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University Calendar.

- Sept. 26.—Dellian Reception to Y. M. C. A.
- Sept. 26.—College Settlement Open House.
- Sept. 26.—Literary Societies Meet.
- Sept. 27.—Doane vs. Nebraska.
- Sept. 29.—Glee Club, 7:30 p. m., in U. 201.
- Sept. 30.—University Chorus, 5 p. m.
- Oct. 4.—Boulder College vs. Nebraska, at Boulder, Colo.

It is during these days of preliminary practice on the gridiron that the varsity rooters should begin to get into some kind of shape. It is encouraging to see the interest taken on the field and in the men, but there isn't very much noise as a rule. The rooters will have to hurry and get into training. Doane will be on hand Saturday and if enough supporters come along with the team they will make themselves heard. The university should show them how to root this time.

Anyone who wishes to advertise anything for sale or rent, or for anything lost, strayed or stolen, or if anyone wishes to sell a book, a piece of furniture or any kind of a possession, they should put an "add" in the "Daily" and get what they want or find a return for the small expenditure. Small line "adds" of rooms for rent, for boarding houses, or for anything else would be a paying investment in the "Daily." Send them to the office and they will receive attention.

With the return of President Roosevelt to Washington the hopes of many Lincoln people will be blasted for at least some time, as it is not known just when another trip could be made into the west by the chief executive. There will be a large number of citizens who will not have the privilege of showing their patriotism and respect to the highest man in the land. Many of Lincoln's best citizens will be denied the chance, for the time being, of grasping the president's hand, and of showing evidences of their great esteem. As the whole affair was planned in honor of the chief executive of the land, there were to be no manifestations of party spirit and Lincoln was to have turned out enmasse and loud with rejoicing. As it is, however, this dream as it turns out to be, will actually be a dream, and President Roosevelt will not know, for some time at least, the welcome the capital city of Nebraska had in store for him.

In an early number of last year's "Daily" an editorial appeared suggesting to the students that they write to their home papers letters relative to

the university that the institution might become better known throughout the state. It is probable that few acted on the suggestion.

Judging from the present registration it ought to be conceded that the university needs no such advertisement. The yearly product of men and women it turns out and their success in life is the only advertisement necessary to bring students from all parts of the state and even from other states. There will probably be more students this year than ever before and professors will have more cause this year than last for complaints that their departments are crowded.

It is to be earnestly hoped that the next legislature will make liberal appropriations for the university, that it may do the best possible work for the education of the young people of the state.

An Essential Study.

Grant said: "If I would do anything, I must first be a man." Never before has this been as true as it is today. Granting that we must first be men and women, our course of study should be selected with the aim of building up strong manly character, rather than of getting a college degree.

We take work under the instructors in whom we find traits of our "ideal." We select our friends from among those whom we would make our models. We read and study certain books because they contain that which we want in our lives, because they add to our lives more of the good, true, noble, and beautiful.

Our greatest examples among men can not equal the example of Christ, set before us in the Bible. Besides giving us the spirit of Christ, "the Bible is," in the words of our Chancellor, "the masterpiece of the world as literature." And quoting Dr. Tittle, "The Bible is the most modern book."

It was of so much value to a successful student last year that he said, "All my other studies only go to make the Bible clearer," adding, "I would not exchange what I got out of a year's study in 'The Life of Christ,' for all the knowledge that seventeen hours in the university curriculum gave me."

If this study can mean so much to a student, and if it has meant so much to our Chancellor that he would not give up what knowledge he has of the Bible for his knowledge of other great works, is it not worth our consideration?

- The Y. M. C. A. Bible department invites your attention to its courses
- 2—Acts and Epistles.
 - 1—Studies in the Life of Christ.
 - 3—Old Testament Characters.
 - 4—Teachings of Jesus and His Disciples.

College "yells" are wonderful things as a rule, but the following from the Syracuse Medical College is entitled to first place:

"Well man, sick man, dead man—stiff!
Dig 'em up, cut 'em up—what's the diff!
Humorous, tumorous, blood and gore!
Syracuse Medicos 1904!"

Those who contemplate taking a course of any sort by correspondence may find valuable suggestion in an article by Russell Doubleday in the World's Work for September. Mr. Doubleday states the fact that there are thousands of people who can get their education in no other way than through schools of correspondence, and hence he thinks the correspondence school is destined to be a powerful factor in education.

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