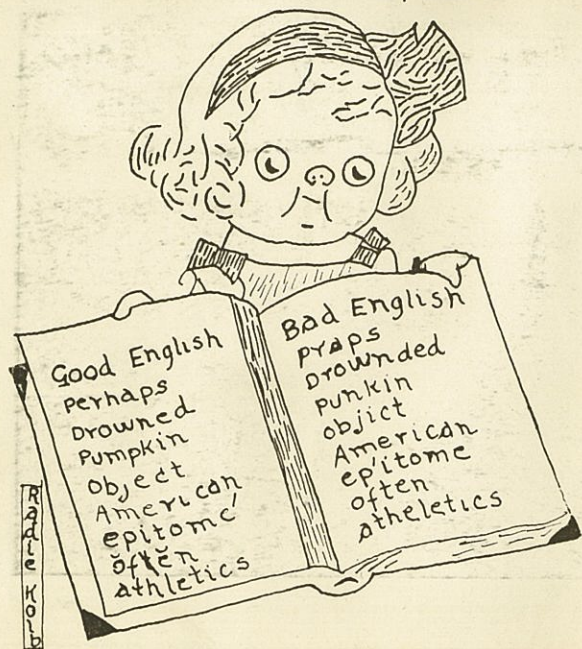


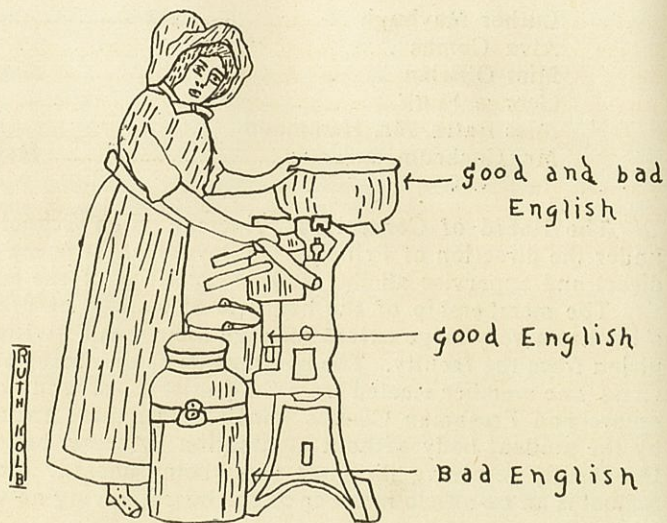
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## Debating Teams



(By BERTHA MORGAN)

This year's debating society furnished an opportunity for a number of the pupils to gain experience in public speaking and debating, and the work was entered into with zest and keen interest. While dual-debates did not bring a heavy percentage of victories, the local debaters made creditable showings and, considering their inexperience, exceeded expectations. Their opponents were largely experienced debaters, with more than a single year of training.

The members of the year's debating teams were: Mary Eleanor Ewing, Grace Watson, Mary Mauck, Lowell Taylor, Claude Denton, Ruskin Swan, Luther Mayhugh, Robert Cushman and Herbert Graetz. Miss McClaskey, instructor in public speaking, was at the head of the organization, and rendered very valuable service in assisting the pupils in preparation.

The first dual debate was with Evansville, in January, the question being: "Resolved, that the Senate should ratify the Franco-American alliance as presented by President Wilson." The Princeton negative team met the Evansville affirmatives here, the Princeton representatives being Mary Eleanor Ewing, Claude Denton and Lowell Taylor. The affirmatives won, the vote being two to one. The Princeton affirmative team, Robert Cushman, Luther Mayhugh and Ruskin Swan, went to Evansville. The result was favorable to the negatives.

The second dual debate was with Vincennes, in March, the question being: "Resolved, that the government should own and operate the railroads." The Princeton negative team met the Vincennes affirmatives here, the Princeton representatives being Grace Watson, Ruskin Swan and Luther Mayhugh. The Princeton negatives won a unanimous verdict. The Princeton affirmative team, Mary Mauck, Herbert Graetz and Robert Cushman, went to Vincennes, where the negatives won by a two to one vote.

Ruskin Swan was Princeton's representative in the county discussion and won first place by unanimous decision of the judges to represent Gibson County at the District Discussion.