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PERSHING RIFLE HOP.

Pershing Rifles Give their Annual Hop at the Lincoln—A Large Number Present—Other Society Events.

The Pershing Rifles gave their annual hop at the Lincoln last night. A large number of university people and their friends were present, and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

The grand march was led by Commandant Brown and Miss Ellen Douglas. Those present were:

Misses Douglas, Jane Douglas, MacFarland, Henry, Stuart, Hayes, Anna Hammond, Johnson, Jackson, Macomber, Marshall, Hargreaves, Cady, Chapel, Daniels, Mandrid, Thorpe, Morgan, Mae Henry, Shaw, Paddock, Loomis, Jenkins, Sarbach, Agnew, Gilhen, Roison, Hammond, Deilly, Sedgwick, Woodward, Bratt, Risser, Bennett, Houts, Burrus, Chapin, McPhely, Burrus, Fukey, Montgomery, Outcalt, Tukey, Woodford, Cole, Loomis, Outcalt, Emmons, Welsh, Bonnell, Risser, Macomber, Honeywell, Chapin, Miller, Hargreaves, Griggs, and Messrs. Brown, Carneh, Sedgwick, Korsmeyer, Raymond, Thomas, Farnsworth, Marley, Hewitt, Paine, McCreery, Roberts, Sumner, Drain, Guy Barnes, A. K. Barnes, Smith, Langley, Bock, Rainey, Hayes, Cuscaden, Pawell, Andrews, Bartlett, Patterson, Pancoast, Funke, Folsom, Mann, Hanen, Rogers, Hollenbeck, Mudge, King, Lewis, Klinge, Holt, Lau, Raymond, Everitt, Tukey, Langer, Collett, Lyman, Shick, Norval, Crandall, Shaw, Wirt, Alex Lau, Harris, Clinton Homan, Rehl nder, Stein, Marley, Bartlett, Folsom, Drain.

SOCIETY.

The active and Alumnae Delta Gammas gave a Christmas party on Monday evening at the house. The presents were very original in their nature and somewhat amusing.

The active and the alumni members of Delta Tau Delta had a Christmas party on Wednesday evening. All enjoyed themselves but refuse to disclose the nature of the valuable presents.

Miss Poynter gave an informal party to the new Delta girls on last Wednesday evening. Each one present was given a chance to show her artistic ability by drawing some animal or a representation of it and the others present guessed the name. Miss Roberts and Mr. Elliot won the prizes. Those present were Misses Poynter, Auld, Roberts, Abbott, Messrs Peterson, Smith, Brown, Lawler, Elliot, Roberts, and Martin.

Phi Kappa Psi entertained at the chapter house on Tuesday evening. The floor was canvassed for dancing. Light refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ladd, Mr. and Mrs. Weeks; Misses Macomber, Biguel, Cole, Robinson, Bennett, Mabel Bennett, Gehen, Outcalt, Jessie Outcalt, Loomis, Post, Honeywell, Woods, Tukey, Louise Tukey, Gertrude Macomber, Hargreaves, Jackson, Funke, Emmons, Chapin; Messrs. Cuscaden, Engle, Allen, Campbell, Holt, Manchester, Powell, Fricke, Crandall, Stark, Korsmeyer, Hayes, Deweese, Baird, Benedict, Haecker, Clark and Shedd.

W. L. Thorne, '00, visited at the University Wednesday. He expects to go to the Pacific coast soon with his father visiting in Washington, Oregon, and California.

HOT LUNCH.

The Domestic Science Department will provide lunch for the students of the University after the holidays in the lower hall of the Mechanics Arts Building.

The lunch will be served hot because it is provided mostly for the benefit of those who are compelled to bring their lunch, but it is not restricted to any in particular.

There will be accomodation for about twenty at a time; the place is rather small, being in a small alcove but if the students are handled judiciously, a great many can be served in a short while. The minimum price for which a person will be served is five cents; this secures one article and each additional will cost five cents extra.

The undertaking has been successfully carried on in the Omaha High School and also in the Lincoln High School; it has been a great benefit to the students.

The variety of food that is to be served will not be great but it will be simple and wholesome.

As the person at the head of the department is well versed in the art there is reason to believe that the students can expect a good lunch.

NEBRASKA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

The Nebraska Library Association will hold its annual meeting in Palladian Hall next Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. The papers read will be:

Nebraska's College Libraries, by Prof. W. E. Jilson, of Doane College; Library Cooperation in Lincoln, by Miss Jane H. Abbott, Lincoln City Library; What a Library Commission Can Do, by Mr. Johnson of Brigham, Iowa State Library and Notes on Library Progress in Nebraska for 1900 by the president.

CHILD STUDY ASSOCIATION.

Mr. Hart, President of the Child Study Association, and Fellow in Education at the University, calls attention to the program of the Association to be given at the annual meeting Dec. 26. The introductory paper by W. A. Clark, Ph.D. of Peru will present a practical educational view of the teacher's relation to the Study of children. The main theme of the program, however, is the period of adolescence. It will be treated from different standpoints by persons thoroughly qualified to speak with authority on their special topics. Professor Henry B. Ward will discuss the subject from the standpoint of biology; Professor T. L. Bolton, from that of psychology; Dr. Inez Philbrick from that of health in connection with school work; and Dr. Stevens and Professor Fordyce from that of moral growth. No more important phases of child study have ever been presented in the Association's programs.

Geo. H. Tinker, C. E., '90, who has been with the B. & M. for some time, is at present looking after a division on the new Taluca-Cody City line. His headquarters are at Huntley, Montana. W. T. Denning, C. E. '01, is assistant engineer on the Pyron Creek division of the same line.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Where People Will Spend the Holidays—Happenings of Past Week—Interesting Features of the Association.

Miss Robinson will spend the Holidays in Clarksville, Iowa.

All out of town Delta Gammas will spend the vacation at their homes.

Burton Cosgrove, '99, will be in the city to attend the Harley Gustin wedding.

Mr. Moore is at Fremont this week engaged in work connected with the Y. M. C. A.

Miss Ada Abbott of Harvard will spend the Holidays with her sister Miss Fern Abbott.

Miss Blanche Emmons will spend Christmas with Miss Rosanna Bratt at her home in Beatrice.

Miss Anna Fossler, '95, is head cataloguer in the University of California at Berkley California.

E. D. Janes, Law, '99, is this year taking his third year law work at the Ann Arbor Law School.

J. H. Longfellow, law, '00, has been appointed private secretary to the Governor elect of Idaho.

Miss Mildred Parks will spend her Christmas vacation at Ashland, visiting her friend Miss Lizzie Bryan.

Professor Taylor will attend a meeting of the National Economic Association at Detroit during vacation.

The Y. W. C. A. are fitting up the old Co op. room. It will be ready for use after the holidays.

Miss Laura Houtz will attend the first "At Home" of her cousin Mrs. Welsh, nee Kelley, in Omaha Dec. 19.

Active work has begun on the Junior Annual and the board is ready to receive suggestions from anyone interested.

Miss Ruth Marfarland is to be the guest of the Misses Ellen and Jane Douglas of St. Joseph during the Holidays.

Miss Blanche Edmisten leaves Jan. 15 for five months in California. On her way she will visit Miss Nellie Holbrook.

R. M. Randolph, '95, will spend the Christmas holidays in Lincoln. He is principal of the high school at Pipestone, Minn.

Miss Ida Lewis, '99 who has been teaching in Alliance is at home for an extended vacation. The schools are closed there on account of small pox.

Next semester, Dr. Lees will organize a beginner's class in Greek. Arrangements have been made whereby students taking this work will receive full college credit.

"Pat" Bishoff law, '98, and "Mike" Sheldon, '00, visited the Sigma Chi brothers at their chapter house Tuesday and Wednesday.

Professor Moore said when asked if there was any news in his department "We are getting ready for Christmas, isn't that good news?"

R. L. Waterman, '00, from Ann Arbor tells of interest in debating work at that place. He says that there were 225 candidates in the preliminaries this year.

Miss Zuella Dresler, '00, who is teaching at Imperial, will be in Lincoln during the Christmas vacation.

Frank Hollenbeck, '00 law, came down to attend the Delta Tau Christmas party on Wednesday evening and the Pershing hop Thursday evening.

Ed. Pillsbury, '97, is assistant in anatomy at the Ann Arbor Medical College. G. A. Snider and E. R. Vander-slice, '98, are attending this school, both were formerly students here.

The Y. M. C. A. roll is now somewhat over 280. The number is increasing every day and it will not be long before Nebraska will have the largest University Y. M. C. A. in America.

At a meeting of the English Club last Thursday night, Miss Myrtle Wheeler, Sara Hayden, Miss Minnie Mahy, Miss Edith Abbott and W. J. Fairchild were elected to membership.

E. Benedict, '99, who has been in Missouri during the past months with the United States Forestry Department, returned to Lincoln Monday, Dec. 17. He will remain until the end of the year.

Mr. Clark Streeter who was a student at the University last year is visiting at Alpha Theta Chi House. He is on his way to Old Mexico where he is engaged as chemist in a sugar beet factory.

The classes in the forge room have been making steel punches, chisels and lathe tools for some time. Next semester each man will use the tools he makes this semester, in the course filing and chipping.

The periodical list of the Library for 1901 has been completed. Two new magazines—The American Kitchen and The Boston Cooking School—have been added for the benefit of the Domestic Science Department.

Dr. Wharton talked to the young women's Christian Association last Wednesday afternoon on the effects upon the spiritual life of studying on Sunday. After the Christmas vacation a series of talks on Prayer will be given.

The Mechanical Engineering Department is making patterns for a 25 h. p. Allen Porter Engine. It is the intention to cast from these next year and finish up the engine for use in the department as soon after that as possible.

The automatic curve tracing apparatus on the testing machine in the Civil Engineering department has caused a great deal of trouble lately. The actual magnification does not agree with that rated. The classes in Mechanics of Materials are engaged in locating the trouble.

The air brake apparatus presented by the Westinghouse Air Brake Co., will be ready for use the first of next semester. The entire force of instructors in Mechanical Engineering will be busy during the holidays setting up and testing the various parts.

Several hundred ganna seedlings are being cultivated at the greenhouses, in addition to the bulbs which were removed from the beds on the campus this fall and saved for next year. These plants will be used next summer in the out doors decorations, and will add materially to the stock for some excellent varieties are looked for.