

WEATHER FORECAST
For Lincoln and vicinity: Snow
Tuesday; not much change in tem-
perature.

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CORNHUSKER BASKETEERS ON ROAD TRIP

Coach Charlie Black's Men to
Finish Schedule With
Road Trip

TEAM LEAVES WEDNESDAY

Ten Men, Student Manager,
and Coach Make Up Scarlet
and Cream Party

Although Nebraska's hopes for a 1927 Missouri Valley basketball title were smashed in the Kansas-Nebraska game Saturday night, Coach Black is whipping his Husker basketball warriors into shape for the remaining two games of the season. A second or third place in the Missouri Valley cage race will belong to the Nebraskans if they take both games on the road.

Ten men will make the trip to Iowa, and Coach Black and the student manager will entrain for their road trip into Iowa on the Rock Island at midnight Wednesday. Iowa State and the Drake Bulldogs are the final two games on the Nebraska schedule. Black is bent on taking both games from the Iowans as they are both official conference games and will count in the Valley standing.

Meet Cyclones Thursday

The Ames Cyclones will be the first foe for the Nebraska team and will be Thursday night, meeting the Drake team on Saturday. The Drake Bulldogs took the count of the Nebraska team 31 to 32 when they played in Lincoln on January 22, but have lost one of the best men that ever played on a Drake five when "Chuck" Everett graduated last semester. While Drake has dropped to sixth place in the Valley cage race the Nebraskans with their improved brand of ball have been conquering all the strong teams in the Valley.

Last evening on the floor of the Coliseum the Nebraska coach took his basketeers through a stiff practice session, drilling the guards on defensive work and five man defense. It was the weakening of the defense in the last ten minutes of the Kansas game that accounted for the large Jayhawk score. For two hours Black drilled his Scarlet and Cream cagers on the art of breaking into plays and smothering the man with the ball. One more practice remains for the Husker quintet before their trip on the road and all workouts possible are being crowded into these last practice hours.

Smaha Second

Captain Clark Smaha the Nebraska scoring ace, dropped into second place after the week end games and with the final two games stands a good chance to lead the valley scorers for 1927. "Lefty" Byers, the Wildcat forward continues to lead with a total of 112 points and has one more game to play, while Smaha plays two more games in the Valley.

After the loss of last week-end's game the Nebraska team continues to stay in third place being tied with the Oklahoma Sooners with six games won and four lost. Kansas needs but one more game on the way column to clinch the Missouri Valley title and they play Missouri in the Lawrence court Wednesday and the Kansas Aggies Saturday.

Picture Choice Must Be In By Next Thursday

Thursday will be the final date for decision by fraternity and sorority people of the picture they desire to go in their organization panel, according to W. F. Jones, Jr., editor of the 1927 Cornhusker. At that time those who have not returned their proofs with their decision announced will have to accept the choice of the studio.

This ultimatum is necessary because the panels are being made up and will be sent to the engravers early next week. All fraternity and sorority panels will be sent at that time, and every person who has had a picture taken must be represented.

Several groups have not had their picture taken at the Campus Studio. They should do so this week so that their pictures may be sent away. The goal of the editorial staff of the yearbook is that every bit of copy shall be in, and every picture in the hands of the engraver by March 15. As that is only two weeks off it is necessary to rush everything.

Few Attend Sunday Afternoon Reading

About twenty-five persons were present at the University Club, Sunday afternoon, to hear Prof. Sherlock R. Gass, author of two volumes of essays that have won high recognition, give a number of readings. Professor Gass read, in addition to several of Thackeray's ballads and letters, his own production, "The Three Men of Harbridge."

Vesper To Portray Lenten Atmosphere

The Vesper service to be held March 1, is the first service to be held during the Lenten season. A special form of meditation and prayer will be carried out in this meeting.

Joe Hunt, '29, Scottsbluff, is to speak at this meeting on "What Christ Can Mean in Our Lives."

The special music will be in charge of Mable Ludlam. Helen Williams will entertain with a violin solo.

Helen Eastman is the leader of Vespers for this meeting.

PROM TO BE GALA EVENT

Plans for Making Junior-Senior Prom Best Party of Year to Representatives

TWO ORCHESTRAS PLAY

Plans for making the Junior-Senior Prom, the closing party of the formal season, one of the outstanding events of the season were laid before representatives of the thirty-eight fraternities of the campus at a meeting held last week-end. The Prom under the direction of the Prom committee, the Silver Serpents and Vikings will be held in the Coliseum March 18, and is open to all University students.

Some five hundred tickets have been distributed among the fraternities, and are on sale at the campus book stores and at the Student Activities Office for \$2.50. The first days tick-tales indicate that a large number have already been sold.

Music Continuously

Tracy Brown and his Oklahoma and Becks orchestra will furnish music for the affair. Both orchestras will be placed directly on the floor. They will play continuously and will give a number of clever dancing skits during the evening.

An elaborate decoration scheme is being planned by members of this committee, which will do away with the objections to the large floor.

Special favors are to be ordered this week. The committee now have a large variety of sample favors from which one will be chosen at the next committee meeting. Entertaining numbers will be given between dances.

Attendance is not being limited to the juniors and seniors but the size of the floor space will permit underclassmen as well to attend the affair.

SOCIETIES SPONSOR PAN-PACIFIC MEET

Problems of Countries of Pacific Basin to be Discussed in Two-Day Institute

A Pan-Pacific Conference, an institute for the discussion of problems of the countries of the Pacific basin, will be held Saturday and Sunday, March 5 and 6, under the auspices of the Cosmopolitan Club, the Y. M. C. A., and the Y. W. C. A. The meetings will be held in the Temple.

"Japan and the Problems of the Pacific," will be the topic under discussion at the opening meeting of the conference Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Tadao Nishikawa will be the speaker and the meeting will be led by C. D. Hayes, secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

At 3 o'clock the "Philippines and their Problems in the Pacific" will be discussed under the leadership of F. C. Stevenson, state secretary of the University Y. M. C. A. The speaker will be Jose Adeva. A supper meeting will be held Saturday at 6 o'clock in the northwest corner of the cafeteria, Temple building. "China and the Provinces of the Pacific" will be discussed by C. S. Yuan. Miss Erma Appleby, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., will be the leader.

Corbett Sunday Speaker

Sunday morning from 9 to 10 o'clock, Charles H. Corbett, of the National staff of the Y. M. C. A., will talk on "Christianity and the Problems of the Pacific," and on Sunday afternoon at 2:30, Anatole Mozor will talk on "Russia and the Problems of the Pacific." Professor Orin Stepanek will lead the group.

The conference will close with a meeting at 3:30 Sunday, at which Mr. Corbett will again address the institute, talking on "United States and the Problems of the Pacific."

Students who are interested in the discussions and would like to attend the conference are asked to sign up in Mr. Hayes' office in the Temple. The committee making arrangements for the conference includes: Charles Swan, from the Y. M. C. A.; Alma Selk, from the Y. W. C. A.; Clara Schuebel, Edwin Svoboda and Sylvia Stastny from the Cosmopolitan Club; assisted by C. D. Hayes and Miss Erma Appleby.

Senator Warner Gives Second Of Weekly Radio Vocational Talks

Waverly Farmer-Senator Reviews First Bill to be Passed by Present Legislature; Also Water Power Project.

Senator Charles J. Warner, of Waverly, gave the second radio talk in the series of weekly vocational guidance talks being given under the direction of the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce and the University of Nebraska, yesterday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock. The Senator cited the number of bills introduced before the state senate and told how only a few of them survive to be called laws.

"The first bill to be passed by the legislature and signed by the governor, excepting the bills appropriating money for the expenses of the legislature, was senate file 138 with the emergency clause. This law prevents the introduction into, and the dissemination within, the state of Nebraska of insect pests and plant diseases injurious to the plants and plant products," said the Senator. "Perhaps you think this is rather a small matter to engage the time of the legislators. It is really a very important matter. Do you like waxy apples or cabbages or diseased plants? The codling moth, which is one state of the worm that is found in apples, was introduced into this country from Europe less than one hundred years ago and has spread all over the United States.

"Within the last ten years," the Senator continued, "an insect known as the corn borer was brought into America from Europe. It established itself in northern Ohio and across Lake Erie into Canada. In a very considerable area the farmers have practically ceased corn production. The area where the borer is found is (Continued on Page Three.)

PACH SPEAKS TO FINE ARTS GROUP

Lecturer From Metropolitan Museum Of New York Addresses Art Students and Faculty

"We are only worthy of the part if we can contribute something to the future which will stand the test," declared Walter Pach, artist, author, and lecturer at the Metropolitan museum in New York, in speaking to Fine Arts students and faculty, at 11 o'clock Monday, in Gallery A of Morrill Hall, on modern art.

Mr. Pach is a director of the Society of Independent Artists in America, and is a member of the Paris branch of the same organization. Mr. Pach's etchings are in the permanent collection of the Metropolitan museum.

Art Voices Thoughts

"Technically, modern art is that part of the productions of today which voice the thoughts of men who see that the world of today is not the world of the renaissance," said Mr. Pach. "We must face modern art sincerely and say that out of all the accumulated mass only a little will stand the test and find its way into the art galleries of the ages.

"You are the people who must work out the question of modern art. It is a dangerous thing to spend too much time with the past; it discourages for the future, but to lose the heritage of the past would be supreme madness. Genius in a life-time could make small progress without it."

Mr. Pach came to Lincoln to appear before the Nebraska Art Association, and it was possible to secure the engagement because he had been granted a short leave of absence from the Metropolitan museum to fill a few speaking engagements in the middle west. He spoke before the membership of the Art Association yesterday afternoon at Morrill Hall.

REVEREND BUCKNER TO ADDRESS FORUM

Father of Distinguished Graduate Will Speak to Discussion Group on Wednesday

The Rev. J. D. M. Buckner, of Lincoln, former pastor of the Methodist church at Aurora, Neb., will address the weekly luncheon at the Grand Hotel, Wednesday. He will use for his topic, "My Purpose in Life."

Reverend Buckner, a Nebraska graduate, is father of Emory Buckner, present District Attorney of New York, and one of the country's leading lawyers. The Forum committee consider themselves very fortunate in securing him to address the weekly meeting and all students are urged to take advantage of this opportunity of hearing such an excellent speaker.

Tickets for the luncheon can be secured either at the Y. M. C. A. office or from members of the Forum Committee.

89 SCHOOLS IN STATE TOURNEY

Number Expected to Reach 200 Before Play at End of Next Week

CONTESTS IN COLISEUM

According to a letter received by Herbert D. Gish, from W. J. Braham, North Platte, Secretary-Treasurer of the Nebraska High School Athletic Association, eighty-nine high schools have officially entered the annual state tournament. The number is expected to reach 200.

Everything is being prepared to accommodate the many number of teams which will be here during the tournament, March 10, 11, and 12. All games will be played in the Coliseum, five floors being in use all the time. The Coliseum offers facilities which heretofore have been unavailable.

Committee Members

A committee composed of H. B. Siman, Norfolk; Supt. W. J. Braham, North Platte; Principal Pyson, Scottsbluff; and Herbert D. Gish will classify the entries Friday, March 4.

The following teams have officially entered the tournament:

Alma, Alvo, Amherst, Avoca, Boemer, Belgrade, Bellwood, Benedict, Bertrand, Bethany, Bloomington, Blue Hill, Brady, Bridgeport, Broken Bow, Burwell, Cambridge, Chapman, Clay Center, Coleridge, Cortland, Cretz, Curtis, Daltow, David City, Dawlin, DeWitt, Danbar, Elk Creek, Elkhorn, Elmcrest, Elmwood, Elsie, Ewing, Fairmont, Genoa, Goehner, Gothenburg, Gresham, Gurley, Hampton, Harvard, Haven, Herman, Hooper, Huntley, Honey Creek, Union, Imperial, Inavale, Kenesaw, Kimball, Lawellen, Litchfield, Loup City, Maywood, McCook, Milligan, Minden, Neligh, North Bend, Ohio, Peru, Demonstration School, Pierce, Pilger, Potter, Prague, Ravenna, Raymond, Reynolds, Schuyler, Shelton, Sprague-Martell, Springfield, Stockham, Sutton, Trenton, Trumbull, Tobias, University Place, High School and Wesleyan High, Yonango, Waco, Weaustis, Western, West Point, Yutan.

Daily Nebraskan Inquiring Reporter

Every day he asks a question from different students picked at random on the campus.

Today's Question: Do you think only Juniors and Seniors should be allowed to attend the Junior Senior Prom?

Ruth Godfrey, '28, Omaha, Arts and Science.

"I don't see why they shouldn't."

David Fellman, '29, Omaha, Arts and Science.

"No. What about the Freshmen and Sophomores too?"

E. S. Gobbs, '27, Bayard, Business Administration.

"I don't think they should."

Ralph Thorell, '29, Moorefield, Arts and Science.

"I think they should all be Juniors and Seniors."

Helen Clark, '28, La Grange, Ill., Teachers College.

"It is the usual custom for Juniors and Seniors to be allowed to go."

Aileen Stribbs, '30, Lincoln, Teachers College.

"If it is a Junior and Senior affair, yes I do."

John Brown, '30, Holdrege, Arts and Science.

"I think they ought to."

Alice Cook, '27, Randolph, Arts and Science.

"I think that is the main purpose of having a Junior Senior Prom. It gives something for Freshmen and Sophomores to look forward to when they become upperclassmen."

Donna Lee Brown, '30, Sioux Falls, S. D., Teachers College.

"I don't know, my opinion is anybody ought to go."

Y. W. ELECTIONS TO BE HELD SOON

Officers for Women's Group Will Be Chosen Wednesday and Thursday

POLES TO BE IN LIBRARY

Election of officers of the Y. W. C. A. for this coming year will be held Wednesday and Thursday of this week in the corridor of the Library building from 9 to 5 o'clock. Installation of officers and new members of cabinet will take place the last Wednesday in March at Ellen Smith Hall.

The nominations are:

President
Mary Kinney
Grace Modlin

Vice-president
Margaret Hyde
Ruth Barker

Secretary
Kathryn Beekman
Geraldine Fleming

Treasurer
Marjorie Sturdevant
Gertrude Brownell

Mary Kinney, '28, Woodbine, Ia., who is a nominee for president was chairman of the Bible Study groups in the Y. W. C. A. during the past year. Grace Modlin, '28, Ulysses, the other nominee for president, was treasurer of the association.

Ruth Barker, '28, Hot Springs, S. D., was chairman of the Vesper services during the past year and is a nominee for vice-president. Margaret Hyde, '28, Lincoln, who has also been nominated for vice-president was chairman from the Y. W. C. A. of the World Forum Luncheons.

Geraldine Fleming, '28, Lincoln, who has been nominated on the Y. W. C. A. cabinet during the past year. Kathryn Beekman, '29, Blair, (Continued on Page Two.)

Plays Lead



Betty Coolidge, of Lead, S. D., who will take the part of Mary Jordan, leading feminine role in "The Easy Mark," the next University Players production at the Temple Theater this week-end.

SOCIETY ELECTS 17 NEW MEMBERS

Seventeen advanced course military students were elected to Scabbard and Blade, national advanced course honorary military society, at a meeting of the organization held last week. Announcement of the newly elected members has been withheld due to scholastic difficulties of some of the candidates. Following the initiation of new members the annual Scabbard and Blade dinner dance will be held according to Gordon Luikart, captain.

Candidates Report Today

Candidates will report at Nebraska Hall room 205 this noon for initiation announcements and formal pledging. Initiation will be conducted Tuesday evening, March 8, at the Ag College campus with formal ceremonies being held Thursday evening March 10 at the Home Economics Building, Ag Campus. Captain Russell Skinner, D. O. L., who is serving his first year in Nebraska as an instructor in military science and tactics will be initiated with the newly elected men as honorary member of the Nebraska Chapter.

The following men were elected to membership:

W. W. Cook, Russell Doty, Robert Douglas, Verne Gibson, F. J. Horton, H. E. Jorgenson, Delbert Leffler, L. P. Mathews, Kieth Miller, J. L. Rankin, G. P. Scouler, W. J. Simic, L. V. Smetana, J. D. Speiker, Arthur Sweet, I. A. Trively, George Wilder.

Weather Man Expects March Snows to Arrive Cold and Dry As Usual

Mr. Blair, of the United States Weather Bureau, says that this may be the last snow, but he expects to have more snows during March. March usually has a number of cold, dry snows, and that we may expect to get our share of them this year. The snow was good for all the country. The recent snows have helped much but this snow will be very valuable. The ground will be in very good condition now.

The southwestern part of Nebraska was quite dry and needed the snow that they received on Sunday.

The "weather man" expects the snow, which started yesterday, to continue for a while today.

Magazines Comment On "American Speech"

Accounts of "American Speech," a monthly periodical edited from the University of Nebraska, have appeared in many foreign publications. Several pages were devoted to an analysis of the contents of the first volume in an issue of the "Revue Germanique," edited from the University of Lille and in the "Revue Anglo-Americaine," edited from the Sorbonne. In the February issue of "English Studies," printed at Amsterdam, a page account of "American Speech" appears.

NORRIS LEADS FORUM AT A. I. E. E. MEETING

F. W. Norris, assistant professor of electrical engineering, counselor of the Nebraska student branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, attended the annual conference on student activities of the A. I. E. E. at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Saturday. He led a thirty-minute discussion on the duties of a counselor.

PLAYERS WILL NEXT PRESENT COMEDY-DRAMA

"The Easy Mark" Is Next Play to be Given by University Players

PLAY HIGHLY PRAISED

New York American and New York Times Both Speak Highly of Production

"The Easy Mark," a comedy-drama in three acts, by Jack Larrie, will be the University Player's next production at the Temple Theater, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings with matinees scheduled for Friday and Saturday afternoons. Evening performances will start at 8:20 o'clock and the matinees at 3 o'clock and 2:30 o'clock respectively.

The hero of "The Easy Mark" is the town boob, the boy whose imagination is lively, but his brain thick. He is a living proof of the famous saying of P. T. Barnum, "There's a fool born every minute." This lovable simpleton has \$60,000 in the bank and a dozen schemes to run it into the millions.

But he lets the town sharpers take it away from him for an interest in swamp land on which they have poured a few gallons of crude oil as bait.

Hears of Cheating

He hears that he has been cheated. His family chaffs him unmercifully. His sweetheart loses faith in him and he is the picture of woe. Come the sharpers again with the report that, much to their surprise, somebody has struck a gusher on the property and they want to buy it back. This much they confide in the audience, but of course they don't tell that to the town boob.

When he comes in, they tell him they have heard that he feels he has been cheated. Very well, they are prepared to give him back his money and take back the land. He thanks them. He prepares to sign away his fortune.

The hero takes up the fountain pen and starts to write. It won't work. There is no ink in it. There is one of the best of the many human touches of the play, right there. We've all had fountain pens like that. And before he can sign some one rushes in and stops him. Then it transpires that the new gusher is spouting nothing but mud and salt water. The easy mark is whipped a second time.

Many Comical Twists

But a lot of new and highly comical twists enter into the plot in the last act. The town still thinks the new gusher indicates a strike of oil. The sharpers are still footed. They make a desperate effort to buy back the property—and finally the easy one sells it to them for \$190,000. He has cheated the cheaters, won his sweetheart, and saved the home for his aged mother.

You can't afford to miss "The Easy Mark." It's going to be the most enjoyable of the year—in fact, of many years. Alan Dale, in the New York American, says "Proves that the theater still has a 'pull.'" "You laughed and clapped and stilled with jokes, love and hope with the suspense over the signing away of the oil lands," says the New York Times. "It vibrates us from crown to toe with laugh thrills," reads the Newark Star-Engle.

Tickets are on sale now at Ross P. Curtice Co. Admission for the evening shows are one dollar and seventy-five cents for matinees.

WOMEN WILL GO ON WITH DISCUSSIONS

Attendants of Wesleyan University Conference Will Continue Group Discussions

Follow-up discussion groups, made up of the women who attended the week-end conference at Nebraska Wesleyan University, February 25-26-27, will be held at Ellen Smith hall Monday and Thursday afternoons at 4 o'clock. Marjorie Sturdevant will lead the group meeting on Monday and Asenath Schill will lead the Thursday group. Meetings will begin next week and will continue periodically until spring vacation.

About thirty-five representatives of the University of Nebraska Y. W. C. A. met with the women from colleges in the eastern part of Nebraska last week-end for a three day conference with Miss Olosoah Burner, of New York City, national secretary of the Y. W. C. A. "The Divine Possibilities of Human Life," the general theme of the conference, will be the topic discussed by the groups, who will attempt to go further in their discussion of the ideas offered by Miss Burner.

Miss Burner Leader

Miss Burner, who is a psychology specialist, took the psychological aspect of the conference.

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