

*Campus Canards.*

300 students this term.

All seem satisfied with the new dispensation.

Sophomores beware! The Freshmen have organized.

"We don't have any deadheads in the Palladian"—*Jno. Dryden on "Union busts."*

The telephone has been moved to room 21, second floor and *on dit* that the janitor sits up nights to watch over it.

Can you discover who is the best orator in the Palladians. Yes, if you Chase for him.

A witty Soph. says that to take a miss is to make a mistake and that he don't like to study galvanism. We think he is too boisterous.

The Y. M. C. A. Bible class taught by Prof. Hitchcock will meet each Sunday at 9:30 a. m. in room No. 5. All are invited to attend.

A Soph. co-ed, when asked if she studied Physics, replied with a look of horror; "No! I don't believe in it. I am a Homeopathist."

The first meeting of the Bible class was well attended by the young men. Co-education in this department would not be objectionable.

Prof. Thompson has been assigned the room formerly occupied by Prof. Woodberry. His private cabinet of anatomical models is to be placed here.

Several of the students are engaged in teaching a short distance from the city. We are sorry that they are absent from school, but glad that they are not too far away to attend society.

It is quite affecting to see a first prep trying to carry five water melons in his arms at the same time. Also to see a Junior bringing out his first co-ed. Similar phenomena occur.

DIED:—At the residence of her parents, in St. Edward, Neb., Sept. 6th, '82 of consumption; Mrs. Emma Pardee Smith, wife of Frank E. Smith, aged 21 years 11 months and 29 days.—*Boone County News.*

We wish to state for the benefit of the new students that the number 1870 on the University is not the number of the street, but is the date of a very important event in its history. This may prevent a great deal of embarrassment in future.

There are certain students who are very fond of airing their talents. Such are generally superficial. True greatness is always modest. Those persons, therefore, who make an exhibition of their greatness usually show all that they possess.

Mr. Olmsted of '82 is departed for Wyoming and will be engaged during the year in teaching the young idea how to shoot. The boys in Wyoming need no instruction in that department. They will pick it up soon enough of their own accord.

We quarantine infectious diseases. When a man is found to have the small-pox or yellow fever he is excluded from his fellow men and guarded with the utmost vigilance that the infection may not spread but the viscous young man is allowed to roam at large through our public schools corrupting his associates by his poisonous influence and sowing the seeds of moral diseases more malignant than any.

For the last six months the Union bulletin board outshone anything on the first floor, but the Palladians at last come up smiling with a board which, as they declare, "yanks the bun." The decoration is the work of Miss Emma Richardson.

We hope that new as well as old students will take hold with a will and make the University Athletic Association what it should be. If this organization flourishes the STUDENT expects to see a well equipped gymnasium before the sun sets on the college year.

Both societies are to make costly additions to their hall furnishings during the year. Palladian Hall is to be beautified by a magnificent crystal chandelier, while the Unions will replace their old carpet with a new one costing enough to bankrupt a Fitzgerald.

The first meeting of the Palladians was quite encouraging. The performances were good and a large number of names of the very best material among the new students were proposed for membership. The Palladian is recognized as the place to advance literary work.

It is hoped that the Juniors will continue their social meetings. These meetings have continued too long and have been productive of too much enjoyment to be dispensed with now. It would be advisable for the Freshman and Sophomore classes also to form similar organizations.

Ye compositor of the STUDENT office was very glad to welcome E. E. Spencer a classmate of his at Doane last Saturday. Spencer is the Business Manager of the *Doane Owl* this year and we will warrant he is a good one. We hope to hear from Doane with reference to the State Oratorical Association.

Prof. Draper, the new teacher in the Conservatory of Music is a careful and painstaking instructor and proves a valuable acquisition to the music corps. The classes under his direction are fast becoming enrapt with their studies and new members are being daily enrolled for the Conservatory curriculum.

A second prep co-ed who is beginning German and who is also a Latin student on being asked how she liked the young German tutor, desiring to display her classic lore replied, "Vicissim by turns." The reader must observe that according to the present method of pronouncing Latin *v* has the sound of *w* and *c* of *k*.

The time the boys were allowed to make the recitation room a gymnasium, or the girls to play football with pieces of coal in the halls has gone, and we hope that every student will earnestly cooperate with the professors in their attempt to secure order, without which perfect success is a paradox and an impossibility.

That the University is steadily growing is shown by the increase in the number of occupied rooms. Two years ago half a dozen rooms on the three main floors were vacant. To day all are occupied and the work of fitting up the basement commenced. Two years hence new buildings will be absolutely necessary.

The Palladian Debating Club holds breezy meetings on Saturday evening of each week. The boys seem determined to make this organization the means of acquiring thorough drill in debate and "off-hand" speaking. In order that the deliberations of the club may be unrestrained, non-members of the society will be excluded except in special instances.