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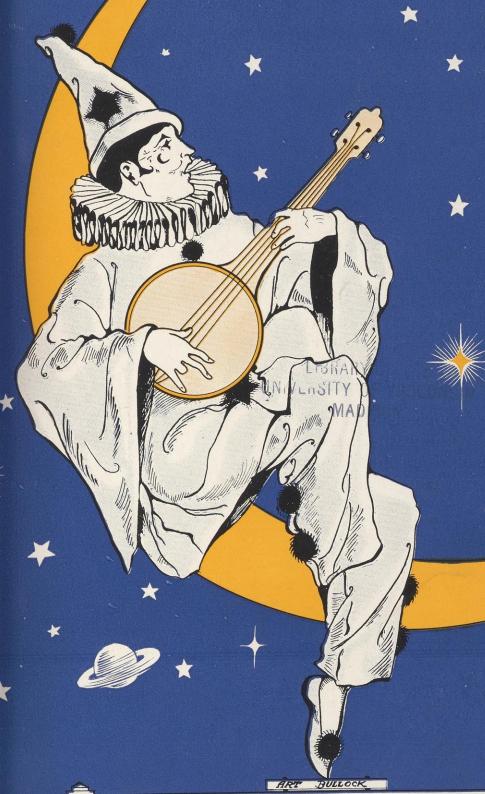
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Apr. 7th—Sheboygan———Sheboygan Opera House	Apr. 12th—RockfordRockford Theater
Apr. 8th-AppletonAppleton Theater	Apr. 14th—ChicagoAryan Grotto
Apr. 9th—OshkoshGrand Opera House	Apr. 15th—IndianapolisMurat Theater
Apr. 10th—RacineOrpheum Theater	Apr. 16th—PeoriaMajestic Theater
Apr. 11th—KenoshaRhode Opera House	Apr. 17th—MilwaukeePabst Theater

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(And the firemen played the hose upon the fire

Uncle, in his business deals, always plays the game (Mother raised the fire insurance higher)

Both girls said they "wouldn't play" when Sus fought with Jane.

(And the firemen played the hose upon the fire

Mary looks impressed when suitors play upon he heart,

(Mother raised the fire insurance higher) But, if they only knew it, she is playing just a par (And the firemen played the hose upon the fire.)



-J. E. P.

1st Stude: What a dumb lecture! What tim is it?

2nd Stude: 20 to 12.

3rd Stude: (Waking up): Hurrah! Who made the touchdowns?



Tiz: Are you busy tonight?

Liz: Yes, but I'm awfully sorry that I'm going to a dance with Bill.

Tiz: That's all right, I just wanted to study with you for that exam.



Goodby Forever

I am alone.

A moment ago you were beside me,—your slen der form pressed alluringly close,—our breatl panting in time with the staccato notes of the taxi

Your smooth, round arms tightened in answer ing embrace, your violet eyes sparkled with veiled promises, your crimson lips trembled nearer.

In ecstacy, I whispered words of eternal love Then—you laughed.

Now, I am alone.

You are sitting back there on the hard pavement with a swollen black eye. Confine your love making to the footlights hereafter, you Haresfoot Sheba!





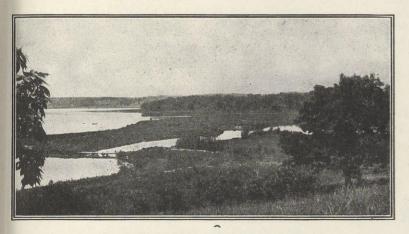
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She Should Win

We understand that one of the Cherry Sister of vaudeville fame is running for mayor of De Moines, Iowa. These ladies collected enough veg etable life showed gratuitously by frenzied au diences to last them a lifetime. Maybe this lady in question is going to run on the platform o "Clean up the American stage" and "Establish public markets for the needy."



He: Are you giving up anything for Lent, old timer?

Second He: Sure, I'm giving up dances, candy chocolate shop, classes on Friday-"

He: Pardon the interruption, but would yo just as soon include that ten-spot you owe me.



Thou too, Cinema?

"Father, dear father, come home with me now The clock in the tower strikes one."

"No, no, little daughter, you go home alone I'll come when the bathing scene's done."



Nit exhibits a copy of Cicero.

Wit: Abridged edition? How come?

Nit: So I can get thru the deep passages wit a pony.







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The worst possible time of year fer students seems to be in th' two-year stretch between Prom and Spring Vacation. It is then that several thousand per college write piteous letters home requestin' permission to sell hardware or milk cows again.

Th' reason fer this defection is obvious—there ain't no way th' University kin change the weather. When th' first warm days of March comes along all it means to Corrine Co-ed is wet feet an' Musterole, while Handsome Harry indulges himself in quiet an' quinine.

When Lake Mendota decides to loosen up a bit an' shed a few quarts of water, an obligin' wind promptly deposits it in all places where it can do the most harm, such as sheets an' classrooms. From th' sharp, barkin' noises that infest th' buildings, one could easily imagine he was in a Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

An' the hard-hearted professors choke their own coughs an' pass out topics which require close confabs across a library table, with consequent gain in germs an' other bugs.

Th' flowers that bloom in th' spring, tra la, mean nothin' whatever to th' hard-workin' hero of the football team except that they remind him of a Botany course he's six weeks behind in, an' th' fact that he has to cough up eighteen shekels fer Spring Formal in a couple of weeks.

It's a pleasant season fer all except those who live through it.



Press verse
Is often said to have
No limitations;
But why call it free verse.
When it has to pass the censor?



Instructor: We want it so quiet we can hear pin drop.

Stu: A rolling pin?

CONSTRUCTORUS :

"Don't Think a Thing About It"

When you're sad and tired and blue "Don't think a thing about it!'"
When the world looks bad to you "Don't think a thing about it!'"
When your girl has thrown you down,
When you've seen all shows down-town,
When in poker you're done brown,
"Don't think a thing about it!"

If the Dean has told you "Go!"
"Don't think a thing about it!"
When, in class, you do not know
"Don't think a thing about it!"
When you're dancing and the floor
Makes your feet almighty sore
Don't consider it a chore—
"Don't think a thing about it!"

When your pa won't treat you nice
"Don't think a thing about it!"
When he gives you good advice:
"Don't think a thing about it!"
Folks may say you've played the fool
When you find you're through with school
Just stay placid, calm and cool,
"Don't think a thing about it!"

L'ENVOI

This advice may be the best
But I rather doubt it,
If it fails when put to test
"Don't think a thing about it!"

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"Mother, may I have a nickel to give to the old nan who is crying outside?"

"Why, certainly, dear; but what is he crying out?"

"He's crying, 'Hot roasted peanuts, five cents bag!"



Fooled You

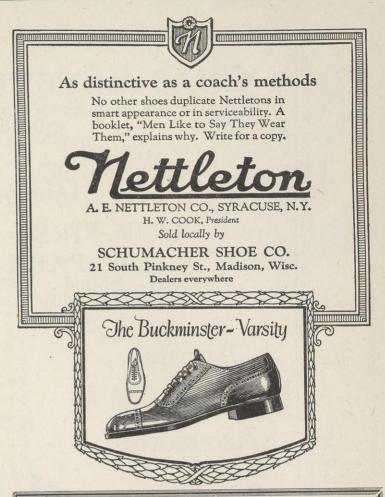
They stood alone, he held her hand, She nestled by his side, He kissed her like the very deuce— He could—she was his bride.



Mil: Oh, I've got a poet's date tonight?

Til: With Willie, I suppose.

Mil: No, silly, a blind one with Milton.



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In the good old days, "Silver Threads Among the Gold" on a harp was about as far as a really nice girl would do in the line of music. But times have changed! This is the sort of thing that the more musically inclined of our co-eds are going in for in their spare hours.



Ask the Man Who Owns One

He sat by the mill stream under the shade of the weeping willow, quiet and seemingly unconscious of her graceful, palpitating form. Suddenly he felt a thrill to his finger-tips, and intoxicated with the sensation, made a swift movement to draw her nearer; but she wriggled from his warm clasp. Exasperated, he reached for her with both hands; but again she eluded him. With the cold sweat standing on his forehead he made a supreme effort for mastery; but she evaded him, and was gone, perhaps forever—and if you have a little goldfish in your home, you know how hard it is to hold on when a fish wants to get away.



A Relief

"Did you hear them applaud when I left the stage?"

"I don't blame them."

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The line of March



That devastating second when you finish your song and the audience is supposed to start clapping—but doesn't!



The Bully

Little girl, speaking in quivering voice to big, heavy-browed man with a glittering knife: Have you no heart?

Man, growling: No.

Little girl: Well, then, I'll take ten cents worth

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Judge: Well, release this poor bootlegger. Officer: Your honor, sir, I demand a case.

The Haresfoot Girl

How doth the brawny Haresfoot girl
Delight to bill and coo;
To hold her clothes with safety-pins,
Her yellow wig with glue.

How cheerfully she seems to grin,
How proudly shows her charms,
And falls just like a ton of brick
Into the tenor's arms!



"Have you given up anything for Lent?"

"Oh yes! Candy, eating between meals, dances, movies, flowers, taxis"

"Say, can I have a date Saturday night?"

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Pose by Haresfoot

- "You're the only girl I ever loved."
- "Do you expect me to believe that?"
- "Why not? Others have."

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I Love My Little Room-mate

I love my little room-mate, His clothes are not my size, He takes my sweetheart on a date And tells her lovin' lies; He leaves his shoes upon my bed, His sheepskin on my chair, He puts my Stacomb on his head To pacify his hair; He sings at midnight, shouts at dawn, He's silent not at all, He borrows money 'till I pawn My watch, and studs and all; He swipes my pencils, pens and ink He guzzles, smokes and necks, I love my room-mate, 'cause I think He'll help me get an Ex!



Fred: I don't think the audience noticed the lines I missed.

Ned: No, they were unconscious by that time.

It Happens in the Best of Families

For a half hour they had been weaving beautiful dreams, planning each tiny detail for the days to come, their wonderful castle had been furnished gorgeously with all earthly desires, she snuggled down even closer into his arms . . .

"And dearest, we will buy a Stutz roadster for our honeymoon; we will be married here and then drive to Indiana to see mother, and then for the golden west—you can have anything in the world you want, you can have maids, butlers—anything! We will visit your mother in California for a few days; we will build a little home for two with every—"

She kissed him . . .

"John dear, wasn't it wonderful of the company to raise you to \$30 a week!"

-L. K.



- "Try some celery, dear?"
- "Thanks, darling, I'll bite on anything once."





"The flowers that bloom in the Spring, tra-la, Have something to do with the case!" For the girl has the flowers in position, tra-la, To hide the worst part of his face.



Alf: John broke his leg in two places.

Anne: John ought not to go near those places.

One Bank Roll and a Cup of Coffee, Please

"Do you tip?"

"No, I have to keep my balance."

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"George gave me his pin last night."

"What happened?"

"My room-mate placed it immediately."

Haresfoot Mother Goose

"A diller, a dollar, a ten-o'clock scholar;

What makes you come so soon?"
"We started rehearsal at one A. M.,
And didn't get through till
noon."

THE CHORUS-MAN

Jack be nimble, Jack be quick; But always watch the conductor's stick.

THE COACH

There was an old man who went up in the air

Ninety times in the space of an hour:

He tore at his teeth and he gnashed all his hair,

And made the air blue as a cornfield in flower.

"Old fellow, old beaned, old chappie," said I,

"Now why for, and howcome, and wherefore, and why?"

"Oh, go to blue blazes," he shrieked in reply!

THE DANCE MYSTERY

Twelve girls kicking high;
Twelve more standing by.

After working two hours more,
Two dozen men lay on the
floor.

THE ACTOR

Little Jack Horner
Stood in a corner,
Hurriedly learning his part;
When they called him to come
He said, "God, but I'm dumb—
Do I have to learn all this by
heart?"

THE MISCUE

Little Miss Muffet
Sat on a tuffet
Smoking a cigarette;
'Twas the wrong thing to do,
For it wasn't her cue,
And they hounded her off of
the set.

THE VICTIM

Little Bo Peep had lost so much sleep

He didn't know what he was doing;

He washed his collars with violet ink

And wrote his themes in bluing.





"Hear about Hank? He broke his leg in a Haresfoot chorus try-out."

"That means they'll put him in the cast, I suppose."

Nehemiah and the Chorus

"Why?" asked Nehemiah Nogood of the little mirror in his vanity case. "Why should I not play with the Haresfoot boys?" So he closed his vanity case, and buttoned his pretty top-coat, and skipped gaily up the street, and up the Hill, and up the stairs and popped into the room where all the Harefoot boys were!

"My goodness!" said Nehemiah, as he powered his nose, "you boys do make a man climb high!"

"Where is the man?" asked a big fellow who had vulgarly taken off his coat, "And what do you want?"

"I want to join your club, and I know you'll like me," Nehemiah told him. "Look!" And he twirled first on his right toe, and then on his left toe, and kicked with his right foot, and then with his left foot, and then with both feet,—oh, he was marvelous!

"Am I not good?" he asked from where he was lying on the floor after his last kick. "Don't you like my verve?"

The big fellow, and two mediumsized fellows, and three little fellows all went over in a corner and whispered, and talked, and shouted, and bellowed, and swore (so that Nehemiah had to put his fingers in his ears), and finally came back and told him that he would do very nicely.

So Nehemiah ran home and told everybody that he was going to be in Haresfoot, and had his hand shaken, and his back pounded, and his cheeks kissed until he was so flustered he didn't know what to do!

One beautiful spring day when the little lambs were gambolling, and the little birds were twittering, and the little worms were happily squirming, Nehemiah trotted up to practice feeling oh so happy and gay! But when he came into the room where the Haresfoot club was practicing he nearly fainted from shame, and he hid his eyes and ran to put his head in a corner.

"Heavens!" he shricked, "what do you mean by being almost nude?"

"Why, this is just the first-act costume that we wear," said the young man.

That night when Nehemiah went home, he called his man Jenkins to him and cried bitterly on his shoulder. "Imagine!—" he said, "Imagine me appearing in such a lack of clothing that my knees would show. Dearie me, dearie me!"

Those Janitor Blues

Black: I got London over the radio last night.

Jack: That's nothing—I got chilly over the register.



A peculiarly plump Theta Xi
Tried out for the big Haresfoot
spree.

He wanted to dance,
But with such an expanse,
He saved background for all of
Act 3.





"What do you have to do to get into Haresfoot?"

"Oh, just raise a big kick."

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Haresfoot chorus men greeting their friends on the street.



Disillusioned Again

I spied her sauntering down the dim steps from the library as I left the cloak room. She was a typical Wisconsin coed—you know the kind—classy dresser, lustrous bobbed hair, and eyes that invited adventure. Like a gallant of old, I held the door open for her and swept off my hat in smiling anticipation. She passed me up.

Disappointed, I hurried by her and walked down State Street. A moment later I heard the staccato click of a girl's slippers on the concrete behind me. "Oh, boy," I exulted, "she is going to be friendly after all."

I slowed my pace. The footsteps were gaining fast. I would take her into an ice cream parlor and then for a nice quiet walk on the drive.

A store window offered the excuse to stop and wheel around. Ye Gods! The clicking heels belonged to someone's spinster's aunt. The other girl had turned down another street!



Ring Off

She rung me on the telephone, She wrung her hands—I was not home. She wrung from me my hard earned jack, I rung her finger—but she gave it back.



Coach: We want those songs to hit the people in the audience.

Leading man: Ah, hit them before they hit us!

A College Anthology

Dartmouth—Rats, white-flannels all winter, derbies.

Minnesota—Blondes, red-flannels all winter, cabarets.

Michigan—Sheiks, "Champions of the West," Detroit

Cornell—Muscular legs, crests, much noise in movies.

Yale—Oiled hair, spirit and spirits, scarves all-

Iowa—New clothes and old Fords, Devines, silence.

Princeton—Cars, caps sideways, ruddy complexions.

Illinois—"Hello, boys!", string ties, "fighting Illini".

Harvard—Rumpled hair, "dear old Harvard", Concerts.

Northwestern—Patton Gym, girls, .000 percentages.

Ohio—"Jumbo's" red office, Curly hair and glasses, last-minute upsets.





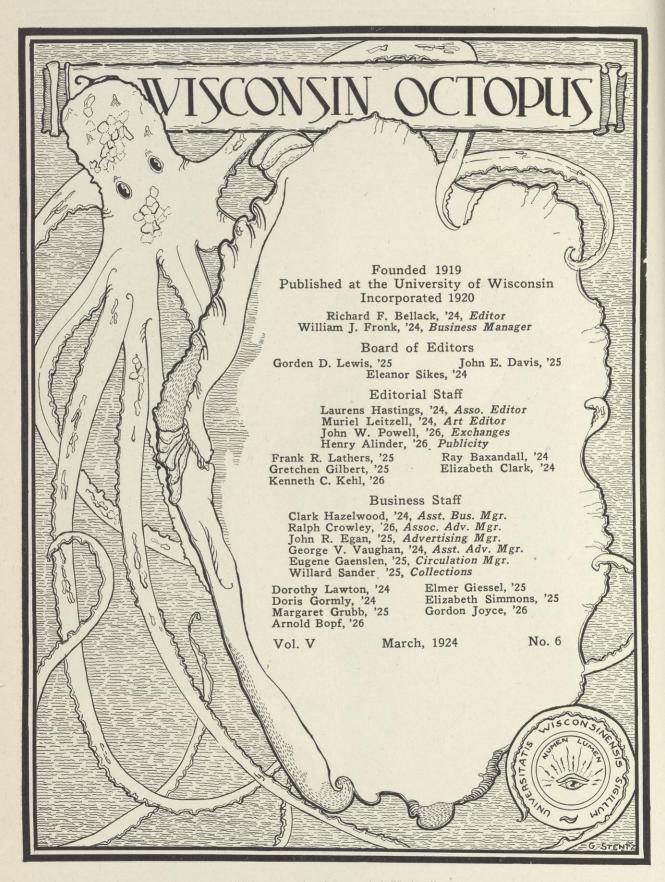
Pose by Haresfoot

"Dearest, you are everything to me,—I love you, I adore—"

"Jack, darling, don't you think it's an awful waste of your knees to be on them yourself?"



"Who was the lady I saw with you on the street last night?"
"That wasn't last night—that was this morning."



"Support the Memorial Union"



Haresfoot

Back in the dim, dark ages when the World's Fair was all the go and Pat O'Dea was defeating Minnesota with monotonous regularity, the Haresfoot Club started.

Through all sorts of storms it has kept plugging along, becoming better and better, spreading its operations farther and farther.

Its various phases admit singers, actors, dancers, artists, musicians, typists, journalists and almost every other sort of specialist to its ranks. Next year it will probably burst forth with a bathing-girl parade led by the mighty Joe.

Haresfoot advertises Wisconsin more than any other non-athletic activity. It has semi-personal contact with thousands of Alumni. It interests hundreds of high school students.

Haresfoot is "good medicine."



List of Contributors

With the approach of spring the list of contributors given below shrinks again, but the quality of these same contributors' work is assured. When the same names appear again and again, it means two things: persistence and good work.

"Octy" would like to see several new names in the next month's list. It all counts toward staff membership, and days are coming when new men must fill the pages that we are writing now. Let's have a half-dozen new names in the April number.

Charles P. Greene

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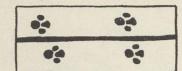
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The Cat's a With 4ft.



furry animile and a tail.

It takes the cat's intestines
To make a fiddle wail —

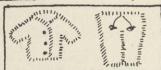


Cattails,



when without the cats make pleasant Panoramas.

The furry coat is What's called 'the



used to make Cat's Pajamas."

Cheshire Cats have got a grin Moother cat can claim.





There's something only cats can have, and Kittens is its name.

The Voice is used and Clarinets



for caterwauls and such;

Their skin is quite The kind you love



Electrical, to touch."

The Polecat Unlike



is another kind; the Conine male

This Quadruped's most dangerous Whene'er it wags its



tail.

Knew a man who He stepped upon



caughtone once, its tail



And didn't dare to move until The kitty kicked the pail. J.W.P+K.C.K.

With A Kick

My sporty friend from Tenn.
Imbibes much * * * Henn.
His eyes must blur
For he said: "Sir,
Are you a man or menn?"

(Explanatory note from my pre-Volsteadian recollections: Three Star Hennessey: a superior brand of brandy.)



"That guy is an awful talker."

"How come?"

"He told so many stories last night that I didn't have a chance to spring the one I knew."



"I saw a man this morning in the saddest plight."

"Who?"

"My French teacher with his hands tied."





"If the shoe fits-put it on."



He waxes warm.



The Haresfoot Tryout

First: there was the footwork. 'Twas a comparatively short affair—its brevity due, possibly, to the fact that my spoor was not in agreement with the foot of the Hare. But my sylphish clogging was misinterpreted by the critical collection of examiners—hence we passed on to the next test—that which might be termed embryonic vocalization.

Frankly, Pavlowa and I had little in common, but Schumann-Heink and I had less. The sounds issuing forth from my inner organs may have been intended as music, but the learned judges disagreed.

Having danced and sung successfully we went on with the try-out. (I had almost concluded the first half of the work, I decided; soon after I had reached the second part, they decided.)

Anyway—next came the acting. 'Twas a demoralizing sort of procedure; that of being a common piece of algae undergoing perioscopic examination from a group of stultifying critics. Thus me.

But this tertiary process was refreshing, due to its lengthy existence. In a feelingful attitude, I vainly referred to the half-lit moon and the shimmying stars, scraping up a splinter while pointing to the green sky above. Thus the "out"!

Reflecting, I trudged along homeward. Knowing my talents were legion and politics were decidedly and admittedly absent, I could reason not why I missed. The homeward plod was saturated with shifting reactions—by the threefold process memtioned I was scarcely short of hypochondria and a subject of dementia.

—J. A. P.

Chisconsin Octopus

"Dont's" for Amateur Actors

- 1. Don't read papers on the stage; usually they are held upside down.
- 2. Don't sing a song hit more than twelve times
- 3. Don't leave the stage until you've said all your lines.
- 4. Don't let your fraternity brothers kid you from the balcony.
 - 5. Don't kick the door strips around the lot.
- 6. Don't feel badly when the audience laughs; it is possible they are laughing at the show.



He Must Have Been a Blind Pig

"Did you find your bootlegger?"

"Sure, but I couldn't find my way home."



Prof.: "According to the ancient idea, the seat of the emotions was in the liver. Where is the seat of the emotions according to the modern idea?"

Student: "On the knees."





The mannish styles for spring ask: "Who's your Tailor?"



Demonstrating that men fear the smell of powder less than women do.



The Rural Blues

(As disinterred from a cow-maiden's diary)

First verse:

Dearest girl since you have went my bitter tears have fell.

How lonesome I shall was I cannot never tell;

But lots of time has went on past since I have saw your face,

And when you have came back don't never leave this place.

Chorus:

I have not yet forget them lovin' words you spoke (You spoke 'em sighin')

I knowed they wasn't meant but still my heart is broke

(And I am cryin'.)

You've left me all alone, you've came and went again,

You've learnt me that I can't not never trust no men:

But maybe when you've wrote and showed of me you've thunk,

I'll dry them bitter tears and won't feel quite so punk

I'm saying, sweetie,

I won't feel quite so punk!

-J.A.P.

En Chscónsin Octopus



Pose by Haresfoot

"Jimmy makes me so angry—he always says that he simply can't help himself—"

"And then what?"

"Then he helps himself!"



Two Haresfoot Mashnotes

Dear Mr. B.:

I saw you in "Twinkle" tonight and I just couldn't go to bed until I had written you a little note to tell you how sweet I thought you. Do you believe in love at first sight? You have such soft white skin like the petal of a century-flower. And hands! I could adore a man forever who has such delicate and gentle hands. And your ankles! I blush to say it, but I have never seen a feminine ankle that could compare with yours for fineness and grace. And your arms—but stay,—I could go on like this forever and I must soon retire to dream of having those soft white arms around me.

Will you send me one of your pictures. You can't imagine how I would love it.

Yours forever, Mary Jane Smith.

Dear Miss B.:

Do you believe in love at first sight? I am almost afraid to ask, 'cause if you answer no I think I will kill myself. I felt like doing so tonight when I saw you in that great brute's arms. But how I envied him.

Do you think I could come to see you sometime?

Our Sunday School class is having a basket social tonight. If you would let me take you to it I would be the proudest boy in the world.

Hopefully,
Richard Alexander McJelison.
—C. P. G.



The Old Chapter House

Nearsighted visitor: What a pretty fountain in your living room.

Member: Lord, Sir, that isn't a fountain—that's the overflow from the shower-room.





She: I adore stars, don't you?

He: Well, I can't conscientiously say that—I play the lead in Haresfoot, you know.



With the Plays

"Behind the Beyond" --- Belasco

New York theater-goers were put into a trance last night, the premiere of this performance. The only complaint which can truthfully be lodged against the evening's entertainment was the fact that a revolver shot woke up two or three people during the second act. As far as we could gather, the play portrays several negroes shovelling coal at midnight. A special performance is being given for the Edward's Park Institution for Insomnia tomorrow.

"The Town Drunkard"---Times Square

Theater-goers were given a treat last evening when "The Town Drunkard", having broken all conference records in the west, arrived in New York at the Times Square theatre. The opening scene was so realistic that many of the audience took door-checks at the end of the first act and went in quest of a Bromo-Seltzer. However, we think Shidney Shanders overdid his part, the Town lubricator, when he toppled over the footlights and thru the snare drums just before the show ended.

The part of the absent wife, played by Mazie Cohenbergerstein, was very effective, Miss Cohenbergerstein's best work coming in the second act when she did appear until the curtain.

"Snow Flurries of 1924"---Hudson

We enjoyed the review very much, even though we were back in the third row. The music was excellent and a show with such numbers as "My Mammy's Waitin' For Me With a Brick" and "The Land of Sunshine and Cabbage", should enjoy packed houses. A new find has been discovered in the person of Herb Oddfellow, who plays four pianos with his right hand, three banjos with his left, and blows "Avia From Wahoo" through a cornet, all simultaneously. A song and dance specialty by the Kappa Sisters, who have just arrived in this country from the Cafe de Plastarde, was well received.

"The Busted Garter" --- Gaiety

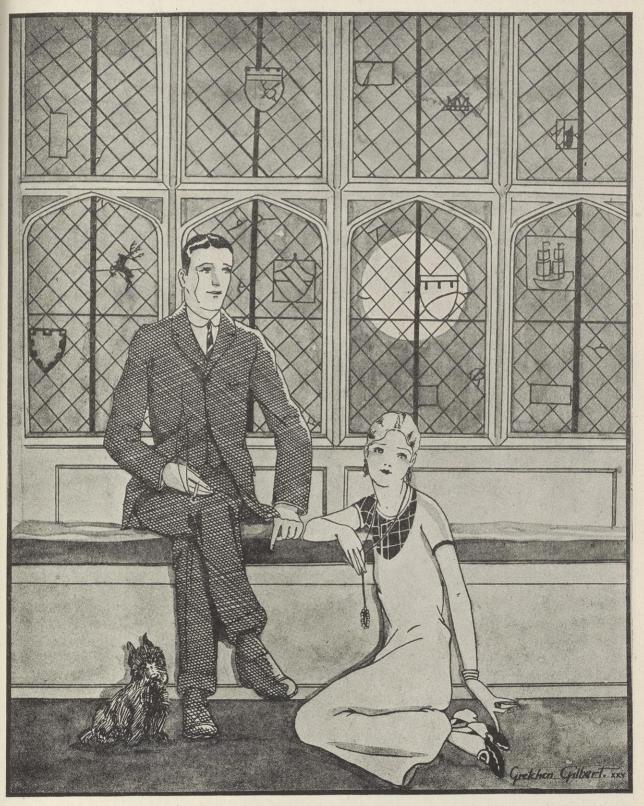
We thought the play was exceptionally well done considering the melancholy atmosphere which had to be maintained thruout. The plot deals with an old fashioned mother who has forgotten to pay the gas bill and the problems and trials incident to marriage. Torrence Tears, as the crippled son, gave a very fine characterization as he did not leave his invalid's chair once. Alma Mater, as the mother, could have been a bit more forceful at times, especially when she told the rent collector to—be on his way.

"Uncle Bim Splashes By"---28th Street

This delightful English comedy afforded much laughter to a full house last evening. J. Barry, a prominent lawyer, shoots his wife and children and then takes his own life. His former sweetheart on hearing of his death ends her own life by drinking four heavy Malteds in succession. Perkins, the butler sustained the action during the third act by crossing the stage with a decanter of whiskey. The rejected suitor then tries to commit suicide by the use of a razor, but after having hacked at himself for half an hour discovers that he is using a Gillette and cannot cut himself.

"The Last Cartridge" --- Garrick

The military operations of the Civil War are splendidly set forth in this drama. The play opens with Jefferson Davis standing outside the Planter's hotel in New Orleans with a toothpick in one hand and two spoons in his left pocket. From then on the scene becomes intense, and just as the Northern Army is about to take Buffalo, New York, supposing it to be Richmond, President Lincoln rushes into camp and exclaims, "Remember men, no more drinking." As soon as the good President's back is turned, the men resume their march, this time toward Erie, Pennsylvania. A message from Washington explaining that Pennsylvania is a northern state, saves the day for the Union and the play closes with Grant and Lee borrowing cigarettes from one another.



"That relative that left Tom a million dollars was quite distant, wasn't he?" "Well, he couldn't have been very close."

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Keenly Felt

"Flag-making? What a foolish thing for him to go into!"

"Yes, he's doing pennants for it now."

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Dinky: Shay, where'd sha get the tune?

Danky: (Singing Nors to the music of America) Shallright, got the air outside.

Why the Woman Paid

"You really love me, don't you dear? There, I win the pound of candy. Bess said you never would kiss any girl, but I knew you would if they let you."

And that's that till the next man.

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"How did you and Mabel come out?"

"Oh, I got sat on."





Pose by Haresfoot

"What's the matter, Jim? Wouldn't Sis ask you to dinner?"

"Just it, Pete. She used to say that she was proud to be seen with me. Now she's too proud!"

Ah Me!

A Leap Year Tragedy

It was leap year; so I waited
For this little Haresfoot show
With a pitter-pat of Heart throbs
That no other year could know.

The ticket sale began at noon,
So I had to leave at nine
Only to find some twenty girls
Already waiting there in line.

But I held my own ground bravely Which I found well worth my while,

For I got the seat I wanted:

Front row, main floor, center aisle.

I sent for flowers right away,
The kind he always liked so much.

Pink roses would be heavenly sweet Against that skin I love to touch.

The music was divine that night; Like a fairy wisp he danced. His shoulders broad, his dangling

Kept me breathless, charmed, entranced.

He shook his pretty curls at me And blushed, confused with bliss. And with his dainty little hand He gently blew me down a kiss.

While I waited at the stage door
I heard his lisping voice repeat:
'O, my dear—She is just precious,
Just adorable—so sweet.'

And I heard his manly footstep
Tripping lightly down the hall
I heard his darling giggle,
But 'twas not for me—at all,

While I gnashed my teeth and muttered

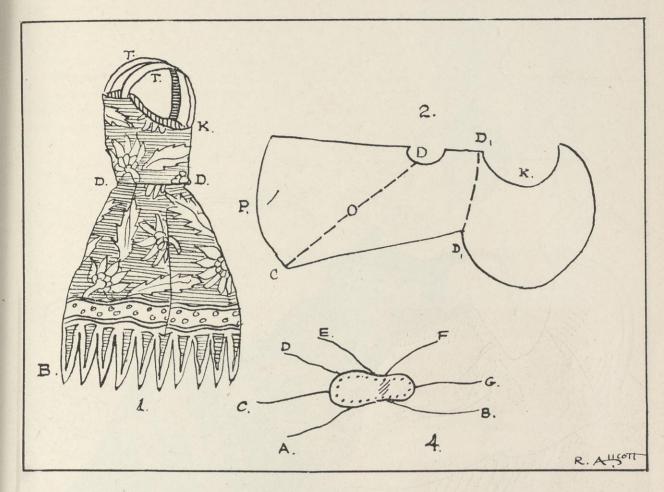
She took him with her for a thrill;

I went back to my rooming house With my memories and my bill.

-E. A. C.

Instructions to the Haresfoot Chorus

IN THE MATTER OF DRESSING



I. Act I, Scene I, costume.

This simple little gown is designed to be put on in the following manner: slip dress over head starting with b, and pulling down until d d catches on ears. The help of an assistant is now required to smooth down those members, whereupon the gown will come down as far as you want it to. The back k should rest three degrees south of the larnyx, and just abaft the ninth maximilliar vertebrae. The straps t t can be adjusted on the shoulders, and glued down.

II. Act I, Scene II, costume.

The toga-like effect of the costume shown here must be carefully worked out. Start by laying the frock on the floor, and lying down beside it. Now put notch k about you just under the arms and roll quickly toward line d d. This motion will enclose you in a sheath. When you arrive d d hook your neck in notch d, and look cross-eyed along line Cod; when you have your bearings roll quickly until exhausted, when you will find that a pin, indicated here by p, is sticking into you.

Take it out of you and pin the gown together wherever you can.

III. Act II, Scene I, costume. Don't bother.

IV. Act II, Scene II, costume.

The sandals offer the greatest difficulty in the costume for this scene, so the directions must be carefully followed. Take green string a, and wind it around your ankle from left to right, crossing it with q about four inches north of the vascoluminary ventricle; then take the end of g in your teeth and gather up b, e and d in the left hand, while the right seizes a, c and f. By playing cat's cradle, and weaving the nose in and out like a shuttle, you will soon find that b crosses g, acrosses e and c crosses f. Then lie down on the floor, release g, catch it again with a half-Nelson, and get a hammer-lock and toe-hold on the balance of the strings. By turning two flip-flops and tying yourself in a hard knot the strings will soon sort themselves out, and you can be assured of the sandals staying on.

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Haresfoot Courses

Anatomy—to help disguise bony arms and skinny limbs.

Astronomy—so you can pick out the stars of the show.

Elementary Greek—to assist in eating while on the trip.

Principles and Practice of Translating—necessary to understand the songs.

Problems of Property—discouraging hotel kleptomania.

Life Insurance—essential to the slapstick comedy character.

Railway Problems—how to move the show to a train in six minutes.

Poverty and Relief—did the Business Manager get a Ford?

Mental Development—a course to help follow the plot.

The Romantic Movement—what the heroine tries to get down fine.

Ancient History—the show's success.

Applied Design in Wood—the shape of the hero's head.

Harmonic analysis—the orchestra's task.

Drug Store Practice—"Here's the scrip—here's the dough."

Human Traits—what the audience occasionally shows.

Elementary Arabic—the Sheik of the show needs this.



"Let's hook a street car."

"No, my Mama said I should always be an honest boy."





Tony uses "Badger" sales talk: "Four dollars is so little for so much."



A Sorority's Dog

Pretty girls in pretty dresses Smother me with their caresses I'm a pettin' pup you see, Boys, now don't you envy me?

I'm a perfect hound for lovin'
Girls sure have to do some shovin'
To get near enough for squeezing—
Not much chance of this pup freezing.

I'm the man about the house I'm not a smoker nor a souse But you see I'm strong for petting Don't you envy what I'm getting?

I'm a classy hound you see
Nothing mongrel about me
When the girls give formal teas
I entertain by chasing fleas.
Woof! Woof!

-F.K.



She left her hat on the big divan, Where could it have gone? Such a bother!

She found her hat on a Haresfoot man;

She looked—and she bought her another.



A Pindaric Ode

(Dedicated to Haresfoot)

Strophe

Hail to thee, Terpsichore,
And wan Thalia, hail!
We bring to you a noble crew
For Seythian shades now pale.

Antistrophe

In days of old the Amazons bold Conquered a race of men. They played a part with virile art That served them well—for then.

If a man knows how, he gets by now,

But he plays a woman's part; Goes on parade in masquerade To win a flapper heart.

Epode

So hail to thee, Terpsichore,
Euterpe, sound your notes!
Man now succeeds in woman's
weeds—

All hail to petticoats!

-E. A. C.

Dumdedee

"He's the biggest dumbell I know of."

"How do you figure?"

"Why, he took a spoon and ate the water in his finger-bowl."



Instructor: My boy, your work has fallen down; and if you are going to pick it up, you'll have to step on it.



Imagine the College Humorist's surprise when, in calling up an office and asking, "Have you an opening you think I could fill?" he received, instead of the usual "Yesand-close-it-as-you-go-out" gag, this answer:

"Young man, this is not an office; this is a coffin-making estabment."

Can You Beat It?

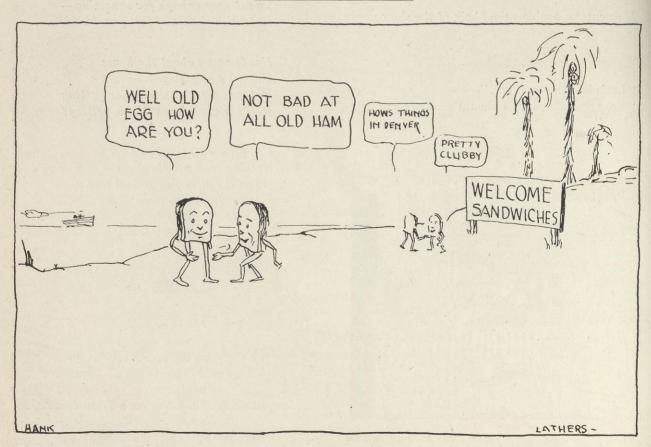
I know it's leap year. I never ask a girl for a date, but still, my steady calls on me in my apartment three times a day. She is a good girl. She brings me something to eat and drink every time she comes. She never expects me to share it with her; in fact, she would never think of accepting it. She is a good girl; she never expects me to take her out; in fact, she never allows me to leave my room. My telephone number is Badger 201.

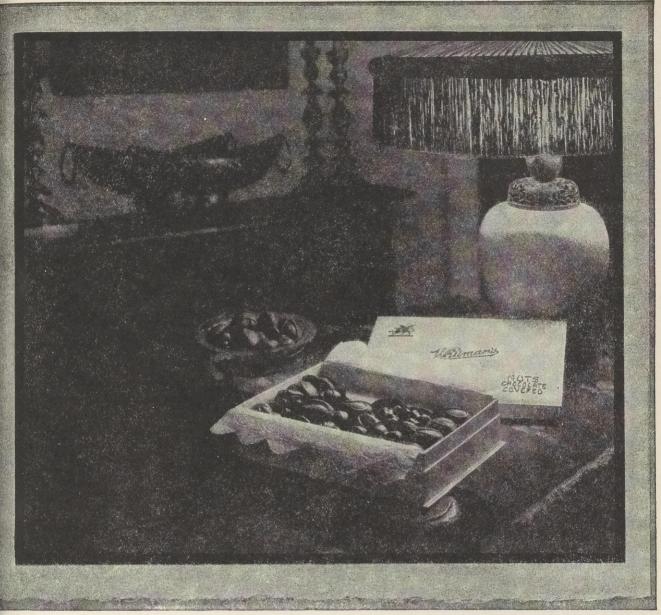
I know it's leap year; and I'm in jail.



Once a very old man of Beirut Saw a girlie who looked very cut;

To his old wife at home he Described this Salome And asked her to please follow sut





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-Texas Ranger.



Fond Mistress (Of the cat, I mean): How much do you charge to treat cats?

Vet: Ten dollars purr.

-Awgwan.



Under the swinging street car strap The homely co-ed stands; And stands, and stands

and stands,

And stands and stands and stands.

-Panther.



Thorough

Stude—"Why, don't you laugh at the prof's joke?"

Silent one—"I don't have to.
I'm getting kicked out next week."
—Beanpot.

Parlor Hounds

"Why do you call that parlo athlete Aratex?"

"Because he tries to look a hard as he can without hurting anybody."

-Boll Weevil.



"Isn't Mary's hair beautiful?"

"Yes, but it's false."

"Why, how can you say such thing!"

"She told me, herself, that she inherited it from her mother."

-Gargoule.



Just because you can see it tracks is no sign that the street can has just passed.

-Phoenix.



Judge: What proof have you that Rastus hit you?

Sambo: Yo' Honor, I got i

-Malteaser.



"Can you dance?"

"No, but I can hold them while they dance."

-Moonshine.

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Worth speaking of. Everyone
knows

That she's my girl, but golly gee, Wish some one else would go with me.



"A little of this goes a long way," said the Junior as he uncorked a bottle of ether.

"Everyone seems to be going to the seashore."

"Yes, Sennet's girls are there this week."



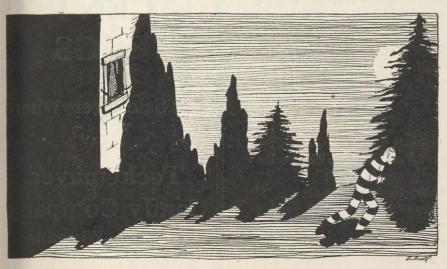
"Our landlord is so tight that he charges us to look at his gold-fish."

"That's nothing. I've heard that Halli Hurchi rents the air."



"One down and two to go", said the referee as he raised the bottle to his lips.

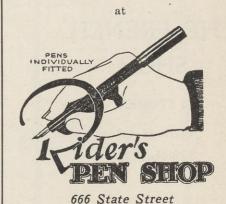




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"Well," was the reply, it is rather lodge; but the living room is much lodger."

-Royal Gaboon.



Jever see a one-armed stone mason? He holds the chisel in his teeth and hits himself on the back of the head with the hammer.

-Columns.



Young wife: The new nurse is very scientific. She never lets anyone kiss the baby while she is around.

Hubby: Who would?

And the next day the nurse left.

—Tiger.



If
Kissing a miss
Is
Kissing amiss,
Are there any more blisses
In kissing a Mrs.?

—Boll Weevil.



First Chimney Sweep: Shall I go down the chimney first, or will you?

Second Santa Claus: Oh, soot yourself.

-Royal Gaboon.



Veteran's son: Gee, Pop, weren't you scared to charge the battery single handed?

Modest Hero: Not at all.

Sonny: And what did you do hen?

M. H.: Why, I put it in the man's car and he crove off.

-Purple Parrot.

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"Whew! Just had a terrible quiz."

"Finish?"

"No, Anglo-Saxon."

-Panther.



"Here's where I prove an artist Without a brush," he cried; And drew a lovely maiden Up closer by his side.

-Columns.



"Was that man taken in by a fraternity?"

"Yes, badly."

-Purple Parrot.

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One night there came a knock at the door and there stood "Haldane of the Secret Service". "Why 'The Midnight Alarm"? It's 'The Man Next Door' you want—not me." Haldane said "I am the Law" and you are not "Within the Law"—you have been "Running Wild". Later with "Unseeing Eyes" he was sent up "The Steel Trail" on "The Six-fifty" to "The City of Silent Men."



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Willie: Oh, don't worry, Grandma, that's only my roommate.

-Tiger

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"Youth will be served," said the cannibal chief as he speared the young missionary.

-Ranger



"You raised your hat to that girl who just passed. Do you know her?"

"No, but this is my brother's hat, and he knows her."

-Bison



Sallie: Willie, I don't see how you can be so wicked.

Willie, modestly: Aw, it ain't so very hard. —Purple Parrot

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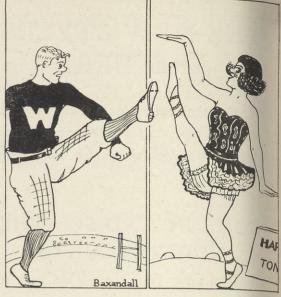
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—Log.



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"No-how?"

"Don't feed her."

-Toreador



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He came again with his red book alight,
And showed the names whom with an "A" he'd
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Upon a painted ocean.

-Goblin.



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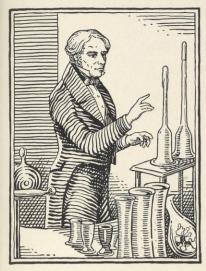
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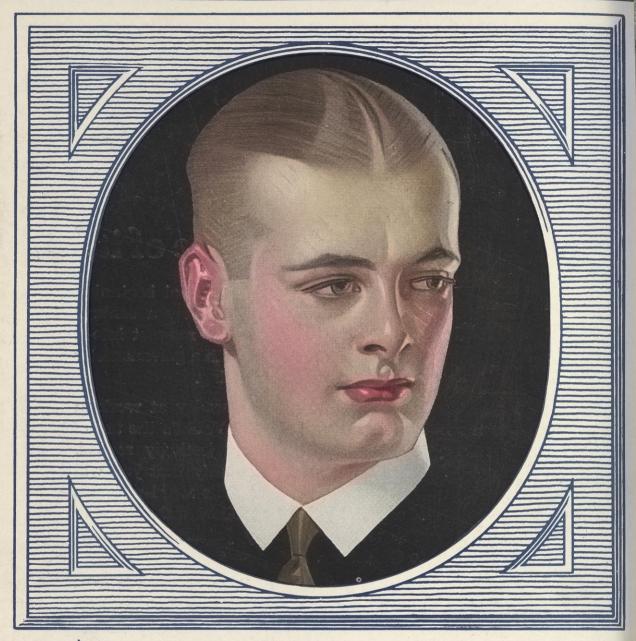
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