

Local and Personal

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR:

Friday, Feb. 6.—Junior Prom, Lincoln hotel.
 Wednesday, Feb. 11.—Junior-Senior debate, Memorial hall.
 February 13.—Phi Delta Theta party, Walsh hall.
 March 13.—Company B hop, Fraternity hall.
 Friday, Feb. 13.—University Club Dance, Fraternity hall.
 Feb. 14-16.—Midwinter Commencement.
 Sat., Feb. 14.—Sigma Xi banquet.
 Mon., Feb. 16.—Regular Charter Day exercises, Memorial hall, 8 p. m. Address by Gov. Cummins, of Iowa: "Some Questions That Have Yet to Be Answered."
 February 20.—Alpha Theta Chi party, Walsh hall.
 Saturday, Feb. 21.—Glee Club concert, Memorial hall.
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 Norris Huse left Wednesday for a few days' visit at his home in Norfolk.
 Little Gem hot waffles served at the Merchants' Cafe, 117 North 13th St. We have a large student patronage.
 Florence L. Boose has completed her course and gone to her home in Falls City.
 Charles Higgins, of the Minnesota chapter, was a visitor at the Beta house Wednesday evening.
 The meeting of the English Club has been postponed from next Saturday evening to February 14th.
 Capt. J. R. Farney, of company D, has been confined to his room for the past few days with the grip.
 Ralph Ray writes for his Nebraskan from North Platte, where, he says, he is "more or less temporarily located."
 C. H. Larson, '02, is engaged in some interesting engineering work on the Kansas City and Southern railway at Leesville, La.
 Mr. F. A. Manley, '89, chief engineer of the Union Pacific Coal company, Rock Springs, Colo., has resigned to take up the practice of hydraulic and mining engineering in Idaho.

G. A. Johnson, who has completed his course in the University, will leave tomorrow for a visit at his home in Oakland. He will return to Lincoln for the mid-winter commencement.

The young women of the University are cordially invited to hear Mrs. J. D. Tuttle's talk on "Bible Study," given before the Y. W. C. A. in Union hall next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Professor Caldwell will address a meeting of the Young People's Missionary Society of the Christian church this evening. His subject will be "A Discussion of the Negro Problem."

The compulsory arbitration squad met yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in L. 311 and discussed the situation. The debaters are getting down to work again after a few days' rest following the preliminaries of last week.

Miss Margaret Contraman has secured a position teaching at her home in Weeping Water and will be at the University only on Saturdays. By thus utilizing her Saturdays, Miss Contraman will complete her course in June and graduate with the class of '03.

The following men failed to keep their appointment at Physical Director's office. They will please make another date at once: A. B. Hitchman, J. W. Dorrington, S. M. Chase, Geo. Shidler, G. P. Greenwald, Chas. Lus-sen, E. L. Tillotson, C. L. Morse. W. F. H.

Dr. Guernsey Jones, of the European History department, is writing a series of articles on European History for the International Encyclopedia, which is now in print. The last copy furnished dealt with the reigns of Henry VII. and Henry VIII. of England.

Some new apparatus has recently been received by the Electrical Engineering department. The new alternating current voltmeter and new Weston ammeter are of the latest and most approved patterns and are highly commended by Professor Morse and Mr. Evans.

The Electrical Engineering students are greatly benefited by the addition of two hours to the course in Physics 4. This addition is intended to give those taking the electrical engineering course a better conception of the fundamental principles of magnetism and electricity.

About fifteen men reported in the gymnasium yesterday at 4 p. m. for entrance in the athletic events for Charter Day. The shot-put, rope-climb, high jump and bar vault were practiced yesterday. Every man with ability in this line is urged to come out and help make a showing for the athletic department on this day.

The football lockers were assigned to the baseball men yesterday. Several men were out for battery practice.

THE PEDAGOGUES.

Interesting Session of the Pedagogical Club.

A practical talk by President Allen of the Lincoln school board on "Some Characteristics Which Influence the Board in Employing Teachers" was given before the University Pedagogical Club last night. Mr. Allen said in part:

The teacher's personality is an im-

portant element in successful school work.

It is essential that the teacher should work in harmony with all with whom he has relations. The school system has to free itself from some teachers of otherwise splendid qualifications because of their lack of this requisite. The board avoids a teacher of the egotistic type. Such a teacher cannot co-operate fully and makes himself and others miserable over petty details and annoyances. The board does not like to have a teacher talk too much about his qualifications or insist too much on a certain assignment. This leads to misunderstandings. Again, it is best to accept the board's decision as final and to give it credit for honesty in judging. Teachers ought, through personal appearance and even temper, to utilize all the influence of which they are capable. The final point was that the teacher should make a sensible use of the so-

About fifteen meet reported in the professional and neglect other elements which go to make up a well-rounded personality.

SENIOR-JUNIOR DEBATE.

Contest Between the Classes next Wednesday Evening.

The long-contemplated Senior-Junior debate will occur on Wednesday evening, February 11th, in the old chapel. The following question will be discussed:

"Resolved, That publicity, through state commissions, of the assets and liabilities and profits of corporations and the so-called trusts would be an effective remedy for the alleged evils of over-capitalization, monopoly prices and defrauding of investors."

The Juniors will have the affirmative of the question and will be represented by Lewis, Ryner and Johnson. The Seniors will be represented on the negative by Black, Strayer and Norton.

The judges have not all been selected as yet. Admission will be ten cents.

The idea of holding inter-class debates is one of the new features of the University and, judging by the interest that has been shown in the different classes, the contest will be well attended.

Such class contentions tend to weld classes together and overcome a part of the looseness that results from the elective system. The Senior and Junior classes have been at swords' points, so to speak, the entire year. The inter-class basket-ball championship game was felt to lie between these two classes, before the game was played. Such did not prove to be the case. However, the feeling that the game aroused is sufficient to show that there is spirit in both classes. And with such spirit behind an intellectual contest there is sure to be "something doing" next Wednesday night. The debate is one of the series of debates that was arranged at the beginning of the debating season, the tickets for which sold at 35 cents. Other class contests will follow and the championship will be established.

MEDICAL MEETING.

Last Night's Session of the Medical Society.

The Medical Society held its first meeting of the semester last night and elected officers for the remainder of the year. The meeting was a business session merely and no program was carried out. The following officers were elected: President, E. W. Rowe; vice-president, J. R. Harger; secretary, Miss Farnsworth; treasurer, L. B. Sturdevant.

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