

over us fifty years ago and gathered in a crest along the western coast with its richly productive gold mines. For a time we were in the hollow of the sea as it were, between the great head waters of wealth in the east and the wave of the west—and it seems that interest in intellectual development, in that keen minded, comprehensive thinking demanded by great enterprises of all sorts—has, in a like manner, swept thinly over us. That faculty for grasping, and holding by sheer intelligence, conceptions of justice, government, and financial organization can only be developed by the most rigorous and protracted mental training.

Such training demands freedom from the immediate economic necessity of 'making a living,' at least until that period of training is complete. The state, recognizing that ruth, has endeavored to make such freedom within the reasonable reach of a certain number of her young men and women by the maintenance of a public university. The greater or less efficiency of that institution varies, obviously, in proportion as the wealth or poverty of the citizens of the state permits of better or worse equipment for their instruction. We feel, do we not, as students of the larger and more complex affairs of the towns and cities to our growing state of Nebraska that the future citizens of our state ought, in all conscience to have the place and the opportunity to study and master those unifying principles of government, finance and society, that make for the growth and development of cities and states and nation; and for that study they should have, we believe (and hope they will have) an institution worthy of the dignity and scope of its purpose.

#### CONDRA AND ODELL AT FARM

#### Will Speak at Open Meeting of Grange Saturday Night.

Dr. George E. Condra, who is in charge of the Nebraska conservation work and Mr. Frank G. Odell, secretary of the Rural Life commission, will speak at a meeting of the local grange at the State Farm Saturday night. The talk of Dr. Condra will be on the "Natural Features of Nebraska," illustrated. Mr. Odell will speak on "European Co-operative Rural Credit." The meeting will be held in room 306, Agricultural hall, at 8 o'clock Saturday and will be open to the public.

#### LEGISLATURE VISITS FARM.

#### Lawmakers Take Inspection Trip to Ag. Grounds.

The state legislature was invited to the Farm Thursday afternoon to view the campus and inspect the buildings. Practically the whole body attended and expressed themselves as highly pleased with the location and buildings.

Miss Dale Lapp, Delta Delta Delta, has again returned to school. She has been absent for some time on account of the illness of her sister.



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#### UNIVERSITY BULLETIN

There will be no regular meeting of the English club this month.

#### 11:00 CLASSES EXCUSED.

Edwin F. Mead, head of the American Peace society, will address the students this morning at a convocation in Memorial hall. All 11 o'clock classes are excused.

Seventy-four tickets, inclusive of all complimentary, have been validated for the Freshmen's Law hop, January 17, 1913. No more tickets will be validated for this hop.

L. B. TUCKERMAN, Jr.  
Auditor of Student Organization.

All members of the Union Literary society are especially urged to be present at the meeting tonight which promises to be exceptionally fine.

The Lincoln Peru club will give a dinner at 6:30 on Friday evening, January 17 at the Lindell hotel. Plates may be reserved by Peru people for themselves and friends by calling Auto. L-7695.

#### Ben Greets Coming

The city Y. M. C. A. entertainment course committee announces the coming of the Ben Greet players in "She Stoops to Conquer," the classical old English comedy by Oliver Goldsmith. This play to be given at the Oliver on Thursday, January 23, will be a rare treat for University people.

Miss Rose Krause, Alpha Omicron Pi, has been unable to attend classes this week on account of a severe attack of tonsillitis.

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