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Staff Editorials.

Charter Day.

Peoples and institutions have days they especially honor for their historical association and relation to their individual interests. For the University of Nebraska it is reserved in her splendid youth to enjoy honors such as rarely crown other than the efforts of age. This is the thirty-fourth anniversary of her founding. The generation that witnessed her birth is still in its prime. It can sit within the temple it built and worship the light that with even ray flows out over its broad portals and pierces the realm of every scientific truth and philosophical verity. Her character is in her foundation and development, and upon them we would delight to dwell, but space forbids. From infancy she has breathed the air of western enterprise, and fostered by the state she has been the best exponent of its hopes, its embitions and its high standards. Her success in athletics, in debates and in the departments of scientific investigation and learning are all evidences of her patriotic devotion and loyalty to her trust. In no part of the Union is there an institution of learning that lies more closely to the heart of the commonwealth than does the University of Nebraska, hence the exercises of this day partake of the nature of a holiday observance and will be read and treasured by the thousands who, absent in person, are with us in spirit. Looking back from the threshold of this day, our grasp is swift and firm. Looking to the future, we see towering great possibilities which, sure of their foundation, are the bulwarks and safeguards of free institutions.

the University from small towns and mingle with the two thousand students in the institution soon learn to look out for themselves. This fact is noticed especially in the library. It is no uncommon occurrence to see some one spread his books on a desk, tip up the chair and then disapear for a short time-a matter of two or three hours Not infrequently, too, such students who seem to disregard the rights of others, accidently (?) carry away with them library books that are in constant demand. For this they are not to blame, but they neglect to return the books and leave them lying about in their rooms for a week or more University life ought not to promote carelessness, selfishness or indifference to the laws of courtesy and good breeding. The institution is public property and no student ought to expect to monopolize rights that are common.

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While the P. B. K. election Thursday night did not turn out just as it was expected that it would, it ought to be remembered that certain conditions must be met before the name of any student can be even considered. A student specializing in one or two departments is not eligible to election, no matter how proficient he may be in his line of work. Only the names of students who have completed four of the following list of six branches of work are voted on in election: Ten hours of history, ten of ancient language, ten of modern language, ten of mathematics, ten of science and six hours of philosophy. It is evident from this that all good students cannot be elected to the fraternity. In fact, a large number of the very best students are barred by this provision. So we who were not fortunate enough to receive the honors of P. B. K. may console ourselves that it was not the character of our work that caused the disappointment, but the range of our studlec and their proper distribution in the different departments of the University. At any rate, we can most heartily congratulate our fellow students who by hard incessant toil gained one of the highest honors that school life affords. Such honors fall only to the deserving.

Orders for Senior Pins

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Misses Woodford, Brown or Walling,

The Week in Lincoln.

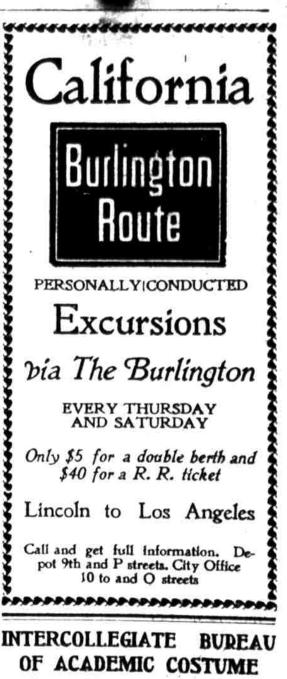
Feb. 7. Mr. Bryan refuses to attend a banquet to be given by the Iroquois club of Chicago, to which Grover Cleveland and members of his cabinet are to be invited.----President E. E. Bennett, of the Municipal League, says of that organization: "The league will not attack any satisfactory man in office or one seeking office, but it will carefully watch the actions of a man who has been inducted into office and will fearlessly publish his record."----Lincoln citizens make contributions to the relief fund for the starving people of Norway, Sweden and Finland.----Saloon men seem willing to pay high fee if liberal regulations are permitted.

Feb. 9. Legislature re-convenes. —Mass meeting held for Adams, as candidate for mayor. He pledges himselm to appoint a union labor street commissioner and sidewalk inspector, and is indersed by union labor men. —Restaurant men say they will not comply with demands of waiters' union.

Feb. 10. At a meeting of business men sentiment is disclosed in favor of electing seven councilmen at large. The Lancaster delegation to the legislature does not favor the taxing of terminal railroad property. Adams refused to state where he stands on municipal questions.

Feb. 11. Adams makes the following statement: "The Slocum law of this state has been in force for many years, and the people generally are favorable to it. Until the voters in some way indicate a desire for a change I shall favor the present standard of license for the sale of intoxicating liquors." Feb. 12. The Lincoln Young Men's Republican Club holds its fourteenth annual banquet at the Lindell hotel. There were 150 republicans in attendance. The speakers were Governor Mickey, W. B. Rose, P. J. Cosgrave, Aaron Wall and E. P. Holmes .-License fee question continues to be the main issue in city campaign-The organization of the Farmers' Cooperative Grain and Live Stock Shipping Association is completed.

The Seniors Elect.



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J. D. R.

Students have been termed the most unruly class of people, perhaps justly. It is a noticeable fact, at least, that young men and women who come to



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The Scarlet and Cream Store

The class of '03 of the University elected its last corps of officers last Tuesday, February 10. Since the last semester holds for the senior class something more than the ordinary pleasures and benefits of school life, the officers are considered an enviable honor. For this reason, it was exfierce contest. Almost the entire class assembled in the old chapel to see the fun and to participate in the election. It had been noised about the University, and especially among the seniors, that several aspirants for the office of president would appear at the election with good backing. When the meeting was called to order, however, and time for nominations arrived, only one candidate was placed before the class, C. C. Tellesen. After a long pause, which satisfied the entire class that other aspirants would not appear, some one arose and, as a joke, nominated W. J. Fairchild. Mr. Fairchild asked that his name might be withdrawn, but was refused by the chair. Nominations were declared closed and a ballot taken, which resulted in the choice of Mr. Tellesen. Three candidates were nominated for the office of vice-president, Miss Woodford, Miss Gould and Miss Cady. Miss Woodford was elected. Miss Maud Smith, the temporary secretary, was given the office permanently, and Miss Sly was reelected .reasurer by a unanimous vote.

Saturday "2" o'clock.

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