

OUR COLLEGE NEWS.

TOO LATE.—A number of items from our correspondent at Peru was received too late for this issue.

CHEAP.—Remember that the subscription price of the *STUDENT* is as low as the lowest. Only one dollar a year, or fifty cents for five months.

SNUFF.—The student who gave snuff to those ladies the other evening did not know how much fun he was making for the rest of the boys.

CROQUET.—The merry click of the croquet balls can be daily heard at the dormitory while the students are waiting for their suppers.

H. W. B.—The "personal avarice" of Rev. Henry Ward Beecher was eloquently discussed to a "tickled" audience, by a young gent a few evenings ago.

QUEER.—The manner in which the Chemistry class take their seats is peculiar to say the least. One of the class told us that it suited him exceedingly well.

DIED.—As we go to press, we regret to learn of the death of Leander R. Eckhart, formerly a student of the University; as our time is limited we will notice it in our next.

SUCCESS.—We are pleased to say that H. H. Wilson, who has been appointed as agent for the *STUDENT* in this city, has been very successful thus far, and we truly hope his success will continue.

HUG.—Probably that Freshman will soon be married. We should judge so from the reason of his hugging that friend whom he so urgently requested to sleep with him a few evenings ago.

STRANGE.—One of the alumni is very active, but it is curious that he should prefer jumping out of the second story window of a boarding house instead of going down stairs as his friends do.

QUERY.—Ain't it a little transparent where some of the students go during recitation hours, especially those two young gents and ladies? If it is not repeated we will say no more about it.

BIBLE CLASS.—Prof. Bailey has organized a Bible class at the Baptist Sunday School for the benefit of the University students. The class meets at twelve o'clock, and all are cordially invited to attend.

BOLD.—That Junior did not seem to care for the thoughts of the world when he was running around the University with a braid of some girls hair pinned to his coat; we would like to know what kind of a hair-pin he calls himself.

FLURRIED.—We cannot see why that young gent, who was walking down towards the southern part of our city a couple of Sundays ago in the direction of Miss — house, should get so worked up if he were only going around to the office.

ELOCUTION.—The class in elocution before the Chancellor had the sentence, "I am for the declaration," to practice on, and one of the students became so energetic in rehearsing it, that long before the break of day he commenced reciting it. His landlord thought burglars were in the house and rushed up stairs, *en dishabille*, to conquer them. On opening the Soph's door he was met with, "I am for the declaration," and so on *ad infinitum*. He returned to his disturbed slumber, and is confident that he has a very energetic student under his roof.

SCENE IN TRIGONOMETRY CLASS.—Prof. refers to a hard problem and asks a student, "Did you succeed in working the problem?"

STUDENT.—Awh! no. I was somewhat embarrassed—for want of time.

SLEEPY.—One of the students at the dormitory woke up the other morning to find an empty peach can his bedfellow, and some saucers arranged on his table, which appeared to have been used by some one else. He is anxious to find out who "stood treat."

CURIOS.—Can anyone tell us what prompted that Soph to go down town and purchase clothing that was not for his sex and then try to make the students at the dormitory believe that it was part of a gentleman's outfit. From such actions we judge that a marriage will soon occur.

A GOOD EXCHANGE.—We are pleased to note the fact that we have on our exchange list, the daily *Lincoln Blade*. It is one of the liveliest dailies in the state, and we believe that under the charge of Major Caffrey the *Blade* will never be found wanting in sharpness. It can be found every morning at the dormitory.

LARGE.—The other day a brave and bold company of three, went up on the roof of the University after an owl. They were well armed, one having a "navy," another a shotgun, and the third a huge club. They were successful in bringing the owl down, and it was a fine, large one, measuring four feet between the tips of the wings.

TRICKSTER.—One of the Students at the dormitory has justly earned the title of sleight-of-hand performer. A few nights ago he managed to go to bed, to lock the door and wake up in the morning to find his washbow and pitcher gone, and the door still locked, but with the key on the outside. But what bothers him the most is to understand how he locked the door, and then jumped through the keyhole with the key still in the lock. We "gave it up."

MISTAKE.—A young lady made a slight mistake the other morning in the Chancellor's office. The Chancellor had not yet arrived, and a sprightly young freshman occupied the President's chair. A young lady who desired to enter the University took him to be one of the faculty, and after the Fresh had found out where the young lady resided, and what is of more importance—her name, he informed her that the Chancellor would soon be in.

MARRIAGES.—Marshall Myers.—On the 11th day of this month, Mr. J. D. Marshall, postmaster at Plattsmouth, to Miss Frank C. Myers, formerly a student of our University. We cordially wish them success.

Lashley, Birdsall.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Harvard, on Thursday Oct. 15th, 1874, by Rev. E. J. Willis, Mr. Addison H. Lashley and Miss Emma L. Birdsall.

The happy couple took the evening train westward, *en route* to their new home in Beaver City, Furnas county, where Mr. Lashley is carrying on an extensive business.—*Harvard Advocate*.

They were both formerly students of our University and we congratulate Add on his good fortune in securing for a wife, the young lady who was the admiration of every gentleman in attendance at the University. May they live long and ever be prosperous.

SOCIABLES.—The Palladian society held a social on Friday evening, October 9th and it was, beyond all doubt, a decided success. Their hall, which has always received the highest praise from every one who has ever visited it, presented its usual fine appearance; and, though large as it is, it was crowded with merry throngs of students, who were bent on enjoying themselves. The Palladian Hall furnished room for a number of promenaders, but the spacious hall outside of the society room was continually crowded with gallants and their ladies.

As the members of the Adelpian Society were specially invited to be present, they entered the hall after a short session of their own society, and mingled in the mirth and merriment. During the evening we were favored with some choice music by the Misses Montgomery and Hohmann. All that stiffness of formality, which we sometimes see in social gatherings, was thrown off, and all seemed to enjoy themselves. Refreshments were served, consisting of tempting peaches, luscious grapes and the ever edible confectionery. At the hour of 10½ o'clock the bell pealed forth, warning us that it was time to disband; we were in the midst of our gaiety, and many a gallant lad and sweet lassie went home, wishing that the hateful old bell had been silent for a time longer.

The plan of holding a social at the commencement of a term, as adopted by the Palladians is an excellent idea, as it brings the new students together and affords all an opportunity to become acquainted with each other. The social was highly commended by the Chancellor and the professors who were in attendance and we hope that ere long the Palladians will give another of their characteristic socials.

On the 23d of the present month the Adelpian society held a social. The Palladians by a special meeting of their own society, held no meeting that evening, but turned out *en masse* to the most successful of all the Adelpian socials and enjoyed a merry time. We were pleased to see that so many were in attendance, but apologize to those ladies who wished to see the *STUDENT* office, for its appearance. We do occasionally have it swept out and ere long will be able to invite the fair sex up into our sanctum. The daily papers of the city comment quite highly on the social and we are inclined to give the lady members of the society the credit of causing it to be so successful.

But we learn at this time that our Editor-in-chief has made use of the two above locals for his editorials and sympathizing with our readers for having to read the same matter twice we forbear to say more, than this—we hope that both socials will be repeated.

NEW CLUB.—On the 20th of this month the students assembled in the chapel and organized a new association, which is known as the "Students Gymnastic Club." They elected officers with the following result: Amos E. Gantt, President; H. H. Wilson, Vice President; J. F. McKesson, Secretary; W. H. McBroom, Treasurer. One of the motions which unanimously prevailed in the meeting, was: That a vote of thanks be tendered to the German Turner's Society of Lincoln for the kindness which they have shown us, in allowing us to place their horizontal bar, etc., in our gymnasium. The officers also appointed the following named committee to take

charge of the gymnasium: A. W. Field, W. H. Needham, G. E. Howard and G. M. Hawley. We are pleased to see the gymnasium opened up and hope that all the students will make good use of it. If it is properly conducted, it will be a feature of the University of which we will be proud; if it is neglected, the apparatus had better be returned, and the doors locked. In connection with the gymnasium we would say that Prof. Bailey is organizing a class for practice in the use of Indian clubs, and as his terms are moderate we hope he may have a large class.

MUST SPEAK.—A few evenings ago, one of the Palladians took particular interest in a debate and consulted numerous authorities on the question, but not notifying the President of the society, the debate was declared closed before he could speak. However, he was full of talk, and after seeing his young lady home he got two or three of the boys together and delivered his speech. We have heard that it was a fine address, but an awful poor audience.

LAW.—We are pleased to note the fact, that Messrs. W. H. Snell and John McLean have been admitted to practice law. They were admitted in the Third Judicial District, and start for Georgetown, Col., on the 2nd of next month, where they will locate.

Mr. Snell is a member of the graduating class of '73 and Mr. McLean was formerly a student of the University. They were both members of the Palladian society, and in the departure of these gentlemen, the society loses two of its best speakers; and each and every one of us unite in hoping that the law-firm of "McLean & Snell" may ever be prosperous. They are both pleasant and agreeable gentlemen, and we commend them to the citizens of Georgetown as energetic, wide-awake young men, who will promptly attend to any and all business which will be intrusted to their care.

PERSONAL.

Miss Allie Sweet is at Seward.

Milo McCord was married during the vacation.

J. C. Miller returned home about the first of the month.

Miss Tillie Creegan has left school and gone to eastern Iowa.

F. P. Burdick is teaching school out at Melrose in Harlan County.

F. P. Hurd came up from Tecumseh and attended the Adelpian sociable.

W. E. Miller has been sick for several days. However he is better and has gone home.

Mr. I. L. Burch of Peru has been appointed agent and correspondent for the *STUDENT*.

H. H. Wilson, we regret to learn, has been called home to the sick bed of his father. We hope his father's illness may not prove fatal.

W. C. Showalter will not return this term, but he will sway the sceptre of a schoolmaster until after the holidays when he will again be with us.

W. M. Stevenson came up to Lincoln on the 14th to see his many friends before he commences to teach school. He is to take charge of a German school down in Otoe County.