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240 WOULD BE INSTRUCTORS HEAR LECTURE

Prof. Forest C. Ensign Tells How to Obtain a Position

EXPLAINS FAULTS

Too Many Instructors Take Little Interest in Work

About 200 women and 40 men were in attendance at the meeting yesterday afternoon of the prospective teachers in the natural science auditorium. Prof. Forest C. Ensign of the department of education, spoke to the students on the motives of the bureau which the University has to secure positions for the students who contemplate teaching in the high schools of the state. Registration blanks were passed out to those present and instructions were given as to the manner in which they are to be filled out. Professor Ensign told of the bureau and the troubles which teachers have in carrying out their work.

Too Much Outside Work

"Many teachers of today have too many outside affairs in connection with their school work; they are sarcastic; they show partiality; they take no interest in the school but come when the bell rings and leave as soon as it rings again." So spoke Prof. Forest C. Ensign when talking to the students of the University who expect to teach next year, in their meeting yesterday afternoon. "Too many teachers of today take no interest in their schools but are passing the time away in a school room waiting for the next pay day."

Many letters were read to the students from different superintendents throughout the state which told of the mistakes that the average University graduate made when teaching. They like to dance real well, to attend card parties, and keep late hours. Some of them like to date with their students which is a very bad practice, they are friendly with some students and too sarcastic to the ones which they dislike. What the school boards of the state are looking for at the present time is teachers who have training in the teaching line, who have good scholastic standing and with the men a good physical condition is a great asset. The man who is six feet tall and weight 180 pounds has a decided advantage over the little fellow who looks like a book worm. Students like a big man and this is the reason that the big man usually makes a success of the teaching profession in public schools.

Math and Latin Profs Wanted

The kind of teachers most in demand at the present time are those who can teach mathematics and latin. Very few students major in latin so the demand for them is very great. Men who can coach athletics or debating teams or teach manual training are always in demand. General science and English teachers are needed but the demand for English teachers can usually be filled very easily because so many students major in English. Men usually teach for a year or so and then get out in the world for actual experience and then return as principals or superintendents in small districts.

Sent to High Schools

Last year nearly every student that was sent out by the bureau from the University received a salary of \$1400 a year. This was about the lowest salary given and seemed to be the most popular one. Practically all the students sent from the University are sent to high schools as nearly every high school requires that their teachers be college graduates.

What the salary for the next year will be is a question at the present time due to the fact that so many people are returning to the teaching profession who have been engaged in some sort of war work during the last few years. Shortage

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STOVER MAKES NEW RECORD

Breaks 40-Yard Dash Mark by Two-Fifths of a Second

Skipping over the water at a record breaking pace, Lee Roy Stover A2 of Watertown, South Dak., yesterday afternoon smashed the University record for the 40 yard dash when he paddled the distance in 20 2-5 seconds. He was swimming in the semi-final heat of the 40 yard dash in the all-University swimming meet, the finals of which are to be run off this afternoon. The old record was 20 4-5 seconds and was held jointly by Ross Clark, Douglas Boynton and R. A. Brown.

Fast Times Made

With Stover's record breaking performance in the 40 yard dash and a number of other good times in the preliminary events, interest and competition in the meet this afternoon promises to be keen. Ross Clark will no doubt make a strenuous effort to regain his broken title by swimming the 40 yard dash in less than 20 2-5 seconds this afternoon. Other men who came through the preliminary rounds yesterday afternoon and who will be in the finals this afternoon are G. A. Gage, I. J. Klingaman, E. G. Rich and I. Weber.

Competition to be Keen

Competition in the 100 yard swim will also be keen this afternoon with Clark, Stover, Goltman and Shepherd fighting hard for first place. The best time made in this event yesterday was 1:05 3-5. Klingman and Kramer will also swim in this event today, having placed in the preliminary rounds yesterday.

In the breast stroke Griffin, Mills, Drummond, L. C. Smith, Fisher and Eilers will be the competitors. Smith made the best time yesterday afternoon by swimming the event in 3:14. The University record in this event is 3:13 2-5 and is held by P. O. D. Vedova, who is now attending Harvard.

In the 220 yard swim Goltman, Shepherd, Marquardt, Goedel, Farrell, and Forney will compete this afternoon. Goltman made the best time of the day yesterday by swimming the event in 3:06. The University record of 2:54 4-5 in this event is held by Illiff Shepherd, captain of the swimming team.

Meet Starts at 2

No preliminary heats were held in the 440 yard swim, the plunge for for distance, nor the fancy dives yesterday. All these events will be run this afternoon, however.

The meet this afternoon will start promptly at 2:00 o'clock and will be open to the general public.

CHARITY BALL IS PATRONIZED BY 200 COUPLES

More than 200 couples braved the rain yesterday evening to patronize the art of tetrachore at the Charity Ball which was held at the University armory under the auspices of the Lion's club. A crowd of nearly 400 couples was expected had the weather been more favorable which would have resulted in a densely packed floor. With two orchestras playing Ogle's varsity ten piece and "The Midnight Rounds" alternating, dancing was at its best.

The Harmony Trio gave several vaudeville numbers during the evening. Harry Bremer's western champions were auctioned off to the highest bidders by Colonel Fred Albin of West Branch. The armory was simply decorated with the stars and stripes.

The patrons and patronesses were: Mayor and Mrs. Ingalls Swisher, Lion's Club; Prof. and Mrs. R. A. Kuever, Rotary Club; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sproutt, Kiwanis club; Prof. and Mrs. E. H. Lauer, Major and Mrs. Ray C. Hill, and Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Hinman Jr of the University.

The Lion's Club is bearing the expenses of the ball. After they have been deducted, the entire proceeds are to be turned over to the social service league of Iowa City to be used in aiding needy families of Iowa City.

BOTH MEN AND WOMEN FAVOR CORDUROY TROUSERS FOR MEN OF THE UNIVERSITY

The wearing of corduroy pants to classes along with the now common sight of the flannel shirt seems to be gaining in favor with the students as the year rolls around. As is the usual case, the engineers can be credited with starting the custom although they usually accompany theirs with knee length boots, but the laws and the medics have not been far behind and it looks now like the liberal arts tea hound was liable to follow in their wakes. And when you come right down to it, there is no real reason why corduroys should not be worn to classrooms.

Save Lots of Money

They effect a real saving in that they never get shiny, and wear about three times as long as the average worsted, serge, or chevot. The corduroy boy never has to worry if a rain comes along to spoil his nice press before his classes are over, because he hasn't any press to begin with, and couldn't put one into them if he tried to. One may argue that the girls wouldn't look at him cross eyed if he wore corduroys, because they look positively sloppy, but if he would cast an eye at a girl flapping down the street with a pair of four buckle arties under full sail, the sloppy argument is gone.

"It's the Man That Counts

The girls themselves don't really feel that way, according to Lue Prentiss A4 of Iowa City, a member of Staff and Circle. "I don't like

this idea of coming to school all the time dressed up like you were going to a tea dance," Biddy said, "it doesn't make any difference to me what the man look like in what he wears but its the man himself that counts. I wouldn't give a second thought to the question of going into Whetstones or any place else with a man with corduroys on, because I have done it, several times and never thought a thing about it. It is high time the boys were getting a little different idea as to this being dressed up idea, and the girls are just as bad. I think the way some of them come to classes all dolled up is simply fierce."

"I never think a thing about a thing like that," Maude Adams A4 of Des Moines, another member of Staff and Circle, said. "It isn't the pants but the man that wears them that counts."

Men Favor It

As far as the men themselves go, there doesn't seem to be any real reason why they shouldn't wear them, according to Frank Shimek A4 of Iowa City, a member of A. F. I. "If I had the money to get a pair I'd wear 'em myself, but I'm broke," was Shimek's version of the matter.

"I've never thought much one way or the other about the matter," Aubrey Devine stated, "but personally when I stop to think about it, it seems to me like a mighty good idea."

LAWS PRAISE WORK OF DEAN

McGovney, Retiring Head of Law College Given Letter of Appreciation

D. O. McGovney, retiring dean of the college of law, was presented with a letter of appreciation by the senior class of the college of law. This class entered the college of law the year following the close of the war, and all of the members with the exception of two were in some branch of the service in the World War. Dean McGovney has been very popular with the members of the senior law class, and they have shown their deep appreciation of his work among them in the following letter:

Mr. D. O. McGovney, Professor of Law, University of Iowa.

Dear Mr. McGovney: The class of '22 desires to express to you the deep loss which it and the whole law school feels they have suffered by reason of your withdrawal from the office of Dean.

During your incumbency of that office the law school has grown both in numbers and in prestige, until now it easily ranks as one of the best law schools in the country. We are appreciative of the fact that the credit for the remarkable rise of the school is due largely to your untiring efforts in the performance of your duties of administration.

The least that we can say by the way of appreciation is that your administration has been wise, efficient and highly beneficial to all. We who have profited thereby deeply regret that you chose to relinquish those duties which you have so capably preformed. Our loss is irreplaceable, yet we feel confident that our loss will be partly retrieved by the added contribution you will now be able to make to use and to the legal world by reason of your devoting your undivided time to the study of that most noble of all subjects, etc.—law.

May we express our sincere wish for your continued success and happiness in your work.

Respectfully yours,
 Law Class of 1922.
 Max A. Conrad,
 Chas. B. Hoeven,
 Frank Coy, committee.

WEATHER REPORT

Weather for Iowa—Rain turning to snow. Colder in the northeast part of the state.

IOWA READY FOR BATTLE

Cornell Said to Have Fast Basketball Team This Season

A light workout marked the last practice before the game with Cornell college here this evening, and Coach James N. Ashmore sent his men to the showers early.

Cornell is said to have quite a formidable squad this year, and the Hawkeyes will have to fight to take them into camp. The Iowa squad has improved quite a bit since the game last week, however, and with the introduction of a new play by Coach Ashmore, the men have seemed to be better in every respect.

Lineup Uncertain

The lineup for the game this evening is uncertain, although it is probable that the same five that faced Augustana will start the game. Aubrey has found his basket eye and will undoubtedly start, and Burgett may be used in the place of Barton at center, who has been playing at forward most of the time this week.

Coach Ashmore has three teams which will probably be used against Cornell. There is little choice between the first and second teams, and the third squad was good enough to hold Augustana. It seems very probable that at least fifteen men will be used by the Iowa coach.

No General Admission

Admission to the game will be only by yearbook, according to the athletic department, and the game will start promptly at 7:30.

STUDENTS SHOW CHRISTMAS SPIRIT BY EXPRESSIONS

Only eight more days until Christmas! The Christmas spirit has invaded Iowa City and the University. It may be seen in the shop windows where holly, poinsettias, mistletoe, miniature fir trees, tinsel, colored lights, and gifts ranging in price equal to that charged for a roll and coffee to a sum of money great enough to make even such prosperous men as the proprietors of Iowa City dance halls to open their eyes, and to gasp, are shown in profusion.

Yearlings Dream of Home

It may be seen on the campus where freshmen go about with their seemingly, only thoughts written indelibly upon their thoughtful faces; "only eight more days until Christmas. Only eight more days and I will be at home with my feet planted beneath father's sumptuous festive board. Only eight more days and I will be home with Sweetie." They stand for long moments gazing at the pretty gifts in the shop windows, and quite often one of the yearlings who claims a "steady" is seen to gaze thoughtfully into windows, his hands in his trousers pockets jingling a few "iron men". Then suddenly he will enter the shop, to soon come out with a package tucked under his arm, but with empty pockets. Probably he will meet his roommate and show him the package with the remark, "If you can't loan me the money, I will have to bum home."

Studies Are First With Seniors

Different students seem to greet the Christmas spirit in different ways. Some go about the campus with work-tired, sleepy expressions; they seem to be hanging on like distance runners until the finish. Others seem happy, almost elated. They walk down the streets and speak to everyone, provided that they have met them before, and their faces are continually enveloped in smiles. But the hardened seniors seem less willing to show their pleasure at the coming of the holidays than do the freshmen and sophomores. Certainly they are glad that they will be going home, but the studies come first, you know.

Profs Tire at Xmas Time

Professors in general are beginning to show their Christmas spirit in their characteristic manner. Most of them are irritable, grouchy, and try not to miss any student when recitations are in order.

WILL PRESENT MESSIAH AT NEXT VESPERS

University Chorus to Sing Selections From Oratorio

ORCHESTRA TO PLAY

Prominent Musicians Help Present Handel's Masterpiece

At the vesper service which will take place Sunday, December 18, in the natural science auditorium, selections from "The Messiah" by George Friedrich Handel will be presented by the University chorus under the direction of Prof. Philip G. Clapp, head of the music department.

Chorus to Be Assisted

The chorus will be assisted by the University glee clubs under the direction of Prof. Walter Leon, head of the voice department, by the University orchestra under the direction of Prof. Frank K. Kendrie, and by the following soloists: Miss Alice Ingham, soprano; Miss Ruth Rowland, soprano; Miss Jeanne Wolfe, soprano; Mrs. Mildred Paddock, contralto; Mrs. Lottie Volkmer, contralto; Prof. Walter Leon, tenor; Mr. James Houghton, baritone; Miss Verness Fraser, continuo; and Mrs. Leona Travis, continuo.

Program is Varied

The program for the services is as follows: Overture, University orchestra; Invocation, Reverend Frank C. Doan; Recitative, "Comfort ye!"; Air, "Every Valley shall be Exalted, Professor Leon; Chorus, "And the Glory of the Lord"; Recitative, "Behold!"; Air with Chorus, "O, thou that Tellest Good Tidings to Zion"; Mrs. Paddock; Recitative, "For Behold! Darkness"; Air, "The People that Walked in Darkness," Mr. Houghton.

Scripture Reading; Pastoral Symphony; Recitative, "There were Shepherds"; Chorus, "Glory to God!"; Recitative, "Then shall the Eyes"; Air, "He shall Feed His Flock"; Mrs. Volkmer and Miss Rowland.

Prayer; Air, "He was Despised"; Mrs. Paddock; Chorus, "Surely He hath Borne our Grievs"; Chorus, "And with His Stripes we are Healed"; Recitative, "Thy Rebuke hath Broken his Heart"; Air, "Behold and See"; Professor Leon; Air, "I know that my Redeemer Liveth"; Miss Ingham; Chorus, "Since by Man came Death"; Chorus, "Hallelujah!"; Benediction.

STUDENTS TO HAVE EASIER TIME GETTING HOME THIS SEMESTER

Stuffed suitcases, bulging grips, crowded platforms and more crowded trains, yelling conductors, screaming engines, and all this only four days off. With these thoughts flooding through their minds, University students yesterday began digging out their old time tables, dusting off their grips and suit cases and making other preliminary preparations for the one grand and glorious event of the first semester—going home for Christmas.

From present indications the going home will be a trifle easier this year than last for both of the transportation lines operating out of Iowa City are making special plans to accommodate the crowd. The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad will run a special train to Des Moines, making stops at Grinnell, Newton and Colfax. The special will elave here just ahead of the Rocky Mountain Limited, and will precede it all the way to Des Moines.

The Iowa Railway and Light company, operators of the interurban line to Cedar Rapids, have arranged to run a special two car train to the parlor city, the special to leave here at 3:15 p. m. The interurban officials have also announced that beginning with the 2:55 car, trailers will be run on all cars until the crowd is accommodated.

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ONE TO TEN

Staff and Circle has been giving students and faculty members an examination. That examination has netted an average grade of about ten per cent. With an active student body of over 5,000, about half a thousand members of the faculty, and many thousand former students for a market, only approximately 600 of the college song books compiled by Staff and Circle have been sold. In the light of these figures, a grade of ten per cent is decidedly more lenient than that which any professor would put on the last of a pile of papers long after midnight when the pencil has added an extra cipher to the ten and he is too sleepy to notice the mistake. It should, on the other hand, be a case in which anything below a hundred per cent, mean absolute failure.

It would not be such a discouraging affair if one might argue about it, but no one will argue. Everyone will admit that it is a valuable collection, that it contains songs that every college man and woman should know, that true loyalty would support the project, that they are indifferent about such things, that they are negligent, in fact, one might accuse them of almost any crime without opposition, but the stack of unsold books would remain just as high.

Somebody start an argument. Tell us why we should not buy the song books, and then perhaps the sale will progress with reasonable speed. Remain indifferent, and the dust will gather on our dearest and most popular college songs.

WHY?

There are several disagreeable adjectives. Among them are such ones as irritable, annoying, disgusting, unexcusable; the student thinks of all of them when he receives notice of insufficient credit for graduation, physical training on the debit side of the ledger, or an incomplete major, this when previous reports from the registrar's office have indicated a satisfactory standing and clear sailing.

There are mistakes and mistakes. Some are laughable, others are unimportant, and there are still others that sometimes have serious results. There are, of course, exceptions, but the average student does not flit through the University without keeping an eye on his credit balance sheet. He inquires about his standing at the proper place with the satisfying thought that he will get a correct report and that he can depend upon it. What does this dependence mean? In the light of some wrong reports that students have lately received, it may mean an over-loaded schedule for the last semester before his graduation, it may mean that he will have to attend an extra summer session, or it may mean that he will soon be classed as a former student rather than as a graduate of the University of Iowa.

This will throw a shade of seriousness on the situation. Wrong reports have been received and they carry discouraging importance. What is the reason?

PLAN REVIVAL FOR WOMEN'S PEP ORGANIZATION

Is O. I. C., women's pep organization, dying? Ethel M. Spencer A2 of Olathe, Colorado, president of the organization, is planning a sudden revival after Christmas.

"I consider it kind of a fizzle this year," said Lue Prentiss, A4 of Iowa City, who took an active part in O.

BEYOND THE HORIZON

By C. K. H.

When Eugene O'Neill wrote "Beyond the Horizon", he did not have in mind a tickling of the varying fancies of all those who might chance to witness its production. His drama aims, rather, to appeal to that group of people who can listen to a ponderous story and allow themselves to be puzzled by the problem it presents. If it is appreciated, he is repaid; if it entertains and is enjoyed, if people relish a grovelling in bitterness and resentment, he is more than repaid. He need not, on the other hand reckon with those who become alarmed at mere mention of the more profound things.

This was evidenced in the recent presentation at the University theater. It must also enter into a critical contemplation of that presentation, and in addition, there is the problem of reconciling amateur interpreters to weighty subjects; we might criticize from a professional standpoint, but the amateur demands a certain leniency.

The poet, the dreamer, the delicate near-invalid, was safe in the hands of Albert Ward. He portrayed the weak and helpless bitterness of a dreamer, the thing that moved that suffered only from unnatural love-making and awkwardness in the few instances that called for any show of joy or ecstasy. He placed himself surely and fairly in the prevailing and emotional atmosphere of despair with undisputed artistry.

It was this gloom that Gregory Foley, as an old sea captain, was called upon to disperse and he did so with something that savored of professional skill. The old salt was always free, perhaps extreme, but his finely forced humor was needed. He would not allow one to remember that his chest measure might not support a captain's title and that his voice might be lost in a booming gale.

Kenneth Shumaker was an adequate farmer. His was the greatest strength of character on the stage. He assumed a stern, paternal, and forceful attitude that was supported by a mature voice and bearing asking no quarter but assuming full responsibility of the role. The auditor was aware that he was on the stage, however, and that he was acting rather than living a part of his normal life.

The cast of the play called for a

brother. Any one of several kinds of brothers would have sufficed provided that he was strong, manly and consistent. Joseph Hauser played this part well, but did not have the resources upon which to draw when the progress of the play demanded his development into a shrewd man of the world.

The most difficult acting in the play was the task of Maude Adams. The others were fitted and dovetailed into their respective roles and their characters came together in consistently working out the development of the play, but it was the sweetheart and wife who reflected the results of these workings; the changes and progress of the story were pictured in her words, her expression and attitude. For this reason she laid herself liable to probably the greatest share of criticism. She was not free enough as a sweetheart and her final stages of despair were too affected; she did not carry the desired emotions and feelings successfully to the audience, but she did show a certain change of character and a varied adaption not required of any others on the stage.

Beatrice Pentony left no doubt that she meant to be, for the time, a mother-in-law with the irritable and selfish nature of the chronic invalid. When she was wheeled on to the stage, she left behind anything that might belong to a college girl.

Lois Garret was not out of place as a conscientious and trusting farmer's wife, Carl Kreiner was a perfectly proper and necessary doctor, and James Barton was a farm hand who could have been different but wasn't; they all filled their places with a care and exactness that indicated coaching tolerant of no possible weakness in unimportant details. Finally, there was the delicate and artistic touch of almost faultless acting by the little five year old Mary Evelyn Burns.

The play was long, too long, in spite of a free use of the blue pencil on the original lines, and a slow-moving monotony was experienced by all who revel in prolonged morbidness. In spite of this and bringing into consideration a nice co-operation, fitting music by the University orchestra, and an appreciative audience, it may be ranked as, if not the best, certain one of the best undergraduate productions of recent years.

I. C. as yell leader last year. "They have not done anything, as far as I can see, except sell Frivols."

"We have not done anything so far except sell Frivols," said Miss Spencer, "but we intend to get things together after Christmas and hold regular meetings. The general lack of any action is due, I think, to the fact that we have held no regular meetings. Then, too, there was some difficulty in straightening out the secretary's books."

The president put the blame on herself when she said, "The members seem enthusiastic and have been very good in attending student pep meetings and games. I feel that the main trouble is a lack of any executive ability on my part."

"After Christmas I am going to

have a sudden revival even if I have to resign in the process. We plan to have regular meetings and community singing with Jean M. Speirs A4 of Reinbeck, president of Staff and Circle, in charge."

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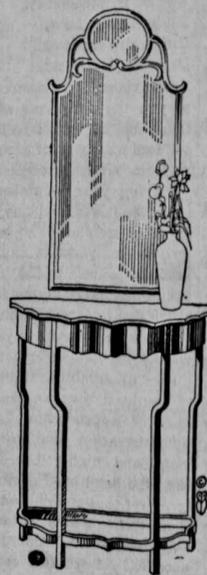
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SHIMEK TO SPEAK AT QUAD

The third speaker to address the Quadrangle club on the lyceum course will be Prof. Bohumil Shimek of the botany department. He will speak at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Music will be given by the club. In addition to the address the lyceum numbers have been very successful as a means of instruction and entertainment for the men. Prominent men of the University and city have been chosen to address the club at future meetings.

SPECS ARE AFFECTED BY WOMEN, USED BY MEN

Reporter Discovers Remarkable Fact; Hair Getting Scarcer as Years Go By!

It has been rumored on the campus that more and more of the University students are wearing eye glasses; that more and more of the students are becoming apparently short-sighted, and that some of the male students are losing their hair rapidly due to the intensive study and the other phases of the University life. These questions were given to the reporter and he was told to find whether they are true or not.

Men, Utility; Women, Looks

These questions are giving the fair coed much concern. However, does it not seem true that more and more of the men and women in the classes are wearing glasses? Out of a class of seventy it was found that there were twelve men wearing glasses and only six girls, showing that the men are more dependent on this aid than are the women. However, on the street the favorite tortoise rim can be found on a very large percent of the fair sorority girls. Is it only the style or does the coed believe that this gives her an appearance of studiousness and a touch of distinction?

Teeth Are "Better" Now

From the dental clinic comes the information that the teeth of the University students of today are much better than they were a few years ago. However, the students of today are much more "particular" than formerly. "They want gold now instead of previous forms of silver and amalgam fillings," declared one "dent"—"better" teeth, no es verdad?

More Tonic Since Hootch Died

In pursuit of an answer for the "hair question," the reporter found himself in a downstairs barber shop, where he accosted the barber, who replied regarding men's and women's hair: "Well, we are selling more and more hair tonic every day to the boys. I cannot tell you whether they are buying it because of the falling hair, because they like the delightful aroma, or possibly because they think that they will get something out of the contents." This was accompanied by a wink and a nudge.

Hair Getting Thinner (With Age)

"I think that the hair is becoming thinner as the years go by," he added, and the reporter was forced to agree with him, for had he not noticed in his own classes that there are traces of baldness on the heads of a large number of his classmates?

Even the women are wearing their hair shorter than usual, and "bobbing is becoming a large part of the business of the tonsorial artist. However, the reporter found that he could come to no definite conclusion and so gave the matter up and returned to the consolation of his books, hoping that eye glasses and falling hair should not befall him on another assignment in this life.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Christmas Epworth League social will be held at the Methodist church Saturday night at 8.

Wesley Club will meet at 120 N. Clinton tonight at 7 p. m.

The Cosmopolitan club will give a program Saturday evening, December 17, at 7:30 in the liberal arts drawing room. Professor

Stephen H. Bush will talk on "My Trip through Europe and the near east"; Mr. Abram M. De Vaul L2 on "Disarmament Conference"; music will interpose. The public is invited.

240 WOULD BE INSTRUCTORS HEAR LECTURE

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of positions in other work is driving them back to teaching school.

The University graduate secures a teaching certificate, good for five years, if he follows the teaching profession, while the undergraduate receives a provisional certificate which is good for one year, or takes the regular teachers examination, and secures a certificate in that manner.

Christmas Buying Troubles Will Be Over

If you will call at **WALLICK'S GIFT SHOP** by the Jefferson Hotel.

We are showing a complete line of Japanese Novelties, including Lamps, Shades, Candle Sticks, Bags, Vases, Incense Burners, Nut Bowls, Book Ends, Tea Sets, Jewelry and Beads, Hand made Linen, Ribbon Novelties and Dolls.

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Saturday Evening, December 17"
Dancing Games
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ONLY FIFTY-ONE IN HOSPITAL THIS YEAR

During the time from September 26 to December 1, fifty-one University students have been patients at University hospital. At this period last year here were sixty-seven students in the hospital. This year the majority of the patients have been in the medical and surgical departments, twenty-one being in the surgical department and fifteen in the medical department. Last year the majority of patients were in the medical and ear and throat departments, twenty-six in the medical department and twenty-four in the ear and throat department.

In 1920 at this period there were more contagious diseases in the hospital than there are this year. So far there has been only one case of contagious disease. More eye, ear, nose and throat conditions were in the hospital in 1920. On the whole with the exception of acute appendicitis there has been a marked reduction in the number of all conditions requiring hospitalization, especially communicable diseases.

WOMEN GIVE PARTY

Freshmen women of the University will hold their annual party at the women's gymnasium this afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Novel refreshments will be served and games will be played.

SOCIETY

Nu Sigma Phi, medical sorority, announces the pledging of Dr. Margaret Armstrong, Friday evening, December 16. After the pledging Miss Zeda Cooper entertained the sorority at her residence at 114 E. Bloomington street. Dr. Armstrong is a member of the pathology department of the University hospital.

Freshman Party

Freshmen women will give a party at the women's gymnasium this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

Delta Tau Delta

Delta Tau Delta fraternity will entertain at a masquerade party at the chapter house tonight. Music will be furnished by Jonnie Wright's orchestra and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Myers and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy A. Rader will chaperon.

Psi Omega

Psi Omega will dance at the chapter house Saturday night. Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Piercy will chaperon.

Phi Delta Chi

Prof. and Mrs. A. H. Holt will chaperon the Phi Delta Chi dance, Saturday night.

Cotillion Dance

DeWayne Sillman and Paul Minick will give a dance at the Cotillion Hall Saturday night. Capt. and Mrs. Batman and Lieut. and Mrs. Riani will chaperon.

Varsity will be chaperoned Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. I. G. DeFrance and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lautz.

Margaret Wilson A2 of Iowa City and Elizabeth Ensign A2 of Iowa City will be hostess at Varsity Saturday afternoon.

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Omega Beta Pi danced at the Burkley last night; Phi Kappa Sigma danced at the chapter house; and Phi Alpha Delta danced at Criterion Hall.

There was no dance at Varsity or at the Cotillion last night because of the Charity Ball at the Men's Gymnasium.

Kelly-Harper

Miss Eda Kelly '21 was married yesterday to Prof. Floyd E. Harper of the department of mathematics at the home of Prof. William H. Wilson on Manville Heights. Members of the Delta Zeta sorority were guests.

Lue Prentiss A4 of Iowa City entertained the members of Staff and Circle at her home on the West Side at dinner Thursday evening.

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TODAY—SUNDAY—MONDAY

Here is a chance for you to see a dandy show before going home for Christmas

Come to a Studio Party
of Hobo-hemians

Come in your soup and fish—and bring an extra suit for a struggling artist.

R. S. V. P.
(Answer if you please)

Here's the story of the young fellow who shook a mean paint brush at an otherwise good canvas and knocked out splashes of fun.



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