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THE DEBATES.

This year Nebraska faces an exceedingly important, if not the most important year in her debating history. Her record of nine successive victories prior to 1906 is an achievement of which any University may justly feel proud, yet, not on that account should the future be regarded with complacent indifference. The memory of last year's defeat at Madison administered to a team of experienced debaters by the unanimous decision of three eminently qualified judges should prompt every loyal Nebraskan to strain every effort to prevent the recurrence of such a catastrophe.

This year Nebraska meets not only

tion. Especially is the inadequacy of the reading room felt during cold weather, when it is no uncommon sight to see twenty or thirty students standing against the walls or walking up and down the aisles in quest of a vacant chair to the annoyance of those who are there bent on serious study. Action should be taken by the authorities before winter sets in to provide something better than standing room for the host of students who are obliged to use the Library.

TAINED BOOKS.

It is high time some of the unduly solicitous, self-ordained arbiters of the University's moral status were awake to the appalling depths of iniquity into which the Regents are about to plunge the institution by accepting from H. R. H. the Prince of Monaco a set of books.

The acceptance of the Rockefeller gift was a virtuous act of charity in comparison with this flagrant, this insufferable compromise with the very hosts of evil.

Our already seared consciences are still further blackened, and the usefulness of this elaborate scientific work to ourselves and our posterity is eternally blighted by foul contamination with the gaming tables of wicked Monte Carlo.

Let the spotless champions of "untainted books" arise and espouse a cause indeed worthy of their righteous ire.

What is a New Student?

To The Nebraskan: On May 24th of the present year the Interfraternity Council adopted the following resolution:

"No fraternity shall pledge or initiate any new or prospective student until after the mid-semester reports are received in the Registrar's office (on the Saturday preceding Thanksgiving day), and not even then shall any new student be pledged or initi-

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Wisconsin but Illinois, two most formidable opponents. The question for both contests is already agreed upon and work should begin at once in the preparation of bibliography, and the investigation of all material at hand bearing upon the subject. Every man who has had any experience in argumentative work should get busy at once that Nebraska may enter upon another glorious era of nine more successive victories.

THE CROWDED LIBRARY.

That the seating capacity of the reading room of the Library is grossly inadequate to the needs of the student body has long been disagreeably apparent. For the last eight or ten years the enrollment at the University has been rapidly and steadily increasing. Yet the same cramped study quarters which served eight or ten years ago are assumed to be amply capacious for the much larger number now in need of such accommoda-

ated whose name appears on the delinquency list."

The term "new student" is defined as "a freshman who has not received twelve hours of college credit."

JAMES T. LEES,
President of the Interfraternity Council.

Appropriation Wanted.

The Secretary of the Nebraska State Historical Society has received a letter from Mr. C. E. Burnham of Norfolk, who is chairman of the Nebraska Commission for the Jamestown Exposition, inquiring whether the Society will take any steps towards having a historical exhibit.

The Commission was appointed by Governor Mickey, but the Legislature has not made any appropriation for having Nebraska represented. It is not known whether the new Legislature will appropriate or not.

Clinton J. Campbell, '05, is principal of the North Platte high school.

Students, Attention

Those who intend taking Mechanical Drawing, Botany and Zoology should inspect my line; the best articles at prices of cheap goods. Largest stock of Fountain Pens in the city . . . Have you seen the new History Cover, a loose-leaf one, for only 25c: History paper 8c per 100 sheets, 35c per 500 sheets. Come in and see for yourself . . .

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UNIVERSITY BULLETIN.

- October.
- Wednesday, 3rd.
Rev. Anna Shaw on Woman Suffrage at Convocation.
 - Thursday, 4th.
Mass Meeting for girls at 11 a. m.
 - Friday, 5th.
Music at Convocation.
 - Saturday, 6th.
Nebraska vs. South Dakota on Campus.
 - Monday, 8th.
Librarian Jewett at Convocation.
 - Tuesday, 9th.
Junior Class meets at 11 a. m.
 - Wednesday, 10th.
Professor Fossler on Henrik Ibsen at Convocation.
 - Friday, 12th.
Music at Convocation.
Pershing Rifle Hop at Fraternity Hall.
 - Saturday, 13th.
Nebraska v. Drake on Campus.
 - Monday, 15th.
Hon. W. H. Thompson at Convocation.
 - Wednesday, 17th.
Prof. G. E. Howard at Convocation.
 - Friday, 19th.
Music at Convocation.
 - Saturday, 20th.
Nebraska vs. Ames on Campus.
 - Saturday, 27th.
Nebraska vs. Doane on-Campus.
- Y. M. C. A. Devotional Meeting.
From 7 to 7:30 this evening, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. D. P. DeYoung will lead. All University men are invited to attend.
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