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FLING TO TALK TO MID-WINTER GRADS

"AMERICA AND THE WORLD WAR" COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Fifty-five degrees to Be Conferred by Chancellor Avery—Arts and Science College Has 31

Prof. Fred M. Fling, head of the department of European history, will deliver the address at the annual mid-winter commencement exercises in the Temple theater next Thursday night. His subject will be "America and the World War."

Fifty-five degrees and certificates will be conferred by Chancellor Avery upon the class of graduates, according to the recommendation of the University faculty, made Saturday. The college of arts and sciences as usual has the highest number of graduates. Thirty will receive the degree of bachelor of arts, and one the degree of bachelor of science.

The list of graduates follows:

GRADUATE COLLEGE

Master of Arts

George Gordon Andrews, A. B. 1912, Union college, European history.

Edith Anna Lathrop, A. B. 1913, education.

Clyde Samuel Thomas, A. B. 1914, pharmacology, education.

Alva Wilson, M. D. 1897, Eclectical medical institute; B. Sc. in agriculture 1916; zoology.

Graduate Teachers Diploma Edith Anna Lathrop.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Bachelor of Arts

Ruth Ashby, Agnes Pauline Bartlett, Clarence Ray Bigelow, Elmer Opton Blackstone, Mabel Luella Bridges, Henry Chung, Robert Platt Crawford, Duncan Dillon, Florence Dunn, Ada Laura Elliott, Mary Irene Goodrich, Susan Emelyn Harman, Florence Margaret Jenks, Bernice Celestine Keefe, Darrell Thomas Lane, Clyde Wm. Lehman, Charles Elson Lively, Ralph Merton Marrs, Roland Edison Murphy, Gerhard John Naber, Helen Rodney Peck, Louise Joyce Peck, Marchelle Harnly Power, Ida Kathryn Roberts, Helen Louise Schwab, Gertrude M. Sues, (Continued to Page Three)

NEXT PLAY IS UNCONVENTIONAL

"Man Who Married a Dumb Wife" Captivated Broadway Because It Disregarded Stage Laws

The University Players, in presenting "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife," are said to be one of the first to produce the comedy outside of New York. The play, which will be put on, with another short comedy, "King Reue's Daughter," in the Temple theater Wednesday evening, captivated Broadway by its unconventionality. It was made famous by Grenville Barker, who produced it in utter disregard of all stage conventionalities.

The University Players, who will be one of the numbers on the University Week program again this year, will place a group of University stars in both the comedies. The cast in "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife" will include Cleo Cather-Young, Maurice Clark, Lad Kubik, Lucile Becker, Catherine Pierce, Paul Hagelein, Irwin Clark, J. G. Fowler and Virgil Skipton.

Miss Alice Howell, head of the department, will have the leading part in "King Reue's Daughter." Other stars will be C. Nell Brown, Spray Gardner, DeWitt Foster, Elizabeth Erasm, R. B. Waring, Irwin Clark and Lad Kubik.

FIRE TAKES FOE'S TRANSLATIONS; NO SERIOUS DAMAGE

French translations, a woolen lounging jacket and some other clothing belonging to Glenheim Foe, '20, Red Cloud, were destroyed, when fire, starting from a spark from a chimney, broke through the roof of Foe's room at the city detention home, 746 Rose street, Friday.

Foe and Howard Yost, another university student, also from Red Cloud, who have been assisting in supervision at the home, were in the building when the fire broke out. It was stopped by firemen before gaining headway.

The French translations, Foe thinks, are to be considered the most unfortunate circumstance of the fire.

STUDENT LOAN FUND EXHAUSTED

Fund Established to Help Students Through College Is all in Force—Payments Necessary

The student loan fund, which some fifty students have used to defray their expenses while in the University, is temporarily exhausted, according to Prof. George Chaburn, chairman of the committee in charge of its administration. This means that about \$3,000 is loaned to students and alumni and a little more than \$1,000 is invested in stocks and bonds.

It will now be necessary for some of the students, who have graduated, but whose notes are not yet due, to pay in some money to the fund before members of the present undergraduate body can borrow any more. Students are allowed two years in which to pay back a loan. The demand for the fund is greater now that it has ever been.

The fund was created in 1910 by donations of \$1,000 each from Mr. J. R. Webster, Omaha; Dr. J. A. L. Waddell, Kansas City; and Hon. W. G. Whitmore, Valley. Later a donation of \$500 was added by Mrs. Ida C. Carter of New York City, in memory of her husband, the late A. E. Carter, a graduate of the engineering college. Mr. Webster's donation must be kept invested in approved securities until it has reached a certain specified sum; until that time only one year's interest is available for student loans. Mr. Waddell's and Mr. Whitmore's donations are preferably for engineering students and Mrs. Carter's is absolutely for engineering students. The average loan from the fund is about \$100.

SORENSEN GOES TO WASHINGTON

Called There for Special Meeting of Emergency Peace Federation—May Ask Referendum

C. A. Sorenson, '13, left Saturday for Washington as Nebraska's delegate to the Emergency Peace Federation, which convenes there today for the purpose of aiding action in the present diplomatic crisis.

The league is planning a big demonstration in Washington today, and will probably send a committee to interview the president. Sorenson said that one thing the federation would undoubtedly demand of Congress is that, before war be declared, a referendum be granted the people.

The Emergency Peace Federation was recently organized with Ex-Dean Kirchway of the Columbia law school as president and Miss Lella Secor as secretary. Sorenson received a wire Thursday requesting his presence in Washington. He has been prominently identified with the local wave of the pacifist movement.

"N" CLUB HOLDS FIRST MEETING

Is Formed at Commercial Club Saturday Noon—Its Organization and Purpose

For the promotion of athletics in the University and the state, to secure more respect for the "N," to take care of the entertainment of visiting athletic teams, and to supervise state high school contests in Lincoln, the N club was formed at the Lincoln Commercial club Saturday afternoon.

The club is to be composed of all men who have won their "N" in some major form of Cornhusker athletics. Guy E. Reed, manager of athletics, who won his letter in track, presided at the first meeting. Coach E. J. Stewart, assistant Coach Dick Rutherford, Corey, Shaw, Halligan, Zumwinkel, Dobson, Otouppalik, Norris, Doyle, Drawing, Cameron, Nelson, Riddell, Moser, Rhodes, Overman, and Wilder were at the first meeting.

A committee on constitution and by-laws, headed by Ellsworth Moser, was appointed. It will have a report ready to submit at the next meeting of the organization, next Saturday at 12 o'clock at the Commercial club.

A nominating committee of Zumwinkel, Corey and Doyle was named to submit nominations for the first officers of the club.

The organization will have its social features, and it is planned at the end of each athletic season to hold an initiation for the men who have won their letters for the first time.

ALUMNI HEADS HAVE MEETING

Executive Committee of Alumni Association Decides on Closed Cooperation With University Week

A decision to get in closer touch with the work being done in University Week towns was one of the things decided upon at a meeting of the executive committee of the alumni association at alumni headquarters Saturday afternoon. Routine work was disposed of.

The meeting was remarkable in that not a single member of the committee was absent. Among those who were present were Frank H. Woodland, '00, president, Omaha; James Harvey, '09, York; Leonard Flansburg, '04, Lincoln, and Francis C. Gere, '98, Lincoln.

MEDICS WILL BE TRAINED FOR WAR

Military Medical Work to be a Required Subject in College of Medicine at Omaha

Military medical work will hereafter be one of the required subjects at the college of medicine at Omaha, according to announcement made by Dean I. S. Cutter.

Dr. Cutter attended a meeting of the American Association of Medical colleges at Chicago a few days ago as the Nebraska university representative. The question of war surgery was discussed, and a national movement was started to make this a required subject.

This association adopted a resolution asking the war department to admit into the medical reserve corps without examination all students who graduated from colleges where special medical military courses are taught under the supervision of the government.

Dr. J. M. Banister, a retired officer of the medical reserve, has been giving seniors of the medical college a special military course for the past two months. The medical college students have organized a volunteer medical corps for service in case of war.

GIANT MONOSOUR GIVEN MUSEUM

Prehistoric Reptile from Nebraska's Deep Sea Era, Presented by J. E. Brown of Verdigris

The skull of the first monosour, found in Nebraska, a forty-foot reptile-like creature of a prehistoric age when our state formed part of a great ocean bed, discovered imbedded in shale rock along Verdigris river, Knox county, Nebraska, was placed on exhibition on the first floor of the museum Friday. It is a gift to the society from J. E. Brown of Verdigris.

The jaws of the deep-sea carnivora are almost three feet long with a set of thirty sharp interlocking teeth on either side. With its huge distensible jaw it could easily have swallowed a mere man without using its teeth. Its bony eye sockets once held owl like eyes almost as large as a human head.

The monster lived in the deep sea in the Cretaceous age. Estimates as to the exact date by scientists varies from 18,000,000 to 25,000,000 years ago.

MERCHANTS SHORT COURSE BEGINS THIS AFTERNOON

Today is the first day of the merchants' short course to be given under the joint auspices of the School of Commerce and the Federation of Nebraska Retailers at the Lindell hotel during the first four days of this week.

Following is the program for today: W. C. Crooks, vice president federation presiding.

1:30 P. M. "Present day tendencies in merchandising," Arthur E. Swanson, director of evening courses, Northwestern University school of commerce, Chicago.

3:30 P. M. "Advertising plans for the retailer in the small town," Emerson E. Smith, advertising manager, Spier & Simon, Lincoln. Discussion.

HEARS FROM THE WAR DEPARTMENT

Captain Parker Receives Word From General Thanking Him for Offering Volunteer Regiment

Captain S. M. Parker, commandant of cadets, who, with Prof. J. N. Bridgman, is at the head of the organization of a volunteer regiment of field artillery from University students, alumni, and faculty, received word Saturday from H. P. McCain, adjutant general, thanking him for the offer of service, and assuring him that the regiment would be considered if need should arise for its use.

Enlistment in the regiment is progressing in a way which is satisfying to Captain Parker, he says. Students who would seriously consider serving in the regiment leave their names with him; they do not sign for service and are not bound to any agreement.

The letter from the adjutant general follows: "War Dept., The Adjutant General's Office, Washington, Feb. 7, 1917.

"Captain Samuel M. Parker, Infantry, Lincoln, Nebraska.

"Dear Sir: "I am directed by the secretary of war to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of recent date and to thank you for your generous offer of service. Your communication has been preserved for reference should need arise.

"Respectfully yours, (Signed) "H. P. MCCAIN, "The Adjutant General."

MISS POUND ON NEBRASKA SONGS

Authority on Folk Lore Will Give Results of Special Study of Traditional Songs

Dr. Louise Pound, professor of English literature, will speak on "Traditional Songs in Nebraska," presenting some typical examples, tomorrow morning at Convocation.

Miss Pound has written extensively on this subject. One of her papers was read before the Modern Language association which met a couple of months ago at Chicago, and has evoked favorable comment.

The community theory of the origin of folk song has been successfully attacked by Miss Pound, who believes that individual authors are responsible for this type of poetry.

Harvy Hess, '16, instructor in the department of rhetoric of the University of Colorado, has been seriously ill in the University hospital at Boulder. He is on the road to recovery.

TIGERS TRAMPLE ON HUSKER HOPES

NEBRASKA'S CHANCES FOR VALLEY TITLE GET SEVERE BLOW

Missouri, in First Visit in Years, Takes Both Games From Nebraska Five

Nebraska's hopes for a championship in the Missouri valley race were given almost a fatal setback last Friday and Saturday nights, when the Missouri Tigers, in their first visit to Lincoln in many moons, won both games of the series.

Friday's battle was probably the most thrilling ever staged in the University Armory. The two teams struggled on even terms for forty minutes, the final gunshot showing a tie with 14 points apiece. In the extra five minutes of play Missouri caged two baskets to the Huskers' one, and carried away the bacon.

Captain Fred Williams of Missouri played two of the finest games ever seen on the local floor. Harvey Nelson held him in the first half of the game, but for the rest of the struggle he was easily the peer of all the men on the floor, throwing field goals with the easy abandon that is proof of the skillful artist.

The crowd of rooters that jammed the Armory both nights were with the Huskers to the end, but the absence of cheer leaders made it hard for them to do effective work for their team. Nebraska showed powerful fighting qualities, and in the first game her offense and defense were both good. The second fray showed a weakness that had not been suspected, but which may have been merely a reaction from the night before.

Summary, first game:

Nebraska—16	Missouri—18
Nelson	Williams (C)
Flothow	Vogt
H. Campbell (C)	Campbell
Wertz	Viner
Riddell	Slusher

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LINCOLN JOINS DRAMATIC LEAGUE

University Faculty and Students Take Active Part in Movement for Better Forms of Drama

A Lincoln branch of the National Drama league was organized at the Lincoln Commercial club Saturday afternoon, with many University people taking an active part in the organization. The league, of which Dr. H. B. Lowry was elected president, has for its purpose the awakening of interest in the better forms of the drama in Lincoln, and the bringing to this city of the best examples of dramatic art.

The first organization to come will be the famous Portmanteau players, who will appear here February 21 for afternoon and evening performances of several plays which have been called the best dramatic offerings of the season by the New York critics.

The organization of the Lincoln Drama league followed a luncheon at the Commercial club. Dr. H. B. Alexander was in charge of the organization meeting, and was elected vice president of the Lincoln branch. Prof. Alice Howell, Prof. S. B. Gass, Prof. Louise Pound, Dean L. A. Sherman of the faculty and Maurice Clark, Neil Brown and Leon H. Snyder of the students and alumni were active in the organization.

Miss Howell talked at the Saturday meeting, as did Professor Alexander, Frank P. Zehrung of the Oliver theater, Miss Blanche Garten, Frank H. Woods and C. C. Quiggle.

"Tim" Corey, Ex-Husker Captain Will Leave School This Week

"Tim" Corey, captain of the 1916 Cornhuskers, for three years tackle on the Nebraska eleven, and prominent



also in track athletics, will leave school this week to sell sporting goods in the state of Nebraska for the Ashland Manufacturing company and the Thomas Wilson company of Chicago.

Corey will have Nebraska as his territory for the sale of some of the most widely known brands of sporting and athletic goods in the country. He expects to make Lincoln his headquarters. For the first three months he will devote his time exclusively to Nebraska, after that he may go into other states.

With the departure of Corey Nebraska loses one of her best athletes and one of her most popular students. Corey was known as a leader who always stood for clean play on the football gridiron. He won his letter in track as a weight man, throwing the hammer being his forte, although he is good in the shot put and discus.

Corey came to Nebraska from Green Bay, Wis. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.