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## ENTIRE STUDENT BODY CELEBRATES AT VARSITY BANQUET AND HUSKER PARTY

Authorities Pleased with Spirit Over 500 Co-Eds Attended of Men at New Banquet Fun-Fest at Armory

## MAY BECOME TRADITION COSTUMES ARE FEATURE

Rev. L. D. Young Principal Speaker— Sororities and Literary Societies Skits and Take-Offs Furnish Present Original Skits—Nebraska Other Entertainment Troupes Syracuse 1000 to 0

Two hundred University men gathered in the banquet room of the Y. M. C. A. Friday night for the first Varsity banquet. The same Nebraska spirit was in evidence that is always present when true Cornhuskers gather to honor a victorious team but, unlike that of the former Cornhusker banquets, evidenced itself in hearty applause at good work of the University and the fullest enjoyment of the take-offs on campus luminaries instead of in rowdiness.

Authorities agree that Nebraska men have shown themselves deserving of commendation for the manner in which the whole of the program was conducted and there seems to be no doubt but that the varsity banquet will come to be an established tradition at the University.

### Chancellor Avery Presides

Following the banquet Chancellor Avery, who was the presiding officer, told something of the history of the celebration banquets and described their rise and fall. He then called upon E. M. Pollard, president of the alumni association. Mr. Pollard told of the desire of the athletic committee of the association to revive some all-University banquet for the men and of the effort made some time ago to obtain the consent of the University authorities.

Dr. L. D. Young the second speaker spoke on athletics and the war. He likened the fight in the game to the fight at the front and showed that the qualities by which one won in the game were the qualities which would make him winner in the battle. He told of the necessity for one to be always ready to spring surprises on the enemy but to never allow the enemy to spring a surprise on him. University spirit lent itself to the loudest applause when he said that, although he had the best teams of the east play football, he had never in his life seen any better strategy and spirit than that of the Nebraska team during the last few minutes of play in the Thanksgiving day game with Syracuse.

### Dean Engberg Supports

Executive Dean C. C. Engberg, in a short talk, told the men that he had been planning long before the time mentioned by Mr. Pollard, to arrange for some sort of a gathering to take the place of the Cornhusker party. He expressed himself as being well-pleased with the spirit that was shown at the time of the abolishment of the former banquet and said that he was so much pleased with the new spirit and attitude that was being shown toward the new banquet.

## CONFERENCE ADOPTS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Huskies Meet Kansas and "Aggies" Here—Journey to St. Louis and Columbia

Nebraska basketball fans will see but two valley teams play on their home floor this year, according to the schedule adopted at the Missouri Valley conference at Kansas City Friday. The first game will be with Coach Dick Rutherford's team of Washington university at St. Louis. The two home games are with Kansas and the Kansas "Aggies." The second foreign game will be with Missouri university at Columbia.

The schedule is unusually short this year and it is possible that Coach Stewart may be figuring on a number of other games with non-valley teams. No game is scheduled with Drake or with Ames.

Coach Rutherford, former all-star athlete at Nebraska, and now coaching the Washington university team, made the proposal at the Kansas City conference that freshman be allowed to play on Missouri Valley

## Stock Judging Teams Not of Same Personnel

The team which represented the University of Nebraska College of Agriculture at the stock judging contest held at Chicago last week was not of the same personnel as the team which participated in the show at Columbus, O., as was announced in Friday's issue of The Nebraskan. The two teams were trained in entirely different departments of the University, the Chicago contestants having competed in the judging of the merits of meat producing animals, while the men who entered the contest at Columbus, judged dairy cattle. The team that won the recent victory at Chicago received their training in the animal husbandry department.

The only man that has ever competed in the National Dairy Judging contest is W. F. Roberts, who won the highest individual honors in judging Holsteins at the show in Springfield, Mass., last year. At this event Roberts won the \$400 Holstein-Friesian scholarship.

## RED CROSS SENDS CALL TO UNIVERSITY WOMEN

Demand Double Time of Co-Eds for Week

## MUST HAVE BANDAGES

Cablegram From Head Commission at Front Says Dressings are Needed by Millions

All Red Cross chapters have been notified of the pressing need for surgical dressings. Following is the cablegram received from Major Grayson, M. P. Murthy, head of the Red Cross Commission in France: "Red Cross standard surgical dressings in millions must be sent over (to France) with all possible speed." This is a call which should receive the earnest co-operation of every University girl who has expressed the desire to do her "bit."

In order that the desired apportionment be sent from Nebraska, it is necessary that girls who have been attending regularly give double or triple the time to work for the next ten days, and those who have never attended which are many, are urged to help share the responsibility of turning Lincoln's required quota on time.

These dressings must be sent at the earliest possible date as word came that the demand is so great that many hospitals are entirely out of dressings—and that surgeons are obliged to resort to the use of newspapers or other substitutes to care for the wounded.

### Work Begins at Once

Work must begin immediately with double enthusiasm and double the number of workers. The Red Cross work rooms will be open as usual on Monday afternoon and beginning Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, the rooms will be open to workers every

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## PROFESSOR SHIMEK'S ADDRESS

To the Students, Faculty, and General Public:

The declaration by the United States that a state of war exists with Austro-Hungary makes the appearance of Professor Shimek at Convocation next Tuesday exceedingly timely. Professor Shimek's parents were subjects of the emperor of Austria. They were the type of people who meant what they said when they renounced their allegiance and accepted American citizenship. Professor Shimek himself was exchange professor at Prague the year before the war. He has first hand information relating to the intrigues in the Austrian empire that led up to the war. Further than this, he is a brilliant speaker. No patriotic American can hear him without being charmed, thrilled and inspired. I am speaking of Professor Shimek and his address from personal knowledge, having been on the platform with him when he addressed several thousand people at Crete last summer.

S. AVERY.

## UNIVERSITY PLAYING ACTIVE PART IN COUNTRY'S PRESENT WAR PLANS

Fifty Student Officers Here Awaiting Transfer

## COMMISSIONED AT CAMPS

Will Be Sent to Various Concentration Points to Be Assigned to Regular Companies

A large number of Nebraska's student officers, now in the service of the United States have been visiting their friends here during the past week, while on furlough from the different training camps. A number are from the second officers' training camp that has just ended at Fort Snelling, and others are from camps Dodge, Funston, Deming, and Sheridan. At this time many of the men are being transferred from one camp to the other and are on furloughs of from five days to two weeks.

Fraternity houses of the University have entertained 45 commissioned and non-commissioned officers of the United States army within the past week. The houses have been turned over to the soldiers, and they have been welcomed to enjoy the hospitality of the members as long as they may be on leave of absence.

### The List of Officers

Captain Harold Corey and First Lieutenant Ronald Wachter, both of Fort Snelling, and Victor Jouvenaut, who has just recently returned from the ambulance service in France, have been at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house during the past week. Second Lieutenant Albert Bryson, '17, First Lieutenant C. G. Perry, First Lieutenant Henry Knutzen, '17, First Lieutenant W. B. McDonald, Second Lieutenant Leland Champ, ex-'19, and First Lieutenant William Hamilton, have been at the Phi Gamma Delta house.

Captain Silas M. Bryan, '15, Captain E. M. Kline, '13, First Lieutenant George E. Grimes, and Second Lieutenant Paul Temple, all of Fort Snelling are now at the Phi Kappa Psi house. Second Lieutenant Henry Hathaway, First Lieutenant Dick Russel, First Lieutenant Lewis Weaver, and Sergeant Rudolph Fuchs are stopping at the Delta Upsilon fraternity house. First Lieutenant George Gilligan, First Lieutenant A. M. Thurber, First Lieutenant O. A. Ralston, Second Lieutenant E. W. Moeht, and Second Lieutenant Calvin Webster have been at the Phi Delta Theta house recently.

First Lieutenant Roy Imbody, First Lieutenant Joseph Wishert, Second Lieutenant Henry Thieson, and Second Lieutenant Fred Delano, are guests at the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity house. Lieutenant John O'Brien, Lieutenant Verne Austin, and Lieutenant Loren Caley have been visiting the Alpha Theta Chi house. Second Lieutenant Glenn Ross, First Lieutenant C. W. Helzer, and Second Lieutenant Worth Minick, are guests of Delta Tau Delta. Lieutenants Lloyd D. Walter, C. E. Paul and C. Neil Brown have been guests at the Acacia house during the past week. Sergeant Edward Morehead, and Lieutenant Clifton Monahan, have been at the Beta Theta Pi house.

First Lieutenant E. F. Reed and Second Lieutenant B. F. Merriam are at the Bushnell Guild house, Captain Archer Burnham, at the Sigma Chi house, Captain C. J. Frankforter at the Alpha Tau Omega house, and Lieutenants Irvin Clark and H. F. Brown at the Alpha Sigma Phi house.

## John C. Pickett, '19, Enters War Service

John C. Pickett, president of the freshman law class and a junior in the University, has withdrawn from school and enlisted in the service. Pickett has been active especially in athletics and was a varsity basketball man last year. He was also on the varsity football squad of this season and played in the junior class team that defeated the seniors.

### Convicts Knit Sweaters

College co-eds are not the only ones who are knitting socks and sweaters for soldiers. The convicts of the California state prison are turning out large boxes of these articles daily.

Forty-Nine Men Enter Base Hospital Corps

## BEARS UNIVERSITY'S NAME

Organized Under Direction of Medical College and Will Be School's Only Representative at Front

Forty-nine students passed the examination board of the Nebraska Base Hospital corps Saturday and were enlisted in the reserve corps of hospital number 49. These men may be called within the next 60 days but it is probable that they will not be ordered until next May or June when they will be given a short course in training and then sent abroad.

The corps is organized by W. A. Stokes of the faculty of the medical school at Omaha who is working with the government officials at Washington and will be the only body of men on the firing line which will be truly representative of the school. The quota for the base hospital is 25 doctors, 65 Red Cross graduate nurses and 152 enlisted men.

The fact that all the men enlisting in this branch of the work will be kept together in service appealed strongly to students and the examining office was kept busy all day. The first chance for enlistment was given to students of pharmacology and pre-medics but at the last other students were admitted. Twenty-five were rejected account physical disability. The army examiners for the government were Captain Potts and Lieutenant Greenberg of the medical reserve corps and Lieutenant J. D. Cohen of the aviation corps. Dr. E. W. Rowe and Dr. Geo. W. Covey of Lincoln assisted.

Following is the list of those sworn in and enlisted in the medical reserve corps:

C. S. Wayloo	Carl Webber
Walter Herbert	Jesse P. Brown
George Driver	Leon Kuebler
Louis Harrington	M. V. Johnson
Anton Vasina	Harlow Wetherbee
William Simpson	Paul Talik
Everett Garrison	P. F. Anderson
Thos. Brennan	Laird Potter
Lammert Redelfs	Searl Hrbeck
John W. Redelfs	Alfred Reese
Harold McMullen	Martin Drake
Paul Conner	J. H. Worley
Frank Cove	C. B. Morey
Mike Daley	Christy F. May
George Follings	Julius M. Johnson
Lesley Sauer	Hugo M. Otouppalk
Dan Arendt	G. O. Fuchs
F. R. Dana	W. H. Weftman
James Colton	W. B. Hasselquist
Charles Lesh	Paul Conrad
Philip Burnham	Lee Prouty
Harold Craybill	Martin Lundholm
D. B. Ranton	P. H. Hoffman
Carl Allivquit	H. Fanton
E. Bullock	Oscar B. Anderson

## NOTED LECTURE HERE FOR CONVOCATION

Prof. B. Shimek Famed Scientist, in Prague Shortly Before War's Outbreak

Professor B. Shimek, head of the department of Botany, University of Iowa, will speak of "The Friends of Our Enemy," at 11 o'clock Convocation tomorrow morning in Memorial hall. Professor Shimek is in Lincoln to give the annual Sigma Xi address. He is one of the most prominent Bohemians in America.

Professor Shimek has received mention in Who's Who in America. He was born in Iowa and took bachelor of arts and bachelor of science degrees at the University of Iowa. He taught sciences at the Iowa state academy for a number of years. From 1888 to 1890 he was instructor of zoology at the University of Nebraska. In 1913 and 1914 he took work at the University of Prague.

Aside from the training Professor Shimek has had in botany and such sciences, he has taken a course in civil engineering. In 1908 to 1911 he was a special assistant with the (Continued on page four.)