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THERE will be no convocation next week Thursday, March 6th. On Thursday, March 13th, there will be an all-University convocation in the Armory, at 11:30, and President Burton will address the members of the University.

BULLETIN TO THE DEANS

The next meeting of the Board of Regents will be held Friday, March 7th, at the Office of the President. The Agricultural Committee will meet the preceding day at the University Farm. All items of business must be in the President's Office by Wednesday, March 5th, at 5 o'clock, or they can not be included on the docket.

DELINQUENT STUDENTS of the College of Science, Literature, and the Arts, below in two or more subjects, who have not reported to Mr. Koenig, should see him Saturday, March 1st, Room 106, Folwell Hall. Failure to report at that time will be regarded as a non-attendance to Administrative Board notices, and will be treated accordingly.

ROYAL R. SHUMWAY,
Chairman Administrative Board

FRESHMAN GIRLS, ATTENTION!

Miss Ball, Vocational Adviser for Women, is planning a Vocational Conference for freshman girls on Wednesday, March 5. The conference will begin at 4:30 in the afternoon with talks by Dean J. B. Johnston, Dean Gertrude H. Beggs, and Miss Mildred Weigley. This will be followed by a dinner at 6 o'clock at which President Burton will speak to the freshman girls. Every freshman is urged to keep the afternoon and dinner of Wednesday, March 5, open. Tickets for the dinner will be on sale in the Post Office.

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

A very important meeting of the Seniors of the College of Education will be held Monday at one o'clock in Room 205.

Because of the fact that President Burton and Dean Coffman are to speak at the Educational Banquet on Thursday, March 6, upon subjects of vital concern to all interested in education, the committee in charge has decided to invited all those interested to attend. Students in Agricultural Education are especially invited. Tickets are 50 cents and may be obtained in the Educational Seminar.

THE SOPHOMORE COMMISSION will meet Monday in Shevlin Hall. Members must notify Filomena Alway by Monday morning at 9:00 if they wish lunch ordered.

THE PHARMACOLOGICAL AND PHYSIOLOGICAL SEMINAR will meet Monday, March 3, at 4:30 in Room 315, Millard Hall. Dr. Nixon will speak on "The Physiology of Sensation with reference to the sensory disturbances and cord changes in Pernicious Anaemia."

THE W. S. G. A. BOOK EXCHANGE is open today from 9:30 to 1:00 for the settlement of accounts.

"PERSONAL MAGNETISM" is to be the subject of Rev. A. R. Miller of the Paulist Fathers, at tomorrow's meeting of the Students' Catholic Association in the Engineering Building. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

ALL MEN in any department of the University who are interested in the World Forum idea as developed by some of the Eastern universities and colleges are invited to meet Mr. Linn L. Reist, Y. M. C. A. Secretary of the "U. Y." Minnesota Union, to discuss the matter. Mr. Reist will be glad to give any information or assistance to men who are interested.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

The Executive Committee of the Department of Agriculture will meet Monday, March 3, at 1:30 in Dean Thatcher's office.

R. M. WEST, Secretary

The Juniors will hold an important meeting this noon at 12:30 in Room 317, Administration Building.

UNIVERSITY HEALTH SERVICE

TUBERCULOSIS (continued)

As a result of antituberculosis warfare—chiefly through education, thanks to the persistent activities of numerous public and private agencies engaged in human welfare and betterment—the death rate from this disease is steadily declining. During the previous century, one-fourth of all deaths in Europe was due to this disease. Now tuberculosis produces but one-tenth of all deaths in the most enlightened communities. Even at this rate, the disease may be rightly considered as one of the most serious with which mankind must deal.

While the name "tuberculosis" strikes terror in those afflicted with it, yet the really important matter is not so much whether one has tuberculosis as whether one has it in a serious or active form. Or, in other words, whether the disease is in an active state, or whether it is inactive or healed. Nagele, from a careful examination of a large number of bodies in Zurich, found evidence of tuberculosis in over 90 per cent. In other words, 90 per cent of all city dwellers have the disease in some form and in varying degrees. Hence it is almost impossible for a mortal, in the city especially, to escape the infection.

Why, then, if the disease is so universally distributed, do so many succeed in living a long life free from any of the manifestations of tuberculosis? It is because certain cells in the healthy normal body are able to check or "wall in" the germs—healed tuberculosis. Far too frequently, however, we permit our normal, healthy, bodily resistance to be lowered through fatigue, colds, malnutrition, impure air, unhygienic living, etc. Then the walled-in germs "get the upper hand" and flare up. The result is an active tuberculosis.

The first principle, then, in our fight against tuberculosis is to continually maintain a high degree of health—positive, active and vigorous.