




### To the Senior Class of 1927

 presume that I am extending greetings to a class whose members are planning for a career on the land. I wish to congratulate you on your opportunity to make a contribution to agriculture and to country living. As in other lines of work, more training and better understanding are required of the modern man and woman on the land, than the man and woman of the past. I sincerely hope you possess the rugged courage and perseverance of your predecessors who have done so much for Northwestern Minnesota, and, in addition, an understanding of the scientific spirit and a faculty for using it constructively in the great work you are to undertake. If you do possess these things I am sure of the rich experiences in store for you as citizens of the open country.

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