

An adequate university appropriation is assured. The legislators are visiting the university in order to find out what we are doing. This is sufficient. No legislator will vote against a university appropriation, if he but realizes what the university is doing for the state.

We see ex-Chancellor Canfield's face beaming from a late issue of "Men." His timely article on "How can young men succeed" is breathing with life and vigor. His plea is, as always, "inspiration and perspiration" if the young man of today would keep abreast with the world. He believes that there is no place in this enterprising, bustling life for the idle "hanger-on."

There has been but little complaint about student cheating this year. This is indeed encouraging. There is nothing which tends to lower the general morals of the student body like this dishonesty in classes. We believe that such action on the part of a few is being frowned down by public opinion in the university. Student honor depends not upon the instructor, but upon the student, and when we, as individual students, condemn this cheating business, there will be no necessity for a professor to wear eyes in the back of his head while giving an examination.

The Y. M. C. A. devotional meeting Sunday afternoon, under the leadership of T. D. Lunn, was an instructive one. The importance of personal work was emphasized.

Wm. Mentzer, Law '95 was visiting university acquaintances this week. He is now a practicing attorney of Des Moines, Iowa. It will be remembered that Mr. Mentzer received the second highest mark ever obtained before the Sup. Ct. examining board of the State of Iowa.

### *The Chase and Wheeler Contest.*

The Chase and Wheeler oratorical contest will take place in the University Chapel, Saturday, January 23, under the auspices of the Palladian Literary Society. The following is the program:

Duet, "When the Wind Bloweth in from the Sea" .....	H. Smart
Misses Redford and Smalls	
Oration, "The Author-hero of the Revolution" .....	R. C. Roper.
Oration, "Great Battles" .....	John H. Boose.
Violin Solo, Hungarian Rhapsody .....	Hauses
Mr. August Hagenow.	
Oration, "The Red Color" .....	Rena B. Alderman.
Piano Solo, Prelude in F .....	Wm. Mason
Miss Kate Joyce.	
Oration, "England's Crime Against China" .....	W. J. Hunting.
Music, Selected .....	Y. M. C. A. Glee Club.
Decision of Judges .....	
Judges on Delivery .....	
Mrs. W. J. Bryan, Prof. H. B. Ward,	
Judge M. B. Reese, Prof. J. T. Lees,	
Prof. F. M. Fling.	
Judges on Manuscript .....	
Prof. H. K. Wolfe, Prof. L. A. Sherman,	
Prof. H. W. Caldwell.	

Miss Jennie Barber, formerly '97, is visiting her Pi Beta Phi sisters this week.

The Senter, Lehmer and Quaintance oratorical contest has been postponed until Friday evening, January 29.

Miss Percy Morris was initiated into the mysteries of the Pi Beta Phi fraternity, at the home of Miss Stewart, last Friday evening.

The most interesting and best attended meeting of the English club, during this school year, was held with Miss Smoyer, last Saturday evening.

Prof. and Mrs. Hodgman gave a reception to the members of the professor's trigonometry classes, last Saturday evening. After some instrumental music by Miss Henry and Miss Hyde, all joined in singing "America" and other patriotic songs. Light refreshments were then served. The reception was well attended and was a most enjoyable affair.