

than the left. As it is improbable that we will ever get more comfortable chairs for recitation rooms it behooves students to sit straight or they will leave the university with an annoying disfigurement.

The glee club is getting right to the front. About fifteen members are working up some fine selections for the band concert to be given in the near future. Prof. D. F. Easterday has charge of the club; this fact alone gives assurance that the new organization will be of no mediocore calibre. A permanent organization will soon be effected. If you are musically inclined do not fail to attend their next meeting, Tuesday night, May 2nd, in the chapel.

Did you ever see the chancellor's cat? It is a beautiful maltese, rather larger than the ordinary pussy, and never makes bad sounds at night. It is not an office cat nor a house cat. It eats nothing, sleeps constantly, never barks nor scratches but being ever on the alert will not tolerate petting or caressing. If you never saw this wonderful cat just take a stroll out S street to Sixteenth; if you can't see the cat come and tell us about it and we will point it out to you in our next issue.

#### A VISION.

(Dedicated to H. C. P.)

Oh I flunked them one by one,  
When they laughed at "let us read"  
And their names I scratched off neatly from my list,  
Then I wiped my brow and said,  
"It is good I've flunked them dead,  
For I know my way is right and their's is wrong."

But Prof. Sherman saw the shame—  
From his study room he came—  
And he told me as a vision of the night:  
"There are nine and sixty ways  
Of understanding Shakespeare's plays,  
And they every single one of them are right."

Miss Veda Sheppard has been ill for the past week.

Miss Maggie Jones is visiting her sister, our cordial librarian.

Miss Edna Heyatt and Miss Cora Smith go to Chicago Friday to see the great circus. They will be gone several weeks.

Miss Wilder, superintendent of the Latin department of the Topeka high schools, visited her sister, Miss Kate Wilder, last week.

Miss Barbour has sent a hand carved table to be exhibited at the Worlds Fair. Miss Barbour deserves much credit for her work along this line. She gave orders that the table should not be varnished.

The music department will give a recital in chapel, Wednesday, May 3, at 8 o'clock p. m. All students and friends are cordially invited. It is needless to say that the recital will be a pleasant one, for Prof. and Mrs. Menzendorf always make their recitals successes.

We wish to state for the business manager of this paper that it is necessary for all delinquent subscribers to pay up their subscriptions as soon as possible. We have some bills to pay and must have money to pay them. We wish to pay all bills before the end of the year, so please attend to this matter at once.

It seems that the artistic eye of the West still needs a little cultivation. The latest evidence of this is that the ladies of Seward on inspecting the handsome hat tree made by Miss Barbour, decided that it looked incomplete and treated it to a coat of varnish. It is needless to say such a proceeding did not help the looks of the hat rack.

The entertainment given by the Michigan University Glee and Banjo Clubs was greatly enjoyed by all who heard it. Harry Reese, formerly captain of Company D here, commanded the glee club in a captivating hat drill. It seemed like old times to hear Mr. Reese's familiar voice cry out, "forward, march." The reception given the clubs by the Chancellor was—well we weren't there, so we do not know how it was.

Misses Mary and Ada Myers attended the performance of Othello at the Lansing April 17. April 18, they visited the University and attended chapel as they were wont to do in days gone by. At noon they left for their home at Beatrice.

The Sem. Bot. and several of their bugologist friends made an excursion to South Bend April 22 after botanical and bug specimens. The Sem. Bots. met a toll bridge, by the way, but not the toll-keeper. Coming back, these pedestrians escaped the bridge altogether, as they desired to walk to Ashland, for the specimens along the way were greener and better. All parties report a splendid time and several specimens.

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