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VOLUNTARY ATTENDANCE

Seniors at Harvard University will be allowed to attend classes at their discretion, according to a new ruling made by the faculty.

The rule has advantages. Students who have reached the junior or senior years in college should be possessed of sufficient intellect to grasp the idea that unless they attend classes with fair regularity the time of reckoning will come.

Again, the rule may work for greater freedom for the students and consequently greater interest in their work. There is an adage that you can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink.

Some misgivings have been felt by those who have considered the plan but its success where it has been tried has been encouraging.

FLAMING YOUTH

The Lincoln Star, in an editorial entitled "Exuberant Youth," comments on the fact that a number of college editors have been fired because they have either attempted to pass judgment upon their elders or because they have been too oppressive in their interpretation of life.

The editorial comments upon the flaming youth of today, and notes with alarm with the passing years it seems to be stizzling more than ever. The editorial ends on a paternal note, when its comments: "What we need is a few more old-fashioned spankings."

With all due regard for the Star, we disagree with it entirely. We hardly consider it out of place for youth to pass judgment upon its elders. All intelligent people pass judgments, and surely youth cannot be condemned for forming some conclusions on the action of its elders.

Youth, The Star implies, should accept the judgments of its elders without question, without thought. We disagree. Unless youth can gain its own experience it will be a rather vacuous tribe when the time comes for it to take charge.

The action taken at the colleges where the editors were expelled for their criticism was, in our opinion, foolish and detrimental to true education, unless the offenses the editors committed bordered on indecency.

At schools where the officials are foresighted the editors are not muzzled. At Harvard and Illinois such is the case. We have done some criticizing ourselves this year, and have aroused the ire of various members of the faculty and some students, but our job has been none-the-less secure.

Perhaps youth's judgments are unjustified, but it will not promote his intelligence or independence of

thought to prevent him from making them. Such methods merely arouse resentment. Better to let the students do their own thinking than to insist that they swallow whole what-ever is told them, under penalty of a spanking.

College Press

EDUCATION

(Indiana Daily Student)

Much criticism is directed toward colleges by persons who say the graduate is no more fitted for life's pursuits than the young man or woman who has not attended colleges. This is true in many individual cases, but largely through no fault of colleges.

All that college can do is to provide the environment and the associations that make it easier for the student. A person does not have to attend college in order to "train his powers of observation, thinking and reflection through gain in knowledge."

Education, as Wallace Buttrick puts it, is never completed, but is as long as life. The failure of so many students to understand this is why college graduates and colleges are subject to so much criticism. The graduate has had a bit of history, some literature, a little science, this, that and the other thing—enough to obtain a diploma—and there is where most students stop.

GIRL'S COMMERCIAL CLUB TEA

Wives of Business Administration Faculty To Be Guests

Members of the Girls' Commercial Club will be hostesses at a tea given for the wives of the Business Administration faculty at Ellen Smith Hall from 3:30 to 5:00 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, January 16.

Numbers on the program to be given at the tea are as follows: Vocal Solo—Thelma King; Pious Solo—Alice Criss; Recitations—two little boys, Jack Stone and Bobby West; Toe Dance—Elizabeth Gilbertson.

Ten Years Ago

Fencing was planned to be definitely organized for the first time at a meeting at Prof. R. G. Clapp's office. The meeting was called for all men interested.

Hon. S. R. McKelvie, former lieutenant governor of Nebraska, addressed the members of the University Commercial Club on "Community Interest." He particularly emphasized the opportunities for commercial students in the University to develop a spirit of cooperation in small communities.

A new hydraulic turbine was received at the Mechanical Engineering Laboratory. It was designed expressly for use in Mechanical schools.

The first alumni edition of the

"Yelping Alumni" Are Menace To Football Says Writer in Outlook

An anonymous writer in The Outlook of January 6th states that the matter with college football is the "yelping alumni." An editorial comment states that the writer of this article is closely identified with college athletics and a keen student of football.

"The biggest menace to college football today," he says, "is the yelping alumni. A team must win. A coach must turn out a winning team or the Roman mob turns thumbs down and off comes his head."

"Halfback Grange is a quite natural evolution of the college football system. He is simply the forerunner of other star players who will join professional teams. A star football player is glorified, defied, and his true importance on the campus magnified until all sense of values is lost."

The writer then takes the case of a youngster entering a big college. He is filled with ambition to play football. But he comes from a high school whose team had little reputation, and he is side-tracked by the coaches, who prefer those players

who come with ready-made reputations. Therefore, the writer concludes, "The boys who actually need the coaching and the physical and mental development don't get it! The stalwarts who need it least get all of it! That's why I say that football in colleges has been perverted."

The author suggests as a remedy that the college coaching staff organize at the beginning of the season a great many campus teams to play against one another, and thereby give the benefits of the game to all interested. He closes with a plea to "Put football back into its original place in the scheme of college things." He is opposed to the "nonsense of choosing 'All-American' teams or any other kind of 'All' teams."

University Journal, an edition devoted wholly to alumni news, went to press. Two main features were an article arranged by Chancellor Avery on the building program and campus extension, and an article by N. Z. Snell outlining plans for the year. The alumni edition was to be issued quarterly.

Leader," Elton Lux, Extension Editor. "Hog Prices in 1926," H. C. Filley, Professor of Rural Economics.

Calendar

Friday, January 15

University Players. Catholic Student Bower Dance. Chi Omega formal—Scottish Rite Temple. Alpha Gamma Rho—house dance. Farm House—house dance. All University Ice Carnival. Xi Psi Phi—house dance. University Players.

Saturday, January 16

University Players. Basket Ball game—Nebraska vs. Grinnell. Alpha Delta Theta—formal—Lincoln. Tau Kappa Epsilon formal—Rose-wilde. Alpha Xi Delta—house dance. Kappa Delta formal—Scottish Rite Temple. Kappa Sigma—house dance. Phi Alpha Delta—house dance. Lutheran Students Club. Union Literary Society—banquet.

Notices

P. E. O. All P. E. O.'s who wish to attend the Founder's Day dinner to be held

Twenty Years Ago

Mr. A. L. Gale, managing editor of the Daily Star, addressed the students at Convocation on the subject of "Wealth and Happiness."

Try-outs for the Senior play, "The Prisoner of Zenda," were held and the cast was chosen. Many of the parts were closely contested.

Manager Morrison was quite successful in collecting funds to pay the expenses of Dr. Lees to attend the meeting of the football rules committee.

The student members of the University Athletic Board held at meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms and decided to give a vaudeville entertainment for the purpose of raising the deficit which was expected from the football season.

Roller skating was one of the most popular sports at the Auditorium during the cold weather.

On The Air

University Studio broadcasting over KFAB, (340.8).

Friday, January 15

9:30 to 9:55 a. m. Weather reports by Prof. T. A. Blair. Road report and Announcements.

10:30 to 11:00 a. m. "The Needs of the Baby," Miss May Frank, Head of the Home Management Division Department of Home Economics.

1:15 to 1:30 p. m. Musical convocation. The entire program will be given by Mr. Rex Elton Fair, Flutist.

3:00 to 3:30 p. m. Concluding the series of lectures on Grand Opera by Professor Paul H. Grummann, Director of the School of Fine Arts. The opera "Mignon" will be reviewed this week.

8:05 to 8:30 p. m. Dean J. E. LeRoussignol of the college of Business Administration, will conclude his series of lectures on "First Principles of Economics."

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C. E. BUCHHOLZ, Mgr.

at the Rosewilde, Thursday, January 21, a 6:30 o'clock may get tickets from Mrs. Axtell or Mrs. Brown in Miller and Paine's rest room between two and five Saturday afternoon or by calling Mrs. I. O. Axtell before Tuesday.

Journalism 185

Examination papers returned at Administration Building 207. M. M. FOGG.

Track and Cross Country Men

Track and cross country men who have earned numerals may obtain them from Mr. Nelson in the East Stadium dressing room. HENRY F. SCHULTE.

Cosmopolitan Club

Pictures for the Cornhusker to have been taken on Thursday at 12:30 will be taken on Tuesday, January 26.

University Chess Club

Dean Engberg will give a simultaneous exhibition, Saturday, at 8:15, in the Y. M. C. A. room, Temple. Business meeting, 7:30 sharp.

Lutheran Bible League

There will be a Lutheran Bible league social Friday at Trinity church at 8 o'clock.

Cornhusker

All groups planning upon a picture in the 1926 Cornhusker must make a reservation for a sitting at the Campus Studio before January 16.

Reservations for pages may be made in the Cornhusker office to the managing editor or the business manager.

Spanish Club

There will be a Spanish Club meeting Saturday at 8 o'clock in Teachers College 21.

Thirty-five per cent of the freshmen at Denver University have flat feet. The average yearling is five feet seven inches tall and weighs 146 pounds.

The College of the City of New York has included a study of golf in its curriculum.

Hotel Lincoln Sunday Evening Dinner \$1.25 6 to 8 p. m. Served in the Beautiful POMPEIAN ROOM Music HOTEL LINCOLN

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MEN!

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"I'll look 'em all over. One of those new double breasted effects would be just the berries, and a flat waist overcoat, will just about replenish my jaded wardrobe."



"A \$1.95 shirt would come in handy too. Then if I add only 50c more I get another one. Will have to look into their shirt offerings."



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"Guess I'll stop for Harry and George too. I know they'll want to get in on this January Clearance Sale for MEN at Rudge & Guenzel's."

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