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The Week's Convocations.

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

Tuesday—Professor Lawrence Fossler, German vs. American school system.

Wednesday—Miss Ruth Paxton, secretary of the American committee of the Y. W. C. A.

Thursday—Dr. Jones, the British educational bill.

Friday—Special music by the Glee club.

The representatives of the different institutions in the "Big Nine" who met Friday were:

A. A. Stagg of Chicago, Judge Lane of Michigan, Charles S. Slichter of Wisconsin, F. S. Jones of Minnesota, E. A. Wilcox of Iowa, H. J. Barton of Illinois, who acted as chairman; Professor Sampson of Indiana, O. F. Long of Northwestern and Professor Moran of Purdue.

The important questions discussed at the meeting were in regard to the extension of the four years' limit to five years and the request of Illinois that football athletes be allowed to play baseball.

But the "Big Nine" prefers to preserve itself as it is. That Nebraska had no stronger support than was evidenced is the peculiar thing about it. It seemed a week ago that Nebraska had a fair show of being accepted as a new member, and the action was rather unexpected. This does not mean that Nebraska felt she had a "cinch," but that things looked favorable.

We cannot tell what a year may bring forth. The recent decision may be reversed or Nebraska may change her mind. At all events, as it stands now, both Nebraska and Notre Dame are recognized as conforming to the conference rules and will be allowed to schedule games with the conference colleges. If Nebraska can turn out a

winning team next year and schedule good conference games the balance may move in the other direction.

At present Nebraska stands outside the "Nine," with a winning team, and as the champion of the Missouri valley. The university now holds the enviable position of being the only one of the large institutions of the country having a team with a clean record for the season.

Battalion Notes.

Captain Ringer took charge of Company B last night for the first time.

The battalion was increased in numbers last night by a number of new men, and also football players who have not drilled their required time.

The battalion is so large this year that the military department can not equip it completely. Several men drilled in the companies last night without guns and belts.

Cadets are cautioned to be regular in their attendance at drill, as excuses for absences hereafter will not be accepted except in case of sickness and like causes. Only a standing shirt collar, which projects at least half an inch above the collar of the blouse will be worn with the uniform.

Pauline Root Talks.

Dr. Pauline Root, a returned missionary, spoke on the student volunteer movement at convocation yesterday. Although the student volunteer movement has been known only since 1886, yet students have been more or less interested in missionary work from the very first. In fact students have largely made this work possible. Africa was cited as a notable example. In this dark country the student, through the civilizing influence of exploration, paved the way for evangelism, and so it has been everywhere; students have been preparing the way and giving inspiration for the work.

The missionary's efforts, she said, were to Christianize, not to evangelize. They make Christians, but not accidental Christians, as so many people seem to think.

Education and the Christian religion are nowhere separated and so it is that men and women of culture are required in the work.

Chancellor Andrews spent Thanksgiving in the east.

Owing to the inclement weather the battalion drilled in the armory Friday night.

Marsh, who broke his collar bone while playing on the second eleven, is getting on pretty well. He suffers considerable pain but is able to attend classes.

Fifty-five United States senators and 400 representatives are college graduates. Our present congress contains graduates from 113 colleges.

A party of twenty-five Juniors and Seniors in the school of commerce, a department of the University of Wisconsin, intend to take an eastern trip during the Christmas recess, visiting many of the large commercial and manufacturing houses in such cities as Milwaukee, Chicago, Cleveland, Buffalo, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, New York and possibly Washington.

The class in domestic science 7 are teaching domestic science in the seventh and eighth grades in the Central school in this city. They have a nicely equipped kitchen. Some of the pupils of the Bancroft school also take the work.

The girls' basket ball teams are making good progress under the leadership of Miss Nellie Dean, Dr. Louise Pound and Trainer Ruth Bryan. The teams and the Academy management greatly appreciate the invaluable services of Miss Pound. A winning team is sure to be developed from such promising material. The first team will be chosen from the two teams now working together.

Photographs of the Rocky mountain fern collection have been made at the greenhouse in order to determine their monthly growth correctly.

Photographer Hamilton has completed his catalogue of football photographs. It contains a number of fine pictures, including both the players and crowds that witnessed the various games played on Nebraska field this fall.

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New Calendars

are here flaunting their bright beauty or displaying their delicate colorings to early shoppers. There are works of art in water colors, hand-painted, and in etchings that can be used after the calendar itself is out of date.

Then there are the popular golf girls and flower girls or the various picturesque children. The companionable Wardsworth and Shakspeare calendars are more perfect than ever.

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