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 For This Issue

### WELCOME, EDITORS.

As a representative of the University of Nebraska, we wish to welcome you, members of the Nebraska Press Association. We want to show you a few phases of our campus life when every thing is in "running order." We want you to see our great educational machine at work. You will be our guests exclusively today and do not hesitate to call on our badged committeemen, who will serve as information bureaus and guides alike, for anything you wish to know about our school. We realize that you come from every nook and corner of Nebraska, and from small towns and large, and for this good reason we want to become acquainted with you. Try to acclimate yourselves to the life of a college town and we will gladly lay bare our innermost educational mechanism, and our campus activities.

### OUT OF PLACE?

"What we set out to win in life makes us like or different from those around us." Do you ever feel that you have not had quite a fair chance to "get into" school affairs and feel sort of out of place in a crowd of class or organization enthusiasts? Yet, have you really tried very consistently and persistently to get into any particular activity? Much of your success will depend on what you set out to win and the way you go after it.

### NEBRASKA IN CHINA.

Many students do not know Grace Coppock or her relation to the University of Nebraska. Thirteen years ago she was one of three Y. W. C. A. secretaries in China from the United States. Today she is the general secretary of China and head of eighty-nine Y. W. C. A. workers. In addition, the Nebraska student association has pledged itself responsible for her support. Her salary is raised every year by pledges from the Nebraska "co-eds" and this campaign is to be waged next week. Each girl will be asked to contribute as much as possible, the amount of four dollars being recommended as a general average since that will support her one day in China. The fact that Miss Coppock, who is in America on a furlough, is to be here herself for this campaign, makes the subject a vital one and has created much interest.

Miss Coppock says of her first student conference in China: "I look back these months to that Hangchow conference of students, one of seven student conferences now held annually throughout China, with an attendance of nearly 1,000 and, by contrast, recall that first conference in 1907, in Fukien Province, when we felt we did well to get twenty-eight to attend. Blessed be beginnings but more blessed still it is to view some years of progress, especially when it means the development of such leadership as is being raised up in the China association."

"Two or three letters at the beginning of a word may make a lot of difference in its meaning. Thus an encourager is one who pours courage into a person; a discourager is one who drains away whatever courage a person may have."

### WEAR 'EM OUT.

In all the hurry of getting a running jump on the second semester, some of us have doubtless been missing a few bets. The most evident of these opportunities is attention to a few of the current economic problems. And the greatest of these—for us of K. U.—is the "wear your old clothes" campaign.

This is not a proposition of making university life one round of "tacky" or "roughneck" gatherings and activities but of not purchasing any additional unnecessary clothes for the spring season. Every student dressing the best he could with what clothes he already has, could make a much more presentable spectacle than even the downtown district of a metropolitan city.

Cleanliness is next to godliness, but godliness, or even ordinary cleanliness was never connected with the effort to make a human being resemble one of the "pretty boys" of the fashion plates in the popular magazines. A gentleman is easily recognized, even in a suit that is seeing its second season, and no one will sneer at his "polish" if his coat is a trifle shiny.

We students have a great many places where our money could be spent advantageously, and by "passing up" the customary spring suit, (it costs \$50 at the very least this spring) some very necessary things can be attended to that would otherwise probably be neglected.

Let's send the suit to the cleaners, then, and see if it can't be made to last at least until the Easter season.—Daily Kansan.

### UNI NOTICES

#### Xi Delta

Xi Delta meeting Thursday, February 26 at 7:15 in the Woman's Building. Very important. EVERY MEMBER BE PRESENT.

#### The Shantung Question at the Forum

Henry Chung, M. A. '18, scholar and author of books on the Orient, will address the Forum on the Shantung Problem, Thursday at five o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. room. Opportunity for discussion and questions will be given.

#### Episcopalian Students

Your attention is called to an important business meeting scheduled for 8:00 tonight at St. Luke's church. A very important matter will come up for your consideration. It is to your interest to be there and take part in the deliberations.

#### Block and Bridle Club

Important business meeting of the Block and Bridle Club in J. P. 204, at five p. m., Friday. It is important that every member be present. 92-2t.

#### Palladian

Business meeting Thursday evening at 6:56. Important.

#### Student Employment

Students who want work for odd hours see the Employment Secretary in Y. M. C. A. rooms in Temple.

#### Omicron Nu

Omicron Nu meeting Thursday at 7:30 in the Women's Building.

#### Delian Literary Society

Open meeting Friday, February 27, in Faculty Hall. The Delian orchestra will render several selections. Here's a chance to hear some good music. Come and bring your friends.

#### Engineers

Candidates for the offices of Bearer of The Blarney Stone, Bearer of St. Pat's Baton and the two honorary Guards must file with G. S. Salter before Friday, February 27, or drop envelope with name in the Blue Print office door. Candidates for the first two offices to be chosen from the junior class and the two guards from the sophomore class.

#### Commercial Club Meeting

Mr. Sanderson, vice-president of Rudge and Guenzel Co., will address the Commercial Club, Thursday at eleven a. m. in SS 101. Every member is urged to be present.

### THE DAILY DITTY

by

Gayle Vincent Grubb

A football game is a football game,  
 And a game of chess is chess;  
 A rolling stone's worth two in the bush  
 And these B. B. games a mess.

The Greeks who are battlin' rough  
 and tough  
 In the hopes of stackin' first,  
 And sweatin' the sweat of a summer's day  
 With their throats all parched with thirst—

Are playing the queerest kind of a game  
 It has been my luck to see,  
 Where a guy is knocked for twenty feet  
 And the knocker laughs with glee.

A lot of the guys imagine the court's  
 A blasted football field,  
 And they use their fists or pointed shoes  
 As the weapons that they wield.

And how come? This is basketball  
 A man is not required  
 To show the world how strong he is—  
 The lookers-on grow tired.

So each and every man who swells  
 His muscle for a blow  
 Should then and there be barred from ever  
 Finishing the show.

And led to where a tombstone reads:  
 "He played too dirty, much,"  
 And dig his own residing place  
 To lay himself—"in Dutch."

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