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TALK TO FORESTERS

CENTRAL AMERICAN PROFESSORS GO BARE-FOOTED.

FRANK HARRISON WAS THERE

Brought Back to United States a Book of Ferns Now in Botany Department—Dr. Bessey Known There.

The Department of Forestry of the University gave the Forestry Club a fine treat in the form of a lecture by Dr. Frank Harrison. The lecture given by Mr. Harrison was on Central America, and was made extraordinarily interesting by the use of about seventy-five colored slides. In his lecture Mr. Harrison brought out many things of especial interest such as the various forms of plant life.

The professors of Central America are called "Bare-footed Professors." The average college professor there receives about \$23 dollars a month for his work, which would hardly be press agent money for the usual American co-worker of education. Many specimens of plants and native work were shown, such as canes dyed with a secret dye, the formula of which no one has ever been able to find. Mr. Harrison stated that he himself tried to find this out but was also unsuccessful. He also explained how the mahogany crop was controlled by two companies, which are in partnership. If any other company tries to set up in business its ships sink before they cross the Gulf of Mexico.

Mr. Harrison brought a book of ferns with him which he had bought from a "bare-foot" professor. He showed these ferns to Dr. Bessey and the doctor said there were many there he had never seen before. The collection was purchased by the botanical department. Many native fruits, nuts, weeds and other articles were exhibited also.

"Dr. Bessey is known and read even in the places where the densest ignorance along other lines is shown. He is taken as authority and his opinion is the last word in an argument," says Mr. Harrison.

The lecture was very interesting in every detail and was greatly appreciated by the Forestry Club, which takes this means to thank the department for their kindness in bringing Mr. Harrison here.

PRE-MEDIC MEETING.

Special Meeting Friday—In Evening Several of the Faculty From Omaha to Speak.

There will be a special business meeting of the Pre-Medics in N. 210, Friday, from five to six. In the evening the Medics will gather at the Orthopedic Hospital, where several of the faculty from Omaha and the faculty here will give speeches. It is an important meeting and every pre-medic should attend.

LIBRARY IS RUINING THE STUDENTS TIME

Crowded From Morning Till Night—Will Undoubtedly Improve the Scholarship This Year.

What has happened? The library is crowded from morning till night. Never was there such a studious body! The library assistants have queried wonderingly about it. Professors have marveled at it, and stragglers who come in after the bell has sounded complain that there is no place for them.

Such zeal for knowledge is to be highly commended and as a result it is to be expected that Nebraska will rank even higher in scholarship than ever before.

REESE CLUB HOLDS THEIR FIRST MEETING

Met Last Night in Temple to Complete Organization—Swarr and Harrison Officers.

Last evening in the Music Room of the Temple the Reese Club completed its organization, after a lively vote by electing David Swarr president and Pete Harrison secretary. Both are members of the Senior Law Class and are taking an active part in the present campaign. A committee on publicity was also appointed whose duty it will be from time to time to notify the student body of the meetings of the Club.

Sometime during the coming week Mr. Albert W. Jeffries, a prominent lawyer of Omaha, will address the Club and the student body in general. The Law College especially is taking great interest in the present move and no doubt will bring many good speakers to Lincoln during the coming year.

A SUFFRAGE PLAY

WRITTEN BY JESSIE G. BEGHTOL LAST SPRING.

TITLE IS "THE WILD OAT"

Given Next Saturday Afternoon at the Girls' Club Meeting—Time Is On the Eve of the Election.

At the meeting of the Girls' Club, Saturday afternoon, the faculty will present a tabloid play, "The Wild Oat," composed by Jessie G. Beghtol. The following is the cast: Flora DeForrest, a Candidate for Mayor.....Jessie Glass Carolyn Cox, Ward Leader and Politician.....Laura Pfeiffer

Convocation

"What Japan is about in Manchuria" By C. V. HIBBARD Memorial Hall, 11 A. M.

Annawald Cox, Her Dashing and Attractive Son.....Camille Leyda Office Boy.....Grace Munson Harold Hairoyle Hargreaves, a Wronged Man.....Sarka Hrbek Time: Eve of Election. Place: Office of Flora DeForrest. Miss Leyda substitutes for Miss Hawley, the librarian, who was in the play when it was given before the women of the faculty last spring, but is not here this year. The manager of the faculty troupe is Miss Louise Pound.

UNIVERSITY NIGHT DATE UNCERTAIN

Plans Are Now Being Formed—Uncertainty of Date Due to Theatre Engagements.

Plans are now being formulated for the annual University Night and indications are that the event this year will be better than ever before. Owing to the uncertainty of the theatre engagement the date is a matter of conjecture, and definite information will be given at a necessarily later time.

CONVOCATION TODAY.

Mr. C. V. Hibbard to Speak—Subject of Address "What Japan is About in Manchuria."

Convocation this morning at 11 o'clock will be favored with an address by Mr. C. V. Hibbard on the subject, "What Japan is About in Manchuria." Mr. Hibbard spent several years in Japan, and at the outbreak of the Russo-Japanese war went to the front with the Japanese army and organized the welfare work for the soldiers.

CORNHUSKER WORK STARTS NEXT WEEK

Contracts Not Yet Signed—Expect an Earlier Edition This Year Than Last.

Active work on this year's Cornhusker will start next week. It is understood that the contract for the book is not as yet signed, but inasmuch as the managers expect to get it out earlier than usual, they are already gathering pictures. All organizations are urged to hand in their material earlier than last year.

Leon Samuelson is editor in chief, while Marcus Poteet is business manager of the publication this year.

LATEST NEWS FROM REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

Miss Vere Has Resigned—Prof. A. A. Reed Sends Out First University Journal.

Miss Julia Vere, who has been connected with the registrar's office for a number of years has resigned her position to take effect the 15th of October. She has accepted a position with the state library commission.

The increase in the registration as compared with a similar time last year is approximately two hundred.

The first number of the University Journal, edited by Prof. A. A. Reed, is now being sent out to the voters of the state. This is a special issue urging the voters to turn out and vote one way or the other in regard to the question of University location.

Accounting, quite properly, is taught in the Ad. Building.—Daily Kansan.

AN EXHIBITION GAME

GOOD GAME IS WITNESSED BY 400 LOYAL ROOTERS.

SCRUBS PLAY A LA KANS. AG'S.

The Yannigans, Using Formations Popular With the Kansas Farmers, Score Twice on the 'Varsity Team.

By H. I. Kyle.

The third exhibition game was played yesterday before an enthusiastic crowd of perhaps four hundred rooters. With the field muddy and the air cold and damp, the playing was slow and erratic. After a half-hour of hard scrimmaging, most of the 'varsity regulars were relieved, their places being filled by second string men. The opposing team was a combination of scrubs and freshmen, and a right merry little tussle they gave the would-be champions.

Herb Potter was at the wheel for the 'varsity during the early stages of the encounter and guided the Huskers in a manner highly satisfactory to the assembled fans. His work at returning punts was especially pleasing. The forward pass was tried several times by the first team, but with only a fair degree of success, the gains being small, even when a pass was completed.

The game ended with the score somewhere in the neighborhood of 30 to 14 in favor of the 'Varsity exponents. The scrubs used plays and formations noted by Coach Hoeffel at the Kansas Aggie-Normal game, Saturday, as being the ones most relied upon by the Aggies, this being done to accustom the Cornhuskers to the style of attack they will probably be met with next Saturday.

Ask Practical Work.

City boys who study agriculture at The Ohio State University may have to spend their summer vacations "back on the farm" in order to get a degree from the University. Most of the professors of the College of Agriculture believe that the students should have practical experience in farm work so that they will be better able to understand the theoretical work which they get in their books and laboratories.

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