

Alumni Department

Clinton Barr, '99, will attend law school next year.

J. W. Searson, '96, spent Saturday and Sunday in Lincoln.

Fred Watson, ex'00, is division engineer for the Rock Island on new construction in New Mexico.

Miss Ella Phelps, '99, a teacher in the Omaha high school, visited Miss Barr during the basket ball tournament.

J. W. Corbin, ex '96, and H. B. Noyes, '98, are employed in the testing department of the General Electric Co., at Schnectady, N. Y. Noyes is foreman of the division of "induction motors." Roy Stone, '98, is connected with the commercial engineering department of this same company.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Ralph E. Johnson, '93, to Miss Augusta Voigt of Philadelphia. Mr. Johnson is a well known attorney of Lincoln and has held a prominent state office in the secret order of Modern Woodmen of America for several years. They will make their home at 880 North Twenty-sixth street after June 6th.

Cari A. Bessey, '97 and '98, for two years instructor in the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Oklahoma, has been offered positions in two prominent eastern electrical companies. He has not yet decided which he will accept. He is expected home about the time of the university commencement in June, and intends to go East about the first of July.

D. C. Hall, '98, is spending a few weeks at the university in the preparation of a thesis on "The Commercial Testing of Electrical Apparatus," which he will present to the Faculty for the degree of "Electrical Engineer." Since his graduation Mr. Hall has been in the employ of the General Electric Co. of Schnectady, N. Y. Hereafter he expects to apply his energies along the line of power transmission.

The third annual dinner of the Nebraska University Club of Chicago will be held on the evening of April 29 at the Victoria hotel. The dinner will be preceded by a reception. Chancellor Andrews and Professor Hodgeman will attend, and Congressman D. H. Mercer and Comptroller Chas. G. Dawes are expected. An invitation to attend is extended to graduates, former students and friends of the university.

PROMINENT ALUMNUS HONORED.

Roscoe Pound, who graduated from the university in 1888 and who has served in the capacity of Assistant Professor of Jurisprudence during the last two years was appointed Supreme Court Commissioner of the State of Nebraska last week.

Dr. Pound was born in Lincoln, Nebraska, Oct. 27, 1870. He graduated from the College of Literature Science and the Arts in 1888 and took his M. A. degree the following year. In 1889-90 he attended the Harvard Law school and was admitted to the Bar in October, 1890. He married Miss Grace Gerrard, U. of N. of '95, June 17, 1899. For the past ten years he has practiced law in this city in partnership with his father. In 1897 he took his doctor's degree at the University of Nebraska.

In addition to his large law practice, Dr. Pound has found time to devote himself to botanical work in which he has taken a prominent part. He is a member of the Botanical Seminar,

Honary Curator of the Herbarium of the University of Nebraska, Director of State Botanical Survey, and member of the American Microscopic Society.

In 1898 he was awarded the medal and made Associe Libre of the Academie Internationale de Geographie Botanique. He has been a contributor to several prominent scientific and legal publications and in conjunction with Dr. Clements published the Phytogeography of Nebraska. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, Alpha Theta Chi, and Phi Delta Phi. In 1899 he was appointed Instructor in American History and Assistant Professor of Jurisprudence in the University of Nebraska. Dr. Pound is well known throughout the state in legal circles and has been honored by election as secretary of the State Bar Association.

The University of Nebraska has a large number of alumni who have taken a prominent part in public life but Dr. Pound is the only one who enjoys the distinction of being prominent in both scientific and political circles.

MISSIONARY LIFE IN INDIA.

Messrs. Hunting and Gilbert are in receipt of a letter from Wilbur T. Elmore, '96, who is now a missionary in India. He writes:

"You have both been in the Orient and so have a view of conditions for yourselves, and can understand our surroundings here much better than one who has never seen the east. I fancy it is not so very different here from the Philippines. As Mr. Gilbert says, there are many heathens here who, considering their opportunities, put to shame a few millions of the product of our civilization.

But there is a great deal of sin and idolatry, and the mass of the people are in a condition where nothing will help them much but the gospel. I am more convinced than ever that it is the "Power of God unto salvation." We have been very content since coming for the work appeals to us and we believe that this is the place where God has appointed us to work. In fact, I think I never have had such peace of mind as since I came to India. So far I have not had any desire to return to America. Of course we get a little lonely sometimes and would like to see some people whom we might name, but generally we are too busy to think about being homesick, and then we have many pleasant friends here. In fact, all the surroundings are far more pleasant than we had anticipated. We are in a large airy bungalow, one hundred feet long and thirty wide, with a ten foot veranda the entire length of one side and across both ends. We have a lot of servants, but the entire crowd do not receive as much wages as one girl at home, and they board themselves besides. We have a cook and matie boy, a water carrier, a sweeper woman and a dohy. The last two do not give us all their time, however. They are faithful servants, but they do things in a way anything but American.

One difficulty with foreign missionary service is the trouble experienced in securing medical aid. We have a government apothecary here who is very good for his kind, but in America he would not be considered capable to practice medicine. A Madras doctor paid Dr. Clough an hour's visit and charged \$100, and would have charged a civilian twice that amount. So we do not call him every time we have a toothache.

Ongole is a missionary center. We have the college here with over one hundred young men, also a faith orphanage, with nearly two hundred children in it. There are also several boys' girls' and training schools. The

most of our Christians are from the lowest caste and very poor. It is encouraging to see evidence of enterprise among them, but the opportunities are very limited. But there seems to be no enterprise among the wealthy natives and consequently there are no industries. There is waste land enough here to raise food for all those hungry people, but their lack of confidence in one another prevents it.

Remember me to all U. of N. people

who know me. I am glad to know that we are remembered there at times. U. of N. has not as many representatives in foreign missionary service as some other callings. I thank God that I am here, however, rather than practicing law at ten thousand a year at home, and some of you know that I am not much of a fanatic. There is no greater joy than to do God's will, without regard to the corner of the earth He places one.

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