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## SUMMER SESSION

Attractive Courses Will be Offered. Excursion to St. Louis.

Elaborate plans have been brought to perfection for making the next summer session the greatest and most successful ever held, and a strong effort will be made to put it on its feet as a permanent and material affair. It is expected to be particularly practical and helpful to superintendents, principals, grade and high school teachers and University students. Attention is called to unusual numbers of heads of departments who offer instruction and to the number and variety of courses.

The list of the heads of departments that we note is Drs. Sherman, Bessy, Davis, Ward, Luckey, and Professors Barber, Caldwell, Fossler, Richards, Lyon, Ross, Wyer, Smith and French. The other members of the faculty are Professor Hodgman, Miss Conklin, Professor Grumann, Professor Dann, Professor Candy, Dr. Clements, Professor Moritz, Dr. Dales, Inspector Crabtree, Miss Bouton, Professor Persinger, Professor Stuff, Miss Howell and Professor Brown.

One of the great features of the session will be an excursion to St. Louis. A special University of Nebraska train for the faculty and students of the Summer Session will leave for St. Louis on Saturday, June 25th, and return Saturday, July 2d. This train which will fly the colors of the University, will consist of day coaches and tourist and standard Pullman sleepers. The University has secured, near the exposition grounds hotel accommodations at once comfortable and very inexpensive. To study special exhibits, such as the industrial, educational, history and art, parties conducted by University professors will be organized, thus affording teachers and students an unusual opportunity seeing the exposition. That ample accommodations may be provided, all persons who expect to join the excursion are requested to notify the direction of the summer session at the earliest possible date. To insure the comfort of those who join the excursion, the University will take special pains. The director and registrar will personally attend to the business details of the trip. Many teachers have already signified their intention to go.

The privilege of this excursion is open only to students registered in the summer session, and to members of the faculty and their families. Should there be room others may be admitted, but at an advanced price.

That this excursion may not encroach upon the regular work of the session, classes will meet one more day each week than they otherwise would. Libraries, laboratories and workshops will, however, be kept open during the week of the excursion for those who remain, for whom work will be planned.

An entirely new and strong feature will be the school of superintendence. The remarkable success of the school for superintendents and principals conducted in Omaha last summer by Superintendent C. G. Pearse, has convinced the department of education that there is a demand for such a school. With inadequate training and small experience men and women every year assume the duties of superintendent and principal. They are anxious to learn the methods which years of experience have brought the successful executive but until last year they found no opportunity in Nebraska. Moreover, experienced superintendents and principals also feel the need of exchanging thought and discussing methods. The University desires to meet the needs of both classes. To this end it has prepared a course in school management, which, if approved by super-

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intendents and principals, will be made a permanent feature of the summer session. From wide acquaintance with the needs and conditions of Nebraska schools and successful experience as superintendent at Ashland and Beatrice, no man is better fitted to conduct such a course than Mr. J. W. Crabtree, inspector of the accredited schools of the University.

The summer session this year will conduct a series of round table conferences on subjects of special interest to teachers and prospective teachers. Professor Barber leads one for teachers of Latin; Professor Davis and members of his department, for teachers of the mathematical branches; Professor Fossler for teachers of German; Professor Caldwell for teachers of American history, and Assistant Professor Condra for teachers of geography.

An interesting and instructive feature will be the series of Thursday evening lectures, illustrated by the University's new powerful electric stereopticon. One June 16 Professor Lawrence Bruner speaks on "A Naturalist's Impressions of Argentina," in which country he spent nearly a year. The lecture includes an account of the climate, surface configuration, plant and animal life, and the customs of the people. On June 23d Professor Condra speaks on "Industrial Nebraska." On July 7th Professor Dann talks on "Gothic Architecture." For this lecture slides have been especially prepared, showing the great cathedrals of northern France and England, and illustrating the construction and artistic effects of these noble productions of medieval art. On July 14th, Professor Barber speaks on "Ancient Rome as it Looks Today." This lecture, which is illustrated by 125 lantern slide views, showing buildings and ruins of ancient Rome as they are today, gives an idea of the stability and grandeur of the Eternal City. It deals with such subjects as the walk aqueducts and sewers, bits of scenery about Rome, the Pantheon, the Coliseum, triumphal arches, columns, the imperial forum, the Tulliarium in which St. Paul was imprisoned, the catacombs, tombs along the Appian Way. St. Peter's and the Quirinal Palace. The concluding lecture will be given July 21st by Professor Caldwell, on "Cartoons of Early American History." This lecture is to be followed by a short farewell reception and addresses by visiting superintendents and principals.

Librarian J. I. Wyer gives a course of lectures, open to all, on the relation of the school to the library, school libraries, books and reading, current events and observations on the acquisition and effective use of libraries in small schools. Teachers will find these

lectures very helpful and practical.

The modern school curriculum inadequately trains the artistic element in the child's nature. The annual exhibits of the Nebraska Art association have awakened the teachers of Lincoln and the state to this neglected feature of school work. A course in Italian art will be given by Professor Dann and free courses in fine arts by Miss Mundy and Mrs. Brock.

On the evening of Thursday, June 16, from 8 to 8:30 p. m., an informal reception will be given in Memorial hall to the visiting teachers and students. Addresses of welcome will be given by Chancellor Andrews, Professor Ross, and one or more of the superintendents who lecture in the course on school management. At 8:30 p. m. Professor Bruner will give his illustrated lecture. A social hour will follow the lecture.

One emphatic point is that all Nebraska railroads will give one and one-third round trip rates to teachers attending the session. Altogether there are about forty courses that will be offered. This represents many innovations and additions that have been made, with the purpose of bringing our summer school up to a high standard. To this end vigorous efforts will be devoted, and the coming session will prove whether or not a summer school at the University of Nebraska can be made a material success.

## DR. BARBOUR WILL ATTEND.

Indications Point to Enjoyable Time at Y. M. C. A. Banquet.

Professor Barbour will attend the Y. M. C. A. banquet at the Lindell hotel next Tuesday evening, and will be one of those on the list of very entertaining toasts for the occasion. Mr. Clark Oberlies, U. of N., '95, will act as toastmaster. Mr. Oberlies was one of the leaders in his day, taking an active interest in the military department, athletics, and debating, and is one who has the right qualities to make the feast one of the most pleasant and successful.

Members of the association are feeling enthusiastic over the clearing up of the Temple pledge, and because of this fact, they anticipate an unusually bright and enjoyable evening. The banquet will be a sort of jubilee over the successes generally attained. Any University man is welcome. Members of the association can not afford to miss this big treat.

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## ALL TRACK MEN

Desired to Meet in Dr. Clapp's Office Monday.

Dr. Clapp has issued a call for all candidates for the track team to report at the track from four to six next Monday. This means that the real work will now begin, to last up to the first of June. Heretofore the long distance men have been taken out three times a week, and this will probably continue. The others have been practicing as well as possible in the gymnasium, and the beginning of outdoor work will benefit these especially. The track will be prepared immediately, and it is hoped that work on the physics building will not begin until so late or else will be confined to such a small area that all or at least the first few of the meets may be held on this field instead of securing some other.

A notice has also been posted for all prospective candidates for the track team to send in their names and the events in which they desire to enter. All men should report as soon as possible for other things being equal, the man who has been training hard from the first will be given the preference over the man who sluffs off until the Monday before the first meet.

The girls' basket ball team, together with a very efficient complement of chaperones, left for Minnesota Thursday evening, and played the girls of that University, at Minneapolis, last night. As we go to press the score is unobtainable, but we feel certain that the co-ed team will have better fortune against the Gophers than their brothers did. This was the big game for the Minnesota girls, as it was for those from Nebraska, and in their enthusiasm and endeavors to get out a big crowd they somewhere dup up the report that our team had already defeated Missouri and Kansas this year.

A few enthusiastic ball players braved the wind and cold of the last two days, but most of the boys were too wise and consequently confined themselves to gym work. If the weather moderates, however, there will be the regular practice.

Herschberger, the famous Chicago back, who is now coaching Lake Forest, is behind a movement for the formation of an athletic association similar to that of the "Big Nine," members of which shall be the smaller colleges of Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin.

## A Musical Program.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a sacred music program given for University men and women. Local University talent, with perhaps some outside talent, will furnish the music on this occasion. No charge of any kind will be made and all University men and women are cordially invited. More definite information will be given in tomorrow's Nebraskan.

## Y. W. C. A. Musical Program.

The musical program for Sunday, 3 p. m., Chapel:

Solo ..... Miss Luella Lansing  
Duett ..... Misses McEachron  
Reading ..... Mr. A. C. Bates  
Solo ..... Miss Mabel H. Stephen  
Solo ..... Mr. Tulleys  
Reading ..... Miss Eva Cooper  
Solo (Cornet) ..... Mr. C. B. Cornell  
Solo ..... Miss Vera Upton

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## Senior Prom

APRIL 8, LINCOLN HOTEL

Walt's full Orchestra