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Ak-Sar-Ben.

Sameon has prepared a mighty feast of and reason and other things in honor of the Boosters who made such an Ak-Sar-Ben in the following form. The extensive trip for the good of Omaha to as morthwest section of these United the festivities upon the payment of the tee and has named Monday night as 310 initiation fee. the date of the celebration. All the subjects of King Ak-Sar-Ben are commanded to be &

present to meet Governor Sheldon, who was the chief booster on the trip. The governor will be present and several extra stunts will be added for his especial benefit. To show the appreciation of the subjects in the kingdom of Quivera all will turn out to do homage to Governor Sheldon.

The following invitation, on special letter heads with the official seal and colors, were sent to Governor Sheldon:

To His Most High Excellency, George Lawson Sheldon, Governor of the State of Nebraska, Enight of the Court of Quivera, Gresting: Whereas, it doth joy mightly the heart of our great king Ak-Sar-Ben the thirteenth, to learn how well fared his loyal subjects, most of whom were also his devoted knights, when of late they sallied forth to conquer in friendly contest, demesters in distant lands, therefore that we may show these doughty champions how well they stand in our love, we have issued command that the high court ceremontals at our royal den, on the eve of Monday, the eighth day of July, shall be enacted, with special rites and revairies, in their particular sonor, and the date shall be set down forever in our archives as "Beosters' Night."

But for as much as these pligrims deciare that the success that crowned their arms game largely because with them rode one whom it will ever be our honor to call brother as well as loyal knight, so it becomes our urgent entreaty as it is our royal desire that Governor Sheldon still further favor us by coming as our honored guest on that day, that he may learn the larger the place he has wee in all our honored. sent to Governor Sheldon:

there comes to us most notable praise

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE WORK

Instructive Statistical Facts from the State University:

IRVINE'S PROMOTION AT CORNELL

Omaha's New Commercial College and Its Founder-Schoolmasters in Kansas-Variety of Educational News.

vancing steadily in the faculty of Cornell university, Ithaca, N. Y. At the regular meeting of the university board of trustees, June 19, Judge Irvine, who has been professor of practice and procedure in the college of law since 1901, was appointed director of that college and dean of its faculty, to succeed the late Ernest W.

Huffcut. Prof. Irvine had been acting director and dean since Dean Huffcut obtained leave of absence last winter to act as legal adhis degree in law at the National Univertrict of Nebraska and commissioner of the state supreme court.

STATE UNIVERSITY NOTES.

Personal and Statistical Matters of Interest.

In the eighteenth biennial report of the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska to the governor, statistics compiled in the office of the registrar show that 2,670 of the 2,914 students enrolled in 1965-6 were residents of Nebraska.

In 1908-4 of the 2,513 students in attendance, 2,389 lived in Nebraska, while 234 were non-residents, as compared with 244 from other states in 1966-6, a gain of 9 per cent in foreign registration.

Thus it may be seen that 381 or 17.1 per cent more Nebraskans have found their way into their own state university in 1904-5 than in 1903-4 and also that there were more residents of the state in attendance in 1965-6 than the total number in attendance in 1903-4.

Dr. G. W. A. Luckey, professor of education in the State university, was given a half-year's leave of absence, which he is A boarding and day School for Young Women and Girls. Students holding certificates covering in full the entrance requirements of a standard State University, are admitted without examination to Junior year of advance course. Certificate in college preparatory course admits to Vassar, Wellesley, Smith, Mt. Holyoke, Univ. of Nebraska, Univ. of Wisconain and Univ. of Chicago. Exceptional advantages in Music, Art and Domestic Science, Well equipped gymnasium and outdoor sports. Students mothered sympathetically by women of large practical experience with girls in that highly important formative period between fourteen and twenty-one years of age.

Send for Illustrated Year Book. Address Macrae, Principal. Omaha. spending in Europe, chiefly in studying the secondary schools and pedagogical systems of Germany, France and England. Dr. Luckey believes that teachers should frequently seek new inspiration by climbing out of the rut and looking around. His broken in the middle by a year at Columbia university. He now takes time to refresh himself with new enthusiasm from the fountainhead. On his way to the east he attended the national meeting of superintendents, and made a report to the training of secondary teachers. He resumes his work this coming fall.

STARTED ON SOUND LINES.

Plans of the Founder of the McCartney Institute.

Your boy's progress depends largely upon his com-fort and happiness. Our boys are contented and comfortable, surrounded with every advantage that contributes to the building of character. Boys are given every opportunity to learn self control, and while trusting to their honor, discipline of the highwhile trusting to their monor, and the control of t school, recently opened in the Davidge of high schools. number of students who have taken up summer studies is beyond expectations, and gives promise of full classes when the fall work begins. At present class work is largely preparatory. The institute course embraces bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, penmanship and commercial law, prime requisites for a business career.

> of her life in this city. She had barely been engaged in the various business acti- articles used in the household.

tivities of a working woman. During the last four years Miss McCartney had charge of the business affairs of the Creighton law school in this city. To Park college is in session with over 900 her fell the task of developing the plans of students in attendance. It is the largest the school, formulating the course of study, summer school ever held at Highland Park securing students and making known its college. One and one-third rates obtainable advantages throughout the territory from upon all railroads in Iowa and adjoining which patronage was to be had. With states and Colorado enables students to uncommon zeal, enthusiasm and almost take advantage of the excellent opportuni-

securely laid.

Miss McCartney proposes to give to the name the same earnest seal and devotion which distinguished her work for Creighton law school. Her ideals of a commercial training are high but not beyond attainment. Young people ambitious to enter any of the various activities of life, who possess the will to do and the mental capacity to grasp opportunity when it comes will find in this devoted Omaha woman a loyal guide and friend, a teacher of ability and experience whose skill in im-Judge Frank Irvine of Omaha is ad- parting knowledge makes study a pleasure. Associated with Miss McCartney is a

staff of competent teachers. SCHOOLMASTER VANISHING. Schoolma'ams Crowd Him Out of

Business in Kansas. Kansas is now witnessing the passing of the schoolmaster. The women are rooting him out. A. Topeka letter says the change was particularly noticeable in the attendance at county institutes. The Shawvisor to Governor Hughes. Mr. Irvine took | nee county institute, fust closed at Topeka, was attended by 200 teachers, the largest sity in Washington, D. C., in 1883, and in the history of the county. Only nine of afterward practiced at the bar in Omaha, these were men, and they admitted that it becoming judge of the Fourth judicial dis- was merely a question of time when they would seek other fields.

Of the 12,000 teachers in the public schools of Kansas at least 10,000 are women. As Kansas stands next to the top among the states in low percentage of illiteracy the women point to this fact as an evidence that their work in educational lines is worthy of still greater recognition. They demand more than the mere right to teach -they want a voice in their governmentand gradually are getting it.

Of the 105 county superintendents in Kansas, thirty-six are women. The law requires each county superintendent to visit each school within the county once a year, State Superintendent Fairchild reports that the thirty-six wemen are more punctual in this duty than are the men. It matters no how inclement the weather may be, these women make long journeys over the praires to the little white school houses in the re motest corners of the counties. They travel with horse and buggy, and are independent of the men, preferring to care for, harness and drive the horse to any school house in the county.

More than half of these women county superintendents are unmarried. They have decided to make teaching and supervision their life work. They say they want to be independent of the men. It is largely due to the influence of these women that many school boards in the towns and cities of the women as teachers. They contend that the husband should support the wife.

Superintendents of schools in the various cities of the state and high school principals, invariably men in years past, are now women in many cases. Miss Louise M. Schaub is the new principal of the high school of Parsons, one of the cities of the first class. In cities of the second class several women have succeeded men as city superintendents. Miss Nellie McGinley of Chetopa, Miss Clifford A. Mitchell of Iola and Miss Belle Inglish of Oswego are successfully filling these positions. Twenty-five women hold the position of principal of high schools.

31,000,000 in the erection of new school buildings this year.

President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California has declined the tender of the presidency of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston.

The report of the Commissioner of Education for New York state shows that only is per cent of the high school teachers outside of the large cities are graduates of colleges. Nebraska does better than this. The dass of 1907 of the Western Military academy, Upper Alton, Ill., presented the academy with a handsome bust of Abraham Lincoln as their class memorial. The hational committee on the professional Schaub is the new principal of the high The McCartney institute, a commercial five women hold the position of principal

The women engaged in school work in receiving flattering encouragement. The Kansas have joined heartly in the movement for manual training in the country schools. John Fuller, a member of the Seneca school board, started the movement for equipping county schools with work benches so that the boys may be taught to make the common articles used on a farm. The women have insisted that The founder and manager of the institute, the same opportunities be given the girls Miss Elizabeth F. McCartney, is a daughter and that sewing machines be installed so of Omaha and has lived the greater part that they may be taught to make and mend the garments they wear. This sugpassed the threshold of girlhood when the gestion, has met with approval and many death of her father obliged her to take up schools have been equipped with sewing the duties of family provider, and has since machines, patterns, cook books and other

Highland Park Summer School. The annual summer school at Highland

keen regret to the students that she relin- laboratory will be entirely completed before quishes the work after the foundation is the opening of the school year in the fall and in all respects one of the greatest biological laboratories in this country. patrons of the institute which bears her Work will soon begin upon the physical laboratory which is to be installed in Humboldt hall. It will be completely equipped and strictly up-to-date in every particular.

MAKING A NEW PRINCETON.

Committee Reports Preceptorial System a Great Advance. The newspapers in reporting the other

day President Woodrow Wilson's formal announcement of his plan to do away with the upper class club system at Princeton university overlooked an interesting report made by a committee of the university board of trustees on this subject. The Princeton Alumni Weekly publishes this report in full in its last issue.

The committee says that when Princeton introduced the preceptoral system two years ago It made the greatest strategic move toward combining the leisure and study of university life that has been made in the whole history of American universities.

"By it," says the committee, "we meant to say that the intellectual life of a college did not consist of attendance upon class exercises or of preparation for recitations, but consisted rather of constant contact with study and the intimate association of teacher and pupil outside the classroom, where the tradition of lectures and recitations were forgotten, rejected and a thoroughly natural and human relationship, the relationship of fellow students. substituted. And that meaning has at once been made evident to the whole country. The contrast to the old order of things is most marked in the case of the intercourse of undergraduates with those preceptors who invite them often to their houses or who live in the same dormitories with them. A natural and easy social relationship, an informal, frequent exchange of calls, the easy, unconstrained talks of ordinary comradship, make study itself seem

York College Notes.

A number of fine residences are building n the vicinity of the college. Louis I. Schell of the class of 1907 is under appointment as teacher in the Philippines. The time set for him to sail is July 9. A square containing about six acres

a thing natural and human."

cornering with the college campus is being made into a public park to be known as East Hill park. A new sidewalk on the west side of the college grounds, also walks leading to the

college buildings are among the latest im-Rev. I. E. Caldwell and wife of the class of 1902, who went last May as missionaries twelve years' service in Nebraska was state have refused to employ married to Porto Rico, are reported by Dr. S. S. Hough, the general secretary, to be making a fine start in their work. Their address

General Notes.

is Juana Dias.

The school board of Boston will spend \$1,000,000 in the erection of new school build-

scademy. Upper Alton, Ill., presented the academy with a handsome bust of Abraham Lincoln as their class memorial. The bust is an excellent reproduction of the famous marble portrait by Volke. This year's class is the largest which ever left the institution.

George Edward Vincent has been elected dean of the faculties of arts, literature and science of the University of Chicago. This position is second highest in the faculty, being virtually the vice presidency and ranking next to the presidency in administrative and academic importance.

Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, has been presented by Worcester college, Oxford, England, with an illuminated address inclosed in a handsome sliver casket. The presentation was commemorative of the recent visit of anglish educators to America and in acknowledgement of the assistance rendered by President Butler.

A prize of \$1,000 offered forty-eight years ago by Uriah A. Boyden, an eminent engineer of Boston, to any American who should determine by experiment whether or not all rays of light are transmitted from "art rource with the same velocity, has just been won by Dr. Paul R. Heyl of the rith clapping Central school. Dr. Heyl proved that visible and invisible rays travel at the same rate.

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will make the third expedition that has gone out this summer in search of these relies, the first two securing remains of the eccene and oligicone animals of North America.

'sons of their fathers" in Yale have Two "sons of their fathers" in Yale have shown that they are able to succeed on their own merits. Robert Alphonso Taft, eldest son of the secretary of war, has halved the Barge first prize for excellence in freshman mathematics and obtained a first grade Berkeley premium of a book fund for excellence in Latin composition. Robert Pairbanks, whose father is vice president of the United States, has been elected an editor of the Record during his first two years was so large that he was one of the two men from the sophomore class chosen to the board of editors.

At its recent commencement Western Re-At its recent commencement West

rate.

Prof. F. B. Loomis of Amherst college, accompanied by two students, has just started on an expedition to Nebraska and northern Colorado to secure, if possible, fossil remains of mammals of the Miocene age for the biological department. This

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BOOSTERS AND GOVERNOR of him as to the manner of his bearing the zeal that made him the most untiring of the boosters; the modesty that laid aside all joy-killing formality, the good fellowship that brought the most unussuming to feel that he was one of them and yet withal the dignity that made them honored in their chief executive, and proud to point to him as one of Nebraska's products, born on her sell, taught in her schools, trained among her lawgivers.

Wherefore we beg, who art wont to command, that he return answer to this right speedily, conveying his gracious agreement to our wishes, whereat there will be great rejoining in the kingdom of Quivers.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty-first day of June, in the year of grace nineteen hundred and seven.

By command of the King.

SAMSON. A special invitation was also prepared for the boosters who are not members of boosters, being resident of Omaha, join in

Samson has named Monday evening, July Samson has named Monday evening. July 8, as "Booster's Night" and the whole pageantry of royal jinks presiding over that mighty potentate will move on its joyous course in honor of the enterprising band of men who did Omaha proud on the northwest excursion. We trust that not one of you will fail to be with us to learn how we value such splendid citizenship, to show us how you did it and to renew with your fellow pilgrims the recollections of the trip.

Samson has laid command on his minlons to the end that they will enact special hilarious stunts for your benefit, and in

to renew the acquaintance begun.

We enclose you a blank application which you will fill out and return to us with your check for \$10. This with your prompt appearance at the den at 8 o'clock on Monday evening is all we ask of you. Sameon will do the rest.

Boost for Omaha, the market town!

Keep on boosting!

Yours for the Boosters, SAMSON.

A special invitation was also sent to the members of the Commercial club, some of whom are not members of Ak-Sar-Ben. The Ak-Bar-Ben never falls to acknowl-

To assist in making the night a hummer and one which will long be remembered, a special form of invitation has been mailed to all former members of Ak-Sar-Ben in the years 1904, 1905 and 1906, who have not joined so far this year. These are urged to be present in the following

Bir Knight: Samson has named Monday evening. July 8, as "Boosters' Night," in commemoration of the great excursion sent out by the Commercial club. This expedi-tion has made history. Omaha is 500 miles nearer the coast then she was a month letter:

The Ak-Sar-Ben never falls to acknowledge every effort made to advance our city as a business center. To the Commercial club especially it holds out the hand of good fellowship for the earnest work it is doing and has done for Omaha, the market town.

Samsen is especially pleased with the splendid success of the northwest excursion and to show this fittingly and honor according to their deserts the men whose work and sacrifices made it possible, he has named Monday evening. July & "Boosters' Night," and promises it will be a great evening and worthy of its name.

We wish every member of the Commer-

return you will show what you can yourselves do in that line by instituting a
chapter of the A-Mo-Cat lodge, whose the instituting of the A-Mo-Cat lodge, whose the instituting of the A-Mo-Cat lodge, whose the instituting of the A-Mo-Cat lodge, which was originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and vast amount of curious interest. The same originated by the boosters at Tacoma and duartet who did the entertaining for originated by the boosters and surface the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did the entertaining for originated by them at the city of Tacoma. The orators and quartet who did t

CAT AND PARROT HOBNOB Bird Catcher and Bird Great Chums and Play Cards with Each Other.

The largest tomcat in Reading, Pa., and in the county of Berks is Dewey, a mamnoth fellow belonging to Mrs. Lafayette Neidert. Dewey tips the scales at 18% pounds, measures twenty-five inches from his girth is only two inches less. Across

the back he spans eleven inches. Dewey is a pure white half-breed Angora, of fur, which he keeps scrupulously clean. He is 5 years old. As a kitten he displayed unusual intelligence. In his personal appearance he takes great pride, and is not satisfied except his mistress washes now play and amuse each other.

bathtub with the water reaching well up to his sides while being vigorously rubbed. In front of Dewey on a table the cards are and shows that he likes it. He gets a little placed, when the bird will home out and however. For tricks Dewey is probably incompara-

leaps through his mistress' hands.

only amusing but astonishing.

stands on his hind legs, jumps through

When the parrot came into the household where Dewey was the single petted attraction, Dewey had some reason to be jealous, as he soon saw that some of the affect beneath it. "Ah, there! I see you, Dewey!" the tip of his nose to the tip of his tail, and tionate strokes that he used to get down is the bird's mealy-mouthed salutation. and possesses a beautiful long silky coat out of his cage Dewey was ready to land sport. the parrot on his back. The mistress soon subdued this jealousy, and after two Dewey a parting "Good night, Dewey!" his eyes, ears and mouth every morning. told to they also kiss each other. The all of which is mere habit and training. Besides these morning ablutions he gets a parrot will steal up to Dewey and caress Philadelphia Rocord.

bath every week or two He stands in the him, and Dewey will lick the bird's head. They also play cards with each other. restless when the shower bath is applied, pick up with his bill card after card, sort them and give so many to Dewey, and the rest he will carry back to his oage. Then ble among cats, as Mr. and Mrs. Neidert he will say: "Dewey, Dewey! Cards,

have taught him a score of stunts. He cards!" They have a lot of playthings with which hoops, vaults over objects placed in his they amuse themselves, Dewey with his way that are over four feet high, and paw solling them around the floor and the parrot with his bill pushing them back The strangest thing, however, that again. For hours sometimes they do this. Dewey does are when he is courting his When Dewey gets tired and too lazy the bosom friend, a well-educated parrot. As parrot will pick his ear and bring him in friends they are always together, and the line again. Often he slips off, and the bird antics they do in Niedert's kitchen are not will call: "Dewey! Dewey! until he gets him back.

Hide-and-seek is another of their favorite sports. The parrot perches himself on the top of a couch, while Dewey crawle his soft, white back went upon the bird's Next, perhaps, he pinches the cat's tail feathers. At first he remonstrated a good and Dewey runs off, and the parret has to deal about it, and whenever the bird got coax another hour to get him back to the

At night time the parrot slways gives months of coaxing she got both pets to and in the morning when he hears the cut holst the metaphoric flag of truce, and scratching and shambling around the When kitchen he calls: "Dewey, good morning!"



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