

Those of Other Days

Ellen Smith Memorial.

The memorial exercises held yesterday for Miss Ellen M. Smith were a fitting testimonial of the reverence and respect with which her memory will always be cherished. In the large concourse assembled were many who were associated with her in her work and many who had come into contact with her in the capacity of students. There were also present many who had come to know her as a true and affectionate friend, some of whom paid her tributes in which were brought out her many admirable qualities and noble devotion to her work.

The exercises opened with an impressive and finely rendered instrumental solo by Mrs. Raymond, after which Rev. Fifer led in prayer.

The introductory address by Chancellor Andrews contained some beautiful sentiments in connection with Miss Smith's constancy and devotion to her work. Generations of students came and went and many of the faculty passed to other fields, but Miss Smith remained. Few women in this state or any other state had more influence and few were more sincerely mourned.

Judge Dales characterized her as a good, conscientious, Christian worker, and one never failing in her duty. He spoke of her services as teacher and registrar, expressing the view that no one was more interested in the welfare of each individual student and that all were bettered by the example of her honest life and the influence of her ideal.

Mrs. A. W. Field, speaking as an old student under Miss Smith, expressed her sincere admiration for her as a teacher, and recalled a number of reminiscences illustrative of her strength and nobility of character.

Judge Roscoe Pound paid her a number of glowing tributes. He recalled her strict sense of duty, and the justice with which she acted. He spoke eloquently of her noble character and kindness, illustrating by a number of incidents in which he came into contact with her.

Rev. Lewis Gregory, speaking of her Christian life, enlarged upon her loyalty to conscience and her preferring to be right with God rather than commended by all others. Hers was such a Christian character as strengthens the age.

Letters were read by Dean Bessey from G. G. Hicks, '01, ex-Chancellor Canfield, and Dr. Edgren. All these expressed their high regard and reverent memory of Miss Smith and her work.

C. C. Chase spoke of Miss Smith as a friend, his acquaintance with her having dated from 1877. He feelingly referred to her many fine points of character.

A finely rendered solo by D. H. Wheeler, '84, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," concluded the exercises. Rev. Fifer, '89, pronounced the benediction.

The following were noted among the visiting alumni: Clement C. Chase, '84, Omaha; D. H. Wheeler, '84, Omaha; Mrs. Allen W. Field, '82, Lincoln; Mrs. Glen Talbot Babson, '88, Seward; Miss Edna Bullock, '89, Lincoln; Mrs. David R. Majors, '86, Pittsburg; Judge Lincoln Frost, '86, and Mrs. Lincoln Frost; Mr. and Mrs. John Dryden, hon. '84, Kearney; Mr. and Mrs. Snell, Lincoln.

The marriage of Mr. Ernest C. Wiggenhorn and Miss Jessie Bell Lansing in this city on Wednesday evening was an event of great interest to University people.

Mr. W. W. Robertson, a student of the eighties and husband of Grace Barrett, '88, has been appointed one of the commissioners of the St. Louis World's fair from the state of Washington.

Mr. W. B. Hunter, A. M. '98, was noticed in the abstract of the census as having charge of the work of overseeing the compilation of those documents this year. He had working under him about thirty government employees.

Mr. T. F. A. Williams, '92, has been asked to deliver the commencement oration at Wakefield, Neb. Alumni know Mr. Williams to be a true orator

The senior book committee announces that the book will be on sale next week at least three or four days in advance of the Sombrero. Although this is earlier than last year's issue, the committee regret very much the three weeks' delay due to the tardiness of the engravers. But while the Buffalo engravers were slow, their work was most excellent.

Yesterday's conference in regard to finances showed a considerable deficit quite certain. The present book has departed from traditional lines to such an extent that the book will cost two hundred dollars more than previous ones.

The book will be 6 1/2 by 9 1/2 inches, with 190 pages exclusive of ads, somewhat larger than its predecessors. The fine half-tone work, with the artistic background effects, has cost a great deal of hard cash. Instead of leaving the cartoons, drawings and sketches for the most part to the Sombrero, as

and a born humorist, and are willing to predict that he will be more and more recognized as one of the good speakers of the state.

Alvin Pope, '98, made a flying trip to Lincoln in the interests of his department of the St. Louis exposition, Thursday, spending that night with his

has been done heretofore, this year's book has a greater number of them than the combined senior books of the past five years. For the first time the "josh," or more correctly, the "grind" department, will be profusely illustrated. Messrs. Severin, Shidler, Hansen, Bumstead and Seitz; Misses Griggs, Field, and Brayton constitute the artist corps. To mention these names is to announce the grade of the work in the book. All save Bumstead and Seitz are well known to University people. Alden Bumstead is the fourteen-year-old Lincoln lad who has made such a hit in illustrating street-car advertising. He is now doing work for Kansas City firms. F. W. Seitz is a Chicago Art Institute student, whose services were secured through Robert Hill, his friend and a member of the book committee. He has contributed eight cartoons that remind one of H. R. Johnson of Arrowhead fame. The senior book artists this year are paid in legal tender instead of promises.

cousin at Milford. Mr. Pope has charge of the department of charities and corrections.

Lincoln Shining Parlor, cor. 11th & O. Ladies and gentlemen.

Don't wear celluloid finished collars and cuffs.—The "Evans."

They receive their pay, deficit or no deficit.

It became evident in yesterday's conference that owing to the additional expense due to the change in the character of the book, and the fact that the advertisers have not been liberal enough to overbalance this, a woeful gap in the finances is certain. The advisability of advancing the price above 50 cents, the usual one, was considered, the improved character of the book making such a raise a possible solution of the difficulty. But the committee feels reluctant about taking such a step, since they have previously announced the price of 50 cents. It was decided last night to wait until some of the books were off the press before definitely deciding the question of an advance, inasmuch as the appearance of the finished book will be a large factor in the sale. It was ascertained definitely that the sale of the full 1,000 copies at 50 cents would leave \$200 indebtedness.

Dr. Bentz, Dentist, Eleventh and O.

C. E. Brown, Dentist, Burr block.

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