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DEGREES TO BE CONFERRED FRIDAY

Almost 100 Graduates—Dr. A. E. Winship the Commencement Speaker

About 100 Summer School students will receive degrees at the commencement exercises Friday evening at Memorial Hall. This is a record class for summer school and is also unusual in the large number of graduate students, almost forty receiving advanced degrees.

Dr. A. E. Winship, the great educational writer from the east, the editor of the *Journal of Education*, will be the Commencement speaker. His subject will be "Education Must Educate."

The following is the commencement program:

1. "Romane" Wieniawski
Prof. Aug. Molzer, Violin
Mr. Karl Melcer, Accompanist
2. Invocation
..... Rev. Fletcher L. Wharton
3. Music:
 - a. "Viennese Popular Song".....
..... Kriesler
 - b. "Rondino" ..Beethoven-Kriesler
4. Commencement Address, "Education Must Educate".....
..... Dr. A. E. Winship
5. Presentation of Class
6. Conferring of Degrees.....
Acting Chancellor L. A. Sherman

LAST ISSUE OF NEBRASKAN TODAY

There will be no issue of the *Nebraskan* Friday on account of examinations coming on that day and Thursday.

John Stibal has gone to Dutch Guiana, where he is in charge of the local branch of an engineering firm.

Among the Summer Students

SUPERINTENDENT J. T. ANDERSON OF ASHLAND

Superintendent Anderson is a native of Nebraska, having been born in Phelps county. His higher education covers work in the Kearney Normal, in Nebraska Wesleyan University, and in the University of Nebraska. His experience is unusually rich and varied and is made the more valuable from the fact that Mr. Anderson has worked his own way through from the beginning. It includes service as teacher in the rural schools, one term as county superintendent of Harlan county, and successively the superintendencies at Ragan, Calloway, Alma and Ashland. Mr. Anderson was also manager and instructor in the Alma Junior Normal for three years and served one term as president of the Southwest Teachers' Association.

TEACHER'S BUREAU FILLS GREAT NUMBER OF PLACES

Professor Reed, director of the University Teachers' Bureau announced that since October, 1915, 744 applications for positions have been received by the bureau. All but a few of the applicants are already placed in positions.

SEVERAL TOWNS AFTER UNIVERSITY WEEK

Southwestern Group Making Strong Effort to Secure It

University Week for 1917 will not go begging for towns on its circuit. Already a group of towns in Southwestern Nebraska are organizing to secure the program for next spring. In the group are Oxford, McCook, Beaver City, Holdrege, Minden and Cambridge.

Superintendent Chadderdon of Oxford is enthusiastic in his plans for securing the Week. The Southwestern Nebraska Teachers' Association, of which Mr. Chadderdon is president, will probably meet in Holdrege about the same time and Mr. Chadderdon hopes to have one of the numbers on the Week program given at Holdrege while the Association is in session.

AMERICAN PETITIONS SAVE BOHEMIAN TEACHER

Miss Alice Masaryk, daughter of Prof. Thomas Masaryk, chancellor of the University of Prague, has been saved from execution by the Austrian government on the charge of treason by the petitions of thousands of Americans according to a letter which Miss Hrbek received yesterday from Dr. Anne Burnett, of Chicago.

Miss Masaryk had been teaching in the University of Prague and had been accused of trying to further Bohemian

independence. She had previously been in the United States—her mother was American—and had been active in settlement work in Chicago, in close contact with Jane Addams.

When her American friends heard of her threatened execution petitions were started asking the Austrian embassy at Washington to intercede with the home government. Miss Hrbek who was personally acquainted with Miss Masaryk, secured signatures at the University of Nebraska and she is very happy to hear that the American petitions have been listened to at least far enough to grant Miss Masaryk a trial.

PHI DELTA KAPPA HOLD INITIATION

Large Class Initiated Last Night at Lincoln Hotel

The Phi Delta Kappa, the honorary educational fraternity, held a banquet and initiation last evening at the Lincoln hotel, at which time a class of fifteen was admitted into the mysteries of the society. The following were the initiates:

- Prin. C. A. Anderson, formerly of Alliance high school.
- Supt. C. A. Bowers, of Cowles.
- Prin. R. B. Carey, of Fairbury.
- Prin. N. V. Franklin, of Lyons.
- Supt. C. Ray Gates, of West Point.
- Supt. A. L. Hill, of Beaver Crossing.
- Supt. D. R. Kuns, of Humboldt.
- Supt. W. B. Ireland, of Fullerton.
- Supt. E. D. Lundak, of Pierce.
- Supt. H. E. Parminter, of Elmwood.
- Supt. L. N. Pearce, of Cozad.
- Supt. A. H. Staley, of Superior.
- H. H. Theissen, of West Point.
- Supt. Wilson Tout, of North Platte.
- Prof. J. G. Wilson, of Peru State Normal School.

The Nebraska chapter into which these men were initiated includes the following school men:

Dean Chas. Fordyce of the University of Nebraska.

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EDUCATIONAL MEASURE- MENTS DEVELOPING

Dean Fordyce Discusses Topic at Convocation

Dean Fordyce of the Teachers' College discussed "Educational Measurements" at Convocation Monday.

A satisfactory method of the standardization of tests of the pupil's ability has been sought by educators for a long time, said Dean Fordyce. We are just beginning to institute objective standards as aids to the teacher's judgment and as a preventive of its fluctuation.

The lecture was illustrated by a chart showing the application of standardized educational measurements to penmanship.

PLANS FOR UNIVERSITY EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

One of the Main Features of the Fair —Dr. Condra in Charge

The University of Nebraska will have its usual prominent part in the Nebraska State Fair to be held this fall September 4-8.

The University exhibits occupy the four wings of the Horticultural building in the central part of the Fair Grounds just east of the main street. In the south wing will be Dr. Condra's Conservation pictures, in the east and west wings the exhibits of the various Colleges, in the north wing the exhibits of those departments of the University which come directly in contact with the people, such as the Extension departments.

The University exhibits have been housed in these buildings for two years. They comprise one of the chief exhibits of the Fair and are of great value in showing to the people what the University accomplishes.

The Fair this year has some special entertainment features. On Monday, September 2, will be the auto races, on the remaining days the horse races. Ruth Law, the famous aviatrix, will fly every day and every evening during the fair, having illumination attachments to her plane at night so as to make picturesque her looping the loop.

ECUADOR AND THE CANAL IN PICTURES AT CONVOCATION

Professor Persinger Gives Last of His Lectures on South America

The pictures on Ecuador and the Canal, illustrating Professor Persinger's lectures on South America, were the last of the series shown at convocation this summer.

The ocean voyage from Lima to Guayaquil the chief seaport of Ecuador, the scenes of the port and views from the Panama canal occupied yesterday's lecture.

A particularly beautiful picture of a tropical sunset concluded the morning's lecture.

The series of lectures has been highly appreciated by those Summer School students who have been wise enough to attend convocations. It has brought a clearer and more definite conception of the significance of our Latin-American neighbor states.

Chas. H. Epperson, Law '16, was married last Saturday to Miss Beulah Louis McCaw of Clay Center. Mr. Epperson will practice law at Clay Center.

Beulah, Richard and Harold Rhoden and mother expect to leave August 2 for Pine, Colo., where they will spend the remainder of the summer in the mountains.

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