

**More or Less Local**

The Senior Book committee will meet Monday at 10 a. m. in U. 107.

Paul Pillsbury, '02, is buying grain for the Central Grain Co., at Adams, Neb.

Dr. Ward lectured to the class in education 7 Thursday on "The Teaching of Zoology in the High School."

Students in the special courses in physics for teachers have started in constructive work, blowing glass, setting up apparatus, etc.

Dr. Condra has finished a bulletin on the "General Geology and Water Resources of Northeastern Nebraska" and sent it in to the U. S. survey.

Mr. Fox, of Yerkes observatory, spent the day at the university yesterday at the physics department, giving particular attention to the progress in research work.

The cage in the basement of the armory has been fixed up so that candidates for the pitcher's box can work out regularly. Hours have also been assigned to each man for practice.

Professor Barbour returned last night, having lectured at Johnson Thursday evening, and at Brock, before a farmers' institute, the night previous.

The regular student recital, by and for students of the University Conservatory of Music, will be held in Memorial hall this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Professor Barbour is touring the state at present. Wednesday evening he addressed a farmers' institute meeting at Brock and yesterday evening he delivered a lecture at Brock.

The debating board had not heard from Kansas by six o'clock yesterday in regard to definition of the question recently submitted. Students who are going into the preliminaries are requested by Professor Fog to watch the bulletin board today, as a communication is expected and will be announced as soon as it arrives.

The University practice court will hold another session in the supreme court room this afternoon. Supreme Judges Rees, Cowan and Chief Justice Waltman will occupy the supreme bench. The leading case today is one for dismissal, pleaded by Prior & Smith, as defendant in error, and Gulle & Hewitt, for plaintiff in error. The mandamus case, left unfinished at the last session will come up again today.

The Daily Nebraskan, the university paper, has opened its columns to a discussion of matters concerning the promiscuous use of hacks by the students, and promises to publish some interesting communications from students on the subject in the near future. This seems to be a very live question with many of the young men at the university and it is predicted by many that this public discussion may bring about some noticeable changes in the social life at the college. So far, however, there has only been one side of the case presented. The hackmen have yet to be heard.—Star.

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The first referee's sitting of the practice court took place in the supreme court room yesterday afternoon. E. F. Snavely was the referee. One side was represented by Baker and Milck, the other by Vance and Wellensick.

Professor Sheldon of the American historical department, finished a report on "The Indian Agencies of Nebraska" before the graduate club Tuesday evening. This club is organized for the purpose of pursuing original investigations, one of the members discussing a special subject at each meeting. The club consists of nine members and meets once a week.

At the Friday noon-day prayer meeting Miss Pound gave an interesting talk on "The place of the Young Woman's Christian association in the University." The prayer meetings will be in charge of the faculty ladies for another week. To those who have been in the habit of attending it is not necessary to say how enjoyable they are. Girls who have not been coming have missed a good thing and should make an effort to take advantage of the remaining opportunities.

In accordance with steps recently taken by the students of the law department in the matter of athletics, Presidents Snavely, Ritchie and Mohrman of the Senior, Junior and first year classes have appointed the following men, who will constitute the law inter-class Athletic Board:

Seniors: Sward, Pfeiffer, Strong and Smith.

Juniors: Case, Johnson, Wroughton and Mathew.

First Year: Lundin, Eager, Gibson and Clark.

A meeting of the board will be held in the near future for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such other business as may come before it.

In Society.

Miss Recta Clark, '07, of Omaha, is pledged to Chi Omega.

Phi Beta Chi gave an informal party at the chapter house last evening.

The alumni of Delta Tau gave a smoker last night at the chapter house.

Mr. Elliott Graves, '06, of Kearney, was initiated Wednesday evening into Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

There will be a meeting of the Senior Prom committee Wednesday, January 20, at 10 a. m., U. 107.

A leap year party, composed of University people, will be given next Friday evening at Walsh hall.

The Senior Prom will probably occur about the middle of April, although no definite date has yet been decided upon.

Alpha Tau Omega entertained the young ladies of Kappa Kappa Gamma informally last night at the Alpha Tau chapter house.

Lawrence Pillsbury, an old University graduate, visited his Phi Delta brothers last week. Mr. Pillsbury will soon locate in the Richards block, taking up the practice of medicine.

Invitations have been issued by one of the sororities at Northwestern to a leap year party. The young ladies are to take the initiative in everything and the men holding "bids" are all excitement. A "holding hands" contest, on the list of entertainment, is doubtless the cause for much of the anxiety on the men's part.

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