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DR. WILEY SPEAKS

PLEADS FOR CONSERVATION AND UTILIZATION OF YOUTH.

Entertaining Address by Noted Head of National Bureau of Chemistry Pleases Nebraska Students.

Dr. H. W. Wiley head of the United States Bureau of Chemistry delivered an address at a special convocation yesterday morning which was much enjoyed by the students who were present. Dr. Wiley's central thought was the conservation and proper utilization of Youth, which he styled as the most valuable of all the nation's natural resources. The speaker had a pleasing manner and introduced numerous remarks of a witty nature.

Introduced by Dean Ward as one who was a man of affairs as well as a professional man, Dr. Wiley first referred to his pleasure at greeting the Lincoln students as well as those at the medical school in Omaha, where he delivered the commencement address Thursday evening. He then spoke of the session of governors and other notables recently held in Washington for the discussion of the preservation of the natural resources of this country. In the speaker's opinion such gatherings as these are of incalculable benefit to the country at large.

"But," said Dr. Wiley, "one natural resource, and one which I think the most valuable of all, was not considered at that meeting. I refer to the young people of our country, a resource far more valuable than any of those considered by the Washington conference. I am a believer in Youth. I know the necessity of conserving the resources of youth. Youth cannot be entirely conserved but it can be partly conserved and properly utilized. It is the object of the University to discover how best to utilize the energy of youth.

"Today there are great problems concerning the natural resources which are awaiting solution. The coal supply is being exhausted. Where will the future obtain its supply of energy? Suppose the winds may be harnessed. This is to be expected. In any case the exhaustion of the coal supply will never be allowed to stop the world's progress. This is but one of the many problems which you young people will be called upon to solve.

"The diplomas which you receive grant you certain privileges but in every one of them there is also the clause, 'and the responsibilities therewith.' You cannot have the privileges without the responsibilities. If women choose to be professionals, then they must assume the responsibilities of professionals and support the men just as a man would have to support a woman in like circumstances.

"We can get along without lawyers, without doctors, without many other professional men, but we cannot live without cooks. I believe that three-fourths of the divorces in this country are caused by bad cooking. I think the

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statement made by a woman at a farmers' institute in a certain state is perfectly true. She said that the only way to keep your husband at home is to feed the brute.

"Great things are accomplished by youth. Old age is great for many things, but not for initiation and accomplishment. You young people have youth and its companion, opportunity. I congratulate you on your opportunities. I hope and believe that youth will be prolonged—that man will no longer be old at thirty; that he will retain the flush of youth at forty. But if the flush is gone, do not use aniline dyes. Preserve Youth, but do not imitate it.

Inter-Fraternity Ball.

A few more games have been pulled off in the inter-frat ball league. The Kappa Sigs forfeited to A. T. O., Wednesday, and the Betas to the Phi Psis on Thursday.

On Wednesday the Betas and Kappa Sigs were scheduled to play, but the Betas forfeited again.

Yesterday the Alpha Taus defeated the Sig Alphas in a hard fought game by a score of 7 to 6. This ties the two teams for the south side championship at .800 each. They will meet again in a short time to play this off. The batteries yesterday were Sig Alpha, Kempton and Greenslit; A. T. O., Flower and Reynolds.

Wednesday the D. U.'s defeated the Phi Deltas in a game to play off the three cornered tie on the north side. This puts D. U. in the lead. The score of the game was 9 to 5.

The standing of the teams at present is as follows:

South Side.				
	Pld.	W.	L.	P. C.
Alpha Tau Omega	5	4	1	.800
Sig. Alpha Epsilon	5	4	1	.800
Delta Tau Delta	5	3	2	.600
Phi Kappa Psi	5	3	2	.600
Kappa Sigma	5	1	4	.200
Beta Theta Pi	5	0	5	.000
North Side.				
	Pld.	W.	L.	P. C.
Delta Upsilon	5	4	1	.800
Alpha Theta Chi	4	3	1	.750
Phi Delta Theta	5	3	2	.600
Sigma Chi	4	1	3	.250
Phi Gamma Delta	4	0	4	.000

All those who wish their Nebraskan delivered at the Y. M. C. A. postoffice at camp are requested to leave their names at the office before 5 p. m., Monday.

Pies like mother tried to make. Baked fresh twice a day by an expert woman pie baker, at The Boston Lunch.

COMPANY A WINS

LARGE CROWD WITNESSED THE SNAPPY COMPET AT FARM.

Sergeants McAllister and Holland of Company A Win First and Second Places in the Individual.

Company A captured all the honors yesterday in one of the snappiest competitive drills ever held by the University battalion. The drill was held upon the fine grassy field at the State Farm and was witnessed by a large crowd of people. The sold turf at the Farm contrasted very favorably with the five inches of mud upon the old athletic field, where the drill was held last year. The cool, clear weather also aided in producing a fast, snappy drill.

The drill began promptly at three o'clock, Company C appearing on the field first. C company was followed by Companies B, A and D, in the order named.

Between the company drills the large crowd of spectators were entertained with music by the University Cadet Band. As each company marched on to the field it was greeted with cheers from its supporters. The drill was judged by Captain Grimm and Lieutenants Owry and Haskell, officers of the United States army from Fort Crook.

The company drill was followed by the individual drill, in which each company is represented by four picked men. A company was represented by Sergeants Holland, Plumb, McAllister and Corporal Hathaway. D company by Sergeants Cary and Coupe, Corporal Scotney and Private Lord. B company by Sergeants Jones, Mahood, Byerts and Olson. C company by Sergeants Peters, Schmidt and Davison and Corporal Ballinger.

The individual compet was closely contested. Beautiful silver cups were awarded to the winners, Fourth Sergeant McAllister, first, and First Sergeant Holland, second, in place of the gold and silver medals previously given to the winners in this event.

Battalion drill, under the command of Major Wasson, was held after the individual drill. The companies were also judged upon their execution of this drill, which was a new feature in the annual compet.

The rank of the companies as decided by the judges was as follows:

1. A. Score, 938.043, basis of 1000.
2. D. Score, 932.6½.
3. C. Score, 889.9.
4. B. Score, 873.9.

Governor Sheldon presented the cup to the winning company. He related, briefly, the history of the cup and mentioned the part played by alumnae of the University in the Spanish-American war. He complimented the battalion as a whole upon its excellent appearance, efficiency and high character and praised A company for possessing the skill necessary to win among such competitors.

The Governor also presented the

FENCING MONDAY EVENING.

Contest for the Captain Workizer Prize in Armory.

Captain Workizer has offered a prize consisting of a foil, mask and plastron, to the winner of an open fencing contest which will take place in the Armory Monday evening at 7:30. The contestants will be divided into two squads and every man in each squad will fence one short bout with every other man in that squad. The two best men in each squad will qualify for the finals and there too, each man will fence one bout with every other man in the finals.

The rules of the Amateur Fencing League will govern and the decision of the judges will be partly on the number of touches scored and partly on form. The rules are as follows:

1. Each bout shall consist of four minutes actual fencing, and contestants shall change positions after two minutes. Contestants shall come on guard in the middle of the space, at the command of a judge. In case the judges cannot decide, contestants shall meet for an extra two minutes duration, changing sides at the end of one minute.

2. Touches shall count only when made upon the body within the limits bounded by the collar of the fencing jacket, the medium line, the hip, and a line drawn from hip to the posterior limit of the armpit around the front of the arm and along the crest of the shoulder to the collar. A touch on any part of the boundary lines shall count.

3. The competitor attacked should parry. If a stop thrust be made it shall only count in favor of the giver, provided he not be touched at all.

4. A touch, whether fair or foul invalidates the riposte.

5. A touch is of no value when the point is twisted onto the body after the slap of the foil.

6. The judge must stop a corps-a-corps as soon as made.

7. A disarmament is of no value. A touch immediately following a disarmament counts.

8. A point scored from a thrust started with the elbow behind the body (jab thrusts) shall not count.

9. Each contestant shall fence with the same hand throughout the bout.

10. Contestants shall fence within a marked space twenty feet long and three feet wide.

11. When a contestant oversteps these limits a judge shall stop the bout and each judge shall award a touch to the opponent of the man overstepping these limits, and the contest

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