

## NEWS of SCHOOLS and COLLEGES



### CHOOSING THE SCHOOL

#### SCHOOL AND COLLEGE NEWS

##### Information of Great Value for Those Planning Children's Education.

##### IMPORTANT QUESTION TO SETTLE

The clock that marks the days of vacation has struck 12 high noon. Time has arrived at a point just midway between the close of the last school term and the opening of the next.

A quiet time this is in many of the schools and colleges. Class rooms are deserted. Dormitories are empty. No one is seen upon the campuses. Repairs and renovations and betterments are being made preparatory to the time when the students shall flock in again, gathered from all points of the compass for another year of instruction. Teachers and professors are away, too, some on purely resting outings, at the seashore, the mountains or in the country; some also attending summer schools completing their own educations or giving lectures at schools or chautauquas.

##### Question of the Homes.

But while this is a quiet time in the schools and colleges it is not a quiet time in thousands of homes where live the students that attend these institutions of learning or that are preparing to attend some institution of learning.

It is a time of activity like that of a political campaign. Now all the deciding must be done. Now the minds of the parents are open to conviction. Now the daily subject of discussion is "What college shall we send John to?" or "What school of these many recommended shall Mary attend?"

So much depends on the decision of this question that it is given much consideration and long study in most families.

Parents realize that upon the wise decision of this question the welfare of their children may depend.

It is not merely a question of the "getting through" of the young man or young woman. It goes far beyond that. It affects his or her whole future well being and may decide whether he or she is to be a great success or whether failure and discouragement is to attend throughout all the years of life in the world.

##### Responsibility on Parent.

Responsibility rests upon the parent and it is more than mere financial responsibility. A decision in a financial matter may be wise or unwise and the only loss is financial and that is soon forgotten.

But a decision in such a question if it be unwise has cumulative results of evil. And, on the other hand, if it be wise it has equally cumulative results of good and the student goes on from honor to honor and his life is successful.

Naturally and from the nature of the affair it is utterly impossible for each parent to visit each and every school separately. If this were possible even it would not be possible to form a concrete idea of each school's qualifications as a place of education for any given prospective student.

There are so many separate features of the school that must be taken into consideration of the subject in arriving at a wise decision. No person could form an idea of any one school without remaining in it while it is in active operation for several weeks.

##### Points to Be Considered.

It would be necessary to decide first upon its scholastic attainments, upon its thoroughness and conscientiousness of its teaching forces, upon the standard, whether it be high or low, that is required of the student.

Then the moral tone of the institution is of highest importance. It exerts a subtle influence upon those who attend and who are destined to spend four of the most formative years of their lives in an institution of learning, years when the moral fibre is in its most important stage of development, and when it will form itself with strength and resisting power to evil if the examples upon which it models itself are good, and when, on the other hand, it will become weak and flabby if it is formed in a weak and flabby mold.

Educators today agree that more is due to environment than to heredity. Heredity both in diseases of the body and of the mind and soul has but a small part to play. Children of the worst possible ancestry, taken at an early age, before their habits and tastes have been formed and placed in good environment, become our leading men and women.

Others of good ancestry, allowed to grow up on the street and as corner loafers, become mere weaklings.

Importance of Moral Tone. So the moral tone of the college to which the boy and girl are sent is of an importance second only to the importance of the educational tone. Secondary, did we say? So some would hold. But there is ample ground for considering it not secondary, but of primary importance. For, of what use is a sound education if the moral fibre is not strong? Mere book-learning is not of supreme importance. Neither is the great gain secured from a college education. Some of them who come through with flying colors and highest marks in their studies, but who have neglected entirely the college life, the wholesome mingling with their fellows in classes and in the activities of college life, have degenerated later to mere siphers and bookworms, not setting out of life anything near what they ought to get and would get if they had developed a sound moral fibre.

A third important part of the college to be chosen for the prospective student is

the personal element, and this must be carefully considered by parents.

Upon this is founded the argument of the small colleges. Where the student body is small there is, perhaps, more of a tendency for the students to get into personal contact with the teachers. It is here that teachers and students get to know each other better, and the students profit by the personal example of teachers and professors, they imbibe from their high ideals of life and life's work.

##### What the Professor May Do.

Through such contact wise and conscientious professors can see into the character and tendencies of students. By words and ideas dropped into that fallow soul soil they are able to develop a character of strength and to give it a firm foundation early in life, so that it has ample opportunity and the best conditions for full and complete development.

Many of our greatest men have come from the small colleges, our three latest presidents Princeton, Yale and Harvard men to the contrary notwithstanding.

The big colleges have their advantages, too. They have the name; they have the equipment; often they are able through superior resources to get professors of world-wide reputation. But the element of personal contact is less and the student of certain characteristics often has difficulty in adjusting himself and is apt to remain in adjusting throughout his course. This is true only of certain natures. Others thrive amid the big and busy affairs of the big and busy institution.

Another important factor is the moral tone of the town or city in which the school or college or university is located. The moral tone of the town is sure to have its influence on the growing student. If its laws are lax and loose, and if all sorts of evil institutions and influences are allowed to thrive and do their evil work unchecked, the student cannot fail to be influenced to a great extent by them.

##### How to Determine Answer.

These are four very important features of every educational institution. And being studied by anxious parents and their children in the effort to determine what institution shall be entrusted with the supremely important work of molding the child into the man or woman.

The only practical way of studying the several institutions is by means of their advertisements and their "literature," which they put out. In a standard newspaper like The Bee only the good institutions can secure advertising space. The fact that an institution has its advertisement in such a paper is proof that it is a reputable one morally and scholastically.

Study of the peculiar advantages and location of each institution from their advertisements is the efficient way of getting the work of decision on some particular one.

By this means those can be picked out that have the fundamental qualities which each individual family demands for its candidates for the higher educational institutions.

Then, for a more complete and intimate and detailed study the "literature" of those selected can be secured. The personnel of the faculty, the facilities of board and room and the prices of the same, the college buildings, the campus, the athletic advantages, the nature of the town or city in which it is located—all these things can be studied out with the greatest thoroughness and a final decision can be arrived at intelligently and safely.

Numerous illustrations incorporated over in the advertisements help in arriving at a decision.

##### ANNIVERSARY OF ST. FRANCIS

Thirty-Three Years Since Poor Sister of St. Francis Came to Columbia.

July 27 will be the anniversary of the arrival of the Poor Sister of St. Francis of the Perpetual Adoration in the city of Columbia. It was on July 27, 1882, when the little band arrived at the Union Pacific depot, which was only a boxcar transformed into a waiting room. A generous merchant on Eleventh street had sent his clerk and delivery wagon to conduct the strangers to their future home in order to take charge of St. Bonaventure's parochial school.

Some charter members are exceedingly happy and proud in belonging to the charter band. Thirty-three years have elapsed since then, and with feelings of gratitude they raised their hearts to God in thanksgiving for the countless graces and benefits bestowed upon them. To have spent and lived over half of their lifetime in one congregation they consider a rare privilege.

The feast of St. Bonaventure, the patron of the parish, was commemorated Wednesday, July 15. Solemn services began at 8 a. m. The officiating clergyman was the Very Rev. C. Stempel, celebrant; Rev. D. Czech, pastor of St. Anthony's Polish church, deacon; and Rev.

##### STEVAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

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##### THE WICHITA HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING

At Wichita, Kansas, offers a three year course of instruction to women between the ages of 21 and 25 years. Applicants must have had at least one year of high school work.

F. Kraus, pastor of St. Stanislaus church, Duncan, Neb., sub-deacon. After high mass, solemn benediction was given.

Two beautiful pen drawings were framed and presented to the academy by Miss Anne Merz. These drawings represent a Letitz microscope drawn by Miss Mary Alta, and a spectrometer, drawn by Miss Anne Merz, both graduates of 1913. The young artists were congratulated upon their skillful delineation.

##### FREMONT COLLEGE.

A School with High Ideals and Plenty of Independent Spirit.

The Fremont college catalogue for the coming year is larger than ever, keeping pace with the growth of this live institution. It has this to say in its foreword regarding its aims and ideals:

"A school is a place to receive information for the purpose of developing mental power; for the ingrafting of good habits; for the purpose of giving physical ability and moral courage. The good school must unite these essential factors so as to make the student the most useful to himself and to the community. Education can be acquired at schools of long-continued research, but that takes time and money. We do not plead for hot-house education or short-cut intelligence, but do believe and endorse closer supervision and mental energy and the elimination of the non-essentials, realizing that time and polished culture comes after you leave the college walls. Hence, it is this school's province to see that you, as a pupil, are taught to save time, to be economical and to have the power and fore-sight to gather the kernels of truth as found in books, and to associate these facts with the living truths about you. Our duty is to develop you by thorough, systematic teaching; your duty is to prepare yourself in the subject matter. We are to find out through a process of close questioning the truthness of our investigation, to eliminate all error and stimulate you to further mental activity.

"Our reserve fund is merit, good work, economy of time, honest effort, perfect development of true manhood and womanhood and the elimination, through scholasticism, of vice and all its allies. We have no time for frivolity, hazing, or useless expenditure of energy of any kind. We realize that students enter, and parents send their children here to be instructed, not to be entertained, but in a broader and better cultured walks of life—courtesy, gentility, honest effort, true industry, high motives, protection of virtue and the legitimate rights of others. Believing this responsibility to be just and right, we, as a school, utilize every moment in advancing, promoting and cultivating the highest and best attributes in the human soul."

##### Owned by a Woman.

The Van Sant school of Omaha is a high grade business college of long and distinguished history owned by a woman. It is one of the few similar schools anywhere taught entirely by women and it conducts its day school exclusively for young women.

The Van Sant school was established in 1891 as a specialty training school for stenographers, being the outgrowth of a private class taught by Mrs. Van Sant. Almost without advertising the school has prospered. Pupils, graduates, parents and business men constitute a band of workers in its behalf and, through the

efforts inspired by their loyalty, appreciation and interest, it has enjoyed an ever-increasing patronage of a very desirable class of pupils.

Miss Elizabeth Van Sant is a graduate of Omaha High school, attended college two years and then took normal training course, became associated with her father in the Van Sant school, where she has taught for the last thirteen years. Miss Van Sant is well known as the author of a series of text books on shorthand.

Miss Edna Ranney of Red Cloud, Neb., spent a day in Bethany last week. She is a member of the 1915 class.

Mrs. Aydelotte, one of last year's music graduates, is back in Bethany after an absence of several weeks, spent with her husband in chautauqua work.

Prof. Osterhout spent Sunday in Elmwood, Neb. While there he supplied the pulpit of the First Christian church.

Mrs. Mary Hart, matron of the ladies' hall, returned this week from a two weeks' vacation spent in Elmwood, Neb. The college hall is just about ready for the fall students.

Yera Anderson, a former Cotner student, has connected herself with the Day Evangelistic company. She will travel with the company this coming year.

Paul Watt, a prospective student from Unadilla, and Rev. Reed of Unadilla, Neb., spent a day in Bethany this week. Rev. Reed is an old Indiana friend of Chas. Oberholzer.

Thursday afternoon Chancellor Oberholzer, Prof. Hoff and Prof. Clark, the new principal of the Bethany public schools, and Mrs. O. A. Thomas, the new head of the normal department of Cotner, held a very important conference, planning the work of next year. The Bethany public schools are used for observation and practice work by the Cotner normal graduates.

St. John's Military.

The personal care and individual attention given every boy is emphasized by Major W. L. Ganssle, commandant of St. John's military school, Salina, Kan. Modern buildings and an extensive campus with the best of equipment make this one of the foremost military schools of the country.

It has a separate lower school for the accommodation and instruction of younger boys, with very careful supervision.

Twenty-one teachers, everyone a specialist in his department, is the record of York college, York, Neb., this year. Another important fact is that the college enrollment has increased within a year.

It makes the novel proposition of refunding tuition and railroad fare to any student, who attends faithfully for a period of ninety days and is then dissatisfied.

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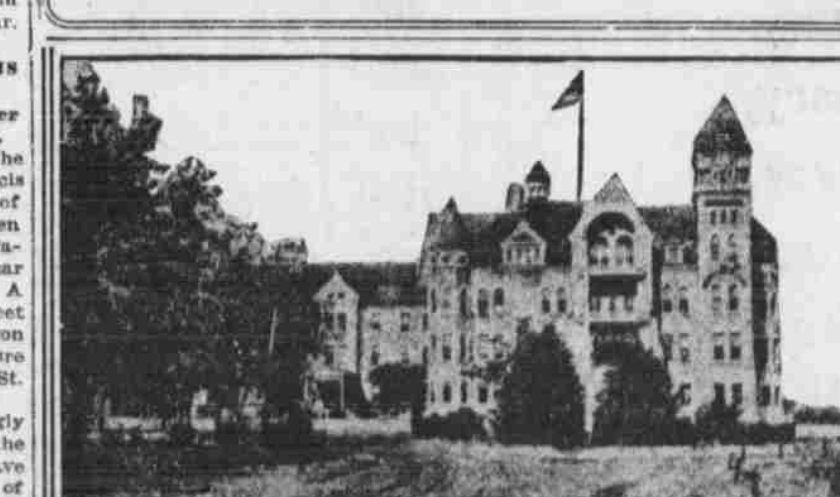
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