

ENGINEERS WEEK STARTS APRIL 21

Begin Preparations for Window Displays for Annual Festival.

MEIER APPOINTS SIX COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Engineers Week, the annual festival and show week of the College of Engineering, will be held this year from April 21 to 26, inclusive. This date was announced yesterday by Judson Meier, general chairman.

Preparations for the exhibits for engineers night and for the window displays in Lincoln business houses will be started immediately. General Chairman Meier has appointed the following chairmen of committees: Convocation, James Marshall; field day, Willard Turnbull; dance, A. F. Burns; banquet, A. L. Hyde; parade, Milburn Bengston; engineers night, Roy Randolph.

A meeting of all committee chairmen will be held at 5 o'clock Tuesday, February 5, in M. A. 105.

Engineers Week is the largest affair staged by the College of Engineering. A convocation is held and a medal is presented by Sigma Tau to the freshman who has proved himself to be the best all around student. The field day is one of the biggest events of the week. Athletic events of all kinds are staged, also races to pick the engineer most proficient with the slide rule and level. On engineers night the laboratories are open to the public and everyone is invited to inspect the college and the work it is doing.

INVITE STUDENTS TO DISCUSSION GROUPS

Y. M. and Y. W. Arrange Open Forum Conferences on Problems of Interest.

The University Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. are sponsoring a six weeks' series of discussion groups on three major world problems. The idea came from the Christmas convention of Student Volunteers at Indianapolis and from the suggestions of interested students.

The meetings will be in the nature of open forum discussions on the chosen topics lead by students. It is planned to have University professors assist in unraveling the problems which will come before the students.

"The Christian Ideal and Racial Relations" will be the first subject. Groups discussing this topic will meet at the following hours: Mondays at 3 o'clock in the Temple conference room, Edith Olds, student leader; Wednesdays at 4 in the Temple, Earl Smith, leader; Thursday noon, luncheon in the Grand hotel, Gertrude Tomson, leader.

The second subject will be "The Christian Ideal and War." The four sections of this group will meet at 11 o'clock on Tuesdays in the Temple conference room under the leadership of Roy Youngman; at noon on Tuesdays at the Grand hotel with Wendell Berge as leader; at 3 p. m. on Tuesdays in the conference room, Josephine Schramek, leader; and at 12:20 p. m. Wednesdays at the Ag hall on the farm campus with Carl Rosenquist leading.

The third subject, "The Christian Ideal and Economic Problems," will be discussed at 7 p. m. on Thursdays in the conference room under the leadership of Norman Cramb.

Students who are interested in any one of the questions can get application blanks to enter one of the discussion groups at the Y. M. C. A. office in the Temple or the Y. W. C. A. office in Ellen Smith hall. The courses start the week of February 3.

Nebraskan Reporters Apply at Office Now

Applications for reporting work on the Daily Nebraskan will be received today in the office in the basement of University hall. Applicants should leave copies of their class schedules, telephone numbers and addresses with the managing editor.

Excuse No Classes for Convocation Febr. 6

No classes will be excused for the convocation February 6 at 11 o'clock at which Prof. Oscar Jaszi of Hungary is to speak, according to an announcement made last night by Executive Dean C. C. Engberg. The announcement in Tuesday's Nebraskan that all classes would be excused for the convocation was incorrect.

ARTS COLLEGE MEN WILL HAVE SMOKER

Centurions Announce Get-together for Students and Faculty Tuesday.

An Arts and Sciences smoker, to which all men students and faculty members are invited, will be held at the University club next Tuesday, February 5. The Centurions, honorary men's organization of the college, is in charge of the smoker and is making all arrangements. This affair will be the first gathering of the men on the college this year, and a large turnout is expected.

Plans for the smoker are rapidly being completed, and the program for the evening will be announced in Fridays Nebraskan. The affair will begin at 7 o'clock and will last until 8 o'clock. A number of good speakers and several clever acts will probably be on the program. An excellent opportunity for all men in the college to get acquainted with each other and with the faculty of the college will be given by the mixer.

Two hundred Arts students attended the annual banquet of the college which was held in May of last year. While the affair next week will not be in the nature of a banquet, the committee in charge announces that light refreshments and smokes will be provided. A nominal admission fee will be charged in order to cover the expenses of the event.

MUST SIGN UP FOR CAMP BY MARCH 1

Cadets Have Month to Register for Fort Snelling Basic Course.

All men who intend to enter the basic camp at Fort Snelling for the period of summer training must turn their names in at the military department before March 1, according to Major Sidney Erickson. Provisions will have to be made at the camp for the number of cadets registering for the work. Consequently it will be necessary for the commandant to know how many are going.

Students who must wait for word from their parents are advised to write home at once. Men in the department are working hard to take a good representation to Fort Snelling this summer. Missouri, in the lead at the camp for several years, is working for the same end, according to word received from the neighbors on the south.

Although the officers state that the principle object in going to camp is to work, men who have spent a summer in training at Fort Snelling add that there is plenty of pleasure and plenty of companionship. One cadet stated enthusiastically after returning from camp last summer, "I made more friends there in six weeks than I made in school in two years."

Cadet officers are urging the men to sign up for the training that can be enjoyed at the expense of the government. Railroad fare, clothing, food, and lodging are provided every man who attends. Practical problems encountered by the officer and the enlisted man are worked out on the field. Opportunity is given for the marksmen to win medals both with rifle and pistol.

73 Students Vote in Bok Plan Referendum

Lack of interest in the Bok peace plan seems to prevail, since the total number of votes cast was only 73. The number in favor of the plan was 66, with 7 against it. The student council gave the ballots to the instructors in the University who distributed them to the students.

SEND QUESTIONNAIRES TO 200 BIG SISTERS

Senior Advisory Board Reminds Girls of Duties to Freshmen.

Of 200 questionnaires sent out by the senior advisory board to big sisters, only twenty-one have been returned. The questionnaires, in the form of reminders, are very important, and the matter of answering and returning them should be attended to at once, according to board members.

Miss Amanda Heppner, dean of women, says that lonesome freshman girls often come into her office for advice, and to learn about their big sisters. The files show that every freshman girl has a big sister, but in many instances the upperclasswomen who have signified their willingness to serve as big sisters to the freshman girls, have not even taken the trouble to phone the girls, according to Dean Heppner.

New girls who entered school this semester are being assigned big sisters.

The questionnaires were sent out in an effort to find how well the big sisters have been performing their duties.

LEAGUE IS SUBJECT OF ESSAY CONTEST

All University Students May Enter Nation-wide Competition.

"Why the United States should join the league of nations," is the subject of an essay contest sponsored by the committee of university and college students of the league of nations non-partisan association. The contest is open to all undergraduates of universities and colleges of the United States. A first prize of \$100 will be given the writer of the best essay; the second prize will be \$75, and third prize \$50.

All manuscripts submitted should be addressed to the office of the League of Nations Non-partisan Association, 15 West 37 Street, New York City. Manuscripts must be received by the office by 12 o'clock, noon, March 1, 1924. Manuscripts received after that time will not be considered. The submission of any manuscript, whether or not it receives an award, shall give to the association full rights to publish all or any part of it in such a manner as it shall choose.

To Have Membership Campaign.

An intensive membership campaign will be staged by the committee of university and college students of the league of nations non-partisan association. The main object of the committee is to form branches of the association in universities and colleges throughout the United States in an effort to unite and organize the supporters of the world court, the league of nations, and American participation in world affairs.

The fee for membership in college and university branches will be one dollar. Fifty cents of this amount will be sent to the national office as a subscription to the League of Nations Herald, the semi-monthly publication of the association. The remaining 50 cents will be kept by the branch for its own expenses.

Factions Will Debate.

Meetings of the college and university branches will be addressed by qualified speakers—either obtained by local branches or through applications to the national office. Debates between the various factions will be staged at the meetings of the local branches and in public.

Literature furnished by the national office will be distributed on the campus of each university and college, and articles will be furnished for publication in the college and university publications, in order to stimulate interest in the association and to aid in its membership campaign.

Straw votes will be taken on the world court and also on the league of nations, to be followed in March, April and May of the same year, in co-operation with the national office, in securing petitions addressed to the national conventions of all parties requesting them to make platform declarations in favor of American membership in the league of nations.

University Studio is Now Fully Equipped for All Kinds of Work

Through the efforts of several prominent persons in the civic educational and political life of Nebraska, the University has recently been equipped with the most complete motion and still picture studio which ranks among the best of any college in the country. Group pictures of organizations may be done at cost and films of Cornhuskerland are being saved in large files in Nebraska hall for future use.

"The campus studio is now in a position to do work of any kind promptly. The photographic department is able to meet the demand of the state and university for titles, for field work and for studio work," stated

Dr. George E. Condra, director of the conservation and survey department of the University.

The campus studio is located just south of the Mechanical Arts hall. Glass sky-lights in the studio admit light for motion pictures and cloth curtains on the south side may be adjusted for still photos. Three Cooper-Hewitt mercury lamps of 2000 watts each, six 15,000 watt bulbs with reflectors—blue in color to meet the requirements for best photographic results, and two powerful arc lights furnish sufficient artificial illumination.

Have Flashlight and Equipment.

There is also flashlight equipment. Three movie cameras are owned by the department. For still work most of the "shooting" is done with an 11x14 studio camera with the best lens available. This camera is able to take group pictures up to 100 persons.

Separate rooms have also been set aside for making lantern slides, enlargements, retouching, tinting, and copy work. The studio is doing most of the work for the Cornhusker and is saving the students considerable money.

A large variety of cameras, both for still and motion work have been secured to meet the demand for any type of outdoor picture work. An airplane camera was recently purchased from the government.

SKITS FOR UNIVERSITY NIGHT COME SLOWLY

Tomorrow Is Deadline for Stunts; Will Start Selection Immediately.

Skits for University Night are being turned in slowly, according to an announcement made yesterday by Welch Pogue, chairman of the committee.

"Organizations should realize that Friday, February 1, is the deadline for these stunts. The committee wants to get them in so that it may read them, select the best one for presentation and hand them back to the organizations for rehearsal," said Pogue.

Immediately following their receipt, the committee will begin this work of reading and selecting, in order that it may be completed soon enough to give the organizations time to fully rehearse their skits. They will probably be returned by February 12, so that there will be ample time for rehearsal before University Night, February 24.

TAKE FIFTY SENIOR PICTURES EACH DAY

Four Hundred Have Had Photographs Made; Publish List for Tomorrow.

About 400 seniors have had their pictures taken for the 1924 Cornhusker. The yearbook staff has called about one-half the list on the phone. At present the seniors are having pictures taken at the rate of fifty a day. Present indications are that about 800 seniors will have their photographs in the senior section of the annual, according to Ernest Zschau, senior editor.

The following seniors are scheduled to have their pictures taken Friday, February 1, at Doles studio. Appointments are to be made at the Cornhusker office either in person or by phone.

Francel Lauritson, Edwin Lay, Nellie Laymon, Luttie Leavitt, C. L. Lee, A. J. Lrissy, Vern Lewellen, John Lewis, Ray Lewis, Ed Ley, Henry Ley, Ray Linderman, Thed Livinghouse, Edwin Loewenstein, Arthur Lof, John Long, Fern Loop, Glen Lorenzen, Keturah Lowe, Irene Lundberg, Hulda Lundquist, Frederick Lungeberg, Robert Lunner, Dan Lynch, Cecil Lyon, Robert McCandless, Helen McCarthy, William McDermot, Louise McGerr, Ross McGlasson, D. McGregor, Margaret McGregor, Erma Madden, John Madden, Erma Laddux, Winifred Main, Leta Markwell, Mildred Marley, Kenneth Martyn, W. Mast, Louise Matchett, Amy Matchett, Amy Matteson, Stanley Matzke, Hubert Maun, Oliver Maxwell, Herbert Mayer, Corwin Mead, Allen Meek, Sophia Melcher, Bryan Metzger, Alwine Meyer, Russel Milham, Ruth Miller, Bruce Mitchell, Charles Mitchell, Clarence Mohr, Al Mooberry, Floyd Moore, Pauline Moore, Gertrude Moran, George Moyer, Ernest Mulligan, Marguerite Munger, Henry Murray, William Meyers, G. Nakagawa, C. N. Nath, Ruth Needham, Nels Nelson, Irene Nelson, Pauline Nelson, Ailene Nester, Martha Newell, Greydon Nichols, Ruth Nickum, G. L. Nimocks, Dave Noble, Hazel Nohaves, Clara Noyes, Mildred Nuerberger, Herbert Oschner, Edith Olds, Robert Olney, Clarence Olson, John Opp, Charles Ortman, Genevieve Ortman, Wayne Packard, Byron Parker, John Parker, Alfred Parks, Mabel Partington, Harry Paul, Ralph Payne.

ALPHA SIGS WIN FAST GAME FRAY

Delts Win Over Omega Beta Pi 9-5; Sigma Chi Beats Alpha Theta Chi.

ACACIAS LOSE 10 TO 11 TO ALPHA SIG TOSSERS

Three fast, hard-fought games were played yesterday afternoon in the interfraternity basketball tournament. The Alpha Sigma Phi team beat the Acacias, the Delta Tau Delta team defeated the Omega Beta Pi quintet, and the Sigma Chi team beat the Alpha Theta Chi.

The last game, which the Alpha Sigs won by an 11 to 10 score, was the fastest and most exciting of the tournament so far. The half ended with the Acacia team in the lead, 6 to 3. In the last frame the Alpha Sigs staged a rally, tied the score, and finally won by making a free throw.

The second round of the tournament will be all played off Saturday, according to Herbert Gish. Four teams making up the first division will play in the morning, while the other four will play in the afternoon.

Play Four Games Today.

The games today are as follows: Xi Psi Phi vs. Lambda Chi Alpha, 4:00; Kappa Sigma vs. Silver Lynx, 4:20; Phi Alpha Delta vs. Pi Kappa Phi, 5:20; Phi Gamma Delta vs. Zeta Beta Tau, 5:40 (original game not considered because of ineligibility of Phi Gam player). No games will be played Friday because of the Creighton-Nebraska game in Omaha.

The Delt team won over Omega Beta Pi in the second game with a score of 9 to 5. This was another exciting game. At one time in the second half it looked as though the losers would tie the score, but another basket put the Delts out of danger.

The Sigma Chi team beat the Alpha Theta Chi to the tune of 9 to 6. The outcome of this game was also very doubtful until the very last of the game. The Alpha Theta Chi team made all but one point in the last half, although they threatened to score several times.

LABOR MOVEMENT IS DISCUSSED IN FORUM

Dr. Alva Taylor Speaks on Its Fundamentals—150 Attend Luncheon.

"Fundamentals of the Labor Movement" was the subject of an address to the World Forum luncheon group by Dr. Alva W. Taylor Wednesday noon. Over 150 students and members of the faculty attended the meeting and many took part in the discussion which followed the speech.

As a preface to his address Dr. Taylor remarked that he was well pleased to find such a large number of forums and discussion clubs in the various universities. Lack of thinking, acceptance of text books and professors' statements without question, and a tendency to regard activities and outside interests as the prime factors in college life, are the tendencies of the age.

The question of the labor movement is vitally interesting just now because of the unprecedented turn of affairs in England, Dr. Taylor remarked in opening his discussion. It is the first time in the world's history that the labor element in a major country has gained the control of the government through the ballot. All other examples were gained by revolution or force.

No Junior-Senior Prom to Be Held This Year

That there will be no junior-senior prom this year was definitely decided by the chairmen and the general committee at a meeting held in the Cornhusker office at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The general committee and the chairmen of the sub-committees voted against the prom because no satisfactory date could be found.

There have been two big formals this year—the military ball and the Pan-Hellenic formal—and it was not thought advisable to run the classes into further debt in order to stage the junior-senior prom.

ACCEPT CHALLENGE TO PISTOL CONTESTS

University Team Will Shoot Against West Point and California College.

A university pistol team will be a new branch of military athletics at Nebraska this year. The military department has accepted two challenges for pistol meets this spring. One of them is with the United States military academy at West Point, and the other is with Pomona college at Fairmont, Cal. The department will also extend a challenge to Missouri for a match this spring.

The meet with West Point will take place in the week ending May 10, and will include a team of fifteen men at both schools. The meet with Pomona will be conducted during the month of April. A five man team will represent Nebraska.

All cadets in the R. O. T. C. who satisfy conference eligibility rules will be eligible for the pistol team. Special emphasis will be given to juniors and seniors in the advanced courses, and sophomores who intend to take advanced course. Captain Eggers will start training work for the pistol team immediately, and any man wishing to try out for the team should see him as soon as possible.

To Have New Range.

A new pistol firing range will be secured by the military department in time for outdoor practice as soon as the weather permits. The present range for rifle shooting is located at Bennett and is not fitted for pistol shooting. The department hopes to get a pistol range within easy reach of the campus.

The course fired in the pistol matches will be the regulation pistol course A, and the firing will be done with 45 calibre automatics. The automatics are all new and in good condition. For practice indoors the men will use the 22 calibre gallery pistols.

The standard pistol course consists of three classes of shooting. The first is at a distance of 25 and 50 yards, at a stationary target and slow time. The second is at 15 and 25 yards rapid fire at a stationary object. The third is quick-firing at a disappearing target which is 25 and 50 yards distant.

Ag Club Chooses Hobb Turner for President

Hobb Turner was elected president of the Ag Club at second semester election held yesterday. It resulted in a tie of three men for the vice presidency. Thomas Koontz, Glen Springfield, and J. Hepperly are running neck and neck for this office. Clyde Walker was elected secretary of the farm fair board. Joseph Culbertson was elected secretary of the club. Carl Rosenquist won the treasurers office.