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## KOSMET KLUB PICKS JUDGES FOR IVY SING

Gray, Roseborough and Chenoweth to Decide Contest Winners.

## MANY GROUPS COMPETE

Nearly Two-Thirds Campus Fraternities Will Take Part in Event.

Herbert Gray, John Roseborough, and Wilbur Chenoweth were announced by Kosmet Klub Wednesday as judges for the Interfraternity sing to be held May 1. Mr. Gray and Mr. Roseborough are instructors in the University school of music. Mr. Roseborough also is director of Westminister a capella choir. Mr. Chenoweth is a composer and organ and piano instructor.

Mr. Chenoweth also served on last year's judging committee. Other members of last year's committee were Maude Fern Gutamer, and Homer Compton, both well known in Lincoln musical circles.

## Canvass Fraternities.

A busy canvass of fraternities taken late yesterday indicated that nearly two thirds of the male greek letter societies on the Nebraska campus have decided to enter the Interfraternity sing. Eleven competed in the annual affair last year.

Applications to enter may be tendered Don Carlson or Roger Robinson at any time. All applications must be in, however, before April 25.

Many fraternities have already commenced work on their presentations for the contest. They have stated that intensive drill at an earlier date is necessary due to the early days which will be lost to spring vacation, April 19 to 25. These fraternities who have commenced rehearsals are reminded by Kosmet Klub that only fraternity songs are eligible in the sing.

## Allowed Three Numbers.

Each fraternity will be allowed to sing three numbers, according to rules followed in the past. There will be no restrictions as to the manner of presentation. The club has stated, however, that it will instruct the judges to value group singing higher than individual work such as in trios, octettes, or musical ensembles of a smaller denomination. The club favors singing by the entire fraternity and strives for that over individual efforts.

All singing must be in a capella style. A cup will be awarded the winning fraternity and permanent possession of the award will be given the organization winning it three times in succession.

## SHARPSHOOTERS MAKE REMARKABLE RECORDS

Rifle Team Takes Forty of Forty-Five Matches It Entered.

University of Nebraska riflers have completed all scheduled telegraphic matches and a review of the season's accomplishments reveals the remarkable record of only five matches lost out of forty-five participated in.

The team has scored twenty-eight consecutive wins, numbering among its contestants West Point, Iowa State, and the University of Cincinnati. The highest team score of the season was nipped off during the week ending March 1, when the markers tallied 3787.

Harlan Pattison was high individual marksman of the season with a total of 355 while Nelson, Phillipson, Schultz, and Sundeen trailed closely with respective scores of 351, 353, 352, and 350.

## Trials Today.

The team will fire in a shoulder-to-shoulder match this afternoon as a tryout for the regional match at Iowa City, Ia., April 5, to be conducted by the N. R. A. A dinner paid for by the losers will be the prize for the best group of five shooting in the tryouts.

The groups of five men, each of which will compete, are as follows: Captain Lyons, team coach, selected Sudeen, Pattison, Wertman, Burgess, and Youcum; Sergeant Cecil McGimsey, in charge of the range, selected as his team Phillipson, Baker, DeKlotz, Nelson and Mixson.

## CAMPUS CALENDAR

Thursday, March 27.  
Sigma Delta Chi, Delta Upsilon house, 6 p. m.  
Tassel, Ellen Smith hall, 7:15 p. m.  
Sigma Delta Chi, Delta Upsilon house, 7 p. m.  
Friday, March 29.  
All-Methodist student party, Grace M. E. church, 8 p. m.

## Students Do Not Read as Much Light Fiction as Professors, Claims Manager of Book Store

University students do not read much light fiction, according to Paul Alcorn, manager of the Prairie Schooner, a Lincoln book shop. The students read some light fiction but if they intend to buy a book it is nearly always some modern classic. The professors read a great deal more of the lighter stories than do their pupils, he said.

Although tastes vary, most students buy books of the worthwhile type. Little interest is shown in the classics except the modern classics. A set of books called "The Modern Library" which contains only those books has a good market in Lincoln.

## Poetry Sales Increase.

Mr. Alcorn called attention to the increased sale of poetry in Lincoln as being directly a result of student buying. More poetry is sold in Lincoln than in any other town of like size. A great deal of this is sold to the students, thus causing the great volume of sales. Few students are interested in detective stories, continued Mr. Alcorn, probably because they do not have the time to read this type of book as thoroughly as is necessary to get the most out of it. A great many professors, however, find time to read all of the latest detective fiction. Mr. Alcorn explains this as being a result of the increased leisure time of the professors in relation to that of the students.

## Students Like Good Books.

The recent editions of well known, nonfiction books, at a greatly reduced price has resulted in a great many more sales. This proves that university students are interested in good books when the price is within their reach said Mr. Alcorn. Two books whose sales have greatly increased when their price was lowered to a dollar are Wells' "Outline of History" and Durant's "Story of Philosophy."

Some of today's best sellers, at least in Lincoln, are Brush's "Young Man of Manhattan," Tomlinson's "All Our Yesterdays," Wilder's "Woman of Andros," Hemingway's "Farewell to Arms," Komroff's "Cornet," and Rolvaag's "Pure Gold." All books sell about the same here as anywhere else in the United States.

## Nebraska Authors.

The two best sellers in Lincoln are the books by Nebraska authors. The two books by Nebraska authors which are now at the top are "While the Patient Slept" by Eberhart and "Prairie Women" by Deebe. Mrs. Eberhart is a Lincoln woman whose book "While the Patient Slept" is the second which she has had accepted by the Crime club as an outstanding mystery story. Mr. Deebe, the author of the other best seller, is a former student at the University of Nebraska.

Two nonfiction books which have a good sale in Lincoln are "The Rise of American Civilization" by Beard and "The Human Mind" by Menninger. Mr. Alcorn said that students buy very little light fiction, although they rent it to read. They buy only the better type of books which leads him to believe that most students wish to build up a worthwhile library. The lighter books are read only to fill up leisure time.

## MORTAR BOARD ALUMNAE WILL HOLD MUSICALE

Members of Mortar Board alumnae will hold a benefit musicale Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Delta Gamma house. The musicale is open to all university students who are interested. Tickets may be secured at the door. Tea will be served following the program.

The program follows:  
Shadow Dance from Dinorah  
Meyerbeer  
Little Dutch Garden  
Colburn  
My Sweet Love Call  
Grumm  
(With flute obligato by Louis H. Babst.)

The Voice and the Flute, Densmore  
(With flute obligato by Louis H. Babst.)  
Bernice Reed Mallat, soprano;  
Emma Cummins Babst, accompanist.

Gavotte (Les deux Moutons)  
Martini  
Adagio (from Sonata Pathétique)  
Beethoven  
Nautilus  
MacDowell  
Slavonic Dance No. 7  
Dvorak  
String Trio

Miss Katherine Kimball, piano.  
Miss Valorea Callen, violin.  
Mrs. Herbert Gray, cello.  
Walter Caprice  
Chenoweth  
Nocturne  
Chenoweth  
A Frog He Would a-Wooling Go  
Chenoweth  
Hidden Waterfall  
Chenoweth  
La Pampita (tango)  
Chenoweth  
La Joie de Vivre  
Chenoweth  
Wilbur Chenoweth, pianist.

## HONORARY MATH SOCIETY TO HOLD PRIZE CONTEST

Pi Mu Epsilon, honorary mathematics fraternity, will sponsor an examination in analytic geometry and integral and differential calculus to be given the last of April in the Temple theater. The prize will be \$10. The best analytics and the best calculus paper. The prizes will be presented on Honors day.

Those eligible to take these exams are students who have taken the courses during the current school year. In courses where the work has not been entirely covered at the time of the examination, the questions will be based on the work covered. Various members of the mathematics department will submit the questions. Further details of the contest will be announced later.

## WILSON HEADS PHARMACY OPEN HOUSE JUBILEE

Committee Chairman Plans For Exhibition and Display Week.

HELD APRIL 28-MAY 3

Purpose of Events Is to Bring Public Closer to College Work.

Plans for the tenth annual Pharmacy night exhibit and Pharmacy week, to be held May 1 and April 28 to May 3, respectively, are being made under the direction of Charles H. Wilson, '31, of Lincoln, chairman of the executive committee appointed by the faculty. The purpose of Pharmacy week is to bring the general public closer to the work done and to the need of scientific study of pharmacy.

The annual banquet will be held April 26 at the Cornhusker hotel contrary to the usual custom of having it during Pharmacy week. The change is due to the inability of Dr. R. A. Lyman, head of the department, to be present during the week. The banquet will be attended by the faculty members, prominent druggists throughout the state, and students enrolled in the college of pharmacy.

Pharmacy week is a part of "open house" program conducted by the university. Other events taking place during this week are Ivy day, May 1, Engineer's night, May 1, the Farmers' fair, May 3, and the University Players final performance, May 2 to May 5.

## Committee are as follows.

Pharmacology: James W. Stone, chairman, James Dille, Herbert W. Johnson, Joseph Schuchman, Constantine T. Diagekas.

Biological Standardization: James R. Dowd, chairman, Juan O. Pelais.

First Aid: Ethel M. James, chairman.

Compounding and Dispensing: James A. Green, chairman, Richard E. Leder, Raymond P. Hellan, Margaret W. Keoying, John W. Schapel, Herman L. Schuchman, and Ollie A. Griffin.

Pharmacognosy: William J. Isley, chairman, William F. Bogle, Wilmer Griess, Wilard J. Chandler.

Cosmetics: Louise S. Hansen, chairman, Margaret E. Risk, Phyllis J. Rhodes, Viola Hachtel.

Orchestra: Paul N. Sterkel, chairman, Arnold L. Strom, Herman Lee, John K. Schultz, Lewis E. Harris, Charles C. Bryant, Forest D. Gaskill, Eugene H. Smith, William J. Isley, Oscar P. Sultz.

Program: Charles H. Wilson, chairman, Dorothy L. Beiersdorf.

Decorations: Norval B. Dare, chairman, Dorothy Lee Collins, C. Stanley Schwartz, Charles W. Bliven, Walden P. Felber, James G. House, George E. Menke, Harry M. Catlett, Avon G. Robbins, Ormus W. Anderson.

Vitamines: Stanley L. Madison, chairman.

Executive: Charles H. Wilson, jr., chairman, Louise S. Hansen, James W. Stone, Richard E. Leder and Paul N. Sterkel.

Pharmacopoeia: Wilber Griess, chairman, Earl T. Carrico, Evens J. Mosen, Carl J. Mieland and Armin A. Grosse.

Food and Drug analysis: Estel A. Locke, chairman, Clyde J. Wilderson, Harry F. Maxon, Lloyd H. Williams.

Pharmaceutical dispensary: Ester M. Hays, chairman.

Pharmaceutical processes: Raymond P. Hellan, chairman, Frank E. Winter, Clifton C. Millett, John (Continued on Page 3.)

## HOME EC SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

Balloting on Nominees for Four Offices Will Be Continued Today.

Election of officers of the Home Economics association will be continued in Home Economics parlors today. The election commenced yesterday, following the announcement of nominees Tuesday evening. Nominees are Georgia Wilcox and Niesja Lakeman for president; Esther Boyer and Annie Brackett, for vice president; Gertrude Chittenden and Edith Stahl, for secretary; and Helen Baeder and Lucille Cooley, for treasurer.

The entertaining features of the Tuesday night meeting when nominees were chosen consisted of a lecture given by Dr. Stanley Welch, and a stunt presented by a number of freshman girls. Dr. Welch illustrated his address by motion pictures he had taken. Dr. Welch who has traveled around the world, spoke especially of India, Java and the Philippine Islands.

After leaving India he stated that he had a most depressed feeling because of the misery and poverty with which he was brought into contact. Java, which is the size of Nebraska, has a population of 36,000,000 people. By these pictures the students were given an insight into the conditions that really exist.

## Kansas Is Alone in 'Bone Dry' Stand for Prohibition According To Latest Literary Digest Poll

Kansas is the only state that is voting "bone dry" in the Literary Digest's nationwide poll on prohibition, according to the third week's tabulation of over a million votes which will appear in Saturday's issue of the periodical.

Of the 1,244,483 postcard ballots returned, 527,388, or over 42 percent of the total, vote for repeal of the prohibition amendment. 383,117 favor modification to permit light wines and beers, while nearly 27 percent of those voting to date, 333,978, urge the strict enforcement of the eighteenth amendment and Volstead law.

The returns evidence a slight gain in the ratio of those favoring repeal.

Of the twenty states whose returns are listed in the current tabulations, Georgia, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota and Washington show more votes in favor of enforcement than for either modification or repeal.

Missouri Votes Repeal. In Missouri, a strong dry vote runs considerably ahead of that for modification, but the "Show Me" vote for repeal is greater than for either enforcement or modification.

The other ten states, California, Connecticut, Illinois, Minnesota, Michigan, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, and also the District of Columbia, give a vote for repeal greater than for either modification or enforcement.

Georgia, the only southern state from which ballots have been tabulated, shows 1,061 votes for enforcement out of a total of 10,855 counted.

An additional 341,048 votes are reported this week over the returns last week.

North Dakota Changes. North Dakota is the only state that has changed toward a dryer attitude.

Attention is called by the magazine to the fact that the drys are voting as evidenced by a substantial balloting for strict enforcement in known arid centers.

The Literary Digest states that its editorial policy of nonpartisanship and its capacity as a gatherer and tabulator only of the ballots, forbids the magazine interpreting the vote as either wet or dry. However, they quote a number of newspapers that maintain the poll shows a preponderant wet sentiment in the country so far as reported.

Wets Have Best of It. "Although the wets undeniably have the best of it in this tabulation," the Literary Digest states, "let it be remembered that the poll is still in its infancy. Many states remain to be heard from, and immense dry areas have yet to be given a voice. Mail bags awaiting dumped by the dozen in the Digest headquarters. The mere work of sorting the mail is prodigious and time-consuming."

"No mind can foresee what the next tabulation may disclose, or how soon the drys may turn the tables on their opponents and change the poll into a neck and neck race."

Kansas Remains Dry. "Kansas still stands like the (Continued on Page 4.)

## TEN SHORT COURSE AG DIPLOMAS GIVEN

First Class Graduates in Short Term Work on Farm Operation.

Ten Nebraska men recently received diplomas from the college of agriculture for the short course it offers in farm operation. The sheepskins were presented by H. K. Douthett, short course director of the college of agriculture. This is the first graduating class in this course.

The following students were graduated: Yulan Cook, Dustin; Lawrence Caldwell, Purdum; Ray Finnigier, Juanita; Ralph Glover, Westerville; Byron Mott, Hastings; Merrell Shephard, Fremont; Frank Stevens, Orleans; Russell Wendtrand, Wakefield; Enos Williams, Carroll, and Glen Boesiger, Princeton.

Seventy-five boys are registered in the course this year and fifty last year when it was first organized. The course is designed for the farm boy who cannot attend high school or college and is especially convenient to the farm boy in that the work comes in winter when farm duties are light.

## THIRD REPORT OF THE LITERARY DIGEST PROHIBITION POLL

State	For Enforcement	For Modification	For Repeal	Total
California	24,150	27,088	28,742	79,978
Connecticut	2,294	4,343	4,571	14,208
Dist. of Columbia	1,342	1,036	2,694	5,672
Georgia	4,061	3,321	3,503	10,885
Illinois	30,721	40,318	59,341	130,380
Indiana	19,779	14,664	14,908	49,351
Iowa	17,812	12,298	11,449	41,559
Kansas	17,957	6,823	4,690	29,470
Michigan	18,707	20,302	27,677	66,686
Minnesota	17,661	17,330	21,896	57,087
Missouri	18,590	15,601	24,364	58,555
Nebraska	8,812	5,880	5,263	19,955
New Jersey	15,365	26,811	43,374	85,550
New York	42,800	88,598	139,912	271,310
North Dakota	2,289	2,008	2,196	6,493
Ohio	34,990	36,172	37,471	108,633
Oregon	5,109	4,176	3,173	12,458
Pennsylvania	31,585	34,534	64,505	130,624
South Dakota	2,664	2,015	1,674	6,353
Washington	7,928	7,228	6,718	22,374
Wisconsin	9,002	12,773	16,357	38,132
	333,978	383,117	527,388	1,244,483

## VOLD DISCOUNTS MAGAZINE POLL ON PROHIBITION

Professor Thinks Questions Worded to Favor Wet Answer.

ADVISES PAPER QUERY

Suggests Nebraskan Conduct Check of Students on Problems.

The fundamental question in connection with the liquor problem is what is the effect of liquor consumption, says Prof. L. Vold, of the college of law. This question may be approached through the following purely fact inquiries, according to Professor Vold.

"First, does the consumption of liquor do damage to the individual himself? Second, does moderate consumption tend to grow into drinking to excess in ordinary cases? Third, does the consumption of liquor endanger anyone else than the individual drinker himself in ordinary cases? Affirmative answers to these questions make out the case for total abstinence, and strongly support the case for prohibition.

Poll Favors Change. The question as to whether a person favors strict enforcement, modification, or complete repeal of the eighteenth amendment, such as are used in the Literary Digest poll, since they tend to bring out satisfaction without explanation of how or why, are so worded that they very much favor answers which would show a supposed wet majority, thinks Mr. Vold.

The poll is raising much comment at the present time because of the majority it is showing in favor of repeal or modification. Professor Vold discounts the Literary Digest poll not only because he thinks it favors a wet answer from those who are in any way dissatisfied with the present conditions, but also because he thinks there are many drys who are not voting.

As an interesting experiment Professor Vold suggests that the Daily Nebraskan institute a poll of the student body using questions which he believes would really show some facts with regard to the existing demand for liquor.

Suggested Questions. He suggests these questions: 1. Are you a total abstainer with respect to the use of intoxicating liquor? 2. Do you take a drink occasionally? 3. Do you take a drink with more or less regularity? 4. If you drink at all, would you drink more freely if the liquor traffic were again legalized?

The questions could be answered by check marks of yes or no, but without personal identification. He believes that if this were done the students would answer truthfully and produce some interesting results.

Legal Change. When asked concerning the necessary legal change which would be required to modify the present liquor law without complete repeal Mr. Vold replied, "Since the drink prohibition amendment prohibits the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor, modification of the Volstead act which might purport to legalize the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer would be void, being in violation of the constitution. This position rests, of course, on the understanding of the facts that light wines and beers are as a matter of fact intoxicating."

"Congress has authority under the constitution to make amendment, but has no constitutional authority to provide for its violation. The modification usually publicly argued about, therefore, will require a change of the constitution itself. Congress, of course, can help the cause of prohibition by withholding the means for enforcement, but it cannot legalize the liquor traffic in whole or in part."

Professor Vold maintains that argument on the question between wets and drys will avail little until some of the points now so much in dispute are settled. These fundamental points, over which the different viewpoints are maintained, are, in general, the question of to what extent the consumption of liquor is, in fact, injurious to the drinker and to others, and the question of to what extent the actual demand for liquor goes on the part of the general public.

## PROFESSOR POOL AIDS INSTALLING OF ARIZONA HEAD

Prof. F. J. Pool, chairman of the department of botany, will represent the university at the inauguration of Dr. H. L. Shantz as president of the University of Arizona on April 24. President Shantz took his doctor's degree in botany at the University of Nebraska many years ago and he and Professor Pool have been close friends throughout the years.

Dr. Pool will also attend the meetings of the southwestern section of the American Association for the Advancement of Science which will be held at the University of Arizona at the same time.