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UNI PLAYERS TO PRESENT BARRIE PLAY

Opening Performance of "Dear Brutus" to Be Staged Tonight at 8:20 in Temple Theater.

MATINEE ON SATURDAY

Production Will Be Given Again on Friday and Saturday—Hawley Has Leading Part.

The opening performance of "Dear Brutus" will be presented tonight at the Temple theatre by the University Players. The curtain will rise promptly at 8:20, and on account of the nature of the play, it will be impossible to seat anyone during the first act. The play will be repeated Friday and Saturday nights with a special matinee Saturday afternoon.

"Dear Brutus," written by Sir James Barrie, won great popularity in London where it was played last season. The theme of the play is the Shakespearean quotation:

"The fault, dear Brutus, lies not in our stars, but in ourselves, that we are underlings."

Such terms as "fantastical," "unlike," and "mystical" have been applied to the play. Other reviews declare that the author has put a splendid moral sermon in his lines.

The story opens at the home of an eccentric old man, Loh, who is entertaining a group of prominent London people on a midsummer eve. Rumor has it that Loh has been seventy years old since the time of Queen Elizabeth, and the villagers commonly agree that his life has been of indefinite length. His guests are impressed by the peculiar atmosphere of the rooms which is accentuated by Matey, the butler, who warns them constantly not to go into the woods although there are no woods to be seen. Suddenly, however, the garden before them is transformed into a mystical wood, and each character is drawn into it by unseen forces. In the woods they are divested of their own personalities, and the remainder of the plot is concerned with the inevitable consequences of such a situation.

L. G. Hawley and Erma McGowan, as Mr. and Mrs. Dearth, carry a large share of the responsibility. Nancy Forsman as Margaret, their daughter has an exceptional part. Those who have seen the rehearsals promise a presentation which lives up to the quality of the play. The cast of characters is as follows:

Mr. Dearth	L. G. Hawley
Mrs. Dearth	Erma McGowan
Mr. Purdie	Richard R. Day
Mrs. Purdie	Fern Hubbard
Mr. Coade	Herbert Yenne
Mrs. Coade	Viola Loochbrook
Lob	Ralph Ireland
Jeanne Trout	Celeste Leech, Dorothy Sprague.
Lady Caroline Lancy	Marguerite Munger.
Margaret	Nancy Forsman

Will Entertain Big and Little Sisters at Dinner Thursday

The Big and Little Sisters will be entertained by the members of the Senior Advisory Board at a dinner Thursday at Ellen Smith hall at 6 o'clock. Tickets may be secured from any member of the Senior Advisory Board or at Ellen Smith hall. The Big and Little Sisters is an organization of freshman girls and the older girls who were their "big sisters" during their first years in school. All girls in the University are invited to attend.

After the dinner, music will be furnished for dancing. The dinner will be prepared by members of the Board.

It is only a question of time until each nation will be trying to dodge responsibility for starting this peace.

A Lenten Thought for Every Day

What I could never be,
What men ignored in me;
This I was worth to God.
—ROBERT BROWNING.

An Appreciation of the Services of Dr. Hall as Regent of the University

By S. AVERY

Almost from the founding of the institution at least one of the Regents has lived in Lincoln. Gere, Morrill, Teeters, Ernst, and Allen are names that will occur to everyone who reviews the University's record. When Regent Allen resigned on November 16, 1914, it seemed most appropriate to the friends of the University that Governor Morehead should select such a well known public man as Dr. Hall to serve as the local member, and to form in a sense the contact between the governing body and the University itself. Accordingly on the 14th of the month the announcement of his appointment was made public and Dr. Hall at once took up the duties of Regent for the unexpired term. Two years later he was elected by a large majority to serve for the full term of six years and would have unquestionably been re-elected had not the constitutional convention failed to provide for the election of a Regent from the First District last November. Thus Dr. Hall's term of services covered approximately eight years and two months.

The period during which he served

as Regent was one of the most strenuous in the University's history. He entered the service of the institution during a time when bitter feeling generated by the campus removal contest still prevailed. His early sessions with the Board occurred during the legislative investigation of 1915 when the governing authorities were roundly abused by certain elements in the state for not spending a sufficient sum of money at the Agricultural College just as they are now under legislative criticism for the proportion now spent in agricultural activities. The confidence reposed in Dr. Hall by the members of the Legislature and the people of the state did much to tide over the crisis of 1915.

The building program inaugurated at this time offered an opportunity for Dr. Hall's discriminating judgment to display itself; and the permanent, pleasing, convenient, yet relatively inexpensive, buildings on the farm and city campus are in a sense a monument to his services in this connection. It is interesting to note that very little criticism has been

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SOPHOMORE PRESIDENT PICKS COMMITTEES

Forest Brown, Newly-Elected Head of Second-year Class, Gives Out List of Appointments.

Forest W. Brown, newly elected sophomore president, yesterday announced the following class committees for the second semester:

Alumni Week.
Montford Kiffin, chairman; Mary Creekpaun, Nellie Patterson, Robert Stevens, Colombe Oberlie, Frank L. Brown, Elmer Gruening, Charles C. Caldwell.

Social.
Kathrine Thornby, chairman; Florence Secoy, Nelliebee Baker.

Men's Athletics.
Junior Hinman, chairman; Monroe Gleason, Jack Issenbuth, Herbert DeWitz.

Ivy Day.
Giles Henkle, chairman; Leroy Abbott, Eddie Steman, Kathleen Rough, Madonna Mathers, Arnon West.

Debate.
Ronald Button, chairman; William Bertwell, Frank Fry.

Finance.
Philip Lewis, chairman; Arthur Latta, Charles F. Adams, George Randolph, James R. Limeburgh, Wendell Brown, Gerald Carpenter.

Girl's Athletics.
Sylvia Cole, chairman; Bettie Loh Soiffert, Dorothy Bishop.

FARMERS FAIR BOARD MEETS TO LAY PLANS

Big Parade Headed by Two Bands to Be First Event of Day.

At the Farmers Fair Board meeting plans for the Farmers Fair at the Ag College were laid.

The parade headed by two bands is to be the first big event of the day. Then comes a wild west show, say members of the committee. The big feature of the day will be a pageant put on by the Home Economics department. In the evening will come the dances and picture show—a "reel" moving picture show. According to plans discussed, a big open air dance will be the feature of the evening.

There will be concessions, a barbecue, and hot coffee and doughnut stands where all can "eat, drink, and be merry." There will also be tea rooms and ice cream parlors for those who prefer lighter delicacies, according to present plans.

Mrs. Sheldon to Lead Discussions

Mrs. A. E. Sheldon, formerly president of the State Federation of Womans Clubs, will lead the next of the series of discussions given at the First Congregational Endeavor. For a number of years she was teacher of English and American literature at Doane College of Crete.

PRATT LECTURES TO GRADUATING SENIORS

Vice-President of Telephone Company Tells of Development of Phone.

Mr. Guy H. Pratt, vice president of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company gave an illustrated lecture on the development of the telephone and the process by which the telephone is made at a meeting held Wednesday at Nebraska hall. The title of the picture which was shown to graduating seniors was "The Telephone Story." Mr. Pratt described the telephone service as being, essentially, different from other types of service. A telephone, he explained, is of no value unless there are many others in use. The Bell Telephone Company has 2400 research engineers constantly at work searching for new processes and means of improving the existing system, said Mr. Pratt. Over 6000 patents are held by this company. The entire equipment of use telephone companies of the United States, consisting of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, is made by one manufacturing concern. The same code is used throughout the United States and entire uniformity of plant, equipment, service, and operation are thus secured. The Bell Telephone Company has 30,000,000 miles of wire throughout its territory, stated Mr. Pratt.

Every year many graduates of the University are taken by the Bell Telephone Company. Mr. Pratt urged any students desiring positions after graduation to see him while he is in Lincoln.

HOLD TRYOUTS FOR CALIFORNIA MEET

Competition for Places on Team Making Trip to Coast to Be Conducted Saturday.

Tryouts for the Cornhusker track team which will make the trip to the coast for the dual meet with the University of California will be held Saturday afternoon on the Lincoln high school cinder track. Tryouts for the Missouri Valley conference championship indoor meet will be conducted at the same time. Beginning Saturday, Scarlet and Cream cinder path artists will work out daily on the cinder path at the Lincoln high school athletic field, due to the tearing up of the Husker track in preparation for the building of the stadium.

Since the Husker team making the trip to the coast will be limited to twenty men, the competition for berths is expected to be unusually keen. There are a large number of men showing up exceptionally well in all the running events, and the race between these athletes will be close. Coach Schulte is being seriously handicapped in his efforts to round the Husker team into condition by the severe weather conditions, which put a stiff damper on outdoor training.

CHOOSE STAFF TO EDIT 1923 TALES OF CORNHUSKERS

Howard Buffett Is Editor and Wilbur Peterson Is Manager of Second Athletic Yearbook.

"N" CLUB IS IN CHARGE

Book Gives Complete Account of University and High School Sports in Nebraska.

Two of the University students who were instrumental in publishing the first volume of the Tales of the Cornhusker, athletic year book of the University of Nebraska, last spring, have been appointed to the staff of the second book which will appear late this spring. The appointments were made by a committee of "N" men of which Director of Athletics, Fred T. Dawson, was the chairman. The complete staff as announced by the committee Wednesday afternoon follows:

Editor, Howard Buffett; Manager, Wilbur C. Peterson; Business Manager, Henry Bassett; Assistant Business Manager, Wray Rominger, and Faculty Adviser, Henry F. Schulte.

The members of the committee which selected the staff were: Coach Dawson, Frank Beiser, chairman; George Smaha, and W. R. Riddlesberger. The Tales of the Cornhusker was published for the first time last spring by Jack Austin, Howard Buffett, and Wilbur C. Peterson. The first book contained forty pages devoted to athletic events of the year and was dedicated to Jack Best, veteran trainer. Roy Wythers and Frank Beiser assisted the above staff of three in the solicitation of advertising, and Coach Schulte was faculty adviser.

The book last year was given free of charge to all men who were candidates for any Varsity or freshman team, or who were engaged in athletics of the University in any way. It was also sent to coaches of all high schools in the state, and to the captains of the high school basketball and track teams. The book this year will be given away in a similar manner and will be sold for a nominal sum to any other student or athletic fan of the University wishing copy.

The 1923 book will be much larger, not only in the number of pages of material but also in the information contained, than the 1922 book, say those who are putting it out. Sections of the book will be devoted to major and minor University athletics, to women's sports at the University, to high school sports, to intramural sports, and a supplementary section in the back of the book will be devoted to personals about the Husker athletes according to present plans.

The high school and intramural sections of the book are to be especially enlarged. Pictures of the high school champions in all sports, and in the separate classes in the basketball tournament together with writeups of the season's activities in those sports will be contained in the high school section. All of the fifteen class champions in the basketball tournament have already signified their desire for space in the athletic year book. Pictures of the state champion girls' basketball team will also be included in the book.

Fraternity and college champions in all the various tournaments will be contained in the athletic review. Last year this section was a popular part of the book and the staff this year expects to give a more complete history of this branch of Husker athletics.

For major and minor sports, pictures of all the Cornhusker teams—football, basketball, track, baseball, wrestling, etc., will be printed in the book. Complete reviews of the season will be published.

The staff has on hand a mass of information about the various sports at the University and has already started work on preparing the book, which is expected to be out the last week of school.

Miss Matie E. Hall of York, Nebraska, University of Nebraska, '13, died at Colorado Springs, Colorado, February 23, after an illness of eight months. The body was brought to York for burial. Miss Hall taught Home Economics in the York schools for five years, and served in the fed-



DR. P. L. HALL.

Former member of the University Board of Regents, who died of apoplexy Wednesday morning.

CORNHUSKER COVER IS OF UNIQUE DESIGN

Was Submitted by Artists of Molloy Company—Yearbook to Go to Press Soon.

The editors of the Cornhusker, according to an announcement made from their office yesterday, have made arrangements with the J. J. Molloy Company, to have the Cornhusker designed by their expert artists. The cover design submitted by the company is more expensive and unique than that of any of the annuals of the University of Nebraska.

It will be produced in materials of the same quality as that used on the publications of all the larger schools of the country, say the editors of "Your Cornhusker." The Badger, the Illio, and the Michiganian are three of the year books which use covers of the type to be used on the Cornhusker this year.

This is one of the many features which will make this year's book stand out as an "Aristocrat of College Year Books," according to the staff of the publication.

Any students who have not purchased their copies of the book may do so by seeing the business manager in the office of the Cornhusker in the northwest corner of the basement of Administration hall. This should be attended to as early as possible, as the copy is going to press very soon, according to the management.

The honeymoon is over when he begins to remember that he once had a number of delightful men friends.

Ways to Spend Cheap Vacation Are Discussed by Handbook

You all, no doubt, remember the little handbooks that you used to read before you went on your summer vacation. There was one entitled "Three Weeks in the Big Outdoors on \$25." Another was "Places of Interest Near Home" or "Life at Palm Beach on 56 cents Per Day." All these were extremely interesting reading. One could get lots of kick out of the novel ways they mentioned of cheating the bell boys out of their tips. Our only hope is that you never tried to follow one through. Here, however, is a real booklet of advice. It answers the burning question of how one is to spend the coming Spring Vacation. This has been troubling many ever since Christmas and it is time some action be taken.

In the first place, it must be known that every scheme here mentioned can be carried through on \$5 or less. Otherwise, there would be no need of this article. Anyone with more than that amount surely has the world at his feet and needs no advice. At the present writing the vast majority of the readers have signified their intentions of spending the entire vacation resting and studying. This shows a truly wonderful spirit and illustrates the optimism of youth. After the same thing has been attempted for every vacation it would seem it would, in time, be eliminated.

As the schemes of spending the vacation as cheaply as possible, we sug-

DR. LEWIS HALL, FORMER REGENT, DIES SUDDENLY

Was Member of University Board for Eight Years—Succumbs at Home Wednesday.

TERM EXPIRED THIS YEAR

Funeral Services Will Be Held at 2 P. M. Saturday Afternoon at Holy Trinity Church.

The flag on University hall flew at half-mast yesterday in honor of Dr. Philip Lewis Hall, for eight years a member of the Board of Regents, who died of apoplexy at 1:30 Wednesday morning at his home, 1315 C street. He suffered a stroke at 8 o'clock Monday evening, and grew steadily worse until the end came Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday, at Holy Trinity church, Twelfth and J streets.

Dr. Hall was appointed by Governor Morehead in 1914 to fill the unexpired term of Regent Allen of Lincoln. In 1916 he was elected to serve for a full term of six years, becoming, for one period, president of the Board. His service on the Board extended a little over eight years, his term expiring in January of this year.

At the time of his death, Dr. Hall was president of the Central National Bank of Lincoln. He was on duty at the bank Monday, complaining of a slight cold, but was apparently in good health otherwise.

Doctor Hall attended the Omaha high school and in 1883 was graduated from the Rush Medical College. He practiced medicine at Mead and at Milford. After he became president of the bank in Mead in 1907 he held his position until he came to Lincoln to make his home.

He was one of the most influential democrats of the state, and was a close personal friend of W. J. Bryan.

Dr. Hall has also served as secretary of the state banking board, cashier of the Columbia National Bank, president of the Central National, chairman of the democratic state central committee, vice chairman of the democratic national committee, and members of the Nebraska Bankers' Association, and the Nebraska Medical Society.

Commercial Club Will Hold Dance

The members of the University Commercial club will give a subscription dance at Knights of Columbus hall, Friday, March 16. Tickets may be obtained from Kenneth Cozier, Edgar Holenthal, John Robinson, or Norman Cramb.

As our first choice, visiting your roommate. This will not only be cheap and maybe pleasant, but will also quench that desire you have always had to know if he or she were telling you the truth about life in the old home town. You will find out if he or she is really the most popular person there and if "the old man" owned the whole town. You can date his old flame and find out if his taste has improved or maybe a little scandal he had so carefully kept hidden.

If you are of an adventurous frame of mind you can bum to Casper, Wyoming. This trip is a favorite among Nebraska students, and some of them sometimes get as far as Grand Island. It is, however, something to talk about.

In the same category as visiting your roommate, is visiting the home town of some co-ed you have been rushing. We will not suggest this too strongly, however, because too many embryonic romances have been spoiled this way. (If only people wouldn't talk so much.)

The best place to be is home. You can have a big time and completely lord it over the home folks. You can be a king for a week and forget the trials and tribulations you have left behind. Better write today and get things fixed up for a good date with some O let's say high school girl, for the first night you are home. After that, we assure you, there will always be something to do.