

Dr. McLeod, Surgeon.

Westerfield's egg shampoo is all right.

In the course of the experiments with anti toxin serum in hog cholera there have been fifteen hundred hogs treated by the Station the past year.

The report is circulated that Van Valkenburg, Minnesota's full back has died from the effects of injuries received in the game Thursday.

The subject for the Maxwell club's preliminary will be: *Resolved*, That further interference etbohyp further interference by the powers in China is unjustifiable." Sutter, Paulson, Kenney, Weems and Cronin have the affirmative, and Deal, Rose, Hogan, Blake and Newby the negative. Ten minutes will be allowed each speaker, except the first on the affirmative, who will have ten to open and five to close. The judges will be appointed by Judge Reese.

The Graduate Club held its first meeting last Monday evening at the home of Prof. Candy, 1003 H street. After the social and business session, light refreshments were served. Dr. Moritz was elected president to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Mr. Bell. About forty in all were present among whom were the following members of the faculty and their wives: Professors Edgren, Fossler, Ward, Caldwell, Davis, also Professor Fling, Dr. Boulton and Doctor Moritz.

Representatives from four divisions in elocution have been chosen to appear in a joint class recital to be given in the near future. Those selected from the four classes are as follows:

Advanced class—Miss Eliza Meier, Mr. — Peterson.

First division—Miss B. Daughters, Miss M. Shriver, Mr. K. K. Gregory, Mr. Wm. E. Johnson.

Second division—Miss Mildred Clark, Miss C. I. Haggard, Mr. R. W. Zinser, Mr. R. A. Harrison, Mr. J. R. Golden.

Third division—Miss May Edholm, Miss Agness Herbet, Miss Harriet Mitchel, Miss Ruth Baley.

Inspector J. W. Crabtree and Irving S. Cutter '98, have recently offered a yearly prize of \$25 to the Beatrice high school for the best work in oratory. The board of education unanimously passed the following resolution: "*Resolved*, that the board of education accept the generous offer of Mr. Crabtree and Mr. Cutter in giving a prize in oratory of \$25 to be competed for by the pupils of the high school and the thanks of the board of education is hereby tendered to Messrs. Crabtree and Cutter for the substantial interest manifested in our city schools."

THE LIVE STOCK AT THE FARM.

Any person who is interested to any extent in stock and stock breeding will find it profitable to take an afternoon off and pay a visit to the State Farm, where all the animals belonging to the Department of Animal Husbandry are kept. It is interesting to examine cattle and hogs that are being fed scientifically and compare them with the animals we see upon the farm.

The work is under the direction of Professor Burnett and is entirely experimental. The experiments have as an object, the best methods of producing marketable animals.

Everything in connection with the experiment is orderly and systematic. Instead of dirty, small, lots which we usually see on an ordinary farm, we

find here neatness and ample space for the animals to run about in. Special sheds are built for the hogs, sheep, and cattle.

One of the most important experiments to be tried this year, is the one in which separate lots of sheep are to be fed in slightly different manners in order to test the superior flesh-making method. Small pens have recently been prepared in which separate lots of sheep will be fed, exposed to the blasts of winter. These sheep will be given the same rations as the sheep indoors. At the end of the winter both sets of animals are to be taken to South Omaha and slaughtered. The flesh will be tested, in order to decide which system produces the best animals.

There are several breeds of swine in the different pens. The finest specimens are the Yorkshires, which are of a white color and grow to an immense size. The boar pig weighs about seven hundred pounds at present, and if fed for flesh would weigh close to a thousand pounds in a few months.

Another fine breed is the Berkshire. Several large specimens of this class are among Mr. Burnett's collection. These hogs are of a black color and are valuable as a "pork" hog since they take on flesh very rapidly.

One of the latest additions is a lot of Tamarica hogs. These are a comical looking outfit, being of the rail-splitter variety. To a person who has never seen a curiosity of this kind, these hogs are worth going miles to see.

But the finest division of stock is the collection of cattle. Several very fine specimens of Shorthorns and Herfords are owned by the department and they show the same care and attention that was noticeable among the other stock.

Although limited in numbers these collections are all very fine and the expert will find animals worthy of his most careful consideration. The Department is steadily growing and in the course of a few years, will no doubt be very important in the School of Agriculture.

THE WOMAN'S GYMNASIUM.

The Woman's Gymnasium in the new Soldier's Memorial Hall is well worth the time of a visit. It is equipped with the latest apparatus and comfortably furnished.

The bath room is well equipped with ten baths of a new type, known as a ring bath and with individual dressing rooms. The director's office is on the second floor off of the main Auditorium and the assistant's office on the ground floor.

One of the lecture rooms is to be fitted up with Swedish apparatus, when special work in medical and corrective gymnastics can be given, when necessary.

The large southwest room on the ground floor is to be used for a girls' rest and reception room. The ladies of the faculty have the fitting up of the room in charge, and with the assistance of all the girls in the University, it is hoped to make this a cheerful, comfortable room where the girls may rest and feel at home.

The Normal course in physical training is becoming quite popular. There are now eleven young women registered for that part of the work. A University certificate is granted to those completing the course and the value of such a certificate is recognized throughout the country.

Through this department knowledge of the University is being extended, in that Miss Barr's anthropometric charts, compiled from the measurements of fifteen hundred Nebraska girls, are being used in the department of physical training in some fifteen or twenty colleges and schools from California to Massachusetts. The classes this year are very large, as the registration for both beginning and advanced classes now numbers three hundred and sixty-four.

The University of Minnesota

College of Medicine and Surgery

The thirteenth Annual Course of Lectures will commence on the 19th day of September, 1900, and will continue eight and one-half months. The course is graded and covers a period of four years. Medical Hall, the Laboratory of Medical Science, the Laboratory of Medical Chemistry, and the Laboratory of Anatomy are situated upon the Campus. The clinical opportunities afforded by the hospitals and dispensaries of Minneapolis and St. Paul are at the command of the College. For outdoor clinical service a new clinical building has been built in a central location.

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