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Editorial Remarks

By the resignation of Mr. Wyer from membership on the Board of Directors the Nebraskan loses, only temporarily we hope, a man who has been one of the main stays of the publication since its inception. He has been secretary of the Board since the first board was organized and has been a tireless worker. Through the three years of a precarious financial condition Mr. Wyer was always an ever-present aid to the management and has many times advanced large sums of money out of his own private funds to tide over to better times. Two years ago, when the Daily was obliged to suspend publication on account of lack of advertising patronage it was largely due to Mr. Wyer's efforts that the paper was again started. Too high a tribute can hardly be paid to Mr. Wyer for his substantial interest, not only in the Daily Nebraskan, but in other phases of college activity.

Miss Alice Towne, editor-in-chief, and Mort Brown, business manager of the Senior Annual of '05, deserve all the praise that the excellence of their book will bring them. To Leon Peppelburg, who after doing invaluable work, was compelled to give up his position on the managerial staff, no small amount of credit is due.

Fifteen brain charts have recently been completed for the physiology, department of psychology, by Mr. Prince, the zoological department artist. They are divided into three sets of five each. The first consists of a comparative study of the brains of an alligator, a dog, a rabbit, a salmon and a shark. The second of five horizontal vertical cross sections of a sheep's brain and the last five present various cross sections of the human brain.

Don't fail to see the new solid gold University seal pins and fobs at the Uni. Book Store.

Communication

Considerable interest was aroused at the last meeting of the Seniors as to whether or not caps and gowns should be worn at Commencement. One of the antis expressed himself thus:

Four years of faithful student toil,
The day at last has come
To close this creditable career—
Well done, my boy, well done.

Your manliness and dignity
Have never failed to be
A source of simple honest pride
To our University.

Alack, and now why dost appear
In that strange livery?
Archaic customs we had hoped
Would never cling to thee.

Dost thou aspire to be a monk,
As in that flaunting gown
Thou steppest out into the world,
Or wouldst thou be a clown?

Art thou in mourning that 'tis black,
This costume that enshrouds thee?
Or dost thou as a freakish sport
Dare rival Don Quixote?

Dost thou, with innocense, assume
The like of woman's garb?
Or wouldst thou viciously befool,
And modestly discard?

Dost thou sublimely wish to be
A gracious holy priest?
Or wouldst thou sacrilgiously
But mock the Roman East?

Dost thou, in thoughtlessness accept,
This mediaeval day dress?
Or dost thou maliciously rebuke
The whole of human progress?

Four years of faithful student toil,
The day at last has come
To close this creditable career
By spending "toga mon." —"C."

Orators Thursday

Six colleges will compete for oratorical honors at University Place next Thursday evening. Cotner, Wesleyan, Grand Island, Central City, York, and the University will be represented. The contest will be the regular state inter-collegiate Prohibition Contest, which is the most extensive oratorical contest in America. The winner of the state contest will take part in the interstate contest which will be held in Lincoln this spring, either at the Oliver or at the Auditorium, on June 23d. Prizes to the extent of \$155.00 will be given at the state contest and to the extent of \$400.00 in the interstate contest.

Roy Clark, '05, will represent the University in the contest Thursday evening.

An admission of 15 cents will be charged. All are invited.

Last Geological Trip

Sixteen students of the class in agriculture accompanied by Dr. Condra, made a trip to Rocca, Neb., last Saturday to study the relative geological structure and the kinds of soils in the vicinity of the city. The day was spent in a study of the structure of the country and of the types of the soils. The soils were found to correlate quite closely with the geological structure. The carboniferous, Dakota, glacial, loess and the alluvial formations were examined. After the work of the day was finished the party engaged in recreative sports. The day proved to be an ideal one for enjoying an outing and also for the purpose of the expedition.

An expedition was made some time ago to the Platte Valley for a study of the country in that vicinity. This will probably be the last of the expeditions for this year.

Last Saturday afternoon at the F. & M. park the "Pall" Nine crossed bats with a picked team from the Law School. Durke, Law, umpired the game which resulted in a score of 7 to 11 in favor of the Lawyers. For some reason, however, they refused to play it out and the game was not finished.

Before the game was called the "Palls" indulged in a practice game with the Phi Phi's, defeating them to the tune of 4 to 0. Next Friday afternoon the "Palls" play the "Academy Colts" on the new Athletic field.

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The battery of the California baseball team has been found guilty of professionalism. This means that California will have new men in these places for the second game with Stanford. It was claimed that these men had played with a semi-professional team. The California Athletic Board brought the charges against the men themselves, as Stanford knew nothing derogatory to the California men's amateur standing.

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