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LAST OF THE YEAR.

With this issue the Daily Nebraskan suspends publication for the holidays. The next number of the paper will be published Tuesday, January 5, 1909.

A BAD HABIT.

A habit has grown up among a small number of students at this university which, while not a serious matter, is exceedingly annoying. It is a thing which is not permitted in most universities and which a number of professors will not tolerate in their classes here. It is the habit which some students have, as soon as a professor calls upon anyone to recite, or at once raising their hands in the air and making every effort to center attention upon themselves. This sort of action is usually a sure sign that the student finds it such a rare thing to know the answer to a question that he feels the necessity of making it known whenever he does, or else that he cares nothing how his conduct may inconvenience his neighbor. A little more consideration of the feelings of others would cause a student who has permitted himself to develop such a habit to stop and think how such a thing appears to others.

THINK THIS OVER.

It is generally supposed that university students have very few things to trouble their minds during the holidays and the Daily Nebraskan wants to put before the Nebraska students just two small incidents for them to ponder over during their moments of

University Bulletin

December.

Thursday, 17—Convocation, "The Messiah."

Ames basket-ball. Informal dance.

Friday, 18—Christmas vacation begins at 6 p. m.

January.

Monday, 4—Christmas vacation ends at 8 p. m.

Friday, 8—Junior hop at Fraternity Hall.

Saturday, 9—Sophomore hop at Lincoln Hotel.

Friday, 15—Non-Com Hop at Fraternity Hall.

Meeting of the Graduate Club.

Saturday, 16—Ames basketball game. Drake-Unl. basket-ball game. Informal dance.

Friday, 18—Minnesota-Nebraska basket-ball game. Informal dance.

Saturday, 19—Minnesota-Nebraska basket-ball game.

Friday, 22—Senior prom at Lincoln Hotel Annex.

Saturday, 23—Drake-Unl. basket-ball game.

Friday, 29—Sophomore Informal at Fraternity Hall.

Kansas Unl. basket-ball game.

Saturday, 30—Inter-Frat Indoor Meet in Memorial Hall.

Kansas-Unl. basket-ball game. Informal dance.

February.

Friday, 5—Junior Prom at Lincoln Hotel.

leisure between now and the end of vacation.

Here they are: At the Nebraska-Kansas football game in Lawrence in 1907 there were 900 more people in attendance than at the Nebraska-Kansas game in Lincoln this year. Lawrence is a town of 10,000 and Lincoln a city of nearly 60,000 inhabitants. The University of Nebraska has about eight hundred more students than Kansas.

At the Iowa-Minnesota debate in Iowa City last Friday there were 1,000 people in attendance. At the Nebraska-Illinois debate in Lincoln on the same night there were 300 people. Iowa City is a town of 8,000 and Lincoln a city of nearly 60,000 inhabitants. The University of Nebraska has nearly 800 more students than the University of Iowa.

"WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH NEBRASKA?"

THE CHRISTMAS STAMP.

A special Christmas stamp has been issued by the National Red Cross for sale this Christmas season, the proceeds to be applied to anti-tuberculosis

work in which the stamp is sold. Designed by Howard Pyle, the stamp is printed in three colors by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing; a year ago the Red Cross society of Delaware adopted the scheme and found it a great success. According to Charities and the Common (October 17), the first edition was promptly exhausted, and in eighteen days nearly 40,000 Christmas stamps were sold, profiting nearly \$3,000. The stamp astonished, interested and educated the people of the state and all elements of the community loaned their aid to effect the sale with as little expense as possible. The scheme has now been taken up by the National Red Cross and the stamp will be on sale in every state this season. The United States postal regulations interfere with its being sold in postoffices at present, as was the case in Denmark. It can be procured in any quantity from the Red Cross headquarters in any state, or from the central one in Washington, for cash only, at one mail, but any kind of mail will carry it. "Its educative and inspiring value in Delaware has been found to be great," says the paper above quoted. "Good Will to Men" was the heading of the posters, all in Christmas red, that announced it. That is the spirit and the message of the Christmas stamp, and that is why the public heart has so responded to it."—Journal of the American Medical Association, November 14, 1908.

TWO COURSES IN JOURNALISM.

Wisconsin Offers One to Seniors and One to Juniors.

Courses preparatory to journalism are offered in the University of Wisconsin. Two courses in newspaper writing are given, one for juniors and the other for seniors. The junior course consists in practice in the work of the reporter and correspondent. The senior course includes special writing, the history of journalism and general subjects.

The department of political science offers two courses for students interested in newspaper work, one on the law of the press and the other on current political and economic topics. This year twenty-two students are enrolled in the junior course in newspaper writing and six in the senior course, which is given this year for the first time.

As the students in the courses preparatory to journalism in the freshman and sophomore years are enrolled in other studies in the college of letters and science, there is no means of knowing definitely how many students are pursuing this course, particularly since the courses were formally organized but two years ago. The number of students enrolled in the course in newspaper writing during the past few years indicates, according to Dr. W. G. Bleyer, chairman of the committee on courses preparatory to journalism, that there are about seventy-five students in the four classes preparing to take up journalism.

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DECEMBER 29TH

TEMPLE

REUNION DANCE

L. H. S. '08

\$1.00

A Suffragette club is proposed at Washington.

The fraternity bowling league at Indiana has disbanded.

The artists at Minnesota have organized an honorary society.

The sophomores have won the cross country championship at California.

The junior class at Chicago has an executive committee to run the affairs of the class.

A skating association is being organized at Syracuse. It plans to have 1,000 members.

Professor E. S. Meany of Washington state has written a "Narrative History of the State of Washington."

The Student Daily Post, the evening paper at Yale, is given away to the students, the advertising paying the expenses.

A medal is to be given to one man on the Washington football team this year, but the man has not been decided upon. The basis of the decision is to be the inspiration the man has been to his team mates.

Physical training classes at Amherst meet out-doors. The men are trained in the various track and field events until they can go through all the exercises correctly. This plan has developed many athletes for the school.