## LOCALS.

John W. Dixon, '96, visited the university this week.

Phil Russel went to Omaha last Friday for a brief visit.

El A. Wiggenhorn spent last Sunday at his home in Ag'iland.

Dr. Frederic Teal of Omaha come down last Friday evening to visit university

Miss Nellie Law will leave Sunday with her parents for a three months' trip to

Albert E. Parmelee was initiated into Delta Tau Delta fraternity last Saturday night.

Miss Jean Tuttle entertained a number of friends at her home last Saturday in honor of Miss Anna Lytle.

John C. Watson began a series of lectures on criminal law Wednesday before the university college of law. G. H. Rose returned Wednesday from

Grand Island. He succeeded in locating a position in the schools there for next At the meeting of the Missouri botanical gardens at St. Louis last Friday,

Dr. C. E. Bessey met ex-Chancellor J. H. Chancellor G. E. MacLean went to Wakefield Friday, where he addressed a

district press association at that place in the evening. T. L. Hall, who graduated last year from the law school, visited this week

around the university. He is now practleing law at Falls City. This year the annual alumni banquet of the university will be held at the Lindell hotel instead of the armory, as has heretofore been the custom.

change has also been made from evening to afternoon. At the commencement exercises of the Sterling high school Thursday evening, Dr. H. B. Ward of the university delivered the annual class address. His theme was, "The Debt of the New World to

R. A. Emerson returned this week from Washington to complete his work in the university and secure his degree. He will go back to his work in the agricultural department immediately after commencement.

Louis Agassiz."

The marriage of Miss Clara C. Buckstaff of Lincoln and Dr. Robert N. Wolcott of the state university has been announced. It will occur Wednesday evening, June 2, at Holy Trinity church.

French, German and Latin dictionaries will be sold to students of the university for \$1.121/2 cents each. These are the regular \$1.50 edicions. Gold iridium pointed fountain pens are still selling at 69 cents each. Book Department, Herpolsheimer and Company.

The address advertised to be given before the Political Economy club Tuesday evening was again postponed. Rev. H. S. MacAyeal of Omaha sent word that it would be impossible for him to be present. It is not probable that the club will make any further attempt this semester to bring a speaker here.

Chancellor MacLean is in great demand throughout the state as a high school commencement speaker. On Friday evening of last week he spoke at Albion, Sunday he goes to Harvard to deliver the annual address before the graduating class there, and on May 28 he will perform a similar service at Kearney.

The university buildings will receive a general overhauling during the summer vacation. In fact, the work has already begun. This week a force of men were put at work to veneer with brick the electrical inbratory, to make it thereby entirely fireproof. At the farm the building committee have ordered the foreman's house repainted and reshingled. It is probable that University hall will be scraped and repainted and a new and large porch added to the south front. Some inside painting and papering will be done. Minor improvements will also be affected at Nebraska hall, Grant hall and the chemical labratory by means of paint and paper.

Dr. William Trelease, the director of the Missouri botanical gardens in St. Louis, and one of the foremost of American botanists, will deliver the annual address before the Botanical seminar on Saturday evening, May 29, at 8 p. m., in botanical lecture room in Nebraska hall. His topic will be one which should interest many people outside of the botanical field, since it deals with a phase of library management, of growing importance in these days of departmental libraries. He speaks upon "The Classification of a Botanical Library." A general invitation is cordially extended to the university students and all others interested to be present and hear this distinguished cientist.

HARWOOD TO LECTURE.

N. S. Harwood, president of the First National bank, will address the political Economy club Monday evening, May 24, in room 23, library building. His theme will be "A Continuation of the National Banking System." All persons interested are cordially invited to be present.

GRADUATION RECITAL.

Mrs. Irene Davidson McMichael's graduation recital was held in the chapel last Monday evening. Mrs. McMichael has been a pupil of Mr. John Randolph for several years past and her excellent work was clearly evident from the way she sang the difficult music of the recital. Her voice, though somewhat light, is very clear and sweet. Mrs. McMichael's talent is not confined to vocal music but she is also a planist of considerable merit.

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DEBATE AT CRETE. The Palladian boys' debating club went down to Crete Saturday and met the Philomathian literary society of Doane college in joint debate. The question was: Resolved, that organized strikes have been a benefit to the laboring classes." D. M. Garber of the university presided. Messrs, N. C. Green, N. O. Ayer and A. E. Henry presented the affirmative while the Doane men upheld the negative. The debate was spirited throughout. This was the last of a series of debates between the two clubs.

ANNUAL ADDRESS.

Arrangements have been perfected for the annual address to be given before the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. Dr. Beardshear, president of the Iowa Agricultural college. has been secured to give the address next Sunday evening at the First Baptist church. Dr. Beardshear was secured by the associations because he was so highly recommended as an orator and thinker. Since he has been at the head of the Iowa Agricultural college the institution has enjoyed a rapid growth, largely because of his efforts. The Christian associations earnestly desire that every student in the university should hear this address, coming, as it does, from a man of such ability

DELTS ENTERTAIN.

The Delta Tau Delta fraternity gave a dancing party to its friends last Friday evening at Burlington beach. Owing to the fact that Mr. McKay is closely connected with the weather department the evening was all that could be desired and a most delightful time was had. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stevens, Misses Carscadden, Morris, Ames, Elsie Schwartz of Omaha, Hargreaves, Maude Hammond, Harper, Outcalt, Morgan, Beach, Lottridge, Edith Schwartz, Ran-Wheden, Colson, Risser, Richards, Clara Hammond, Whiting, Garten, Noren, Camp, Woods, Lansing, Mabel Ricketts, Cochrane, Messrs, Randall, Clark, Teal of Omaha, Dr. White, Wiggenhorn, Rowe, Oury, Summer, True, Davenport, Whedon, Stone, Lindquest, Doubrava, Saxton, Burgert, Randolph, Schwartz, Lau, Lehman, Burks, Ricketts. Bartlett, Harmon, Manley, Brown, Whipple, Kind, Saville, Robbins, Teele, Whitmore, Gilman, Cleland, Burrows, Weaver, Weeks, Lehnhoff, Thomas, Kellogg.

CHAPEL ADDRESS.

Fossler delivered the last number of the given during the year by members of the Norwegian poet and reformer for the subject of his talk. He did well in takable critic and reviewer-as all who have voice reminds the German professor of People," and "Brand." Although Ibsen is a pessimist, the professor showed the Miss Alderman.

Song, by Y. W. C. A. quartet.

Song, Miss Mabel Nicely.

Pantomime, "Romance of the Ganges,"

Pantomim the quotation, "The majority is never right."-(from An Enemy of the People) show the peculiar strength and daring of the author. Professor Fossler asked each student to read some of Ibsen's works and to judge for himself of the correctness of his conclusions and the worth of his lessons.

Company "A" will give a banquet Saturday evening after the competitive drills at the Lincoln hotel. It is expected that many former company officers and some distinguished regular army officers will be present.

FARMER'S INSTITUTES

Representatives of the state societies which are especially interested in the farmers' institute work met in the chancellor's office last Tuesday. Seven of these state organizations were represented. Superintendent F. W. Taylor made his report of the year's work and

outlined what seemed best to be done during the coming year. Heretofore the state societies have fuchished the greater part of the funds which have gone to support these institutes, but under the present arrangement the funds come from an appropriation made by the legislature for the special purpose of carrying on the institutes. The regents have full control of this appropriation. Thus the institutes are brought more closely into touch with the general outside work of the university and really give a practical form of university extension work. The organization and methods of carrying on the work will be little changed from the former plan, except as improvements are suggested from time to time. Superintendent Taylor remains in charge and the representatives of the state societies will act as a sort of advisory council and will also aid in furnishing speakers for the institutes. R. W. Furnas was elected president and Chancellor MacLean secretary of the organization. These officers have held their offices since the formation of the society.

Fountain pens, from 59 cents each, to \$2.50, all warranted at book department of Herpolshelmer & Company.

THE SENIOR'S MEET.

The class of '97 has been meeting this week. Wednesday they met to do some business and Thursday they met to undo it. For some time there has been more or less dissatisfaction expressed with the committee which has in charge the senior play, and Wednesday a meeting was held for the purpose of hearing the kicks. Mr. Manley, chairman of the committee, was there and gave his report as to the nature of the play and the stage to which it had progressed. Then the fun began. Some inquisitive senior inquired if Mr. Manley's report was the report of the majority of the committee. Mr. Manley replied that two members of the committee had been at work with him and that far it was a report of the committee. After various remarks which went to show that some people had come to the meeting with knives to use on Mr. Manley, the whole matter of the play was referred to a committee of three, which was to report at 1 o'clock Thursday. After disposing of the play the class passed resolutions requesting that the latin form used last year in the presentaof diplomas be omitted this year, and a committee was appointed to make the action known to the chancellor. The chancellor came in and addressed the class, inviting them to a reception to be given by the chancellor and Mrs. Mac-Lean to the seniors and members of the university senate. The invitation was ac-

Thursday at 1 o'clock the class met to hear the report of the committee on class play. This committee recommended that dall, MacMillan, Millar, Clark, Bonnell of the play be recommitted to the original Chicago, Loomis, MacFarland, Ena Rick- committee, with instructions that it proetts, Lowe, Harley, Griggs, Elliott, Crop- ceed to work. If this was not the senior class people might wonder at their actions, but seniors are like Chinamentheir ways are "peculiar." Other committees were called upon for reports, but did not seem to have anything to say. The class then passed a unanimous vote of censure upon all senior committees. Someone suggested that the class had better resolve itself into a committee of the whole in order to get a censure where it belonged, but it did not go.

Y. W. C. A. ENTERTAINMENT.

A fair audience witnessed the fourth annual entertainment of the Y. W. C. A. Thursday morning Professor Lawrence in the chapel last Thursday evening. The entertainment was given for the purpose series of chapel lectures that have been of raising funds to send delegates to the Lake Geneva summer school. The first faculty. The professor chose "Ibsen." the number rendered was an interesting pantomime, "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Seven young ladies gracefully presented ing a theme of supreme interest to all the pantomime of the poem, "Romance students and one in which he is highly of the Ganges." The song, "Louisiana," interested. Professor Fossler is a very by Miss Mabel Nicely, drew out a hearty recall. Miss Nellie Griggs and Mrs. Irene taken German under him know. The McMichael each rendered two vocal solos, hardy Norwegian with his bold prophetic which showed their voices to good advantage. The entertainment closed with his own countryman, Goethe. He also a delightful little farce, entitled, "Six fikened him to Dante. He made analysis Cups of Chocolate." Following is the pro-

Pantomime, "Nearer, My God, to Thee,"

Pantomime, "Romance of the Ganges," read by Mrs. Mary D. Manning; illustrated by Carrie Day, E. Ruth Pyrtle, Grane Broady, Anna Reyman, Mary Wallace, Margaret Davis and Mary Hart.

Vocal solo, selected, Miss Griggs. Pantomime, "My Faith Looks Up to hee," Miss Wilkinson; sung by Mrs. Mc-Michael Vocal solo, selected, Mrs. Irene Mc-

Michael. "Six Cups of Ch. colate." Farce. Jeanette, Nellie Griggs; Adeline, dora Auman; Dorothy, Annie Stewart; Beatrix., Amy Shively; Hester, Annie An-derson; Marian, Alberta Spurck.

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