einer Schutb verbarnt．Shier foll er zur $\mathfrak{L u g e n d}$ er＝ zogen werben，bejonibers im Staat，Den Blato
 ziehungsanitalt zur Tugend．Beräfnlictung mit （Sont ift bas Biel des Menidfen．Shne Reiben geft es dabei nidyt ab．Slato hat uiber Die Zeiben bes Gerectaten fo gefprocten，bab ieine Worte wie eine Weisiagung auf Ehrifus ant＝ muten．
arditoteles idafft cin gronartiges philopophi＝ idfes ©nitem，nadfoem er，wie idf ichon erwäth＝ te，bie fidftbare Welt erforidht Watte．Seiner Byyfil ichlós er an eine Metaphyifif．Sein um＝ fafiender（Seift begniigte fich nidgt mit ber Ers＝ fenm．nis ber fidtibaren Dinge，er foulle Grumb umb Biel alles Dajeins erfafien．

Diefer letse große griectifate Briloloph wies mit feinem umfaijenden Wifien ben fommen＝ Den Sahrbunberten bie Bahn für ihr Denfen tumb $\mathfrak{U r b e i t e n . ~ W u d f ~ D a s ~ d y r i t t l i d e ~ M i t t e l a y t e r ~}$ war an Axrijtoteles orientiert．

Wix baben mumely cinen langen，einen aahrhumbertlangen Weg menfalichen Euchen马 zurüdfgelegt．Und was miifien wir feititelfen？ （2aß aud）bie ermiteften（Seifter minter ben grie＝ difichen Shilofophen nicht zu einer frohen（5ot＝ tesgemibheit gefommen fint，zu einer innigen （Gottesgemeinichaft．Sic haben＂Den Saum jeines Mfeibes beriitht，＂fie Kaben nach）（5ott getaitet，fie Kaben feine Stimme aude bernom＝ men，fein Ridft aud in iggend einem Mafie ge＝ fif）ant，（5ott hat fich ifnen nidgt mbezengt ge＝ Yafien，aber boct famen fie aus ber unfidferbeit nidit Keraus．Che gibt feinen Meg won bem Meniden fu（5btt，fondern mur bon（5ntt zu bem Meridider．Micht ber Wea ber Bermunt und bes Gejekes，fontern ber Weg ber $D \mathrm{~F}=$ fenbarung gibt（fewitheit．
$\mathfrak{J h r}$
B．5．Mntut）．

## Die Bethel College Sommeridule

iit biejes $\mathfrak{a}$ ahr mut neun Wochen angeiebt．Sie wirb am 4．Suai，bem Tag načy bem Emm＝ mencement，anfangen amb am 6．Nuguit idflie＝ Ben．Nachbem fie fich in ber Bergangenheit als fehr nuiblich betwälgrt Gat uno zur Notwensig＝ feit geworben ift für biele junge Bente，ift fie
mumety afs beftandiger Zeil ber Wrbeit von Betgel ©ollege anerfant worben．

Dic Eommeridgle verjutde folgenden Silaj＝ ¡en won Studietenben bejonders entgegen ふu fonmen：

1．Refrent，Dic fich weiter mabiloen wol＝ len，um ifre Gertificate in straft zu erhalten ober 1 ant Eextificate won cinem höheren（Stab 31 erlangen ．

2．Eoflege Stubenten，Denen es bunm zut ture ift，bie orstenzeit muf eine redt puofitable Beite augzunitzen und montöglict bie Beit ibrer ©ollege＝Sarricre zu verfïrzen．

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4．Sedafigul＝over Gfabemieftubenten，bie Hebeit nadfutholen haben ober vorate arbei＝ ten möchten．

5．Jremb enter itrebenven ßerion，bie ben Bumidh hat，ihren wifiensidatz zu bereidern umo genügente Borbereitugg beitbt，um ans Der Wrbeit Mutzen zu idflagen．
$\mathfrak{D a s}$ Srogramm it biejes safur rcidfhalti＝ gex，als es wobl je gerweien ift umb man crimat＝ tet eine fagöne $\mathfrak{M r z a h t}$ Rernenoer．Rebtes $\mathfrak{F a h r}$ befucten 123 S．uibuten bie Sommerichule umb man mönche gerne bie Šoffming hegen，Dajb bie Babl dies ふaft ebenio grós ober größer werbe．

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9．D．Schntutz，Stumben int Biano＝und $\mathcal{D}=$ gelfipiel und searmonic．
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（5．3．Wedid and vielfeidgt nod andere werben Sfabemie＝woer sodfichulfädfer，wie Marhe＝ mathif，（Seiddichte，Engliif Yehren．
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Die Stubenter，bie auf bem ©antus moh＝ nen，beaflen $\$ 1.00$ bie Wodf：Bimmerrente und weron fict，wie fagon friifer，als（bruppe iefber beföjtigen．Dazu itegt ihnen bie שin＝ ricfumg Des soithonies an Dieniten．Suf Dicie Mecie Biurfte Der Freis fïr sioft nidgt weit iiber brei Dollare fteigen．
$\mathfrak{F}$ nterefifierte mögen fich gefärligit an ber Direftor ier Eommeridute， $\mathfrak{J}$ ．R．Ihieritein， Mewton，Sanjas，wenden．

## Hujere（bäfte．

$\mathfrak{Y}$ In Jrei．ag Morgen，Dèn 7．März，hielt Bresiger $\mathfrak{W}$ ．A．Elliot，Stubentan $=$ Frebiger in ber Sedule fu Dttowa，eine fehr lefrreidfe शnipracthe in ber sapelle über bas shema： ＂Der Mert ber Religion．＂

Eritens，jagte er，hat ber natuirliche Menid） fein wahres Reben；or iit tot in Sünion．Ein toter Menidy aber ift einer，ber feinen Berfebe hat mit iciner Untgebung；gleidffanle ein Menifh，Der feinen geiftliden Berfihe hat mit （Sott．Babres Reben wirs mur erfangt burd Berfefr mit（5ott．
（Ein geitlide Toter hat feme wafte Frenbe in bici mo Reben，benn er fiegt nidht bie Saerr＝
 Briumden bes Ferbes，bie ganze Ratur，hat fïr ifn feine wabre Bebentung．

Bweitens führt Religion zut recflem Den＝ fon．Böfe Ta：en entifeben aus böjen Geban＝ fen．Deshath，um qute Taten zu wollfringen， bedarf es guter（5b：onfen．Wahre Religion filifrt bazit．

Drittens gibt bie wabre Religion uns einen feiten（Srumb，wo wir unjer geiftlidjes and mu＝ rafictoes Reben feit anfern fömen．E上s it göchit gefährlid．ins Rebern hinaus ant qehen，ohne et＝ was zit kaben，wonach man fidy ridgten und bie Dinoe biefer Welt beurteilen fann．Jin bent Durcfeinamber ber Dince irrt man bald won bem rechen Wear umb verfofit bas piel．
（Steid）wie eine unerfafirene Berfor feinen

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bejonderen $\mathfrak{B l a n}$ und feine Dronumg jeben fant in Dem Weben dex foitbaren Tapeten，io aud） mag ber Menidy feinen bejonberen Blan in ben Ereigniffen biejer Welt fehen．Hnd boch，gleid） wie auth der erfaftene Beber einen beitinumten Blan hat，monach ex arbeitet mib ant dem Wixrmar ber zäden ein mumberbates Waxi Geritellt，io audd wirf：ber seerr nady einem be＝ fimment Blan und gebraudgt Das Reben Der Menichen，um ein mundrbares Berf zu boll＝ bringen．

## Bethel $=$ Menigfeiten．

Die＂ひ̛refgmen＂bereiteten b．n＂Eeniors＂ oon ber Soocdichule in Rewoton am Mittmorf， Den 5．Mai，einen gefelfigen Rbend．Dieje Feterlichfeit findet jedes צahr itatt，um bie ＂Seniorg＂ber Seachichule mit Bethel befannt zu machen．

Der erite Teil bes srogranmes warbe in Dem（6xnmajum gegeben，weldes grokartiz
 foar．

Dann mactite man einen Spaziergang auf Dem Eantput und beidgloz den Abend mit ei＝ nem icfömen gemeinfafftliden atbendefien in ber Speifebatle．

Im Yekten Monat hat ber Miännerctor auf wexichiedenen Stelfen mit feinem（sejang ge＝ Dient．Seit Der Rüuffegr von ieiner Diterreife Kat er an folgenben Bräben gefungen：Rewton in ber Erjten Menmoniten Sirche，Salfiteab uns Buhter．

Sewal Woran bon Bretty Brairie ergielt Den fïnften Rang in Dem zrieben＝ßortraģ＝Con＝ teit in fairmount Colfege．Boran forach itber bag Thema，＂The Mart of the Beatt．＂

Int april murbe bas erjte ，ఝ̌orenfic＝ Ganquet＂in ber（Seididate umierer Schute ge＝ geben．©上 murbe int Intereffe bes literarifaten Rebers beranitaltet．

Freitag nadfurttaa，am 7ten Mat，fano ber Yebste＂tradf meet＂Diejes Jahree ftatt．Sin bic＝ iem＂Dital meet＂mit ©terling hat Bethel mit 81 ßunften zu 36 Sunften Sterling gemonnen．

Währeno ber eriten Wbathe in Mai hatten wir bie jährliche Reiniguna bes Eampus．Daß war natürlich für sie meifiten Stutenten eine
 ben．Diefes for ats bem anzen Berbalten in her $\mathfrak{W r b e i t}$ bem auth recht beutlid erfennbar． Eine weientlidge Crrleideterung ber $\mathfrak{W r b e}$ it fan＝ den bie Etubenten baxin，baí fie bazu won ben

Haterrictotitumben befreit wurben．
Der Deutide Berein macfote in $\mathfrak{A p r i l}$ einen
 Greignifien mutbe geipielt，gefungen und gege $i=$ fen，und man beitant darauf，bā́B man mur Deutich iprecten siirfe．

## Feifactidt bes Damendus von Betger Colfege．

Der $\mathfrak{D a m e n c f o r ~ w o n ~ B e t h e l ~ © o l l e g e ~ m a c h i o ~}$ it Der Yetzte $\mathfrak{B o c t}=$ in ：pril eine Reife nad） Sflahoma und befudfe dort mefreere memoniti＝ fat ：Gemeinden．Der Chor gab elf Sonzerte auf biejer Reije．

Die Mäbcten verfießen Siewton am Somaz＝ Gend Morgen，Den 24．Gpril，umb gaben ihr crites Brogramm am Nbent besjelben Tages in
 （Goltry）＝Reute fie nacd Mern，wo fie am Rach）＝ mittag in ber grogen Meno＝sitede fangen． Sm 2hbend mutben fie nady Orienta gefatren， two fie in ber ©rienta＝Sirctife ein Sonzert Ite ferten．Sthbere ßläß̧e，wo fie jangen，waren （6）ary，Sybro，Gotebo，Corn，Glinton und auf ber Sonferenz bei bie Seerold＝sitctie nathe bei Eorn．

Heberall fanden bie Mäbden aufmerfiante Buförer．Die 2hbienzen waren autb grop umb bie freimilligen תolleften bectten alle Unfo＝ ften．Sehr viel half ee den Märbden，baỉ bie Reute fie won einem Blatz nadf bem andern transportierten．So 子．B．murben fie bon 5ubro biz Gotebo， 52 biz 60 Meilen，gefahren； ebenjo bon Gbotebo bis Corn， 45 Meilen．Metes war unentgelifich．

Die Mäbchen murben in ben sitchen umb in Den Seeimen ber Gsemeindeglieder herzlidy aufgenommen．Das effen war beionbers moty
 Mäden braditen aud alfe einen grozen $\mathfrak{t p}=$ petit mit．Die Rente soaren io freumblich und natmen fie auf Gutos mos zeigten ifnen ifre Sehermiurbigfeit．

In Drienta marben bie（5fagberge bejutat． Der eine Beng，welder 400 orn hod ift，mate be bon sen mädeben beitiegen．Einige murben zwar idgmindlidy，andere waren fehr ängitlidy mandfe aber waren autd felbr brab umb mutig und fletterten Yuitig herim．

Bei 5ubro befudten einige Miädben ben Temple Eanmon．Der Eambon ift fohr tief； auf einer Stelfe gebt es 60 oder 70 Ӝuß Gimun＝ ter． 2 ells fie ganz unten waren，fanden fie medh＝ rexe interefifante Namen，bie in bie Steine ge＝ ribt waren．Hater bieien war aud Der Mante
won タ． $\mathfrak{B}$ ．Wemers von Insien．
 Zenten gefabren murben，warbe ein $\mathfrak{H a f e n t h a l t}$ bei Eolonh gemadgt；bies ift eine fleme Indianer＝ Efadt．Siter murien bie subianer＝edfule und Siricfe und cin Mufeum befudt．Mefrere faiften fich sumenfen．

Weitere interefiante Sehensmüroigfeiten boten für bie Mädchen bie Şöglen bei Com， Die find fegr idgön．Stier musen fie mit $\Omega a=$ ternen in bie langen Dunfeln Seöhlen gehen． mandiesmal munten fie gebiidt gehen uno mandinal friedjen．Şier murbe autd ein $\mathfrak{B i c}=$ nic gefalten，welches bie Rente vorbereitet hat＝ ten．

We oflieder bes efgos waren mit ber idfö＝ nen Retie jegr zufrieden．Nas fie Dienstag Morgen frith nact Sante famer，waren fie miit＝ be umb froh wieder zu hanife zu fein；greituzei＝ tig mitifichten fie aber auct，foldt）：Reife bfter mactien $z_{4}$ Diirfen．

In ©hotebo fauften fie fich groze mexifit＝
 tiich finben，menigitens fagen bie Mäbchen io． Nts ite am Dienstag alfe mit ifren scuiten zur Sdule famen，meinte ciner bon ben $\mathfrak{F r o f e f i n o}=$ xer，jebt hat תanias viele Grnte＝शrbeiter．

Der Chor murbe bon Mr．umo Mis．WS．S． Solmant unt ber fleinen Todfer Gertrube Æ゙lizabeth begleitet．Mr．Seonmam ift ber Rei＝ ter bes ©hors．Die Mänden，bie bie Reife madfer，find：Exina Sbaber，Marie Mifler， Evelyn Rutidnan，Gflabys Ruth，Elizabeth Benner，Satherine Ringleman，Ruth $\mathfrak{F m}$ Rat＝ ichar，Ruth Ridjert，Surba ßenner，ßiola Stelbiel，ફelen Ruth，Mimite Richert，Mgnetfa Du rffen und emma ou Mifler．Berna æen＝ ner ipielte bas slabier．

## Deutidi．

Trobdem ein grozer Teil Der Bevorfferung minixes Rarobes beuticher Mrbitanmung ift，ift boch ber（sebraud ber benticten Epractie int
 tas auth eine ber vielen böjen solaen bes un＝ feltacen Wartfrieges．

Soldte eridfitternben Erxeignifie weafen in ber Regel ifre Sctiatten auf alle Safidften emes Boffes and bringen Kinein in bie Werfituätten ber indutrie powoht，als aud in bie sallen ber जrzzehunt und Wifiemictaft．Sas ift nidft mut Fier in fmerifa io，fonbern aenan basfelbe ibiert fich aud in Dentiderand，zranfreid）amb Enatano u．a．Rärisern ab．

Grit gans alfmäflid fonme ber wirbe sa：
tionalismus micher in bas normale Geletie； man fibt neu ein，Dā man fich Doch gegenjeitig nötig braucht umb fucht aufs Ment bie Bezie＝ hungen wieber herzuftelfen．Diejes gilt wor at＝ $\mathfrak{l e m}$ in Geidafft弓leben，trifft aber aud）auf sie Stäiten der Wifienicdaft zu．

Wahre Wifierichaft ift erbaben über ben Dumit ier nationalen uno politifajen ©phären； fie braudgt it berall bas wafue，Sute mio Siutblide．Und um bas bei anbern Rationen ungetriifit zu finsen muib man ifye ভpractie ha＝ ben，benir leberjebungen alfein geniigen nidgt． Diefes fieht bie fubierende sutgend aud ein， mo baum begint fie fich and wieber mehr für bie Eprache bev größ̉ten Didfter unb Den＝ fer，für bie Denticty Sprache zu interefifieren． Diejes zeigt fich auch in Berfel，umb wir glant＝ ben in biejem Fortichritt eine veritändige $\mathbb{H e}=$ berlegurg umerer Figeno wahrnehmen zut burr＝ fen．

Berflogen fins bie büiteren Wolfen won Sab uns Streit；bie Menicten juthen fict wie＝ ber ale Briiber．Mäge bas Shbitut ber frem＝ Den Spraden，and ber beutichen in ihrem Teil， fïr afle Sutdenden mit ein Mittel zum feligen seinder werben．

## $\mathfrak{E x}=$ ©tubenten＝Renigfeiten

Mandf：mierer friifheren ©tubenten ma＝ den ifren Einflut in Dent Edfulfeben ifrer Hangegent fiiflgar，intem ite als（sflieder ber Scfulfechäbe tätig find．Unter andern find
 Goefiel und Deswin Mouttet bon Sillsboro mit anbern（ffiedern ber Behörbe in Bethel gewe $=$ ien，umf fich nadh Sefreen umzufegen．Die ge＝ bructe Heberichrift（Retterheab）eines Briefes Den wir firzfich bon（rmil Deiter，Deer Ereef
 Schutberforbe von Deer Erecf iit．
（Emil Sanury，ber bor einigen Wocten fid） einer 〇peration muterziehen nupte，ift wieser an Dex Mrbeit in Der Univerjität bon Yrizoma．

Einige umerer Exx＝©tubenten，bie bieies Taht Yehrten，werben zunt nächiten Winter it ein anseres $\mathfrak{H r b e i t a f e l o}$ eintreten．

Frrl．Selma Rich verlä̈t Moundribge Soct $=$ idgute imo geht nach zreeman，Siit Dafota．

Maxiam ßenner verläß̄t Rozelf，fantas， ano iibernimat eine Sefritefle in Shons，fan＝ ias，no fie ভpaniidid uno Enaliíd Yefren wiro．

Sc．æ．Janzen，ber einige sahre in ber
 eine Stelfe in ber neuen（5velier sooctictule．
orrl. Dora Sarkmidt, Die fajun frilher in Ghituafua, Merico, Iehrte, aber lebten Winter hier in bem mexifanifden Bimmer in Rewton war, geht zum mäddften Binter wieber zuriidé nadi) Mexico.

Stella ভamibt iibernimmt bann ihre ভtel= le hier in Remon.

- Frl. Mganetha fajt hat bicien Winter im Witmarium Seminar ftubiert unt anf foldt: Weife guten (Sebraud) gemadyt bon ihrem Jahr 1 Itlaub, effe fie mieder zurüde nadf Ebina geft. Ou Den Edfubfeierfidfleiten genenft fie in Be= thal zu fein.
- Mr. und Mirs. Sabegger bon Bush, Montana, gebenten ber Racific=Sonferenz be $i=$ zuwohnen, ehe fie heim nadh Berne, Jnbiana, reifen, two fie ifre serien verleben wollen.
- I. R. Duterfiens bon Mrizona find focben in Memon angefommen. Bon hisr gehen fie zu ihren Berwanden, wo fie ifre Ferierzeit ber= leben mollen.
 ten nadh ifrem Sctulfid) gefommen, um noch einige Wocten gethorig zu itubieren.

Frul. ©elma ©ctmidt, bie währens bes Win= tebs in Montana lefrte, Gat iich für ameri= fonifde (bseidfict) e cinidfueiben lafien.
$\mathfrak{F r l}$. Souife Ernt umb $\mathfrak{A}$. ת. Ratraff finb eintige andere ber natuingeduriebenen ভitoen= ten.

- Mre. D. R. Dibburn (geb. Silba Bedel. Toctiter bon (c. 5. Bedel) fant Dienstan in Fenmor: ar, umt Eei Berwansten in ber alten Seimat ciniage Reit zat verweilen. Sie ermar= tet Gier an Gleiben, Giz nadf Dent Edhulidilun in Bethel, ia ife bie (seleaentheit bemuen möd $)=$ te, ifren Braber fier zutr ffen, went er fier= Ker fommet, bie ©eflubrebe in Bether zu hatter.


## Brogramm <br> fiix ben bentiden Moent em 25. Mini.

Wsie int worinen Jaffe, fo foll alde jebt fie= bre ein offentlidues Brogramm in beut= fofer Enracte in Bether nom Den Dentichen flai= jen argeben werben. Sebermann ift freundlidy
 bia Refrmittel braudgt, io polf ein Eintrittegels
won 25 (Sents auf jebe exwactifene serion mio 10 Sents für Sinber bis zu 12 Jahren ergn= ben werben. Wtg ein fleines ?lnbenfen an Dic= ien Wbeno erbäfe jeder fïr fein (Selo anjatt ei=
 Itonenmarffctein. (Mirflicters bent= ict) (Gels aus ber tewten Seit 1923, im Wert oon $10,20,50,100,500$, Millionen umb ciner Milliarbe)

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6. (Sesidgt: Des Sängers fhuch bon Rubivig 1 thl lans.
7. Senidgt: Dxei Baare mix einer bon $\mathfrak{F}$. Rütert.
8. Mravieripiel.
9. Dranta: §factizmann als Erzieher.
10. Männerdfor.

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## 8470 Diftrift= ©dulten it Santas.

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 len mit a mei Rehrem, Die 132,435 Sdjuifer ha= ben.

Ias grobite Rroblem bieier ©dyllen idgent nadi) ber Refretzeitung won Ranias barin zu beftejen, ba $\mathfrak{B}$ man fie rididt genügens mitroigt. Biele Refrer umb aud Boriteher fehem in igr mur cin fleines sians auf flemem Ramb, ton ein fleincr Regrer für cinen flemen Rohn flet= ne Sinser fïr furze Beit fleine Dinge legrt.

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