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## MISS COPPOCK TELLS OF WORK IN ORIENT

Miss Drake Receives Interesting Letter from National Secretary in China.

Visit to Foochow Was Great Satisfaction—City Changed Since Last Visit.

Miss Grace Coppock, national secretary in China, wrote the following letter to Miss Fannie Drake of the university Y. W. C. A.:

My visit to Foochow was a great satisfaction in many ways. Before speaking of our particular interest there, I must say that it was a great surprise to me to find that the city had changed so much since my last visit. When I was there two years ago, there were about twenty rickshas in the whole of Foochow and one horse road had been built out through the paddy fields from the gate of the native city to the foreign section of the island. These few rickshas were more a novelty than anything else at that time. Sedan chairs were the accepted mode of travel and now the sedan chair is almost wholly passed. Many of the principal streets are paved and rickshas are everywhere used. Not only this, but motor busses have regular routes through the native city and to the foreign settlement.

I saw our own residence for the first time since its completion. I was pleased in every way with it. It is not only attractive and homelike, but one of the mission builders in Foochow who recently inspected it told Miss Harshaw that it is the best built residence in Foochow. For this we have to thank Mr. Dennis of the Young Men's Christian Association for his untiring services in overseeing the construction of it.

### Headquarters Investigated

The committee is at present investigating the matter of headquarters for the association. I reported last month that the house at present occupied has been found too unsuitable. This is largely due to the fact that the city has changed during the last few years. The street on which their present headquarters is located was not one fortunate enough to be paved. It is in a very bad state of repairs and has become a very unimportant street. The activities at present consist of a regular weekly meeting on Thursday afternoons which is preceded by a group of women doing Red Cross work, then a social and then a talk of some sort. I spoke the first Thursday I was there. There were eighty-five women present, only fifteen of whom were Christian. You can well understand with this proportion what an undertaking the association will have in Christianizing women who frequent the association. At present it seems there will be no question about duplicating the work of the church if women of this type continue their interest in the association. They represent the highest classes in the city and almost wholly untouched by Christianity.

I was interested to find how much Mandarin is used in Foochow. A Mrs. Ling whom I met at the Thursday meeting, a Hunanese woman who had recently come in touch with Christianity and who is an inquirer in the Anglican church asked me to go with her to call on some Mandarin families. Out of the five women we called upon, four attended the next Thursday's meeting. Miss Steel-Brooke and I also called at the home of the former salt commissioner where Mandarin is also spoken. I had the opportunity also of attending the seventieth birthday party of the head of the gentry in Foochow, a man who for years has conducted the Confucian worship. Here also, Mandarin was found to be useful.

Advertising never pays a man who has nothing to sell.

The world will end some day with a lot of good folks asleep.

## E. J. MARSH ADDRESSES ENGINEERING SOCIETY

The electrical engineering society was addressed by E. J. Marsh, general manager of the Lincoln Gas and Electric Company, who spoke on "The Business of Engineering." His talk was strictly from a business standpoint, emphasizing the needs of the young engineer in starting out in the business world. An illustrated lecture upon the light of the Panama Canal was also given, the slides being furnished by the General Electric Company. They showed the various phases of electrical power and lighting systems employed in the construction and maintenance of the Panama Canal.

## FORMER STUDENT IS RECOMMENDED FOR FELLOWSHIP

Economics Department Names Gertrude Sturm, '17, as Candidate for Research Fund.

Gertrude Sturm, of Nehawka, Nebr., a former university graduate who has taken two years of work at Wellesley College, has been recommended by the economics department at the university, as one of three to receive paid fellowships in social economic research. These are offered each year by the Womens Educational and Industrial Union to women who wish thorough preparation for such work. The fellowships carry a stipend of \$500. Clerical assistance, equipment, and traveling expenses necessary for the investigation are furnished by the Department of Research.

### Qualifications of Candidates

A degree from a college of good standing, training in economic or sociology, and satisfactory references in regard to health, character and special fitness for social-economic research are required of all candidates for fellowships. For five years the successful applicants have been women with some graduate training or experience. The research fellows are expected to devote their entire time for ten months to the training given by the Department of Research.

### Training Offered

Training is given in the making and criticism of schedules, in field work, in the construction and interpretation of statistical tables, and in the literary presentation of the results of the investigation. All fellows are required to take the course in statistics given by the Director of the Department of Research.

In addition to formal training in statistics and methods of research, two co-operative investigations will be made by the staff of the Research Department. The first of these is limited in scope and is based on data already collected. The second, which will be the chief original investigation of the year, will require field work for the filling of schedules, and will afford each fellow experience in all stages of the work required for modern co-operation.

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## CANDIDATES NAMED FOR W. S. G. A. FELLOWSHIP

The W. S. G. A. held preliminary elections of board members on Wednesday evening, selecting eight freshmen, seven sophomores and eight juniors. From these lists, the final elections will be held on next Tuesday and Wednesday. These names will be in charge of a board member in the library entrance. Every W. S. G. A. member must vote for four freshmen, four sophomores and five juniors.

The junior receiving the highest number of votes will become president of the W. S. G. A., the junior receiving the second highest number of votes will be vice-president, the sophomore ranking highest on the list will be secretary, and the freshman with the highest vote will be treasurer.

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## COLLEGE OF COMMERCE IS NOW A REALITY

Bill Creating College of Business Administration at University Passed by Legislature.

Growth of School of Commerce Has Been Rapid Since Its Recent Beginning.

The bill creating a college of business administration at the University of Nebraska has finally passed both houses of the state legislature by wide margins, and is now awaiting the signature of Governor McKelvie. The necessity for a college of commerce instead of merely a school or department responsible to the college of sciences and arts, was brought about by the students themselves.

The following table shows the number of students and graduates during the past five years in the school of commerce and graphically illustrates the point that this heavy registration combined with an unlimited interest in the department's work has made a college of business administration needful:

	Number Students	Number Graduates
1913-1914	40	4
1914-1915	173	4
1915-1916	196	6
1916-1917	275	6
1917-1918	158	14
1918-1919 (first semester only)	330	

These figures show a very rapid increase in registration up to the year 1916-1917, but the next year showed a decrease due to the war. The present enrollment, however, is larger than at any other previous time, and there is every reason to expect a greatly increased registration next fall. The number of students last semester were fifty-five more than the previous banner year of 1916-1917. "The growth of the school of commerce has been so rapid since its recent beginning as to tempt one to say that it has filled a long-felt want," says Professor LeRossignol, "but to be more precise, made provision for a need that was not felt because never satisfied."

### Means Larger Faculty

The new college of business administration will mean a new independent college at the university, with a larger faculty, and with larger equipment than before. Next fall when school opens almost the entire third floor of the new Social Science building will be given over to commercial work, and this will be the new home of the new college of business administration.

The action originating the bill proposing this college was taken at the request of practically all the leading business organizations of the state as the Federation of Nebraska Retailers, Nebraska Manufacturers' Association, Association of Chambers of Commerce, Lincoln Rotary Club, and Lincoln Credit Men's Association. The bill was approved in its infancy by the Chancellor and the Regents of the university.

Several new lines of work will be added to the department's curriculum next fall. Work in business organization and citizenship will then be emphasized, and work in finance developed to a much greater extent than it is at the present time. A bureau of business research, corresponding to the bureau of agricultural research at the farm, would also be a valuable addition to the work in economics.

## CONVOCATION

The Kiltie Division of the Allied War Veterans Military Band gave a short concert in Memorial Hall Thursday morning at 11:30 instead of 11, as they had been advertised. Short talks by Captain Carter and other members of the band entertained the audience until the arrival of the Scotchmen. Bagpipes, trap and bass drums furnished the music.

The band is made up of Canadian, Scotch, Irish, French, and American soldiers who went over the top.

## LEROSSIGNOL SPEAKS ON THE SOCIAL REVOLUTION

Wednesday evening, April 2nd, in connection with the university week program, Professor J. E. LeRossignol, head of the school of commerce and economics department at the university, delivered an address at Geneva, on "Bolshevism." Professor LeRossignol spoke to the "Knife and Fork Club" Thursday noon, April 10th, at a luncheon given by them at the Lincoln. His subject was "The Social Revolution."

## AESTHETIC DANCES FEATURE OF MINOR SPORTS EXHIBITION

Two Hundred Witness Contest—Receipts Are for Adoption of French War Orphan.

Marorie Barstow, 21, won first place in dancing in the annual Minor Sports Contest which was held Thursday afternoon in the Temple theater under the auspices of the Womens Athletic Association. Elizabeth Rose won the honors in the club swinging. Helen Hewett took second, place in the club swinging contest. Helen Clark and Ruth Swenson won second and third places respectively in the dancing contest.

Nearly two hundred people made up an appreciative audience. The receipts are for the adoption of a French war orphan. The contest this year included a larger number of contestants and more highly trained dancers than any of the former programs have shown.

The following program was given: Technique.....All dancing contestants Club Swinging.....Helen Hewett Mistress Mary.....Genevieve Loeb Bedouin Daughter of the Desert.....Donna Gustin The Flatterer.....Dorothy Woodward Club Swinging.....Elizabeth Rose Jack and Jill.....

Ruth and Ruby Swensen The Dance of the Tulips.....Ruth DuBois La Feria.....Helen Clark A Breath of Spring.....Marjorie Barstow Springs Awakening.....Kohl, Girard, Maloney, Whitmore, Fickes, Lindsey.

### Judges

Club Swinging—Miss Nell Miller. Mrs. Adelloyd Williams. Miss Josephine Gordon.

Dancing—Miss Eloise Hills. Miss Pleasant Holyoke. Mrs. Carl Rohman.

### Patronesses

Mrs. P. H. Grummann. Miss Margaret McPhee. Miss Louise Pound. Mrs. J. N. Girard. Miss Amanda Heppner. Mrs. R. G. Clapp. Mrs. T. J. Doyle. Mrs. Samuel Avery. Mrs. A. L. Beghtol. Mrs. Ross P. Curtice. Mrs. R. D. Scott. Pianist—Miss Hazel O'Connor. Sport leader—Patricia Maloney.

## REED ANNOUNCES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission announces the following examinations:

Medical Assistant (male), \$2,000. Associate Chemist, Junior Chemist (male and female). Patent Investigator (male), \$1,200-\$1,400. Expert Patent Investigator (male), \$1,800-\$2,400. Patent Specification Writer and Prosecutor (male), \$1,500-\$2,400. Technical Patent Expert (male), \$2,400-\$3,600. Patent Draftsman (male), \$1,200-\$1,800. Office Manager (male and female), grade 1, \$1,800-\$2,400; grade 2, \$2,400-\$3,600.

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## WRESTLING BOUTS FAST AND SCRAPPY

Salter, Wertz, Bates, Perry and Monte Munn Carry Off Honors in Meet.

Tournament Under Supervision of Dr. Clapp—Troendly and Fuchs Assist.

Salter, Wertz, Bates, Perry, and Monte Munn carried off the medals and jerseys in the annual all-university wrestling tournament in the Armory last night.

Most of the bouts were fast and scrappy and up to the finals two matches were staged simultaneously. The champions will all be back in the game next year and will be right there with the class.

The heavyweight match turned out to be a family affair with the two Munn brothers on the mat. Monte had little difficulty in handling Wade, but it was a fierce scrap while it lasted.

Perry and Pickwell both eliminated their men in the preliminaries of the 175, but neither could they succeed in throwing the other in three bouts. Perry won the first by decision, but the second round was a fierce grapple with the honors split fifty-fifty. Referee Troendly's decision was loudly cheered by the crowd. The third bout was a toss up for the first three minutes, but Perry's aggressiveness turned the tide and won the decision.

### Bates Wins 158 Pound Class

The 158 pound class took the prize with the largest number of bouts. Seven matches were battled out before the finals were reached. Bates and Russell were the final contenders and Bates took the money. The punishment of his scissors proved too much for "Russ" in the first match and he succumbed after a hard fight.

Wertz walked away with 135 pound honors by winning three straight falls. He eliminated Walsh in 33 seconds in the preliminaries and subdued Morrill by two successive half nelsons in the finals.

The 135 pound title proved easy money for Salter, whose only opponent was Newton, who went under in 23 seconds and one minute one second, respectively.

The tournament was held under the supervision of Dr. R. G. Clapp, who has coached the team this season. He was assisted by Captain Troendly and Rudy Fuchs, who have both won wrestling "N"s. Seven minutes was the time limit in the preliminaries while the finals lasted five.

### Results.

- 135 Lb. Class**
- Salter—Newton. Won by Salter in 23 secs. body chancery.
  - Salter—Newton. Won by Salter in 1:01, cradle hold.
- 145 Lb. Class**
- Wertz—Walsh. Won by Wertz in 33 seconds, body chancery.
  - Wertz—Morrill. Won by Wertz in 4:55, reverse Nelson.
  - Wertz—Morrill. Won by Wertz in 2:25, reverse Nelson.
- 158 Lb. Class**
- Brock—Slater. Won by Brock in 5:00, body hold.
  - Sandstedt, A. E.—Stewart. Sandstedt by decision.
  - Tom Lees—Sandstedt, R. M. Lees by decision.
  - Bates—Andrews. Bates, fall in 45 seconds, body chancery.
  - Russell—Brock. Russell, fall in 5:30, arm scissors and body chancery.
  - Bates—Tom Lees. Bates, body chancery, in 2:01.
  - Russell—Sandstedt, A. E. Russell, fall in 6 minutes, arm scissors and body chancery.

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