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BIGGER, IF NOT BETTER

The lengths of the fraternity and sorority pledge lists appearing in this issue of The Daily Nebraskan seem to tell one of two stories. Either this has been a prosperous year for Nebraska, and consequently more of its young people are getting the benefits of a college education; or else the craze for new houses for Greek-letter organizations has made larger chapters necessary.

From every corner of the campus comes the story of the "best rush week ever." Registration figures also show an increase in attendance. Every organization found plenty of material to select from. The hotels were crowded before the students became settled in their fraternity, sorority, and boarding houses.

Let us hope that the main reason for the increased attendance, and the swelling of the pledging lists, is due to the ever-increasing idea that a college education is of unlimited value. It not only gives the young people an opportunity to broaden their views on life and to learn professions, but in many instances to discover their life work by contact with the different fields of knowledge.

An optimist, at least, would attach this significance to the enlarged pledging lists.

What would the pessimist say? Undoubtedly, that the University of Nebraska is getting bigger, but not better. He would probably comment on the extravagance of the fraternities and sororities as evidenced by their new houses. Therefore the larger chapters. Someone must pay for the houses, and there is "strength in numbers."

He would go on to argue that the larger the University grows, the less chance there is for real scholastic effort and personal contact between faculty and student body. Consequently, as the University seems to

be growing steadily, he would conclude that it is degrading with the same rate of speed.

This is rather a dark picture. There is probably some truth about the larger chapters being necessary to keep up expensive houses. But there must also be truth in the optimist's reasons for the growth of this school.

Perhaps neither argument is correct. Both sides have been argued by various students since the facts of the large pledge lists have been known. The editor welcomes any other suggestions. For the present, let it be hoped that the optimist is right.

THE CHANCELLOR'S RECEPTION

Freshmen and new students of this institution made their formal low to University life last evening at the Chancellor's reception at Morrill hall. Fraternally speaking, they were pledged to the University of Nebraska, after meeting the fellow students with whom they will go to school for the next few years. They also met the faculty, just as a fraternity rushee would meet an alumnus.

Now they must wait in awe until next Thursday morning at 10 o'clock when they will be formally initiated into this rather large fraternity of ours. We are sure that between Doctor Condra and the president of the Innocents they will be properly initiated at that time, and filled with enough "Nebraska spirit" to last through four collegiate years and several more.

The pledging process last evening, better known as the Chancellor's reception, was a marked success. A fair number of new students were there, although the rain kept many away. (But when the editor of The Daily Nebraskan is satisfied with the representation at any affair, it must be a good one; nothing is easier than to write editorials bemoaning the attendance at University functions.)

New students undoubtedly made acquaintances at the reception which will continue through their college careers. Most of the freshmen men seemed interested in meeting faculty members and those of their own sex. Many of the faculty men with whom they chatted were probably professors in whose classes the wily freshmen were registered. It is remarkable how students so young in the University can grasp the time-tried practices of the upperclassmen.

A few of the freshmen women, on the other hand, evidenced a well-known co-ed tendency—they appeared more interested in the freshmen men than in learning about the University of Nebraska and their fellow classmates.

As for the faculty, they seemed earnest in their desire to get the newest members of the school off on the right foot. Many of them, no doubt, would rather have been with their friends, than talking to freshmen; but if that was the case, they concealed it.

And now the students are off on the right foot. Next comes the freshman convocation—and after that the initiates are ready to take their places along with the rest of the student body, as loyal Cornhuskers.

Would anyone recognize the old "Oily Six" and "Slippery Seven" under their new names—the "Oily Three" and the "Slippery Ten"?

Delta Sigma Delta Allard, Nels, Omaha; Carrigan, Thomas, York; Pries, Bab, Omaha; Harris, Dale, Ashland; Hopper, Lorena, Des Moines; Straka, Charles, Havlock; Vlasak, Emil, Prague.

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