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THE IMPORTANCE OF SCHOLARSHIP

Of the various events during the past three days, the selection of the twenty-six juniors for membership in the two senior honorary societies was to the student body the most significant. For, although the new members are chosen by the societies, their success upon the campus during the following year depends in a large manner upon the support they receive from the remainder of the students. This support is given only when the undergraduate body feels that the students elected to this honor are the outstanding members of their class. Since this is the dominating factor in the selection of the new members, the students themselves are indirectly responsible for the new personnel of the two groups.

Since individuals differ in personal opinions, there are always a few who wonder why certain students were honored and others were omitted. Much of this difference in opinion is due to the fact that the requirements for eligibility, especially in regard to the Innocents society, are not generally known.

To be eligible for membership in the Innocents society a student must have displayed through activities and associations on the campus the qualities of leadership and service to the University, have satisfactorily completed seventy-five hours at the close of the first semester in his junior year, and have attended the University for at least two years. In addition to these requirements an effort is made to make the selections as representative of the various colleges as possible.

Aside from the officers, who are chosen by majority vote and tapped in the order of their office, there is no significance in the order in which the men are tapped. The idea which is common on the campus that the men are selected in the order in which they were voted is an erroneous one.

Underclassmen may learn a lesson on the importance of scholarship in looking over the selections made this spring. For no man, no matter how important a place he may hold in the activities on the campus, can hope to become a member of the Innocents unless his scholastic attainments have been satisfactory.

ONE LAST WORD

It is quiet in the office as the preparations for the final issue are being completed. Reporters, tempted by the lure of the swimming pool, picnics, or other outdoor activities, have hurried through their work in order to leave early. The usual visitors were absent. Members of the staff, however, hesitated a moment before leaving after the completion of their work. They realized that this marked the end of their service under the present regime.

A few of us stopped to glance over the file containing copies of the paper for this semester. We have had a quiet period of work. Aside from the events which come annually in their regular order, there has been little to cause unusual interest. A scare of small pox, revision of probation week, parking restrictions—nothing which would cause our small office to be overfilled with either indignation or pleased individuals.

But the semester has been a pleasant one. We have apologies to make as we close our desks for the last time. There are some things that we might have handled differently. There are certain situations that displease us. The indifference of students to those very things that should hold their interested attention is depressing. But such unfavorable impressions are balanced by the spirit of youth, ever looking for the cheerful and the pleasant in life, which prevails the campus. The duties of the Daily Nebraskan are by no means completed. We have merely handled that portion which was our fortune to receive during the semester. The new staff, made up of students who have worked on the paper in some capacity during the past year, will, building upon our successes and failures, carry on more efficiently than we have done. Such is the way of progress.

Yes, a few of us will be missing. But our absence will be unnoticed. We have completed our tasks and there are others to take our places. There are now before us other tasks to undertake, other problems to solve. So, other than a pang of regret at leaving the undergraduate duties and associations which have meant so much to us, there is no feeling of remorse as we leave the office this evening. There is, instead, an eager anticipation of the rapidly approaching moment when we shall make our initial step into the new life now before us.

The Cynic Says:

An optimist is one who cuts a final exam in the hope that the instructor will not appear.

Social Calendar

Sunday, May 27

Y. W. C. A. cabinet and advisory board breakfast, Ellen Smith hall, 8 o'clock.

Notices

Journalism 82
Copy strings and carbon copies of Daily Nebraskan work are due in the office of the School of Journalism (U104) by Thursday noon, May 31.
Baptist Students and Graduates
Morning service at 10:30 o'clock Sunday, May 27, at the First Baptist church, 14th and K streets, Rev. Clifton H. Walcott minister, will be especially for the students. All Baptist students and those who are graduates are especially invited. There will be special music and Dr. C. J. Pope, student pastor, will assist in the service.

braska.
Elda R. Walker, department of botany, will work in western Oregon and Washington on botanical collecting; Prof. C. J. Frankforter, department of chemistry, in the Oklahoma oil fields; Prof. R. A. Cushman, electrical engineering, at Cornell university, Ithaca, N. Y.; Dr. R. J. Pool professor of botany, at Rocky Mountain National park and Salt Lake City.

McNeill Goes to New York

C. E. McNeill, associate professor of economics, will study in New York City; H. W. Manter, department of zoology, at Beaufort, N. C.; Emma N. Andersen, department of botany, at the University of Chicago; Prof. David D. Whitney, zoology, at the Carnegie Station for Experimental Biology, Long Island, N. Y.; A. D. Weber, animal husbandry department, at the University of Wyoming.

F. B. Lewis, department of agricultural engineering, making investigations in rural electrifications on Nebraska farms; Prof. Robert H. Wolcott, zoology, at the Puget Sound marine biological station, Friday Harbor, Wash.; Prof. I. H. Blake, zoology, field investigations in western Nebraska and Colorado.

Many Will Teach

Among those who will teach at other universities are: H. E. Bradford, department of vocational education, at Kansas State Agricultural college, Manhattan; L. Vold, College of Law, at University of Kansas; Daisy Howe Kilgore, vocational education department, at Asheville Normal college, Asheville, N. C.

Herman G. James, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and professor of political science, at the University of California, Los Angeles; Lt. Col. F. E. Jewett, commandant of cadets, at the R. O. T. C. camp at Fort Crook, Neb.; Dr. Louise Pound, department of English, at Yale university; Evelyn Metzger, home economics department, at the University of Minnesota.

Pleasure Trips Planned

Many faculty members will make pleasure trips in various parts of the United States. Among these are: C. C. Weidemann, Teachers college, on the Pacific coast; C. G. Lowe, department of classics, at his home, Columbus, Ind.; H. C. Filley, department of rural economics, in Yellowstone park and Idaho.

C. C. Minter, assistant professor of vocational education, in Canada; O. H. Werner, Teachers college, in

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Gayle C. Walker, acting director of the School of Journalism will travel, on the east coast; J. E. Kirschmann, professor of finance, in Colorado; Dean J. E. LeRossignol of the College of Business Administration, in Minnesota; Dr. Charles H. Patterson, department of philosophy, in Colorado; B. Clifford Hendricks, department of chemistry, in Colorado. D. A. Worcester, associate professor of educational psychology, in Colorado; Bess Stiele, assistant professor of home economics, in Pennsylvania; Thomas A. Blair, meteorologist, in California; Bernard F. Oakes, department of physical education, at his summer home, Northwood, Wis.; Prof. N. A. Bengtson, department of geography, in the Boston mountains.

T. A. Pierce, associate professor of mathematics, in California; Prof. Hutton Febster, in Estes Park, Colo., and other western national parks; Nancy V. Forsman, in Rapid City, S. D.; Philip K. Slaymaker, department of applied mechanics, on the Atlantic coast; C. E. Rosenquist, assistant in agricultural botany, on the Pacific coast; J. B. Burt, College of Pharmacy, in the west.

Research Work Planned

Dr. W. H. Werkmeister, department of philosophy, will spend the entire summer at Glen Isle, Colo., where he hopes to complete a book on "The Philosophy of the Sciences."

L. E. Aylsworth, professor of political science, will devote the summer to research in the field of Nebraska state and county government.

Maurice H. Merrill, assistant professor in the College of Law, will teach in the second term of the summer session at Cornell Law school, Ithaca, N. Y. Dean R. A. Lyman of the College of Pharmacy will attend the meeting of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy and the meeting of the American Pharmaceutical association at Portland, Maine.

Laura B. Pfeiffer, associate professor of European history, will study in Paris early in the summer and later will travel in Italy, stopping at Geneva while the League of Nations is in session. Eugene F. Powell, instructor in zoology, is to be engaged in research work near Chambers, Nebr., the first part of the summer. L. F. Lindgren, department of bacteriology and pathology, will be studying in the University of Chicago the entire summer. Leva B.

Walker, associate professor of Botany, will teach in the first summer session here and then will spend the remainder of the summer in the Pacific northwest.

It has been computed that at least 50 gallons of tears are shed each year by graduating seniors and their sweethearts when parting comes. The computing was done by experts.

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thesis at Yale.

Clifford M. Hicks of the College of Business Administration will travel in Europe for two months and will spend another month in an auto tour of the eastern states. Prof. Joseph Alexis of the department of romance languages also will travel in Spain, France, Germany and the Scandinavian countries.

Many Will Travel

Others will spend the summer in study and travel in this country, many attending professional conventions.

Prof. O. J. Rankin of rural economics will attend meetings of the American Country Life association and will do research work on farm land prices and cost of living. Lulu F. Abbott, special lecturer on student health, will attend the biennial convention of the American Nurses' association at Louisville.

B. C. Bran of the chemistry department will attend the institute of

chemistry, American Chemical society, at Northwestern university, Evanston, Ill., and will study industrial plants in Detroit.

Will Go To National Meeting

Dr. Inez O. Philbrick, resident physician, will attend a meeting of the Medical Women's National association at Minneapolis. H. P. Davis, professor of dairy husbandry, will go to Madison, Wis., to attend a meeting of the American Dairy Science association, and will give two papers.

Prof. M. J. Blish, agricultural chemist, will attend the annual convention of the American Association of Cereal Chemists at Minneapolis. Oscar F. Sjogren of the department of agricultural engineering will drive to Washington, D. C., to attend the annual convention of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers, and may also attend another engineering convention at Chapel Hill, S. C.

Survey of Parks Planned

C. V. Wiggins, horticulturist, will attend the national conference on state parks in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and will make a survey of

Nebraska state parks. E. H. Swenk, chairman of the department of entomology, will attend the International Entomological congress at Cornell university, Ithaca, N. Y.

Ferris W. Norris, associate professor of electrical engineering, will go as a student activities delegate to the national convention, American Institute of Electrical Engineers, at Denver, and later will attend a professors' conference of the General Electric company at Schenectady, N. Y.

E. Roger Washburn, instructor in chemistry, will be at the sixth national Colloid Symposium at the University of Toronto, Canada.

Many Will Study in U. S.

Faculty members who will study in the United States include: Ben Albert Benson, assistant instructor of drawing and painting, at the Art Students league, New York City; T. W. Anderson, department of zoology, at the University of Minnesota; Joseph E. Smay, instructor in engineering drawing, at Iowa State college; Eala D. McEwan of the department of geology, studying the paleontology of the state at various places in Ne-

and once again we say

**Thank You
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Good Luck!**

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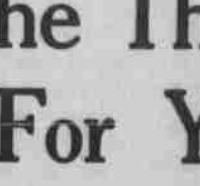

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