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DEBATING ASSOCIATION MEETS. CECS RECERRECE COCCECCO COCOCCICIO COCCICIO COCCICIO COCCICIO COCCICIO COCCICIO COCCICIO COC

The debating association met in the chapel Friday at 1:30 o'clock as announced. Though there was not a large attendance, much enthug!asm was manifested. It was clearly the prevailing sentiment that some changes must be made in order to hold two inter-state debates here this year and still maintain the financial standing of the association. The secretary was instructed not to register old members who refuse to pay the assessment made at the end of last year. President Craft announced that the association had repaid E. F. Warner all the funds advanced by him last year. The association is out of debt, with the exception of two loans made by individuals, amounting to \$8. The association resolved itself into a committee of the whole to devise means for conducting the preliminaries this year. This committee recommended that a fee of \$1 be charged each contestant in the preliminaries; that but one preliminary be held this year; that one set of judges act for al! the sections in these contests; that the debaters in the preliminaries be divided into three sections, the whole series of debates to occupy three hundred minutes for the three sections, the time to be divided proportionately among the debaters.

The rules were suspended and the report adopted.

A motion carried which instructed the secretary not to canvass for registration. A notice is to be posted immediately announcing that registration is open and it will remain open until 6 o'clock in the evening of Novem-

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

The promotions of corporals in the cadet battalion were announced last week. The following privates were made corporals: Company A, H. E. Groff, R. B. Adams, H. C. Barker, J. E. Hill, F. M. Deweese, P. L. Case, B. S. Hall, J. R. Harger; company B, E. M. Baumen, A. H. Clark, L. J. Killian, J. W. Vavra, U. P. Wallace, C. A. McMaster, W. G. Hiltner; company C, J. F. Francy, F. J. Rehlaender, E. G. Spafford, G. P. Kimball, C. E. Teach, H. E. Crandall, A. J. Pepperburg; company D, S. D. Clinton, G. K. Barnes, J. R. Farney, V. G. Henderson, J. J. Ahern, R. O. Hummel, E. L. Tobie, S. Anker. Private L. B. Stuhr was made a sergeant in company A and Amos Thomas trumpeter with rank of corporal.

## WORK AT AMES.

The representative of the university who went to Ames, Nebraska, to test sugar beets for seed returned Friday, October 20. Professor Lyons reports that about 3,000 beets were tested for the state experiment station at Ames. Heretofore seed for planting has been obtained from Germany, but an effort is being made to secure seed at home, which will entail a great saving of expense. With Professor Lyons were Messrs. Thatcher, Brittell, Stuhr, Brown, Lytle, Smith, Streeter and Yamasheta.

JOINT DEBATE FRIDAY.

The postponed joint debate between the Delian boys' debating club and the Alpha Omega club of Doane will be held in the chapel Friday evening. The progress of the var in South Africa has added much interest to the quest'on, "The justice of British action in the Transvaal." Delian representatives will oppose the position taken by Great Britain. All are cordially invited to attend.

DEGENERACY OF THE STAGE. "Did you enjoy 'Uncle Tom's Cabin'

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