

Local and Personal.

Dr. Wente, Dentist.

Dr. Angle, Skin Diseases, 1215 O.

Dr. E. A. Carr, Surgeon, 141 So. 12.

J. Riser, dentist, S. W. Cor. 13 & O.

Westerfield's egg shampoo is all right.

Senior Books on sale at the Co-op.

Geo. E. Constance, Barber, 1010 O street.

The Zoological Club will meet on Thursday evening.

Mr. Greenwald has been pledged to the Sigma Alphas.

See the novelties in neckwear at the Ewing Clothing Co.

Copies of the senior class book may be obtained at the Co-op.

Mr. Crabtree inspected the Aurora high school last Monday.

Many inquiries are coming into the recorder's office for teachers.

The Kappas will give a dancing party at the Lincoln on Friday.

The senior class will give its annual prom. at the Auditorium on May 3.

Have Weber Bros. fix your spring clothes. N. E. corner 11th and O sts.

Professor Grummann has been called to Indianapolis by the death of his father.

Miss Helen Lowerie entertained a few of her friends at her home Tuesday evening.

Rev. Asa Sleeth, of Plattsmouth, attended the Phi Gamma Delta banquet Friday evening.

Corset bargains at The Evans-Malone Co., 1230 O st. Summer net, 25c and 49c; batiste, 49c.

See those Cravenet overcoats, for rain or dress coat; never wet through. Ewing Clothing Co.

Jack Best is able to resume his work in the armory after an absence of three weeks on account of sickness.

Miss Hartsough, of Minden, a member of the sophomore class, is ill at her home with an attack of smallpox.

The Junior Annual board announces that The Sombrero will make its appearance on April 30th, at 10 o'clock.

It has been found impossible to arrange for a game between Pennsylvania and Iowa. No suitable date could be found.

Professor Hodgeman has so far recovered from an attack of rheumatism as to be able to meet his classes this week.

The engineers are contemplating having uniforms next year, consisting of Stetson hats, blue flannel shirts and corduroy pants. This is the custom of the Colorado school of mines and many other institutions of the sort.

N. A. Kemmish has been obliged to leave school owing to the illness of his father. He will not resume his studies until next fall.

Let us show you our exclusive line of negligee shirts and all the novelties in the tie line. The Evans-Malone Co., 1230 O street.

The best place in the city for satisfactory barber work is Westerfield's, 117 N. 13th St. Give him a trial and you will be a regular customer.

Will L. Unziker, of Omaha, came down Friday to attend the Phi Gamma Delta banquet. He is being entertained at the fraternity house.

Prof. A. Ross Hill visited Professor Patrick at the University of Iowa last week. A dinner was given in his honor by President and Mrs. MacLean.

Ewing Clothing Co. are the sole agents for Stein-Bock Co. clothing, the best made; suits from \$15.00 to \$25.00 better than can be purchased for twice that money elsewhere.

The April Kiote will be out Thursday. The cover design is by Edgar Shaw. Among other things the issue will contain a poem by Elsie Blandin, and a story by Isabel Hamilton.

The arrangements for the senior promenade are progressing in a most satisfactory manner. H. A. Tukey is chairman of the committee. Many alumni from out of town are expected to attend.

Rev. Thomas Morey Hodgeman, father of Professor Hodgeman, died at his home in Rochester, N. Y., April 1. He was a prominent minister of the Presbyterian faith and held the pastorate of one of the leading churches of Rochester at the time of his death.

Students intending to study dentistry will find the Lincoln Dental College thoroughly up to date, and owned by Lincoln dentists who are sparing no energy or expense to make it an institution of merit. For further information address Lincoln Dental College, 206, Richards block.

A meeting of the board of officers of the Historical Society will be held the latter part of this week, for the purpose of transacting important business connected with the appropriation received from the legislature. The appropriation of \$10,000 is very satisfactory, as it approaches the society's estimate of \$13,060.

The Tennis Association met Wednesday afternoon, April 3, and elected the following officers: President, Will Holt; vice president, R. T. Hill; secretary, Walter Hillner; manager and treasurer, Earl Farnsworth. The association will hold a series of matches the latter part of April to decide who shall play in the singles and doubles in the return game with Kansas. Games will be played with the Y. M. C. A. and other local teams. There is a possibility of games with Wisconsin and Minnesota.

The announcement has been made by Chancellor Andrews that Brooks Adams will deliver the commencement oration before the graduating class June 13th. Mr. Adams is a lawyer, traveler and lecturer of considerable note. His subject will be "The Relation of a Written Constitution to an Expanding Empire and the Position which the Next Generation Will Hold to Nineteenth Century Ideas."

All students who wish to have their work adjusted to the College of Literature, Science and the Arts (elective course) should attend to the matter at once. Nothing will be gained by waiting until next fall.

After this year no advance credits from high schools will be given without examination.

ELLEN SMITH, Registrar.

A valuable donation has been received by the librarians, consisting of the private library of Simon Kerl of Oakland, Neb., numbering about 2,000 volumes. The collection contains a number of valuable works on history, literature and education. Mr. Kerl was a scholar of some note thirty or forty years ago, and is the author of a number of works. The library is now being catalogued and will be designated by a specially designed plate bearing the inscription, "The Simon Kerl Library."

Commandant Browa returned from Fremont Monday, where he had been to make arrangements for the cadet camp. The business men of Fremont, under the leadership of the Knights of St. Eeb Ragus, have shown a great interest in the encampment and it promises to be one of the most successful ever held. A grand ball will probably be given some time during the week. Camp will begin May 29 and will last five days. The proposition was brought before each company to buy campaign hats, leggings and blue flannel shirts instead of duck trousers, and seemed to meet with general approval.

The Junior Annual, The Sombrero, is now in the hands of the printer. The proof sheets give an idea of the excellence of work to be expected. The type faces are all of the latest designs, which enhances the effect of the combination of fine half-tone engravings and zinc plate etchings printed on the best of enamel book paper. The presswork will be of the usual high grade of that well known firm of Jacob North & Co., and the fact of its being in their hands guarantees perfection in its typographical construction. The cover has a unique and original design stamped on its front surface, and it is needless to say that the binding will be such as is to be expected of high class journeymen of that craft.

Captain Daly of the Harvard football team has recently received an appointment to West Point.

SENIOR CLASS MEETING.

At the senior class meeting held last Thursday the invitation to attend the reception by the juniors was accepted. The reception will take place on April 26th. Preparations for the ivy day program were made. A large number of girls attended the meeting and carried a motion requiring the boys to wear caps and gowns on commencement day. The boys say that the motion is in vain.

STUDY OF NEBRASKA TREES.

(By the Department of Agriculture.) Washington, D. C., April 6, 1901.

The Division of Forestry of the U. S. Department of Agriculture has decided to make a thorough examination, during the coming summer, of tree growth in the State of Nebraska. The object of this examination is to determine if forest production on a large scale is possible in this region. Throughout the greater part of Nebraska there is but a sparse timber growth, while portions of the State are practically treeless. From the results of the proposed investigations the Division of Forestry hopes to devise means for improving

and extending the present forest growth, and, in the case of the treeless regions, to formulate a plan of tree planting whereby the waste lands may be reclaimed. The best methods of tree culture will be considered and a careful study will be made of climate, soil, and the natural enemies of trees in this region.

For several years past the Division of Forestry, through its Section of Tree Planting, has been investigating the forest growth in several of the Middle Western States. The agents selected for the work to be done in Nebraska this summer are men who have a practical knowledge of the existing conditions, and are well fitted for the task of making an exhaustive study of the region. The results obtained from this tour of investigation will be of value to several of the neighboring States, for in Kansas, South Dakota, and portions of Eastern Colorado, and Wyoming much the same conditions exist.

The valley of the Platte River, from Plattsmouth to Kearney, and the entire western half of the State, will constitute the field of investigation. About May 1, two representatives of the Division will begin work at Plattsmouth and go up the river examining and classifying the growth of trees. Especial attention will be paid to the distribution of species, and to all efforts to cultivate considerable bodies of timber. In the investigation of tree-planting experiments the failures as well as the successes will be noted, for it is desirable to obtain all possible information on the subject.

It is expected that Kearney will be reached before July 1. At this point the party will be increased to six members and will be equipped with a complete camp outfit and saddle horses. The following four months will be spent in work that will practically cover the western half of the State. The line of travel will be from Kearney to the western boundary of the State, along the Platte, thence northeast to Crawford, and then in a general southeasterly direction through the sand hills, and down the Middle Loup River to Loup City.

A wide strip of territory can be studied on each side of the route, as the party will be mounted, and particular attention is to be given to the distribution and reproduction of the Yellow Pine. Nebraska is the meeting ground of the plains and mountain floras, and for this reason much valuable and interesting information is likely to be obtained. Cooperation by the people along the route to be taken by the government party will greatly facilitate the work.

The Division of Forestry has received sufficient encouragement from work already done in Nebraska to warrant the thorough examination that is to be made this summer. The fact that many tree growers in the State are already realizing substantial profits from planted timber is noteworthy. A number of men who have had wide experience in dealing with the problem of forestry in Nebraska have written to the Division of Forestry stating that there is no doubt in their minds of the possibility of increasing the present scant growth of trees, and agreeing that even the sand hills can be forested. Among those who have expressed such an opinion are Ex-Secretary of Agriculture, J. Sterling Morton; Prof. Charles E. Bessey, of the University of Nebraska; C. S. Harrison, President of the Nebraska Park and Forest Association; and E. F. Stephens.

The rapid spread of interest in forestry will soon bring landowners to realize that timber may be considered