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Two **Parades**

With the noise of martial music, the parade begins. Over the barren drill-field marches platoon after platoon-company after company, in the annual R. O. T. C. compet. Sparkling sun gleams on shining sabers and spurs. Brilliant uniform of honorary colonel matches the undertones of brown leather and olive cloth of the officers. Symbolical of all that touches the passion in man-of all that overrides his reason, the countless squads of schoolboy soldiers go marching on, in nothing more harmful than a yearly compet.

With the noise of the band, too, another parade begins. Black-robed graduates wind in advance? their way to the coliseum, row on row, to the annual Commencement exercises. Sparkling sun again, but in this parade it touches nothing more shining than the dull black of reason.

Both are memorable events in the lives of Nebraska collegians-and both are as diametrically opposed as the poles of the earth.

Two irreconcilable elements exist in man; tle chance to make its appearance, and was of it

erning of human conduct, and the subordina- even more than the women. ion of passions to its ends. Even in the unisonable passion, there remains the conflict.

symbol of passion—of ugly hatred stirring be-tween peoples. The soldiers themselves, bewil-dered by the glamor and the tinsel of the mock a far from unprogressive state—going to rise of Colorado, spoke on "The Fu-ture of Extension Classes on the College Level;" Mr. E. G. Plowmore than food for cannon, to satisfy the are allowed to smoke in their rooms? blood-lust of an unreasonable world. It is dif- Questionnaires submitted by A. W. S. to all ficult to picture these men now on parade sororities reveal a preponderance of coed opindropping right and left—it is hard to visualize whole companies wiped out by the bursting of regulations. Why not follow the obvious path, a shell-yet it is for that purpose that they rather than tremble at the thought of what the a shell—yet it is for that purpose that they rather than fremble at the thought of what the sity of Colorado, president of the are now being trained. And fulfill that purpose they will, though it mean the sacrifice of all that they hold precious.

Perhaps a few would refuse, and perhaps, too, they would deserve the greater honor. But the majority would go without a second thought, because reason has not yet come into

For centuries more, perhaps, these two pades will continue side by side upon our unifootball. That was that.

was to print nothing whatsoever about spring years conference will be held in the spring of 1932 at the University or only the one, black and somber. rades will continue side by side upon our uni- football. That was that. versity grounds-the one, black and somber, the symbol of reason; the other, flashing and glamorous, the symbol of hasty, unthinking

The Commencement parade goes forward to do the thinking of the world. The men and women comprising its ranks have feelings, but their feelings are not masters. Insofar as they are true to the costume they wear, their passions and their instinctive urge to irrational battle are subordinated to their reason. And reason governs their conduct with temperance fines the limitation of its membership rolls. and wisdom.

Between these two, the military review that glitters upon the drill field, and the procession of sober, black-robed figures, humanity must choose. And to live, it must choose rightly.

There are many methods of assisting when chapters will co-operate. that choice is to be made. Today the issue is still a dubious one: today much can be done to eliminate the tinsel and to replace it with the solid metal of rational human thought.

For after all, there is nothing that incites and not conditionally honorary. in angry man to violence with such effectiveress as the means to do that violence, and the sies. He has been honored by Phi Kappa Phi snowledge of the power of the physical and Phi Beta Kappa, both true honorary so-

Strip them of the gaudy, peace-time decora- who has the qualifications for election. tions-remove honorary colonels, the military

ranks-to kill men, and in turn to be killed.

of opening of the Prom, Lafayette's most mod- Wisconsin Daily Cardinal.

ern restaurant." We wonder about that. Do their prices compare with those of all our

Round-Up Week must have started. Some-one called The Daily Nebraskan office for Morris "Mud" Gardner yesterday afternoon!

Jim Crow

Stuff Again.

In Wisconsin, a negro is the outstanding figure in forensic circles. He was honored above all other members of the debating team upon to the dean of student affairs by 12 his own campus.

Yet Delta Sigma Rho, national forensic houorary, includes in its membership clause this limitation: "Any person, not a negro . ."
The University of Wisconsin chapter of the honorary opposes the disqualification of their negro star, but finds that it can do nothing until the convention of the society in June. Then an attempt to change the ruling will be

The Daily Cardinal, incensed at the unfair discrimination, comments on the situation forcefully and to the point :

"The University of Wisconsin cannot wait. Now is the time to act. Any public speaking society which designates itself as honorary granted eighty-nine students free should be prepared to recognize all individuals tuition for the current semester. should be prepared to recognize all individuals on the campus who have been outstanding in that field. If national rules are to the contrary, disregard them . . . If the national ousts the chapter, organize a local and pave the Baptist Church Sets Aside way for an unbiased fraternity which will be honorary and not conditionally honorary!"

"It is contrary to every liberal principle of the University of Wisconsin to permit the existence of such a society as Delta Sigma Rho (as it now stands) and recognize it as an hon- Baptist church, Fourteenth and K

Upon our own campus no similar situation has arisen. But it might arise, and when it does we too shall be handicapped by such rul- Ruth and Naomi Randall will sing. does we too shall be handicapped by such them, ings and by precedent. It would be well, then, to discard them, and to do it now.

The evening church service are 17:30 will be in charge of the seniors. Special music will be furnished by the choir. The Scripture lesson will be read by Miss Millerson will be read by Miss Millerson will be read by the

Young people ought to be paid to go to lesson will be read by Miss Misschool.—Henry Ford. O. K. Henry, start our evening prayer by Miss Mable salary right away. And could you slip us ten Bignell.

A. W. S. Board

Makes Progress.

A new point system has been adopted for the service with "Choosing the women students' activities upon the Nebraska Better Part." All senior students campus. In brief, it makes it impossible for one woman to hold more than "a reasonable number" of extra-curricular offices. The danpassion and reason. For unnumbered centuries ger of such a situation, through diplomatic Service commission. The young this conflict has continued. In the beginning, wire-pulling and political maneuvering, has alpassion alone held sway. Then there was but ways been averted by the point system, but one parade-the call to arms! Reason had lit- the present revision makes an even neater job

subordinated and dominated by the stronger | The A. W. S. board deserves the congratulaforce of passion and emotion. If a man take tions of the student body for its capable handyour possession, strike him down! If you can ling of the situation. Men students have thus seize his property and belongings, take them! far been unable to devise any practical system Gradually, however, reason has evolved for regulating their participation in activities, True, it has not yet reached its goal: the gov- though the men have always needed such rules

The action of the women's board is an incersities of the land, where reason can be ex- dication of what it can do, whenever the awful ford university, on "The Junior pected to hold forth over unmindful, unrea- bogie "Public Opinion" is not present to hinder their efforts.

On such topics as coed smoking, though, the For the parade on the drill grounds is the bogie rules. And, it seems to us, receives just Junior College symbol of passion-of ugly hatred stirring be- a degree or two more consideration than it warfare of the university campus, are nothing up in rebellion against the university if coeds man, University of Denver, on

cellor, or shiver with "legislative" misgivings? It is worth a trial, in all likelihood.

University Night was banned-but they still hold the Rag Banquet.

Editor of the New York University daily received orders from the higher-ups that he Classes in Adult Education." Next

College Comment

Honorary-Without Honor.

"Any person, not a negro . . ." With these words the national constitution of Delta Sigma Rho, honorary public speaking fraternity, de-

The University of Wisconsin chapter, opposed to the disqualification of G. James Fleming, outstanding figure in forensies in the class of 1931 here, finds that it can do nothing other than wait for the national convention in June. At that time, it intends to bring about a change in the rules-provided the southern

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Mr. Fleming has won many honors in foreneapon.

Regard the R.O.T.C., the standing army, Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism frahe navy, as toys if you like. They are not ternity, and if professional organizations de-They are vocational training fields useful only sire to discriminate, it is their own business. in preparing future food for the guns of the No society may call itself honorary and discriminate against any student at the university,

It is the duty of the officials of the univerballs, the coed sponsors. Give the recruits, sity, the board of regents, and the legislature eager for the romance of battle, a taste of to take immediate cognizance of the situation. cooties and trench rations. Let them see the If there is a lapse, the affair will blow over real reason they are being sought to swell the and be forgotten in the course of time. Delta Sigma Rho, which cannot change its rule with-When that is done, they will no longer swell out a vote of all the chapters, must drop it or those ranks. Reason will have won its just be dropped by Wisconsin. It is contrary to battle. Wisconsin to permit the existence of such a Ad from Purdue Exponent: "Announcement society and to recognize it as an honorary .-

TUITION APPLICATIONS ARE DUE ON MAY 23

Thompson Sets Saturday As Final Date To Ask For Scholarships.

Applications for tuition scholarships for next semester must be in o'clock, Saturday, May 23, rather than May 2 as was erronecusly stated in yesterday's issue, according to word from Dean Thompson's office.

Eligibility to tuition scholarships consists of the following require-

The student making such application must have made twenty-four hours credit in the university during the two previous semesters. The student must have a weighted average of 80 percent.

He must be carrying twelve hours or more when the award is made and he must have actual need of financial aid. scholarship

PLAN DAY FOR SENIORS

Sunday Services For Senior Day.

Senior Day will be observed Sunday with services at the First streets. At the 12 o'clock student class each senior will give a short talk concerning their plans and activities for the coming year. Misses

Three seniors will speak. Ralph Gemmell will talk on "A Senior's "The Jesus of Experi-Ethel Person, and Louis Swingler of Mount Zion church will close are given special invitation to attend this service.

The regular B. Y. P. U. social hour at 5:30 is in charge of the charge of Miss Madge McNees. Current events will be discussed and special topics have been assigned to Miss Marie Olson, Miss Goldie Johnson and Albert King.

SIX NEBRASKANS ATTEND MEETING EXTENSION GROUP

(Continued from Page 1.) who spoke on "The Status of Education by Radio in the United States;" Dr. Walter C. Eells, Stan-College and University Extension; Dr. Frederick L. Whitney, Colorado State Teachers college, on "Recent Legislation Affecting the

in Non-credit courses;" and Mr. R. R. Price, University of Minnesota, on "Scholastic Achievements of

sociation, also gave a number of speeches and presided at the meetings. Discussion for the four days during which the conference lasted was divided into the following topics: "The Future of Radio in Fxtension Education." "The Junior College and University Extension." "The Future of Extension." "The Future of Extension." Next.

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Sooner Baseball Squad Nearly Gets Triple Play Friday

NORMAN. (Special). Coach Lawrence "Jap" Haskell's bustling Sooner baseball team nearly made

a triple play against Iowa State here Friday. With Cyclones on second and third in the third inning and none out, the batter drove a ground ball to Shortstop Lobaugh of the Sooners, who threw him out at first. Meanwhile Huntbach, Cyclone run-ner on second, hustled down to third only to find that Gustafson, his teammate, hadn't left the bag. Andy Beck, Sooner first baseman, ran across the diamond to third base, tagged out Huntbach, who tried to dodge back to second, and then threw out Gustafson at the plate. Ray Waison handling the putout. The Sooner team ran to

the bench. However Umpire Roy Fisher ruled that Beck hadn't tagged Huntbach and the Sooner triple play was scored only as a two ply killing.

committee FARM HOUSE PICNIC SET FOR SATUF

The annual Farm House nity picnic will be held on Saturday, May 30, at the auto club. The picnic will start at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and extend until late in the evening when an orchestra will play for a dance. Prof. Harold Hedges is making arrangements for the picnic for the alum-

RAGGER STIRS GREAT INTEREST AT BANQUET

(Continued from Page 1.) managing editor, the news editor and the printer's devil, (Ray "what-a-man" Casford) we have been allowed to report the out-standing events of the evening as we darn well please - newspaper ethics or no ethics at all!

Wandering Toastmaster. First of all, the forty in attendance nearly starved awaiting the arrival of the esteemed toastmaster, Gene Robb, who according to the Ragger, has been wandering ence" will be the topic of Miss about the news service room in a daze since allowed to hold the

> Secondly one cannot pass up the banquet without at least passing comment on the contents of the Ragger. For your benefit we pass a few of them on the public-hop-

hand of a popular D. G.

has no copyright on the publica-tion material. Here are a few of the excerpts concerning prominent campus journalists: The Ragger refers to Editor Waite: "The dapper sartorial splash, the suave, smiling exterior, and the wistful gestures which Editor "Casanova" Waite effects have thrown myr-

iads of girls into secret spells of Another excerpt reads: "Ray-mond 'Water-Wagon' Casford, debonair cord-pants model of ele-gance in male wearing attire? And so on and on until the entire staff came in for their fair share of publicity-that is, all except those fortunate few who edited the

Not Spared. But even they were not to be spared! At the close of the toasts, Gene Robb called for a few extemperaneous speeches from Among those who an-

swered was Ray Casford, who leaning heavily on a table for no reason whatsoever, launched into a tirade against student control of the varnish and paint remover industry! Pressed for details he refused to divulge definite informa-tion but hinted that a prominent

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ing that the staff of the Ragger | woman editor of the Daily Nebraskan had acquired a monopoly on the varnish in Lincoln during an evening spent at the residence of a sorority sister some time ago. Immediately following the close of the banquet a petition was handed to Robert Kelly, president of the student council, asking for a full and complete investigation of the affair, the report to be given within the very near future!

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