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GAVE \$100,000 TO WAR SUFFERERS

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES GENEROUS TO WAR PRISONERS

Western Colleges Gave \$23,000, of Which Nebraska Contributed \$1,245.69—Sacrifices Made

American colleges and universities gave more than \$100,000 to the fund for the relief of prisoners in the war camps of Europe, during the campaign that ended at Christmas time. Western colleges, including Nebraska, were generous, although this school did not come near the mark that the committee and the workers had set.

More than \$23,000 was contributed by Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Nebraska, and smaller schools in this district. Nebraska's contribution was \$1,245.69. Minnesota university gave \$3,342.94. The University of South Dakota gave \$500, Yankton college, \$600, Huron College an equal amount and Jamestown college, \$377.

Williams college gave the largest amount for a single institution, \$8,000. Connecticut Wesleyan contributed \$5,300; Dartmouth, \$4,000; Oberlin, \$3,500; Chicago university, \$3,000; Northwestern, \$2,000.

Sacrifices Made

Sacrifices by fraternities and sororities were numerous. At Ohio State one sorority gave up its formal, and gave the estimated cost, \$200, to the fund. At Nebraska one sorority gave \$100—but will give its formal, too.

The Nebraska campaign was put on after W. H. Tinker, international secretary for the Y. M. C. A., had presented the matter to the students here. A. J. Covert was chairman of the Nebraska University student committee and Prof. F. W. Sanford of the faculty committee.

The money will be used for medicine, food, clothing, magazines, musical instruments and other things to keep the war prisoners, irrespective of nationality, something to keep them happy—the hardest thing to do.

UTAH CAN'T ELECT CAPTAIN

The election of a football captain at Utah has resulted in a tie. On every ballot Kay and Warner each received seven votes. The election of a captain has been deferred until a later date.—Ex.

PHI DELTA CHI GRANTS CHAPTER

Grand Council Meeting Here Votes to Place Chapter at Kansas University

Phi Delta Chi, pharmaceutical fraternity, holding its annual grand council here, granted a chapter to the Pestle club of the University of Kansas at its session yesterday.

The petitioning organization is composed of twenty students in the college of pharmacy at Kansas. Installation will be immediately following the close of the grand council here Wednesday, when the grand officers will go from Lincoln to Lawrence to place the chapter.

Besides the sessions of the council, the fifty-seven delegates and alumni in attendance were entertained at the chapter house, 1426 E, with a stag party with cabaret and dinner.

The program for today includes in addition to the meetings of the council, luncheon at the Commercial club at 12 o'clock this noon and the grand banquet at the Lincoln at 6:30 this evening.

TEA TODAY IN FACULTY HALL FOR MRS. K. W. EDDY

A tea will be given by Dean Mary Graham for Mrs. Katherine Willard Eddy of Kansas City, foreign secretary of Y. W. C. A., visiting the University in connection with the Nebraska to China campaign, this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock in Faculty hall. Mrs. Eddy has a very charming personality. All of the faculty women and the girls are urged to come.

CLASS DEBATE BATTLES AT HAND

FRESHMEN MEET SOPHOMORES WEDNESDAY EVENING

Junior-Senior Debate Thursday—Team Members Working Hard for Victory

The first clash in the inter-class debates comes Wednesday evening when the freshman team meets the sophomores and the second combat will take place when the juniors and seniors meet Thursday evening. The question this year is the question of armed intervention on the part of the United States in Mexico to restore order.

The freshman-sophomore battle promises to be an interesting contest as both teams are evenly matched. They are composed of men who have had no experience in University debating but the members of both teams have had considerable experience in high school debating.

The sophomore team will be composed of Frank Barnett, McCook; Cecil C. Strimple, Omaha, and E. G. Perley, Omaha. Barnett and Perley have been successful in high school debating while Strimple was a representative of Baker academy for two years.

The Freshman Team

The freshman team has also three men who have been prominent in high school forensics. Harold Landeryou of Omaha represented that city for two years; Miles Hildreth debated one year in Lincoln high and Seymour Smith has been active in debating at Bellevue academy.

Things are more quiet in the upper class circles but several of the militarists and pacifists appear in the personnel of the teams and there will no doubt be an interesting contest when the time arrives. The junior class will be represented by V. Lundmark, Earl C. Jeffrey and Henry Pascale. The seniors who will defend the honor of their class, are Walter Raecke, Walter Hixenbaugh and Raymond Parry.

The judges have not been secured yet but several of the faculty members are in danger of being drafted for this task.

UNUSUAL INTEREST IN EXHIBITION

Sixty-seven Attend Sunday Afternoon Exhibition of Original Charcoals

Sixty-seven people attended the exhibition of original illustrations in the art gallery Sunday afternoon, the largest number present on a similar occasion for some time. The unusual attendance is considered to be an indication of the unusual interest which is being shown in this particular exhibit, which is the only one of its kind that has been at the art gallery this year.

Local art enthusiasts declare that it represents some of the best work which has been done in the last twenty-five years. Special interest has been manifested in the one of the nun kneeling at the shrine of the medieval cathedral.

ARRANGES WORK FOR TRAINING CORPS

Military Department Taking Over New System for Reserve—In Force by June

By the close of this semester the department of military science will be arranged to work under the provisions of the act creating the reserve officers' training corps, according to Captain S. M. Parker, commandant.

The new regulations provide that all first and second year men, except students taking law, dentistry and pharmacy, will be required to attend three hours of training per week in order that they may graduate. Such students are to receive from the government the full uniform.

Those students who have completed the two years of required drill may, with the sanction of the chancellor and the commandant, be selected as non-commissioned officers. Those who are selected for non-commissioned officers are required five hours per week in the training and are required to attend two summer training camps of one month each. The men who attend these camps are to receive free from the government their full amount of transportation, rations and a uniform.

Those third-year men who agree to attend the two summer training camps, and to continue the training during their third and fourth years receive the full government uniform and commutation for rations, amounting to about \$9 per month. All first and second year men who attend these training camps during their first two years are given credit for this attendance and in their third and fourth years receive the uniform and pay without having to attend the camps.

All of those men who have success-

OUTDOOR DRILL RESUMED MARCH 12

If Weather Permits, Hikes and Sham Battles Will Replace the Theoretical Work

Announcement was made Monday that outdoor drill for the University cadet regiment will be resumed March 12, weather permitting. Outdoor drill was suspended for the winter about Thanksgiving. Since then, the cadets have been studying tactics, special infantry problems, shooting at the indoor range, or doing other indoor work.

Captain Samuel M. Parker, commandant of cadets, has called upon all cadets to have uniforms ready for the opening of outdoor work.

Although the indoor classes are less strenuous than the outdoor drilling, the cadets generally will be glad to break the monotony of theoretical work.

The commandant has announced that there will be no classes in the department of military science on Thursday of this week, the birthday of George Washington, following a custom of long standing.

DR. STIEGLITZ IS NEXT AT SIGMA XI

Noted Authority on Organic Chemistry Will Give Address Just Before Spring Recess

Dr. Stieglitz, head of the department of chemistry of the University of Chicago, has been secured to address Sigma Xi, honorary scientific fraternity, at their meeting preceding spring vacation, on his experimental work in chemistry.

Dr. Stieglitz is a noted authority on organic chemistry and will be an interesting number on the list of notable lecturers who have appeared before the society.

TOURNEY REACHES BIG PROPORTIONS

High School Basketball Event Breaks Its Own Record—148 Inquiries Received so Far

With 148 prospective entries, the 1917 interscholastic basketball tournament held under the University athletic department, starting March 7, will be the largest thing of its kind ever attempted.

Previous Nebraska interscholastic tournaments have set a record in athletic circles, but this year's tourney promises to tax the resources of the authorities who have learned in the past to stage this unique athletic event. Allowing 20 per cent of the inquiries to be resultless, that will leave some 120 teams remaining in the race. Last year there were ninety.

Beginning five years ago, the tournament has grown from an entry list of eighteen to its present size, requiring additional preparations each year. Last year it was necessary to use the city auditorium for the semi-finals and finals and it is probable that it will have to be used all the time this year to handle the increased number of games.

fully completed the four years of training are then eligible for commissions in the officers' reserve corps with the rank of second lieutenant. If the student at this time elects to become a member of the corps, the regulations require that he take a six months' course of training with the regular army as a temporary second lieutenant with pay of \$100 per month, somewhat less than the pay of the regular second lieutenants. Having had this six months' training with the regular army, the student becomes a reserve officer in the regular army for a period of five years.

MUST SELL 2,000 1917 CORNHUSKERS

H. C. L. Makes Bigger Output Necessary—Books Must Be Ordered in Advance

It will be necessary for the Cornhusker staff to sell more Cornhuskers this year than ever before because of the increased cost of the book due to the high prices of paper, book-binding and copper for the cuts.

The staff plans to sell at least 2,000 books, which is 400 more than was sold last year. Manager DeWitt Foster announced yesterday that no books can be obtained except those ordered at the advance sale.

The student life section will be one of the biggest sections of this kind that has been shown in previous Cornhuskers. Ralph Sturm, Vivienne Holland and Harry Gayer are in charge of this department. Any contributions from the students for this section will be greatly appreciated. The staff feels that each student should take an interest in this department of the book and should co-operate with them in making it a big success.

HERBARIUM MOVED TO BESSEY BUILDING

After Six Years in Crowded Basement, Will Be Placed in Special Quarters

The herbarium of the department of botany, consisting of a collection of 250,000 dried plants, after laying six years in the crowded basement workshop of the Museum, was removed Saturday to the new Bessey building.

The herbarium is made up of two collections. Thirty thousand specimens are Nebraska plant forms belonging to the botanical survey. The other 220,000 come from all climates and countries and constitute the University herbarium.

The specimens will soon be taken

REV. HOLMES SPEAKS BEFORE OPEN FORUM THIS EVENING AT 8

Rev. John Haynes Holmes, who speaks at Convocation this morning, will talk on "The Challenge of Industrial Democracy" at a meeting under the auspices of the Lincoln Open Forum at All Souls church, Twelfth and H streets, this evening at 8 o'clock.

The regular Sunday evening meeting of the Lincoln Open Forum will not be held this week.

BEGIN NEBRASKA TO CHINA CAMPAIGN

Start This Morning to Raise \$1,500 to Support Miss Coppock, '05, in Her Field

The "Take Nebraska to China" campaign begins today. Assisted by Mrs. Katherine Willard Eddy, who arrives some time this morning from Kansas City, and Miss Adelia Dodge, of Minneapolis, who came yesterday, the University Y. W. C. A. expects to raise \$1,500 this week.

A committee of fifty girls with Florence Wirt as chairman, is planning the campaign. The large committee is divided into ten smaller groups, whose leaders are Doris Scroggin, '17, Kate Helzer, '18, Ura Ellison, '17, Carrie Moodie, '18, Ruth Sheldon, '18, Edla Collins, '18, Helma Lauffman, '19, Frances Ballard, '19 and Lucile Wilcox, '17.

At 5:00 o'clock this afternoon Mrs. Eddy will speak at Vespers on "Is It Nothing to You?" Mrs. Eddy was formerly dean of the Baptist training school at St. Louis, and is now connected with the foreign department of the national Y. W. C. A. She is well acquainted with the needs of China. Florence Wirt will preside at Vespers this afternoon and Eliza Gamble will sing.

The mass meeting for all girls, conducted by Mrs. Eddy, will be held in the Y. W. C. A. rooms tomorrow evening at 7:00 o'clock instead of at 7:15 so that girls who wish to see the plays given by the Portmanteau Players will be able to attend. The meeting will close promptly at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Samuel Avery will entertain Mrs. Eddy while she is in Lincoln. This afternoon from 3:00 to 5:00 Miss Graham will give a tea for Mrs. Eddy in Faculty hall.

CONVOCAION

Rev. John Haynes Holmes, of the Church of the Messiah, New York city, will speak at Convocation this morning at 11 o'clock in Memorial hall, on "The International Mind."

A distinguished speaker and a noted thinker, Mr. Holmes and his work are nationally known. He is president of the American free religious association of which Ralph Waldo Emerson was one of the founders, and is the author of "New Wars for Old," a book which has gone through several editions.

NOTED GEOLOGIST SPEAKS TO SIGMA XI

Dr. Henry Mace Payne on "Mining Gold From Frozen Gravel," Last Night

Dr. Henry Mace Payne, a noted mining engineer of New York city, spoke to the Sigma Xi last night on "Mining Gold from the Frozen Gravels of Siberia."

Dr. Payne has spent a number of years in the mining fields of Siberia and Alaska. He also addressed the geology students in the morning on the same subject.

from the old wooden filing boxes in which they are now kept and will be placed in the permanent steel cases specially constructed for them in Bessey hall.

CANDIDATES UP FOR SELECTION TODAY

Five Positions to Be Decided in Annual Second Semester Elections—Closes Exciting Campaign

Senior Ballot

President—Ladislav Kubik, Marguerite Kauffman, Ivy Day Orator—E. Everett Carr, Charles M. Frey.

Junior Ballot

President—Ralph E. Anderson, Fred T. Cotter, Carlisle L. Jones, Max A. Miller, Merl C. Townsend.

Editor-in-Chief Cornhusker—Wayne L. Townsend.

Sophomore Ballot

President—Will T. Johnson, Fay H. Pollock.

Junior Managing Editor Cornhusker—Robert S. Wenger, Roy Bedford.

Business Manager Cornhusker—Charles Edw. Peterson.

Freshman Ballot

President—Henry M. Dally.

Beginning at 9 o'clock this morning, and continuing until 12 noon, and from 2 o'clock until 5 this afternoon, the student body of the University will vote at the city and farm campuses in the annual second semester election.

Polls will open today from 9 until 12, instead of until 11 as previously announced. Voting at the farm campus will be limited to those who registered there as wishing to vote on that campus rather than making a trip down town. The polls have been placed in Dean Burnett's office. The city campus polls are as usual in the Armory.

Yesterday and last night saw the last long inspection of the various political machines before they were taken out to the track, and it also found lone candidates in the field for the positions of freshman president, business manager of the Cornhusker and editor-in-chief of the Cornhusker.

Interest in the fight for the presidency in the three remaining classes, the sophomore, junior and senior, reached a high pitch last night, especially in the junior class, where the unusual situation of five candidates was found.

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FIRST COMMITTEE OF COUNSEL MEETS

Holcombe Returns From Chicago Where Y. M. C. A. Men Discuss Religion in Colleges

Steele Holcombe, '17, president of the Y. M. C. A., returned last night from Chicago, where he met with nineteen other Y. M. C. A. representatives and members of college faculties in the first committee of counsel, called together by the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. to discuss the relative religious conditions in American colleges.

The aim of the committee of counsel was to gain the point of view of the general student public of the country, and the action taken by the committee was that of an advisory body. Ten of the men present at the meeting of the committee were student secretaries and nine of them were professors. The following universities were represented: Yale, Harvard, California, Oregon, Vanderbilt, Ohio State, Wisconsin, Texas, Georgia, Virginia, Mississippi and Nebraska.