

The Social Week

The Pi Phi's have pledged Miss McGeachin of Orleans.

Alfred Beckman and Allen Field of Lincoln are pledged to Sigma Alph.

The annual hop of Company B will be given March 13 at Fraternity hall. The hop is given under the management of Lieutenants Davidson and Mansfield.

The non-com. officers of the battalion have arranged for a dance, to be given early in the spring. Russell Harris is chairman and Glenn Hupp master of ceremonies.

The young ladies of Kappa Kappa Gamma will give a card party this evening for the members of the sorority and a few young ladies who are visiting in the city. Misses McConnell and Merrill of Omaha are the guests of Misses Wilson and Stephens at the chapter house. Miss Christy is entertained by Miss Funke, and Miss Bigsbee of Council Bluffs by Miss Butler. A taffy pull was given at the house Wednesday night.

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THE JUNIOR PROM.

The Annual Event Brilliantly Successful Last Night.

One of the most successful social events of the season was held last night at the Lincoln Hotel under the auspices of the Junior class of the University. For years the "Junior Prom" has been a much looked forward to event in University circles, and this year those in charge spared no pains to make the dance one long to be remembered, and a notable event in the history of the class of '04.

The hotel was charmingly decorated with palms and the class and University colors. In the main court two large silk flags were suspended from the ceiling, and the pillars were draped with scarlet and cream bunting. In the ball-room the decorations were chosen to represent the various fraternities and sororities, and in the windows and on the walls of the hall were hung numerous fraternity pennants, the variegated colors of which united with the other decorations in giving a most pleasing effect. In the southwest corner of the room Eddie Walt's orchestra, twelve strong, was screened by a bank of palms, and rendered the kind of music that has made the presence of Mr. Walt so indispensable at University dances.

On two streamers hung across the room fifty varsity pennants of various shapes, sizes, and designs were suspended, and at the south end over the buffet two mammoth silk flags completed the decorations.

At 9:30 Mr. Norris Huse and Miss Edna Holland, as master and mistress of ceremonies, Mr. Edgar Davis, chairman, with Miss Woodford, began the grand march, followed by eighty-five couples. Twenty-five regular numbers completed the program and engaged the dancers until an early hour. The chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. Pound and Professor and Mrs. Barbour.

The Junior class is to be congratulated upon the success of the Prom. To the members of the committee, and to Mr. Davis in particular, is due the appreciation felt by everyone present, at the highly creditable manner in which the plans were conceived and carried out. Mr. Davis has been untiring in his efforts to make the dance successful, and is deserving of large praise for his effective management.

WEEK IN LINCOLN.

Busy Student's Summary of City Doings.

Jan. 31.—Legislature adjourned until February 9 at 11 a. m., in order to give the revenue committee time in which to draft a bill.—A Municipal League formed, with E. E. Bennett as president and Lon Ricketts as secretary, to advocate "the complete separation of municipal business from state and national politics," "enlightened methods of government," the "practical extension of civil service reform to all municipal departments," fair elections and "punishment for official misconduct."—City Attorney E. C. Strode explains that the city assessment of railroad property at its fair value would not affect assessments made for county and state purposes.—The Republican city committee adopts the old primary rules (Lincoln system).

Feb. 1.—Basement story of the First Methodist church at University Place dedicated by Bishop McCabe.

Feb. 2.—Superintendent C. H. Gordon of the city schools hands in his resignation to take effect on the close of the school year, June 30. Mr. Gordon is quoted as saying: "I see nothing in the public school business for the future. A man puts in the greater part of his life at the business and at the end he has nothing."—The attempt to bring the lighting ordinance to a vote fails.

Feb. 3.—Business men meet at the Commercial Club rooms and decide to call a meeting of representative business men to decide upon whom the business interests of the city will support as candidate for mayor in the coming primaries.—All of the members of the present excise board—Dr. Winnett, Dr. Finney and F. H. Woods—are in favor of retaining the saloon license fee of \$1,500.

Feb. 4.—City loses its tax case. Judge Cornish's ruling is affirmed and the amount of the city's claim against the traction company is cut from over \$100,000 to \$48,000. The traction company once offered to pay \$65,000.—The Republican Club discusses plans for the coming banquet which will be held at the Lindell on the night of February 12. The Club votes to extend an invitation to the McKinley Club of Omaha.—Business men at a called meeting express themselves in favor of Mayor Winnett as the candidate for renomination.—Another Lincoln Camp (No. 2266) favors the candidacy of A. R. Talbot for head consul of the Modern Woodmen of America.—The L. L. Lindsey Club endorses G. A. Adams for mayor and Thomas H. Hoskins for member of the excise board.

Feb. 5.—Winnett decides to run again for mayor. Dr. Finney withdraws. The battle to be fought between Winnett and Adams. Dr. Finney declines to stand for renomination as member of the excise board.

The Freshmen class did not meet yesterday at convocation hour, because of the unusual interest in chapel exercises. The meeting was postponed one week, bringing it on Friday, Feb. 13th.

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