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Some people may think that we are placing too much emphasis upon the question of honesty in examinations. That of course is not for us to say. We say that something must be done and that the students should use their initiative rather than be requested to do something some time in the near future.

Are there no more students who wish to express their opinions in regard to the examination situation? The Forum is open at all times for the expression of student opinion. Take advantage of an opportunity to help push a worthy cause. If you are afraid of getting on the wrong side of the fence in this matter will you ever take a definite stand?

The Publication Board will make a selection of the Daily Nebraskan staff for the coming semester some time today, at least that was the most recent date set for a meeting.

If you are in a frame of mind to consider a weighty University question consider that voiced by the editor on the front page.

LABORATORY HAS THIEVES

If You Have Any Valuables Do Not Venture to Leave Them in the Chemistry Building

Another calamity has happened in the Chemistry laboratory. This time it was not an accident but something that may lead to worse things than accidents, if it is not stopped in a very short time. It is stealing in the laboratory. The assistants and professors are up in arms over it. If a student has a good flask, beaker, burner or anything that is worth stealing, he does not dare turn his back for this said article disappears immediately. It makes no difference to the thief if your fifth unknown is in the beaker, if he wants it, he just dumps out the unknown and good-bye to all of your work, that has cost many tears and bruns and burned up a suit or two in the meantime.

Now, can't this be stopped? Is there not honor enough among the students to "kill" an action of this kind? Cheating in classes is bad enough, but it certainly is not nearly as bad as this is. It is a shame that when a person becomes a student in the University that he must become a crook and a thief.

The students can stop this if they would, and it would not be a difficult job either. What would one of those who are so light-fingered think if he had one of his unknowns almost worked out and somebody came along and dumped it out so they could have the beaker that contained it, the thing which can be purchased at the store window for one penny for the fee paid when they registered for the course. It seems almost incredible that a University student would lower himself to such a plane and yet some do it every time that they get a chance.

The professors wonder what they would do with a few of these if they were to catch them. They can't turn them over their knees and spank them like you would a 6-year-old. That would probably help. The value of what they steal is not great enough to send them to the penitentiary for life, but they surely could and would expel such a person if they ever catch him. Not only expel him, but expel him publicly and thus make an example of him to any of the others that would feel so inclined.

If the faculty does anything about cheating and "cribbing" they ought to look into this matter and investigate it thoroughly, for it not only happens in the Chemistry department, but also in several of the other departments. Why couldn't the students make it their duty to stop this sort of thing?

Chicago Alumni Banquet

A meeting and banquet of the Nebraska alumni in Chicago was held at the Gladstone hotel January 13, to consider the organization of an Alumni association. Forty old "grads" attended. O. A. Sinkie, '13, presided. E. H. Halne, '11, V. E. Tyler, '14, P. J. Halldorson, '11, and Fred H. Abbott, ex-regent, were the speakers. Prospects are good for a live association.

Girl Basketball Captains

The acting captains for the girls' class basketball teams have been selected:

Helen Hewitt—Freshman.
 Margaret Anderson—Sophomore.
 Marjorie Green—Junior.
 Cornelia Frasier—Senior.

When the teams are chosen the members will elect captains for the year.

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WORTHLEY REPORTS SUCCESS

Accompanied Raymond Robins in His Campaign Through Oklahoma and Kansas

Rev. E. A. Worthley, Methodist University pastor, has returned from participating in two student campaigns conducted by Raymond Robins. The first campaign was in Kansas Agricultural college at Manhattan, and the second was in the University of Oklahoma.

He reports very successful campaigns in both schools. Mr. Robins had large audiences at all of his addresses and the leaders were busy practically all the time in interviews. Over 800 men in the two institutions signed cards indicating their intention to relate themselves in a more vital and responsive way to the Christian program in life.

Mr. Worthley reports many expressions of disappointment on the part of the Oklahoma students that they did not get a game with Nebraska. The entire Oklahoma team was up here to see the Iowa game with the intention of fathoming Chamberlain's style of play, so that in case a game should be secured they would be able to prepare some defense against him. Men were not inclined to the opinion that they could defeat Nebraska, but they were sure it would have been "some" game.

PERSONAL

Harry Marsh, '17, will go to Omaha Thursday on a business ship and return Sunday.

William Wendstrand, '13, of Wahoo and Earle W. Munson, '11, of Colorado Springs, are visitors at the Alpha Tau Omega house this week.

Mrs. C. R. Judkins of Upland is spending a few days at the Alpha Phi house.

Ruth Jorgenson, '18, of Omaha, who went home Saturday, returned yesterday.

Miss Vance, of the Home Economics department, sprained her ankle yesterday and is unable to attend her classes.

Captain and Mrs. William G. Doane announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Rustin, to Mr. Brandon Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Howell of this city.

Mr. Howell was a student at the University of Wisconsin and is an Alpha Delta Phi man. He is now associated with his father in business.

Miss Rustin has many friends in Omaha to welcome her when she returns as a bride, and she was very popular at the University, where she was a member of the Delta Gamma sorority. Before going to the University she graduated from the high school in Seattle and since being in Berkeley has taken a special course at the University there.—Omaha Bee.

N. P. Hanson of the Pharmacy college has offered a gold medal as an annual prize to the Senior who obtains the highest general average during his entire course. The prize is offered only to those students registered in the three and four year groups, all of whose work has been taken in the University as students in the College of Pharmacy.

N. M. Collier, engineering, '11, has accepted a position as assistant to the city engineer at Hastings. He will succeed George R. Blackstone, engineering, '12, who has taken a position as instructor in a manual training high school at Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Collier formerly worked as an assistant to the county engineer, Arthur Edgren, engineering '09.

Searl S. Davis of the Rhetoric de-



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