

**U. OF W. PROFESSOR WILL MARRY FRESHMAN STUDENT**

Dr. Nathan Fasten, instructor in zoology, confirmed yesterday the report of his engagement to Miss Frieda Mayer, a freshman in the liberal arts college of the university.

The romance originated shortly after Miss Mayer enrolled in Dr. Fasten's physiology class, in September, where they met for the first time in the role of student and instructor.

The date of the wedding has not been set and will be postponed for at least a year in order that Miss Mayer may complete two years of the home economics course.

Miss Mayer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mayer of 1219 Sixteenth avenue north.

Mr. Mayer is a member of the jewelry firm of Joseph Mayer & Bros.—Washington Daily.

**PRACTICE WORK FOR LAWS.**

In an effort to get closer to actual conditions in its practice courts, the college of law has adopted a system of co-operation with practicing lawyers.

Last year the law school sent out a circular letter to a large number of practicing attorneys asking them to send in mooted cases for the students to work upon. Over one hundred cases came in, and with them came many requests for briefs or conclusions reached by students. No facilities are furnished for this kind of work which would require stenographic assistance in addition to careful briefing by students, but such contact with live problems would be the ideal apprenticeship work.

Notwithstanding these handicaps in not having a clerical assistant for close contact between the law college and the practicing bar, the practice courts have had a very successful year.

In connection with their regular practice courses some of the students of the law college are making an analysis of about fifty volumes of reports of the Nebraska courts. They are trying to establish that the courts are spending more time on remedial law than on substantive law and have compiled the number of points involved and repeated.

This work is not a part of the regular courses and has been volunteered by the students themselves. Each man is given his data free of charge.

**JUDD CRITICISES METHODS.**

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—The failure of the modern teacher to really teach was told today by Dr. Charles H. Judd of the University of Chicago, to the convention of the California Teachers' Association in session here. He said teachers often used slipshod methods, securing parrot-like answers, but not teaching the pupil how to study or the real use of books.

"Teachers should study human nature and prescribe for the pupils intellectually as a doctor prescribes for them physically," he said. "The school should be primarily for the instruction of the boys and girls on how to study. The class room dreamer should be encouraged. Unfortunately, we too often create an awe of books because the pupils do not know what to do with them."

The Purdue battery, of Purdue University, Lafayette Ind., will go to camp at Sparta, Wis., on June 2. Final arrangements have been made with the university authorities to excuse members of the battery on Wednesday, June 2, and the War Department will order a regular battery of field artillery to Sparta at that time. There is no expense whatever for the men who attend camp, as the state and national governments pay transportation expenses from station to camp and return, and also pay the men a nominal sum for their services. It is likely that a special train will be provided for the battery.—Purdue Exponent.

**PEACE AND WAR CLUB AT TEXAS**

At a meeting held Friday night a "peace and war" club was permanently organized. The organization was brought about by a visit of L. A. Sheetz of the Carnegie Endowment for Peace.

The idea of the movement as explained by Mr. Sheetz is to interest the young men in the United States in the study of the problems of war from an economic and business standpoint, and with this purpose in view "peace and war" clubs are being established in the larger universities. The Carnegie Endowment has promised to send speakers of prominence to address the club from time to time.—Daily Texan.

**OMICRON NU.**

Omicron Nu, the honorary home economics organization, will entertain at 6:30 dinner at the home economics building at University Farm, Saturday, April 10, in honor of Miss Anna Barrows, of Boston, Mass., secretary of National Association of Home Economics. Miss Barrows is making a tour of the west in the interests of home economics. She has been a leader in this work since 1880. At present she spends a part of each year as an instructor in Teachers College, Columbia University.

**MISS BARROWS' LECTURE**

A lecture and demonstration on marketing and dinners will be delivered by Miss Anna Barrows on Monday, April 12, at 3 p. m., in the High School auditorium. Housekeepers and any one else interested in household economy are invited to attend. Miss Barrows ranks as one of the foremost demonstrators and lecturers on cookery in the country.

One of the new features of the athletic carnival at the University of Minnesota is an interfraternity clown contest. Ten fraternities are going to enter their most humorous men, who will endeavor throughout the two hours to show their superior wit. The best clown will be selected by a popular vote from the spectators.

Waiter—What will it be, sir? Sauerkraut or pate de foies gras?

'18—Ham and eggs. I'm neutral.—Lampoon.

**OSCEOLA PLEASSED WITH PROGRAMS**

Opinion of the People Voiced in the City Paper is of Highest Praise

It has been planned by the Nebraska State University to offer to leading Nebraska cities each year, during the spring vacation of the university, a program of events furnished by students of the school, consisting of music, athletics, plays, etc., and to get the various arts of the state vicited in complete harmony with the university spirit. Under this plan and idea there has been sent into our city during the past week a program of events, second to none of the professional offerings of the season. There has been a good feeling created here this week by the visit of the students and the program furnished. It will be very difficult for the university to keep from giving Osceola a return visit next year, judging by the present good feeling and unanimity of the endorsement given our state school. There has been brought to Osceola this week not only a superior quality of entertainment, but the offerings were given by some of the brightest and best of Nebraska's younger gentlemen and ladies.

The program of events opened on Saturday evening by the Cadet University Band, composed of 35 members, picked from among the very best of the musicians. The concert consisted of high grade selections by the band, compositions of Wagner and others of the better writers of music; selections from some of the popular comic operas, together with a piano

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solo and a number of readings by Miss Ruby Anderson, a student from Gothenburg. The music and the readings were of the highest order and received hearty applause. Prof. Cornell, the director, has indicated his ability to select persons capable and to handle them in a manner to produce the best of results. Leon L. Hines is at present acting as captain of the band.

Monday evening followed the Glee Club program and while the band was voted a hearty thanks by all, if there was any desire to compare on the merits of the better entertainment, there are those who would give the singers preference. The Glee Club is an organization of 25 members and as individuals, soloists, chorus and quartet work, the training which has been theirs was indicated of the best.

Tuesday evening came the Dramatic Club delegation presenting in a most able manner "The Man From Home." The play is high class and the company presenting it showed remarkable skill in their powers of interpretation. The company had been directed by Professor H. Alice Howell and their work here paid a good tribute to her skill and power in teaching the dramatic art. Mr. Cloyd Stewart of Lincoln played the part of "The Man From Home" and his work is the equal of many professionals who have well established reputations.

The entire company was strong and the people of the community who enjoy a good strong play well presented enjoyed a rare treat Tuesday evening.

Wednesday evening Prof. R. D. Scott presented the Road Show, one of the most entertaining attractions of the series. This attraction presented the most varied program and every-

one present, young and old, found some part of the program to his liking. Dick Rutherford, the foot ball captain 15-16 and Phil Southwick opened the program with a tumbling and acrobatic act. Miss Charlotte Sixta presented with rare skill several violin selections and the one act play "The Little Girl" followed.

Dorothy Rhode, the whistling artist next appeared and made the hit of the evening, responding to several encores. The male quartet and the Hawaiian stunts were very popular and the closing number, "Galatea," a production both play and music, written by the university Kosmet Club made a fitting climax for an evening of first class entertainment—Polk County Democrat, Osceola, Nebr.

**Anti-Swearing Crusade**

Small placards, bearing the headlines, "Ten to One," why every respectable man should swear just as often and as hard as he can, adorn each cell at the state penitentiary. The cards were distributed among the inmates by some anti-swearing society. The ten reasons why and the one why not on the cards are as follows: 1. Because it is such an elegant way of expressing one's thoughts; 2. Because it is such a conclusive proof of good taste and breeding; 3. Because it is such a sure way of making one's self agreeable to his friends; 4. Because it is a positive evidence of acquaintance with good literature; 5. Because it furnishes such a good example for training boys; 6. Because it is just what a man's mother enjoys having him do; 7. Because it looks so nice in print; 8. Because it is such a good way of increasing one's self respect;


9. Because it is such a help to manhood and virtue in many ways; 10. Because it is such an infallible way of improving one's chances in the hereafter. But, on the other hand, it is written: "Thou Shalt Not Take the Name of the Lord Thy God in Vain."

Militarism received a decided shock in Columbia University recently, when the students of Columbia drafted and dispatched a series of protests to President Wilson, urging him to discourage the formation of the proposed "Legion of Honor," which was lately much aired by former President Roosevelt and prominent military authorities. The tone of the communication from the students of Columbia University was that they would use every means within their power to prevent the spread of the militaristic spirit in the institution. Furthermore, they intimated that they would take no part in the establishment of summer military training schools for college students, which was proposed by prominent military authorities and approved by several college presidents. Columbia University has taken a prominent part in the national peace movement among American colleges, and their action in this matter seems to be in harmony with their previous attitude toward military movements.

**A Revision**

Little Jack Horner  
Sat in a corner  
Killing a stiff exam.  
By the aid of his neighbor  
He avoided much labor—  
"What a student," he pondered,  
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—Denver Clarion.



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