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**A COMBINED PROM.**

Last year there was an agitation for a combination of the two expensive class proms, resulting in the junior-senior combined prom. It was widely advertised as the one expensive prom of the year, and it was priced at only four dollars. Thru a lack of support, and the newness of their idea with perhaps a little extravagance on the part of the committees in charge—the prom was not a success, financially. But it did gain the name of being the "classiest" dance of the year. The decorations, the formality, and the room all contributed toward making it a success from the standpoint of value received.

The junior and senior classes this year, evidently shying away from any financial failure, are going ahead with arrangements for the old formula of separate proms. So far as could be learned, they have not considered the idea of combining. And so far as can be learned, the opinion on the campus is that this year is just the time for one good prom, rather than for the two proms as planned. The two proms combined last year with the idea of starting a precedent, that succeeding classes should likewise contribute to make one good dance rather than two ordinary ones. With the support which would be extended to one good prom this season, it seems as the efforts should be made to bring about a combination, if necessary by vote of the two classes. The financial disaster of last year will act as a safety valve for the committees this year. Financially one prom would be a better investment than two, both for the dancers and for the classes. Any action, if there is to be any, should be soon. The Nebraskan would advocate a combined prom, rather than the two ordinary formals which have in the past been dignified to the name of "prom."

**Finished Mounting Specimens.**

Assistants in the university herbarium have finished mounting over 5,000 specimens of plants which were collected by Dr. R. J. Pool and assistants during the summers of 1911 and 1912 when they were studying the vegetation of the Nebraska sandhills and other parts of western Nebraska.

**FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON OCCURS TO-NIGHT**

**Basketball Team Will Run Up Against Former Stars Who Hail From Omaha.**

The formal opening of the basketball season will occur at the armory this evening with a game between the regulars and the "ex-Uni" team of Omaha. At that time the university lugs will get their first idea of what this year's stars are like.

Coch Stiehm has not announced his line-up, preferring to keep the public and the players themselves ignorant of the personnel of the quintet until the actual time for the first whistle to blow. The Omaha line-up will consist of Nagl, Haskell, Amberson, Anthes and Hutchison, all former stars on the Nebraska floor. All except Haskell were members of the team which journeyed down from Omaha last year to take the Cornhuskers' measure, but failed to make good. The score in that event was 45 to 13 in favor of the Huskers. With the addition of Haskell, one of the fastest players seen here in many a day, the Omahans are expected to put up a stronger game this time.

**NORTH GETS INJUNCTION**

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records show that my bid for all the specifications, calling for 4,000 catalogues and 73,000 reprints, was \$3,070.29. The bid submitted by the Woodruff Bank Note company of Lincoln was \$3,073.17. That makes mine a little less than \$3 lower than Woodruff's. And yet the regents have as good as awarded the contract to my competitor."

Mr. North will be represented at the hearing by H. H. Wilson of the law firm of Burkett, Wilson & Brown. Mr. Wilson is a professor of law in the university.

In serving his papers Sheriff Hyers swooped down upon the campus in his new automobile. He had no trouble in finding Messrs. Rutledge and Evans, but he almost missed the chancellor. The latter was upon the point of leaving for the Burlington depot, there to take the train for Chicago, when the sheriff entered his office. Had the officer come a few minutes later he would have missed the chancellor entirely.

The sheriff did not serve any papers upon the regents for the simple reason that none of them are in Lincoln at the present time. C. S. Allen, president of the board is wintering in California. C. B. Anderson, who formerly resided in this city, has moved back to Crete. The other members are at their homes in different parts of the state.

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