

HUSKERS HAVE TWO WEEK-END BASKET TILTS

Varsity Cagesters Drill For Contest With Sooners And Jayhawks

SQUAD IS IN GOOD SHAPE

Kansas Is Not Overconfident; Quintet Reports Some Serious Injuries

Engaging in the first of their last three home games this season, the Nebraska basketball team will meet the Kansas Jayhawk cagesters on the Coliseum court at 8 o'clock this evening. The second tilt of the week-end will take place Saturday with the Oklahoma Sooners as the opponents.

Tapering off on their practice drill, the Huskers went through a light workout Thursday afternoon. Brown and Witte, as forwards, Munn at the pivot position and Krall and Holm guards were getting the call as regulars during yesterday's scrimmage and will probably start the Friday tilt with the Lawrence team.

Jayhawks Have Injuries

Talk of injuries and dour predictions on the outcome of the tussle with Nebraska are being broadcast by "Phog" Allen, coach of the Jayhawk quintet. Maney, star guard, is reported as suffering numerous injuries from previous games and will be unable to participate in the week-end tilt. According to Allen, the Jayhawks have not much chance to pull out ahead of the Huskers on their own court.

All of the Nebraska cage squad members are in good physical condition and appeared ready for the twin home games. Holm has recovered from a slight injury to his foot, and will start both the games for the Huskers.

Othmer Works at Center

Kenny Othmer has been working at the center position regularly for (Continued on Page 2.)

NATIONAL OFFICER SPEAKS TO Y.M.C.A.

Nipps Talks to Cabinet and Faculty Members About Missionary Project Planned

John W. Nipps, secretary of the national council of the Y. M. C. A., who has been doing considerable work in China for a number of years, met with groups of the University Y. M. C. A., yesterday.

Mr. Nipps met with the "Y" cabinet at luncheon at the Temple yesterday noon and in the afternoon was present at a meeting of faculty members. The purpose of his visit here at this time was to discuss the possibility of interesting some students and faculty members in participating in the support of C. Steele Holcombe, Y. M. C. A. secretary at Cairo, Egypt.

Holcombe Is Nebraska Alumnus

Mr. Holcombe received his A. B. degree from this university in 1916. For the past nine years he has been actively engaged in Y. M. C. A. work (Continued on Page 2.)

MRS. BRUMMITT IS SPEAKER

Ag Forum Hears Address Giving Ideas About Czecho-Slovakia

"The Land of the Cup and the Book" was the topic discussed at the Ag Forum meeting yesterday noon by Mrs. Dan Brummitt of Chicago. The land referred to was Czecho-Slovakia, where Mrs. Brummitt visited last year. In her talk she told of conditions existing there at the present time, and the impression made upon her by these people.

The meeting was attended by a large number of students, as an evidence of the increasing interest in the Ag Forum meetings.

Engberg Believes Dogmatism In Science Depends on Person

(Editor's Note: The following is the fifth series of interviews with University of Nebraska scientists concerning scientific dogmatism, which will be published in The Daily Nebraskan.)

(By Paul Nelson)

"There are fundamentalists in science just the same as there are in theology," was the statement of Dr. C. C. Engberg of the department of mathematics concerning the belief that science is becoming as dogmatic in its assertions as religion was once. "I admit that scientists make very dogmatic statements and that science

AG SCIENTISTS ARE LISTED

Professors of Agriculture Appear in Last "Men of Science"

Names of several men from the College of Agriculture recently appeared in the new edition of the "American Men of Science." These men have completed some outstanding research work in some phase of scientific agriculture.

Following is a list of the names and the department with which he is associated: Dr. Samuel Avery, agricultural chemistry; Professor E. A. Burnett, agriculture, animal nutrition; Dr. M. J. Blish, Biochemistry; Professor W. W. Burr, agronomy; Professor H. P. Davis, dairy husbandry; Professor T. A. Kieselback, agronomy; Dr. H. M. Martin, animal pathology; Professor S. J. Sjogren, agricultural engineering; Professor M. H. Swenk, entomology; Professor L. Van Es, veterinary medicine, and Professor C. C. Wiggins, horticulture.

PROM FAVORS ARE SELECTED

Each Couple at Junior-Senior Party Will Get Leather Bound Souvenir

DINNER DANCE PLANNED

Novel favors for the Junior-Senior Prom have been prepared by Bakfou's university jewelers and will arrive Monday, in time for the party Friday evening. The favors for this year's prom are especially distinctive.

Each couple will be presented with one of the favors at the opening of the ball. A sufficient number has been ordered so that there will be enough for all.

Favors Are Bound in Leather

They are leather bound with university seal stamped in gold letters on the front. The words, Junior-Senior Prom—1928, are also stamped in gold letters below the Nebraska seal. Instead of the usual program for dances, that have proved worthless at Nebraska social functions, a calendar for the year will be printed. The favor is made up in the form of a date book, which should prove valuable and worthwhile to Nebraska co-eds.

The names of the chaperones, attendants, and the names of the committee in charge will also appear in the booklet. The favors will no doubt be an ideal souvenir for this year's prom.

Feature Entertainment Is Secured

Feature entertainment is being arranged for and prom goers are assured of a rare treat. It is the plan of the committee to select two acts of the committee to select two acts, a singing and dancing act, to fill up (Continued on Page 2.)

Wisconsin Man Says Digging Up Old Cities Benefits Citizenship

Madison, Wis., Feb. 23.—Digging up ancient cities or making explorations such as led to discovery of King Tut-en-amon is not merely interesting to the public and to the excavators, but contributes to intelligent citizenship, says Prof. Grant Showerman of the University of Wisconsin in lectures on archaeology which he is giving.

Lessons learned from such work increases our intelligence, aids our judgments of men and nations, ripens our wisdom, and improves our sympathies, asserts Professor Showerman in his illustrated talks.

Knowledge Should Be Aid

Although the statement that history repeats itself, and that by knowing the past we shall know better how to deal with the future, has much to recommend it, Professor Showerman asks that knowledge of ancient times be looked upon as an aid in cultivation of intelligent citizenship.

"We agree in the belief that in a commonwealth based on the principle (Continued on Page 2.)

LARGE STAFF OF REPORTERS COVERS NEWS

Twenty-five Students Work on Regular "Runs" During Second Semester

SEVERAL WRITE FEATURES

Athletics Are Source of Much Interesting Material For Nebraskan

Nearly twenty-five reporters on regular "runs" and twenty others who have reported at intervals this semester is the working staff which has been covering University news for The Daily Nebraskan this semester.

The problem of covering University news adequately is indicated by the large number of reporters utilized in turning out the University daily. Despite the number working, regular reporters have often had to work overtime to handle all the campus news.

Athletics Is News Source

Athletics furnish one of the most prolific news sources. Douglas Timmerman has been covering varsity basketball, the major sport in progress at the present time. This "run" which takes from one to two hours daily, with the track "run" is probably the heaviest single "run" on the paper.

Ray Murray, track man and journalist from Topeka, Kan. is handling varsity track. Jack Lowe is covering the Coliseum and Maurice Akin has covered most of the inter-fraternity athletic contests this semester. Lowe and Joe Toman are covering varsity wrestling. "In the Valley", sports column, is again conducted by Jack Elliott, whose column has given him recognition as one of the best college sports writers in the Missouri Valley.

Buildings Are Covered

Cliff Sandahl has been handling the University Y, alumni office, and three buildings, chemistry, pharmacy, and Bessey Hall. Don Carlson covers World Forum, Morrill Hall and the Library have been covered by Clifford Smith who has also contributed features.

Bill McCleery, who covers debate and Kosmet Klub, has also been a prolific writer of features. Others (Continued on Page 2.)

Museum Puts Collections in Phylum Groups

With the increase in display space provided in Morrill Hall the museum has been able to arrange the various collections of animals in their proper order according to phylums and classes.

Recently the vertebrata have been arranged in five cases down the center of the lower gallery of the museum to show the development of vertebrata from the first animal to have vertebrae up to the mammals.

Five Divisions Are Shown

This development is shown by five divisions, beginning with fish and going through amphibians, reptiles, and birds up to, and including the mammals.

Arrangements of the displays in their classes and phylums facilitates the use of the museum by classes in Natural History, and still such arrangement in no way detracts from the interest to the general public.

Mr. F. G. Collins, assistant curator of the museum, says that such arrangement makes it possible for the museum to correlate with other departments in the university and to play the role a university museum should play.

VOCATIONS WILL BE TOPIC OF LECTURES

Peterson Will Open Series of Talks With Address on "Law" Next Wednesday Night

The first of a series of five lectures on "Vocations," sponsored by the University Y. M. C. A., will be given next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in the Social Science Auditorium. C. Petrus Peterson will be the speaker at the first gathering, talking on "Law."

The other four lectures will follow on consecutive Wednesdays, and will consist of talks on "Business," "Teaching," "Medicine," and "The Ministry." Speakers on these topics have not been chosen yet, but will be announced from time to time. Emphatic, forceful illustrations will be used, to show the opportunity for Christian service through these various professions. The meetings will be open to all university men.

Perseverance Is Vital Says Miss Conklin

Success in Foreign Language Is Dependent Upon Factor of Determination

(By Lyman Cass)

"I don't know any 'highroad' to success in the study of foreign languages, but if you will set your mind definitely to learn it, and you have enough perseverance to go through with it, you will seldom have trouble."

Miss Clara Conklin, head of the romance languages department thus expressed her view on a subject that causes trouble to many students. The romance language department teaches more hours than any other department in school, over 1400 students being enrolled, most of them for five hour courses.

Determination Is Important

Determination and perseverance are the largest factors in learning any language. For this reason language is stressed as a basic course in the Arts College. Even though the elements of the language are forgotten, the faculties which are developed linger on.

"If I should stand at the door of my classroom and hand out ten dollar bills to every student who had a perfect lesson it would not take long to expend a lot of money," said Miss Conklin, meaning, of course, that such an incentive would soon develop the perseverance that is necessary to be a good student. "We have good, bad and indifferent students here," she went on, "but the best ones are those who really want to learn foreign languages enough to study, by themselves, with sufficient vigor and concentration to get down to the basic facts and not skim over the (Continued on Page 3.)

CHINESE THEME IS KEYNOTE OF DINNER

One Hundred Co-Eds Hear Talks On Work of Miss Grace Coppock At Y. W. C. A. Event

The Y. W. C. A. staff dinner held Thursday night in Ellen Smith Hall carried out a Chinese theme in honor of Miss Grace Coppock and her work in China.

Miss Elsie Ford Piper described Grace Coppock, Nebraska's first woman missionary in China, as she knew her on the Nebraska campus. Miss Coppock was pictured as having a live, vivid personality, and having a great influence on all who knew her.

Pike Pawnee Village Incident Is Now Closed

So far as the Kansas State Historical Society is concerned the Pike Pawnee Village matter is a closed incident, according to William E. Connelley, secretary of Kansas Historical Society, in his correspondence with A. E. Sheldon of the Nebraska Historical Society.

In a recent letter Mr. Connelley says in part: "In regard to the proposition which you make, which involves the employment of experts from the outside; to determine the exact location of the Pike Pawnee village, I will say that that is entirely unnecessary. We made thorough investigations of this matter before we erected the monument on the Pike Pawnee village in Republic county."

"We were sure at that time that we had located the village beyond question, and we feel the same way about it today. So far as the Kansas State Historical Society is concerned, the Pike Pawnee village matter is a closed incident. The village has been identified and marked by the Kansas State Historical Society. The identification is complete and the monument erected by this Society is on the site of the Pike Pawnee village."

Many University Men Are Available For Talks

Dozens of several colleges, chairmen and professors of various departments, student pastors and the chancellor of the University are numbered among the fifty-six university officials, who are available for high school commencement and baccalaureate addresses.

Prof. A. A. Reed, director of the University Extension division, who compiled the lists of speakers and subject, says that several high schools have already arranged to have university faculty members speak at graduation exercises.

CINDER TEAM WILL CONTEND ON SATURDAY

Squad Will Meet Individual Champions of Nebraska Conference

VARSITY IS WORKING OUT

Hastings and Doane Colleges Will Send Some Strong Sprint Entrants

Nebraska track fans will see the Cornhusker cinder team in action when it competes against the individual champions of the Nebraska College conference in an indoor meet, starting at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, February 25.

The champions of the Nebraska colleges were determined in a conference track meet held in Lincoln last May. As some of the winners in last spring's meet have either graduated or are members of the basketball squads of their respective colleges, the N. C. C. team will have to substitute other men for the vacant places.

Good Competition Will Be Furnished

Hastings and Doane colleges will furnish the greatest competition for the Huskers as these two teams have alternately taken the state college meet during the past two years, by close margins. Hastings will send Oran Ballinger, miler and two miler, and Dave Hamil, who will start in the mile and half mile events. Harold Hamil and Greenslit will represent Hastings in the sprints and 440-yard run, while Whitaker and Millen will compete in the pole vault. Lindell, Hastings' main point scorer in the meet last spring will not be able to perform Saturday because of a bad knee.

Captain Ray Alf and J. G. Jones will come from Doane to aid the college representatives in the sprint events. Other Doane entrants will probably include F. W. Geer in the high jump; Phil Taylor in the hurdles; D. M. Perry, Don Morton, Lloyd West and Maurice-Wolf in the half mile and two mile. (Continued on Page 2.)

Alumni Prove Ways of Fate Are Peculiar

As just another bit of evidence that the world is small and the ways of fate are strange is a letter recently received at the Alumni Association of the University from Dr. Andrew Sinamark of Minot, North Dakota. While Dr. Sinamark, who received his degree from the Medical College of the University in 1917, was studying in Vienna during the past winter he met an old college-room-mate, Dr. William Wildhaber of Beatrice, Nebraska.

The two doctors had roomed together during their senior year in the Medical College. They received their degrees in the spring of '17, and both have enjoyed successful practices since.

They both attended the American Legion convention in Paris last fall. Then both went to Vienna to take special three-month post-graduate courses in their profession. But neither knew that the other was there until they met at the European college. The Nebraska alumni revived old times, although far removed from campus scenes and surroundings.

LUTHERANS MEET TONIGHT

Club Will Hear Report of Delegates To Regional Conclave

The Lutheran Club of the University will meet in Temple 204 Friday evening to hear reports of delegates to the regional conference was held in Lindsay, Kansas, February 17-19. Lucile Blecker and Muriel Bixby were the representatives of the local group. It is planned that Miss Mary Marley, student worker for the United Lutheran church, will be present at the meeting Friday, but definite arrangements have not been concluded. A pie social will be held following the reports of the delegates and several musical numbers.

Museum Adds Stuffed Parrot to Collection

Recently Mr. F. G. Collins, assistant curator of the University museum, in one of this weekly radio talks, mentioned that the museum had received a love bird parrot from a Lincoln family. Partly in response to this announcement the museum received a parrot from Mrs. Abel, 2335 Sheridan Boulevard. This parrot was stuffed and will be placed in the exhibit case displaying parrots.

Leads Trackmen



Perly Wyatt, captain and quarter-miler of the Nebraska track team, will lead the Huskers in the first home meet of the 1928 season tomorrow afternoon. State college champions will compete against the varsity on the indoor track under the stadium.

EDDY IS HEAD OF COMMITTEE

Student Council Appoints New General Chairman for Varsity Parties

OTHER MEMBERS REMAIN

Archibald R. Eddy, '28, Lincoln, was selected general chairman of the Varsity Party committee, for the remainder of the school year, by the Student Council late yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Eddy was appointed to take the helm of the Varsity Party committee for the remainder of the year after all candidates who had applied, had appeared in person before the Council to present their proposals for conducting the parties. The vacancy was caused by the graduation of Wayne Gratigny who directed the parties the first semester.

Chairman Has Experience

The new chairman has been closely connected with the work of the Varsity Party committee for the past three years. He served on the Varsity Party committee in several minor capacities in his sophomore year. Last year he was co-chairman of the publicity committee and directed three parties for Robert Hoagland, general chairman of the parties last year.

No change was made in the remainder of the committee which was appointed by the Student Council last fall. The other members of the committee and the committees over which they preside are: secretary, Geraldine Heikes; refreshments, Harriet Vette, Bruce Thomas; publicity, Pauline Bilon, Jack Elliott; entertainment, Irene Davies, Walter Hoppe; decorations, Evelyn Frohm, Frederick Daly; reception, Esther Heine, Carl Olson. (Continued on Page 2.)

Western Schools Plan Extension of Pharmacy Courses to Four Years

Four universities on the Pacific coast are contemplating the inauguration of a four-year course in pharmacy instead of a three-year course as heretofore, according to a statement issued by Dr. C. W. Johnson, dean of the College of Pharmacy, University of Washington, who is chairman of the Portland conference.

The institutions involved in this move are the Oregon State Agricultural College at Corvallis, North Pacific College of Oregon at Portland, Washington State College at Pullman, and the University of Washington at Seattle. The action was instituted by the deans and faculties of these colleges.

Only Four Have This Plan

Thus far only four universities have the four-year plan of pharmaceutical instruction. They are University of Minnesota, Ohio State University, University of Georgia, and University of Nebraska. The success of this plan at these universities is the cause of the adoption of it by other institutions, in the opinion of Dr. R. A. Lyman, dean of the pharmacy college.

Grumann Says Present Art Exhibit Is Most Outstanding in Ten Years

(By Clifford Smith)

"The present exhibit is the most outstanding one we have had in the past ten years," stated Professor Grumann in commenting on the pictures displayed at the thirty-eighth annual exhibition of the Nebraska Association of Art in the galleries of Morrill Hall.

"There is a freshness, crispness, and a new note in the paintings that we have never had before," Professor Grumann added.

Prominent in the present exhibit is the general tone of modernism. A great number of the paintings show the trend of the younger artists toward

PROBATION AS NOW PRACTICED IS ABOLISHED

Interfraternity Council Votes To Amend By-Law About Present Plan

DECISION IS UNANIMOUS

Action Follows Thorough Study Of Situation; Is Favored By Faculty Members

An amendment was proposed to the by-laws of the Interfraternity Council last evening, to abolish probation week or period as it is understood and practiced on the Nebraska campus at the present time. The amendment was unanimously accepted by the Council after attention had been called to the fact that this did not mean abolition of probation except in its present form.

The proposal was made after a thorough discussion of the probation practices of certain fraternities during the last informal initiation period. The fact that fraternities were calling forth severe criticism as a result of exhibiting their freshmen before an unsympathetic public during the three days of probation week led to the offering of the above amendment in the interests of the fraternity system on the Nebraska campus.

"I have followed the probation actions of fraternities through the (Continued on Page 3.)

DATE IS SET FOR INITIAL CONTESTS

High School Students Will Compete in Preliminary Scholarship Meet on April 19

A. A. Reed, director of the University Extension division has announced April 14 as the date set for the preliminary contest in the Nebraska Sixth State-Wide Scholarship Contest. The final contest will be held in Lincoln May 4.

Several new features have been adopted for the contest this year: (1) Each student entering the contest will be assessed one dollar, the money so raised will be prorated to students living beyond a 100 mile limit of Lincoln on the basis of the distance from the homes of such students to the 100 mile limit of Lincoln; (2) A committee of University statisticians is at work on a plan to (Continued on Page 3)

DORMITORY A WINS IN TOURNAMENT MATCH

Both Championship Games of Co-Ed Bowling Meet Will Be Held On February 29

The co-ed bowling tournament advanced one step nearer the finals Wednesday when Dormitory A defeated Dormitory D, 404-344. The Alpha Delta Pi team, which took a hotly contested game from Zeta Tau Alpha Tuesday by a score of 400-397, will play Dormitory A next Tuesday for admission to the semifinals.

The Alpha Delta Theta and Phi Mu teams were scheduled to battle it out Thursday afternoon, the winner to meet the Delta Zeta team No. 3 which drew a bye in the last round. **Oikema Team Wins**

In the consolation tournament the Oikema Apartment team defeated Alpha Xi Delta Tuesday, 299-297, and on Friday will play Delta Zeta team No. 1 who won the previous round by default. Oikema Apartment team No. 3 defaulted to the coalition Gamma Phi Bet and Alpha Phi team which will meet Delta Zeta team No. 2 Monday.

The championship matches in both divisions will be played off Wednesday, Feb. 29, on the Y. M. C. A. alleys where all the games have been played.

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and simplicity in subject and simplicity in painting. Some Are Ultra-Modern There are, however, some works that are so ultra-modern that they show anything but simplicity. As one lady said about "Battle of the Unicorns" by Helen West Heller, "It means nothing to me, I do not even know what it was."

"The Cattle Buyer" by W. Herbert Dunton is one of the most popular of the paintings. It is a masterpiece in execution, both in drawing and in painting. It has the careful, masterful workmanship of the old (Continued on Page 3.)