Hived in this county for twenty years, and one of the big cases was the Krlethbaum murder case. He writes It have beon in office, like the pracversity of Nebraska law school."
Cornelius L. Shear, '97, who was for a time of the fellows in boteny, an who has been for a corrple of y ars in the division of Agrostology in Wash ington, writes that he is now very also the prasses He is preparing a monograph of one of the difficult genera of North American grasses.
Invitations are out for a grand quet to be tendereu by the board of trustees of the Missouri botanical garden at St. Louls to the delegates who are to attend the north-central assoclation of colleges and secondary schools, which is to hold its meetings on March 30-31. Dr. Bessey and Dr Lees are the university representatives in this body and eypect to attend this banquet.
Notices have been recelved at the chancellor's office of the congresses of
various kinds to be held in Paris in various kinds to be held in Paris in of these not less than eleven are in pure science, six in medicine and hy giene, eleven on educational topics, nineteen on applied sclence, and twenty on social and economic subjects. Several of the professors are hoping to attend some of these
The University of Nebraska club of Catcago has postponed its annual dinner until April 7, at which time there will be a great love feast of
university people in and around Ch rago. It is hoped that a number of the faculty of the university. Ex-Hegent Esterbrook, Acting Chancellor Bessey and others will be present. Mr. Har vey B. Hicks writes, "The delay does not mean a poor dinner-rather the reverse."

Monday we inaugurated a sale in our Music and Picture department We placed on sale about 5,000 pleces of sheet music at 5 c and 10 c each, which are usually sold by us at 20 c and 25 c and at double that price in
music stores. This is not the usual measic stores. 5 c and 10 c music, but publicacheap 5 c and 10 c music, but publica John Church \& Co., S. S. Brainard \& Co., Shirmuer's, Dittson's, Lyon Healy, Shurburtus and others. We also began a sale of picture moulding on the same date making a rate of 3 c per foot and upwards. Music and Picture Department, Herpolsheimer Co.

## IOINT DEBATE

Three students of the Kansas City school will meet three students of the law school of the mifssouri university in a debate at Carroliton, March 17. Aa a preliminary debate at the Kan Dean and Luflord Snow were chosen to represent the school. The question to be debated is "Resolved. That the aggregations of capital in the form of trusts are aetrimental to the welfare of the people." The Kansas City men will have the negative slde. Chas $\mathbf{S}$. Marsh, of Brunot, T. E. Corley, of st. Paul, and G. ... Wagner, of Middleton, have been selected to represent the university law school

DETROIT SCHALARSHIP.
In 1891 the Detroit high school alumni association started a fund for the purpose of assisting graduates of the Detroit high schools to secure an education at the Univeraity of Michi gan. slice thac date nheteen stud ents have been sent to the univeraty
Nine of these have been graduated Nine of these have been graduated
from the university and ten are at present pursuing studies in the finstitution.

In 1893 the Detroit high school scholarship fund aasociation was in corporated. It derives its income from three sources as follows: (1) subscriptions of $\$ 50$ each, (2) endowment
for permanent scholarships, (3) the for permanent scholarships, (3) the
profits from reunions and literary expronits fr
ercises.
The assfatance readered from the scholarship fund is considered as a loan. In no case does It exceed $\$ 250$
a year. It is paid to those holding the a year. It is paid to those holding the Scholarshlps can be secured only by students intending to graduate from the literary department of the university, and preference is given to those desiring to pursue the course of study leading to the degree of bachelor of arts.

SHAKESPERIAN CONTEST AT UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI.
The annual Shakespearian contest o the Missourl state university will be given some time in April. The Shakespearian contest was not given last year, but this year there is so much that it is thought the contest will be unisually interesting and close. unusually interesting and close. Liberal prizes will be given to the win-
ners. There will probably be three cash prizes. The amount of each has not yet been decided upon. Several students have already manifested their intention to take part in the contest, and others will probably announce themselves in the near future.

WEST INDIANS AT MISSOURI UNIVERSITYY.
Senor y Rubio Lopez, of Cuba, is one Missourl He was the University of connected with the struggle of Cuba for freedom and for several months during the late Caban war served is a sergeant and two years as a second lleutenant on the staff of General Gomez. While on that general's staff he was entrusted with several important missions, one of which was to enter a city in the possession of the Spanish and make a plan of the place. Another was to make a typog. raphical map of one of the Spanish positions while under fire. Near the
close of the war he was promoted to a first lieutenancy. He had several personal encounters with the machette being wounded in two places. He has taken p. bachelor's degree at the University, of Havana and intends to tak the dugree of mechanical engineer at missouri university. There is also a Puerto Rican enrolled at the univer sity.


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