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The Week's Convocations.

The following is the program for convocation hour for the ensuing week:

- Oct. 15.—Dr. Ward and Mr. Wyer.
- Oct. 16.—Musical by the band.
- Oct. 17.—Superintendents and Principals.

Because of a mistake in yesterday's paper the impression has gone forth that the Minnesota excursion train would leave Minneapolis Saturday night instead of Sunday. The "Daily" wishes to correct the error and further to remind the students of the pleasure of such a trip as offered by the football management. Besides the game the excursion party would be allowed Sunday in that city. This would allow enough time to see some few sights of the city and university, and return in time for work on Monday by reason of the "tourist" train.

The first month of school is past and class teams are not yet organized. At this time last year they were practicing daily and good crowds were out to watch them, anticipating, as they did, a lively contest for the class championship. It is the duty of every man who can play ball to get out and try for a place on the class teams, and help to make his class victorious. The boys of the Junior class who can make the team are promised a trip to Kearney in the near future, and the other classes will, in all probability, play games away from home.

The following remarks are not directed, perhaps, so much to the reader as to some other parties. The football men, and especially the coaches, are feeling that the university is being imposed upon by a few men who do not seem to realize that when the gates are shut to the football field, that means keep out, and applies, moreover, to every one not having a license to be there.

Some men, including students, are so anxious to see secret practice that they will go around and come in the back end of the field and in some cases have climbed over the fence. The players as a result have been forced in some cases to order the self-invited spectators from within the gates.

While secret work is carried there is no use in it so long as there are those

who still see the game. It is asked by the football management that this should not at all be countenanced by the student body, and they ask for its co-operation in keeping people from where they are not wanted.

A wall is heard from a member of the journalism class stating that he is becoming as unpopular as a politician and shunned by everyone because he always wants news. The gentleman in question is in a sad predicament for he should not have this world down on him so early in life.

There is a moral in this, and the reporters of the university can take unto themselves some private advice. The successful reporter is one who is friends with everybody and whom everybody likes to talk to because he is interested in everything, and hence he should know more about what is going on than anybody else.

The average person on being asked for news does not know of any, but ask him about something in which he is interested and you have the news you want. If he does not want to tell you anything, ask someone else who does know or fool him into telling you, in other words confidence him.

Judicious reporting is at a premium and he who gets the news is in demand.

Collection May Be Taken.

Dr. M. H. Everett of Lincoln, some eight or nine years ago donated the largest collection that any single individual has ever yet loaned to the state museum. He is preparing to withdraw his entire set of curiosities from the university on the ground that the museum building is unsafe.

The risk by fire is so great that private donors are withholding their collections.

Dr. Everett's contributions amount to over 6,000 specimens, and their withdrawal will empty some twenty or twenty-five cases.

State Library Association.

Miss Compton, of the library staff, will read a paper before the state library association. The association is made up of those who are interested in library work in Nebraska, and meets annually. Miss Clara Mulliken of the university library, who is the secretary of the association, has been very busy during the past week preparing the program for the session. Dr. J. K. Hosmer, librarian of the Minneapolis public library, and who is the president of the American Library association, will make an address, and Mrs. John Reed, and Miss Edna Bullock of Lincoln will read papers. There are about twenty active libraries in the state and these will send about fifty delegates.

Geological Pictures.

The state geological survey, aided by the Morrill geological expeditions, has secured during the past ten years a number of photographs which are very valuable. In recognition of their merit it may be said that they have been called for and published in Europe and America.

Those of the bad lands are ranked as the best collection in existence. Mr. Cornell, the university photographer, has received orders for these slides from Yale, Harvard, Columbia, and numerous other eastern colleges, as well as many southern universities. As an example of their worth it may be mentioned that single orders have come in from colleges that amounted to over \$2,000.

In these days when people are talking so much about Major Pershing and his deeds of bravery in the Philippines, it will be a pleasant reminder of him for his friends to go to room 102, Nebraska hall, and take a good look at the case of pretty canes which he presented to the department of botany a year or so ago. He sent these from Zamboanga, one of the towns in the island of Mindanao.

Captain Smoke writes to university friends from Yale and states he is often filled with a yearning feeling for

Nebraska. He also states that his work at Yale is progressing pleasantly, but that he prefers practical work as given in military science in Nebraska rather than tactics as studied alone at Yale. However, he is at present organizing a military company for active work, and hopes to combine the two.

Kappa Kappa Gamma initiated last Saturday evening. Those initiated were Edith Butler, Elsie Fawell, Bertha Shidler, Mabel Kimball, Gladys Hargreaves and Zoe Glidden. Miss Bertha Shidler moved into the house yesterday.

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