

The Delians have taken in several good members this year and the membership committee report the prospect for several more. The society had a hard struggle last year but the outlook for this is more favorable. The prospect of a home has given it an impetus that will bring it up on a par with the other societies.

Course three in agriculture on the Anatomy, Physiology and Diseases of farm animals given by Dr. Peters, is much patronized by the medical preparatory students. This is the first year that Dr. Peters has had classes on the campus, and the would-be physicians are as anxious to hear him as are the agricultural students.

The Phi Psis secured two excellent members in the persons of Harry Shedd and Orlo Brown. The former made an enviable reputation as a writer in conducting the *Ashland Breeze* during the summer school. At the last meeting of the Athletic association he was elected a member of the board and at the last English club meeting was unanimously chosen as a member. The latter, Orlo Brown, is a brother of Frank Brown and a very studious young man.

The Union Boys' Debating club is right in line this year. The interest of last year promises to be redoubled this year for every one has his eye on the Kansas-Nebraska debate. At the first meeting officers were elected as follows: J. W. Searson, president; P. J. Maguire, vice president; W. H. Kinton, secretary; Leavitt and Baker, attorneys. All except the last named underwent their induction into office very submissively. Mr. Baker, however, disappeared, like a morning dew-drop.

The many friends of John L. Marshall, U. of N. '93, will be interested to know that he is now traveling secretary of the western and middle states, for the student volunteer movement for foreign missions. The three state schools of Iowa have pledged them-

selves to raise \$500 of the \$700 needed for his expense, and the Y. M. and W. Y. C. A. of the U. of N., his own Alma Mater, consider it a privilege to contribute the remaining \$200. This will be the work of the joint missionary committee, and will be done by the systematic giving plan.

We know the following incident, which happened the other morning not far from the University, will be appreciated by all students: An old gentleman is standing on the sidewalk watching a cat which is about to spring upon a mouse in the grass. Suddenly a little tot of four or five comes skipping down the walk and startles the cat.

Old Gentleman—There, we have frightened the cat so she lost the mouse.

Little Tot—Oh dear, I'm so sorry, and these hard times too.

All young men are invited to an apple social given by the Y. M. C. A., in Palladian Hall, Saturday evening, October 5.

Prof.—to Freshman class:—"You are expected, while on the platform, to stand perfectly erect in soldierly position, with your arms hanging at your sides and your fingers touching the seams of your pants."

New Student, anxiously:—"Does that apply to us, Professor?"

