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CHARACTER BUILDING: Beautiful thoughts make beautiful lives; For every word and deed Lies in the thought that prompted it.

This is a poetic way of saying that "as we sow, so shall we reap." Poetry seems to touch a spot that is immune to prose.

There is a world of truth contained in those few lines. We know that actions are inspired by ideals and that our lives and all the deeds, good and bad, that are credited to us, represent the fruit of our ideals.

"The garden of life it beareth well; And it will repay our care; But the blossom must always and ever be Like the seed we are planting there."

UNIVERSITIES

The university, as an institution, is distinctly an old world product. But although it is of European inception, it has faced its greatest problems and accomplished its greatest progress in America.

A very interesting and valuable point of view is expressed by Professor Catharine C. E. Spurgeon, of the University of London. We quote from her the following: "In some of our newer university problems especially, it seems to be that we in England may learn much from America, who from the start of her educational life has been faced by conditions which are only now beginning to confront us."

"America has been forced very rapidly to supply the needs of a great and varied democracy, with an insistent desire for education. This has resulted in the establishment and equipment of vast universities on a scale undreamed of here, and also in the evolution of social organization and student self-government of a high order. It has led her to aim, in these universities, at an all-round development, physical and social as well as intellectual, and to provide means of physical and social well-being far in advance of anything we have yet attained.

"America is so intensely alive; it is her eager and thrilling vitality which, above everything else, strikes the English visitor to her shores; refreshing and invigorating him, though at first it may slightly overpower him. "We, of the Old World, are just a little weary—disillusioned it may be, critical certainly; and, in academic circles, we have been known at times to be somewhat suspicious and unre-

ceptive about new methods. This is, possibly, the penalty of a long tradition and accumulated experience of centuries of scholarship centered at our old universities and from them radiating throughout the country. This experience may, perhaps, be helpful to the New World, desirous of raising its standards to a high degree of finish and perfection.

Contemporary Opinion

TAFT ON ATHLETICS

Are modern colleges putting the cart before the horse in the matter of education and athletics? Ex-president Taft believes athletics are in the process of assuming the role of the camel which eventually superseded his host and took up all the room.

Mr. Taft, in a recent address before alumni of Yale, expressed the belief that the growth of big intercollegiate athletic exhibitions was militating against the intellectual life of the institutions, and should be curtailed.

That college athletics have grown of recent years at an amazing rate is true. Stadiums which will seat 50,000 persons have been built and proved too small to accommodate the crowds that wish to see the gridiron heroes perform.

Still it can hardly be charged that athletics are the major part of college life. No doubt they are the main end of many college athletes but student bodies as a whole have yet a long road to travel before it can be said of the majority that interest in athletics is causing them to neglect their studies.

A note of warning has been sounded, however, that contains wisdom. Athletics in colleges now occupy enough of the spotlight, and while it does not seem necessary to curtail their present size, much more development might be pernicious.

All Episcopal Students and faculty and their friends are urged to attend a dinner to be given Wednesday, April 19, at the Lincolnshire club rooms at six o'clock.

U. S. Civil Service Examinations April-May: Chemistry, Metallurgy and other Laboratory Engineering. Technical, Professional and Scientific, Miscellaneous.

Press Club Members: Members of the Press Club who wish to have their names run on the Press Club page of the 1922 Cornhusker and who have not paid their dues will please pay their 25 cents this week.

Ag Students: The regularly enrolled students in A. H. 17 who are going to Omaha with the class Wednesday morning are to meet at the Burlington depot at 7:45.

Students desiring work are again urged to go to the office of the Student Employment Bureau, as offers of positions are becoming more and

more plentiful. The following are some of the positions secured for university men during the week: One man for grocery work, one in a dry goods store, one working for his board and one for his board and room.

Kearney Club: The Kearney Club will "picnic" at Electric Park, Friday, April 21. Meet at Tenth and O street at 6 p. m. to take car.

Friday: Kearney Club picnic, 6 p. m. at Electric Park.

Numeds: Our annual dance will be held Saturday, April 22 at the Victoria Hotel. Tickets are \$1.00.

Iron Sphinx Initiation: The Iron Sphinx will hold their initiation Thursday evening. All members and candidates meet at 10th and O streets at six o'clock.

Union: You are invited to attend the open meeting of Union, Friday, April 21, 8:30 p. m. The Union girls will furnish the entertainment for the evening.

Alpha Kappa Psi: The monthly banquet of Alpha Kappa Psi will be held Thursday evening, April 20, 6 p. m. at the Lincolnshire.

The Calendar.

Wednesday April 19: Theta Sigma Phi meeting, 5 p. m., Ellen Smith hall. Sigma Delta Chi dinner, 6 p. m., Grand Hotel.

Thursday April 20: Phi Omega meeting, 7:15 p. m., Law building. Lutheran club meeting, 7 p. m., Social Science 197.

Friday April 21: Delian open meeting 8 p. m., Faculty hall. Gamma Phi Beta spring party, the Lincoln. Kappa Delta spring party, Rose wilde.

Saturday April 22: Nymed dance, Victoria Hotel. Delta Chi house dance. All University mixer, Armory. Delta Sigma Delta house dance. Alpha Gamma Rho house dance. Alpha Chi Omega formal, the Lincoln.

In Years Gone By: Eighteen Years Ago Today: The freshmen replied to the sophomore refusal to allow them to wear caps by saying that the freshman class intended to establish a precedent and were bound that they would carry out their plan.

Thirteen Years Ago Today: During the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle, a majority of the fraternity and sorority houses of the University of Washington kept open for the accommodation of the members who attended the fair.

Seven Years Ago Today: A joint parade of the Farm Regiment and the City Regiment and the annual competitive drill between the Pershing and the Wockizer Rifles was held on the athletic field.

Five Years Ago Today: Interfraternity baseball schedule was announced.

Two Years Ago Today: Prof. N. A. Bengston, who had been granted a leave of absence to do geological survey work in Honduras, wrote an interesting letter concerning his work.

The Exhaust.

A mirrow has taken the place of a box of cigars in the managing editor's desks. "Only five cents A nickel, half a dime!" The circus is on. See the elephants— Ah! There, my dear friends— is the great two headed lady.

The original Silver Serpent Show for Sophomore and Junior Girls to be here Saturday Afternoon for one performance ONLY!!!!

What a chance. What an opportunity. It is something that will be A boast for you and your children After you.

I ain't had a bit of rest, Since I took that math. test. There was a young man named McGinnis, Who was very fond of tennis He played one game With a 'come hither' dame, And five years later he did penance.

ATHLETES BUSY AT LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL

Coaches Browne and Mead are sending the Lincoln high school athletes through a series of stiff workouts in preparation for the baseball and track grinds which will soon be under way.

The baseball schedule started last week when Lincoln took a loosely played game from Greenwood. It was the first game of baseball played by Lincoln high for some time and fans were well satisfied with the showing made by Coach Browne's pastimers in the opening contest.

Four Teams at Fremont: The track schedule is booked to open April 28, when the capital city tracksters will compete in a quadrangular meet with Fremont, South Omaha and Omaha Central.

Central high abandoned the plan to enter the Drake relays to join the four-cornered meet at Fremont. The Fremont competition offered a chance for all the members of the squad to perform while the Drake carnival offered opportunities merely to relay quartets.

A triangular meet with Wilber at University Place on Nebraska field will complete the track schedule. The baseball and track programs as announced by Athletic Manager J. V. Hayes, follow: April 21—Omaha Central at Omaha. April 22—Greenwood at Greenwood. April 28—Beatrice at Lincoln. April 29—DeWitt at Lincoln. April 28—Track meet at Fremont with Omaha Central, South Omaha and Fremont.

COUNTY MEET AT DANBURY: McCook, Nebr., April 18.—Coach Welland will take his track squad Friday to Danbury, where the Red Willow County meet will be held. Danbury, Bartley, Indianola and McCook will be the teams represented in this meet.

Of these teams Bartley will probably be the strongest contender with McCook for first honors. They have nearly all the members of their last year's team back that won the county meet and took second in the tri-state meet.

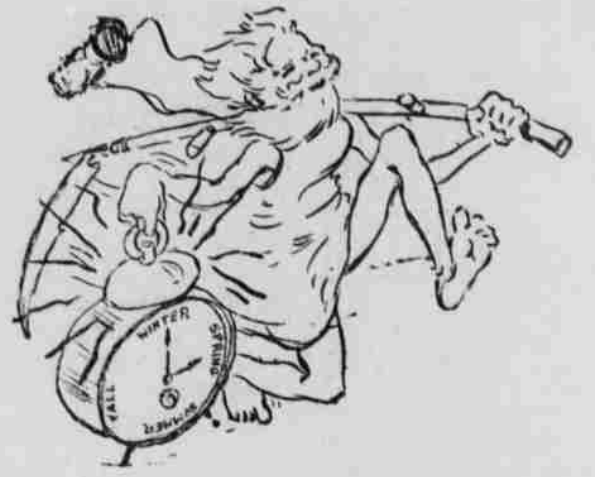
McCook will put a good team in the field. Search and Nelson should be the chief point-getters. The following men will be taken: Search, Nelson, Munden, Wilson, Raichart, Sennett, Fallick, Dinnell, Ward, Billings, Taylor, Warner, Dorwart, Boughton and Weber.

Search, Nelson and Ward will handle the dashes and hurdles; Stennett Ward and Warner the weights; Wilson, Raichart, Munden and Dinnell will take care of the runs; and Taylor Boughton, Warner and Dorwart the jumps and vault.

In the evening the county delcamentary contest will be held. Harold Ryan and Joe Egan will go from here.

Kampus Kutups by George Everett: There was a young flapper named Jane Who flapped from her heels to her brain; She thought she looked sweet As she walked down the street. But she gave everyone a great pain.

There was a young senior named Who should have been somebody's daughter; He tried to look cute In a knee-length tweed suit, But I dont see how he escaped slaughter. LOST—Phi Gamma Delta fraternity pln. Return to Student Activities office.



Time Flies! Even the calendar will concede that spring has come. Why not choose your suit now and get a full season of wear? \$30 Upward

MAGEE'S

POLICE!

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