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A SUCCESSFUL SEASON.
 Nebraska ended the basketball season in third place in the Missouri Valley conference, with Kansas winning the honors and Oklahoma second.

We are proud of our team. Although they lost a few games, they played a great brand of basketball all the way, and we were never ashamed of their performance.

It matters not what place they occupy. Of course, we would rather have finished first, but third isn't so bad, and after all it's not the score that counts most—it is the way they play the game.

Prospects are bright for next year. With only one man lost to the first team by graduation, and a second string of high calibre, Coach Kline has a nucleus with which to build a championship organization.

So we'll just mark time until 1925.

TREAT HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES COURTEOUSLY.

High school athletes from every nook and corner of the state are pouring into Lincoln to participate in the "World's Largest Basketball Tournament." The University has the responsibility of entertaining and caring for her guests.

A number of the teams will be lodged in fraternity houses again this year, and it is hoped that certain complaints in the past will have their effect.

In past years teams that were lodged in fraternities were often subjected to different forms of spectacular entertainment, and this entertainment, while perhaps amusing to some of the promoters, was irksome and distasteful to the guests.

Mock fires, murders, suicides and other inspired tricks were staged, and while a few may have gleaned some amusement therefrom, the procedure didn't do the University or the fraternities any good.

These high school men were often made the butt of a varied collection of practical jokes, and while these were seemingly harmless to the perpetrators, they left the visitors in no pleasant frame of mind, and sent them to their homes with less regard for the University and its students.

This practice has reacted in two different ways. These men went home and told how they were treated by fraternity men at the University of Nebraska, and the result was that fuel was added to anti-University and anti-fraternity fires.

Fraternities render a distinct service to the University by housing these teams. Inasmuch as the fraternities are willing to do this, it would seem that they should go a step farther and prohibit their members from annoying or in any way offending their guests.

The basketball tournament offers an opportunity to every University student to put in a few good licks for his alma mater. By treating our guests courteously and kindly, we can show them what a great school this is, demonstrate the Cornhusker spirit, and imbue them with the ambition to come here to school.

The University needs all the athletic material that is available. The University needs the kindly feeling of every voter in the state. The University needs the backing and co-operation of the high schools.

Everyone can aid in this by treating our guests courteously and sending them home with a warm spot in their hearts for the University and its students.

Student Opinion.

THINKS JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM IS OUT ON LIMB.

To the Editor:
 I noticed in the Daily Nebraskan that the joint committee of the junior and senior classes have decided

RAG CARPET Assistance! Succor!

Fraternities are not the only ones who have trouble with pledges. Just look at the stadium.

Mrs. Blank (visiting)—Really, James and I meant to call long before this, but somehow we kept putting off the evil day.—Weekly Telegraph.

Vocational speaker—She had quite a successful career until she got married.

No man may have his cake and

to hold a Junior-Senior Prom. I think that this is a very foolish venture. The class committees of the first semester thought that the prom could not be successfully held this year, and the action of those committees should be just as official as this latter action.

Last semester I had to pay an assessment that was levied to wipe out the class deficit. That class deficit was partly from the junior-senior prom.

The date that has been selected is late in April, long after the formal season has closed. If the prom when held in the past early in the formal season was not a success, how can this one, promoted as it is by a new committee after a previous committee had already abandoned the project, make it a success.

It makes no difference to me if a number of juniors and seniors want to get together and have a little formal dance of their own, and as far as I am concerned they can do this. But I do object to paying a class assessment to wipe out a debt that was contracted for that purpose.

If the committee feels that the junior-senior prom will pay its way, all well and good. But if they are trying to saddle another deficit on the classes, they had better look before they leap.

AK-SAR-BEN.

The College Press.

HIRING TROTSKY
 (The Dartmouth)

What President Hopkins said in Chicago Friday amounts in substance to this: "The job of the college teacher is to stir up the mind, the thinking, and the imagination of the undergraduate and the need is so insistent that I would even hire Trotsky to do the job were he available." Anything, be it noted, to stir up the mind of the undergraduate. Anything to have the faculty realize that its job is to awaken undergraduate thinking and not merely to spill facts and more facts.

When one carries President Hopkins' reasoning just one step further, one comes to see that undergraduate indifference stands as the chief indictment of college faculties. If undergraduates are indifferent to studies and to things intellectual, let the college faculties look to themselves for the reason. Because college undergraduates are not chronically indifferent. They have their interests, their keenly appreciated interests, and invariably they revel enthusiastically in them, be they athletic or artistic, extra-curricular or intellectual. The job of the college teacher is to direct those interests. Under proper direction every undergraduate should take his diploma only after having developed intellectual and artistic pursuits which make him an educated man. President Morgan of Antioch College hit it exactly in a speech in Boston about a year ago when he said: "Young people are keenly interested, but what they are interested in depends largely upon what interests have been effectively presented to them or are held in high regard by their associates or superiors. Our young people come to us with ineffective, unbalanced, unwise interests. A large part of the business of the college is effective presentation of suitable objects of interest."

Awaken undergraduate interest, then, in the pursuits which will make him an educated man. That's fundamental. Trotsky's radicalism doesn't enter into the question at all. The colleges have had enough of the hot-house theory of education that college students are to be protected against rash doctrines—enough of the belief that they are to know of progressive thinking only in the past

eat it too, if his wife is a poor cook.

"Why doesn't the professor call your name with the roll?"
 "Oh, if he hears a dorine drop, he knows I'm here."

Manager—Look here, you're wasting too much time on your personal appearance.

Stono—Indeed I am not. I've only been here two weeks and I've already had proposals from the chief clerk and the cashier.—London Opinion.

tense. If professors of political science, then why not the actual manipulators of political science? If theory, then why not the persistent and pressing facts. And always to stir up and awaken undergraduate thinking. Always to keep the student's mind active.

Notices

Xi Delta.

Xi Delta meeting Ellen Smith hall Thursday evening at 7:15.

Senior Class Meeting.

Thursday at 11 o'clock in Social Science auditorium. Election of minor officers.

W. A. A.

W. A. A. wants girls to sell at all high school state tournament games.

Architectural Engineers.

All Architectural Engineers will meet Thursday at 11 o'clock in M. A. 102. Freshmen are especially urged to be there.

Theta Sigma Phi.

Meeting Thursday at 7:15 in Ellen Smith hall.

Girls Commercial Club.

The club will hold a dinner at the Elks club at 6 o'clock Thursday.

Green Goblines.

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Silver Serpent Dance
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Camp Fire Training Course
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Gamut Club
 Party Friday, March 7, at the home of Dr. Lida B. Earhart.

Pershing Rifles
 Regular meeting Wednesday at 7:15, Nebraska hall 309.

A. S. M. E.
 A. S. M. E. meeting Thursday at 11 o'clock at Mechanical Engineering building 204.

Palladian
 "And Home Came Ted" a three-act comedy, will be presented at the hall by members of the senior class Friday evening at 8:30. All University students invited.

Lutheran Club
 Social meeting Saturday at 8:15 at Faculty hall. All Lutheran students are invited.

Democratic Club
 Meeting of all University Democrats in Law 201 at 7 o'clock Thursday. Election of officers.

Union
 Open meeting Friday at 8:30.
Discussion Groups
 Students interested in discussion groups will meet in Ellen Smith hall this evening at 7 o'clock.

Calendar

Friday.
 Sigma Alpha Epsilon formal, Lincoln hotel.

Saturday.
 Phi Delta Chi house dance.
 Gamma Phi Beta banquet, Lincoln hotel.
 Sigma Alpha Epsilon banquet, Lincoln hotel.
 Chi Omega house dance.
 Alpha Theta Chi house dance.

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