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NOVEL ATTRACTIONS ON GLEE CLUB PROGRAM

ENTERTAINMENT BEING STAGED AT LARGE EXPENSE.

SCENIC EFFECTS ARE BEAUTIFUL

Four Humperdinks, Comedy Quartet, "They Kissed, I Saw Them Do It," Are Funny.

The Glee club concert, long looked forward to by the music lovers of the university, is to be given tomorrow night at the Oliver. Besides good singing by the club and the quartet, there will be selections by the string quartet and various humorous "stunts."

The program will be in three parts. The first part will consist of serious selections, by the club, among the number being the Winter Song, about the fireplace. Mr. McMaster will sing a bass solo, the "Armorer's Song" from Robinhood. The string quartet will also give several numbers.

The Stunts.

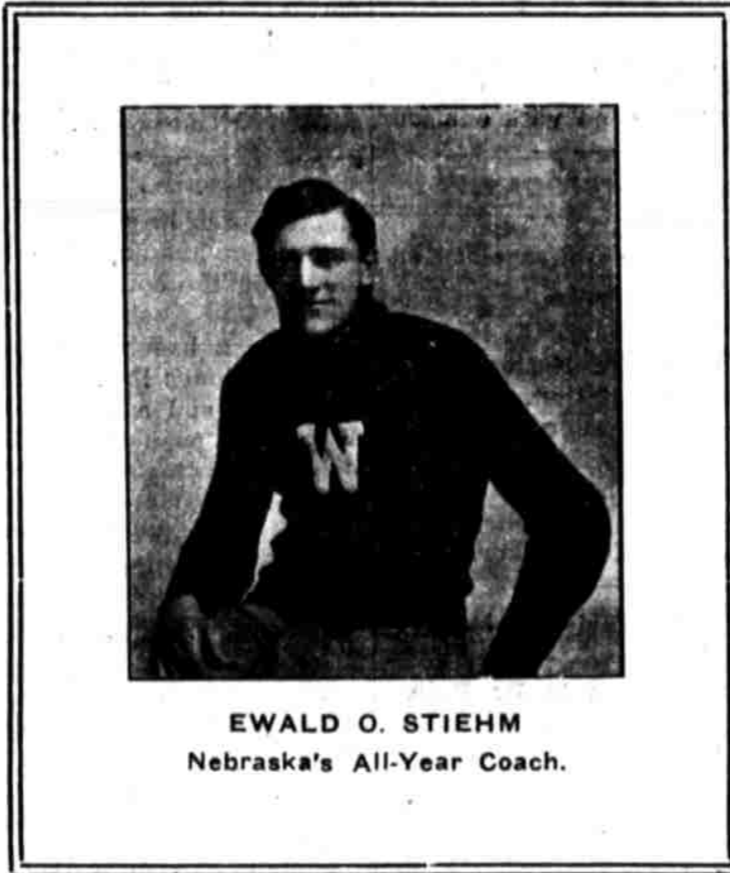
The second part will consist principally of "stunts." The great pipe organ from Salt Lake City has been imported at a large amount of trouble and expense and will be seen and heard. The "Four Humperdinks" have a place on the program, but no one seems to know just what they are. The "Comedy Four Quartet" is to sing the "Old Oaken Bucket." There will be a ship scene and the sailors' quartet will sing "Larboard Watch, Ahoy." This scene ends with the grand "Sailor's Hornpipe" dance, for which the men have been coached by G. F. Beeman.

Campus at Moonlight.

Specialties will compose the third part of the evening's entertainment. The scene will be "The Campus at Moonlight," where a professor and a girl are the "bench workers." "They Kissed, I Saw Them Do It," is sung by the club. The professor then relates a sad, sad tale of woe. One of the important features of the concert will be the singing of "De Fireflies," by A. Emley and the club. This piece was written by Guy Bevier Williams especially for the club and will be given with novel scenic effects. The grand finale will be the singing of "The Cornhusker," by Robert W. Stevens. The club has done a great deal of



ARVID SAMUELSON
Director of Glee Club.



EWALD O. STIEHM
Nebraska's All-Year Coach.

hard work in preparing for this concert and should be awarded a full house tomorrow night. Arvid Samuelson, '10, has coached them. Mr. Samuelson is one of the most brilliant musicians who ever graduated from the school of music. He gave his recital last year under Mr. Silber. Carl Steckelberg has been the coach of the string quartet and this alone should be an indication that they will do excellent work.

STIEHM GETS NEBRASKA JOB

BOARD OF REGENTS COMMITTEE APPOINTS WISCONSIN STAR YESTERDAY.

Ewald O. Stiehm was yesterday appointed assistant professor of athletics of the University of Nebraska. Chancellor Avery and Regent Allen, who had been appointed by the board of regents as a special committee with power to act, put their stamp of approval on the judgment of the athletic board.

Stiehm, who will be the "all-year-coach," will have charge of all coaching at Nebraska. He is an old Wisconsin athlete who was an all-western football star for three years. He was also prominently active in track and basketball, and in the latter game was considered as the greatest center in the west. Stiehm has been coaching

athletics at Rippon college, Wisconsin, this season. He comes to Nebraska with a record behind him that is hard to beat.

NEW MAN FOR FORESTRY

WM J. DUPPERT OF THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE WILL ASSIST NEBRASKA.

William J. Duppert, now in the forestry service of the United States government at Snowflake, Ariz., has secured a leave of absence and will in the near future begin work as a member of the faculty of the University of Nebraska. Professor Sponslor will act as the head of the forestry department until next June and Mr. Duppert will assist him in the work.

Mr. Duppert is a native of New York, but took his forestry work primarily at the University of Michigan. He has had a great deal of experience in state work. He is especially interested in city forest service and is an authority on the landscape and city forestry, so that his services will no doubt be in great demand while he is with the university.

The Cosmopolitan club will meet at the science room of the Temple tonight at 7:30. Mr. Koolen will speak on New Guinea and an interesting meeting is assured.

SPRECKLES RECITES STORY OF WAR AGAINST GRAFT

"THE UNREST AND DIFFICULTIES OF THE NATION TODAY."

HON. W. J. BRYAN MAKES TALK

Men Who Can Rise Above Environment and Stand for Principle in Business Needed.

One of the most interesting addresses that has been delivered before a university audience was given by Claus Spreckles of San Francisco last evening. The Temple theater was crowded with students and faculty members who came to hear the great reformer. Although he claims to be no orator and just talks, the strong personality and sincere message held the closest attention from the beginning.

Taking as his subject "The Unrest and Difficulties of the Nation Today," he told the story of his own life and his experience in fighting graft in San Francisco. Beginning as a boy he worked in his father's sugar refinery, where he had a chance to learn the methods of corruption. The sugar trust was trying to force them out of business and hired men to come into the factory and break the machinery.

The Beginning.

Mr. Spreckles stated that he had become acquainted with graft and its methods by buying into the corporations and becoming a director, and not by examining the books. The gas company was corrupt and he fought hard for decent business principles, but was unable to do anything until he wrote to all the stockholders and came into a meeting with proxies enough to put every corrupt man off the board. This, he said, was what started him in his war against graft, for the whole city was at its mercy.

While connected with the gas company, Abe Rueff came into his office and offered his political services. Mr. Spreckles took up the war in earnest. Detective Burns gathered the evidence which sent the grafters to jail—many tricks were necessary. In one case the inspector brought a fake bill up before the city council and offered \$500 for every man who would vote for it. Fourteen men were ready to take the bait, and consequently were landed in the toils of the law.

Justice Corrupt.

The speaker told of how impossible it was to get justice. One poor man who bribed a juror was sent to prison while the lawyers who hired him to do it and furnished the money were set free. He spoke of other instances and related how the Southern Pacific had been forced out of control of politics on the coast at the last election. The corrupt tendencies of men in office and business was deplored and

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Glee Club Concert
OLIVER THEATRE
March 3, 1911

* Y. M. C. A. ELECTION. *
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* The University Y. M. C. A. *
* will hold its annual election *
* today. The Australian ballot *
* system will be used and the *
* polls will be open until 6:30 *
* this evening. All active mem- *
* bers are urged to cast their *
* vote early. *
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