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BLUE RIBBONS.

THE eyes of the sporting world

are centered upon the University of Nebraska today. For within Memorial stadium a series of blue ribbon events will be staged Friday and Saturday which will determine the national championships for 1931 in the track and field realm. And, which is even of greater interest to the majority of sport enthusiasts, from this group of more than 500 stars will be selected those who will probably represent the United States in the Olympic international contests at Los Angeles next year.

It is difficult to discuss any phase of this national A. A. U. meet without bursting into a constant repetition of superlatives. For one cannot mention a single event but what the entry list is filled with stellar performers who, weather condigiven favorable tions, may establish a new world's record during the meet.

So often has the public listened to appeals of "greatest and big-gest ever" that they are prone to discount the enthusiastic tales they already have. It is analgous about the opportunity of seeing to building a firm foundation for record breaking performances which is being offered to Nebraskans today and tomorrow. But this occasion is remarkable in that the results will probably be greater than the predictions made during the past few weeks.

The Lincoln chamber of com-merce, the University of Nebraska Coach Schulte, especially, and should be congratulated for bringing such an out tanding national event to Lincoln. Through their efforts, Nebraska and the middle west occupies a prominent place in track and field circles. And by their action, Nebraskans will have an opportunity of watching the spirited competition of the greatest group of track and field stars ever assembled in the United States.

DUSTY COMMENTS.

The complaint about the dust on seats and classroom desks by C. O. M. which is published under the lived a major portion of his life. heading of "Student Opinion" is

The recent discussions of parking and library heating "systems" for the past few weeks have been very efficiently answered by saying that no funds are available. That is a reason which makes all other reasons insignificant. Perhaps this complaint will have to face the same objection.

This summer I have been watch-

ing the designs in the dust on various teachers' classroom desks. They change slightly from week to week but enough of the ground-work remains to indicate that they may be a part of the University of Nebraska art collection.

It is impossible to say how much of the dust on seats and classroom desks is due to inadequate janitor service due to crippled appropriations, and how much due to the fact that janitors, like students, do not do their best work in hot weather. If it is impossible for routine cleaning to be done during the nine weeks of summer school, might it not be possible for the Powers to furnish each classroom with an inexpensive dust cloth with which the students themselves may change the basic design if it grows too monotonous. If it would be too expensive, of course

C. O. M.

Complete Your Education.

The number of college students that drop out of school before the completion of their undergraduate days is appalling when one stops to consider that such persons are failing to take advantage of what educational foundation they may have and prepare themselves to really get along when they are turned loose in the economic and social competition of the world. They are literally wasting a large share of the educational training a building and then halting further erection of the edifice. The foundation in itself is worthless, tho its value would be immeasurable if the entire building were placed upon it.

Many students obviously have valid reasons for discontinuing their schooling. Some may be pressed for funds to the extent that it is virtually impossible to continue another year; others may find school too difficult to continue; and still another group may discover an opportunity they cannot afford to pass by in some other line of business. Each student should consider the problem very seriously, however, before he decides to stop his educational process in its very middle. An education is like rare wines used to be, its value becomes progressively greater with increasing age. One may not realize its full significance at the age of twenty nearly as vividly as he will when he has

A prominent eastern business

Pawnee Houses Unearthed by Students Bogs Are Discovered **On Archaeological Tour in Nebraska**

By Zella M. Andrews.

"Every day and in every way, I like this better and better" said one of a group of young men in the archaeoligical expedition in central Nebraska under the direction of Dr. W. D. Strong, professor of an-thropology at the University of

The young men engaged in the work are: Waldo Wedel of Newton, Kas.; David E. Wing, Lincoln; Michael O'Heron, Waco, Tex.; Lee Daniels, Gering; Frank Morrison, Bradshaw, and Jerry Leeson, Lin-coln. Mr. Wedel received his master's degree in the spring, and is now working toward his Ph. D. degree. The subject of his thesis is Pawnee Archaeology."

The purpose of the expedition into the central part of the state is to study the early culture of the Nebraska Indians, with special emphasis on the Pawnees and the

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A custom constantly growing in

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fessors is the custom of inviting a

member of the faculty of a foreign

university to spend a year or less

from the faculties of foreign uni-

The custom has many obvious

advantages, and few of the ex-

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peared as the system functions at

Minnesota. Intellectual and cul-

tural unity is one of the most in-

fluential factors in the promotion of international peace. When the

citizens of different nations real-

ize that the differences between

the similarities of ideals and hab-

its are great, the attitude which

fosters war will decline. The in-

tellectual leaders of any nation,

however eminent those leaders

may be, can profit by fresh con-tacts and viewpoints. When each

of two nations has reached the

of international peace.

8. They encamped for two weeks work about the middle of August.

on Skull creek about one mile southwest of Linwood, where their work began. Here, two Pawnee houses, one interposed upon the other, and one evidently a little older than the other, were unearthed.

Both, however, are of historic age, since iron and copper were found in each. The houses were built after the same fashion. Each had an inner ring of fourteen posts that supported the house. The entrance to each house was toward the east, and in the center of each there was a fireplace.

From Linwood, the group went to Schuyler, and began work three miles northwest of town. Here a house site was unearthed. Altho this house was but indistinctly traced, it contained lots of potsherd, bone and flint tools, and some copper and iron. A fin burial ground was located here. A fine

From Schuyler this group will go to the "Palmer" site near Pal-

In Driftless Region

MADISON, Wis .- That the driftless area of Wisconsin contains bogs formed since the glacial period is a theory that is being developed thru an investigation of the botany department of the Uni-versity of Wisconsin,

Southwestern Wisconsin, designated on geology maps as within the driftless region, has hitherto been considered devoid of bogs. Investigation during recent months has disclosed that plant growths common to bog regions are found at various locations within this region and there are well defined instances where streams, shunted in their courses, have left standing waters that have developed into

Such plants as tamarack, pitcher plants, sphagnum moss and cranberries are especial indicators of bog areas. Tamarack creek in Trempealeau county; West Salem and Mormon coulee in La Crosse county, and Richland Center in Richland county, are places where such plants have been found and where bog areas are quite in evidence.

tion. He instructs one class in personnel problems of the teaching staff and another one in fundamentals in school administration.

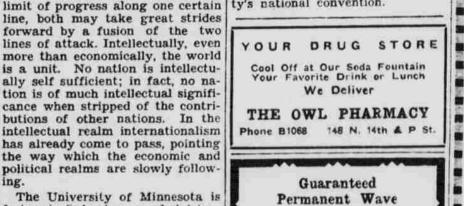
In addition to his teaching, Mr. Jimerson is taking graduate work in school administration toward different nations. More widespread his Ph. D. degree.

The retiring cabinet members of the alumnae organization of Zeta chapter of Kappa Phi were hostesses at a shower in honor of Miss Ida Dodd at her home, Thursday evening. Miss Dodd, who has been president of the alumnae group for in another country. At present Minnesota has several visitors the past two years, was presented a gift by the members. The evening was spent informally.

> LARAMIE .- Twenty-nine states and four foreign countries are represented by students enrolled in the university summer school at the University of Wyoming.

Nebraska furnishes the largest number of out of state students with thirty-six; Kansas and Misnationalities are small, and that souri have fourteen each, and Colorado has twelve, Syria, China, Egypt and South America have each sent one representative.

> COLORADO SPRINGS .- Two hundred and twenty-five members of the Phi Mu sorority were gath-ered here last week at the sorority's national convention.



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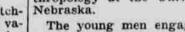
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The group left Lincoln on June mer. They expect to complete their

one which of us have uttered at some time during the recent summer sessions. Janitors claim that they clean every room, and there financial depression, with its con-, no reason to doubt their oft-repeated statements. But the fact remains that there's still too much oirt in classrooms of Social Sciences, Teachers College, Andrews and Morrill hall.

We go into the room and drop into a seat nearest a window on a ceol side, if any. Since we are not so ambitions, we usually flop our arms on the desk. In a few minutes we moved them-and we notice that each movement has fore the student has reached his been recorded on the desk and an junior year. If he is able to keep even more impressive recording has been registered on the coat sleeve (shirt sleeves, if you must, may be reasonably certain that he on these broiling mornings). A similar transfer of dust has taken men and sophomores are the ones place between chair and clothes. And another light suit goes-or should go- to the cleaners.

University officials have been notified about this dust "invasion" by the janitors, students, and faculty members. And by next summer there will be no alibles if C. O. M. finds any dust in those classrooms. For the "bad boy" of the campus will be wearing a green outfit with no dust pockets. The drill field will be a respectable mall.

For it is the drill field with its everlasting flurries of dust which has been the despair of janitors and a friend of the cleaners. And work on converting the field into number of Stutsman pre-school a mall similar to that to the east child mental tests to children beof the stadium will soon be

noons when the grader loosens a vonational test , ar al o legun for strip of ground right in front of tiese interated in taking the your classroom window?

man recently made the statement that young college people could not afford not to continue their schooling at this time. The present sequently scarcity of positions for the new college graduate cannot help leaving many college gradu-ates without jobs. It was the contention of this financier that the young men and women would be

making more than the usual gains if they continued in college, better preparing themselves for good positions when the finances of the country do return to normal.

The heaviest mortality among college students usually occurs beup courage and determination until half the journey is covered, one will complete his venture . Freshwho must take special care that they are not lured away from the advantages of the education by some more attractive proposition. The words of Shakespeare still hold, "All is not gold that glitters." -J. N.

FORDYCE GIVES IF212 Stutsman Exams Given in Measurement Clinic to Young Children. Dr. Charles Fordyce of the department of educational psychology and measurements, gave a tween the ages of eighteen months

And if it's dusty now, what will it be somee of these windy after-battery of twenty-soven different tests.

fortunate in having an administra-tion which does all in its power to further international exchange of professors; from such exchange the university has and is profiting. -University of Minnesota.

ON THE CAMPUS

Miss Louise Cottier, who is enrolled in Teacher's college working toward her E. S. degree, will go to Des Moiner, Friday to spend the weekend with her sister, Mrs. W. McKnight. She will return Sunday evening accompanied by her sister, Miss Doroothy Cottier, a teacher in the local public school here.

Prof. H. E. Bradford, of the department of vocational education, is leaving Wednesday for Ithaca, N. Y., where he will instruct in Cornell college for the remainder of the summer. He will teach vocational education.

Mr. J. A. Jimerson, superintendent of schools at Auburn, Neb., and a member of the faculty during the summer session, is teaching courses in school administra-

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