

Those whose duties compel them to spend much of their time on the third floor would like to know when the roof is to be repaired. It is a disgrace to the State of Nebraska in its present condition.

A certain member of the Freshman class has his name stamped on the outside of his collars in plain view of all. This is an excellent scheme. Why not all adopt it and thus do away with the necessity of introductions?

Will wonders never cease? The class in Physiology actually induced the professor to hear recitations in that study five times a week, instead of four! The Freshmen are becoming too good for this wicked world.

At Wisconsin University a ball was recently given by the young ladies, and it was actually held in the chapel of their boarding hall! Should an affair of this kind occur here—well, no matter. There is no danger of such a thing.

The rumor that the Elective Course of study was devised and put through by the booksellers of Li: cola, lacks confirmation. They are well pleased with the arrangement, though, as their sales of text-books to students have doubled in the last year.

A suggestion to the Faculty—we charge nothing for it: To punish offenders, confine them somewhere near the band room while the boys are rehearsing the "Sweet Bye and Bye." This treatment is warranted to subdue the hardest criminal in a few hours.

He came in with a copy of the STUDENT in his hand and remarked, "The puns in this paper are rather irate, and if the local editor cares not to 'rite good ones I'll be blowed if I don't try it myself." He was immediately pitched out of the third story window.

Nervous German student: "Professor, the brass band is not allowed to play in the building during the day; wouldn't the same rule apply to the Elocution classes?" Prof. listens to the vocal bombardment from the chapel and promises to see about it.

"The Duc de Borgogne, what, don't you know who the Duc de Burgogne was?" said the Prof., "why, he was the heir to the throne,—an excellent young man,—a Sunday school young man,—but he died." Ingenious pupil: "Perhaps that's what killed hi'n."

Tutor Little has been assigned the fine large room formerly occupied by the Conservatory of Music. The change was made necessary by the size of his classes in the preparatory mathematics. The room left vacant by this move will be used as piano room next term.

The extremely funny practice of labeling the backs of students has not yet gone out of date. A member of Snell's Geography class recently bore the startling announcement "For Sale. Inquire within." On discovering it the victim looked as though the sale had already taken place.

Why in the name of common sense are the rules in regard to conduct in the halls not enforced? Students may be found at almost any time "raising Cain" in some parts of the building, and the professors are as meek as lambs. A little strict discipline would have a wholesome effect.

During the exercises of the Union society, two weeks ago, a bunch of fire-crackers was set off in the hall of the second floor, and made charming music. The perpetrators of this outrage are known. It is not their first offense, and we may expect interesting developments in the near future.

Some idiot was thoughtful enough to set fire to a quantity of paper on the floor of the third hall, last week, and succeeded in charring up the wood work in an artistic manner. What it was done for and who did it is a mystery. If George finds the perpetrators they will have an interesting interview, you may be sure.

Skating is glorious sport, but one of our Sophomores will not take any more of it in his'n for a few days, at least. In company with a juvenile relative he was skimming along the congealed surface of the noble Salt, when both went plump into the mouth of the N street sewer. Faugh! He will patronize the roller skaking rink in the future.

Prof. Aughey is still in Washington, and his classes have been distributed around to anyone kind enough to take them. Mr. E. P. Rich has been elected to the chair of Physiology and N. Z. Snell that of Physical Geography for the remainder of the semester. Editorials denouncing the manner in which these classes are taught are now in order.

He is passionately fond of music and stopped an interesting conversation to remark, "Boys, there's a band playing!" All rush to the windows, lean far out, and drink in the melody of a carpet-beating matinee in the next yard, accompanied by a lively quarrel between two dogs in a neighboring alley. They rather sheepishly conclude that the band has stopped playing or gone out of hearing.

A movement is on foot to secure substantial asphaltum walks for the campus. It has been agreed, we believe, to lay the matter before the Regents at their next meeting. The need of walks is evident to all. Unless they are built at once the flower beds and borders will be destroyed.

A man cannot be blamed for tramping over the dry borders when the walks proper are impassable.

Information in regard to the following books, belonging to the University library, is sought by the librarian: Abbot's Shakesperian Grammar; Palgrave's Golden Treasury; Shaw's Manual of English Literature; De Tocqueville's Democracy in America; Life of Thos. Jefferson; Andrew's Civil Government; Thos. Higginson's Outdoor Papers; Madison Papers; Darwin's Works; Marsh's Man's Place in Nature.

When Prof. Little occupies the large room across the hall from our office, we may expect that the morning matinees on the stairs close by will cease. Where the performers will go to continue their interesting exhibitions is not known. We suggest that the basement or the fourth floor be placed at their disposal, and they open out with the thrilling play, "Mashed; or the Fate of the Golden Bang." Full houses are assured.

We have often admired the grit displayed by the students who live out at the college farm in attending the University literary societies. However, it is reported that in the future they will devote their time to the building up of their society, which meets every Saturday evening in a room in in the farm dormitory. If this move is made the sturdy and studious agricultural students will be missed from the regular societies.

The band has already commenced rehearsing for spring work, with the following membership: Will Jones, Eb Cornet; Frank Garlock, 2nd Eb; Dan Wheeler, Bb; George Frankforter, 1st Alto; M. E. Wheeler, 2nd Alto; W. H. Lichty, Tenor; A. P. Fair, Baritone; C. Schumaker, Bb Bass; Robert Silvers, Tuba; Geo. Hitchcock, Snare Drum, E. O. Lewis, Bass Drum. Leader, Hitchcock; Bus. Man., Dan Wheeler; Drum Major, Clark.

W. H. Lichty returned from his vacation a sadder and a wiser man. At Wy-more some person devoid of the first principles of honesty or right appropriated his overcoat, a fine embroidered scarf, and two silk "wipes." Henry spent some time in searching for the miscreant, with blood in his eye and a small Gatling gun in his hip pocket, but without success. Right here we wish to say that the party who reported that the loss was caused by too much New Years' calling, is a base fabricator.

The drill ground will make a famous place for foot-ball, cricket, lawn tennis, base ball, etc, and we hope that these health-giving games will be indulged in as soon as the weather permits. The plea of some that they have no time for such exercise is not a good one. Students who