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# AT CONVOCATION

Chancellor Andrews Compares Nebraska With the East.

Takes Slight Thrust at Nebraska "Class Spirit."

Chancellor Andrews addressed a large number of students at Convocation yesterday on the impressions he received of Vassar and Wellesley colleges, which he visited and lectured before, on his recent trip to the East.

Dr. Andrews compared several features of Nebraska with those of the two Eastern colleges. In some things we surpass them and in others we can imitate them, but on the whole the chancellor expressed his opinion that Nebraska can hold her own.

Both Vassar and Wellesley differ very materially from our institution in college life. Being situated outside of the city those colleges are isolated. They form a college community of their own and, unlike Nebraska, they seem to be cut off from the world. This, said the chancellor, is a defect in education. College students should feel that they are a part of the larger One advantage of isolation, however, is that it is conducive to self reflection. Some college students are too prone to study much and reflect little. While the power to study is a precious virtue, we should not belittle the importance of thought and reflection.

As regards the standard of instruction said Chancellor Andrews, Nebraska compares most favorably with Vassar and Wellesley. The faculty of those colleges is smaller and the curriculum of studies more limited than here. The natural result is that it is possible to graduate a broaderminded student in Nebraska

There is one feature, however, in which the Easter institutions far surpass our own; in the beautiful campus and magnificent buildings. The former is due in part to the superior natural advantages, ample room, hills, water and trees, and the latter must be attributed to the benevolence of private benefactors. Eastern colleges said Dr. Andrews, are not afraid of "tainted money."

Another feature which Nebraska can emulate Vassar and Wellesley is college and class spirit. The spirit shown there is immense. No student in either college, thinks that any other college in the world will compare with her own. Such spirit results in zeal, energy and thrift if not carried to exaggera-This intense college spirit in Vassar and Wellesley, remarked the chancellor, is manifested in splendid things and is not exhibited in "fool things" as it is occasionally by the more zealous students of Nebraska.

Robert L. Dunn, special war artist and correspondent for Collier's Weekly, was the first representative of the press to reach the front in the present Russian-Japanese war, and his photographs of actual scenes at the seat of the fighting have become world fam-He gives an illustrated lecture at St. Paul's church Thursday evening, May 4. Admission 25 cents. Tickets a" Paine's clothing store.

## ENGINEERING BANQUET, SATURDAY EVE., MAY 6,

LINDELL HOTEL

\$1.00 PER PLATE

All Engineering Students are invited.

#### Field Day Saturday.

Dr. Clapp has issued a call for the entries in the preliminary track meet to be in his hands by Thursday evening at 6 o'clock. This meet, which is to be held Saturday, is open to every track team candidate in the university, beside any other men who wish to enter. A track is being made on the baseball diamond which will be about one-sixth of a mile in length. It be: (1.) A good old-fashioned feed is very probable that this will be the place of all the meets held in Lincoln

Judging from present indications there should be some lively contests on Saturday as there are some strong candidates out for the different events. In the sprints Burruss, Knight, Craig, Wallace and Peck are the most promising. In the distance runs Penrod seems to be the most likely for first honors in Saturday's meet. First place in the weights will be contested for by Newton, Weller and Cornell, Cornell has hurled the hammer out 145 feet already in practice and if he continues this pace Nebraska bids well to have a Flanagan. Captain Hagensick, Meyer, Bowman and Hauser will take care of the high and broad jumps. Hagensick, Morse, Gibson and Mc-Donald are out for the pole vault, and the eleven foot mark will be in danger if the candidates keep up their present pace. Hauser, Peck, Wallace and Harvey will do the hurdles in a way that will delight the spectators.

The events to be contested in Satur-

day are as follows: 100-yard dash

220-yard dash.

440-yard run.

880-yard run.

One-mile run Two-mile run.

Shot put.

Hammer throw.

Running high jump.

Running broad jump.

120-yard high hurdles. 220-yard low hurdles.

For Furs see Steele, 143 S. 12th St. 11th street.

#### Dine May 9th.

The university Y. M. C. A. will hold its annual committeemen's dinner in the dining room of St. Paul's M. E. church Tuesday, May 9, at 6 p. m. The various committees for the current association year are completing their organization and will be ready for a big year's work by the date of the din-The order of the program will "like mother used to bake," and plenty of it; (2) Hearing of reports of the policy which each committee will pursue during the current year.

As the association finances have been well launched for the next year, the matter of finances will not require presentation at this dinner as has been the custom heretofore. A nominal fee of 10 cents will be charged for the dinner, and to this the association will add sufficient so that a first class meal can be served, and every one will be happy. While this function is primarily for those who have been assigned to work on some committee, any one who is enough interested in association work to come out, will be heartily Tickets may be secured from any member of the cabinet or from the general secretary.

The time of the dinner has been so arranged that it will in no way conflict with evening engagements. The dinner will begin promptly at 6 o'clock and will be followed by reports of committees, concluding not later than

## Medic Reception.

The annual reception given by the students in the Department of Medicine will occur this year May 12 in the Art hall. The reception this year will be given in honor of Dr. Gifford, of Omaha, one of the faculty of the College of Medicine. Although this affair is given under the direction of the medics it is not for them alone, but the whole university public is cordially invited.

L. W. Pomerene, Plumber, 238 S.

# FIRST A VICTORY

Varsity Wins From Highland Park in Last Inning.

Game.

The Varsity opened the series of games included in the Eastern trip schedule by defeating Highland Park college at Des Moines Saturday morning, after an all night's ride. Though handicapped by lack of sleep the Highlanders were defeated 5 to 3. Dort was in the box for Nebraska and allowed only seven hits, striking out ten men. Five errors were made by the Varsity as against six by Highland Park. Only five hits appear to the credit of Johnnie's colts. Bender succeeded in landing a home run.

The second game on the schedule at Ames with the Iowa state agricultural school was won by the Iowa team by a score of 1 to 0. "Hank" Brown, who pitched all through last season with the Omaha Western league team was in the box against us, which accounts for the Varsity's defeat.

Brown was considered one of the best twirlers in the league last year and was protested by the Iowa state college baseball league this year on account of his professionalism,

## Spring Practice.

Some thirty-five men reported for the first spring football practice, which was held yesterday afternoon. The hour was spent in punting and catching, Captain Borg an ex-Captain Benedict showing the men how it is done. In spite of the high wind and hot weather a good deal was accomplished. Of the men of last season Captain Borg, Weller, Lundin, McDonald, Cramer, Burns, Birkner, Marsh and Hunter were out, there being in addition, quite a number of new men.

Practice, as begun yesterday, will be made a regular thing from now on.

## Barbs Elect.

The Associated Barbs met in the chemistry lecture room last Saturday evening to arouse interest in the coming fight for the election of student members of the athletic board and to further perfect their campaign machin-Several enthusiastic speeches were made and three committees were appointed to have charge of the campaign work. The following compose the committees:

Finance committee-Chairman, F. A. Peterson; W. L. King, W. H. Smith, M. F. P. Costelloe and A. E. Wolf.

Advertising committee - Chairman, H. G. Myers; S. M. Thompson, D. P. De Young and E. H. Willisford.

General committee - Chairman, Francis O'Gara; George Abel, H. M. Mattley, R. H. Mathew, O. J. Gettsmeyer, Leo Legro, J. H. Sherlock, Joseph Swenson, R. R. Hill, Si Cole, J. M. Paul, J. U. Tingley, A. H. Wellensick, H. C. Currier, Reid Green, F. U. Williams, C. L. A. Rinker, G. A. Withers and Frank Morrow.

Misses Hiller, Davies, Hendry and Frazier entertained a few of their friends in the dormitory parlors Saturday evening. Dancing formed the principal amusement.

# Freshman Party

Walsh Hall, May 5

Dancing

Tickets \$1.25