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If I can stop one heart from breaking
I shall not live in vain:
If I can ease one life the aching,
Or cool one pain,
Or help one fainting robin
Unto his nest again,
I shall not live in vain.

I think that I shall never see
A poem lovely as a tree.

A tree whose hungry mouth is prest
Against the earth's sweet flowing breast;

A tree that looks at God all day,
And lifts her leafy arms to pray;

A tree that may in summer wear
A nest of robins in her hair;

Upon whose bosom snow has lain;
Who intimately lives with rain.

Poems are made by fools like me,
But only God can make a tree.

If you strike a thorn or rose
Keep a-go-in!
If it hails or if it snows
Keep a-go-in!

Taint no use to sit an' whine
When the fish ain't on your line;
Bait your hook an' keep a-tryin'—
Keep a-go-in!

Serene will be our days and bright
And happy will our nature be
When love is an unerring light,
And joy its own security.

Dear is my friend—yet from my foe
As from my friend, comes good;
My friend shows what I can do,
And my foe what I should.

Where true love bestows its sweetness,
Where true friendship lays its hand,
Dwells all greatness, all completeness,
All the wealth of every land,

If you have gentle words and looks,
my friends,
To spare for me—if you have tears to
shed
That I have suffered—keep them not
I pray,
Until I hear not, see not, being dead.

No man is useless while he has a
friend.—R. N. Stevenson.

And the wilder they are, the easier
they are to pet.

THE NEVELE CLUB HAS NICE VALENTINE PARTY

On the evening of February 9th, the reception room at West Dormitory was the source of much gaiety. The Faculty Nevele Club were guests of the Misses Deloris Morrow and Hattie Brown.

The reception room was beautifully decorated with hearts and flowers. The spirit of Valentine was carried out through the entire evening.

Chief High Si called the club to order. It was voted to have the minutes of the meetings published in Maroon and Gold.

Miss Shoop read an interesting paper on Michael Arlen, also sketching some of his works. A photograph of the author was passed around to the members of the club, thus giving them some idea of his appearance.

Miss Hattie Brown read the paper on Current Events prepared by Miss Lila Newman. Miss Newman's papers are always clever and full of interest.

Miss Stearns gave an exceedingly good and full sketch of Sinclair Lewis' life. She showed some of the good points in his works. The literary program was an exceedingly interesting one. A social time followed. The four who matched out pictures the quickest received a prize which consisted in them doing a stunt.

It was a unique way of giving the reward to the clever ones.

The game of arrows and hearts proved very exciting.

It was a very interesting and entertaining party, which we all enjoyed.

The spirit of Valentine was carried out in the dainty refreshments served us by our two charming hostesses.

Roux—There is at least one girl who doesn't want to get married.

Jack—How do you know?
Roux—I asked her.

A "sheik" is a young man who can keep his seat in a street car and flirt with the girl who is standing up.

"Mother, are there any men angels in heaven?"

"Why, certainly, dear."

"But, mother, I never saw any pictures of angels with whiskers."

"No dear, men get in by a very close shave, but don't tell father I said so."

A number of women in New York City now have their jewels brought to them from the banks in armored cars.

B. O. B. BANQUET HERALDS THE SPRING BANQUET SEASON LAST SATURDAY

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Margaret Joe Ballentine, Clyde Gordon, Dorothy Belvin, Gordon Kirkland, Mary Braunock, Pat Braunock, Ruth Crawford, Robert Wilkinson of Davidson; Wilson Gatewood, Arnold Holt, Elsie Jones, Lawrence Hiatt, Estelle Kelly, H. T. Efrid, Marion Nalle, Clifton Elder, Helen Rhodes, D. E. Turner, Jr.; Annie Simpson, E. J. Farrell, of Carolina; Gladys Simpson, Truman Ward, of Burlington, N. C.; Callie Spruill, E. W. McAuley, Gladys Spruill, C. T. Smith of Davidson; Frances Sterrett, Paul Walker, Edna Stout, Elwood Parkerson, Janette Stout, M. L. Patrick, of High Point, N. C.; Mary Sout, E. E. Snottherly, of Reidsville, N. C.; Wiley Stout, H. Richardson, Ruth Walker, Clarence Slaughter, Sue Ella Watts, W. A. Lindley, Mary Addie White, M. G. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Powell, Miss Florence Fisher, Prof. W. J. Cotten, Frances Turner, of Reidsville, N. C.; Conrad Donnell, Salisbury, N. C.; Victoria Adams, B. H. Gunn, Essie Cotten, George Colelough, Della Cotten, H. M. McLeonard.

THE MUSIC LOVERS' CLUB HOLD SPIRITED MEETING

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by Cyril Scott, "The Swan," and "Cradle Song" by Palmgren.

At the conclusion of the musical program the hosts and hostesses entertained in a Valentine social hour followed by a delicious frozen salad course of refreshments which also carried the Valentine idea. Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Harper, Dean and Mrs. A. L. Hook, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster, Mrs. T. W. Chandler, and Professor W. J. Cotten were hosts and hostesses for the evening.

A dairy maid milked the pensive goat,
And, pouting, paused to mutter:
"I wish, you brute, you'd turn to milk."
And the animal turned to butt her.

She won't stand for petting—
The girl's to be admired.
She won't stand for petting
'Cause standing makes her tired.

I Love You

"I love you" is a queer old phrase
It means so many things—
For often it is just what makes
That pay-check take on wings.

The new night watchman at the observatory was watching some one using the telescope. Just then a star fell.
"Begorra," said he to himself, "that fella sure is a crack shot."

English teacher—"Who were the four horsemen?"

Johnnie—"Paul Revere, Theodore Roosevelt, Jesse James, and Barney Google."

Izzy—"Did you know the human body contains 40 per cent water and the amount of sulphur varies?"

Mary H.—"Oh, is that why some girls make better matches than others?"
—Colgate Banter.

Speaking of infant prodigies, at the age of three months the child Paderewski played on the linoleum.
—Rice Owl.

If a Theta
Meeta Beta
With a Gamma Phi;
If a Theta
Grecta Beta
Needa Kappa Psi?
Every Theta
Has a Mata;
None they say have I;
But all the boys,
They smile at me,
'Cause I'm a Hunka Pi.

Horses are barred from four of Washington's boulevards.—Selected.

SELECTED

Because Mohammed forbade reproductions of human beings, animals or plants in picture or plastic form, these decorations are absent in all Moslem architecture.

The custom of wearing long thin shoes with pointed toes became so prevalent in the fifteenth century that Edward IV, in 1462, decreed that only an English lord should don footwear with points more than two inches long.

Some weatherbeaten stone steps still remaining at the gateways of many old-fashioned country houses are relics of the roadless colonial era when the saddle horse was used by both sexes.

Briar root for pipes has become so popular in this country that France is reaping a rich harvest from its exportation. In 1924 its value was 80,000,000 francs.

Holland farmers and farmerettes row out to the cow pastures in canal boats at milking time.

Because French miners brought from the wine districts of the South to the mines in Normandy could not accustom themselves to cider they returned home.

New Zealand farmers have golf courses in their sheep pastures and tennis courts on their lawns; furthermore, they take time to play.

There are 1,400 species of mosquitoes. Those that bite us are females. The males are vegetarians. A mosquito lays from 50 to 200 eggs at a time.

The first accounting was done by cutting notches in a stick. Then came two sticks called "tally," for both creditor and debtor. When the day of settlement came both sticks had to have the same number of notches. Tellers in banks were first known as tally officers.

Cato was a prohibitionist. He drank nothing but water.

A recent Sunday survey of forty churches in Washington, D. C., showed 7,000 persons present. In forty theaters on the same day 50,000 persons were found.—Selected.

Near Alhambra, California, is a rose bush 50 years old, more than four feet in circumference at the bottom with vines 125 feet in length.—Selected.

"Cycles and motor-driven vehicles must light their lamps 30 minutes before sunset, the exact hour of which will be fixed by the mayor." So decrees the mayor of Koege, a small town in Denmark.—Selected.

A contemporary of John Wesley, a theological student at Leipsic, endorsing his view that cleanliness was net to godliness, took a bath, whereupon, because of his modernism, it is said he was refused his degree.—Selected.

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The United States and Russia are now the two foremost Jewish countries in the world; they contain about three-fourths of the world's Jews.—Selected.