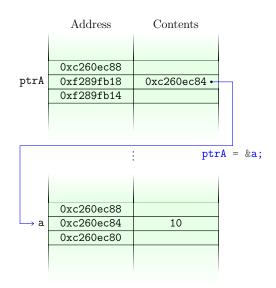
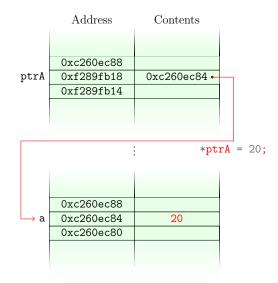
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	Address	Contents
ptrA	0xc260ec88	
	0xf289fb18	NULL
	0xf289fb14	
		: •
a	0xc260ec88	
	0xc260ec84	10
	0xc260ec80	



- (a) After the first two lines memory has been dedicated for the variable a and the pointer variable ptrA and their values have been initialized.
- (b) Making ptrA point to the variable a's memory location. The value stored in the variable ptrA is a memory address.



(c) Dereferencing  ${\tt ptrA}$  and assigning a value changes the value stored at what it points to.

Figure 0.1: Pointer Operations. Pointers can be made to point to other variable's memory locations. You can manipulate/access values of variables via their pointers using dereferencing.