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Everything contributed to making the Commencement season at Bethel this year one of the most successful in the history of the school. The weather was fair and cool enough for comfort up to the last. The graduating class did its utmost to nobly acquit itself in the activities for which it was responsible; and a sufficient number of alumni and ex-students appeared-especially members of recent classes-to make such events as the alma mater meeting, the glee club reunion, and the alumni banquet the occasions they ought to be. Never has there been more good feeling and more enthusiasm manifested for the school. Those who attended these functions and those who were unable to do so still have an opportunity to express their love for their alma mater in a most practical way. Let's take the suggestion made by our field secretary in another column of this isssue, and help Bethel over the hill. Then we shall be ready for a real celebration in a year from now.

## FACULTY NOTES

Our college faculty will spend the summer in various ways again this year, a larger number remaining on the campus than a year ago.

Our registrar and business manager will be in their respective offices during June and July; Dr. J. R. Thierstein is conducting the eight weeks summer school, and the fol-
lowing instructors are serving on the summer school faculty: Professors Doell, Fricsen, Gaeddert, Graber, Hohman, Regier and the Misses Hooley, Penner, and Riesen.

Five of the regular faculty will study. Professor Richert will return to Boulder, and Professor Voth is attending Pittsburg State Teachers College. Miss Stucky will go to the Iowa State Agricultural College at Ames, Iowa; Mrs. Phillips will attend Columbia University. Coach Unruh is going to attend the Oklahoma Baptist University coaching school at Shawnee, Okla. Professor Gronewald is on a trip to Yellowstone and other interesting points with his parents. After a few weeks he will enroll at the University of. Wisconsin where he has a teaching fellowship in Economics for the coming year. Mr. Gronewald will be on leave of absence.

Professor Warkentin will teach in a summer Bible school in Newton for six weeks. Professor Linscheid is busy overseeing the remodeling of his home.

Four of this year's faculty will not return next fall. Professor A. F. and Mrs. Tieszen have gone to Denver, where Mr. Tieszen will attend the Iliff School of Theology during the summer and next year. He will also serve as pastor of a Congregationalist Church at Pueblo, Colorado during the summer months. Miss Margaret Stanley of the music faculty is attending Wichita University, while Miss Dorothy Kies,
instructor in voice has already changed her name to Mrs. J. Paul Hinshaw, the marriage having occured on Friday evening, June 6, at the First Presbyterian Church in Fargo, North Dakota. Mr. Hinshaw is director of voice at the State Teachers College at Minot, North Dakota, where the couple will reside.

In addition to the four resignations of this year, three instructors will be on leave of absence next year, for further study. Professor R. G. Gronewald of the economics department will be at the University of Wisconsin, Mariam Penner, instructor in French and Spanish will attend the University of Kansas, and Professor G. R. Gaeddert of the history department will do research, probably at the University of Chicago.

All the vacancies have been filled excepting the one in the economics department. Mr. Russel Anderson, baritone, will teach voice and direct the college band. Mr. Anderson taught music successfully in the schools of Birmingham, Alabama for a few years after taking the degree of Bachelor of Music at Bethany College, Lindsborg. He was granted the M. A. in Music by the Birch Conservatory of Chicago early in June. Miss Wilhelmina Bixel of Bluffton, Ohio, who holds an A. B. from Bluffton College and was recently granted the Bachelor of Music degree by the University of Michigan, will serve as instrutor in organ. There will be only one teacher for Spanish and French. Miss Jennie Mae Hyatt will fill the vacancy in this instance. Miss Hyatt holds the Master of Arts degree from the University of Wisconsin and has a number of years of teaching experience to recommend her. Mr. J. M. Hofer, a former instructor at Tabor College, who has an M. A. from the University of Chicago and has done considerable work there toward the $\mathrm{Ph} . \mathrm{D}$. degree, will teach history in the absence of Professor Gaeddert.

Peter S. Goertz, Professor of Philosophy and Religious Education at Tabor College since 1926, and a candidate for the Ph. D. degree at Yale University, has been elected dean of the college for the coming year. Professor Goertz is hoping to complete his work at Yale this summer. Professor A. J.

Graber of the English department will succeed Professor Doell in the capacity of dean of men.

Bethel College is to be congratulated on. the fact that all the new additions to her faculty are men and women of more advanced training than those whom they succeed.

Dr. Schwegler of Kansas University delivered the commencement address at the city auditorium at 9:45 A. M., June 5. His message, which centered about the character of the world which science has produced and the perplexing problems which that world presents, was very forcefully given. A full report of the address will be found in the German section of this issue.

## CONTRIBUTIONS FOR MAY 1930

A committee apointed by the Newton Chamber of Commerce, ably assisted by our field secretary, made an effort to complete the endowment campaign begun in the fall of 1929. The response was quite encouraging. About sixty contributions totaling $\$ 4757.00$ were received, bringing the total secured as a result of the recent campaign in Newton to about $\$ 50,000.00$. In this connection, it should be mentioned that from 1926 to 1929 Newton and vicinity contributed for the various funds a sum nearly equal to the above. Raising about $\$ 100,000.00$ for Bethel in four years is evidence that Newton appreciates her college and is willing to make her growth possible. In addition to the sum mentioned above, a few contributions were received for other funds, as listed below.

## Current Expense Fund

Bauer, Lester …-...................... $\$ 100.00$

Dyck, Arthur ............................... 100.00
Harms, Rev. G. N. .-................. 10.00
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## Haury Memorial Fund

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## Voth, Rev. H. D. 4.00 <br> \$ 79.00 <br> Total Contributions for May _-- $\$ 5,1,29.76$ Gratefully acknowledged, J. F. Moyer, Business Manager. <br> BETHELITES OBTAIN POSITIONS

The following is a list of Bethel graduates, students and ex-students who have obtained teaching positions for the coming school year. Most of these were placed by the college agency, which is under the management of Professor A. J. Regier.
Lester Bauer, Pr. of grades, Canton, Ks.
Marie Baergen, two-room school, Bessie, Okla.
Honora Becker, English, Abbyville to Buhler, Ks.
Aaron H. Bergen, rural school, Butler Co., Ks.
Anna Buhler, rural school, Canton, Ks.
Esther Buller, rural school, Marion Co., Ks.
Esther Dick, rural school, Newton, Ks.
Anna Dirks, rural school Greenburg, Ks.
Arthur Dyck, rural school, Goessel, Ks.
D. D. Eitzen, English and glee club, Pretty Prairie, Ks.
Esther Foth, rural school, Corn, Okla.
Anna Margaret Garber, rural school, Newton to Halstead, Ks.
Dan Goering, rural school, Moundridge, Ks.
Dave Goering, rural school, Moundridge, Ks.

Mabel Goering, rural school, Moundridge, Ks.
Martha Harms, Latin and German, Moundridge, Ks.
Lois Hohman, 4th, 5th, 6th grades, Manchester, Okla.
Clinton, Kaufman, science \& math., Little River, Ks.
Peter Kaufman, rural school, Moundridge, Ks.
Rudolph Klassen, rural school, Goessel, Ks.

Wilma Lichti, English \& debate, Goessel, Ks.
Esther L. Miller, 4th grade, Marquette, Ks.

Gladys McRevey, rural school, Abbyville, Ks.

Hilda Nachtigal, rural school, Newton, Ks.

John Plett, rural school, Buhler, Ks.
Alvina Ratzlaff, rural school, Marion, Ks.
Evelyn Ratzlaff, rural school, Meno, Okla.
Sadie Ratzlaff, domestic science, Monument, Ks.

Kathryn Regier, rural school, Meade Ks.
Anton Richert, science \& math., Belpre to Plains, Ks.

Edna Riesen, two-room school, Bessie, Okla.

Samuel Richert, rural school, Hillsboro, Ks.

John D. Schmidt, rural school, Buhler, Ks.
Ruth L. Schmidt, rural school, Goessel, Ks.

Selma Schmidt, preparatory school, Hillsboro, Ks.

Lydia Schrag, rural school, Pretty Prairie, Ks.

Curt Siemens, social science, Moundridge, Ks.

Frieda Staufer, rural school, Pawnee Rock, Ks.

Linda Stucky, rural school, Moundridge, Ks.

Ella Taves, rural school, Inman, Ks.
Lillian Trego, rural school, Halstead, Ks. Edna Voth, rural school, Newton, Ks.
William Voth, manual training \& coach, Lake City, Ks.

Erna Wiebe, 3rd \& 4th grades, Holmsville, Nebr.

Herbert Wiebe, manual training, Bentley to Hillsboro, Ks.

Maxine Will, rural school, Newton, Ks.

## FIELD SECRETARY REPORTS

By request, I shall try to give an account of my work as field secretary during the past year and also tell something of my future plans.

During the last year my work has carried me up to Montana and down to Texas, for the first time during the six years of work for my alma mater. In Montana the churches near Bloomfield, Richie, Wolf

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Point, and Chinook contributed very liberally towards our current expense fund. A total stranger to practically all of them, they took me in and made me feel at home, literally fulfilling our Master's words, "I have been a stranger and ye took me in." If any of you, my friends in Montana, should happen to read this, I want to thank you once more for the kindness and hospitality you showed me personally as well as for your liberality to our institution, which is so much in need of your loyal support. May God reward you bountifully for both.

On returning from Montana, I paid my family a short visit in Oklahoma, where they were making their home for the summer. From there I went to the cowboy state with the intention of looking up a few scattered late settlers, and of visiting the church at Perryton. To my disappointment most of the former had left for their earlier homes in Oklahoma; but the members of the Bethel Mennonite Church at Perryton, largely due to the loyal attitude of their pastor, Rev. Ferdinand Koehn, contributed very liberally towards Bethel's current expense fund.

In Kansas, the Mennonite Church in Hillsboro and the Emmaus Church near Whitewater were visited principally in the interest of our current expense fund. Especially the latter contributed very liberally.

The rest of my time was spent largely in the interest of the. Newton campaign and in calling on individuals. Among donations received from the latter may be mentioned the gift of $\$ 4750$, obtained by the help of Dr. J. W. Kliewer and others, for the home economics department, from friends at Moundridge and Pretty Prairie, also a number of excellent donations from some of our ex-students. Our readers will recall a number of $\$ 1,000$ gifts reported heretofore.

Gifts from the Rev. J. J. Voth family will make it possible to finish the manual training room.

Regarding plans for the future, I might briefly state that it is my intention to see our students who were fortunate enough to secure teaching positions for the coming year, and also those ex-students who have been teaching for some time. It is my
earnest conviction that from now on it will be up to our ex-students, to a large extent, to raise the remaining sum necessary to put Bethel on the accredited list of the North Central Association.

I have been told that our sister institution, Bluffton College, expects every student to sign up for at least $\$ 250$. Can Bethel expect less? One of our ex-students asked me some time ago if it was possible to find fifty ex-students who would pledge a thousand dollars each, adding "You can count on me as one of the fifty." Since then a number have signed up for that amout, and I hope others will follow, so that in a year from now we can announce that the goal has been reached. We should find an equal number to sign up for five hundred dollars and at least a hundred persons to sign for one hundred dollars each. Let this be our slogan, "Bethel College in the North Central Association by the fall of 1931."

Then the few churches which have not yet been solicited for the endowment fund will have to be visited after harvest. All churches will be asked to contribute to our current expense fund.

A flying trip through the Pacific states will be made to raise the final sum needed to put our campaign over.

Rev. Henry Riesen.

## ALUMNI AND EXSTUDENTS

Mr. Ardith Williams and wiss Mildred Beecher are members of the class graduated at the Emporia State Teachers College this year. Mr. Williams received his B. S. in education on May 22, and Miss Beecher will be granted the same degree at the end of the summer school.

After an absence of nearly two years, Mr . Waldo Wedel spent June 6-10 visiting at the home of his parents, Professor and Mrs. P. J. Wedel. Waldo was graduated from the University of Arizona this spring with the degree of Bachelor of Arts in archaeology. His work as a student was of such order that he won senior honors, with high distinction. He has obtained a fellowship at the University of Nebraska for the coming year and is at present with an expedition which will do field work dur-
ing the summer months.
Miss Mildred Wayne and Miss Marguerite McAdow of Newton are sailing from New York on board the "Homeric" about June 15, to spend the summer in Europe. They plan to give the greater part of their time to study in Madrid, Spain.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Alex McBurney of Kansas City on May 15. Mrs. McBurney was formerly Miss Helen Adams. Mr. McBurney is a student in the medical department of the state university. The family will spend the summer with friends in Newton.

Miss Lydia Siemens and Miss Minnie Schmidt, both teachers in the Goessel High School during the past three years, will attend summer school at the University of Colorado.

Miss Irma Haury of Halstead accompanied her father, Mr. Dan Haury, on a trip to Gulfport, Mississippi, where they will spend the month of June visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Langenwalter and family.

Professor Emil Riesen and family of Túcson, Arizona, will arrive in Kansas about the middle of June to spend the summer with relatives and friends.

Miss Stella Richert is a goiter patient at the Halstead Hospital, Halstead, Kansas.

Mr. Henry Schrag, who has held a pastorate at Wayland, Iowa for several years, will sail for Africa, July 1, as a missionary for the Central Illinois Conference of Mennonites.

Miss Ruth Knott has been hired to teach music in the schools of Lyons next year.

Miss Violet George will attend summer school at the University of Southern California.

Mrs. Roland van der Smissen of Ely, Nevada, will spend most of the summer with her sister, Mrs. Pete Linscheid, at Abbyville, Kansas.

Miss Elma Ewy entered the hospital at Hutchinson, Kansas, June 1st, to take up nurse's training.

Mr. Milton Kliewer, who has been in the employ of the John Deere Company at Moline, Illinois during the past nine months, will spend his summer vacation helping Eddie Linscheid, of Arlington, Kan-
sas to harvest his wheat.
Mr. J. P. Boehr and family have gone to Bluffton, Ohio to attend the golden wedding anniversary of 'Mr. Boehr's parents. The Boehrs will also visit Oberlin, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls before their return.

Miss Alice Martin of Salina, Kansas will accompany her mother on a trip to Great Falls, Montana, where they will visit Mrs. Ernest Mackey, formerly Miss Cora Martin, during the summer months.

Word has been received, by relatives, of the death of Mr. Menno Kuehney of Los Angeles, in a Los Angeles Hospital, May 30.

Miss Bertina Richert of Burrton, Kansas has gone to Chicago for the summer. She was accompanied by Miss Otillie Linscheid who will return to her home at Arlington, Kansas after a brief stay in the city.

Miss Elizabeth Penner, accompanied by her sister Helen, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Penner, of Newton, has gone to Wood River, Illinois, to visit her sister Mrs. Harold Barton.

Karl, Paul, and Ruth Kliewer left the campus, June 7, by automobile, for Geary, Oklahoma, where they were to meet Miss Helen Ruth, who is to accompany the Kliewer family on a trip to California, and the Northwest during the summer, At Tucson, Arizona, Mrs. Kliewer will join the party, and Paul will return home to work in the Kansas wheat fields. Karl will return from Los Angeles, and President Kliewer will meet the group there after several weeks, in order to accompany them on the remainder of the trip.

The season has brought a unusual number of marriages among Bethel's exstudents and alumni. On May 25, Miss Gladyne Baumgartner and Mr. Dietrich Becker were married at Aberdeen, Idaho; on May 27, Miss Bertha Schrag and Mr. Menno Voth were married at Kingman, Kansas; on May 29, Miss Dorothy Vesper and Mr. Ferdinand Wiens were married at the Highland Evangelical Church near Newton; on June 5, Miss Frieda Pankratz of Moundridge was married to Mr. Karl Suderman of McPherson, at Moundridge; on June 6, Mr. Herman Janzen of Goessel married Miss Gwen Galle of Moundridge;
on June 6, also, Miss Margaret Smith of Newton was married to Dr. F. Maxey Cooper of Ponca City, Oklahoma; on June 7, Miss Selma Graber and Mr. Paul Voth were married at Freeman, South Dakota; on June 8, Miss Mary Schmidt and Mr. Waldo Kliewer were married at Pawnee Rock, Kansas; on June 5, Katharine Jantzen of Hillsboro, Kansas, was married to Mr. Alvin Wiens, of Inman, Kansas. In all but four of the nine couples reported, both members are either alumni or ex-students of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Schowalter, formerly of Hays, Kansas are visiting relatives in Moundridge and Newton. Mr. Schowalter has resigned his position in the department of journalism at the Hays Teachers College to accept a position with the Capper publications at Kansas City.

Miss Clara Latschar has given up the management of the Wichita Y. M. C. A. cafeteria to return to a similar position, which she has held for several seasons, at Camp Wood, Elmdale, Kansas.

Miss Emma Linscheid of Arlington, Kansas will accompany Miss Emma Ruth of Reedley, California on a tour thru Europe this summer. They will sail from New York July 10th and return late in September. Miss Ruth is a delegate to the International Christian Endeavor Convention, which meets in Berlin the latter part of July, hence they will travel as far as Berlin with a party of delegates.

Professor Oswald Wedel, instructor in history at the University of Arizona, has been granted sabbatical leave for the coming year. During the summer he will teach at Boston University. After that Mr. Wedel expects to go to Vienna for a year of research study. Mrs. Wedel and Donald will accompany Professor Wedel on his leave.

Miss Ann Suderman, who has spent a year in Honolulu as bacteriologist at Queens hospital, was recently promoted to the position of serologist and has decided to remain in Hawaii for at least one more year.

Professor and Mrs. A. D. Schmutz of Emporia attended the Alma Mater meeting and the alumni banquet on June 4.

Mr. Sewall Voran delivered the commencement address in the Pretty Prairie High School this year. Mr. Voran, who was himself a graduate of that high school five years ago, is now a journalist in the employ of the Capper Publications at Topeka, Kansas.

## A THRILLING EXPERIENCE

The following is an excerpt from a letter written by Missionary William Unruh to members of his family near Goessel, Kansas. -Editor.
Last Thursday I had one of the most exciting times of my life. My hair still stands up when I think of it. I was just through with my noon nap when two men from a village about five or six miles away came to our bungalow and asked me to come along with them and kill a panther that was molesting them. They said it had attacked six men that morning, and some were badly bitten. They said they had beaten the beast so hard with sticks that its leg was broken and that it could not walk. We could go near it, they said, but they were not able to kill it with sticks; therefore, I should come with my gun and shoot it. I thought I must go and help those folks, so I took my bike and Mr. Penner's rifle and went with them. On the way I prayed several times that the Lord would help me rid the people of this beast.

When I entered the village the people were very happy, and they came out in great numbers. There must have been about two or three hundred men. Most of them carried bamboo sticks. We went into the rice fields where a number of men were watching the beast.

The panther lay in a field that was just in a yellow blossom, and so it was a bit hard to see him. Although the men told me we could go close, they were not willing to accompany me. Finally several men came along with me. When I saw the beast lying in the grain, I prayed again that the Master might help me now to get it. The people told me its leg was broken and that it could not run, and I believed them. After we had watched it a little while, I aimed and fired, but did not hit it. It did not stir, but I had to walk back a bit and steady my
nerves before I dared to aim again. Then I shot and hit it. At once the beast got up and came after us. If ever I ran, it was then. We all ran as fast as we could. Soon he had one of the men and was biting him. At once we all turned back to save that man. I could not shoot for fear of killing the man. The others, however, again beat the beast with sticks until it let off biting and walked back a little way, gave a big howl, and fell over. We did not know whether it was dead or not.

When the animal chased us, I lost my topi, and it was lying close to where the panther was now lying. I begged the men to give me some of their clothes to wrap around my head. Someone gave me something which I quickly wrapped about my head, and then we went back. I fired another shot but the panther did not move. We saw that it might be killed, but to make sure, I fired one more bullet into its head. This time we were sure it was dead, and we walked up to it. You should have seen the people then! They came with their sticks and beat and beat and beat that thing over the head as hard as they could. That was sweet revenge for them. When finally, they left off beating, they got together and yelled in regular high school fashion, "Victory, victory to the great lord missionary." The feet of the panther were tied together, a bamboo stick put through, and the beast was carried to the village. They took it from one street to another, always shouting the above victory yell. I was certainly the hero that time. They treated me most royally. They fanned me, offered me tea, pan and what not.

That evening by lamplight we skinned the panther, but we did not find the broken leg, nor any other bruise except where the bullets had struck. The first bullet that struck him must have entered the region of the heart and passed through his body. The shot was fatal; otherwise I can't imagine what might have happened. I will never again believe these people. They all lie to win their purpose. And I will never again be so foolish as to meet a panther on the open field. Happily God also protects the foolish and the thoughtless. Nothing goes to my credit here. I am not a hunter.

So don't praise the hunter; praise the Lord. He granted the protection and the help.

The skin has been sent to a tannery to be padded for a floor rug.

MISSIONARY'S SON DIES IN ITALY.
On May 25, a wireless message to relatives of Missionary and Mrs. Ferdinand Isaac, who were enroute home from India on furlough, announced the death of their little son Paul, aged three and a half years at Brindisi, Italy, on the evening of May 24. The message mentioned dysentery as the cause of death, but no further details were known until letters came which were written on board the Bremen and mailed so as to leave the boat by airplane twenty four hours out of New York. -

Paul became ill on board ship, presumably somewhere on the Mediterranean, and when a stop was made at Brindisi-a city of 35,000 located on the heel of the Italian peninsula-the party disembarked and the child was taken to a hospital. Whether they had planned to leave the boat here in any case is not known, but they had intended to disembark somewhere in Italy and go to Germany to see the Passion Play at Oberammergau. Missionary P. W. Penner and family, who were traveling with the Isaacs, remained at Brindisi over night but were urged to continue their journey then, since there were evidences of improvement in the child's condition. Definite facts are not all known as yet, but it is believed that the sickness lasted from a week to ten days longer, during which time the family was under quarantine in an isolation hospital. Death occurred on Saturday evening of May 24, and burial was made on the following day, but the parents were not permitted to be present at the interment since the quarantine was not lifted until May 26. After they were free, however, a police interpreter accompanied them to the grave, and later took them to the railway station, where they immediately tcok a train for Switzerland. During the rest of the week they traveled by day through Switzerland, Germany and Holland, and crossed the channel in time to reach Southampton to catch the boat on which they had earlier engaged passage to New York. Here they
again joined the Penners.
The party arrived in New York on Friday, June 6, on the S. S. Bremen. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac were met at the New York pier by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Penner whom they visited for a few days at their home in Stockbridge, Connecticut. They are now with Mrs. Isaac's relatives at Mountain Lake, Minnesota but are expected to arrive in Kansas very soon.

We believe readers of "The Monthly", will join us in extending deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac and son, Donald.

## THE MORE ABUNDANT LIFE

(Baccalaureate sermon)
I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly. John 10. 10.

Somehow the notion is held by some people that to be a disciple of Christ means to lead a sort of narrow life. One meets with people, sometimes they are rather young people, who think that in order to appear learned they must show that they have gotten away from supporting with any degree of ardor any very definite religious tenets. The impression they want to give is that they have gotten too broadminded to be definitely religious, that they fear religion might have the tendency to narrow their lives. Evidently this fear is without basis as far as the religion of Jesus Christ is concerned, or his claim that he would usher in a broader life is false. A somewhat hasty scanning even of the Sermon on the Mount will give us an idea of how heeding the teaching of Jesus will enrich our lives instead of narrowing them.

As we all know, the Sermon on the Mount opens with the beatitudes. In these is contained the challenging implication that a follower of Christ may turn into blessings those experiences of life ordinarily considered adverse. Even after these centuries of Christian teaching we are stil! startled to read that they are to be blessed who are poor in spirit, and they who mourn, and they who are meek, who hunger and thirst, who are merciful, who are pure in heart, who are peacemakers, who are persecuted, who are reviled and slandered. What strange alchemy this, that trans-
mutes the baser metals of life into shining gold! What nectar is drawn from bitter herbs! Many in the time of Christ, and many since his time, have shaken their skeptic heads and have said they would satisfy their souls, or primarily their bodies, with the very opposites of these things mentioned in the beatitudes. Poor in spirit? Not they. A superior person can well afford to be haughty. Mourn? Why not chase away depressing thoughts with merriment and laughter? Why speak of meekness? Let the conquered be meek; the man still in the fight must think highly of himself or defeat will result. Hunger and thirst are words that are intruders into their vocabulary; they would much rather think of satiety. And why the mushy sentiment of mercy? The prating about purity in heart is not to their liking. They would rather stress the other limits to which natural desires could be let go. They give their mental assent to being peacemakers, only if they can dictate the terms of peace. Being persecuted but keeping the conscience unsullied does not appeal to them; when reviled they chafe under it. So they avoid all of these unpleasant experiences, even if it. has to be done at a sacrifice of right. They think they are living a free, rich life; but the ashes of disappointment prove the opposite. There is more joy in the life conforming to the conditions of Blessedness as laid down by Christ than in the life runningan opposite course. It is the more abundant. It is the freer life.

The larger life ushered in by Christ presupposes a higher type of righteousness. It must exceed the righteousness of the Scribes and Pharisees. They insisted upon such a punctilious observance of the law that each item of it was as stiff and cold as an icicle formed under a leaky tank on a winter morning. The spirit of the law being ignored, its letter killed. Their righteousness did not primarily direct their lives, but it shriveled them. Their righteousness resulted in a haughtly separatism that put. them in a class ly themselves with that "I am holier than thou" feeling which is resented by both holy persons and sinners. Oh , in what narrow circles persons of that. type move even today. Their lives are im-
poverished because they are too proud to learn from persons of another race, nation, speech or religion. If you members of the graduating class have imbibed that spirit of the Christ and will utter your sentiment in that direction, expect to be ridiculed for it.

Surely one's own life looms bigger as the lives of others gain in importance. Christ teaches that our hands will not be ruthlessly laid on the life of another, if we think of the sanctity of life. We will be more likely to think of the sanctity of life if we think of the sanctity of personality. Ugly names for our fellowmen will not leave our lips so readily, if we think of the sanctity of personality. This is the check of the first step that leads in the direction of taking life. This greater regard for human life is an element of the more abundant life ushered in by Christ. This high regard for personality of man as created in the image of God will also help to solve the questions of adultery and divorce.

What practical results will accrue to human society, if men and women will launch out on this larger life, is indicated by prohibiting the taking of oaths. In a society living this larger life, truth will be such an unbroken rule that asking for an oath will be unnecessary and therefore an insult. Retaliation will not take place because love rather wins an enemy than destroys him.

In this new social order, alms will be prompted by love and not love of show. Prayer will be a spiritual contact with the Heavenly Father, yet coming quite naturally, and not a hypocritical pretense at desires not felt in the soul. Riches will not be the consuming desire of society because their transitoriness will be perceived. For this reason the folly of worrying over lack of worldly goods will be seen. There will be conviction that a genuine request will be answered and a diligent search will be requited, for God is better than the best father. We will be charitable towards others, because we know our proneness to err.

The whole Sermon on the Mount is pregnant with the thought that the Christian life is no easy matter. It is full of obstacles to overcome. You cannot move along the crowded broad way of ease; you
must push your way through the narrow way of endeavor. Drifting along easily with the crowd gets you nowhere that looks like a goal. Nor does mere profession count for anything; there must be fruits. Faith in the Christian's life is not mere gullibility. Sufficient intellectual keenness should be exercised in it to make a sharp distinction between true prophets and false prophets. A structure of faith must endure the storms that assail it. Its foundation must be rock, not sand.

It is dificult indeed to see how anyone that understands the program of Jesus can think that the Christian life can in any way be a narrow life. It is not primarily a life minus something. It is very definitely a life plus something. It is not narrowing; it is broadening. It is not a life suppressing any of our better sentiments; it is a life challenging the best that is in the best of us. I would regret very much if any of you would receive your degree in a few days from now, as a token of having received a liberal education, and would not have received the liberating influences that come into our thinking and living by an infusion of Christianity.

But someone may say that that is exactly what he fears, that Christianity does not liberate but that it enthralls by the many new duties that it imposes. It may be necessary to say a word about this matter of liberty. There is no such thing for us as absolute liberty in every respect. Whether a person be a Christian or not, there are many occurrences and many conditions in life in which he can exercise no choice. No one of us determined his date or place of birth, or his parentage. Inherited tendencies were not chosen by us. Everyone of us is subjected to influences which he cannot evade and which he did not invite. On the other hand, there is no doubt that in other respects man is a free being. In the Word of God he is portrayed repeatedly as one who has the freedom of choice and who will be held responsible for his choices. Only for behavior that is within this realm of freedom will he be held responsible. Ethical value attaches only to such deeds that are the result of man's volitional choice. His deeds are good only if he could have
chosen evil, and they are evil only if he could have chosen good.

Education is called liberal because an increased fund of information sets us freer than we would be without that information. To illustrate: Two men alight from a train. The one starts right for the place where he wants to transact business. He knows how far he will have to walk, in what direction he must start, where he must make his turns. He knows the way. The second must first get his bearing, for he is a stranger in the city. He must make sure first that points of compass are what they seem to him. He must find out in what direction he must go, where to make his turns, where to stop. After the first man has made his sale, the second is only arriving. The first man's knowledge enhanced the freedom of his motion. The second man's lack of knowledge made him less free in his motions.

Now let us apply this principle to the religious life. When Christ came, he came not to a people without religion. They were very religious. But they had become formal in their religion. Forms in religion may help, but they can also hinder by narrowing life. The Jews at Christ's time thought that if these religious forms were broken religion was destroyed. Christ now announced that he would give them a more abundant life. Its contents should be more than mere forms. He gave them a knowledge of the Father as they had never had it before. He spoke of a brother relation between man and man as they had never heard of it before. He described $\sin$ as ugliness of motive as well as of deed. He pointed to the tremendousness of the cost of eradication. Sin would bring suffering both to guilty and innocent. In other words, there would have to be vicarious suffering He was the Lamb that would be slain for the sins of the world. Knowing all of this, they would be able to move about with greater freedom of motion just as the man that comes to a town that he knows, in contrast to the man that is a stranger in town.

You as members of the graduating class will in a few days be given your bachelor of arts degree. That will be a token that you have done the prescribed work in a lib-
eral arts course. I have intimated that that might read "liberating" arts. You have acquired a certain amount of knowledge of history, of your own and other languages; of the origins and the results of human behavior, of the underlying laws of natural phenomena. This knowledge is to help you live more purposefully and more fearlessly, more abundantly.

But man's destiny is not determined only by the interplay of events in history or the effects and countereffects of physical laws. Through all the ages and in all climes man has believed in supermundane forces, sometimes with more clarity and then again with less. Normal man is religious. A universe without spiritual realities will be full of puzzles to him. A universe without a guiding spirit who has an adequate motive for his deeds will be a chaos to him. Man living in that kind of universe will be hampered by the planlessness of the universe. He will not be able to live a large life. Jesus showed us the motive according to which this world is run-the motive of Love. He played his part in executing this motive. We will fit into God's plan better if we conform to this motive. We will strike fewer obstacles, meet fewer puzzles, live a larger and more abundant life. Your education has not been liberal to the extent possible, if you have excluded him from your life. Make it more liberal by letting him make your life more abundant.

- J. W. Kliewer.

The more honesty a man has, the less he affects the air of a saint.
-Lavater.
To be proud of learning is the greatest ignorance.
-Jeremy Taylor.
Learning makes a man fit company for himself.
-Young
Since Time is not a person we can overtake when he is gone, let us honor him with mirth and cheerfulness of heart while he is passing.
-Goethe.
No man who has once heartily and wholly laughed can be altogether and irreclaimably depraved.
-Carlyle.

## 쿄utldye Albteilung

Das fiehenutbreigigite commencement．
 bunflen Stunben．＂
$\mathfrak{F n}$ bie Reihe ofer fejtlidjen 1 nterhaltungent
 eines bramatifden Stüdés von Wert burch bie Seniorflaffe getreten，und bies moohl haupt＝ fädflich aus folgenoen（Stimben：Grjtene ift es an ber ©rbung，imp bie Seniorflafie，Die bier lange sathre fille beim Stubium zugebracht hat， einmal als folche vortragents an bie Deffentlidit）＝ feit trete，bamit man fehen fann，wer fie find und twas fie finib．Fruither traten jolctie תlafien am Shintage mit einer Reibe von ßorträgen auf，bie oft fait ermübend auf bie Bortragen＝ Den und bic Buförer wirften．Dies hat fich in Raufe ber Sahre geäncert．Gfrumb bafür
 fen jein，anorenteile mucti bie Tatiathe，báb Borträgeljalten für mandien（sfrabuanten cine Blage war．Breitens it es in ben Eolleges zur Trabition getworben，baß bie mbtretenien Slaifen ber Sdfule ein（Geidfent madten und Bethel hat auf biefe Wecife fotion eine $\mathrm{NHzahbl}^{2}$ nernensmerter（5eidjentie crbalten，bie eine ifföne Erinnerung an die Getreffenden Gruppen bilben．Bit biefent Broefe fehten aher bei man＝ chem nacty vierjährigem Studium bie Mitter． Hind burch sie $\mathfrak{2 l u f f i i f r u n g e n ~ b e f o m e n t ~ s a s ~} \mathfrak{S}_{11}$ b＝ lifunt bic Gelegenheit，in etroas mit beizutra＝ gen，Dáb das（šefifenf möglid）wirb．

Saß aber aud Bethel dollege，eine dyriftlidfe Schule，bramatifatye 2 fuffïhrungen geben barf， mill nidut ein jeber zugeben．Iaker gibts auth nadh jebem Berjutly der 2 ant meffr ober meniger Sritif．Dafiei legt man io gerne ben Maby＝ ftab an，ber bor fïnfzig ober mehr safren galt． Man bergibt，ban bie welt mit Meilenitiefeln foeiter feffreitet．Man vergīt，DáB wir in 9 Ime＝ rifa，int ¿ande ber Jreiheit，mohnen．Mian
 Gaben，bem wir aud mit Der beiten Meinumg nidft minive aften röpfe aufieken fönnen．

Fint bies sahr wälite man ein Stiof fehr fexiöfer Natur，bas religiöfe Drama won Don Marquis，＂®ie bunflen Stunocn．＂Das Etüd
 bar und folgt bem Beriefot ber Crongeliften in Der Sauptfacke：Der Berrat Jeft burch Jubaj， Das Berför sefu bor ben priefterlicfen und meltlichen Beförben，bie ふerleugmung ふefit

Durch ßetrus，ber Seetenfampf in（sethfemane
 furcht für sie heilige Berion Sefu fäbt ber Didfter immer nur beffen Stimme büren，nie ifn felber auftreten．Das follte wen Stackel Des Sormatris gegen bas ©tiula woegnefmen， Denn bie Worte Seju barf boif aud ein（Shrift， in Ractuafnung ber 2 axt und Weife，wie fie bon Seju geiprodjen morben fein bïrften，mieberge $=$ ben．Das baben boch aufgemedte ßrediger von jefer 3ut tun weriucht．Indo was die andern Secionen，bie an bem Stüde teilnebmen，anbe＝ Iangt，bie ふ̌einde Jefu，Wilatue und Die Junger， die ja bodit ganz gewöhnlide Meniden waren， Die zuräprefentieren follte boch nidyt 2riftor ge＝ ben．Und wer Gätte nidyt fchon in feinem $\mathfrak{Z C}=$ ben，in ber Wiedergabe cines Worfatle，biciem ober ienem meniden nathzuatmen werfucht！

Die Bertreter Der Scauptcharafter in bem Stiut maren：Saiaphas，Fant slitwer；Scan＝
 Wetrus，D．D．Eiben；Johannce，Wiilhem Both； BilatuS，furt Siemens；Defien ©sattin，28ilma Yiçti；Maria，Die Mutter Sefu，Mres．Sicobe＝ mue；Maxia Magbalena，Sadie Fablaff； Malctuts（ipäter ber Semuptmann），इheodor Elarfien．2tnoere gricier ber slafie mb Mrit＝ ftubenten ftellten mbere ßeriönlicffeiten，wie Bentgen，Frcumbe Sefu，Barrabas umo das auf＝ fiithrerifde Wolf dar．Willis Rich finach bie Worte Seut＂in ber Entfermung．＂Dic Rollen murbe alle gut，mandie jefre gut gebanibabt Hind ber ganze §ortrag，außer ber ভzene two Der Söbel auftritt，war feierlid）und einowndes＝ volf．Hnd Scfreiber bicfes，der bas Waffions＝ ipich in Curnopa mitangejefen umo angehört hat，fann mit Bahrheit fagen，ber Einomud fier war ienem bort in manden Whaion ziemlidy ebenbürtig．
$\mathfrak{D a}$ Stüd furbe $\mathfrak{F r e i t a g}$ ben 30 ．imb mud Samstag den 31．Mai gegeben．2tm eriten Stbend war bas grobe Mewton 9ubitorium ganz， am zweiten ziemlic）mit anoächtigen Bubërern angefiillt．

Dex Bafolaureatz＝－bottcs＝ bienft fand Sorntag ahent，on 1．Juni， ftatt und ba das Wetter an bem Nbenis cin gar Herrlidfes war，io fand fidf cine ziemlidi groke Babl won Teilnelntern eint．Hinter Srgelbeglei＝ tung bon ßrof． $\mathfrak{M}$ ．Se．Selohmann maricticrte bie

Reibe ber æ̛afultät3nitgfieber und bann ber Grabuanten now ben borne in ber sapelle für fie referbierten ßräbe．Mit $\mathfrak{B r o f}$ ． $\mathfrak{F}$ ．₹．Midy er als Borfiker fang bie Berjammrlung ein Ried，
 12 und Leitete im ©ebet．Dam fang ber Col＝ Tege männerdfor Den 121．Wfalm，worauf $\mathfrak{B r a ̈ =}$ fibent $\mathfrak{F}$ ． 23 ．Nfiewer bie predigt hielt，anleh $=$ Hend an $\mathfrak{j o h} .10,11:$ „ $\mathfrak{j b}$ bin gefonnten，bā fie bas reben und volle（ssemüge haben jollen．＂ Da bie ingaltsreide Wrebigt int englijden Teil biejes Blattes boll miedergegeben wird，io ge＝ Gen wix Gier mur bie leitenden Gebanfen ber＝ felben．Sie maren etiva twie folgt：E5S gibt biele Meniden，bie unter bem Æindrucf fteken， Dak das ehriftenteben ein jehr beengtes und ein geiderentes iit，cin Reben boll bon Entbeyrun＝ gen unb entiagungen．Tatjactye ift ieboch，baß Das Reben eines wahren ebriften gerabe das TSegenteil in fich birgt．W80Gl muib ber ebyift vielem entiagen，aber innter ben $\mathfrak{T r i e b e n}$ mit
 fen，Sie bitteren Nacthgeidemade haben．Dafür genieß̆t ex aber cine zülle geiftiger und geiftlt＝ der ©fenuiffe，bie bas Reben beretidern und be＝ ghïden．Die Bergprebigt zeigt fegr flar，baja Dem wabren ©fyriften in ber Wusübung der driffichen Tugenden bie reidfiten S゙dÿtbe in
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 Barmberzigen milbe Belhandung，ben intwendig Reinen（Semeinidaft mit ©sott，umb ben um ©e＝ reçtigfeit Berfolgten ber Szinntel．Eine $\mathfrak{B i l}=$ bung，bie anf eince chriftlichen Bafis berugt uns mit cinem merftütigen ©hriitentum beridgmelzt ift，madht ben Menidien frei in Denfen und Santoctr．Ohne Seium gibts fein wolles Reben， feins bas volle Gsenüge gibt．Jepus zeigte uns，wie man wathee Reben und bolle Benüge Kaben fann，nämlich ourch \｛usubung ber Sicbe． Sur toer ©fott bon ganzem seerzen liebt uno feinen Mäctiten twie fitif）felfit，fant boll umo ganz Yeben uns fann fation hier auf（erden wah） re马 ©sluia genteßen．

Nacti Sctlutb ber ßresigt，fang ber Eollege Dantendion nody bas erbebende Ried＂Sanftus．＂

## ©dyubexerziticn ber Sentorflaife．

Diefe fanden $\mathfrak{D i e n s t a g}$ abend ben 3．Jumi jtatt．Ser erite Feil ber Heburgen fand brau＝ Ben auf bem Majen ftatt．Die Beremonie be＝ ftand barin，wie bas bei ber Sentorflafie fathon

Yangiäbriger $\mathfrak{B r a u d}$ dit，cinen Enpheuidgöbling zu pflanzen．Didyt am Şauptgebäube，nahe ber Rorboftecle，wirbe bie Biflanze ber Muttererbe anbertrant．Ser ßräfibent Der ふlafie（rbl win $\mathfrak{y a n m}$ bielt eine pafiende，furze \｛tipradje über bas Thema＂Wachatum．＂Wo Reben ift， ift Wachjtum．©上马 ift Des Menichen Bflicut zu foadijen，zuzunehmen in allen guten Dingen． Hber wie ber expheu fict an etroas §reites flam＝ mext und fets nach oben bringt，fo tut autid Der frebenbe Menict mohl，an Gott，ber göttli＝ den Wafrheit und Gottes 刃erheipungen feit＝ zubalten．Dann mur iit reelfes Wactictum mög＝ lict．
§ür ben zweiten Teil Des $\mathfrak{F r o g r a m m e s ~ b e = ~}$ gab man fich in bie Siapelle．Jn Dramafornt wurbe bie bseidficfte ber אlafie bargeftellt und uuth bie Bufunft ber（sfiener prophezeit．EInta Ridert，Sabie Rablafi，Maut Mliemer umb Mres．Nitodenuts hatten bies recht futitlith aus gebactit und ausgearbeitet．Bejonders interei＝ fant war bie Srophezeiung bezügliď）ber Se＝ niors．Laut berjelben befinden fith bie neiften binnen fünfzegn sabren fajt alle in joliben， ehrentollen Stellungen．So iit z．B．Ebbinin Sarmes Scauptarzt an cinem groizen Sovipital， Davio Eitizen $\mathfrak{F r e b i g e r}$ an einer groben Ge＝ meinde in New Yort， $\mathfrak{R}$ ．E．WBilliamion ©uper＝ intenbent ber ©dulfen in ber Grobitaint WBi＝ dita，Efyna Richert Brofefion ber beutjctien Spradfe an einer grojen luniberitäat．senen Sarber，David Eiben，Wauk Srtemer unb Bm． Woth fangen als Eenior＝©uartett ztwei ictione Sieber，Martha Sarms uno 52．Saarber ein Guibides $\mathfrak{D u t t}$ ． 1 nd zum Schuib beflamierte Mixs．Nicodemus ein redft gediegenes（Sedidft， Der flaffe zur Wibmung．Das Brogramm twar Gie und da mit seumpr gefoürzt，fonit aber zeug＝ te es non edfem Sinn．

## $\mathfrak{H}$ Ima Mater unb $\mathfrak{H Y H m \sharp i}$ $\mathfrak{B e r i a m m i t u g . ~}$

Mittwoch nactuntitag um 2：30 fanb bie $\mathfrak{M K}=$ mat Mater Sibutg ftatt．Reb．Fo．ת．Regier funtionierte als Moritzer．Das Eollege Sutartett bon 1828＝29 fang．s Dant fourben Briefe bon（fficdern der 1920 תafie bargelejen． Dicjen folgte eine 2tniprache bon গo．ת．Regier ïber ，＂Wie Wethel mix im Retroipett vor＝ fonmt．＂תact einemt Gefang vomt Scnior＝ quartett，beitehend aus senty sarber，Sabio
 Senty crwert ïber，＂Wie Bethel mir in ber （Sjegentwart borfommt．＂Wieder jang ein
§uartett，ふ．§．ふ̃anken，æaul ßaùmgartner， §．Š．Batzer und $\mathfrak{B}$ ．․ Sohmann，morauf Surt Eiemens jeine $\mathfrak{Z n f i c f t e n}$ über ，，Wie $\mathfrak{B c}=$

 anerfannten beren $\mathfrak{B e r t}$ und Kegten begrïndete Sooffnungen für bic 3ufunft．

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 ha Marie Şaury 81，©rizabeth Scaurt 84，Roi弓 Sobtann 75，©fther Jank 75，©hefter Rinidecio 71，Zrrieda Stauffer 86 ，Jrene $\mathfrak{H r b a n} 81$ und Erna Wiebe 79.
©ollege æreffmen：Rinda Balzer 68，＊Seilba ¢ibizer 64，2tma Goering 87，Mabel （Socring 70，5elen §iebert 71，2trbert Janß̨en 71，5arold Roemen 76，Bculah Sctumibt 69， Nellie Modbluard 74.

Spezielle ङtubenten：＊Julia 2bams 66，Rilian Trego 74.

Die mit＊Kezeidneten nahmen nidft volle Nrbeit，meanmegen ifre soten nidfit ganz io hodit ftehn．

In Bethel mird der Grad ber $\mathfrak{H r b c i t}$ ，die ein Stubent tut mit $\mathfrak{N}, \mathfrak{B}, \mathfrak{C}, \mathfrak{D}, \mathfrak{F}, \mathfrak{F}$ ．oder ©ons．bezeidmet． $\mathfrak{N}=2$ Husyezeidynet， $\mathfrak{B}=$（fut， $\mathfrak{C}=$ Mittelmäßig， $\mathfrak{D}=1$ Ingenügend， $\mathfrak{z}=\mathfrak{D} u r c f g e f a l l e n$, ©ond．＝Der furius nodif nid）t ganz beendet，es fehilt nock etwas，bas balo nactigefolt miri．（Eint Af gibt Dem ভtubenten orei ebrenpunfte，ein $\mathfrak{B}$ zwei，ein © einen，ein $\mathfrak{D}$ nidfte．Sur joldele， Die eine gemifife $\mathfrak{B a h r}$ von $\mathfrak{N} \mathfrak{\prime}$ unt $\mathfrak{B}$＇s und feine Benfir unter © Gaben，find in die ©hrenlife bä゙hlbar．

 Baul Baumgartner als Boritizer und filorence Seaury als Scfreiberin．Man befdiloz ein Ber＝ zeidenis aller ber（sxabuanten bon Bethel Eol＝ lege und ber şalitead Boridulte aufzufellen und in Budfform 3u veröffentlicten．æernce murbe bie ©ntidheidung getroffen，aus ber Bil＝ lanz in ber 9llumutifaife foviel zum fauf bon neuen Stiiflen in ber Siapelle beizutragen，wie bann noch erforberlich it，narfodem alle andern
 （5s merDen nach $\mathfrak{A}$ bug ber Rechnungen，bie nod） austefen，noch beinahe $\$ 200.00$ in ber raffe verbleiben．Saul Baumgartner murbe wieder るum Bräfibent gemäblt，Şelen Riejen alz Schreiberin und $\mathfrak{S}$ ． $\mathfrak{F}$ ．Moner alz תaffierer．

## （1） $\mathfrak{S}$ MYumni $\mathfrak{B a n f e t t . ~}$

Bies fand am Mittmoch abeno beginneno 1 m 6 Mbr tatt．Bieher maren mur bie（bxaduanten won Bethel ©ollege und etma Deren（satten Doer Gattinnen zu diefem zejte zuläßflidy．Die马 Jahr murben aud ほxitubenten uno（fönner ber Sctu＝ le willfommen geheiben．Und die Bafl berex， bie an ber Tafel teilnahmen，war etwa 180.
 ミiebesfeit ift，alten freunden und（sb̈nnern Der ©dyule zugänglidy fein umo es ift zu hoffen， daß́B die Bahl ber Teilnehmer fich bald beroop＝ peln ober berbielfactien mirb．Roum mitb jeffon 3it beictiaffen fein ums wenns unter einem gros Ben Belt toäre．Mit mux menigen 2fusnak＝ men waren afle grabuterten תlafien feit 1890 wertreten，und zwar wie folgt：1890，＇91，＇92， ＇93，＇95，＇98，1900，＇01，＇02，＇03，＇05， ＇07，＇08 und bon da an alle Mlajien bis und mit ber biesjährigen．Ebe hor interefifant，alle bie＝ ie intelligenten Šätpter und Berfönlichfeiten zu fehen und zut betrachten．Wabhrlid Bethel Gollege fann fidy barin mit irgend einem an＝ hern Sollege mefien．Dr．Scugo wall，Der cine Wrofeffur an ber Widfita Univerjitä̈t befleibet， fungierte als Toaitausgeber．SB．§．Quiring， getweiener Refrer am zreeman Eollege，jeßt Bes ichüftemamn in Bubler，fanif，brachte einen Toait ans auf＂Die Bergangenheit，＂Frl． Gladns Mitchelf，gified der Senionflafie，cinen auf＂，Die Gegenmart＂und $\mathfrak{D r}$ ． $\mathfrak{J}$ ．W．Mliemer einen auf＂，ite Bufunf．＂§r Yegrite feine Be＝ merfungen zum Teil an bie Worte beß Dichters： ＂Press on－for in the grave there is no work，and no device－press on．＂Earl freh＝ biel tub ein bon ifm zufammengeitellteß £uars
tett fangen eint paar faÿne Rieder und ßrof． Sobmann bitigierte ben Mafiengejang Diejer Gejang war recht begeiiterno und bazu angetan， gute Stimmung für bie M1ma Matter herbor＝ るurufen．

（Fin faföner ねrauctl，ber fitch in ben lebten Sahren in ber Commencement＝Wodie entwitưert hat，ift bas Sonzert Der vereinten＂（3lee Clubs＂ Der Gegentart und Der Bergangenheit．Dieß
 tourbe ant Mittwoch abeno nat，bem Mfumit Banfett gegeben．So populär ift biejer $\mathfrak{z e i l}$ Der Scturßprogramme，dán die תapelle bie $3 \mathfrak{Z}=$ Görer faum mehr aufzunehmen vernag．Ein Samensaufruf ber anwejenden Sänger zeigte，
 twaren．\｛ygefichts ber Tatiache，Daß mantife Der älteren ©änger mit ben sabren etroas aus ber $\mathfrak{H e b u n g}$ gefommen find und $\mathfrak{b a b}$ int ganzen nux zwei ßoritibungen möglich waren，fielen bie Zeiftungen ausgezeid）net aus．Brof．WB．Š． Sobmann bixigierte ben vereinten Männercflor utho ben gemifituten ©hor und Frl．Dorothy Sitez Den vercinten Iamention．Die Fräulein Ruth Srefficl amb srene Urban begteiteten auf ber Drgel umb bem Siano．Erinige ber Stüdfe，Sie gefungen muriven，find：＂§̧eftival March＂ （ Nern），＂Mow the Dan is over，＂＂řaireit 2ord §cius，＂＂〇nmipotence，＂（ভdyubert）， （Shoria：（Mozert），Die Şintrel erzählen
 futher wirb wohl wünichen，dáb die ©selegen＝ heit foldhe fonzerte zat Gören wieber gegeben werben möge．＂

Das Commencement
fand Donnerstag morgen beginnent um $9: 45$ im Stabtaubitoriunt fatt．Da e马 bie Madft るu＝ bor orbentlidit geregnet hatte und baher bie We＝ ge mandjerors nodif fotig waren，soar bie $3 u=$ Görerijfaft nidet ganz io groiz wie fie ichon ge $=$ twejen ift．Sur ©röffing fang bas college＝
 Direftoriums ein Safriftiont mid Yeitete int Gebet，morauf ber Feitrebnex $\mathfrak{B r o f}$ ．凡．N． Sdymegher，Defan Der＂School of Esbutation＂ an ber Ŝanias Staatzuniverität，borgeitellt murbe．Daz Thenta ber ausgezeictneten Rede， bie er bielt，war etwa，＂Die Welt in ber wir $\mathrm{l}=$ ben and die Bfliduten bie unirer warten．＂

Buerit entwarf srof．Sdivegler ein flare？

Bird won ber Welt wie foe int Mittelarter war， wo alles fitlftand ober faft rüufminta ging，weil
 und bann ein Bild ber Gegentoart，tov wir uns mit ©rfindungen affer $\mathfrak{A x t}$ übereilen und einant Der in Erftannen verieteen．Er zeigte foie burd Die Errungenidfaften ber Wififerictaft Das Men＝ ichenleben immer megr burcti）Maiduienerie and afferhand をrfindungen fontrolfiert mird，bajo wir Beit uno Raum bals annifiliert haben atmo baß wir in zolge Defien inmer mehr Beit zur Mube gewönmen，bie uns aber nidat gut be＝ fonnt，fondern in！Gefahr und Beriuthungen aller Nat bringt，ia $\mathfrak{B}$ wir immer mehr bemt Materialisnnus zuitetern．Erx wies bamu Kin auf bie Menge won ßroblemen，bie Dieje neue，io fehr beränderte Beit mit fich bringt，öfonomitide 解robleme，foziale $\mathfrak{P r o =}$
 religiöle ঞrobleme．（5anz bejonocres Øfemidit legte er aufz sacim uno Defien Einfliifie．Err fonitatierte，Daß fait bie Şäffte ber Eyben，bie geichlofien werben in Efyeidjeibungen enben und
 greife umb bie Exriftenz Des Gsemein＝1ind Stathtebens gefährbe．Die 3 ufunft unieres ¿andes beruht auf gejundem zamilienleben， auf ber Solibität min Sanftität bes Seeims， Hitb went bie fafminden，bann itt＇s um uns ge＝ idyehen．Rom ging unter nicht als bas Dpfer übergrozer ©tärfe feitens jeiner §einde，fon＝ bern weil bas zantilienleben banferott ging． （5xtectionland wurbe nicft von einbrecfenben Freindeshorben befiegt，fonbern es fiel bahin， weil bas seeim zerfaffen war．Wenn ber $\mathfrak{B a}=$ ter unt bie Miutter fich weigern bie Pfficiften De马 Seeimes uno ber 5eranbringung von תin＝ Dern zu überneymen，bann geft es feffef int Zanbe．Wem eftern um Der Sinber willen feine Dpfer meffr Eringen wollen，bann Gören bie Sinder auf zu Yeben．

Demnocif ift sie Bufumft nicht lauter Dunfel． ©5 frum noch wieder beijer werden，wem toir unfern moralififen Sober，bei bem e马 nody int mer menidefert，Der nody inmer bie Epuren
 hat，io abändern，biz er ganz in Einflang fommt mit ber Refre und bem Reben Jefu，bas in bem（frumbiab gipfelte：Riebe Ghott bon gan＝ zent Serzen，won isanzer Seele und aus alfen Sräften umb beinen sädfiten als bicd felbit．＂

Immer rieder exinnerte ber Æebner bie （5rabuanten an bie grobe $\mathfrak{H}$ ufgabe，bie ihnen
beboritehe，bie grojen ふragen uns Froblemte in Der Welt löjen 3u helfen．Dann fdylob er mit ber breifactien \＄pahnung，bie er fpezififd an bie תlafie richtete：Şaltet euren förper und ©seift rein umb unbeflectt，betwaret bas ebben＝ bild（ffottes in eucd）．Iut überall und zu allen Beiten eure Bflidgt，meidft ify nie aus；bie größten Männer waren itets pffichtgetreu bis
 Dáb es erjt jekt recht ans Rernen gejt．Berjucht jeben Tag etroas ©fites，etwas wahre zu ler＝ Hen．

Die Folgenden Stubenten furben grabuiert und erfieten ba马 શ． $\mathfrak{B}$ ．Wir fügen jebem bas Şauptfack und Rebenfact oder Rebenfächer zu． Das erite ift bas fanutfacti，bas ziveite bas Re＝ benfach：

Theodore Ěafien，Newton，Mathematif，Deutich．

Seenty Sarber，Srnanio，Manitoba，Dentich， （Engifud．
Exmin Searme，Corbell，Ofla．，Biologie，Ehemie． Martha saarme，Eorbell，Sifar，Engliid）， Dentict．
Mitored Saurty，Retoton，Biologie，چranzöfitich． Silida תfafien，Nefoton，5ome Economics， ভpaniict．
 Wilma Richti，Mebford，Dfla．，Englitich，Dentich．
Gflabys mitctuell，saniae（rith，Mo．，Englijd）， ほrziehung．
Mirs．Eora Ricobemus，Newton，Englifict unio （5eidjid）te，巨rziehunct．
Sabie Rablaff，Meno，Dfla．，（Rewton），Somte Exconomics，Englifíd．
Elma Regier，Merwon，Biologie，Deutid．
E゙Ima Ridjert，（5ocijel，Nemon，Deutict，©pant＝ ifict．
Erna Rieien，Newton，seme Economite，Ery＝ ふiehung．
Selma Sctmist，Bammee Roci，Englija，（Se＝ ichichte．
Sana Echroner，Merwon，Erziehung，Enngliid．
Surt Siemens，Rewton，（Seicfichte und ©raie＝ ing．
Edfueiter Rena Mae ভmith，Nefuton，Biologie， （englijic）．
William Both，Neroton，Biotogie，©hemie．
$\mathfrak{A}$ una Barfentin，Mit．Lafe，Minn．，Biologie， Erziehung．
 icficfite．

Tabid Eliken，Mt．Rafe，Minn．，twirb fet＝ ne $\mathfrak{H r b e i t}$ fürs $\mathfrak{V}$ ． $\mathfrak{B}$ ．mäbrent ber ভommeridut Ie bollenden．J̌rene Hrban，Rewton，erbielt bas Diploma fïr $\mathfrak{B i n n v}$ Mititu．

## Beridicbentes auß bent College．

Der Mifionsuerband．
Dieie ©ruppe Gat in diejem Jafir recty löb＝ Yidfe Nrbeit getan．Sie mäcfentliffen $\mathfrak{B e r}=$ fanmlungen twiden regefmäßig abgeyalten und gut bejudft，und biele widftige Ihemata murben behandert．Reifpiele biebort liffern auta twieder bie Yekten Sizungen des Werbande马
 dhe：Das ©ebetzleben ber Nafionen，Fionier＝ mifitionen，Das Ebrifitentum unter ben verichie＝ Denen Rationen，und Retes von Den Miffions＝ felbern．ひrriifer int $\mathfrak{J a h r}$ wurbe ein ziemlich
 beit Gervorragender Mifitonare，wie Morrifon， Fattor und Sibingitone gentadit．Slut ulieren eigenen Mifitionen fourbe bie gebüfrende $\mathfrak{A}$ 亿f＝ mexfantifit getionmet．WBo immer möglidf gab man Mififionaren im ミicuit oder auf Urlaub Tselegenheit bie（3nuppe zu belehren．

Bei ber Ditrchipraŭ）des（sebet马lebent ber Sation referierte Milma Ridfi über Das（bse＝ betaicben der Juben．Das gebet bilbet enten widftigen Teil ifres Rebens．Sie ridften beim． Gebet ifir Geficht bem §iten au．Schon etronz
 umb mit entbrößtm Saupte beten．－Geeba ift Der Lieblingegott der §induฎ，弓！welduem biel unid ernit gebetet firis．Sie beten mur unt ma＝ terielfe（6aben und ©egen．Fgre Götter müf＝ fen aufgemeit werberi．－－．Sie mohammedaner Gaben bei der 2ybarfit und beint Gebet biel $\mathfrak{B e}=$ remonie．Jane täglicfien Gebete finto alle ritua＝ Yiftijat．－Die Subohititen glauben an feiten

 ten zu itillen．

In ber Beiprectung ber Pioniermifitonen behandelte Tersinand Wiens bas Thema， ＂Earey in Smbient＂Diejer Mann foar bon ફ̌ans aus arm．Mit achtzeyn Jahren fing er an zu predigen．Er var Heberjeter und $\mathfrak{D i d}$ ）＝ ter umb hat bie Bibel in fümfundoreibig ©pra＝ den umb Dialefte überiebt．Err Galf mit ein （Sjejetst zu pafiieren，bas das atzieten ber תin＝ ber int Den（sanges werbietet．Bierzig Jahure lang toar er in ber Mitifion tätig．Morrifon in Cbina war auch cin guter Heberjeber．Dazu
berfaibte er ein Wörterbuct ，ถas 40,000 Wörter enthält und erflört，und won ber oftindifden Gefellidyaft mit einem Sivitenauftant bon $\$ 60$ ， 000.00 heraubsegeben morsen ift．Sivingitone twar ein grōer frforicter unio auch ein fehr ein＝ flubreidger Mitfionar．

Die Beamtenthabl fürs fommende $\mathfrak{F a h r}$ fiel folgenocrmafien aus： $\mathfrak{B}$ räjibent，erbgar $\mathfrak{D o c b s}$ ；
 Fierer，Selen Sciebert．

## Derbeutifackerein

hat bies Jahkr zeitiweife recht gut getan．Int groben und ganzen jeboch Gätte angeitrengter gearbeitet werben fömen．Die Beriannulungen furben ziemlich regelmäßig abgebalten und biemlich gut bejucht．Sas Eingen beuticker Rieder bilbete einen beträugtliden Teil ber Hebungen．Die（flicderzahl war beinah fünf＝ zig．Dies ift Der einzige literarifaje Berein，Der fich biz heute erhalten hat und er fifeient aud） auf Fortgang hoffen zu fönnen．Die $\mathfrak{F}$ eamten fürs erite Semeiter Deқ fommenden Jatres
 ma æaltner；fafierer，\｛una（5vering；fap＝ Yan，，Selen Şiebert；Gejangleiter，©্bina תlie＝ mer；かianift，Martha＠uiring．

Gaben fich aud iede Wodye regelnäbig verian＝ melt und viele fürs ©hrijten＝und Matag引leben Widftige Durdigefprodjen oder verhandeln hö＝ ren．Fuf einer ber Yeţten Sißungen z．B．be＝ fprad） $\mathfrak{D r}$ ．Nxtell über Sefundheit und bie
 tung und ßefolgung von（5ffundheitsgejeten Den Wemiden jünger bält uno aubjeben madyt． Dies jei bejonders beim weiblityen（seid）lectit Dex Fall．Ex exflärte，warum man einen wirt＝ Yicd guten Doftor mäblen follte und wie bas biellíeidyt am beiten anzugehen wäre．Bum Salut $\mathfrak{y o b}$ er bie jegenbringende $\mathfrak{A x b e i t}$ Routs Fajteurs herbor，Der burch das Studium De马 Wrozefies der đ̛ärung biel mid，tige Fafta ent＝ Deeft hat，Darunter Die，wie bie Mildet von Bat＝ teria zu befreien ift．

Das Deutidic und bic bentidic $\mathfrak{M b t c i l u n g . ~}$
§ajt Kunbert ভtubenten，beinake die Sä̆lf＝ te ber Øsejammtiduillerzahl mährend des neun＝ monatliden Schuljabres，baben dice sahr $\mathfrak{M r}=$ beit in Deutich genommen．Die Glifoer Der Яlnfängerflafie allein zählte？einunbvierzig．

 Scaupt＝over Nebenfad）machten，find bie $\mathfrak{J n =}$ $\mathfrak{G a b e r}$ guter Stellungen getworben．Elnta $\mathfrak{R i}=$ －chert，bie im Deutidyen ausgezeidinete 2Yubeit getan，bat in 2nerfemung Diejer Iatiadje für马 fommende ভdfuljahr ein＂fellomifip＂int Deutidien auf ber Staat马untberität erbalten． Sies bringt ifr $\$ 400.00$ ein und fie bat bas Wrivilegium bas ganze $\mathfrak{z a h r}$ frei zu fubieren． Sollte bas Department ihre Dienfte gebrau＝ chen，to DáB fie bielfeidft ẹinen Drittel ibrer 3eit baraaf werwenden muïjte，dann wird bas Stipendium auf $\$ 900.00$ erföht uno es ift 2HEitdyt，Daß Dtes der Jall fein bitrfte．Mil＝
 Yebren，Martha Sarms in Der Moundribge Fouctichule，Selnta Sdymist in ber Bibelafabe＝ mie zu Stilltboro umb Babid Eizen in ber Fretti）Sisainie Sochidute．

Die shzeidfen deuten alle iarauflin，Daß Das Deutidue miener in bie Sboifidulen zurüd＝ fonmt．Reiber aber gibt es Euperintenbenten， Die Den Berfutf mit ber Wiebereinführung be Dentiditubiunts ginausidjiebert，weil fic vorge＝ ben，es fei feine Radjfrage Danadi．Wenn fie es aber bamit berjudfen mollten，fann ginge es bielleidft wie Gier in Newton．Scyon im æruith＝ jabr 1928 murne wom Deutidjen Separtment in Bethel Geim Euperintenbent ber Rewton Schulen barnuf angeitoben，es märe vielleirit am ßrlate，bả Deutiche mieder einzufüh ren， aber man zögerte noch ein Jahr．（ひud）bas §abr ipäter，im きriibjabr 1929，handelte es jich banum，ob genutg Mactffage für das sadh fein miirse，falla es offeriext werben jollte．Man entiditós fitif jedoct，ben Beriudt） zu madjen und，fiehe bal 54 Saduler nebmen Deutid，genuy，dab zwei תlafien gebilbet wer＝ Den mußten．
 jolde neue Sactjen twie．Junior Şodfichuten， Sunior ©olleges，Manual Zraining，bie foch＝ funit u．i．iv．in bie Scdulen eingeführt wurDen． War es in Folge bon Definitiven Ractifragen feitens ber Eflern ber Sinber oder Freunben
 Yen twaren es nidft bie Ghtern ber תinder， aud）nidft cinmal bie ©chufbehörden，bie Die Sache auregten．Rein，aufgemecte，weit＝ findige Edfulmänner fahen Die Motivendigfeit， machiten Beriuche ober Experimente mit Diefen Dingen und fie fanden 2 nflang．Wenn man es tur einmal mit bem Deuticijen berfutchen
fuitrbe，bann mürben mancherorts ganz nette RIafien Deutici neben M1gebra，Englifid，（s）e＝ foctichte und a．m．nefmen．Sie Beit muß und foird fommen，two ßethel Eollege，bas ja be＝ fonders Gelegenteit hat und befähigt itt，seh＝ rer bes Deutichen auszubilden，ber Machfrage
 fönnen．

## Dice Eamnterifutre．

Die Bethel Sommeridule nabm gleid）nact Gommencement，ひrrettang ben 6．Suni ibren Thnfang．Sechzig Stubenten Yießen fith amt er＝ ften $\mathfrak{T a g}$ simidereiben umb ieither find noctif ztoanzig herzugefommen．Die Bahl ift nidfic
 für iit，bab die Refrer Der Nemoner Stadtictur＝ Ye，über achtzig an ber 3ahl，mur burdb einen Stubenten repräjentiert juto，währent in an＝ Deren Jahren inmer eine nette $\mathfrak{A r z a h l}$ ：anteil an unferer Sommeridute natm．Man will Den Grumb hicfür barin iehen，weil Bethel nidft genug ipeziell päDagogifdfe furfe offerie＝ re，bejonder马 Methodif in bielen Elementarfä＝ dern．Sollen aber alle Rehrer bis ins extrem jpezialifiteren，felbit foldfe beren Sifulfildung mur begrenst ift imb bie baher nocif immer amt §unbament zut bauen Gätten und bauen foll＝ ten？

Die Stubenten，Die Gier find，Gaben icheints alle Dasferfe Biel，nämlidi bie Beit redft aus＝ zufioufen unio recht biel zu geminnen．Die mei＝
 es gibt foldes，bie fitify autif auf andere Berufe norbereitert．

## 2chrerwedifer．

Wie fait immer gabe auch bies Jabr Meitg＝ nationen in ber ærafultät und ç mußten für Dte Rüden andere Refre gentift werben．Schon bor einigen Wacten reififten Frof． $\mathfrak{A}$ ．F．unb Fran Manda Tiefen ifre Refignationen cin．
 Spantich imis Sateminid．Ifn Stelle won Rehrer Tieğen ift $\mathfrak{刃}$ ．©．（50̈rtz，gegenwärtig，Rehrer amt Tabor ©olfege，gewäflt worben．Srof． Gforts wixb Defon bes College fein imb Brilu＝ Fowhie，Bibel mo Fächer religibier Ratur Yeh） ren．An Stelfe won ふran Tiejen toird foohl Hmitände bather niemand treten．
©päter refignierten bie かrräulein Dorothn Nies umb siargaret Stanleh，eritere Rehrerin Der Koformuifi，Yebtere Sehrerin ber Jnitut＝ mentalmulif． $\mathfrak{H n}$ bie ভteffe bon ærrl．Fie马
wirs Rufiel $\mathfrak{H}$ nderion，ein $\mathfrak{6 r a b u t e}$ ter bon $\mathfrak{B e}=$ thany Eollege，\＆inbsborg，fann，ber jeither weiteritusiert und oudd einige sabre exfolgreid Mutifif gelebrt hat，treten．Die Stelle von $\mathfrak{F r l}$ ． Stanley wird $\mathfrak{F r l}$ ．Withelntina Bixel aus Bluff＝ ton，©．，cinnefmen．Mix Bitel hat bom Miufit＝ Department in かhiffton Gollege und jeither bon Der Mufitifidule an ber Micfigan Itniweriität grabutert mid hat bejonbere Gaben in ber whit＝ fit．

Mī Martant ßenner，bie siejes Jahr ぶranzäitidy uno Spaniich gelehrt hat，nimmt ein Jahr $\mathfrak{H r l a u b}$ behufz 刃eiterbildung umb ant ibre ©telle tritt Mif シ̃entie Mae Seath aut Hrbana，Jffinois．Sie hat idyon mefrere Sahre gelehrt，unter anderm autib am St．Morris
 nois und hat ein $\mathfrak{A}$ ． $\mathfrak{M}$ ．
$\mathfrak{Y n}$ ©telle bon ßrof．（5．R．Gsaedsert alz きebrer ber Gejuficte，ber aud anf ein Jabr Urlauk nimmt，tritt Wrof．ฐ．M．Sofer ber ge＝ gentoärtig an ber Uninerfität bon ©hicago itu＝ biert．
 ein fellowigip an ber llniberität won Wifon＝－ fin angenomnten und wird aljo nädijites Jabr nicfot hier fein．Man fucfot einen paffenden Mann fïr biefe ©telle．

Was man per Telcofunt hört．
Energifd flingelt bas Telephon in ber $\Omega$ Rü＝ the ber frau Wiens－ein ¿anges und fibei Sutrze．
＂Sinder，jetzt itill！Das waren uniere Ring，＂ruft fie umb，indem fie den Bejen bajtig ant einen Sturg Yehnt，eilt fie，amt $\mathfrak{z u}$ antwor＝ ten．Wit raichem Griff langt fie ben Šörtridater herunter and jagt：＂saello．＂
，＂Seeflo，ift bas marte？＂icfanlt igr bie be＝ fante ©timme ber ærau תlaifit entgegen， ＂Ma，mas macfit bu denn Geute？＂
，Ydid idit bin idfon wieber beim Etuben＝ febren；＂entgegnet bieie，ndie Sinder fafleppen ia fo siel Sdfont Kerein，bun man mur fort＝ mähreno rein macheai muf．Nher bu was tuft Du？＂
 jen wirgtig．＂Wir erwarten zum Mbendeffen Bejuch．Tie Brantleute fomment her．＂
＂Die Brautlente？＂fragt $\mathfrak{F r a n t}$ Biens wer＝ mumbert，＂Wer Dem？Sif bate nodit nidfit ge＝ hört．＂
＂Midft？＂erivisert jene，，Ma，meine Sidefte Sieje und Safob Unrut murben ia Sonntag
burgcitella！＂

 Fob Hnruit？Soch nidgt Feter（D．Hnruhs Suln？＂
＂，Rein，nein，＂entgegnet Ærrau sirafien． ＂Dies ift Tina Hnrubs kruber．Die fennit Du Duch？Sie geht ia 子um Sollege．＂
 als ob fie etras Bejonderes fei，wem fie nad） Soule fommt．Rektes mal hatte fie ja ein fehr putbiges sleto an；und NGiöbe hat fie an Den Schufen，上án fic fabier niçt gehen fann！＂
＂Hle，bock nidyt！Das hatte ich noch nidyt alefehen．Rein，wo wifl bas noch Gin，＂meint crou siafien．
„ミัa，ja，＂eifart bie Wiens meiter，„mcine Edfociter $\mathfrak{A m n a}$ fagt，bie Tina trägt ifre Naje jekt immer fo hocti，ban fie uns gewähntific Seute niddt mehr fehen fann．＂
，MRa，＂begütigt bie 2nbere，＂wemn fie erft älter wird，gebt ify das bielleidgt aud nody iiber．
 im Dfen fegen．＂
，，Na，fonmt boch mal geriitber menn es eutif part，＂entgegnct なrau Wiens．
＂Danfe，wir werden，＂gibt jene zuriulf und Gängt eilends auf，Denn icfion ftrönt ihr ein $\mathfrak{b}=$ Denflidjer（bierudi bum Dien her entgegen．

Eyma Rictert．

## Die fozialen ふuftantide in Siracl zur ふeit $\mathfrak{A n t o s}$ ．

 rael unt ぶuba igrer Deidtimnigfeit megen farnten．

Das Bolf S̃irael mar ftolz auf bie hervor＝ ragenoen Reiftungen feiner $\mathfrak{H}$ mice int frteg． Sooctunt fommt bor bem fall ；und bie folgen waten natitrlich itfle．Srieg bedeutet für cinen Stat immer befvinn und für ben andern §tets $\mathfrak{l l n g K i u c f}$ ．Die Grumbleitzer fourbent bon Der Randarbeit gerufen und in Den תrieg ge＝ fatict．Das rand fiel bem 2toclitano zu；und als bie Banern nach langen Sümpfen mieder zurüưfehrten，hatten fie feine matcrielle פilf quelle，um fith uno ihre santilien zu ernäbren．
 itich bas sand zugecignet katten，war genua， um Reidutum und Rurus unter Den Reiden zu vermehren und bie Rebenshaltung unter Den
 $\mathfrak{F r a u e n}$ waren veridywenderifich．Die Buitänot in Sirael maren ben Buttänden in Den moder＝
nen Etr̈bten im ©iten fehr ähnlid．Die banali＝ ge（3efeclichaft，io wie Die in ben bitlidyan Etäbten，war in zwei rirafien getcilt：ber rei＝ dge int cimflufreidye ober gemaltige Stand， mid ber arme und interbrü̈fte Stand．

Ěe waren zwei Heb：l in ben moraliduen uno religiöfem Buitänden，nömtich dic abgöt＝ tiiche Darfellurg Der（fottheit it Bie Barnacti）＝
 Sottesienit und fene llebel，dic Amos jice ia feinen wrebigten itrafen will．Ere tadelt ions Wuflleben－－figar ben（Gebrauth）dea Ruhen马 hei bem Matil，Der neulidy bom Drient heruiber gebradit morsen war．

Die jiisitithe Siation siefer Beit mar reif zum（5ericf）．M（ntos warnte icine Mitbürger． Mit unvergleidylidyer Süthnteit prach er bas （Gerict）aus übor bie Menidjen，ierer 5eerzen veritoct waren．Hnerichuoden predigte er bie Folgen eines Rehene，in bem bie Religion bon Der Moral geidficden ijt．Die Mrjactien bieics （Serict）ts waren mur fu flar：Reidfum umb $\mathfrak{R}=$ xus，Reidftigfeit und Werberbnis，Elend imb Heberflub，Sieder Der suftbarfeit und de马 Weins．Antere ©revel murien ebenfalle verur＝ teilt：Die Arrmen quälen，ihre ßlecioung ituide verfrufen，um Seffulion bu bezaflen，unge＝ zäumte Sieberlidffeit jogar unter bem Miantel ber Religion，heudflerifd den．Зehnten geben， und Goble Beobachtung bes Sabbats．Heber iolcte $11-b e l$ entbrante des seerz $\mathfrak{A m o g}$ mit Born．Daber finden wir audit im Bucte $\mathfrak{A m o s}$ Die（3xunofäze der bibificten Eozialmififen＝ fichaft；；nämlicty，（1）Die allgemeine Dhertjert＝ ichaft（bottes，（2）Die Sumben ber Menfidfeit， und（3）bie moralifdye Berantmortlichfeit alfer Menidjen．
$\mathfrak{J n}$ bicien Beiten ber niebrigen fozialen $\mathfrak{B u}=$ itände，waren joldje Bermahnungen gemißlich ant Blake．©5 waren nifft mur sic fozialen $\mathfrak{3 u =}$
 ligion twar nicbriger geftiegen und bie formen Des Gottesbienites maren verborben．Die fei＝ erlidfen Sinctjengebräucfie wurben mißbraudgt itib audy bie Dpfer mursen auf bic froiten ber $\mathfrak{N r m e n}$ zum Mrtar gebractyt．Die Regierung De弓 Landee war aud fait verfallen．

๔̌s mußte jemand fommen，um warnend einzufalagen，und $\mathfrak{A m o s}$ tat Dieices，furchtlos， für Den §errn．

Selensicbert．

## Dic Etellung won Jnfultäten zur ঞeligion．

$\mathfrak{D r}$ ．Robert ․ Selfy，©refutib＝Scfretär Deß

Föberat sionzils für (rrzichung madte unlängit eine ziemlidi eingebenve Stubie ïber obiges Thema. Da mir glauben ber beridyt habe biel Intereffantes fiir bie Rejer des Monthily, io ge $=$ hen wir ihn hier in jeinen Sauptgedanfen, mit einigen תomentaren.
$\mathfrak{A}$ Kg Mntwort auf bie Frage, wo er bie Religinn int ©tumbenplan Gabe, erwiberte ein biederer, tiichtiger ©chulmeiter: "WSir Yehren fie Den ganzen $\mathfrak{I a g}$. Wix Yebren fie im Rectnen Durcf Gfenauigfeit. Wir Yebrenfie in Der (Geichictute burch) Šumanität. Wir Yehren fie in ber Geographie burch $\mathfrak{B r e f t e}$ Der (Gedanfen. Wir Ichren fie in ber Scand=
 fie in ber Aftronomic Durch $\mathfrak{H}$ usbauex. Wir lehren fie auf dem Spielplat ourche ehr Itdes ©piel." Dieier Refrer hatte recht, es ift möglich religiöfen Einfluß beim Rehren trgend eines factee auşzuïben und das fann getan werben, ofne báb man wiel $\mathfrak{A u f f e h e n s ~} D a=$ bei macht - ganz im Stillen.

Cis gibt wohl menige Sollegee in Amerifa, Dic nidgt Religion= unto ßibelfächer Yehren. Benn wir fier bon Endleges iprecfen, io meinen wir bamit borberband die ßrivat= Eolleges und Iafien Die Staatsuniweritiäten= MuD Eolleges abieits ftehn. לes gibt Eolleges meldfe ben gan= zen $\mathfrak{T a g}$ Religion Yehren. Hnd es fteht mogl
 größenteils beftimmen, ob eine Refranitalt $\mathfrak{R e}=$ Yigion Yehre ober nidft. $\mathfrak{J n}$ einem Stubium, bas unlängit in vier ©olleges gemacht wurbe, Gielt man informelle Gfruppenfonferenzen mit ben $\mathfrak{F}$ afultäten, um auf bieje Weife zu beitim= men, iumiefern bie bedeutung ber Religion er= faß́t und heim sefien in Dear betreffenden Schut= Yen bargeboten merbe. ©゙S murbe den Fafultä= ten flar gemadyt, DáB fie ohne seinterhalt ipre= (f)en büften, ofne basurch in Hnann:hmlichfei= ten $\mathfrak{z H}$ geraten. Sie jollten frei befennen, ob fie für ober gezen bie Sarthe ficien.

Mebr als cinmal murbe der Foridicr exfudt, Den Begriff Religion zu Definieren, waß er aber nidft tat, erftens besmegen, weil er bie Definition nidyt zu geben mugte und zweitens, peil er eifrig bemiift fuar, bie $\mathfrak{H n f i c t a t e n}$ ber Sefragten frifit) und ungefärbt zu erlangen. İm groben und ganzen fand fidf in faft allen Fallen ein tieferer religiöfer Ton als man er= sarten twürde. Die Beridete merben nact $\mathbb{Z e}$ gr= abtcilungen gegeben.
(6) cic) tc

Ein Brofeffor IMlt Dafür, ber beite $\mathfrak{B e g} \Re:=$ Yigion zul lebren, ic: burch feinen eigenen $\mathfrak{R e}^{\circ}=$ benswandel. Ein anderer berifftet, er ligre middt Direft $\Re$ Religion, aber er madhe barauf aufmerfiam, daß die Religion cin midftiger Faftor zur §etung uni Beredlung ber menichli= chen Sejelfichaft fei mub DáB iff Nuben, ihr moghtuender Erinfluß Dunch bie Beiten mogl wahrzunehmen fei Ein oritter ift Der Mnichi, Daß bie hervorragende Stellung Der $\mathfrak{A n g e l f a c h}=$ fon und ber anverwanden Stämme auf ihre ftarfe Şincigung zur Religion zuriidzufiih hren iei. Erx meint, im ©ollege fei es abjolut not= mendig Eharafter zu lehren und zu bilden. Ein bierter it frof, bab in feinem Sollege feine Scf= tireret getrieben miro, fondern dás fie als ehri= ften mit einanber lebell und arbeiten. Soch ein anderer (5cidicfteprofefion fagt, bie (Se = fifficfle ber Rełigionen fei oon großem 2 Bert und zeuge won bem überlegenen Werte der (briftlichen Religion anocrn gegenüber.

## Frembe ©prabeat

Der erite befragte Wrofefion fteht für $\Re$ Relis gion ein, wo es (5elegenteit gibt, will aber nidfots von Seftirerei wiffen. Exr hält biel vom Einflits ber תincle, bie eine geiunde, wahre, progrefiive Religion anftrebt. Der zweite fagt, er finbe wenig Gelegenheit in feinen Silafien über Religion za iprechen; nocil er aber felfer
 tung ber Meligion oder ihrer Mertreter feitens feiner ©tubenten auf feinem $\mathfrak{F}$ all entidnusigen fönnen. Ser britte berichtete, er lehre Religion injofern ale alles Reben Religion fei und weil gute Riteratur, bie geiftliche fowobl als bie fulturelle und phyifide Ecite bes Bolfes offen= bare, Das fie erzeugt habe. Der vierte, $\mathfrak{B r o}=$ felior bee (5xiectifd)en, crläuterte, er interefite=
 giomen und lege wohl mehr Nachorud auf die Sinweife anf Glauben und religiölen Wandel in den Textbüctjern als andere Rehrer Dies 3u tun geneigt mören. Erx mache gern Bergleiffe zmifden Den religiöien Wrattifen und Beitre= Gungen ber (Sriechen und Des ©hritentumb, bie immer zu Guniten Des leteteren ausfielen. Ein Zefrer bé Spanijifen fagte: „Wix fömen nidft ipanifde Siteratur lehren ofne and Die Bibe! Dakei zu Yebren."

Mathematif
Ein Fechenlebrer fagte, jein rach gebe itn wenig Ofelegenheit Refigion zu Yehren, ex ber=
fucthe fie aber in feinem lingang mit ben Sifit： Yern anzubringen．©in a：Serer meinte，int ber Göheren Mathematif £jum：man ichön zeigen， Daß ein mädftizer（Geift a．．e Dinge georbnet Ga＝ be und has fa ja Mexigion．Edreiber biefes，ber feiner Bcit auch Maforatif Yehrte utho eimmal bon cinem Mam gefos；t wirbe，wie man burd） bie Mathematif R：ligion lehren föme，gab sie Natront，in ber Nathematif gebe es feinen Mittelineg，eine $2 \ddot{i} j u m g$ iei entweder ganz falfot ober ganz ridhtig．So jei＇s auch mit bemt Shriftentum，Gott anterfenne mux ganze Ebri＝ ften，feine halben．Ein anserer，fein Einflub
 tholifche sixche entitefen mödete；er lege melyr （Semid）t auf bie geiftig＝geifitlicte Seite Des $\mathbb{L}=$ bens als cuif bie materielfe．Noch ein anderen reibt bie Religion nicat mit（Semalt in die Dis＝ furfionen ber תlafien Ginein；wen man aber Darouf fomme，dam bemilye er fict ben Ein＝ brudf zu geben，ser ©flanbe an（sott fei in feiner Weife im Wideriprutd mit ber Wiffenichaft． In der Mitronomie bemuïhe er ficd，（5hrfurcht für bic munderbare fafföpferifide Macht，bie Gin＝ ter ber ganzen ভcyöpfung fteht，einzuflößen．

> Biologie

Ein Brofelior jagte，er presige nidft $\Re:=$ ligion im Slafienzimmer，er neme fie aud nidf）． Ery meife aber iarauf bin，Daß̈ bie Evolution unb ber ©sfaube an Gott ben Ecfigpfer einan＝ Der nidf）miescriprädyen．Iie ganze orat＝ nifierte Ratur bes Hniverinums betweife bie Exitenz cines groben Seifes．©in anderer $\mathfrak{B r o f e f i o n ~ g l o u b t , ~ D a \dot { B }} \mathfrak{B i v l o g i e}$ und Religion fehr eng mit cinander verbunden ieten．Die Bafiz bes Studiums der Biologic fei bas Reben und bas fei grabe ber Sern der Reliaion．Je größer cines Stubenten Wifīen üŏer bie Biolo＝ gie，defto größer feite Grfenntnis von Gott umb religiöfen ©ingen．Ein britter ijt jehr einge＝ nommen für Religion uns muntert Stubenten， Sie Şeincigung zu religiöjer Mrbeit Kaben auf， fich in Derfelben weiter autzubilden．Err lebrt， Dã̃ Unwiffenteit die Uriactle ber Sontroverje fei，Die zwidfen ber Religion und ber Wifien＝ fdaft entitmben itt．

## 6hente

Der crite $\mathfrak{F r o f e l f o r , ~ D e r ~ f e i n e ~ R u f i c t a t ~ f u m b ~}$ －gab，fagte，iafiz che der Surius bollendet jei， haben bie ©turenten bie Heberzeugung gemon＝ nen，baiz bie munderbaren chemifich：n Sejeze atmo bie 马ufammenfebung ber elemenfe nicat io

gefommen ieien．Der zweite meinte，bas Reh $=$ ren und Stubium ber Chbemie erzeugten int Stubenten \＆iebe für bie Wafirbeit．Der näch＝ fte erflïrte，fein Stubent fönne längere Beit Demt Stubium ber Ehemic foibmen，ofne zu Dem Sdhlib bu fommen，dan bintex allen ben mut＝ Derbaren organifgen Sörpern cia grober fafaf＝ fenter（bieift fici，ob man bies mun Supremes シ̃teffeft，Rebensfraft dier Gsott nemue．
(Hglijd

Die Bibel it ein ivejentides Etüct ber engliityen Riteratur uno igr Einflus if ibberall bemerfbar．乌己 geft baher nidht ohne Refigion ab，ift bie Errtlärung eines $\mathfrak{B r o f e f f o r s . ~ D i e ~}$ Bibel oringt tief in Den Einid）lag und bas Ge＝ webe ber englifthen Eprache uno ミiteratur ein und bie Senntnis ift zum ふeritänoniz des ぶa＝ chees unerläß̆lict．

Dieje und vicle andere Beifipiele aut her Forichung，bie gemadft tworben ift，beftaifen，baje bie gepruiften $\mathfrak{Z e g r e x}$ mit nur ein paar शus＝ nakmen zcigten，Daß Meipeft uns Schäbung für bie Religion haben．

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Mancfier lvird jagen，die शrmut，bie bit＝ teren Eorgen，Der unerträglidfe Sctmerz find bie $\mathfrak{H r j a c t h e n}$ ，toarum fo biele Meniden ungliud－ Yich fint．ESs ift rahhr，Armutt ift ein böfer $\mathfrak{B}=$ fucher，ber uns mürbe machen fann．Sind a－ ber alle armen \＆eute ungliuctidid？（Sott fei Dant，nein！Muf dem \｛ngeitift mandies $\mathfrak{A r}$ men ipiegelt fich der Fricde（Sottes wiDer，Der int Serzen toohnt．Bittere Sorgen mögen un马 mancle Rebensfrenbe rauben．Sind aber alle Menictien，auf benen Eorgen lajten，Hnglüdf＝
 ficht，in das die Sorgen Furctien gezogen，ift bas đffüt bes jerzens zu Yejen．Uno madft ber fait unerträglicte Saftmerz alle Meniden un－
 iffönnen Irrïchte bes exvangeliumb oft in ben Sranfenzimmern und Reibensitätten gezeitigt twerben．Yrmut，Sorgen imb Edfimerz matfien mur ben Menifiten auber ©frifto unglüdflicf； foer ben Şerrn Tejum im Scerzen hat，Der ift glüdfifid in jeiner 9 trmut，in feinen brüdfenden Sorgen，in reinemt Reiben．Die Saupturiache unferes UnulürflidifineE liegt in ber Selbit－ jucht．Hnd ielfitfüthtig ift ber Menich immer， ber ben Sinn（byriti nityt Gat．Wer glüctidid） fein und glüreflidy．Bleiben will，ber mus in bol＝ Yer $\mathfrak{E c b e n s g e m e i n i c t a f t ~ m i t ~ j e i n e m ~ S e i l a n b e ~}$ fteger．

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