

SOCIETY.

The usual Halloween festivities were observed in Union hall last Friday night. The hall was appropriately decorated with jack-o'-lanterns and was changed from an ordinary literary hall into a parlor. A jolly crowd of Unions and a few invited friends were present to enjoy the evening, which was spent at games, charades and music. Ghost stories were told while apples and popcorn balls were served. Those present were: Misses Ward, Blandin, King, Holman, Smith, Blandin, Chappell, McCune, Thompson, Livesay, Brown, Sparks, Abbott and Wolgamot; Mesdames Wilson, Abbott and Sparks; Messrs. Kalash, Bedell, Nelson, Hall, Thomas, Platt, Alexander, N. C. Abbott, Heitzman, Lee, Phillips, McReynolds, Boostrom, Harger, McClanahan, Warner, Ferguson, Mot's and Spofford.

Misses Blanche and Blendena Emons, Bradt and Salle entertained a company of young people Thursday evening in the reception rooms of the university school of music. Dancing was enjoyed for a time and after that cards, at which Miss Hays and Mr. Sawyer won prizes. Light refreshments were served. The guests were Misses Hays, Edmiston, Outcalt, Sarback, Adelloyd, Whiting, Jenkins, Margaret Whedon; Messrs. Sawyer, Kimball, Hays, Tukey, Edmiston, Hill, Kenney, Swartz and Orlo Brown.

Saturday evening the Beta Theta Pi fraternity gave a dancing party. The rooms were tastefully decorated, palms and roses adding to the otherwise joyful appearance of the rooms. A few card tables, where fortune tellers read the future to the amusement and gratification of all, were generally surrounded. The dancers kept time to Walt's music until the sudden arrival of Sunday caused them reluctantly to disperse. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Rollins of Columbia, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Correll; Misses Hammond, Holbrook, McFarland, Lansing, Andrews, Thomas, Cole, Jenkins, Sarbach, Picketts, Woodward, Bennett, Burvuss, Wirt, Loomis, Sallee, Whiting, Nance, Honeywell Robinson, Carson; Messrs. Adams, Williams, McKillip, Sims, Barker, Broady, Evert, Groff, Wilbur, Miser, Rain, Price, Roth, Holmes, Seluck, Ransom, Blackman, Ricketts and Webster.

Zeta province of Phi Delta Theta fraternity will hold a three days' convention in this city on November 16, 17 and 18. Representatives will be present from Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska. Besides the business meetings a series of social affairs are being planned by the local chapter, among them a dance at the Lincoln on November 17 and a banquet with which to close the session. Preparations are being made for about seventy-five members, including those in this city.

Letters from W. L. Westerman, an alumnus of the state university, state that he has left Wiesbaden and will now settle down in Berlin to prepare for a degree in the classics. While in Lucerne, Switzerland, recently Mr. Westerman met Mrs. James H. Canfield and Miss Dorothy, who were on their way to Italy.

Friday evening, October 20, at 1145 F street, Misses Adams and Cleveland entertained ten former Gates college students now attending the university. The evening was spent in telling experiences at "Gates" and talking over old times. Refreshments were served and at a late hour the crowd dispersed after giving the yell of Gates college.

S. W. Miller entertained the university students who are from Schuyler last Saturday evening at 1229 S street. The Delta Gamma fraternity held initiation October 21 at their fraternity house on Sixteenth and H streets. Those initiated were Misses Honeywell, Hamilton, Daniels and Kenney and Mrs. Fisher.

PALLADIAN NOTES.

The Palladians held an important business meeting last Tuesday for the purpose of revising their constitution. An amendment was passed relating to admission of new members.

Edgar Banghart, a Palladian alumnus, attended society to hear the war program.

On Tuesday evening the Palladians have their annual Halloween party. It is to be at the home of Miss Grace Cook, in East Lincoln.

Palladian hall was crowded to its utmost last Friday evening to hear the war program. Visitors were present from fraternities and other societies. The program was given in two parts, the first consisting of stories and sketches of army life and the second presenting bugle calls and typical pantomimes.

Sergeant Overturf gave a graphic description of the scenery about Chattanooga. Sergeant Tellesen told of the marches and fights over rice fields and swamps while they were chasing Aguinaldo. Mr. Marsh in "snap shots" gave several vivid sketches of soldier life, showing some of the inner side of true soldier life. Sergeant Hunting entertained the audience with a fascinating and touching tale of Luzon. Mr. Goodwill concluded the first part of the program with some incidents of the Red Cross mission of Chickamauga.

In the second part of the program some real scenes from camp life were enacted. As the boys wore regulation uniforms and had their full accoutrements the effect was realistic. As each bugle call was given they proceeded to execute its command. The most amusing, perhaps, of these was the sick call and the line-up for medicine.

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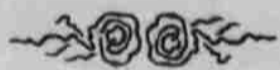
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