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**GET BUSY!**

The last vacation before the end of the semester is over and the three weeks that lie ahead before the final examinations begin, will be, to all University students, the most vigorous of the entire year's work. It behooves every student, therefore, as he gets into the harness once more, to figure out carefully just where he stands in his work for the current term.

It is a time for a strict concentration of attention upon the demands of lessons. For those who are behind in their work an extra effort now will go far toward regaining what ground has been lost and may save the disgrace of an "F." For those who are even with their work the coming three weeks offer an opportunity to make an especial-

as it may come in the increased appreciation of all who are benefited. The Directory is, under any circumstances, a very valuable publication to the University public, but this year we believe it has attained a position of utility not hitherto attempted.

We congratulate, first of all, the publication committee, and secondarily, thru the committee, both of the Associations which stand sponsors for the production of the Directory.

**RESOLUTIONS IN MEMORIAM.**

Whereas, It has pleased God in his infinite wisdom and goodness to take from amongst our midst one of our beloved classmates, William Davey, and

Whereas, William Davey, by his ever-cheerful disposition, friendliness, and recognized abilities, had endeared himself to all his classmates; be it, therefore,

Resolved, That we, the members of the Junior Law Class, do convey to the bereaved family our sincere sympathy, and, be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in "The Daily Nebraskan," and a copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

N. M. CRONIN,  
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Committee.

**DOCTOR BENTON TO SPEAK.**

Former Chancellor to Address Students at Convocation Tomorrow.

Dr. Benton, first Chancellor of the University of Nebraska, will deliver the address at Convocation Wednesday morning. Dr. Benton served as Chancellor from 1870 to 1876, coming here from Butte College, Indianapolis. To the sound judgment, the keen foresight and the persistent industry of Chancellor Benton was due very largely the successful inauguration and early maintenance of the University. By his ef-

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**OUR COMPLIMENTS.**

The Daily Nebraskan wishes to go on record in compliment of the latest evidence of the energy and genuine University spirit displayed by the University Christian Associations. The Students' Directory, which has just come from the hands of the printer, is the object of our attentions and in our opinion justifies all that can be said in its favor.

The publication committee has this year introduced several innovations into the make-up of the Directory at the expense of a great deal of extra effort, and without extra reward save

forts the innumerable difficulties which beset the early path of the institution were overcome, this paving the way for the later enlargement of the University's scope, influence and usefulness.

After his resignation in 1876, Dr. Benton assumed the presidency of Butler College. In 1886 he resigned the presidency, but still retained the professorship of Greek in that institution.

Since his twenty-first year Dr. Benton has been continuously engaged in teaching or in educational administrative work. Although now eighty-four years of age, he is a man of great vitality and intellectual vigor.

**A HARD STRUGGLE.**

Dr. Wolfe Outlines England's Fight for Progress in Education.

The "English Educational Bill" was the subject of Prof. H. K. Wolfe's talk at Convocation yesterday morning. There is a vast difference between

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England and America in educational ideas; America leading the way in progress. There were no public schools in England before 1870 and they increased by greater leaps after the extension of the franchise.

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Miss McAlpine of the Ohio State University is visiting her Pi Beta Phi sisters.

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