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Take your prescriptions to Frye & Co.'s pharmacy. A fresh stock of drugs always on hand. Our speakers in the joint debate are

Abbot, Baker, Johnson, Newbranch, Bishop and Searson. Two columns were given in last Sun-

day's Journal to the description of the Morrill collections in the muscum.

Collars and cuffs have been furnished the cadets at a very low price. This will aid in the appearance of the battalion.

As the campus had good care last winter it looks better than ever this season. The flower planting was begun this week.

Tennis, base ball and drill give the western side of the campus a very attractive appearance during the afternoons.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon will give a dancing party Friday evening at Temple Hall. A very large number have been

The proposed march of the battalion which was postponed from last Saturday on account of Field Day will take place

The freshman boys have adopted a new hat of white straw with a broad purple band. Together with the girl's hats they are very pretty.

The battalion rejoices in the new colors. The flag is an elegant one. All the boys envy Bert Forbes now. Company "B" had the honor of being its first escort,

The bowling alley has been turned into a shooting gallery for the old members of the battalion. Those of Companies A and B use it Tuesday afternoons and those of "C" and "D" on Thursday.

Alpha Tau Chapter of Beta Theta Pi entertained last Friday evening at the home of Ernest Ames on 20th and Sumner street. Mr. Ames distinguished himself as a host. A most enjoyable time was reported by all.

Mr. McMullen, by unanimous vote of the delegates of the Interstate Oratorical convention was permitted to speak Thursday night at the Inter-State. Illinois won first place. Nebraska was sixth. This is the best rank ever awarded Nebraska.

The debate between Cotner and the U. B. D. C. which will occur here on the 11th promises to be the hottest and best debate ever held at the University. It will be held in the chapel where seats will be reserved for Cotner. About one hundred Cotnerites will be down. The subject for debate is: "Resolved, that the principles and policies of the A. P. A. are un-American and inexpedient.

The Junior "Annual" question will be settled this year by the Sophmores much more peaceably than last year. A wise step was made by the appointment of a committee composed of Geo. Johnson, Miss Bruner and Messrs Teele, Pulis and Porter, which is to look up the expenses and difficulty of publishing an annual and also to submit recommendations for editors and managers. Friday a meeting of the class will be held and the entire matter disposed of.

EXCHANGE.

Pennsylvania won the joint debate with Cornell.

An Inter-fraternity Base Bail League is being formed at the Kansas State University.

A University Glee Club composed of alumni of the larger eastern colleges has been organized in New York with fortyeight members.

The Battalion of the Iowa State University is making an effort to have a short encampment this spring. Wisconsin has a battalion but no encampment. These Universities are hardly in line with Nebraska in military work.

Break, break, break On thy cold, gray stones, O sea; I have been broke so oft No terror hast thou for me.

FIRST DOWN.

He was a football player, She a maiden petite: He had a struggling mustache,

Which, of course he thought was neat. She was a bit sarcastic, And only laughed at the frown

That spread upon his countenance When she asked, "Is it first down?" -The Lafayette.

A STIFF DRINK.

A pilgrim on dark Styx's brink addressed the boatman drear:

'Dread sir, I would with thee embark. but thou art full, fear."

Quoth Charon: "Sir, dismiss such thoughts! I'm loaded well, 'tis But ne'er will I be found so full that I

> can't take on a bier.' -Trinity Tablet.

OUR GYM.

A maiden was relating To rural friends at home The wonders of our college To which she late had come.

"Our Gym is very handsome," She said, (her friends looked wise) "And tall-a hundred feet, I think." (They gazed in dumb surprise.)

"Our Gym looks down upon the street."

(O, what a flirt, thought they.) "And when we pass we gaze and gaze." O, dreadful girls, they say.)

'Our Gym smoked so, one Sunday, We thought there was a fire," A dissipated youth, that Jim-Their looks expressed their ire.)

"And all we girls are raving, Because through some mean whim The boys have sole possession Of our dear, darling Gym."

Their hands were raised in horror As she went on to say: "We girls all think the world of Gym, We love him more each day."

Then with one voice the council Of friends assembled cried; "In that strange place, O maiden, You shall no more reside."

"If there the girls all love one man It is a wicked place; For modest little maidens To live there's a disgrace.'

"Gymnasium is the proper name," Resumed the maid demure, "But our abbreviation You'll pardon, I am sure."

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