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MAKING REFERENCE BOOKS

PROFESSOR ALEXANDER SPEAKS
AT CONVOCATION.

GIVES SOME INTERESTING HISTORY

FIRST REFERENCE BOOK WAS
PUBLISHED IN 1702.

Students Are Urged to Make Use of
the Best Reference Books They
Can Procure.

Professor H. B. Alexander of the department of philosophy gave a very interesting and instructive lecture on "The Making of Reference Books," at the regular Tuesday convocation. The lecture is one which he gave during the summer session, and because of its instructiveness Professor Grumann requested that he give it again.

The speaker's remarks were confined to the subject of dictionaries and encyclopedias as opposed to the great field of reference works. On this phase of the work Professor Alexander was well qualified to speak, as he has, for some years, been an editor of the New Webster's Dictionary, recently published. It was brought out that the modern dictionary and encyclopedia is but a growth of the meager efforts of many centuries ago.

The beginning of European civilization marks the first step towards the formation and systematization of the world's knowledge and thought. In fact the philosophers of this time were but encyclopedia writers and the result of their labors, which resembled in spirit and purpose, the work of the Greek and Roman philosophers, has formed the basis of the modern edition.

First Publication.

The first publication, of which there is any record, is the Chamber's Cyclopaedia, or The Universal Dictionary of Arts and Sciences, produced in 1728. This was followed by works of Brochhaus, 1796, the Britannica in 1771, Chambers (Edinburgh) 1860-68, and the modern American encyclopedias.

Although undergoing frequent radical changes dictionaries date back to the seventeenth century. The first one was by John Cury in 1708. Bailey's work of 1721 formed the background for Dr. Johnson's "Dictionary of the English Language" which was published in 1765.

Noah Webster published his famous dictionary in 1828, it being for the most part an Americanized enlargement of Johnson's work. This since has been improved upon by subsequent editions and also by the Standard and Century dictionaries, although at the present time, Professor Alexander considers Webster's the greatest of all American dictionaries.

Use the Best.

In using reference books he urged that the student use the best. In this selection there is room for critical analysis, when one remembers that these books are but a collection of what is found in other books, and hence the possibilities for error are not remote.

They are at best but traditional, their efficiency resulting from repeated editings and revisions. In their making, authoritative results are striven for, yet one should not be slavish in his effort to seek authority, for everyone is to some extent an authority on such a matter as language. In this connection he said, by way of conclusion, that any use of a word which makes your meaning clear, and does not offend your reader or draw undue attention to the word, is correct, providing, of course, that it conforms to the analogies of the language.

DATE CHANGED.

Cornhusker Banquet to Be Held December 3.

The annual Cornhusker banquet will be held this year on the evening of December 3. It is planned that this will be one of the most important of all university affairs. Every university man is urged to be in attendance. The banquet is a regular university custom and tickets will be put on sale in a short time. Those in charge state

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TEN NEW MEMBERS.

Dramatic Club Announces Names of Successful Candidates.

The University Dramatic club held their semester try-outs in the Temple last Thursday evening and elected as new members the following:

M. O. Bates, 1911, Belgrade; Kathryn Willis, 1911, Dalton; C. S. Radcliffe, 1913, Sidney; W. L. Ross, 1913, Omaha; Earl Sage, 1914, South Omaha; Marjorie Kunkel, 1913, Osceola; Marian Clark, 1914, Kearney; Alpha F. Wharton, 1911, Superior; Jasmine Sherraden, 1914, Omaha.

The try-outs this year were held in the usual manner, giving each candi-

date five minutes in which to render a selection which will show dramatic ability. This year there were about fifty who tried out, but owing to the large membership of the club only ten of those who tried were chosen.

The new members will be expected to provide the entertainment for the club meetings during this semester. This gives the present members a rest and also gives the club and coach a chance to get a better idea of the ability of the new members than they have now.

Miss Alice Howell, head of the elocution department, will have charge of a play to be given at the Oliver some time in December. Plans are under way to have the same play produced later in Omaha.

The school of mines of North Dakota was recently damaged by fire.

EXAMINATIONS COMMENCED.

Candidates for Oxford Scholarships Make Their Debut.

Examinations for the Cecil Rhodes scholarship at Oxford began yesterday. They were held in room 204, Administration building. The following men are competing:

James Woogerd, Wesleyan; G. C. Kiddoo, Nebraska; A. G. Munger, Nebraska; C. G. Miles, Cotner; H. B. English, Nebraska; L. R. Newkirk, Wesleyan; Paul Johnson, Bellevue; Robert Savidge, Chicago; James C. Spaulding, Nebraska; Harold C. Slater, Nebraska.

Kansas State Agricultural College has a Girl Rooters' club which attends all the football games and is said to equal the men in enthusiasm, if not in noise.