

# The University of Minnesota

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### TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY:

It seems wise at this time to make an official announcement in regard to the policy of the University concerning the dismissal of classes for the institution as a whole. Recent experiences make it quite evident that some misunderstanding exists in regard to this subject. While these experiences are fresh in our minds, it will be in the interests of mutual understanding to make perfectly clear the policy of the University in these matters.

It is always to be assumed that nothing whatsoever will be permitted to interfere with the regular work of the University. Our primary tasks cannot be set aside for the numerous and varied interests demanding our time and attention.

Therefore, no group, organization, or individual should initiate plans or make any public announcements whatsoever looking to the possible suspension of class-work without *first* consulting with the President of the University. Only by the generous yielding of the Administrative Committee of the University Senate in recent discussions, have we avoided serious embarrassment and misunderstanding. It was specifically stipulated that recent decisions in no way create a precedent for dealing with similar requests in the future.

The assumption, then, is that nothing will interfere with the regular work of the University. In those very rare cases where exception may be made, application should first be officially presented in writing to the President. Ample time should be allowed for due consideration of the plans which are involved. I feel confident that both this policy and this method of procedure will commend themselves fully to the best judgment of everyone in the University.

M. L. BURTON, President

#### NOTICE TO THE DEANS

The Administrative Committee of the Senate will meet this morning at 10:30 at the Office of the President.

#### TICKETS FOR DUNSANY LECTURE

Captain the Lord Dunsany of Dunsany Castle, Ireland, will give readings from his plays at the First Baptist Church, Harmon Place and Tenth Street, near the Public Library, on Thursday, November 13, a quarter past eight o'clock. The price for admission is \$1.00, but students may obtain tickets at half price in Folwell 222, this afternoon, if they come with the exact change.

DR. IDA KAHN, the noted Chinese woman physician, will speak at a mass meeting tomorrow, November 13, at 4:30 p.m., in the Little Theater. She was appointed by the Chinese government as its representative at the International Conference of women physicians recently held in New York City. No student can afford to miss the rare opportunity of hearing this remarkable woman, who has made such a contribution to her country.

THE OPEN FORUM COUNCIL will meet today at 7:45 p.m., for the election of officers and decisions on matters of policy. Deans of all colleges and heads of recognized student organizations are requested to appoint one representative from each of their respective faculties or organizations to attend this meeting.

D. BRONSON

THE ALL-UNIVERSITY OPEN FORUM will meet this evening at 8:30 in the Law Auditorium. The discussion will be led by Judge Andrew A. Bruce of the Law School on the subject "The Injunction in the Present Coal Strike."

#### COMMERCE CLUB SMOKER

The first smoker for members of the Commerce Club will be held tomorrow, November 13, at 7:30 p.m., at the Minnesota Union. Mr. James W. Fisk, Efficiency Manager of Bannan Brothers, St. Paul, will speak. His subject will be "Doctoring Sick Business." All members are urged to attend.

MISS ISABEL CRAIG BACON, Special Agent of Retail Selling with the Federal Board for Vocational Education at Washington, D. C., will speak to the girls taking business and pre-business work, and also to any others interested, this evening at 7:30, in Room 102, Mechanic Arts Building. Her subject will be "Possibilities open to College Women in Department Stores." She has had four years' experience with the Boston schools in retail salesmanship and can give many concrete illustrations from her wide experience.

#### FACULTY WOMEN—NOTICE

The informal dinner of the new organization of women members of the faculty will be held today at 5:30 p.m., in Shevlin Hall. No reservations need be made since the dinner will be served cafeteria style from 5:30 to 6:15. Miss Josephine Tilden will be hostess.

#### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE ASSEMBLY.—Mr. A. J. Elliot ("Dad" Elliot) member of the International Committee of the Y.M.C.A., will be at the University Farm on Wednesday and Thursday of this week and will talk to the men of the School and College of Agriculture. He will speak at College Assembly at 10:15 Thursday; the time of his other talks will be announced later.

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### COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

All persons offering instruction to students in the College of Education are requested to send their reports on the work of the students to Miss Goodrich, Registrar's office, on or before Saturday, November 15th. L. D. COFFMAN, Dean

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Faculty and students of the College of Education are invited to a reception in Shevlin Hall on Saturday, November 15, at eight o'clock. H. L. DEALEY

THE UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA will meet this evening at 7:30, in the Armory.

### R.O.T.C. OFFICERS' CLUB

All acting officers of the R.O.T.C. will meet next Friday, November 14, at 12:30, for a 50 cent lunch in Room 204, Minnesota Union. The Officers' Club will be organized at that time.

THE INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4:30, in Room 212, Folwell Hall.

JAMES DAVIES

### NOTICE TO INTERFRATERNITY FRESHMEN

There will be a meeting of Tau Shonka club, composed of interfraternity freshmen, at the Delta Upsilon house tonight, November 12, at 8 o'clock. All fraternity freshmen are invited to attend.

Will the person who handed a letter addressed to F. G. Olbrich, Champaign, Ill., to the postman for registration on the morning of November 11, Mechanic Arts Building, please report immediately to the Postoffice window.

### NOTICE TO MEDICAL STUDENTS

The Students' Work Committee has interpreted the rules governing honor points to conform to the quarter system as follows:

I. "Students who secure less than 20 quarter honor points in the required courses of the third (freshman) year will be denied further registration in the Medical School."

The foregoing applies to the present Freshman class.

II. "Students who by the end of the fourth (sophomore) year have secured less than 70 quarter honor points, 50 of which were for the required courses, will be denied further registration in the Medical School."

Rule II applies to present sophomores.

III. "Students must secure their bachelor degrees, i.e., 90 quarter honor points on science subjects in the Medical School, together with the fulfillment of all requirements in the Arts College, before they can register for the second clinical period (clerkship). The 90 quarter honor points for medical science subjects must likewise be secured by students who had a bachelor degree before entering the Medical School, or who received such degree at the end of the Freshman medical year."

Rule III applies to present sophomores. It applies to present juniors as regards the second quarter of the clerkship period; i.e., they must secure their bachelor degrees before they can register as seniors.

Attention is also called to the standing rule:

"Any student, who at the end of any given quarter, receives grades of E or F in more than 50 per cent of his registered work in that quarter, will be indefinitely dropped for poor scholarship; such percentage to be estimated upon a credit hour basis."

F. H. SCOTT,

Chairman, Students' Work Committee