

CHANCELLOR GETS A RUG.

Hide of "Scotty" Furnishes Gift by Department of Animal Husbandry.

Chancellor Avery has been presented with a handsome rug by the department of animal husbandry. The rug is made from the hide of "Scotty," a pure bred Galloway steer raised on the farm of Straub Brothers near Avoca, Neb. For a number of years the steer was the property of the university. He was purchased when only a calf and used by the stock judging class. "Scotty" has been exhibited at four great stock shows and never failed to be first in his class, so that he may right be said to have been a champion. At the American Royal live stock show in Kansas City in October, 1909, he won first prize, and the following December at the International live stock exposition he again won a first prize, and was made the champion Galloway steer of the show. During October, 1910, he was again shown at the American Royal live stock show, where he won another first, and later at the International live stock exposition he took a first.

HEAR CONVENTION STORIES.

Y. M. C. A. Members Circle Around Fireplace Last Night.

At the mid-week meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last night a novel program was carried out. A fire was started in the grate of the big fireplace and the chairs pulled up close to the cheerful blaze. After a couple of songs, several of the delegates to the state Y. M. C. A. convention, which was held last week at Omaha, told of the convention impressions. It was an echo meeting. The discussions were all as informal as would have been the case if held around a camp-fire on the hillside. W. W. Guidinger, A. H.

Dinsmore, A. M. East, E. O. DeWolf, J. R. Rippey, R. E. Rice and H. W. Kendall recounted convention services and experiences to interest the men who were not present.

JUDGE COBBEY MAKES TALK.

Annontater of Nebraska Statutes Speaks to Legislative Class.

The class in political science, under A. E. Sheldon of the legislative reference bureau, was last night addressed by Judge J. E. Cobbe, the official compiler of the Nebraska statutes. He is a graduate of Iowa, class of '76.

The remarks of Judge Cobbe were along the line of the work done in compiling the laws passed by each legislature and their standing before the courts. He gave details as to how he did the work and how our annotated statutes differ from those of other states.

The class was intensely interested by his clear and concise statements and asked leave to have copies made of the address for use in future work.

WISCONSIN TO MAKE CHANGE

Regents Recommend that No Freshmen Be Initiated into Frats.

The board of regents of the University of Wisconsin has been investigating the fraternity question at that institution. The report states that the fraternities and sororities are doing much good and are taking the place of the old dormitory system in a most satisfactory way. The benefits received by the members are many, both from a social and practical standpoint.

There are a few evils that can be removed by proper regulations. The pledging of high school students is to be discontinued. No freshman is to be permitted to lodge or board at the chapter houses and no one can be in-

itiated until he is a sophomore. It is claimed that this last measure will remove the objection that the Greek societies are not democratic.

In the first place, it will give a larger number of students the opportunity of joining since all must be picked from the three classes. In the second place, it will compel the freshmen to make acquaintances along the natural lines which will as a consequence cause the development, first of all, of a strong loyalty toward the university. When they join a fraternity in their sophomore year, it is claimed, they will have a larger prospective of university life and will have made acquaintances in all classes, whereby the extreme snobbishness which too often characterizes the fraternity freshman will disappear.

FRESHMAN AT POLICE STATION

Fake Arrest Sends Unsuspecting Victim on Strange Mission.

The practical joker could not keep out of the limelight for a whole year, if he tried. Yesterday this fun provoking creature seized upon a prominent member of the freshman law class and sent the frightened victim on a mission to the police station. The poor fellow discovered the joke when he

arrived and in answer to his queries was told that he was not wanted.

It happened this way: A dignified junior with a star on his coat accosted the freshman in the hall and told him that he was wanted, and must go to the police station at once. Not caring to miss a class the freshman begged hard and was finally let off on condition that he would voluntarily appear as soon as the hour was over. But the nervous strain became too great and before the hour was half over the "arrested man" made his way to the station and told them that he was there. The officers were equally perplexed and knew nothing about any such person being wanted. Then he tumbled.

Sophomore Baseball.

All sophomore baseball men are requested to be out on the athletic field every afternoon for practice at 3 o'clock.

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WAYNE HANNING, Manager.

The lion has been adopted as the official mascot of Columbia by the student board. The king of beasts has now for companions, the Brown bear, the Yale bulldog, the Princeton tiger, all members of the college jungle.

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