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DEDICATORY EXERCISES TO BE HELD TOMORROW EVENING

Students Will Present Plays On New Normal Stage Friday, April 24

Anne Helder, Margaret Reeb Are Directors

Two plays, "Who Gets the Car Tonight," and "The Patterson Dinner," are to be presented at the Normal School, Friday, April 24, under the direction of Misses Anne Helder and Margaret Reeb. These two plays are the first to be given on the new Normal School stage.

Cast of Characters

The cast of characters for the play "Who Gets the Car Tonight" is as follows: Mr. Jones (a husband needing much rest) Sigurd Selden; Mrs. Jones (the wife), Dorothy Kottas; Paul Jones (the son), Harold Johnston; Mary Jones (the daughter), Margaret Heslep, and Jack (her boy friend), Bill Bowen. The director is Anne Helder.

This play is a comedy and very amusing.

The Patterson Dinner

"The Patterson Dinner" is a one-act comedy directed by Miss Margaret Reeb, of the Dramatic Art class. The cast of this play consists entirely of girls and the characters are as follows: Mrs. Patterson (the mother), Kathryn Corwin; Helen Patterson (a daughter), Doris Brainerd; Barbara Patterson (a daughter), Mary Everson; Royal Patterson (the youngest daughter), Eleanor Scott; Clara Weeks (the aunt), Leota Baker; Evangeline (the maid), Marjorie Marquette.

The play "Who Gets the Car Tonight" has been presented before P.-T. A. meetings at the Allendale school on Thursday, March 26, and at the Shiloh School on Thursday, April 3.

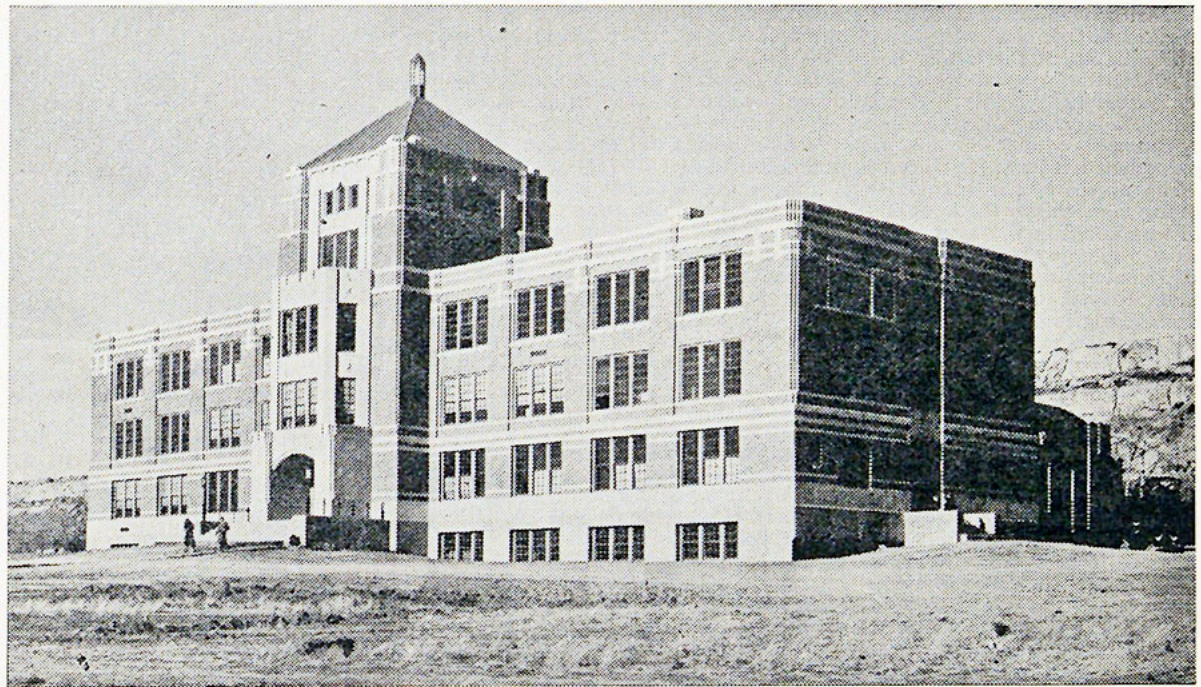
Conference to Hold Track Meet in May

The newly formed Montana Collegiate Conference has planned an unusual sports event to be held at E. M. S. N. S. on May 22 and 23. The two-day program will call for baseball and track events which should show some keen competition.

According to present plans, two preliminary baseball games must be played, one between E. M. S. N. S. and the Polytechnic and the other between the State School of Mines and State Normal School. The winners of these games will compete against Intermountain and Northern Montana College for the championship. The baseball tournament will be staged under the direction of Coach Oscar Bjorgum of E. M. S. N. S.

The track events will probably be held on the Polytechnic campus. Each college will be limited to two

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The Eastern Montana State Normal School pictured here is a unit of the Greater University of Montana. The building was made possible by a P. W. A. grant of \$60,000 and a P. W. A. loan of \$190,000. The ground was broken May 1, 1935, and the first classes were held in the building December 2, 1935.

Governor Holt, State Board of Education To Be Honor Guests

The dedication of the new home of the Eastern Montana State Normal School will be held tomorrow, April 14th. The entire day will be given over to the program and activities. All classes will be dismissed for the day.

The honor guests for the dedication are as follows: Honorable Elmer H. Holt, the Governor of the State; the State Board of Education—Elmer H. Holt, Raymond T. Nagle, Miss Elizabeth Ireland, W. M. Johnston, D. D. Barton, E. C. Carruth, Frank Eliel, A. O. Gullidge, Wallace Brennan, and Rev. Emmett J. Riley; the presidents of the five other branches of the University of Montana, George E. Simmons, Alfred Atkinson, Francis A. Thompson, Sheldon E. Davis and G. H. Van de Bogart.

Mr. W. M. Johnston, resident member State Board of Education, presiding.

Dedication In Evening

The dedicatory service will be held at 8 p. m. in the auditorium. The program is as follows:

Invocation—Bishop Herbert H. H. Fox.
Doxology—Combined Choruses and

Orchestras of Billings and vicinity, directed by Professor C. Vere Ridgely.

Welcome to the New Home—President Lynn B. McMullen.

Greetings from the Greater University of Montana—President Alfred Atkinson.

Presentation of Building to the State Board of Education—Mr. Grover C. Cisel, Member Executive Board.

Acceptance of Building—Honorable Elmer Holt, Governor of Montana and Chairman of the Board of Education.

The Heavens Are Telling (Haydn)—Chorus and Orchestra.
Benediction—Bishop Fox.

Business Men Are Guests

At noon the members of the men's service clubs and of the Commercial Club will hold a combined luncheon in the school gymnasium. There will be about 300 men in attendance, and the luncheon will be served by student committees, following the usual set-up for school luncheons. At the close of the luncheon the men will be taken over the building by student guides.

Faculty Women Serve Tea

The women of the city and out-of-town visitors will be the guests of the school from three to five in the afternoon. Tea will be served in the Green Room at the rear of the stage.

The faculty women will be assisted in the function by the faculty

wives and members of the Katoya Players.

The arrangements for the entire program have been made by the following faculty committees:

General Arrangements—Dr. McMullen and Mr. Abbott.

Guides and Open House—Mr. Foote and Mr. Hawkes.

Souvenir Program—Mr. Stuber, Miss Meek and Miss Roberts.

Luncheon Menu—Mr. Stuber, Miss Meek, Miss Stevenson and Mr. Dean.

Tea—Miss Dewey, Miss Roberts, Miss Terrill, Miss Nourse and Miss Rich.

Tickets for Luncheon—Mr. Stuber. Seating, Ushering, etc.—Dr. Hines, Mr. Bjorgum, Dr. McMullen.

Decoration—Miss Roberts, Mr. Manion and Mr. Shunk.

Distribution of Student Helpers—Miss Meek, Miss Stevenson, Miss Dewey, Dr. Hines, Mr. Foote, Mr. Dean and Mr. Stuber.

Admissions—Dr. McMullen, Mr. Foote, Mr. Hawkes, Mr. Abbott and Dr. Hines.

Student Body Assists

The exercises in connection with the dedication will enlist the help of the entire student body, and every person is expected to report for duty at the time indicated by the faculty chairman in charge of the group to which he has been assigned.

Under faculty supervision, students will act as traffic officers, guides, ushers and waitresses at the luncheon and the tea. Each group has a student chairman.