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**Kansas Sends Question.**

Another question has been submitted by Kansas for the inter-state debate, and the Debating Board, consisting of Professors Ross, Taylor and Fogg, met yesterday to consider the question. After discussing it thoroughly, a letter was sent to Kansas last night in regard to the question, dealing with the matter of definition. As usual our authorities are insisting upon definitions, which clear sighted policy has always been productive of good results in the past.

A letter has been received from North Dakota by Secretary Ira Ryner, containing an urgent request for establishing debate relations with this University. This is the fourth letter of this kind received this year, and it shows that a debate with Nebraska is a thing to be sought after by other ambitious institutions. South Dakota made a similar request early in the season, but it was found impossible to take favorable action upon it.

Two of the big debates in the Central Debating league take place this evening, the Chicago-Northwestern, at Chicago, and the Minnesota-Michigan, at Minneapolis.

The Iowa-Illinois debate will occur this evening.

**Rev. S. Z. Batton Next Sunday.**

Rev. Samuel Z. Batten, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, will address the men's mass meeting at the Oliver theatre next Sunday afternoon on "The Useless Man." Rev. Mr. Batten, before called to his present station, had filled successful pastorates in Philadelphia, New York City, and Morristown, N. J., from which place he came to Lincoln. While in New York City, Mr. Batten held many very successful open air meetings, and since then he has, on different occasions, occupied the platform at various Christian Endeavor conventions. Men of the city who have heard Mr. Batten speak will need no word of encouragement to be induced to come out to hear him at this meeting. To those who have not had the pleasure of hearing him, may be said that it will be well worth their while to take advantage of this opportunity.

The special musical attraction secured for this meeting is the Chicago Lady Entertainers, concerning whom Mr. F. L. Hannum, chairman of a lecture course committee in Pennsylvania, says: "The Chicago ladies made a tremendous hit. I have been connected with lecture courses more or less for the past fifteen years, and I have never secured a better attraction than this company. The quartet work was excellent—smooth well shaded and evenly balanced. I do not wonder that Lillian B. Parsal has received medals. She deserves all she has and more. Bessie M. Mercer has the most fascinating contralto voice that it has ever been my good fortune to hear. In expression, range and timbre, it is simply a marvel. Every number was endorsed." Recommendations such as this assures a most pleasant musical treat.

Mr. Batten is a graduate of Bucknell University at Lewisburg, Pa., is deeply interested in the students of Lincoln, and will be especially pleased to greet college men.

**Womans' Faculty Club Meets.**

The Womans' Faculty club met at the home of Mrs. Fossler Tuesday evening and enjoyed their usual social time. Mrs. Fling read a paper describing the interesting scenes, events and experiences in connection with the visit of Dr. Fling and herself at New Orleans at the National Historical meeting during the holidays. The next meeting will be at the home of Chancellor Andrews, where the gentlemen members of the faculty will be entertained.

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