

Taking the Student to the World

Dr. Albert K. Heckel, Dean of Men at the University of Missouri and former Professor of History at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., is a visiting Professor of History at the University of Washington for the summer of 1925. He has been chosen to serve as Executive Dean and Professor of History for an experimental "college afloat." A large transport, *President Arthur*, is being refitted with suitable classrooms, laboratories and living quarters. The faculty will comprise experts in such fields as History, Anthropology, Astronomy, Geography, Mathematics, Geology, Sociology, Languages, Literature and kindred subjects. The cruise around the world will require a year of time. The grades earned by the students are to be recorded at the University of New York and may be transferred from that institution to any others elected by the individual students. The tuition fee for each student, covering all expenses, is \$2200.

Dean Heckel, in commenting on the enterprise said: "Heretofore we have been bringing the world to the student. On this occasion we will be taking the student to the world."

President Harding's Pastor in the West

On July 27, 1923, President Warren G. Harding, while in Seattle, gave the oath of allegiance to thousands of boys assembled in Woodland Park. Through the leadership of the Seattle Lodge of Elks a permanent memorial stand has been erected on the exact spot of that ceremony. It is to be used for the first time in a big celebration on July Fourth, 1925. The Committee of Rainier-Noble Post of the American Legion, having in charge Seattle's celebration of the Nation's Birthday, have been fortunate in securing, as orator of the day, Rev. William Abernathy, who is Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Washington, D. C. In that church Mr. Harding worshipped while President of the United States.