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You wain to get a holiday $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{E}}$ maskas before they are all gone
As able contemporary inform us that "Professor Wilson is get ting out an addition to Virgil." It is the earnest wish of the second preps that he will not make the thirteenth and following book harder than the first twelve

We have on hand several copic of the holiday number which wo aredesirous of getting rid of as soon as possible There will the no $A$. nna! publishad this year, but while we do not consider this isone in any wiy a rival to the Sombrero, still i remains the only publication worthy to be retained as a memento of your college life for the year $9+5$. When those on hand are gone they cannot be reproluced and it behooves every one to secure a copy as soon as possible.

The Nebraskis asks for more liberal contributions from the stmdent body. The Nebraskix ihere for your benctit, and we want you to use its columns and space to the best advantage. Write usomething of some sort or other. Let it be some local news item or
literary production. If you happen to crack a legitimate "joke" jot it down and hand it in. We will no take oath that everthing is pub lished which we receive, but anything that is worthy will receive
due attention. Better try a few times and see what you can do.

The date of our next field day is to be set at the next meeting of the Athletic Association. It seem to be the general desire of those who intend to enter the contest that a later date be decided upon than that of lat year. The oljection is that sufficient time was not given for training, as the weather would not permit, until late in the scasoll. The last Saturday befor Decoration day has been favorably -poken of as the proper time to hold the field day conteste. This will undoubtedly tend to make the exhibition of much more interest, and the events a little more spirited.

## THE imputation of carelessness

 or indifference on the part of the University authorities in the mat ter of meddling with students' property, which has been made by certain parties not responsilile for their actions, is utterly and totally without foundation, as many students know, to their cost. The authorities have been constantly active and very active along thi line, but they complain that the greatest obstaclewith which they have to contend is the unwil lingneess of the students to co operate with them in detecting the guilty parties, and an unwillinguess on the part of many to wombuess on the part of manyngainat any deffinte action twing taken when a friend or classmate happens to be detected.
If the students of the Universit
will with one consent and heart will with one consent and heart ily unite in securing information, and in other ways assist the author ities; if they themselves will insist that the student found meddling with the property of another shall be dismissed, no matter what his excuse may be, the whole trouble will cease in a single week.
This is the surest and quickest way to remely the ovil. We have no use whatever for steaks at this university. If the trouble lies with the students we cannot blame the authorities for it. Tur Nemaskan will not hesitate in giving the full name of any one caught in this disteputable businuss. If they have a regard for public opinion let them beware:

The meeting of the athletic asso iation which is called for nex week, should be attended by every loyal student of the miversity Some very important heasures an to be considered which should require the carefulatention of every one. The mainobject of the meet ing will be to provide some mean to prevent "college politics" fron matering into the local clections Every mauly student knows that some such idea showld be adopted. In its istue of Decomber Th, Tms Nembskian publisthed as "suggeo tions" a number of rules which it is thougit would bring about the required result. We think the adoption of these would entirely aloption of these would entirely remely the present evils.
The one measure which has lwen proposed, is not adequate to bring thout the required result.
It would indeed be a great improvement, but while we are about the matter, it may just as well be done right. A hasard composed of nine members will be an unwieldly body. They will never be able t get together, and it is bardly pro hable that threc alumi can be foum who will take enough interest in atiletics to be present at a meeting of the board.
While it is the general opinion that the measure is a good one stil that of udepting those rules as pullished is considered better. Thes "suggestions" were culled from the onstitutions of the varions athictic clubs of such institutions as Yale, Harvard, University of Michigan and others. They represent the meat of the rules in vogue at thos places. Many experiments hav been tried by all colleges through out dee United States, and the r sult was the adoption of some such a code of rales. There may be some objectionable clauses in these, which can be stricken out. There may ne alterations and additions that an be made, but as a whole, the rules are aptly fitted to the condi tion of athietics at this university
Indeed they were prepared only Indeed they were prepared only
after much careful thought and are considered peculiarly fitted for our state of affairs.

THE magnificent response of the tudents and faculty of the university to the appeal of the wester sutferces for aid is certainly very gratifying. A large furnture van was required to haul away the dothing contributed. In addition to this, 8295 , has been collected and placed at the disposal of the stat elief committee.
This money will be used to pur chase fuel, feed, and whatever is needed most to provide for the acent of the sufferers. By placing it in the hands of the state relief
portation be obtained and a great discount in buying, but the relie will besent to those points where it is most needed and will be disributed to those persons to whon it should go.
The name of the senders will accompany each carload, so the poople of western Nebraska will now that the students of thei tate university sympathize with them and gladly gan I them what aid they are able.
The readiness with which the stu ents responded when the paper were passed, showed that they were interesied and gave, not because hey felt it an obligation and duty, out because they felt it a privilego - lend a helping hand to someon veaker and poorer than themselver Almost every one gave some hing. One very noticeable fac was that the contributions of the firls was much larger than thoso of the boys. There must have bee ome reason for this. Is it a fact that the girls are more sympathteic armer hearted, and generous Perhaps theirallowances are large and their expenditures smaller This might be an interesting ques tion for Dr. Wolfe's class in psy chology

The Junior Prom.
The class of '96, in face of the fact that the Amual was no go this ear, are making very extensiv
preparations for the coming Prommade, and promise that this vent will be the greatest of the aniversity. The pions senior class of 95 orginated and founded the "Prom" and '96 is going to do the right thing this year. The commitue on the hop comprised the
following: MeLueas Seugwick and liss Whiting. After the great diss th of Mr. McLucas and a care fil survey of the situation it wa decided to give the ball in the Linoln hotel upon Thursday evening cbruary 1tth. The sale of ticket will be strictly to university stucnts and those connected with the college. Since the Lincoln hote vill not admit of more than seventy ive couples dancing and since from ectween one hundred and tifty to
wo hundred dollars will wo hundred dollars will be expen will be charged for a ticket.
Friday the original committee he chairnan V. R. McLucas, Pil bury, Brown, Sedgwick, Wilson, diams, Pulis, Reed, Absott, Mis Webster, Miss Harley, Miss Kick
ctus, Miss Whiting and Miss Tay
$\stackrel{1}{10 r}$.
From the general committee wer elected for the committee on pro ram, Adams, Wilson, Miss W ter, Mhss Ricketts and Miss 1ay
or. For the committee on deoon tions, Miss Harley, Pillstsury an Brown, for the committee on $r$. eption, sedgwick, Pulis and MisWhiting; for committee on tiekets McLuaza, Sedgwick and Reeat Tickets may be obtained from thit ast committee on Wednesday the will be sold the quicker they ar btained the better.

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