

## CHURCH PROMOTING STUDENT DEPARTMENT

First Congregational Church Organizes Classes For Uni. Students.

The First Congregational church at 13th and L streets is promoting a student department in its Sunday school which meets each Sunday from 12 to 1. The department will have its own opening exercises, before breaking up into classes. Expert leadership is being provided. At least five classes are offered and more will be organized if there is a demand for them.

In addition to freshman and advanced classes for both boys and girls, there is being offered by the University pastor a teacher training course in the Bible open to upper class students, both young men and young women, who wish to prepare to teach the Bible intelligently. Credit for this course will be given by the Lincoln Training School for religious workers, which means that it will also be accredited by the denominational boards. Any University young people who are not otherwise engaged at this hour are invited to this class.

The church is happy to announce that the new Y. W. C. A. Secretary, Miss Appleby, has consented to conduct a class of girls. Today, at 12 o'clock, State Senator C. Petrus Peterson will address the students, and organization of classes will follow.

## SINFONIA TO HOLD LECTURE RECITAL

"The Peterborough Idea" Will Be Explained Wednesday in Temple Theatre.

A very unique and highly interesting attraction is offered to all lovers of art in the lecture recital to be given in the Temple theatre Wednesday evening, September 28th, under the auspices of Phi Mu Alpha (Upsilon Chapter) Sinfonia Society of America. Miss Louise Gertrude Ernst of Omaha, Neb., lecturer and Mrs. Fred Ballard, of New York City, former pupil of Edward A. MacDowell, America's greatest composer, will deliver a lecture recital on "The Peterborough Idea."

Inasmuch as the services of these artists is donated, the entire proceeds will be sent to Peterborough, N. H., to assist in the wonderful work which has been going on there in the well-known artist colony which has been founded, some years ago, by the MacDowell Memorial association, Inc., of New York City. Fifty exquisite lantern slides will be thrown upon the screen, showing views of Peterborough, N. H., and the artist colony. Mrs. Ballard, who is the wife of the well-known playwright, author of "Bellevue Me," "Xanthippe" and "Young America," she is a very accomplished artist and will play a number of MacDowell's best known works for the piano taken from the New England Idyls, Woodland Sketches, Eea Pieces and the Virtuoso Studies. An unusually delightful evening and a great musical treat is in store for all university students who should be interested in this very notable and worthy philanthropic movement which has been the means of giving aid and inspiration to numerous creative artists of America.

Short addresses will also be made by Mr. Sidney Maynard, president of the Upsilon chapter of Phi Mu Alpha and by Mr. Sidney Silber, national councilman of Sinfonia and president of the newly organized local branch of the MacDowell Memorial association.

## AG. COLLEGE HAS MORE STUDENTS

Registration in the college of agriculture is slightly larger than at the corresponding time last year, according to Dean Burnett of the college. The figures have not been checked over as yet, so that the exact figures are not available, but it is known that an increase has been registered.

The home economics course seems to be gaining in popularity, as the number of women in the college shows a substantial increase. The number of men is also a little larger, and a large number of new students and advanced students from other schools have registered in the college. All classes are well filled and the college authorities look forward to a very successful year.

**20 Years Ago this Week.**  
Memorial services held for William McKinley at the chapel hour.  
Dr. Geo. W. Isham appointed financial secretary of the University.

**10 Years Ago this Week.**  
Debates scheduled with Morningside and South Dakota.

## PROFESSOR STUFF OFFERS NEW PLAN FOR REGISTRATION

Prof. Frederick H. Stuff has a solution to offer in the matter of registration. In view of the fact that a student recently succumbed as a result of waiting in line for registration, his comments at this time are timely.

"I do not wish to criticize the present method of registration," said Professor Stuff. "It has its faults, however, as evidenced by the great amount of criticism to be heard about the campus. I believe that if we could perfect a system which would be less unweildy, that a great deal of the student's time might be saved. Here is my suggestion. From the three hundred instructors now engaged in registration work let forty be selected. The forty could be especially trained in this work. They could be made responsible for the registration. By this means, one signature or possibly two would suffice in registration where now six or more are often required. This would mean that a student would pass through the registration lobby, there would be no need of a long wait of several hours duration."

"I wish to make another suggestion in this matter," he continued. "Why could not all except the new students be registered at the end of the term preceding that which they wish to enter. This would permit the registration machinery to be employed exclusively for the benefit of the new students. There would have to be some changes, of course, but their number would be negligible."

## UNI. PROFESSOR TELLS OF AUTO TRIP TO COAST

Professor Aylesworth bustled into his class room the other morning and opened up the class with all the old time stamina. He had a corking good vacation, he confided to us after class. The vacation consisted of a thirty seven hundred mile auto trip to New York State. The real objective was New Berlin, New York, Mr. Aylesworth's birth place.

Professor Aylesworth spoke glowingly of the trip. It was an auto camping trip, the party consisting of his family and two nephews. They camped out every night on the journey to New York with the exception of two. The distance covered was thirty seven hundred miles. The trip was replete with interesting experiences. The party toured the country about Lake Ontario and the Adirondacks. Mr. Aylesworth made a side trip to Washington where he came into intimate touch with the governmental machinery. While there he also called upon Kanale Carlson of the state department who is a Nebraska alumnus. Another alumni visited by Prof. Aylesworth was Nels Diebel of Goucher College, Baltimore. He also visited Prof. K. S. Boots, formerly of Columbia University who is an instructor at Nebraska this year.

## Huskers Make Fine Showing at Fort Snelling Training Camp

(By Frederick Free)

The Reserve Officers Training Camp at Fort Snelling, Minn., was voted to be a big success by all who attended it. Nebraska was represented by a contingent of thirty six men. Eighteen of these men were in the basic Camp, and eighteen were in the Advanced course.

The showing made by the Nebraska men was very favorable although many of the schools, had the advantage of much larger numbers. The camp was made up from students all over the seventh Corps Dakota, Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, and Colorado. There were over four hundred students at the camp.

The duration of the course was five weeks, from the 15th of June to the 20th of July. The instruction was largely given during the forenoons, the afternoon being devoted to rest and recreation. Perhaps the most interesting period of the camp was the two weeks spent on the rifle range, where the boys learned the art of handling the soldier's chief weapon. The thrill that will never be forgotten, is the one which comes after a successful shot with a Springfield.

The camp was under the command of Colonel George W. Moses, former Commandant of Cadets at Nebraska, now with the war college at Washington, D. C. He was assisted by an excellent administrative and instructional staff, and it is to the untiring efforts of this group of men that the social side of the camp was due.

Every little detail that would at all contribute to the comfort of the men was carefully attended to. A lunch was served to the men at tent thirty every morning and where it was impossible for the men to be taken back to camp in time for the feed, it was brought to them in wagons. The k. p. work was all performed by men detailed from the 49th infantry at Fort Snelling.

The athletic side of the camp was given a great deal of attention by those in charge, one officer being detailed as morale officer to look after the entertainment of the boys. Parties and dances at the service club were very frequent, and the people of St. Paul and Minneapolis cooperated with the Commandant in every way possible to assure them a good time.

The athletic side of the camp was very well developed, baseball, track, tennis, and boxing were all well supported by the men. Competition by companies was very keen and clashes with the men of the Regular army at the Fort, in baseball and track served to keep up the regimental spirit.

One of the big activities of the camp was the publication by the members of the Camp of a seventy page annual, "The Blue Torch," illustrated with cuts and engravings, depicting the life of the five weeks at Fort Snelling. Half of the expense of publication was borne by the government, which made it possible for everybody to own a copy.

Captains Nix, Murphy, and Pagan, of the Instructional Staff here at Nebraska were detailed to assist Colonel Moses at the Camp. The contingent from Nebraska was in charge of Richard C. Talbot, Major R. O. T. C. The names of those who attended the camp from Nebraska are: Basic Camp: Anderson, Baelr, Troyles, Buck, Crag, Dunker, Eilers, Ewing, Johnson, Lang, Livinghouse, McMonies, Mitchell, Pierce, Ratbsack, Sargent, Schaaf and Stoner.

Advanced Camp: Norris W. Coats; Richard E. Dearmont, Frederick H. Free Jr., Ivan P. Hanson, H. Stephn King, Edward G. Lantz, Marvin L. McKee, Joseph G. Noh, John L. Parkr, Walter A. Renze, Fred H. Richards, Clarence F. Rogers, Joseph L. Ryons, Thomas Seeley, Edgar C. Tullis, George H. Taylor, and Howard A. Willey.

## NOTED CHEMIST TO ADDRESS STUDENTS

Dr. H. A. Spehr of the Carnegie Laboratory, Carzmel, California, will give address relating to the study of chemistry on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, September 28-29 in Chemistry Hall. Dr. Spehr will lecture on topics connected with his field of research. His first address will be on "The Cosmocial Function of Green Plants" and the subject of the other will be "The Nature of the Photosynthetic Process." Dr. Spehr has been working for the past ten years in the field of research. His talks will be of interest to biologists as well as chemists. The public is cordially invited.

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