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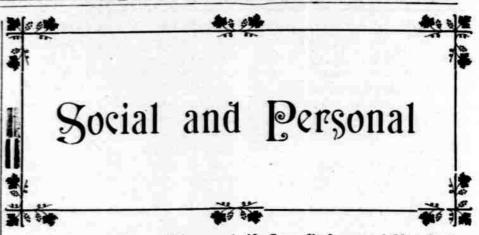
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of the north and of the south, occurred and Mrs. Richards. Tuesday evening in the Gand hotel. The three literary societies of the university, the Union, Palladian and Delian, joined forces and made the ante-holiday reception a joint one. The office, and dining rooms and even the upstairs parlors were thronged with members and friends of the societies. Chancellor and Mrs. MacLean attended, as did Professors Fossler, Caldwell, H. H. Wilson and their wives. The dining room was charmingly decorated with bunting in colors of the societies and university. One corner of the dining room was draped in society colors and here dainty representatives of the societies refreshed all comers with pineapple ice. The chandelier was festooned with mistletoe and from it to each corner of the room were immense ribbons of bunting in university colors. Sprigs of the mistletoe were bravely picked by some of the adventurous cnes. Hagenow's orchestra started the evening with appropriate music. The guests arrived early and soon the young ladies were asked to ers behind the triple alliance throne.

Friday evening Dec. 16, the Pershing Rifles enjoyed their fifth annual hop at the Lincoln hotel. It was a brilliant af fair, the military uniforms and accouterments. blended with the lovely gowns of the ladies making a scene rarely beheld in Lincoln. Arms were stacked in Sherman, Abbott, Libeman, Morrison, Rehlaender, Louis and Fritz Korsmeyer, Clark, Reed, Richards, Hayes, Garoutte, invited guests were Chancellor and Mrs. present were: Misses Holbrook, Clara

A barbarian reception which seemed MacLean, Professor and Mrs. Barbour. to be a veritable influx of all the peoples Professor and Mrs. Taylor, Professor

> Tuesday evening the ladies of the Pythian sisterhood entertained their friends royally at the Pythian hall. The time was occupied with cards in progressive high five. Long and valiantly did Knight and dame do battle over the engaging tables. When the end of the friendly pasteboard tourney was announced, scores were counted and the royal prizes were awarded amid considerable shivering on the part of those who thought perhaps they had not been too successful in the gathering in of scores. Mrs. Will Lawlor was awarded the ladies' royal prize, while the corresponding prize for the gentlemen went to Dr. Grimes. The ladies' booby prize fell to the ownership of Mrs. W. Hamilton and the gentleman's booby was given to J. C. Johnson. Consolation for all those present was found in light refresh. ments after the hilarity and wit concerning the prizes had sufficiently sub-

The annual banquet of the Sigma select partners for a conversational Alpha Epsilon fraternity was held last march. When couples were formed Saturday evening at the chapter house Professor Fossler led off and an immense 2525 N street. Willard Clapp was toast following was coon in line. While walk- master and sat at head of tables beautiing subjects for conversation were given. fully decorated and bountifully supplied The gentlemen would all advance one with good things to eat. In a few words pace and with a new partner begin a he called upon some of the members for new subject. When the march was responses to toasts and the banquet was done the crowd diffused itself through- made a joyous occasion. The toasts out the hotel and began playing with the were: "Our Law Alumni," Meilenz; various games provided. But little "My Last Speech," Guy Cowgill; "Our dancing was indulged in. At a late Alumni," Edmiston; "Did I Miss Old S. hour the young people left, after ex A. E?" Green; "How it feels to be a periencing one of the best university Senior," Bartlett; "Needs of Lambda Pi," functions given so far this year, a thing Selden; "How can a Freshman Walk which reflects much credit on the pow- Straight?" Killian; "How I Became a Wizard," Holben; "S. A. E. Girls," Davidson; "The Emblem of S. A. E.," Harmon; "The Worst Boy in the Frat," Dunroy. Besides the active members of the frat Haney and Morrill of Omaha were present.

Mr. Edward Maggi left on Thursday noon for Albion, Nebr., where on next the ordinary and the clank and rattle of Wednesday he will be united in marswords in the dance was a pleasing riage to Miss Winnie Gates of that sound. Miss Willoughby's orchestra town. Miss Gates is well known in Linfurnished the music for the occasion. coin, having studied here in the music Those who enjoyed the dance under the schools for several years. Her family is chaperonage of Prof. and Mrs. Richards one of the wealthiest in the neighborwere: Messrs Weeks, Ricketts, Schick, hood of Albion. Mr. Maggi came to Teeters, Selden, Bartlett, Davidson, Lincoln but a brief year ago from Bos-Harmon, Pancoast, Van Vafin, Franch, ton, but during that time his dramatic Mudge, Hastie, Kisser, Swartz, Humph- ability as instructor in the Nebraska rey, Henry, Orlo Brown, Sam Brown, college of oratory has won him a host of Brackett, Whipple, Kind, Atwood, Mat- friends whose best wishes follow him as sen, Clements, Irwin, Dales, Tukey, C. he goes to win his bride. The occasion B. McCreary, Sumner, Mansfelde, Lau, will be a gay affair as evidenced by the number and recipients of the invitations.

Boys of the Kappa Sigma classicism Lehmer, Shedd, Raymond, Turpin, Cle gave up their charming rooms to their land, Crandal, Adams, J. Sumner, Steb- friends Tuesday night and treated them bins; Misses Hammond, Vancil, Tukey, to a dancing party. The Kappas have Richards, Risser, Ward, Parks, Chilcott, just fitted up their rooms in a most Cleveland, Henry, Macomber, Stratton, weird and original style. There are Ricketts, Douglas, Schwartz, Andrews, mystrial green and unnamable colored Hargreaves, Wilson, Cole, Lasch, Lau, lights hung high in comfortable alcoves, Weich, Outcalt, Tukey, Guile, Hayes, where rest from the dance follows occu-Woodward, Jaynes, Jackson, Garten, pancy, The affair was attended with Prentiss, Thomas, Ellen and Frances the best things dear to youthful hearts. Gere, Watkies, Holbrook, Winger, Cun- Mrs. Manning chaperoned the young ningham, Woods, Harper, Douglas, Jes- people who broke with the Kappas the sie and Jane Macfarland, Cochran. The social bread. Prominent among those