

## FRAT CAGESTERS END THIRD ROUND

Delta Tau Delta and Phi Alpha  
Delta Victors in Fri-  
day Fray.

### START SEMI-FINALS MONDAY AFTERNOON

The third round of the interfraternity basketball tourney was played on the Armory floor Friday afternoon before an enthusiastic crowd of spectators. Delta Tau Delta and Phi Alpha emerged victorious, leaving four teams still in the running. The semi-finals will be played Monday afternoon.

In the first tilt P. A. D. won a loose but fast game from Kappa Sigma by a 12 to 7 score. The lawyers seemed to have a defense that their opponents could not solve, and also excelled in passing. Norton, a P. A. D., was high point man, making 7 of his teams 12 points, registering 3 goals from the floor. The Kappa Sigs were held to a lone field basket, made in the first half, which ended 6 to 5 in the winners favor.

The second fray, between Delta Tau Delta and Alpha Sigma Phi, was a fast and well played game, featured by the close guarding of both teams and the accurate shooting of the winners.

The game was closely contested during the first half, which ended 11 to 7 in favor of the Deltas. In the second period the Alpha Sigs came back with a strong spurt, which was short lived. At this point in the game Mielenz and Johnson, of the Delta team, went on a scoring spree and put their team in front with a big lead, the game ending 24 to 12.

Olds was high point man for the winners with four field goals to his credit. Mielenz and Holland also played well. Kamm played a strong game for the losers, making 2 field goals and 1 free throw. The Alpha Sigs had eight fouls called on them to the Delta seven.

On the semi-final slate the Delta Tau Delta team is matched with he P. A. D. team for the 4 o'clock game, and Sigma Phi Epsilon and Delta Upsilon are matched for the second game at 4:20.

## Reserve Officers to Mourn Wilson Death

In honor of Woodrow Wilson, members of the Reserve Officers association of the United States, when not in uniform, are requested to wear a small piece of crepe in their buttonholes for thirty days, according to a telegram received yesterday by Prof. C. J. Frankforter of the chemistry department, from Brig. Gen. John Ross Delafield of New York city, national president of the association.

Lieutenant Colonel Frankforter is commander of the local branch and is also first vice president of the state association.

"When in uniform the officers will conform to the mourning order of the war department, that is, a crepe band around the left arm," said Professor Frankforter.

## "Smilin' Through" Proclaimed Apex of Players' Achievements

The University Players have scored many successes in their long list of popular plays given before the public, but the crest of their achievements has been realized in the half-tragic, half-comic "Smilin' Through." The acting was superb; the characters were drawn with a skill that places the performers on a plane with the best of the professionals on the legitimate stage.

Dual roles for those in the stellar parts made the personations doubly difficult, but they were accomplished with a finesse that contributed a further honor to the cast. None of the mock realism that is usually so evident in non-professional productions was manifested in the presentation of "Smilin' Through." All the moods of love, hate and anger, were sketched by the players in a manner that showed diligent study, hard work and an abundance of natural ability.

Llewellyn Hawley, as John Carteret, the uncle of the little Irish girl, displayed great ability in the characterization of the crusty old man. He was at his best in the more

## Silver Serpent Tea Has Good Attendance

More than eighty girls attended the Silver Serpent tea given for junior women in Ellen Emith hall Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The tea was given for the purpose of creating stronger friendships among junior girls. Red hearts and candles carried out the Valentine motive in the decorations. Dancing formed the entertainment.

## UNI NIGHT COMMITTEE ACCEPTS SEVEN SKITS

Rehearsals for Annual Fun-  
fest Program Start  
Monday.

### TICKET SALE THURSDAY

Seven skits have been accepted by the University Night committee and will be presented February 24 at the city auditorium. Several other skits have been returned for revision and will probably be included in the program. Rehearsals will begin this week.

Among the skits accepted were acts by the military department, the glee club, Palladian Literary society, the College of Engineering, and several curtain skits by individuals.

The committee judged skits by their application to campus life and their cleverness. One member stated that the Engineers act is particularly unique because of mechanical appliances included in the stage setting.

All acts are about eleven minutes in length. It is planned to have the show start at 8 o'clock and end about eleven.

Tickets will go on sale Thursday noon at the Temple. The price is 50 cents. Harold Edgerton, business manager, is in charge of the sale.

## GLOSE ARTS SECTION OF YEARBOOK TUESDAY

February 12 Deadline for Res-  
ervations in Arts and  
Science Division.

All organizations wishing space in the Arts and Science college section of the Cornhusker must make their reservations before Tuesday night, according to announcement made Saturday afternoon by Wendell Berge, managing editor. No space can be reserved in this section after that time.

The Arts and Science college, since it is the oldest, comes first in the Administration section of the book and is therefore the first upon which all work must be finished.

Group pictures for this section must be scheduled in the Cornhusker office before Wednesday night. This announcement, says Berge, is absolutely final so far as the Arts and Science section is concerned.

Following is a list of the groups that have so far reserved pages for this section:

Phi Beta Kappa.  
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## CLASS OFFICES MAY GO BEGGING

Only Four Contestants in Race  
Is Announcement of Stu-  
dent Council.

### EIGHT PLACES ARE OPEN TO CANDIDATES

Only four filings for class offices and other elective offices for the second semester have been made so far, according to Clifford Hicks, president of the Student Council, which has charge of the election. Filings must be made by Friday noon, February 15, at the student activities office. The election will be held Tuesday, February 19.

The offices to be filled are: The presidency of the four classes, three members of the student publication board and the Ivy Day orator. In addition, the women of the university in a special referendum will vote for or against the adoption of the point system of regulation of the maximum amount of activities in which one woman may take part.

One member of the publication board will be chosen from each of the upper classes. The members elected at this time take office next year, and will hold their position for the entire year.

The Ivy Day orator is chosen by the senior class, to give the principal address of Ivy Day, following the coronation of the May Queen.

## PAY WILSON TRIBUTE AT VESPERS TUESDAY

Dr. Fling to Honor America's  
War President in Me-  
morial Address.

A memorial service for Woodrow Wilson will be held on Lincoln's birthday, Tuesday, February 12, at the vesper hour at Ellen Smith hall. Dr. F. M. Fling will be the speaker.

The program follows:  
Chopin's Funeral March — Elda Jedlicka, piano, and Mary Creeppaum, cello.  
Hymn—The Day Is Dying in the West.  
Scripture Reading.  
Solo—The Lord Is My Shepherd, Amy Martin.  
Meditation—Prof. Laurence Fossler.

Address—Dr. F. M. Fling, "President Wilson and World Peace."  
Hymn—O Paradise, choir.  
Silent prayer.

Silence will be observed on entering and leaving the building and throughout the services. Emma Beckman will be the leader. Barbara Wiggenghorn and Helen Guthrie will act as hostesses.

## BABSON OFFERS PRIZE FOR ECONOMIC ESSAYS

Statistician Will Give Large  
Sum for Best Price  
Forecasts.

To stimulate the students of American universities to a keener interest in statistical economics and business forecasting, Roger W. Babson, founder and president of the Babson Statistical Organization, is offering prizes amounting to \$1050 for the best essays submitted on "The Forecasting of the Price of Wheat, of Cotton, or of Lumber."

Any graduate or undergraduate student of any university in the United States or Canada may win the first prize of \$650. A second prize of \$400 is open to undergraduate students only. The contest is conducted by the American Economic Association.

Essays should be submitted on or before October 1, 1924, to Ray B. Westerfield, secretary of the American Economics Association, Yale Station, New Haven, Conn. Manuscripts must be typewritten and must not exceed 12,000 words.

Authors should sign their manuscripts with fictitious names. An envelope bearing the author's name and pseudonym is required. No manuscripts will be returned or information given by the Babson organization.

The American Economic Association.  
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## Weather Forecast

Fair weather for Sunday for Lincoln and vicinity but somewhat colder was the prediction of the University weather bureau yesterday afternoon. A light snow fell in the northern states from Idaho to the lake region the latter part of the week.

## ANNOUNCE REDUCTION IN CORNHUSKER PRICE

Increased Subscription List  
and Lower Contract Rates  
Make Rebate Possible.

### YEARBOOK SALES LARGE

A refund of 50 cents on the sale price of the 1924 Cornhusker was announced by the business staff of the yearbook Saturday afternoon. This reduction in price of the annual was made possible by the large subscription and lower rates on the contract work.

This rebate affects all purchasers who have reserved their books or who will have done so by April 1, at which time the order will be placed with the printers. The business office of the Cornhusker is open each afternoon from 1 to 6 o'clock to receive subscriptions.

Sales of the "The Cornhusker of Progress," according to business manager, David G. Richardson, are much larger than in previous years. This accounts for the lowering of the price. The refund will be made at the time the book is issued, to those persons who have paid the full price, those who have made the first payment will be required to pay but \$1.50 instead of \$2.00.

Work as a whole on the yearbook is taking definite shape and everything points to an exceptionally representative annual. Most of the pictures have been taken and many have been sent to the engravers. There are still a few of the groups who have not made their appointments and reservations.

Photographs for societies and clubs can be scheduled with the photographer at the campus studio and the space reservation made with the business manager in the Cornhusker office.

## HOLD ALPHA KAPPA PSI INITIATION SATURDAY

Zeta Chapter of Commercial  
Frat to Induct Fourteen  
into Membership.

Alpha Kappa Psi will hold an initiation Saturday, February 16. The initiation will be followed by a banquet at the Lincoln hotel at 6 o'clock.

Those to be initiated are: Bernard Grippie, Arthur Nelson, Burford Bell, Arthur Eastman, John Comstock, William Teagarsten, Henry Eggert, Rex Reese, Robert Hill, Raymond Larson, Robert Scouler, Marion Woodard, Jack Hunton, Gerald Davis.

Alpha Kappa Psi is a national honorary and professional commercial fraternity. Members are selected according to scholarship and general college activities. Ray Eller is president of Zeta chapter.

## JASZI LECTURES ON GROWTH OF SOCIALISM

Speaker Declares a "United  
States of Central Europe"  
Only Remedy.

Dr. Oscar Jaszi, who spoke at convocation Wednesday, lectured before Dean J. E. LeRossignol's class in socialism Friday morning. The subject of Dr. Jaszi's lecture was "The Development of the Socialistic Movement in Europe."

A solution of the European tangle was outlined by Dr. Jaszi. A United States of Europe, a federation of the smaller countries of the old world was predicted by the speaker. The organization of these states is the one chance for their salvation, Doctor Jaszi believes. The speaker also discussed "Red and White Bolshevism," the terrors of central Europe, and described the bolshevik regime in Hungary.

## HUSKER ATHLETES WIN THREE VALLEY VICTORIES THIS WEEK

Missouri Tigers Receive Worst Trimming in Five Years at  
Hands of Kline Quintet—Washington Pikers Take  
Short End of 32 to 24 Cage Count.

### NEBRASKA'S MATMEN TROUNCE JAYHAWKS 18 TO 5

Kansas Bonecrushers Lose to Visitors in Six of Seven Classes—  
Washington Mermen Smother Tank Team  
With 50 to 18 Count.

## ALUMNI TO OBSERVE HUSKER CHARTER DAY

Radio Program to Be Feature  
of Fifty-fifth Anniversary  
Celebration.

Alumni of the University of Nebraska throughout the world will observe the fifty-fifth "birthday" of the institution on Charter day, February 15, under the direction of the Alumni association.

In many cities in the United States and at various branches in the state, programs will be held to commemorate the founding of the university, to elect officers for the coming year, and transact other business.

The University station will broadcast a program prepared by the Alumni association which includes selections by the University band, addresses by Chancellor Avery, Victor B. Smith, '11, Omaha, president of the Alumni association, greetings from the older members of the faculty, and a review of the 1923 football season.

The feature of the day will be the radio program which is to be broadcast at 8:30 Friday evening of the 15th and is complete as follows:

Selections—University band.  
Selections—University Glee club.  
Address—Victor B. Smith.  
Address—Chancellor S. Avery.  
Telegrams of greeting from alumni clubs.

## LARGE CROWD ATTENDS ANNUAL BIZAD DINNER

Chancellor Avery and Regent  
Bates Are Principal  
Speakers.

The annual "Bizad" college banquet was held Friday night. Two hundred students assembled in the Chamber of Commerce under the auspices of the men's and women's Commercial clubs. Dean G. E. LeRossignol was toastmaster, while Regent William Bates and Chancellor Samuel Avery delivered the main addresses.

Other speeches were made by Joseph Ryons, senior in the college, Merle Loder, president of the men's Commercial club, and Josephine Schrammek, president of the women's Commercial club.

Entertainment for the evening was furnished by the Kandy Kids orchestra. Sam Alstout of the School of Music gave two violin solos.

"Competition has become so keen that the elements that existed in business years ago cannot thrive today," declared Regent Bates in his address on "Business as a Profession." Several years ago a man went into business without knowing the fundamentals of it. A code of ethics has arisen among the business men of today.

"It was only recently that there was a thought of a man or woman preparing for the business world. The present business man is building up a constant clientele. A certain righteousness has come into business," he concluded.

## Thirteen Initiated Into Girls Commercial Club

Thirteen girls were recently initiated into the Girls Commercial club. They are: Anna Yoekel, Minnie Goodwin, Marian d'Allemand, Mildred Garmier, Agnes Anderson, Helen Babb, Nellie Sheffield, Buena Sinclair, Grace Blaisdell, Katherine Krotter, Lois Carl, Gale Hannon, and Florence Irwin.

A short meeting and a dinner followed initiation. There are 100 members of the club.

Husker athletes in the Friday and Saturday contests proclaimed their superiority in the Valley by winning three victories over strong opponents. Kline's cage counters hit the trail for two long counts on foreign floors and Chapp's bonecrushers outclassed the Kansans in the mat meet. The tank team won a first in the Washington meet, Hunton negotiating the fifty yards in 26 4-5 seconds.

The Husker cagesters hung up a second week-end victory Saturday night when they forced the Piker quintet to ake the short end of a 32 to 24 count. A the end of the first half the score was 12 to 10 in the Huskers favor.

The success with which the Huskers found the hoop on their long shots in the second period fairly bewildered the Pikers who were unable to head the lead held by the Huskers at the end of the first period.

Black found the basket in a shooting spree in the final minutes and raised the score from 26-24 to the final count. Goodson was high man for the Huskers with 11 points. Seago, fast Washington forward had six baskets to his credit when the whistle blew.

### Defeat Tigers 31 to 11.

Friday night the Huskers tangled with the Missouri university quintet at Columbia, and after the final whistle had blown the Huskers were credited with a 31 to 11 victory over the Tigers, the worst defeat a Missouri basketball team has suffered in five years.

At the end of the first half the Nebraska aggregation held an 18 to 6 advantage, and after several minutes of play in the second half, during which the Huskers continued to pile up points, Coach Kline substituted his entire second string, this combination finishing the game. Coach Bond of the Tigers also substituted his second team after his varsity failed to score.

Goodson was high point man with four field baskets to his credit, all of which were shots from near the center of the floor. Buchner was high point man for the Missourians, making six of the Tigers' seven points.

### Matmen Defeat Jayhawks.

The Nebraska wrestling team defeated the Kansas University matmen in a dual meet at Lawrence Friday night by an 18 to 5 count. All the bouts were fast, but several of the Jayhawk athletes showed lack of conditioning. Kansas lone counter came as the result of a fall in the heavyweight division, Hill of the Kansas team winning from Hasma of Nebraska in 6 minutes, 59 seconds.

The match between Robertson of Nebraska and Sparrowhawk of Kansas in the 175 pound class was the feature of the meet, each man seeking relief from his opponents holds by crawling off the mat several times.

### Mermen Smothered by Pikers.

Demonstrating a pronounced superiority over the Nebraska team, the Washington University swimmers won from the Husker mermen at St. Louis Friday night, 50 to 18. The Washington swimmers won six firsts to the Huskers two, Scholostein of the Pikers being high point man.

The feature of the meet was the breaking of the Western Intercollegiate record for the 200 yard relay, which the Pikers lowered from 1 minute, 46 3-5 seconds, to 1 minute, 45 1-5 seconds. Several Washington U. records were also broken in the meet.

Frank Hunton of the Husker tank squad placed first in the 50 yard swim, negotiating the distance in 26 4-5 seconds. Campbell, Nebraska, won first in the plunge for distance with a plunge of 59 feet.

The Senior Class is presenting the play "The Book of Job" at the Oregon Agricultural College. The Stuart Walker Players have fortunately consented to play it for them.