

BRIEF CITY NEWS

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Carter Lake Club Has Fine Outlook For Coming Season

Activities at Carter Lake club are increasing and practically all of the old membership is back in the fold. More applications are being acted upon at every meeting of the officers, and the outlook is now that before the opening day, May 30, the total will be over 1,000. The work of adding to the comforts at the club house are going steadily forward and the most recent improvement is in the form of a number of heavy-leather chairs, a table and a large table from the United States National bank. It was formerly part of the concern's equipment, and was purchased at a very reasonable price. This furniture is being fixed up and will adorn the lobby of the main building when repaired. A new set of lockers, where valuables can be kept, have been put in the men's and women's check rooms in the main building. An attendant will look after jewelry and valuables, affording club members an often-wished-for convenience.

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE WORK

Happenings of the Week in Nearby Institutions.

POLITICS AND RURAL SCHOOLS

Lack of Permanency for County Superintendents Seriously Regards Betterment—Editorial Notes.

On of the most serious obstacles to the betterment of rural schools would be removed if the office of county superintendent were removed from the turmoil of election campaigns. Politics rarely helps schools. Institution and teacher alike are damaged by the squabbles of present day electioneering. "No other person in school work," says the Nebraska Teacher, "is compelled to campaign for his election, spending days and dollars of his own, and then for his re-election, spending more dollars of his own and weeks and months of time that belong to the schools and their interests. If the position were appointive, as all other school positions are, from the rural teachers to the presidencies of the highest institutions, would not the interests of the schools be better conserved? And would it not tend to establish the county superintendency as a prize to be sought on its merits, as an exalted school position? The position offered greater permanency, there would be greater preparation for its duties on the part of those seeking it, and more valuable experience could be brought to the service of the people and the schools in a few brief years. Nor should the selection be limited by state or county boundary lines, although undoubtedly the appointing power would and should prefer home talent, other qualifications being equal or nearly so. There is but little difference between schools on opposite sides of a county boundary line, and the little knowledge possessed of local conditions by a county teacher should not weigh heavily against the superior information and qualifications of another, whose education and training and experience in other fields might place him far in the lead of the local teacher. The fact once established that a county superintendent could make a record in one county and be called up higher to a larger and more important county, as city superintendents now are, would undoubtedly place the county superintendency on a higher professional plane."

Fremont College Notes.

President Clemmons spoke at Wainoo Sunday to a large audience of men, where they are endeavoring to organize an active Young Men's Christian association. The art department, under the direction of Mrs. A. M. Reynolds, is displaying some excellent pieces of work done by students. They are to be seen in the college lobby. J. H. Overturf, at present teacher of science in the Schuyler High school, has been elected superintendent of the Beaver City schools. Mr. Overturf is a graduate of the scientific course. Prof. Swihart has been attending several rehearsals of the Omaha Symphony orchestra, under the direction of Henry Cox. Mr. Swihart will assist them in their concert in April. Judge Marshall of Arlington was a guest of President Clemmons over Sunday.

PERU NORMAL NOTES.

Glee Clubs Give Concert in Chapel Monday Evening. W. K. Fowler, ex-state superintendent of public instruction, addressed the seniors in class chapel Wednesday. Mr. Fowler has a daughter who will graduate with the class of 1914. Superintendent E. W. Marcellus of Crete, an alumnus of Peru, has been in Peru for several days visiting classes and looking after teachers for his city schools. Prof. F. M. Gregg went to Brownville last Friday to give his illustrated lecture on "Picturesque Nebraska."

Glee Clubs Give Concert in Chapel Monday Evening.

The Glee club, which has been on a tour of the state, gave a concert last Monday night in the chapel. The Girls club aided the boys to give one of the best entertainments of this kind heard in Peru. Dr. House, the leader, deserves a great deal of credit for the excellent training exhibited by the clubs. Peru's soldiers elected the commissioned officers of the company last Tuesday night. Ray Clark of Pawnee City was chosen captain; Frank Leger of Germantown, first lieutenant, and Ivan Winslow of Beaver City, second lieutenant. The soldiers have decided to go into camp May 14 and they are planning on the remain in camp the larger part of a week. George D. Carleton, formerly county superintendent of Nemaha county and an alumnus of 1904, gave a speech in chapel last Wednesday. C. E. Andrews, who will graduate in June from the advanced course and will at the same time take his degree of bachelor of education, has been elected superintendent of the city schools of Eustis. Miss Anna Horak has been elected teacher of Latin in the Clarkson High school. The Ladies' Fortnightly club will hold a reception next Tuesday night. Prof. Paul Grummann of the university will be here to lecture to the club and its 125 invited guests. The Peruvian management has many of the pictures taken for the Annual. They are planning on making this the best in the history of the school. James Winslow, editor-in-chief, and Ellis K. Frye went to Omaha last week on Peruvian business.

CHADRON STATE NORMAL.

Budget of Happenings Kalkreuth's Routine of the School. Prof. Wilson told stories about Lincoln and Washington at the city library Thursday to the school children. The Alice Freeman Palmer society held a very enjoyable meeting Friday. The members each responded to roll call with a musical quotation. President Sparks has returned from the Normal school presidents' meeting of the Mississippi valley at Chicago last week. At a recent meeting, the class of 1914 decided to expend the money in the treasury resulting from the "Strongheart" play in gifts for the school. The gifts selected are casts to be ordered from the Capron company, whose casts are generally used for decorative purposes. The pieces selected are a relief "Washington Crossing the Delaware" modeled from the famous painting in the Metropolitan museum, New York City, and a "Bust of Lincoln" copied from one by Max Bachman. Last Friday the work in domestic science and manual training was begun in the model school. Miss Deisel gave instruction to the girls of the fifth to eighth grade on the making of waists, and demonstrated how it should be done. Miss Starr, one of the seniors who has had special work in sewing gave elementary instruction in the making of hems for towels and the cutting and making of quilt caps. The dinner party given at the home of Mrs. Lappala to the faculty in honor of President and Mrs. Sparks and family was enjoyed very much by the guests. It was the celebration of the china wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks, and was the occasion of much felicitation. Covers were laid for twenty-nine.

DOANE COLLEGE.

Missionary from South America Visits Students. Miss Geraldine Phillips, '12, of Friend is entertaining the members of the G. Y. S. at a week-end party. March 11 is the date set for the regular mid-year meeting of the college trustees. Miss Mildred Reese of Norfolk visited friends at Doane this week. Prof. J. S. Brown and Mrs. Brown entertained the faculty at dinner Friday evening. A large number of college students attended the Saturday matinee performance of "Ben Hur" in Lincoln last week. Rev. William Reed, from Ecuador, South America, addressed the students at chapel Tuesday and conducted the Christian association prayer meeting in the evening. Mr. Reed has been for many years a missionary in South America and is spending part of his furlough visiting relatives in Crete. Miss Beth Hall, '16, who has been preceptors at Gates academy at Neligh, has resigned her position on account of the illness of her mother. Miss Edith Kinney, '12, of Elgin has taken her place. The annual entertainment of the P. K. D. took the form of a trip to Lincoln. The party attended the "Kismet" matinee Wednesday, March 4, and returned to Crete for dinner at the Bluff cafe. WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY. Pan-Wesleyan Banquet Will Be Held March Nineteen. The Glee club has been absent for four days on a trip in the northwestern part of the state. The Pan-Wesleyan banquet will be held on Thursday evening, March 12. The trustees, who will be in regular session at that time, will attend in a body. The girls' gymnasium class has prepared a public exhibition which will be given Wednesday evening, March 11. The time at convocation last Thursday was given over to getting up enthusiasm for the Nebraska-Wesleyan basketball game. Next Friday evening in the Wesleyan auditorium will occur the public exercise connected with the establishing of a chapter of the Phi Kappa Phi, the national scholarship fraternity. Prof. Fellam of Ames, Ia., will be the principal speaker. Prof. Jensen, president of the Nebraska Academy of Sciences, attended a meeting of the executive committee in Lincoln last Saturday afternoon. Plans were made for the annual meeting, which will occur on May 3 and 4. Much material has already been obtained and the program promises to be unusually strong and interesting.

HASTINGS COLLEGE.

Gospel Team Booked Weeks Ahead for Sunday Work. The gospel team of the College Young Men's Christian association already has March and part of April scheduled for Sunday services at Heartwell, Minden, Gilmer and inland. March 13-15 is reserved for the State College Young Men's Christian association conference to be held at York, which ten or fifteen of our men expect to attend. Ten men are already listed for the Kates park summer conference, at which John R. Mott is to be the leading speaker, aided by several others of national fame. Mr. A. M. Brooking has added to the college museum a collection of reptiles and fish taken in Bliss county, Georgia, and representing southern species. The college basketball team returned from their trip to Lincoln and Omaha. The game at Botham was lost to Cotner University by a score of 21-18. On the following night Omaha university was defeated, 35 to 8. The last three games will be played at home. York college will be met Saturday night, followed by Cotner and Omaha the next week. Miss Marie Knies of this city enrolled as a student in the academy. At the last meeting of the Young Women's and Young Men's Christian associations the following officers were elected for next year: Young Women's Christian association, Mary Sims, president; Octavia Jones, vice president; Mildred Stein, treasurer; Hazel Parks, secretary. Young Men's Christian association, Glenn Kennedy, president; J. Hittner, treasurer; H. Lally, secretary; C. Pratt, Collegian editor.

Kearney State Normal Notes.

Rev. J. H. Thompson of the Methodist church was a caller at the Normal Monday. Miss Lulu Wild, grammar critic, went to Gibson to act as judge in the declamation contest held at that place. Miss Edith Lathrop, rural school inspector, was a visitor at the Normal Monday and gave an interesting talk at chapel time. Miss Gertrude H. Gardner of the Latin department, addressed the Women's club at its meeting Tuesday on the subject "Our Girls." Miss Hazel Cook has taken a position in the Fairbury schools. Miss Cook will complete her work in the Normal at the close of the summer term. The members of the faculty are much in demand for addresses before teachers' meetings, and the following left to fill dates: Prof. George N. Porter to Silver Creek; Prof. A. J. Morcer to Funk and Prof. O. W. Neale to Oshkosh. Chamberlain's Liniment. This preparation is intended especially for rheumatism, lame back, sprains and like ailments. It is a favorite with people who are well acquainted with its splendid qualities. Mrs. Charles Tanner, Wabasha, Ind., says of it: "I have found Chamberlain's Liniment the best thing for lame back and sprains I have ever used. It works like a charm and relieves pain and soreness. It has been used by others of my family as well as myself for upwards of twenty years." 25 and 50-cent bottles. All dealers.—Advertisement. Educational Notes. Kansas City finds its public schools cost \$28.58 per pupil per year. Providence, R. I., will likely adopt portable schools to relieve congestion. Cornell's course in citizenship, offered this year for the first time, is attended by over 300. Cleveland will likely float a bond issue of \$1,000,000 shortly to provide for new school buildings. Grandfield, O., is to have a new high school to cost \$200,000, as a gift from E. L. McClain, a prosperous resident. Movable tables and chairs instead of the conventional fixed desks are used in the Washington Irving High school, New York City. A student board of health has been organized at Columbia university to improve eating houses and restaurants near the university. Just to prove that their manual training is of the practical sort, the boys in the Nesquehoning (Pa.) public schools have created a domestic science building. Industrial and mercantile education in Lyon, France, is highly developed, especially in local industries, such as the silk trade. Instruction is given, where practicable, by men actually engaged in the vocations taught. The schools are supported by subsidies from the government.

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Key to the Situation—See Advertising. SUFFRAGISTS ASK THAT PETITIONS BE TURNED IN

A meeting of the Omaha suffragists will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the city hall, for the purpose of calling in all outstanding lists of petition signatures. The leaders have urged their lieutenants to insist upon all workers getting in the needed names at the coming assembly.



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