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The Daily Nebraskan takes this opportunity to extend a welcoming hand to the freshmen who are entering the University this week. Perhaps there are some of you who have seen the sheet on file in your high schools. If so, it is possible that the paper will serve as a connecting link between the four years of high school and this new departure into university life. At any rate, the mission of the Nebraskan is to be of service to all students, and if we can assist you in your registration and in getting accustomed to the ways of the campus, well and good. Sorry we can't meet you at the train, but there are rules, and rules, you know.

To the old-timers who have glanced over our pages occasionally during the last year or more, it will be necessary to say that the "Rag" is in the ring again. It is the ambition of every college journalist to make those editions of the paper for which he is responsible a little better than the ones preceding. This much we have culled from the introductory editorials of our exchanges, scattered from coast to coast, and from our own experiences, here in the dingy little room which is dignified with the title of an editorial room. Therefore, without casting reflections behind or ahead, we can say as much for the ensuing numbers of the paper.

College news is a distinct type of news, differing in many respects from that which comprises the daily papers

of the city. In the college those events which take place unexpectedly, and which are of interest to all readers, are few and far between. Stories do not "break"—they merely turn up, and it is for the cub reporter to find them, and to make them appeal to the readers, not through their unusual features, but through the common interest they arouse. Such, then, will be the task of the reportorial staff of the paper this semester. How much of a success is being made in this direction will be evident in later issues.

Criticism, in its every sense, is what we expect, and what we need. In order to fully serve the students the Rag must undergo the same kind of critical treatment that students require of one another. And from past experience it is safe to predict that criticism will not be lacking. But we do insist upon intelligent criticism. That the paper is small does not indicate that its news value is proportionate. The staff is united on the proposition of "News, the Best and the Latest."

REPORTORIAL POSSIBILITIES.

The Nebraskan is offering a number of positions on the reportorial staff to the right men. As is usual in the case of a college paper, at the end of each semester there are vacancies left in this most important department of the paper, due to promotions and other changes. And at the beginning of the new regime, when the new staff takes hold, is the time for new men to work into the force.

Reportorial positions require little of a man, save time and interest. And they have much to give. This year it is the intention of the Nebraskan to conduct a school of newspaper methods, in lieu of a department of journalism which is not yet installed, but which must surely come soon. To be sure, the ground covered will be limited in accordance with the limited amount of time which the men can give. But it will be worth while for the men who are interested in writing and for those who would care to become acquainted with some of the points essential to modern journalism.

Men who have had to do with the editing of high school papers will find in the Nebraskan a little different, busier type of writing. Men who have not had a chance to work into any sort of newspaper will find in the Nebraskan a solution. And men who have had actual newspaper experience will be in their element.

The editors will be glad to see any one who is interested in this type of school activity. It is an active one, bringing its representatives into contact with all the elements of the University and giving them a wide acquaintance. Better yet, it is an educational one, and time spent in the "Rag" offices grinding out copy will prove of value later.

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