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ARE YOU AN ATHLETE?

Last year Nebraska had a first-class track team, which boasted of a number of individual stars. Several of these stars are missing this year. Noble, Lloyd and Hartley are not in the lineup this season.

The track team gained fame for their alma mater in every competition that they entered last year. It is naturally the hope and fond desire of every loyal Nebraska undergraduate and alumnus that this noteworthy performance be repeated this year.

Taking the place of the veterans who were lost by graduation are a number of sophomores and others who did not go out last year. These positions are not easy to fill, and it is readily seen that the new men without a doubt will have plenty to do, handicapped as they are by the lack of experience in college athletics.

At the present time on this campus there are many students who have ability at track. Some of these are aware of their ability, while others realize that they have some ability, but think that they are not good enough. Consequently they do not give it a "try." It is to these persons that we appeal to go out, where capable coaches are ready and able to assist every one who can give some time, and where all latent material will be developed and used.

First place winners are not the only ones that count. To win a meet, a team must have men who will win second, third, fourth and fifth places and these men have the same opportunity of earning their "N," although it takes a little longer than it does the men who can win "first."

Nebraska needs men in all events. If the available material that we have here can be developed and persuaded to go out so the coaching staff can have a chance at them, it is more than likely that we will see one of the best track teams in years.

The opportunity is especially offered to men who have some ability along these lines to distinguish themselves, support their university and aid in their physical development. Are you one of them?

The College Press.

Are You Getting the Most From College?
(McGill Daily)

We sometimes wonder whether students realize that what they get out of a college education is directly proportional to what they put into the community life of the university.

The old idea that education means solely the accumulation of knowledge is fast dying out, and nowadays we expect much more from the educated man than the acquirements of a pedant or an efficiency expert. Education is coming to be regarded as a training in wisdom rather than a sort of force pump of knowledge. It is a discipline, a way of living, an attitude towards life, and the measure of its success or failure is in the character that it produces.

This is the reason why so much time is devoted to our universities to activities of an unacademic nature, and an opportunity given to all to enter in the community life afforded by social and athletic events. There are often more of the character-building qualities of intelligence, pluck, sportsmanship, to be found on the gridiron or in the ring than in a classroom or lecture hall and it often takes more industry or ability to adequately fulfill a position of responsibility on the executive staff of an undergraduate organization than to swat up and pass a stiff exam. We do not mean to imply by this that

RAG CARPET

We heard in freshman lecture this morning that there were lots of standing jokes around the campus.

"I say, old man, you had r y girl out last night."
"Tut, tut, don't mention it. You can do me a favor some day."

Post—It takes practically all Brown's salary to take his sweetie around the restaurants.

Parker—I know. He says that she's the devouring passion of his life.—American Legion.

If the proper study of mankind is woman, that must be the reason why

so many students flunk.

"I was talking to your girl today."
"Are you sure that you were doing the talking?"
"Yes."
"Then it wasn't my girl."

SCENE: ONE NIGHT.
Irate citizen (from his bedroom window)—Say, you down there, who are you talking to?
Dizzy Romeo—Nobody'n particular. I'm just broadcasting.

Scotchman—Did you bring the bags?
Serenador—No, but I have the sax.

classrooms and professors and examinations, are unimportant. But it is not necessary to stress this importance. We are compelled to recognize it whether we want to or not—the one-ether rule, the necessity of passing, and need of fitting ourselves for a profession, all brings home to us the value of that side of education. But an eager participation in the activities of college life is not compulsory. The character-building value of mingling with your fellows cannot be recognized by rule and statute, and consequently the student who wants to get the most out of college life must attend to this side of his education for himself.

There are, of course, those who do not take part in college activities as much as they possibly can; there are more who do so to a limited extent; but there are too many misguided wasters who go through college and get about as much of the experience as if they were taking a correspondence course or studying with a private tutor.

We wish we could impress the fact upon every student at this university that the aim of a college education is to build character and turn out men and gentlemen accomplished in the art of living.

Be interested in your fellow students. Get to know them, make friends.

If you are physically fit, get into some athletic activity—the university provides enough to suit everybody—and if you're not fit, get so.

Join some of the many clubs and societies, take an active interest in them, attend meetings, and don't be afraid to get up on your feet and take part in the discussion.

Be proud of your university and live to the fullest extent in the community life of the college.

This is the greatest way to get the greatest benefit from your college education, and you can get only what you put into it. Make the most of your opportunities to participate in the active life of the university.

Campus Initiations.
We wonder if members of the honorary band fraternity believe their public initiation added very much to the respect and dignity of their organization last Friday.

Instead of confining the horse-play and indignities to which their initiates were subject to the headquarters of the fraternity, the bandmen forced the rest of the student body and faculty to be witness by bringing it out on the campus. Throughout the day students in the uniform of the band went blatting about on their way to and from classes.

The rest of the campus does not care to watch the ridiculous and silly antics of men being initiated. It cheapens any organization to bring its initiation into public gaze. It might be appropriate in high schools but it is decidedly out of place in colleges.

If it is an honor to be a member of the band fraternity, the organizational practices of this nature. The rest of the campus becomes disgusted when occurrences of this kind are seen.

Notices

Secondary Education Club.
All juniors and seniors preparing to teach in high schools will meet in Teachers College, room 322, at 5 o'clock Wednesday, to discuss plans for the rest of the year.

Vestals.
Vestals of the Lamp will not hold a meeting tonight. The meeting will be held Thursday night at 7:15, at Ellen Smith hall.

Student Council.
Important Student Council meeting.

ing at 5 o'clock Thursday in the office.

Kappa Phi.
Closed meeting Thursday, February 28, 7 o'clock in Ellen Smith hall.

Mystic Fish.
Mystic Fish meeting in Ellen Smith hall Wednesday at 7:15.

Iota Sigma Phi.
Iota Sigma Phi meeting Wednesday at 7:15.

Scabbard and Blade.
Important meeting Thursday at 7 o'clock in Nebraska hall 205.

Tales of Cornhusker.
Staff picture will be taken promptly at 12 o'clock today at the campus studio.

Girls Commercial Club.
The club will meet at 5 o'clock today in Social Science 107. O. J. Fee will speak.

Calendar

Friday.
Sigma Phi Epsilon formal, Lincoln hotel.

Alpha Gamma Rho formal, Scottish Rite Temple.

Kosmet Klub formal dinner dance, University Club.

Alpha Chi Omega house dance.

Kappa Kappa Gamma house dance.

Saturday.
Sigma Chi formal, Lincoln hotel.

Acacia freshman party, East Lincoln Masonic Temple.

Nu Alpha house dance.

Beta Theta Pi house dance.

SAYS WOMEN SHOULD ENTER SOCIAL SERVICE

University of Oklahoma, Feb. 26.—"The chief failing of the college woman of today is that she does not devote herself to the social betterment of her community. She neglects the social development for the personal," Dr. Elizabeth Kemper Adams, nationally known authority on vocations for women, said to an interviewer here.

"It is for community uplift that the college girl should prepare," Doctor Adams added. "Its necessities are unlimited, although the majority of educated women shun their duty to the small community."

Doctor Adams hesitated to express her views concerning the advisability of women entering politics. I think," she finally said, "that women are not generally fitted for public office. Women who have been successful in office were fitted for public service by their education and personal qualities." Judge Florence Allen of Ohio was cited as a successful woman office holder.

Doctor Adams is making a tour of universities interested in vocational guidance for women. Her lecture tour was begun by the Girl Scouts of America, of which she is educational secretary.

Fordyce Will Address Teachers Association

Dr. Charles Fordyce is attending meetings of the National Association of education and mental research, of which he is a director, which meets this week in Chicago. He will also address two meetings of the Iowa state teachers association at Forest City on "Educational Measurements in School Administration."

Dr. Wolcott, head of the zoology department, has accepted an invitation to take charge of the zoology department of the University of Missouri for the summer session which opens June 9. He will teach zoology and anatomy.

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