

**THE UNIVERSITY SUMMER SCHOOL.**

**Fee Reduced to One Dollar—Opens June 8, Closes July 3.**

For some years efforts have been made to concentrate the summer instruction in Nebraska in order that better results might be obtained from the annual labor and expense. Through the co-operation of the state superintendent of public instruction, who has taken active interest in the work, there has been year by year greater promise of the successful issue of this movement. The opening of the rooms of the university to the teachers the present year is a labor of love on the part of the professors, and is their contribution to the movement for the better instruction of Nebraska teachers.

**PURPOSE.**

This summer school is conducted for the teachers, principals and superintendents of Nebraska, many of whom have not had the opportunity of pursuing certain subjects under the guidance of specialists, while others wish to extend their present knowledge in various branches, by means of the facilities which the university affords. It is for such that this school is organized. A few weeks spent in contact with those who have made a life study of particular departments of knowledge should serve as an inspiration to the earnest teacher. This personal contact with men in their libraries and laboratories is doubtless the most important feature of summer school work.

**SCOPE.**

The summer school for this year will include the following members of the university faculty: Professors Sherman, Barber, Bessey, Bruce, Davis, Fling, Luckey; Instructors Candy, Chetburn and Parker; Assistants Clements, Lehmer and Walker, and Mr. Bell.

By referring to the course of study below it will be seen that fewer subjects will be given than heretofore. It has become evident that much more will be accomplished by offering a few subjects each year, and requiring thorough work in them, than by attempting to meet all possible demands by teachers.

**COURSES OF STUDY.**

The following are offered without conditions, so that teachers will certainly find instruction in the branches enumerated below.

**Botany**—Two courses. (I) Lectures on what and how to teach in the grades and the high schools. (II) A laboratory course of four hours daily with the compound microscope.

**Drawing**—Two Courses. (I) Drawing in outline from solids, with explanatory talks. (II) Drawing and shading with pencil and pen.

**English Literature**—Two Courses. (I) A study of literary elements following Sherman's Analytic of Literature. (II) A study of Hamlet, to outline the correct interpretation of a literary master piece.

**European History.** A course of training in the modern methods of historical study, including (a) bibliography, (b) lectures, (c) historical geography, (d) preparation of papers, (e) the use of the sources in secondary schools. Library reading will be required.

**Latin.** Some of the results of recent investigations will be placed before the teachers of Latin in the schools, and in addition the following will be taken up, (a) how to teach Latin grammar, (b) pronunciation and scansion, (c) the new syntax of moods and tenses, (d) classification of relative clauses.

**Mathematics**—Five Courses. (I) Lectures on teaching. (II) Algebra. (III) Geometry. (IV) Trigonometry. (V) Conics.

**Pedagogy**—Two Courses. (I) Child study consisting of twenty lectures, with laboratory work and library reading. (II) lectures on the origin and development of educational ideals, with round table discussions.

**Physics**—Two Courses. (I) A two weeks course (June 8 to 20) of lectures and demonstrative experiments, to illustrate the more important physical laws. (II) A course of laboratory experiments of four weeks' duration, including the arrangement and construction of apparatus.

**PUBLIC LECTURES, ROUND TABLES, ETC.**

Public lectures will be given in the chapel by Chancellor MacLesan, Professors Barbour, Fling Luckey, and Superintendent Corbett, and one or more "Round Tables" will be held by each of the head instructors.

**GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

The "registration fee" is one dollar for each person. Those taking work in the laboratories will pay an additional "laboratory fee," to cover cost of material and the wear of instruments. Registrations will close June 15, but all should be at work before the end of the first week.

The university library will be open every day from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Board and lodging may be had near the university at moderate prices, ranging from \$3 or even less, to \$4 or more

per week.

For further information address **CHARLES E. BESSEY,** Director, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebr.

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**Cruel Punishment.**

Magistrate—"You are charged with rushing up to this young lady, and kissing her against her will, and I sentence you to—"

Prisoner—"The charge is true, y'r honor; but she had been eating onions." Magistrate—"Then I sentence you to kiss her again."

**The Liveryman's Loss.**

Liveryman—"Terrible accident today. Mrs. Heavyweight hired a horse of me to take a ride, and had hardly got started before the horse stumbled."

Friend—"My! my! Did the horse fall on her?"

Liveryman—"No, she fell on the horse."

**Tommy's Logic.**

"I don't see what's the use of my being vaccinated again," said Tommy, baring his arm reluctantly for the doctor.

"The human body changes every seven years, Tommy," replied his mother. "You are eleven years old now. You were in your fourth year when you were vaccinated first, and it has run out."

"Well, I was baptized when I was a baby. Has that run out, too?"

**A Disappointed Mother.**

Anxious Mother—Did I hear Mr. Waterson kiss you in the conservatory to-night, Jeanette? I am sure I heard a very suspicious sound.

Jeanette (almost 30)—No, mother, that sound came from the dining room. You remember the door was open.

Anxious Mother—Oh, my child, what a night of disappointment this has been to me.—Springfield Graphic.

**Her Mean Insinuation.**

The lady was making some remarks about the kind of clothes some other ladies at the church had on.

"The finest garment a woman can wear," said her husband, "is the mantle of charity."

"Yes," she snapped, "and it's about the only one some husbands want their wives to wear."

**Visions of Glory.**

Mr. Binks (reading)—"Not a few great men have been partial to cats."

Mrs. Binks—Isn't that glorious! Our little Johnny will be a great man some day.

"Eh?"

"I've often caught him tying tin things to dogs' tails, and you know dogs worry cats."

**An Ounce of Prevention.**

Little Brother—Woo! How did you hurt your hand?

Little Sister—It isn't hurt.

"Then wot you got all those rags wrapped around your fingers for?"

"I'm goin' to drive a nail."

**The Absurdities of the English Language.**

An intelligent foreigner is said to have expressed himself after the following fashion on the absurdities of the English language:

"When I discovered that if I was quick I was fast, if I stood firm I was fast, if I spent too freely I was fast, and that not to eat was too fast, I was discouraged; but when I came across the sentence, 'The first one won one guinea prize,' I was tempted to give up English and learn some other language."

"All that"—

The speaker hastily swallowed a large portion of ice-water and again faced the multitude.

"Glitters is not gold; not"—

Drawing himself to his full height, his eyes emitted lurid beams of light, he fairly thundered forth the words,

"Not by a damsite."

The senator from the far west then proceeded to prove that the free coinage of silver was the only remedy on earth for pestilence, famine, beef trusts and Trilbyism.

**Marketable Possibly.**

Housekeeper—"Want any old newspapers?"

Junk Man—"No. Newspapers an't made o' rags any more. Made o' wood pulp."

Housekeeper—"Isn't wood pulp no use?"

Junk Man—"Guess not; but dump 'em on. If they happen to be made o' maple wood, maybe I can sell 'em at a maple sirup factory."

**The Champion Drawing Card.**

Fair Customer (breathlessly)—"I see you are advertising shot silks at five cents a yard."

Salesman (blandly)—"Yes, madam, and they will do beautifully for musquito netting. You see they came in an express car that was held up by train robbers."

**NOTICE.**

The Pershing Rifles hop is to be strictly a military affair. Cadets must wear uniforms and white duck trousers. By order.

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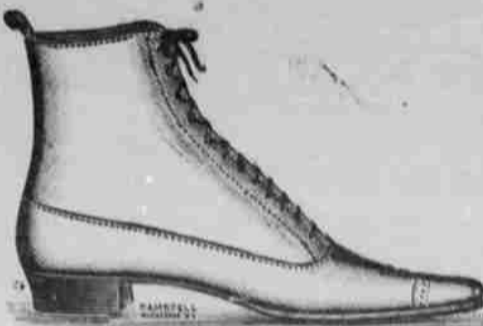
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