

SOCIETY NEWS

Former Students Announce Marriage; New Initiates and Pledges Named

Lorraine Witt and George Morris of Newman Grove Wed; Evelyn Eastman Visits Campus; Two Groups Hold Initiation, and Two Elect.

An announcement of interest made today is that of the marriage last Sunday of two former students, Miss Lorraine Witt and George Morris, both of Newman Grove. An interesting visitor on the campus is Miss Evelyn Eastman of Thermopolis, Wyo., who attended school here last year. Farm House fraternity and Theta Phi Alpha sorority today announce their new initiates. The election of new officers to serve for the coming year is announced by Alpha Delta Theta and Sigma Phi Sigma.

Students Married in Omaha Sunday.

Miss Lorraine Witt of Newman Grove and George Morris, also of Newman Grove, were married Sunday, March 20, in Omaha. Both were students here last year. Mr. Morris is now attending the University of Nebraska medical school at Omaha. Mrs. Morris is affiliated with Chi Omega and Mr. Morris Kappa Sigma.

Theta Phi Alpha Initiates Saturday.

Five girls became members of Theta Phi Alpha at a ceremony held at the chapter house Saturday night. The new initiates are Helen Holland, Ada Lombardi, Eleanor Casari, Helen Bulin, and Ann Stutley. Following the initiation service a banquet was held in honor of the new members.

Farm House Fraternity Hold Initiation Monday.

The following men were initiated into Farm House fraternity Monday night: Howard White, Elmer Park, Erville Hughes, Merl Peck, Boyd Shank, Dwight Reed, Mark Hackman.

Miss Eastman Returns to Nebraska Campus.

Evelyn Eastman of Thermopolis, Wyo., arrived in Lincoln Saturday to spend a week visiting friends. Last year Miss Eastman attended the University of Nebraska, where she is affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma. She is now attending Colorado college at Colorado Springs.

Lambda Chi Alpha Banquets Tuesday.

About fifty active and alumni members of the local chapter of Lambda Chi Alpha were entertained at a banquet at the chapter house Tuesday night. The affair was in celebration of Lambda Chi Alpha Day, the fraternity having set aside March 22 for such observance at the last general convention last summer.

Alpha Delta Theta Elects Officers.

New officers to serve for the coming year were recently elected by Alpha Delta Theta. They are Marian Vesely, Bennet, president; Rose Woerdman, Wisner, vice president; Mildred Dietz, Scribner, recording secretary; Norma Vitek, Clarkson, corresponding secretary; Margaret Ward, Douglas, Wyo., treasurer; Alfreda Johnson, Boelus, chaplain; Jeanne Bobbitt, Lincoln, historian; Helen Smrha, Milligan, marshal; Peg Sievers, Scribner, stewardess; and Alfreda Johnson, Boelus, assistant treasurer.

Sigma Phi Sigma Elects Officers.

Sigma Phi Sigma elected the following officers Monday evening: Melvin Adams, Lemoyne, president; Robert Buel, Hickman, vice president; Henry Larson, Dannebrog, recorder; Lawrence Young, Kimball, custodian; John Johnson, Omaha, senior censor; Clarence Knudson, Homer, junior censor; Lloyd Lefler, Fairmont, chaplain; Robert Young, Kimball, tyler; and Paul Chiles, Cook, historian.

Announcement Made of Recent Pledging.

Marian Higbee of Omaha was pledged to Alpha Delta Theta Monday night at the chapter house.

Farm House fraternity announces the pledging of Heye Lambertus.

Theta Phi Alpha held formal pledging for Lucille Statnika of Lincoln last Wednesday.

The democratic convention is scheduled to start on May 24. The depression will end on the evening of May 23.—Michigan Daily.

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COLLEGE DELEGATIONS TO VISIT COAL FIELDS

To Investigate Conditions in Kentucky Area; Will Go To Dreiser Trial.

Thirty colleges and universities will send faculty and student delegations to a nationwide college convention which will gather in Knoxville, Tenn., on March 25 and proceed immediately to the Kentucky coal fields to protest against "increased terror" in the treatment of striking miners and to distribute relief, it was announced yesterday by the National Student League at its headquarters, 102 West Fourteenth Street. The first stop after leaving Knoxville will be at Pineville, Ky., where the delegates will attend the trial of Theodore Dreiser, John Dos Passos and eight other New York writers and union organizers on charges of criminal syndicalism. After the trial they will distribute several truckloads of food and clothing among the strikers, attend a miners' meeting and make an economic survey of prevailing conditions.

On Sunday, March 27, the representatives will form three groups, one of which will return to New York to attend the first annual conference of the league the following morning; a second will leave for Detroit to investigate working conditions in the automobile factories there, and the third will remain on the Kentucky scene for several days to conduct a more detailed survey.

The institutions which will designate representatives to the Knoxville meeting were announced as follows: Brooklyn college, Bryn Mawr college, Carnegie Institute of Technology, Cleveland City college, College of the City of New York, Columbia university, Cornell university, Crane Teachers college, Lewis Institute of Technology, Long Island university, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, New York university, Northwestern university, Smith college, Swarthmore college, Teachers Institute of Technology, Union Theological Seminary, University of Chicago, University of Iowa, University of Michigan, University of North Carolina, University of Pittsburgh, University of Virginia, University of Wisconsin and Western Reserve university.

SMOKING DOES NOT MAKE POPULARITY

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the temptation before them. So many girls say that it eases the situation if they can smoke on a date. It seems to Miss Perry that the girl must have an awfully poor vocabulary and a small range of experiences to talk about.

Reports are that in many towns and cities it is impossible to place teachers who smoke. In some districts the prospective teacher is required to sign a paper saying that she does not smoke and that she will not. If this is carried much farther there will be quite a lot of difficulty resulting from it.

Miss Perry reports that there is a large sum of money being spent to study the effects of smoking on girls both from a mental and physical point of view. It has been proved that in the end people are bound to suffer mentally from this habit, although it may not hurt them at the present time. If the reports of this research prove that the health of the smoking women is so injured as to affect the next generation, Miss Perry says that drastic measures must be taken.

A course in "gold mining" is the most recent to be added to the curriculum at the University of Southern California. It is a coeducational institution.

"Who is the greatest engineer the world has ever produced?" a physics class at Wake Forest college was asked in an exam. A freshman answered: "Hoover, because he ditched, drained and dammed the United States in two years."

Miss Carlsen, Lincoln, is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and is an active member of the A. W. S. freshman activities group, as is Miss McAllister. Bash Perkins, of Arnold, is the newly elected secretary treasurer of the Big Sister board for next year and has been active in Y. W. C. A., freshman commission, and A. W. S. freshman groups as well as Charnu school, a hobby club for freshmen.

Miss Smith, from Omaha, is a member of Delta Gamma. She, too, has been active in A. W. S. freshman group and freshman commission. Elaine Fontein, Columbus, is affiliated with Alpha Phi. She has served this year as a reporter for the Daily Nebraskan and has been active in A. W. S. freshman group. Roma DeBrown, Lincoln, a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, has also been a member of the A. W. S. freshman group.

ORCHESTRA FOR KLUB SHOW NOT SELECTED

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tions will be closed with these towns this week.

The date of the Lincoln performance has not been set. It is thought that a downtown theater will be secured for the show. The probable date of the showing of "Jugie Belles" in Lincoln is the week end after spring vacation.

Costumes are being sewed for the show and the scenery is being painted in the west stadium under the direction of Norman Hoff. Advertising is being solicited by the business staff under the supervision of Bill Devereaux, advertising manager.

APRIL FOOL PARTY IS BOOKED FOR FRIDAY

First Christian Church to Be Scene of Religious Council Program.

An April Fool party sponsored by the student group of the Council of Religious Welfare, will be given Friday evening, April 1, at the First Christian church for students of all denominations represented on the campus.

A varied program of games, skits and musical numbers has been arranged. Helen Nootz, chairman of the program committee, has announced the following selections. Students from the Christian church will present a short skit. Mr. Yao will give a group of flute selections, and Jack Henney will sing. A group of Methodist students will give a humorous skit. The program will close with numbers by the Thomas quartet.

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GRIMES LANDS WINTER NUMBER OF SCHOONER

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The jobless man . . . the naked trees!

A cup of milk . . . a slice of cheese— Why should we come on bended knees

And beg: "Rich men . . . if you will . . .

A piece of bread?" By what right . . . by what decrees, Have you, with wealth of seven seas,

Checked the mill upon the hill? Are you a wolf with a lust to kill?

Why should you take the toiler's fees . . .

A piece of bread! Subscriptions for the Prairie Schooner may be obtained at the Prairie Schooner office, 121 Andrews hall. The Schooner is a quarterly magazine and the price of a year's subscription is one dollar.

Retention of tradition at the University of Vienna really amounts to something. Pledges to fraternities must learn to duel before they can be initiated, and professors must meet their classes in swallow tailed coats.

Students at Bradley Tech recently held a pajama parade to a theater in Peoria where prizes were awarded persons wearing the most attractive "evening clothes."

Presumably to keep bugs out of picnic foods a course in camp cookery for men is being offered at Oregon State this term.

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HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS COMPETE IN JUDGING

Agricultural College Will Hold Annual Contests Late in April.

If present plans are successful several hundred eastern high school agriculture students will compete in the annual agricultural judging contests to be held on the college of agriculture campus late in April. Prof. C. C. Minter of the college announced this morning.

Records from past years competition show that forty schools were entered in the 1931 contests held at the college. The year before only thirty-seven schools competed. Last year the Waverly high school carried away the big honors when they won the livestock and dairy products judging as well as the public speaking honors. Other winners included Newman Grove, Fairbury, Albion, Ponca, Millford and Mead.

As in other years the 1932 contests will include judging in practically all lines of agriculture. In addition there will be an egg show, egg grading, forge work and public speaking for members of Future Farmers of America chapters. A Waverly boy won the public speaking contest last year. Professors

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in the college of agriculture will have charge of the various contests.

PROF. BELL AGREES PHRASES INFLUENCE US

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"giving the American people a chance" or by such a catchy phrase as "rugged individualism"? The silliness and infantilism of this conception was recently exposed, but it has also been pointed out that we are getting to the point where it is heresy to run counter word worshippers who are in power."

"The whole heart of 'verbal magic' is the readiness of the people to be swayed by it," concluded Mr. Bell. "If people would think even a little into the solidness of the phrases, they would find them supportless, in the majority of cases. They again, these phrases may do more good than evil, because they keep the people semi-contented most of the time where otherwise they might not be so quiet."

Joe V. Ruzicka, a civil engineering graduate of 1931 who has headquarters at Stanton, was a College of Engineering visitor last week.

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