

Part Blame for College Inefficiency Goes to Teachers, Writes Worcester

In reply to the accusations made that the modern college student underestimates his opportunities, Professor D. A. Worcester, associate professor of Educational Psychology in the Teachers' College, recently published an article in the Journal of Educational Research for February, 1928, in which he suggests that college teachers are also partly to blame for the inefficiency charged against the students.

Mr. Worcester goes on to say that "the student is said to be 'indifferent toward his studies and that he has an excessive amount of time for extra curricula activities,' the teachers also waste much of the student's time because they are indifferent to its value and the assignments are not profitably given in connection with their class work."

Repetition of Information
In support of his contentions Professor Worcester gave general examples showing where there was repetition of content in courses and departments, where repetition and pre-information, acquired professionally, and common sense enable students to

make high scores prior to their pursuit of the subjects also that there is a tendency in modern teaching methods to give equal attention in instruction to that which is or is not known.

In another article, "Some characteristics of a Good College Text-Book," which was published in "School and Society," February 18, 1928, Professor Worcester gives the results of an inquiry among his students as to the qualifications of a good text book.

"Horrible Examples"
In contrast to the requisites, Professor Worcester gave what he called "horrible examples." Some of the qualifications were: good make-up, style and convenient size; detail, experimental evidence and minute description and a vocabulary within the comprehension of the average student. The professor admitted that although the "points are not new the fact that they are pointed out by student readers indicates that they are still of some importance."

sensational in Eastman's refusal, which probably accounts for the absence of widespread publicity such as followed a similar act at the University of Kansas two years ago. Eastman, in a letter of explanation to The Dartmouth, suggested that Phi Beta Kappa is not keeping pace with changes within the college. It continues, he said, to lean heavily on grades based on quizzes and examinations, measures which the University itself is discouraging.

Time of Coppock Drive Is Extended

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The two drives which the University Y. W. C. A. sponsors on this campus. The other is for their own support and is carried on in November.

The memorial drive which was started on the Nebraska campus to pay the salary of Grace Coppock, a Nebraska graduate who went to China as a Y. W. C. A. national secretary, will go to the general budget of the Y. W. C. A. in China this year.

Since the death of Grace Coppock in 1921 this money has gone to the support of recreational work for Chinese women.

The teams of the drive stand as follows:

Team 1	\$13.50
Team 2	3.00
Team 3	13.50
Team 4	41.50
Team 5	11.75
Team 6	25.00
Team 7	52.60
Team 8	17.50
Team 9	11.00
Team 10	45.50
Team 11	16.50
Team 12	10.50
Team 13	10.50
Team 14	13.50
Team 15	10.00
Team 16	21.50
Miscellaneous	16.50

DARTMOUTH STUDENT REJECTS P. B. K. KEY

Eastman Refuses to Accept Election To Scholastic Society Due to Marking System

Hanover, N. H. (by New Student Service)—Blaming for his action a faulty marking system that gauges rote learning rather than genuine intellectual ability, and Phi Beta Kappa for lending its support to such a measure by electing its members on a basis of grades, Charles Allen Eastman '28, refused election to the Dartmouth chapter of the honorary scholastic society.

Dartmouth has been taken aback, because for years the senior classes have without exception voted the Phi Beta Kappa key a more desirable prize than the "D" for participation in athletics.

Eastman Is Able Athlete
Eastman is an athlete, having played on the soccer team for two years. He is a member of a campus scholastic society of high standing. But when the golden key was tendered him, he turned his back.

There was nothing spectacular or

committees:
Campus committee—Richard Smith '29, Lincoln, chairman; Joe Hunt '28, Scottsbluff; Margaret Nielsen '28, Omaha, and Eloise Keefe '28, Lincoln.
Church group committee—Wendell Groth '31, Lincoln, chairman; Dorothy Brown, Lincoln; Max Miller, Lincoln, and Dale Weese '31, Havelock.
Publicity—Dorothy Nott '28, Elgin, chairman, and Cliff Sandahl '29, Genoa.

Forum Will Hear Speech By Wilcox

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not lacking in any ideal to the heroes and heroines.

Shakespeare had Macbeth commit a first degree murder but he did not advocate or approve of it. Modern literature faces fact and truth, although seeking to elevate its standards. Professor Wilcox signified his intentions of discussing the subject in full at the luncheon Wednesday noon.

World Forum luncheons are open to all. Tickets are on sale at the Y. M. C. A. office in the Temple, and at the Y. W. C. A. for twenty-five cents. These luncheons are held regularly every Wednesday noon at 12 o'clock and last until 12:50 o'clock, after which a general discussion follows for all those desiring to take part.

Many Groups Want Diagonal Parking

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dorse the recommendations of the Student Council unanimously. This would involve the restoration of diagonal parking on R street from Tenth to Sixteenth street and on Sixteenth street from Q street to Vine street, with the removal of the arterial highway from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street.

Alpha Sigma Phi voted unanimously in favor of the Student Council's recommendations. Members of the organization also expressed the belief that city traffic should be routed over streets other than R and Sixteenth streets which carry such a heavy student traffic, pedestrians as well as auto.

Action Is Unanimous
Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Sigma Nu, fraternities which recently moved into their new quarters on north Sixteenth street both went on record as unanimously favoring the restoration of diagonal parking. Kappa Psi, in the heart of the R street congestion, unanimously approved the recommendations of the Student Council.

Beta Theta Pi and Delta Tau Delta, fraternities with houses on R street between Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets both unanimously approved resolutions asking restoration of diagonal parking. Sigma Xi expressed itself in favor of the old parking system.
Delta Delta Delta, sorority on the corner of Sixteenth and R streets, passed a resolution unanimously approving the recommendations of the Student Council for restoring of diagonal parking and elimination of Sixteenth as a through street. A similar resolution was passed by Kappa

Alpha Theta, located a block further north on Sixteenth street.

S Street Groups Vote
Two sororities on S street, just off from Sixteenth street, also passed resolutions approving action of the Student Council. These were Alpha Omicron Pi and Alpha Phi, both of which indicated that parallel parking on Sixteenth street had further complicated the parking problem on S street where parallel parking was already in use, necessitated by the narrowness of the street.

The sixteen organizations passing resolutions indicated a strong sentiment that students living on the streets concerned were opposed to present traffic conditions and parking control. A few organizations called by The Daily Nebraskan after the flood of phone calls reporting resolutions against parallel parking began coming in, reported themselves as being indifferent.

Phi Sigma Kappa, Alpha Chi Omega, and Alpha Delta Pi reported that their membership was apparently indifferent. Sentiment was expressed by members of one of the organizations that action was not taken because of fear of arousing agitation against University cars.

Phi Kappa Psi did not meet Monday evening so did not consider the parking problem. Kappa Kappa Gamma, the other sorority in the area, could not be reached at a late hour Monday evening.

Dr. Whitney Gives Radio Address

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self in detail he realizes at once that he has a great many little characteristics. Now the problem arises as to how a person gets all these points. Of course, the general answer is given at once that he receives them from his two parents and this is correct.
"But where did our parents get so many things to give each one of their children? The answer is similar to the answer to the question that we started out with, namely, the source of life," declared the speaker. "Every one of the thousands of traits that the parents give to their children are received by these two parents from their two parents and so on back through the ages to Adam and Eve."

A. W. S. Offices Will Be Filled

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en in the University are eligible to vote for president and for representatives from all classes.

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The nominations for president are Kathryn Douglas, '29, Omaha, and Esther Heyne, '29, Wisner. The nominations for senior members are Mary Ball, '29, Long Pine; Audrey Beales, '29, Blair; Katherine Beckman, '29, Blair; Maurine Drayton, '29, Orchard; Geraldine Heikes, '29, Dakota City; A' Louise Trester, '29, Lincoln; and Frances Lederer, '29, Lincoln.

Juniors Nominees Listed

The nominations for junior members are Lois Hanning, '30, Lincoln; Vivian Flettwood, '30, Lincoln; Peggy Houser, '30, Omaha; Dorothy McCoy, '30, Imperial; Ada Lightner, '30, St. Edward; Gretchen Standeven, '30, Omaha; Harriett Willis, '30, Lincoln, and Harriet Horton, '30, Sheridan, Wyoming.

The women nominated for sophomore members are Lucille Boomer, '31, Lincoln; Esther Gaylord, '31, Lincoln; Gretchen Goulding, '31, Omaha; Ann Marie Peterson, '31, Herman; Betty Wahlquist, '31, Hastings; Gertrude Ray, '31, Lincoln; Miriam Wiggenhorn, '31, Ashland, and Sarah Pickard, '31, Omaha.

World Tour Debaters Stranded in New York

Eugene, Ore. —(IP)—Declaring that the debaters have spent more money than they should have in their world debating tour, the Associated Students of the University of Oregon have to date refused to advance any more money to the Oregon World Tour Debate Team, reported stranded in New York City without funds.

The debaters have been financing their trip mostly through the proceeds of the debates. When they left Oregon, according to student finance officials, they were given \$600, which was supposed to be enough to see them through. They were not to ask for more.

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New Special's Daily

Fund Enables Study Of Chinese Culture

Cambridge, Mass.—(IP)—The most complete study and interpretation of Chinese culture ever undertaken in the Occident, according to the Harvard Crimson, will be entered into by Harvard University in conjunction with Yenching University, Peking, China, as the result of a \$2,000,000 endowment for this purpose made by the Estate of the late Charles M. Hall, of Niagara Falls, inventor of the new process of taking aluminum from the crude ore.

The step is hailed as of great significance in promoting friendly relations between the United States and China.

California Societies Placed on Probation

Los Angeles, Calif.—(IP)—More than thirty fraternities and sororities at the University of California at Los Angeles have been placed on probation for their failure to comply with the regulations covering campus organizations. The probationary period will last for two months.

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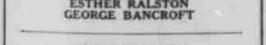
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