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More of This Needed Here

The new publicity plan of the university should meet with the hearty co-operation of the student organizations. Not only will an opportunity be given through it to advertise the affairs of various university clubs, but better still, it will bring to public notice the university in all its phases. We have always believed that Washington university should plan a more thorough advertising campaign, particularly in regions close to our university, and we saw the first step in that direction last year. At that time, a publicity man was sent to various points in Missouri to tell high school students about Washington. This latest move will also do much to advance the same cause.

Under the present arrangement clips are sent each week to each organization and each department. These are to be filled out with information concerning the organization or department and returned to the chancellor's office, on or before Thursday noon. The material thus collected is sent to the university publicity agents, Reubel-Tyler-Brown Advertising company. Mr. Reubel was graduated from the university in 1907. The news is then sent out to the St. Louis dailies and to about fifty out-of-town papers.—Student Life (Washington.)

TOO MUCH RACKET

The university of Nebraska is on the city campus for all time. Such location has its disadvantages, some of which can be remedied.

One of the most annoying and useless pests we have is the noise. Traction engine sputter and explode; street cars rattle over their noisy tracks; wagons clatter over rough pavements; Burlington and Northwestern engines vie with each other in filling the air with screams and screeches; while on the campus the patient professors wait anxiously for an intermission when they can drop a suggestion to a receptive listener.

Most of this noise is useless. Why can't it be stopped?

OUR DRAMATICS

A scant perusal of our exchanges is all that is necessary to convince one of the high standard of dramatics at Nebraska. At other schools this activity is very little in advance of the ordinary high school work. The public in other college towns seems to be satisfied with no more difficult productions than "The Private Secretary," "Arms and the Man," and others of like standing. Nebraska was in that stage of development five years ago. The recent establishment of the School of Drama has raised this work virtually from a pastime to a profession. Instead of "Mice and Men" and "The Amazons" we now have "Pillars of Society," "The Sunken Bell," "Ghosts," and the less classical "Believe Me, Xantippe,"—a series of productions unattempted by any other general school in the country.

Nor are the performances of these masterpieces in any way feeble. Competent critics who have seen the pro-

ductions pronounce the talent better than all but the best professionals on the stage today.

Under the old system we considered it a duty to support dramatics as an activity. But combined with this we now have the rare opportunity of seeing the standard plays produced by real artists. "The Melting Pot" will be no exception to the rule. Let's give it our support.

UNIVERSITY NOTICES

Girls' Club party, Saturday afternoon, February 5, in Faculty hall, the Temple.

All individual Cornhusker pictures must be taken by February 5, if they are to be placed in the junior or senior section. Paul Babson, Business Manager.

An error was made in the announcement of the Komensky Klub hop. Instead of February 4 it should be February 5.

The Tegner society will hold its regular meeting at the Y. W. C. A. room in the Temple, Saturday, February 5, at 8 p. m. "Tegner" is a literary society among the Scandinavian people of the university, having regular meetings on the first and third Saturdays of each month. All students of Scandinavian descent or interested in Scandinavian affairs are welcome to these meetings. The Swedish and English languages are used in the programs and at the different social affairs.

There will be an important business meeting of the University Chess club in the basement of the College Book store at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening.

The financial statement of the Comus club dance held in the Temple, January 29, 1916, is as follows:

Total receipts, 32 tickets sold at \$1.00; 3 sold at \$1.50; \$33.50. Total expenditures: refreshments, \$3.85; music, \$12; hall, \$7; doorkeeper, \$1.50; incidentals, \$1; total \$25.35.

Audited February 2, 1916. A. W. Tull, chairman. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

The Komensky Klub picture for the Cornhusker will be taken at Townsend's studio next Monday noon at 12 o'clock sharp.

The Business Women's club will meet today at 5 o'clock in U hall 102. The club aims to give the girls a wider knowledge of the vocations open to women. All girls are welcome.

The University Commercial club will meet today at 4 o'clock in U 102. Important announcements will be made and a report of the men's union committee heard.

WISCONSIN SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM ENDORSED

Endorsement of the work of Wisconsin schools of journalism, of which that at the University of Wisconsin is the oldest and largest, was given by the Wisconsin City Editors' association at its meeting in Milwaukee last week.

Paul F. Hunter, president of the City Editors' association, praised the work of schools of journalism, and Prof. W. G. Bleyer of the university and other heads of departments of journalism were elected honorary members of the association. The following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas, certain educational institutions in Wisconsin have established courses in journalism and made them a part of a certain curriculum, and

"Whereas, we sincerely appreciate any effort on the part of educators to improve newspaper work,

"Therefore, be it resolved, that we as members of the Wisconsin City

Editors' association, individually and as an organization, express our appreciation of such efforts and offer our hearty co-operation; and be it further

"Resolved, that we elect as honorary members the heads of the schools of journalism in Wisconsin and invite them to attend the next semi-annual meeting of the association."

Professionalism

When is an amateur? This question has wrought havoc with intercollegiate athletics during recent months. We believe that Walter Camp threw some light on the subject when he said, "A golfer who plays steadily under eighty should be classed as a professional, for he devotes too much time to the game to call it as pastime." Herbert Spencer probably made a nearer approach to the true definition when he remarked to the man who vanquished him at billiards, "Sir, a proper proficiency in this game is commendable, but such skill as you show argues a misspent youth."—Daily Maroon (Chicago.)

German Lunch and Cafe, R. C. Schelder, manager. 1121 P street.

The Mogul Barber Shop, S. L. Chaplin, proprietor, 127 North Twelfth.

Meal tickets, \$5.50 for \$4.50, 137 North Twelfth. Newbert Cafe.

ECLIPSE OF SUN TODAY

Old Sol to Lose Half of His Usual Lustre

Have you got your smoked glass handy? If not, get busy. The partial eclipse of the sun began at 8:50 o'clock this morning. It will last exactly two hours and will reach its maximum size at about 10 o'clock.

The present eclipse will be total only in central Colombia and in the Guadeloupe Islands. It will be visible all over South and North America, a part of Africa and Europe. In the British Isles it will be seen just two minutes before sunset. The total eclipse in Colombia will last only two and half minutes.

Professor C. D. Swezey says that the present eclipse will cover about one-half of the sun's surface. Consequently he thinks that the sky will not be darkened very much.

The best and simplest way to view the eclipse is with common smoked glass. Just take a piece of a broken window pane and hold it over a candle flame a few moments. The glass will be covered with a black soot, through which the sun may be safely observed. Another way is to darken a room, let the sun's rays enter through a small pin hole or crack and fall upon a white screen several feet away. On the screen will then be seen the spherical shape (would you call it shadow?) of the sun. A patient observer can note the progress of the moon on this screen.

The next total eclipse that will be seen in Nebraska will occur June 8, 1918. The area of total eclipse will then cut across Nebraska, Kansas and on down to Florida. It will also be visible in Portland, Ore., and Denver. It will not be seen in Europe. A partial eclipse of the moon will take place July 14, 1916. It will be visible in North and South America, Atlantic ocean and South Pacific ocean.

Professor G. A. Loveland predicts a fair day and only partial cloudiness.

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GIRLS' CLUB PARTY

The first of a series of parties for all university girls, under the direction of the Girls' club, will be given Saturday afternoon, February 5, in Faculty hall, the Temple. Every university girl is urged to come. A special invitation is extended to all new freshmen girls.

Columbia Songsters Active

At Columbia, over 175 songs were submitted by contestants for the annual varsity show, the theatrical performance corresponding to our Kosmet Klub play. Four complete plots in book form were also turned in.—Ex.

CORNHUSKER PICTURE

Must Be Taken This Week

Carranza for Compulsory Service.

El Paso, Tex.—A commission, appointed by General Carranza to consider the advisability of establishing compulsory military service in Mexico, has begun work in the city of Mexico. Carranza previously had declared against compulsory service, but it is understood that the recent development of revolutionary movements south and west of Chihuahua city prompted him to appoint the commission to canvass the situation and draft a compulsory service law if necessary.

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