

hard to choose the guards. Warren and Thomas are playing for the second forward.

Two practice games have been played with the Lincoln Y. M. C. A. The score on the association's own floor was 10 to 8 in favor of the 'varsity boys and in the gymnasium 29 to 13 for the same team. This is as good a showing as in last year's games.

Captain Cortelyou, Ernest Hastings, and Business Manager Berry are coaching the team. Berry is attempting to arrange two trips for the team. One will be to Sioux City, Minnesota, and Chicago. In the latter place, a game is to be played with the Ravenwood Y. M. C. A. team which conquered Yale in a one-sided contest. The other trip will be down through Kansas, playing with the Haskell Indians and University at Lawrence and the Topoka Y. M. C. A.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

The state library association of Nebraska held a meeting in Palladian hall December 26th. This was the best meeting ever held by the association. More libraries in the state were represented than ever before. The leading paper was by Mr. Johnson Brigham, state librarian of Iowa. His subject was "What a Library Commission Can do for Nebraska."

The object of these meetings is the advancement of the library interests of the state in every possible way, not only by aid to existing libraries, but especially by encouraging the establishment of new ones in the smaller towns. The latter purpose the association hopes especially to help by the traveling library system and a strong effort is being made to secure favorable legislation this winter. In this work the association has the active support of the Federation of Women's clubs and it already has the endorsement of the state teachers association.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, J. I. Wyer of the state university; vice-president, Miss C. C. Dennis of the Lincoln city library; secretary, Miss Bertha Baumer of the Omaha public library.

The Nebraska Art Association Exhibit in Art Gallery

Third floor of Library building. Special rate to University students of 50 cents for a season ticket. Regular single admission, 25 cents.

An effort is being made to have a permanent art exhibit and it deserves the support of every student and professor.

GIRLS' REST ROOM.

The Girls' Parlor and Rest Room, which has been fitted up in Memorial hall, will be formally opened on Saturday, January 12. To this opening, the Faculty Woman's club, the women of the faculty and each girl registered in the university are most urgently requested to be present. The room will be open from two till six, and it is hoped that each one will take this opportunity to show her appreciation to those who have so kindly helped in making this a home-like and restful place. Let each girl take a personal interest in this little parlor and feel that she has a part in it.

NEW SPECIMENS.

During the past meeting of the state teachers association in Lincoln, a number of teachers and principals of schools brought to the state museum specimens of importance from various localities. The most important perhaps being that from Kimball county, donated by Mr. R. D. Stearns, principal of schools at Kimball. Mr. Stearns while watching the progress of the Union Pacific well at Kimball discovered at a depth of fifty-five feet a nearly solid bed of bones seven feet thick, a large number of which were donated by him to the state university. The bones consist chiefly of the early rhinoceros of Nebraska (Ailalops), together with the *phylocene* horse, camel, eagle, deer, and others. This probably gives evidence that the famous rhinoceros beds of Kansas extend into Nebraska.

SOCIETY

Misses Darleen Woodward, Anna Stuart and Beth Marshall were entertained at York during a part of vacation by Misses Sedgwick and Carscadden.

Miss Mildred Parks visited in Ashland during the holidays. A party was given in her honor on December 28 at which a number of university people were present.

Miss Whiting gave a violet luncheon Monday, December 31, in honor of Miss Lathrop of New York. The guests were Misses Pound, Lathrop, O. Pound, Kirker, Dean, Barr, Kyle, and Herron.

The active and alumni members of Alpha Theta Chi held their annual banquet on last Friday evening at the chapter house. A seven course dinner was served by the Lincoln hotel caterers. The toast list was very much enjoyed.

A six-course dinner was served at the Sigma Chi house on New Year's evening. Later in the evening the same young people attended "Becky Sharp" in a party. Those present were Misses Harley, Montgomery, Auld, Stuart, Crawford of West Point; Messrs. Stuhr, Peterson, Montgomery, and Landis.

Alpha Theta Chi gave an informal party at the chapter on New Year's Eve, watching the old year out and the new year in. Dancing was enjoyed by all present. Light refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Clements; Misses Bonnell, Poynter, Foster, Harper, Compton, Miller, Paddock, Elizabeth Paddock, Edgren, Roberts, Henry, Parks; Messrs. Poynter, Story, Piper, Roberts, Martin, Humphrey, Brown, Kendall, Compton, Towne, Higgins, Cortelyou, and Dr. Orr.

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On Saturday, December 29th, at Holy Trinity Episcopal church, Miss Dora Harley '98, was united in marriage to Mr. Frank J. Gustin, law '98, of Salt Lake City. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Francis W. Eason in the presence of a large number of friends of the bridal couple.

Miss Edna Harley was maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Misses Ellen Gere, Ada Heaton, and Mabel Richards. Mr. Vilas P. Sheldon of Nebraska acted as best man. The ushers were Messrs. John Harley, Paul Fitzgerald, and A. A. Bischof of Nebraska City.

After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harley, the parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gustin of Kearney, the parents of the groom, received the guests. In the back parlor, Mrs. E. C. Folsom, assisted by Misses Mabel Ford, Frances Gere, Naysie Ames, and Clara Hammond, served ice cream and wedding cake. In the library coffee, sandwiches and salted nuts were served by Miss Towne, assisted by Misses Jessie Moore, Edith Ford of Des Moines and Nan Gilchrist of Kearney.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustin are both graduates of the state university. The groom's parents were residents of Lincoln until recently, and the bride's family have lived here for twenty-nine years. The friends gained in these years would have filled the house many times over. The presents received were very beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustin left Saturday night for Kansas City, but will make their home at Salt Lake.

The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gustin of Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist, Nancy and Frank Gilchrist, Miss McEwen, Kearney; George Burget, Nebraska City; Mrs. Ford and Miss Edith Ford, Des Moines; David Hawksworth, Detroit; William Brook, Omaha; Grace Montgomery, Roy Montgomery, Edgar, Neb.; Miss Carrie Cook, Wahoo; Mr. Van Burg, Hickman; Mr. Stuhr, Grand Island.

The chemistry building was the scene of a very enjoyable reception last Friday evening given in honor of Mr. Hal. Beans by the faculty and assistants of the chemistry department. Refreshments were served in the organic laboratory where one of the large laboratory desks was set with chemical apparatus of all kinds. After discussing the good things in the beakers, test tubes, crystallizing dishes, etc., the guests adjourned to the assay laboratory and popped corn and toasted marshmallows over the big furnace. Those present were, Misses Bouton, Fossler, Nicholson, Hartzell, Hartzell, Qualintance, Parks, and Messrs. Nicholson, White, Beans, Hiltner, Nelson, Strahorn, Woodruff, Buckner, Rose, Longley, and Walker.

Mr. Fred Funke entertained at his home on Friday evening in honor of Mr. Wade, Frank Brown, and Edwin Funke who are home from the Shattuck Military Academy for the vacation. The decorations were of holly and American beauty roses. Mrs. Crance officiated at the punch bowl. Those present were: Misses Hammond, Griggs, Thorpe, Hargreaves, Chapin, Rathbone, Daniels, Marshall, McPheely, Parks, Burruss, Bess Burruss, Harpham, Outcalt, Funke, Woodward and Andrews; Messrs. Shidler, Raymond, Raymond, Mills, Bartlett, Klinge, Pehlaender, Farnsworth, Leon Crandall, Harry Crandall, Funke, Wade, Brown, Funke, Crooks, Fawell, Everett, Elliott, DePatron, Beckman, Cowgil.

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