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All eyes are turned toward the Military Department today. Nebraska wants a "distinguished rating" from the War Department. The students believe that the local regiment is one of the best in the country. They know that Nebraska's unit at Fort Snelling made an exceptionally fine record. Their hope is that Nebraska's military unit will continue to develop until it is unquestionably the equal of any in American colleges.

From the standpoint of persistence, accuracy, and thoroughness, the Military Department here furnishes a fine example to the students.

The world sees too many half-finished tasks and failures caused by a lack of persistence and training, which might well have been of some use to the world. Carelessness and ignorance have caused the greatest failures in the history of mankind. Accuracy and thoroughness of preparation would have prevented them.

We continually see people that can start enterprises. They do a great many things half way but they cannot carry one big task to successful completion. They stop just short of efficiency. How many people know a language or two but not quite well enough to write it and speak it; a smattering of a science or two but are not really efficient in any one.

Persistence, accuracy, thoroughness, and efficiency—all are taught and drilled into the men of Nebraska's R. O. T. C. The attitude of "getting by" and the spirit of "Oh, that's good enough" are turned by the military department standards into "Only the best is good enough." Let us all follow that motto.

Not one in twenty students realizes the work that lies back of the simple announcement that appears today, "Your 1923 Cornhusker will be ready for distribution next Monday." Nebraska students responded in a fine way to the campaign for subscriptions this winter but hardly any of these subscribers know the steady work, the conscientious effort and the school loyalty that have made possible the Nebraska year-book.

The editors of this year's annual have already received the congratulations of their printers on the character and quality of the book. All students await with more than the usual amount of interest the first appearance of the year book. There should be no trouble in disposing of the few extra copies which were printed.

Don't wait until Friday morning to start registration for next fall. Don't wait for an appeal from the registration board to begin the job of completing your program for the first semester of the coming year.

There are always a certain number of students who do not seem to believe that registration must be completed within a week is a true one. They seem bound to "half off" until the last minute. They not only inconvenience themselves but they add to the burdens of those who are in charge of registration. No long registration lines need be experienced if all underclassmen start today to fill in their registration blanks.

Have you an auto? Have you read the letter about the senior picnic? Chancellor and Mrs. Avery are following their popular custom of entertaining the whole senior class at a picnic. But they need autos and more autos to transport the members of the class to the picnic grounds. Underclassmen are not barred but are urged to have their cars ready for a one-day celebration on Thursday.

One of the happiest memories of senior activities of the alumni is that of the senior picnic. The annual holiday for members of the graduating class has come to be one of the most cherished traditions of graduation time. The appreciation of the undergraduates for the hospitality of Chancellor and Mrs. Avery can best be shown a big response to the request for automobiles. The cars were wanted at eight o'clock Thursday morning in front of Administration building. The picnic is at Crete and those furnishing cars are invited to participate in the events of the day.

**Notices**

(Notices of general interest will be printed in this column for two consecutive days. Copy should be in the Nebraska office by five o'clock.)

**Girls' Commercial Club.**  
Girls' Commercial Club banquet at the Woodburn, 425 So. 14, Thursday at 6:15. All Bizad girls invited. Tickets \$1.15.

**Band Men.**  
All band men are required to appear in uniform at 5 p. m. tonight for the regimental parade.

**Chemical Engineering.**  
The Chemical Engineering Society will hold its last regular meeting of the year Tuesday 7:30 p. m., in room 102, Chemistry hall. Election of officers and other business to be closed up to the year.

**W. S. G. A.**  
An important meeting of all W. S. G. A. Council and old and new Board members will be held tonight, Tuesday, at Ellen Smith hall, at 7:00. Installation of officers.

**Math Club**  
The last Math Club meeting of the year postponed from Wednesday last will be held on Wednesday, May 16, at 2:30 p. m. in the main lecture room of Brace Laboratory. Professor Candy will give an illustrated lecture on the "History of the Ten Digits". A discussion for the plans of next year will be held afterwards.

**Practical Idealism**  
Subject: International Affairs; open discussion, led by Devon C. Eyer. All interested are heartily welcome. S. S. 102, Tuesday evening, 7 o'clock.

Application for appointment to the staff of The Daily Nebraskan for the first semester, 1923-1924, should be submitted not later than Friday, May 18. Application blanks may be got at the Student Activities office.

The positions to be filled are: editor, managing editor, associate editor, night editor (three); business manager, assistant manager and circulation manager.

M. M. FOGG,  
Acting Chairman, University Publication Board.

**Calendar**

**Friday, May 18.**  
Palladian Crete picnic.  
Phi Delta Theta house dance.  
Acacia dance, Crete.  
**Saturday, May 19.**  
Kappa Phi Mothers' day, Ellen Smith hall.  
Kappa Alpha Theta dance, K. C. hall.  
Omega Zeta Pi dance, Ellen Smith hall.  
Phi Mu house dance.  
Phi Tau Epsilon house dance.

**NEBRASKA OFFICERS WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO FOREIGN SERVICE**

Captain Knight, Captain Murphy and Captain Nix to Leave This Summer.

Announcement of the transfer to foreign service of three of the regular army officers who have been on duty at Nebraska as assistant professors of military tactics is received by the men of the R. O. T. C. regiment with regret. The three officers assigned to foreign posts will not return to Nebraska next fall, but will leave for their assignments some time during the summer. The location or unit to which the officers have been assigned is not known.

Captain William G. Murphy, who has been at the University of Nebraska for five years, came to Nebraska during the S. A. T. C. in 1918 and has been on duty longer than the other two men. He was transferred to his present station with the R. O. T. C. in December 1918.

Captain Butler Knight and Captain Robert W. Nix are the other officers assigned to foreign posts. Captain Nix arrived at Nebraska on October 18, 1920, and has been very active in



Major Sidney Erickson, infantry, commandant of cadets, was made professor of military science and tactics upon release of Colonel Americus Mitchell in August, 1922. Major Erickson was born in Minnesota, July 28, 1886, and entered the army in February, 1907. He was graduated from the school for electrical specialists in 1909. He was promoted through the various grades and his permanent majority July 1, 1920. Prior to reporting for duty at the R. O. T. C. University of Nebraska; Major Erickson served at Fort Totten, New York; Fort Williams, Maine; Fort Monroe, Virginia; Fort Dade, Florida; Fort Mott, New Jersey; various stations in the Philippines; and Camp Pike, Arkansas.

has been in charge of the range work. Captain Knight came to Nebraska in February 1922 and has been conducting classes in Junior work for the past year.

All three of the officers who will leave this summer have been active in the promotion of the R. O. T. C. work at Nebraska and have played a strong part in bringing the cadet regiment up to its present strong standing in the University.

**CORNHUSKERS STRIVE FOR HONOR RATING AMONG R. O. T. C. UNITS**  
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Following is a list of "Distinguished Colleges" announced by the War Department in June 1922:

- Texas A. and M.
  - Alabama Polytechnic Institute.
  - Clemson Agricultural College.
  - Colorado Agricultural College.
  - Cornell University.
  - DePauw University.
  - Georgia School of Technology.
  - Indiana University.
  - Lehigh University.
  - Louisiana State University and A. and M. College.
  - Norwich University.
  - Ohio State University.
  - Purdue University.
  - Oregon Agricultural College.
  - State College of Washington.
  - The Citadel.
  - University of California.
  - University of Illinois.
  - University of Maryland.
  - University of Missouri.
  - University of Vermont.
  - University of Washington.
  - University of Wisconsin.
  - Virginia A. and M. & Polytechnic Institute.
  - Virginia Military Academy.
- What Nebraska Will Gain.  
If successful, 5 per cent of Nebraska's seniors in the Military Department may be designated as "Honor Graduates" and are eligible for appointment as second lieutenants, regular army, without examination.  
Nebraska will be listed in War De-

partment publications, as a "Distinguished College," resulting in unlimited effective publicity, and the acquirement of this rating will place Nebraska among the foremost educational institutions of the country.

Realizing the vast amount of prestige Nebraska will gain by being among the selected few, every cadet will put forth his best efforts to earn the right to wear a "Gold Star" on his right sleeve marking him as a member of a "Distinguished College" unit and substantiating his claim as being one of those who helped to "Beat Missouri."

The officers that comprise the board are Major Henry T. Bull, Cavalry, and Major Ralph W. Kingman, Infantry.

Major Bull was appointed a second lieutenant in the regular army in 1901, after graduating from the University of the South with the degree of C. E. He is also a graduate of the Mounted Service School. Major Bull served as a Colonel of Infantry during the World war. He also was P. M. S. and T., at Cornell University prior to the war. At present Major Bull is on duty in the office of the Chief of Cavalry.

Major Kingman entered the service in 1902 after graduating from the University of Tennessee with a B. S. degree. He served as a lieutenant colonel during the World war, and at present is assigned in the office of the Chief of Infantry in charge of supply. Many of the students who were at camp last summer remember him for he was present for about a week observing the activities.

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