

Jessie Moore entertained informally last Monday eve.

Considerable new fencing is being put on the University farm.

The Engineering society will have its regular meeting next Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Quaintance is devising an improved scheme for keeping the records of the chemistry department.

Have you heard about "Genevieve"? Well, it is a cantata, and the "Union" girls can tell you about it. Ask them.

Nelia Cochran has charge of the country store at the Masonic fair, and the active chapter of Delta Gamma are assisting her.

Henry Glissman, a graduate of the school of agriculture, has presented the University farm with a valuable Holstein-Friesian heifer.

The Delians will debate the following question on Saturday evening, April 27: "Resolved, That wages should be increased or decreased according to earnings rather than to the arbitrary will of the employer."

The class in agriculture II. have been preparing papers on the experimental work of different experiment stations with certain crops. These papers have been handed in and are now being read before the class.

An emergency case has just been added to the organic chemistry laboratory. Its purpose is to treat promptly any cases of accident that may happen in the laboratory. The case contains all antidotes and first hand remedies with full directions for applying them.

Another small collection of mosses was received by the department of botany this week, this one being intended for use in the secondary schools and consisting of carefully prepared specimens which serve to show the structure and classification of plants of this kind. It will be of service to teachers in the high schools.

The Unions will debate the question next Saturday: "Resolved, That cities should own and operate public utilities." Last Saturday evening the Union debate was postponed in order to discuss the Nicaragua canal question, which is to be discussed between Nebraska teams and the Missouri and Colorado teams. The ownership and fortification of the canal was discussed.

The seniors had a very interesting and exciting class meeting Thursday. The cause of the discussion was the chancellor's reception and the junior-senior reception, which both come the same night. They formally decided they would attend both. N. M. Graham was elected as the Ivy day orator, Miss Van Camp as the writer of the poem for that day. Miss Jessica Morgan was chosen to write the class song.

The popularity of the slide-rule is increasing so rapidly that it is expected that next year nearly every one of the juniors and seniors in the engineering department will carry one in his vest pocket. The long and wearisome equations in mechanics and engineering in general use can be so easily and quickly solved by the use of the "stick" that the efficiency of its user is thereby greatly increased.

Mr. Votaw has finished making some excellent models to guide farmers in building home made wind mills.

Dr. Ward has been asked to take charge of one of the departments on the marine dredging expedition, which will be sent out on the Pacific coast by the University of California.

Dr. Barbour has received a collection of fossils of fern leaves from Illinois, donated by a banker there, to the Morrill geological collection. The specimens are exceedingly fine and well preserved.

A paper written by Dr. L. F. More of the physics department on the subject "The Supposed Elongation of a Dielectric in an Electrostatic Field," has caused a great deal of comment. In the last issues of the London Philosophical Magazine and the French Journal de Physique, Dr. Paul Sacerdote of the University of Paris published a discussion upon this paper.

There is talk among the engineering boys of getting a uniform next year, similar to those worn by the students of other engineering schools. It will probably consist of a Stetson hat, blue flannel shirt and corduroy trousers, and will be worn when on duty in the field or shop.

Professor Bessey received a few days ago a request for the names of one or more students in the department of botany who may be candidates for fellowships in the New York agricultural experiment station at Geneva, N. Y. For those who propose to go on in certain lines of advanced work in botany, this is a good opportunity, as all expenses, including board, rooms, laboratory materials, etc., are provided free.

During the Easter vacation the department of geology spent the time surveying the quarries around Richfield, Neb., where some rocks of uncommon value were found. These rocks are good enough to displace in Nebraska some of the Dakota sandstone which is now shipped extensively from Kansas for building material and bridges.

In the Richfield quarries were found some fossil shells, remarkable for size. Some of the coiled shells were so large as to be taken, by the quarrymen, for petrified horns of mountain sheep.

Miss Rose Clark gave a post graduate recital in the new chapel last Thursday night. The following program was given: Brahms—Variations on Theme by Paganini, op. 35, book 1. Tschalkowsky—Romance, Op. 51, No. 5. MacDowell—(a) Improvisation, Op. 46, No. 4; (b) "The Eagle," Op. 32, No. 1—

He clasps the crag with crooked hands; Close to the sun in lovely lands, Ring'd with the azure world, he stands. The wrinkled sea beneath him crawls; He watched from his mountain walls, And like a thunder bolt—he falls.

(c) "March Wind," Op. 46, No. 10. Gluck-Sgambati—Melodie in D minor. Strauss-Tausig—Valse Caprice (Man lebt nur einmal). Saint Saens—Concerto C minor, Op. 22; Andante sostenuto, Allegro Scherzando, Presto. Orchestral parts on second piano by Mr. Eames. Everett grand piano used.

#### MASS MEETING.

There will be a mass meeting in chapel Wednesday forenoon at the usual chapel hour, in the interests of baseball.

#### THE DOANE DEBATE.

The Delian Debating club and the Alpha Omega club of Doane College met in debate last Friday evening in the old chapel. The question was: "Resolved, That the ship subsidy bill is justified by the present condition of American commerce."

Messrs. A. H. Maxwell, R. A. Harrison and F. G. Kidd of the Delians defended the question, while C. O. Carlson, A. W. Taylor and E. C. Potts of the Alpha Omegas had the negative.

Mr. Maxwell opened the debate. He explained the meaning of the question and defended its constitutionality.

Mr. Potts characterized the bill as a gross steal and said it was only intended to enrich a few ship builders. He argued that the bill was unconstitutional.

Mr. Kidd of the Delians contended that the bill was not unconstitutional. He said that it was justified because the cost of construction of vessels in the United States is 25 per cent greater than it is in any other country.

Mr. Carlson declared that the bill was supported only by capitalists and those interested in the shipbuilding industry. He said it was opposed by the other classes, such as farmers etc., and also by the democratic party and a minority of the republican party.

On account of the absence of Mr. Harrison, Mr. O'Connell was substituted. His argument consisted mostly of a defense of the subsidy because it would reduce freight rates.

Mr. Taylor contended that the cost of operation was greater in America and a subsidy was not the best means of remedying this disadvantage.

Mr. Maxwell closed the debate by summing up the argument.

Each speaker had fifteen minutes, except Mr. Maxwell, who opened the debate in a twelve minute speech and closed with a five minute speech.

The program was concluded by a vocal solo by Mr. Doane.

#### VARSIITY AGAIN BEATEN.

The Omaha league team again defeated the University at Omaha yesterday by a score of 10 to 1. Bert Gordon, pitcher on the University team last year, pitched the last three innings for Omaha. The two teams will play again this afternoon.

#### ATHLETIC BOARD MEETING.

The athletic board held a meeting last Thursday afternoon. The principal business was the reports of managers and committees.

Elmer Berry made his final report on basket ball and was extended a vote of thanks by the board.

Manager Henderson reported on a baseball trip as far east as Indiana, which promises to be a success financially and in good hard games. C. W. Engel reported that arrangements had been made for a triangular meet for track athletics between the Universities of Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri at Kansas City. He has also made out a schedule for meets between the various high schools of the state. E. E.

Farnsworth made a favorable report on tennis finances. He stated that Kansas will play here for the tennis championship. Four new baseball suits and jerseys for the whole team have been ordered.

#### THE Y. M. C. A. PRESIDENT'S CONFERENCE.

A successful conference of the newly elected Y. M. C. A. presidents of six Nebraska colleges was held Friday evening, Saturday and Sunday. York, Crete, Bellevue, the State Normal, Wesleyan and the State University were represented.

The meetings were led largely by E. J. Colton, the international secretary. This was the second annual conference and was more successful in its results than the previous one. One of the special features was the big mass meeting Sunday afternoon. Mr. Colton spoke on the subject, "Whatever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

The Bible study work, missionary work and the several conferences of the association were carefully discussed. The presidents' conference will be held at Crete next year.

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