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## CHARTER DAY EXERCISES

**The Program of the Exercises—University School of Music Students' Recital—News and Notes of the Debating Clubs.**

The University of Nebraska will hold its thirty-second annual Charter Day exercises on Thursday and Friday, February 14 and 15. The night of the 14th Professor C. C. Nutting of the University of Iowa will deliver an address before the Sigma Xi Society on "The Conditions of Life at the Bottom of the Sea." Friday morning the Phi Beta Kappa initiation and annual address will occur and in the evening the usual drill and review of the cadet battalion and inspection by the Governor. The annual indoor contest and exhibition will take place.

The Charter Day address will be given in the Oliver Theatre on the night of the 15th. It will be delivered by Dean H. B. Hutchins, of the University of Michigan Law School. A number of candidates will receive degrees, as the mid-winter Commencement is held at this time.

Alumni and friends of the University who expect to be in attendance and who wish tickets reserved are requested to address Mr. H. G. Shedd, Administrative Secretary.

### STUDENTS' RECITAL

The fourth Students' Recital of the University School of Music was given in the University chapel, Thursday evening, January 24. The following program was rendered:

- Piano solo—Scherzo b flat . . . Chopin  
Myrtle Lashley  
Piano solo—"Du bist die Ruh" . . . Schubert-Listz  
Ruth Raymond  
Soprano solo—"Sweet Vales of Devonia" . . . Bettison Haynes  
Elma Marsland  
Contralto solo—"On a Summer Morning" . . . Arthur Somervell  
Catharine Zimmerman  
Tenor solo—"Indian Love Song" . . . Norman O'Neill  
Maynard Swartz  
Piano solo—  
a. Spring Song . . . Mendelsohn  
b. Song in F Op. 26 . . . Mendelsohn  
c. Capriccio in E minor . . . Mendelsohn  
Mrs. Kate Fisher  
Violon solo—Romanzetta . . . Lebas  
Agnes Brownell  
Piano solo—Polonaise F sharp minor Op. 44 . . . Chopin  
Grace Smith  
Soprano solo—  
"In Haven" . . . Edward Elgar  
"Where Corals Lie" . . . Edward Elgar  
from "Sea Pictures"  
Nelly Griggs  
Contralto solo—  
"Earth Paces" W. Coleridge Taylor  
"Substitution" W. Coleridge Taylor  
from "In Memoriam"  
Charlotte Whedon  
Soprano solo—"Over the Hills," "African Love Song," from "African Romances" . . . W. Coleridge Taylor  
Katharine Agnew  
Contralto solo—"A Blood Red Ring" . . . W. Coleridge Taylor  
Edith Curry  
Three violins and piano—Gavotte . . . Wolferman  
Harley Husted, Elva Walker, Edith Curry, May Belle Hagenow  
There was an unusually large attendance at this recital.

### DEBATING CLUBS.

Following are the questions and the names of the speakers who will discuss them in the debating clubs this week:

The Maxwell club Saturday evening. Resolved, That the Ship subsidy bill, as fathered by Mark Hanna, should be passed by Congress." Affirmative, Roetruck, Coffman, Rose; negative, Cronin, Storch, Mick. The Maxwells devote quite a little time at each meeting to parliamentary drill.

The Union Debating Club Friday evening. Resolved, "That England's Colonial policy has been beneficial to civilization." Affirmative, Finson, Scott, Catlin; negative, Craft, Kieser, Milek.

The Palladian Debating Club Saturday night. Resolved, "That there shall be a national divorce Law." Affirmative, Green, Horter; negative, Snyder, Neilson.

The Delian Debating Club Saturday evening. Resolved, "That the consolidation of the railway systems is injurious to the Commonwealth." Affirmative, Smith, Berkey; negative, Batie, Davis. Their meetings are held in the old chapel.

## OMAHA BEATEN.

**Basket Ball Game Won by the University with a Score of 20 to 13—Summer Session—Seniors Elect Officers.**

Last Friday evening the university basket ball team defeated the Omaha Y. M. C. A. for a second time this season. The game was played in the varsity armory and resulted in the score of 20 to 13.

The score hardly indicates the comparative merits of the two teams. In a word the Omaha team was far inferior to the university team both in individual and team work. Time and again their team work was broken up by the varsity team and their only hope of getting the ball near their opponent's goal was by long passes. Only in one respect were the two teams evenly matched and that was in the art of fouling. In this both were equally helped by Pritchard of Omaha who had the happy faculty of seeing, imaginary invisible and—occasionally—real fouls.

As to the game itself, it was comparatively slow, though not in the least one-sided. It was not replete with that snap and energy which should characterize a basket ball game.

## Junior Promenade

Lincoln Hotel

Friday Evening, February 1st

A movement is on foot to postpone the Kansas debate and bring it to Lincoln.

Last week the Palladian boys selected for debate Saturday evening, January 26 the question: "Resolved, That Congress should enact the ship subsidy bill." Debaters: McClenaghan and Nielson on the affirmative, and Ellis and Green on the negative.

The D. B. D. C. discussed the question: Resolved, "That one-third of the officers of the regular army should be chosen from the volunteer army." Affirmative, Vernon Lovett, C. McCallam, and R. A. Harrison. Negative, J. P. Golden, V. C. Batie, and H. J. Theobald.

The Union club debated the subject: "Resolved, That a majority of jurors should decide in civil cases." Affirmative, Duff, Cronin and Pospisil. Negative, Gubser, Chase, and Kieser.

The Maxwell club took the question postponed on account of the preliminaries: "Resolved, That an educational qualification shall be required for voting." Affirmative, J. M. French, F. E. Crawford and E. A. Wright. Negative, W. L. Newby, O. C. Smith, and W. J. Reardon. Parliamentary drill: McElhoes, "Motions;" Storch, "Amendments;" Wheelan "Objection to the consideration of the question;" Roetruck, "Reconsideration."

Captain Cortelyou should be complimented in the manner in which he has trained his men to guard their individual opponents and in this they greatly excelled the Omaha team. The result of the game depended much upon the ability of the goal throwers from foul. Again, Koehler was far superior to his opponent, throwing nine out of thirteen goals, on foul.

During the evening and between halves, music was furnished by the Ideal Mandolin Club. An excellent program was rendered, very pleasantly entertaining the crowd during the delay before the game and between the halves.

An amusing incident of the evening may be recorded here in which it shows that it is not amiss for a captain of a team to have his wits about him as it were. In the midst of the playing the voice of the umpire, sang out in a clear tone the word "foul." Captain Cortelyou well knowing that he was wrong called out, come on Koehler, throw the goal. "The bluff" however worked for a moment only. The umpire hesitated looked bewildered, but before Koehler could throw the goal he came to himself and announced the foul on Lincoln.

### GAME IN DETAIL.

At 8:24 the teams lined up the whistle blew and the game started with a rush. The ball was rushed quickly to Omaha's goal and Cortelyou threw goal after a half minute play. The ball was again set in play and

rushed from one goal to the other, stopping nearly every other play to throw goals from fouls. After ten minute plays, Cortelyou secured the ball near the center of the field and made a very difficult goal. A few moments later Koehler repeated the act. Omaha was not to be out-done. Kreher made a bad throw from out of bounds, Stenn of Omaha gained possession of the ball and easily tossed it through the net. Later the Omaha team gained the ball in the center of a rush, and made one of the prettiest throws of the evening, making a goal from center. Time was called with score 11 to 7 in favor of the university.

The second half was played much slower, Omaha being able to score 6 points while the university scored 9. Fouls were the order of the half, and in this the varsity man was superior to the "Omahog." Time was called with the score standing 20 to 13 in favor of the university.

Officials—Nelson (Lincoln) referee; Lewis, Pritchard (Omaha) umpires; Andreson, timekeeper.

Twenty-minute halves.

### THE UNIVERSITY SUMMER SESSION, 1901.

The Bulletin of the Summer Session at the University has been issued and is now ready for distribution, and will be sent free to any who desire it.

The Summer Session of the University covers six weeks of the Summer vacation. For this period the valuable equipment of the University is placed at the service of such as cannot attend at other times. The session is primarily for teachers, principals, and superintendents in Nebraska who desire to work a short time at the University. Others are admitted who wish to pursue certain subjects under the guidance of specialists. Many heads of departments are in residence. All the instructors are regular members of the University teaching staff.

Courses of study are offered in ten of the representative departments of the University. The Chancellor teaches a course in Philosophy. A few courses are offered in subjects taught in high schools, exhibiting practical methods of teaching these subjects. The other courses are regular University courses. This makes it possible for teachers and advanced students to continue in specialization, obtaining, if they desire, credit toward degrees.

An entrance fee of two dollars is required.

There is a laboratory fee of two dollars in each course offered in Zoology. In Physics, the fee is five dollars.

Board costs from \$2.25 to \$3.50 per week.

### SENIOR CLASS MEETING.

About the largest meeting that has ever been held by the senior class met at two o'clock last Saturday. Seventy-three seniors were present. Committees reported and were continued.

Mr. Gibson a junior was careless enough to attend the meeting, but was hissed out of the chapel.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

- Mr. J. L. Swenson, president.  
Miss Hess, vice-president.  
Miss Anthony, secretary.  
Mr. Brackett, treasurer.  
Mr. Hewitt, sergeant-at-arms.