

# The Daily Nebraskan

Official Student Newspaper of the University of Nebraska

VOL. XXXII—NO. 62.

LINCOLN, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1932.

PRICE 5 CENTS.

## BROWNE APPEALS TO STUDENTS TO BECOME BASKETBALL CONSCIOUS

### Coach Asks Attendance at Games Be Increased; Pep Clubs to Assist.

"Nebraska students must be made basketball conscious," stated Coach W. H. Browne Wednesday evening. "Students seem to have the idea that Nebraska is a football school and after the season is over they lose all interest in athletics. They should realize that there are other sports besides football," he declared.

He stated that by arousing interest he did not mean the holding of large pep rallies, but that he wanted more students to attend the games and back the team. "To build up a great team in order to arouse student interest in basketball is putting the cart before the horse. We must have the student interest first in order to build up the team," Coach Browne declared.

### Pep Clubs to Attend.

The Innocents and pep organizations are planning to work in cooperation with Coach Browne to arouse the necessary interest. A large section has been reserved for the Corn Cobs and Tassels so that they may attend the game in a body. In addition the band is to be present at all the games and has planned entertainment to put on between the halves.

Art Pinkerton, innocent in charge of promoting basketball interest, stated that posters and banners, similar to those used during the football season, will be printed and posted on the campus in an additional effort to arouse interest.

## THOMPSON PROTESTS ATTACKS ON FOOTBALL

### Dean Writing for Athletic Journal Condemns Present 'Bullyragging.'

From The Lincoln Journal.

A protest against "bullyragging football" has been lodged by Dean T. J. Thompson of the University of Nebraska.

Writing in the Athletic Journal, a publication for sports directors, he condemned "the largely unwarranted attacks made annually upon the fine idealism of the youth that take part in the game, the school authorities that administer the game, and the game itself. Some of these attacks seem to me to savor of bullyragging."

Dr. Thompson is dean of student affairs, a member of the athletic control board, faculty representative to the Big Six conference, and a member of the athletic committee of the North Central association.

Cases of commercialism, he asserted, have been largely exaggerated, and he cited the case of a poor youth who turned down the offer of \$1,000 a year to play football at a certain institution for the fun of it at another.

"The history of this case is typical of many others that could be cited," he said, "and I believe it indicates the spirit that predominates among the vast majority of undergraduate players."

He questioned whether football fatalities under even improving rules would be disproportionate compared with hunting accidents.

## Y. W. C. A. HONOR ROLL

The following sororities have turned in 100 percent contributions to the Y. W. C. A.

Alpha Omicron Pi.  
Delta Delta Delta.  
Delta Gamma.  
Gamma Phi Beta.  
Kappa Kappa Gamma.  
Phi Mu.  
Pi Beta Phi.  
Sigma Delta Tau.  
Theta Phi Alpha.  
Zeta Tau Alpha.

## CHANCELLOR DENIES LOAN FOR DORMITORY

### Says Report Is False That R. F. C. Be Applied to for Hall Addition.

Chancellor E. A. Burnett issued a statement Wednesday stating that university officials have no intention of borrowing money from the Reconstruction Finance corporation for construction of an addition to Carrie Belle Raymond hall.

"We are not in need of an enlargement of the dormitory—it is not full now," the chancellor said. "We do, however, expect to fill it next year. Enlargement is the last thing we would think of at the present time."

The fact that a number of projects in Nebraska are eligible for loans from the federal government was made known recently and the university was considered a possible applicant for one of these loans.

## CHRISTMAS AWGWAN ON STANDS MONDAY

### Hansen Designs Cover for Issue; Fashion Page Is New Feature.

Two full pages of sketches and fashion notes will be featured in the Christmas issue of the Awgwan which will go on sale Dec. 19. The cover design of this issue which was drawn by Norman Hansen, portrays angels blowing trumpets and waving N flags. A girl of the month has been selected and her picture will appear in the magazine.

The pictures of six sophomores who have been selected as the prettiest girls in their respective sororities will also find a prominent place in the Awgwan. The pages of cartoons by Morris Gordon will appear near the center of the magazine.

### Announce Theme for January.

"There is a Santa Clause" by Roland Miller and "Detective Story No. 2105" by Marvin Robinson are among the stories that will appear in this issue.

"The January issue of the Awgwan will have the inter-fraternity ball as its theme," said H. Francis Cunningham, jr., editor, "and students who wish to submit material for publication should begin work on it immediately. Altho we would like to have as much material as possible concerning the ball, any type of material will be gladly accepted. We want as many students as possible to contribute their material."

Stands for the sale of the Awgwan, according to Otto Kotouc, will be situated in Social Science building, Mechanic Arts and Teachers college.

## MISS DEAN CONTRALTO SOLOIST FOR MESSIAH

### Former University Student Has Important Part in Oratorio.

The contralto score of Handel's "Messiah," which will be presented in the coliseum Sunday, Dec. 18, will be sung by Miss Kathryn Dean, Lincoln. The Lincoln Symphonic orchestra will furnish the accompaniment. There is no admission charge.

Miss Dean received voice training under Alma Wagner when a student of the University of Nebraska from 1924 to 1928. Leaving Lincoln after her graduation, she studied in the summer of 1928 with Madame Schumann-Heink in Kansas City, where she received recognition by being chosen a member of the instructor's master class. This class, numbering twelve, was chosen from



Miss Dean. —Courtesy Lincoln Journal.

(Continued on Page 4.)

## SETH B. NICHOLSON, ASTRONOMER, COMES FOR CONVOCATION

### Lecturer From Mt. Wilson Observatory Talks on Charting Universe.

The third of a series of all-University convocations, which will be held Friday morning, Dec. 16, at the Temple theater at 11 o'clock will have Dr. Seth B. Nicholson, astronomer from Mt. Wilson observatory as speaker. His subject will be "Charting the Universe."

Dr. J. O. Hertzler, chairman of the faculty committee on convocations, will preside at the convocation Friday morning, and will introduce the speaker, who has received worldwide recognition for his achievements in astronomy. His was the discovery of the ninth satellite of the planet Jupiter. Dr. Nicholson is in charge of the solar and lunar department at Mt. Wilson observatory where he is carrying on special work in several astronomical projects.

### To Address Sigma Xi.

At a meeting of Sigma Xi, honorary scientific fraternity, the distinguished guest will talk on "Measuring the Heat from the Stars" at 8 o'clock in the evening in Morrill hall's downstairs auditorium.

Friday noon a luncheon in his honor, sponsored by the mathematics department will be held at the University club. A number of the faculty members from the various colleges have been invited to attend, and Dr. T. A. Pierce, former classmate of Dr. Nicholson, will introduce the speaker for an informal discussion.

At the evening meeting he will be presented by Dr. B. C. Hendricks, president of Sigma Xi. Both this and the morning meeting are open to all individuals interested in the subjects.

While in Lincoln, Dr. Nicholson will be the guest of Dr. T. A. Pierce.

## ELEVEN COMPETE FOR VARSITY DEBATE TEAM

### Contestants Argue Question of Debt Cancellation in Tryout Tonight.

Eleven men will participate in the tryouts tonight for the second semester varsity debate team. The question for the tryouts is Resolved: That the United States should agree to cancellation of the inter-allied war debts and reparations. The tryouts will be held in University hall 108 at 7:30.

The eleven men are Howard L. Holtzendorff, Charles W. Steadman, Albert W. Seeck, H. Vincent Broady, E. Anderson, Hillman and Sutherland on the affirmative and F. P. Sorenson, Milo Price, Harold W. Wynkoop, Whitford, Stover, Hollstein, L. Byron Cherry, Prokop and Walther on the negative.

Each speaker will have an eight minute speech divided as he chooses between constructive and rebuttal except the first affirmative speaker, who will have a five minute constructive speech and a four minute rebuttal later. The order of speakers will be determined by lot.

Any student who has been in school at least one year may compete for a place on the team. Another similar tryout will be held during the second semester.

## Pledges of Kappa Phi Will Present Pageant

A pageant presented by pledges of Kappa Phi, Methodist girls' sorority, will be the feature of the meeting of that organization Thursday at 7:00 o'clock in Ellen Smita hall. The Phi Tau Theta octet will sing, and Nora Bubb will have charge of devotions. Dorothy Keller is in charge of the program.

## CORN COBS APPOINT PARTY COMMITTEE

### Dinner-Dance Is Plan of Pep Club; Decide to Attend All Games.

A committee composed of Lynn Leonard, Alpha Sigma Phi, chairman; Henry Kosman, Delta Upsilon; Tom Davies, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Packy McFarland, Delta Tau Delta, and Harold Caster, Delta Chi, was appointed by Robert Pilling, president of Corn Cobs Wednesday night to arrange for the annual dinner dance.

The organization voted to attend all basketball games in a body. A special section will be roped off by Fred Nicklas and Dan Easterday and will be reserved for the Cobs and Tassels. A suggestion to have the section directly opposite the seats for the team, met with the approval of the group.

Robert Pilling, president, read a letter from the Innocents society expressing their appreciation of the Corn Cobs' assistance in conducting rallies before the football games. The organization voted to present shingles to all active members.

## ORCHESTRIS MEMBERS WILL GIVE RECITAL

### Coeds Interpret Christmas in Dance Thursday Evening.

Christmas will be interpreted in dance by members of Orchestris at their annual recital Thursday evening at 8:15 at the armory. The first part of the program, "Holy Night," will show a candlelight ceremony, and the people who come to a cathedral on Christmas eve to worship. Ritual which is used in several cathedrals in New York will be exemplified while the choir from the First Plymouth Congregational church sings. At this time, too, Lucille Reilly will sing, accompanied by Lucille Ambrose.

The second part of the program has a lighter theme. It is called "When Life is Gay—" and is composed of six musical numbers to which the girls have adapted dances. "Orchestris," in which a group and a leader take part is a promise of the dances to come. It is followed by "Valse" by Strauss, and "Prelude" by Chopin, which will be a scarf dance. A spirited, gay dance, full of motion is "Life in Hungary" by Brahms. "Amaryllis" by Ghys, is a lively comic dance. The last number on the program is "Water Lily" by MacDowell. It represents a flower opening, the center unfolding, and the petals moving, and then at the end of the day the edges turn up as if the flower were closing.

The dances are under the direction of Edith Vail, physical education instructor. Members of Orchestris who will assist in the recital are: Jean Alden, Lucille Ambrose, Dorothy Charleson, Elizabeth Costelloe, Genevieve Dalling, Dorothy Davis, Warralene Lee, Selma Lotman, Georgia Kilgore, Anna Marie Mason, Virginia Moomaw, Grace Morgan, Josephine Orr and Ruth Wimberly.

## MORE STUDENTS AT WISCONSIN WORKING

### Survey Shows Increase in Those Partially Self-Supporting.

C. N. S.—Despite general labor conditions, 4,195 students or 54 percent of the entire student body at the University of Wisconsin are either partially or wholly self-supporting this year, it was announced this week by Miss Annie B. Kirch, university statistician.

The figure represents a proportional increase of 1 percent over last year, although the numerical total is somewhat lower, she said. Students who are entirely self-supporting this year total 1,655 or approximately 21 percent of the student body, her figures show.

Thirteen percent or 1,023 are more than half self-supporting.

## STATE TAXES GIVE ONLY 57.9 PERCENT UNIVERSITY INCOME

### Financial Report Classifies Revenue, Expenditures for Last Year.

State taxation funds made up only 57.9 percent of the University of Nebraska income for last year, according to the annual financial report of the university now being printed. The revenue from taxation funds was about \$190,000 less than the previous year.

Students contributed 34.6 percent of the university income for last year in the form of fees and departmental receipts. Federal funds compose 7.5 percent of the income with which the university is operated.

Disbursements for the past year, as indicated in the report, show that 63.6 percent of its money was spent for instruction. This included the cost of operating all colleges and schools, the College of Medicine hospital, the dental clinic and the physical plant. Agricultural experiment stations and extension service used 15.7 percent of the money.

Special activities required 6.4 percent, commercial activities, 6.3 percent and capital additions, 8.0 percent of the operation capital. The expenditures as classified

(Continued on Page 4.)

## SEVERAL AT WORK ON KOSMET MANUSCRIPTS

### Klub Offers Fifty Dollars for Best Play; Sets Jan. 9 Deadline.

Three persons have indicated that they will submit manuscripts for the annual Kosmet Klub spring show, which will probably be held next April, according to an announcement made yesterday by Jack Thompson, president of the Klub. Several others have declared their intention of submitting stories, he added.

The deadline for submitting all manuscripts has been set for Monday, January 9. All plays will be considered by a committee composed of both student and faculty members for the annual award of fifty dollars to the author of the play selected for the spring production.

No definite action has been taken by the Klub on the type of show to be produced, it was learned recently. The possibility of a variation from the all-male cast was considered, but nothing definite was decided pending the receipt of manuscripts for the show.

"Each manuscript submitted will be judged solely on its worth and entertainment possibilities," Thompson declared. "After the play has been selected, the Klub will decide whether it is best suited to an all-male cast of a mixed cast."

Anyone connected with the university is eligible to submit manuscripts for consideration by the Klub. Judging will start immediately after the deadline, and announcement of the winner and the winning story will be made as soon as possible after that date.

## FRANKFORTER WILL SPEAK

### Gives Lecture, Demonstration of Explosives at Meeting Tonight.

A lecture and demonstration of explosives will be given by Prof. C. J. Frankforter, assistant professor of chemistry, Thursday evening at 7:30 in the chemistry building lecture hall. The public is invited to the meeting which is sponsored by the Chemical Engineering society.

Films on explosives will be shown and Professor Frankforter will demonstrate more than forty different explosives.