

A week ago last Sunday, Prof. Sherman delivered a scholarly address before the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. The chapel was crowded to the doors.

You can buy a good fountain pen at Herpolsheimers & Co's book department for \$1.00. Pencils, note books, dictionaries and translations, as well as college supplies in general are lower in price than anywhere else in Lincoln.

The December business meeting of the Y. W. C. A., held in room five Uni. hall last Monday evening, was well attended. The reports of the various committees show that the work has been unusually successful so far this year. Much interest is being taken in college settlement work.

Bank trouble is hard on some of the students. If relief does not come soon, some may be compelled to quit school. R. S. Baker says he has but 35 cents left, Jerry Rebmond is in a worse predicament. "Big" Turner and "Shorty" Lehnhoff had their money stored away in the pillow case.

THE HESPERIAN hates to correct its worthy contemporary, but if we remember correctly the local oratorical winners for the past three years were as follows: 1893, T. E. Wing, Phi Delta Theta; 1894, A. F. Montmorency, Phi Delta Theta; and 1895, E. B. Sherman, Delta Tan Delta. Are we not correct?

Transparent spirits by me glide,
Celestial music greets my ear,
About me swarm on every side
The hosts of friends so dear.

My soul is charmed with music sweet,
I can't express the joy I feel,
The dance goes on—I hear the feet
Of Editor McNeal.

The Union society at its business meeting Tuesday, elected the following officers for the winter term: Waiter H. Rhodes, president; John Almy, vice-president; Mable Dempster, recording secretary; Evelena Roloffson, corresponding secretary; Annie Prey, critic; C. M. Barr, treasurer, and John H. McGuffey, sergeant-at-arms.

Prof. Wolfe unto his Psych. class said,
"Let's try one more exam;"

That night the class ne'er went to bed—
But their heads began to cram.

The class in Psychology settled the brain weight question and the woman question some two weeks ago, and now Dr. Wolfe is happy.

Hon. L. D. Richards of Fremont, read a very able paper before the Political Economy club, a week ago yesterday. His subject was Socialism, taking the economic phase of the question. The discussion following the paper, carried on principally by the gentlemen from down town, was heated and interesting. Some of the more radical socialists present did not entirely agree with Mr. Richards ideas.

The following officers were elected for the winter term at the Palladian business meeting Monday evening: President, Miss Morton; vice-president, I. J. Hunt; recording secretary, Miss Redford; music secretary, Miss Davison; corresponding secretary, H. R. Tucker; critic, A. S. Johnson; historian, Miss Bullock; treasurer, C. A. Fisher; sergeant-at-arms, Wm. Boose; assisting secretary, S. J. Corey.

A fair sized audience greeted the Glee and Banjo clubs Wednesday evening. Everyone was highly satisfied. Each year these clubs become more popular and thus help make the real progress of our schools.

The Phi. Kappa Psi fraternity will shortly inaugurate a series of Sunday afternoon talks by professors of the University on literary and educational subjects.

The Delians held an election of officers on Wednesday. An able corps of officers were chosen and from present indications the society has a bright future before it. The following officers were elected: W. T. Elmore, president; Maud Atkinson, vice-president; P. H. Thomson, recording secretary; A. W. Saville, critic; Helen Sanger, music secretary.

The third annual Senter-Lehmer-Quaintance oratorical contest of the Union literary society was held in the chapel December 14th. The lower floor of the chapel was well filled with a representative University audience, and the