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RECALL INVITATION TO BISHOP M'CONNELL

UNIVERSITY NOT TO HAVE PROPOSED RELIGIOUS MEETINGS

No Desire to Conflict with the Revival Planned by the City Churches

Glenn Everts, president of the University Y. M. C. A., has written Bishop F. J. McConnell, canceling the engagement he made to conduct a series of religious awakening meetings at the university in April. The invitation to Bishop McConnell has been withdrawn because of the feeling among the Lincoln pastors that the student body should support, in every way possible, the series of revival meetings that are to be conducted in Lincoln for six weeks by Revivalist Lincoln McConnell.

The question of whether or not to hold the Bishop McConnell meetings has been agitating the cabinets of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. for several weeks. The university meetings were scheduled first, and there was a feeling among many of the students that Bishop McConnell was too valuable a man to lose for the university. At the same time it was desired to avoid any procedure that would embarrass the Lincoln pastors in their revival, or in any way detract from the success of their meetings.

So the invitation to Bishop McConnell has been withdrawn. The university Christian associations will devote all of their energies to helping make the city revival successful, and in encouraging students to attend the city religious meetings.

TICKETS GO FAST FOR ST. PATRICK DAY PLAYS

The choice seats are fast being reserved for the St. Patrick's night entertainment in the Temple. The members of the Catholic Students' club are all working to make their first attempt to give a public entertainment a grand success, and from the present indications, their hopes will be fulfilled. The cast and the orchestra deserve a large house, and the fact that the admission is below normal is no reflection upon the quality of the production. The tickets and the reservations may be made at the College Book store.

Miss Neff Saves Bow-Wow From Dreadful Dope Habit

The brave rescue of "Sonny Phys. Ed." from a life of a dope fiend at 9 o'clock yesterday morning by Miss Ora Neff, '17, was the sequel to yesterday morning's story in a local city paper, which disclosed the fact that "Sonny" had been "dognaped" two weeks ago and was a captive in the pharmacy department dog jail, where he was used in experiments of the effects of certain drugs.

The rescue was a speedy one. At 8:45 o'clock, Miss Marie Clark, assistant in physical education, read the article in the paper. At 8:48 o'clock, a hurried conference with Miss Gittings resulted in Miss Ora Neff, a student of physical education, speeding, at ten minutes to nine, toward the drug mixer's jail.

BABSON, CORNHUSKER MANAGER, LEAVES SCHOOL

Paul Babson, of Seward, junior in the Arts and Science college, and business manager of the 1916 Cornhusker, has withdrawn from the university. Babson's departure was made necessary by the death of a close relative, and the necessity for his taking the relative's place in business at Seward.

Babson's leaving school will not materially alter the plans of the Cornhusker staff, as he had completed much of the work of the business department, and will still be able to handle the remainder.

TO TEAR OUT WORK ON BESSEY BUILDING

CONCRETE LAID LAST FALL IS FROST-BITTEN

Construction Department Gives Orders that New Mortar is to Be Poured

The university construction department has ordered the Jobst Construction company, builders of the Bessey building, to tear out most of the concrete work that was poured in the basement of the building last fall, as a large portion of the mortar froze before it set. This work will be done at once, so that the construction work will not be unduly halted.

No work has been done on the building for several months, as Superintendent Chowins refused to allow any of the cement or concrete to be poured when there was danger of freezing. It was found that that put in last fall, before winter set in, had frosted, and it was ordered torn out at once. The construction department does not think that work will be halted long. The loss will all be on the shoulders of the contractors.

The builders have bought their structural steel for the building, and much of it is on the ground ready to be put in place. The university has ordered the greater part of the interior furnishings, so that work on the inside can commence as soon as the Bessey building is roofed.

Two-thirds of the excavating for the Chemistry building has been finished. Work on it will be pushed rapidly.

NEW TENNIS COURTS FOR SPRING TOURNEY

GUY REED MAKES LONG DELAYED ANNOUNCEMENT

Six Additional Courts When Ground is Cleared—Two Will Be Provided for Co-Eds

New tennis courts for the University of Nebraska are at last a reality. Manager of Athletics Guy Reed says that there will be a number of courts constructed near the present ones as soon as the buildings now standing are cleared away. Two of these courts will be given over to the use of the women of the university.

Last year petitions containing the names of nearly all the student body asking for more tennis facilities were circulated and more courts were promised. Nothing came of the promises, however, and last fall the tennis tournament was played on the same two courts that have served so long.

The Missouri Valley tournament was held at Nebraska last year and on account of lack of facilities, it was necessary to play the games on the Country club grounds. The new courts will almost enable Nebraska to hold its own with any other school in the valley for tennis equipment.

A. T. O. AND ALPHA DELTA PI BOOSTING

But Other Secret Societies Slow to Subscribe for Daily Nebraskan—The Standing

Alpha Tau Omega and Alpha Delta Pi are still in the lead in proportion of subscribers to The Daily Nebraskan, although a number of changes have taken place in the ranking since the list was last published. The Daily Nebraskan staff is offering a Cornhusker to the fraternity and sorority which has the largest percentage of paid-up subscribers May 1, the date the Cornhusker is to be issued. Alpha Tau Omega is barred, as this fraternity was the winner of the first contest among the Greek letter societies to be held by The Nebraskan.

The ranking and percentage of subscribers among the organizations is given below:

Fraternities	Per Cent
Alpha Tau Omega	52
Pi Kappa Phi	33
Silver Lynx	31.9
Bushnell Guild	31.6
Phi Gamma Delta	25
Phi Kappa Psi	25
Acacia	28.7
Beta Theta Pi	16
Delta Upsilon	16
Sigma Nu	15
Kappa Sigma	11.1
Sigma Chi	10.5
Alpha Theta Chi	10
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	9.5
Sigma Phi Epsilon	9.1
Delta Tau Delta	8.6
Farm House	8.3

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CONVOCATION

First university band concert this year. Schubert program. Memorial hall, 11 a. m.

GERMANS HANG FAMOUS PAINTINGS

The German department has purchased reproductions of a number of famous German paintings to be hung in the various classrooms. The department already owns a large number of pictures by German artists, or depicting myths or life of Germany. More will be obtained as soon as possible.

Included in the number just received are a large copy of the equestrian statue of Frederick the Great in Unter den Linden in Berlin, and "Alpen Gluehen," in color. Also "Sabelmensur," picturing a sport indulged in by German students, and "Das Notionaldenkmal auf dem Niederwald."

AK-SAR-BEN STUNT LIST COMPLETED

TWENTY ORGANIZATIONS TO TAKE PART

Mystery Surrounds Nature of the Evening's Different Surprises—Costume Affair

The university Ak-Sar-Ben, to be held in the Temple Saturday night, has absorbed the energy of ten committee workers for two weeks and final arrangements for its success are being completed today. There seems to be no reason why a thousand students should not find a continuous round of amusement among the many novel features that are planned for the evening. The committee has asked that all who find it convenient come garbed in other than ordinary clothes. A worth-while prize will be awarded to the one dressed in the most original costume. In addition to the definite attractions stated below a general statement should be made that the carnival throughout will smack of genuine, old county fair atmosphere.

The program:
Shooting Gallery S. A. E.
Kentucky Mammoth Cave A. T. X.
Ducking A. T. O.
Soothing Spirits Acacia
Magic Wands Palladian-Union
Squawkers, Ticklers, etc. P. K. P.
Roulette Wheel S. P. E.
Your Only Chance D. U.
Roller Skating Rink D. T. D.
Take a Shot G. O. Cast.

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BUILDERS AT STATE FARM ON STRIKE

IRON WORKERS, CARPENTERS AND MASONS QUIT

Iron Workers Claim that Laborers Are Given Their Work—Others on Sympathetic Strike

The iron workers, carpenters and masons at work on the new state farm buildings have gone on a strike, and work on the new structure will be indefinitely delayed. The strike began when the iron workers laid down their tools Monday, declaring that common laborers had been given work that properly belonged to them. The strike of the carpenters and masons is a purely sympathetic one.

John Rippey, assistant superintendent of construction, said yesterday that he did not think the strike would continue long, and he expected the men to take up their tools again by the beginning of next week at the latest.

The laborers had been setting in the reinforcing rods in the dairy husbandry building. The iron workers felt that this was a part of their work and protested. Their protests were not favorably received by the construction office, and the men walked out. The carpenters and masons followed. All men but common laborers at work on the farm buildings are union men.

The dairy husbandry building has reached the level of the roof. As soon as it is roofed, the concrete will be poured for the three floors. The building will be ready for occupancy next September. The horse barn and power plant are practically completed.

GIRLS NOT DISMISSED, MAY BE EXCUSED

Dean Engberg Makes Ruling Regarding Attendance at Vocational Conference Sessions

Dean Engberg has objected to the statement in Monday's Daily Nebraskan that the girl students would be dismissed from classes Tuesday and Wednesday of next week to attend the girls' vocational conference, to be held at that time. This is not strictly true, according to the dean, who states that the fact of the matter is that attendance at the con-

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The Student Should Know—

MISSOURI VALLEY CONFERENCE

The Missouri Valley conference is an organization formed to better the conditions of athletics in the educational institutions of this section of the country. The preliminary consideration of forming a conference took place at Kansas City January 12, 1907, when representatives of the state universities of Iowa, Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska met. The conference agreement was drafted February 15, 1907, by representatives of the state universities of Iowa, Kansas, Missouri and Washington university. Nebraska, Ames, Drake and the Kansas Agricultural college have since been added.

The faculty of each institution has a representative in the conference, who holds office until his successor is selected. The expenses of the delegates are borne by the institutions

represented. The meetings are held semi-annually. The conference has authority over all branches of inter-collegiate athletics. It makes and controls all eligibility rules, the grounds, the games played, the athletic season, the auditing of accounts and any other question which pertains to building up athletic teams or having athletic contests.

The last conference meeting was held in St. Louis March 3. Chancellor Samuel Avery, of Nebraska, is now president of the conference. The 1915 representatives of the body were: Prof. D. W. Morehouse, Drake university; Prof. S. W. Beyer, Iowa state college; Prof. J. O. Hamilton, Kansas Agricultural college; Prof. E. W. Murray, University of Kansas; Prof. W. G. Manly, University of Missouri; Prof. G. C. Barber, University of Nebraska, and Prof. W. E. McCourt, Washington university.