

## LOCALS.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon will give a reception this evening.

Ralph A. Drain was initiated into Delta Tau Delta last Monday evening.

Miss Mabel Thomas spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in South Omaha.

Delta Tau Delta entertained their friends informally at their rooms last Friday evening.

C. M. Story went to Beatrice Friday to play in the Pawnee City band at the corn carnival.

Kappa Sigma has issued invitations to an "at home" Saturday evening, November 13.

Harry B. Groves, Kappa Sig, has left for Plattsmouth, where he secured a position as hotel clerk.

The second elevens of Wesleyan and this University line up against each other for a game this afternoon.

Earl Williams, William Hart, and Claude Reed were pledged to Phi Kappa Psi last Saturday evening.

Rev. W. A. Baldwin of Rising City, a very popular student in the 80's, visited his alma mater last Friday.

Dr. Gordon, of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Omaha, led the chapel exercises Monday morning.

Beta Theta Pi boys will give a dancing party in their rooms in the State block the evening before Thanksgiving.

Invitations are out for the Kappa Sigma reception to-morrow night at the chapter house, Eighteenth and M streets.

There was a meeting of the athletic board last Saturday at which affairs were discussed considerably, but no important actions taken.

Ray P. Teele, '97, left the University last Tuesday afternoon to accept an appointment in the government printing office at Washington.

Walter Rhodes, '96, was elected county superintendent of Thayer county, and B. H. Culver, '83, won the same office in Dixon county.

Prof. W. G. Langworthy Taylor has transferred his affections from his bicycle to a saddle horse, which has proved to be more refractory than his former steed.

Dr. Johnson, instructor in Latin, was injured slightly in aiding his daughter to escape from a fire which broke out in their house. He was unable to attend classes Monday.

There will be a meeting of those interested in college settlement work Saturday evening, November 13, at the home of Professor and Mrs. Fossler, 157 South Seventeenth street.

Andrew Rosewater of Omaha addressed the civil engineer students at the chapel Monday night. This is the first of a series of six lectures to be delivered by Mr. Rosewater during the winter.

While everybody is intent upon football, students who have any desire to enter the Kansas-Nebraska debate are reminded the time for registration in the preliminaries closes November 15 next Monday night.

The great secret which the senior girls guarded so carefully was formally made public last Saturday when each young gentleman in the class received an invitation to meet the girls Saturday night at the conservatory.

John L. Marshall, of the class of '93, will lead next Sunday's Y. M. C. A. meeting. Mr. Marshall is well known to most of the students as a forcible and earnest talker, and it is hoped there may be a good audience to hear him.

The Union Boys' Debating club meet in Union hall Saturday evening, November 13, to debate the question: Resolved, That municipalities should own and control their natural monopolies. Those for the affirmative are Messrs. Archer and North; for the negative, Messrs. Burget and Warren. These debates are well attended, and everyone has an opportunity to speak.

A recital was given in the city Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening by the pupils of Miss Ella Crawford and Professor Maggel of the Nebraska College of Oratory. Quite a number of University people were present. The participants in the program were heartily applauded for the merit of their work, which was considerably above the average and reflected much credit upon their instructors.

John L. Marshall, an alumnus of this University of the class of '93, made a short address to the students at the conclusion of chapel yesterday. Mr. Marshall was recently secretary of the student volunteer movement, and his address was along that line. He is here for the purpose of forming a mission study class among the students.

The first meeting to organize such a class will be held in Dellan hall at 1:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

William Reed Dunroy has received nearly one hundred orders in advance for his book of poems, "Corn Tassels." As the edition will be but five hundred, all those wishing copies are requested to leave orders with The Nebraskan or with the Evening Post at once. The book contains about 160 pages, will be printed on heavy linen paper, and will be daintily bound in cloth, with green and gold covers. The book is to be out for the holiday trade, and will make a very handsome holiday present.

At a meeting of the debating association yesterday the resignation of President Perry was accepted and Mr. Stewart elected to fill the vacancy. The question of forming a league with the Missouri State University and with a Colorado institution that had sent in an invitation, was referred to committees. Several amendments to the constitution were proposed, which must lay over for one week. These created much discussion, and a lively time at the next meeting is anticipated.

### SCHOOL OF MUSIC RECITAL.

An audience filling the lower floor of the chapel had the pleasure Thursday evening of listening to an exceedingly entertaining, though somewhat short, recital by the students of the conservatory of music. This was the first recital given this year and it was a success in every way. The program consisted of but seven numbers, three piano and four vocal solos, and each performer merited the applause which she received. The program:

Piano solo—Elegie, Templeton Strong; Menuet—Sleveking, Nellie Cave.

Contralto solo—"Caller Herrin," Old Scotch; Eugenia Getner.

Soprano solo—"Evermore Lost to Me," Bach; Edith Risser.

Piano solo—Novellette No. 2, Schumann; Mae Colson.

Contralto solo—"Hope in the Lord," Haendel-Mason; Ethel Galley.

Mezzo soprano solo—"The Parting Hour," Pache; "Mother, O Sing Me to Rest," Eugene Hildach; Winifred Hearn.

Piano solo—"Dans le Hamac," McDowell; seventh octave study, Kullak; Edith Shaw.

### CROSS-CUTS.

"What's your hurry to get to the library—to get a history book?" "No, I just want a chair."

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### FOUL TIPS.

Captain Gordon has busted himself during his spare moments in the last week, getting a list of the base ball players in college and looking up their records on the diamond. He finds that there is a great abundance of first-class material from which to pick his team, and is rather jubilant over the prospects of a cracker-jack ball team in the spring.

Considerable has been said about the advisability of winter training for college base ball teams. It is argued that it hurts the candidate in more cases than it helps them. This is a hard question to decide. We are all well aware that very often men who have trained all winter come on the diamond in the spring worse off than if they had never trained a "lick," but is this due to the hard training, or is it due to the way the candidate has taken care of himself while training, and the kind of training followed.

We must remember that there is a great deal more danger of getting rheumatism, bad colds, stiffness and the like in winter than in summer, and therefore a great deal more care is necessary.

Then there is danger of being stale when the season opens. This is often the case with pitchers who work hard all winter, and to overcome this great care should be exercised in selecting the mode of training.

Winter training has been accepted, as practical by all the eastern colleges, though they do not all train the same way, some go into the cage and play just as if they were on the field. Of course this appeals to us as the most practical method, but as Nebraska has no cage, it is out of the question.

The other way, and the way that seems to be growing into favor in the east is on much smaller proportions and could very readily be followed in the University of Nebraska.

There are a number of games intended to be played indoors, such as basket ball, hang tag, and hand ball. These games, while not closely related to base ball, serve as a means of putting a man in very good condition to play base ball, and together with some base running and sliding, and when the weather will permit, a couple of miles' run in the country and back, would not hurt our team, and would in all probability be of great benefit.

The captain has been pushing the idea and it meets with the approval of the entire team. The only thing now left to arrange is the hours at which most of the men can be present, but 4:30 to 6 seems to be the best time so far, and if any candidate has a conflict he would oblige the captain by reporting the same to him.

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