

### CAMPUSOCIETY

**MONDAY MEETING DAY, TUESDAY** election day, Wednesday—Well there's not much you can say about the third day in the week, especially after hours of campaigning. Nothing more than a vaguely hopeful feeling seems to pervade the campus, and it will probably continue until after the Kosmet Klub presentation of Nebraska Sweetheart, and, of course, the Military Ball. With that hopeful attitude, however, comes a bit of speculation on what the most ardent campaigner is going to do about those neglected six weeks tests and ordinary lessons, but logic carries us to the fact that elections come but once a year—maybe twice, and on those all-important days, school work might be sacrificed, at least for a while.

**SEEN ON the campus:** John Jarmin remarking that it's alright for a fellow to date two girls in the same house, but bad policy for a girl to try dating two men of the same fraternity... Ted Bradley echoing the sentiment from experience at the Sigma Nu house... The Nebraska football team playing in the office and knocking down furniture in the fracas... Sid Baker acknowledging an introduction with an intriguing wink... Little Mary Jane French tugging hard at the Temple door and telling voters to choose Rathburn... Irving Hall tooting around in a new car... Ernestine Jones, Delta Gamma pledge, with Bill Berquist... Burt Marvin saying that the new slogan of the Ethiopian army is "don't let a daygo by"... Wood Shurtleff sitting beside Doris Johnson at the polls... and Bill Holister singing in a high tenor voice.

**DELTA UPSILON**, announced the initiation of Sid Baker of Lincoln; Dean S. Bullis of Norfolk; William Dugan of Lincoln; Smith Davis of Lincoln; Ralph L. Lindley of Columbus; Hank Meyers of Omaha; Lester E. Pankonin of Louisville; Samuel A. Swenson of Oakland; and Bob Weaver of Lincoln.

**GOING TO the Missouri-Nebraska** football game at Columbia are Phi Mu's Ruth Pyle, Eileen Powell, Peggy Heald, Leone Olson, Leona McBride, Dorothy Bates, Dorothy Chapelow and Erma Schacht.

**WHEN an enterprising young** soul dropped his vote in the ballot box for the new Nebraska song, he was asked by a rather inauspicious Cornoc which song he liked the best. "Rally Nebraska," was the answer, and a lucky one too, for the Cornoc was it's composer.

**ANNOUNCED Tuesday** was the marriage of Dorothy Helen Speddell of Lincoln and Walker S. Bennett, both of Lincoln, which took place Oct. 19 in Manhattan, Kas. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett have attended the university, where he was affiliated with Sigma Chi. The couple will live in Chicago.

**LAST night at the home of Mrs. Jack Wilson** the Chi Omega alumnae gathered for an informal meeting. About thirty guests attended the affair, and Mrs. William Folger, Mrs. Edward Jungbluth, and Miss Betty Jones were assisting hostesses.

**AND MORE fame** for former Nebraska students. This time it's Flora Albin, Tri Delta, who received the lead in the first of the series of the University Players of Northwestern university.

**SEEN in town** for a few days was George Sauer, of Delta Tau Delta, football note.

**SIG EP announces** the pledging of Milo Masterson of Fremont.

**Holdrege Street Histories**  
By Dick Laverty

'Twas a gala occasion—the Farmer's Formal of 1935. The Activities building, the scene of this spectacular event, was very fittingly and elaborately decorated for this social affair of affairs on the Ag campus. The setting was that of a barn yard on a cool summer evening. The stars and a crescent moon shined dimly above lending a romantic touch to the atmosphere. The entrance to the farmstead

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### Powell Picks a New One



William Powell and Rosalind Russell in "Rendezvous" Starting Friday at the Lincoln theater with "Wings Over Ethiopia"

### STUDENT EDITORIAL CONTEST INITIATED

**Undergraduate Paper Must Discuss Proposed Nye-Kvale Amendment.**

A contest to select the best editorial written by an undergraduate in any college or university in the United States on the subject "Why Congress Should Pass the Nye-Kvale Amendment" has just been announced by the Committee on Militarism in Education, 2929 Broadway, New York City.

The Nye-Kvale amendment is a proposed amendment to Section 40 of the National Defense Act, which, if enacted into law, will provide that no R. O. T. C. unit shall be established or maintained at any school or college "until such institution shall have satisfied the Secretary of War that enrollment in such unit (except in the case of essentially military schools) is elective and not compulsory."

The contest is open to all students in the university, with the provision that they must first submit their editorials to the Daily Nebraskan for publication. If, because of censorship or other reasons, the contestant cannot get his editorial published, he should send a copy of his editorial as written, together with a statement of the circumstances preventing publication, to the Committee on Militarism in Education.

Papers should be written in editorial form, from 800 to 1,200 words in length, and mailed not later than Jan. 3, 1936. Further information may be obtained at the office of the Daily Nebraskan.

### This Collegiate World

We learn by remote control that the girls in a certain boarding house at the University of Wisconsin now have placed little placards up beside the phones in the house. The placards say, "Gentlemen guests will please not answer calls."

It is a development of an embarrassing situation of last spring. One day the dean of women called the boarding house and a deep masculine voice answered, "Third floor."

A few days ago an announcement was made to the students on the McKinlock campus of Northwestern university. A voice class for amateur harmonizers was to be opened on the ninth floor of the Ward building.

One day after the class began the dean in charge moved his office from the eighth to the first floor.

Prophecy: One of the big foundations with headquarters in New York soon will make announcements of an outlay of hundreds of thousands of dollars for radio education.

"ESCORT INCORPORATED" It's a new firm doing business down on the campus of Washington university (St. Louis).

It's like this—four EMOC (big men on campus) have pooled their charm to make it easier for the campus girls to date them. They accept applications for a date from any girl provided she will furnish the money. The remainder will come from the men—their prestige, charm, their own cars and the evening's good time.

We do not know whether the boys retain the option of submitting an expense account after the party.

We shan't say what college paper this item came from, but it goes like this: "We regret to state that we did not have the information about John—correct. He is not an instructor, but a fellow. Dr. Wolf is not head of the botany department. There is no botany department. It's biology. It is not Durham university, but Duke university."

Dr. Loir of Le Havre, France: "If rats could be given intelligence tests they would rate higher than the average man."

Dr. Gibhousek of the University of Southern California: "There is absolutely no basis for comparison between rats and human beings."

Dr. Loir: "Rats outwit humans at every turn. The best trapping methods merely encourage polygamous habits, since traps catch the males that roam while the females stay with the young."

(We give you this in accordance with our policy of keeping strict account of what the best minds are thinking.)

Law students are quick to catch on. A story is now going the rounds, of a student whose law school fees were raised from \$40 to \$50. Canny, he looked at his college catalogue and the catalogue said fees were to be \$40. So he sued his college administration for the extra \$10. The whole law school faculty was lined up against him, but the judges gave the boy the nod. He won his case.

That reminds us of a similar incident at the University of Minnesota. Last year, the editor of the campus yearbook noticed that the athletic department was intending to charge admission to the Yale-Minnesota hockey series. The editor looked on the back of his season athletic ticket and saw that hockey was included in the sports covered by the ticket. He demanded in the name of the student body that ticket contract be kept and an uproar ensued. But the athletic department was "over the barrel," and was helpless.

Now that we have come to the end of this column we feel it safe to inform you that a professor of rhetoric at the University of Illinois has declared that "columnists belong to the moron school of writing."

### Movie Box

- STUART— "HANDS ACROSS THE TABLE"
- LINCOLN— "BRIGHT LIGHTS"
- ORPHEUM— "HERE COMES COOKIE" and "SUCCESSFUL FAILURE"
- LIBERTY— "HIDE OUT"
- SUN— "GOING TO TOWN"
- COLONIAL— "POWDER SMOKE RANGE" Westland Theater Corp.
- VARSIITY— "GRAND EXIT" "DIZZY DAMES"
- KIVA "AWAKENING OF JIM BURKE" "TAKE THE STAND"

### UNIVERSITY GRADUATES STUDY STATE INDUSTRY

**Nowacek, Shields Awarded Business Research Scholarships.**

A study of the accounting practices used by the Lincoln water and light company and a more general study of the publicly owned industries over the state with special reference to their accounting methods and unit costs of production and distribution are being undertaken this year by two university graduates. Charles G. Nowacek, Plattsmouth, has been awarded the E. H. Long business research scholarship and Charles R. Shields of Hastings the Miller & Paine award. Scholarships are for \$250 each.

Nowacek, an accountant, will confine himself to a definite study of the accounting methods employed by the city water and light department, while Shields, with the aid of reports and figures given him from publicly owned industries over the state, will review the situation with particular reference to accounting methods used and unit costs of production and distribution.

A graduate of Plattsmouth high school in 1930, Nowacek is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nowacek of that city. Shields is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Shields of Hastings. Both received their B.Sc. degree in the college of business administration this year. They are conducting these projects under Dr. T. B. Robb, chairman of the department of business research.

**Ministers Hear Hertzler.** Dr. J. O. Hertzler, chairman of the department of sociology, spoke before Lincoln Ministerial association on the subject, "Social Utopias, Past and Present."

### COLLEGE WORLD

Herbert Hoover, Jefferson Davis, Benjamin Franklin, Henry Hudson, William Penn, David Livingston and Ben Hur are registered at the Univ. of North Carolina this year.

A Professor Kipp of the law faculty at the University of Bonn, in Germany, was forced to resign recently because his maid patronized a Jewish butcher.

The game of lawn bowls, one of the oldest as well as one of the simplest of out-of-door games, is finding increased popularity in American colleges. Several schools now include it on their co-ed athletic programs.

Prof. R. H. Sherill of the University of North Carolina school of commerce took on five New York thugs recently when one of them took thirty cents from him. Although three radio patrol cars finished the thugs after Prof. Sherill had knocked out one of them, he is credited with a moral victory.

The Germans act Shakespeare better than anyone else, in the judgment of Prof. Elliot of the English department at Amherst.

Announcement of the discovery of a red tailed hawk new to science was made at Cornell university recently by Dr. George M. Sutton, creator of birds at the university.

### DUERFELDT, MAHER GET N.Y.A. GRADUATE FUNDS

**Students Doing Research Work on Loess Deposit of Nebraska.**

Leonard R. Duerfeldt, Gordon, and John C. Maher, Lincoln, graduate students in geology and conservation and survey, at the university, are doing research work on the loess of this state on allotments from N. Y. A. graduate funds. They are working on initial units of an extensive program of loess investigation that will probably extend to all states in the upper Mississippi valley and the northern great plains, which will be organized under the supervision of a committee of geological organizations, national in scope. Duerfeldt and Maher are now in the field collecting samples of the Peorian loess formation for later study in the laboratory. Their investigations will pertain mainly to studies of texture and calcium carbonate or acid soluble content. Their problems are under the supervision of Dr. A. L. Lugin, associate professor of geology.

"Loess," says Dr. Lugin, "is a wind blown deposit of silt and clay formed under conditions that have been similar to those which prevailed in Nebraska and adjacent states last spring during the dust storms. There has been an urgent need for this kind of research for a long time. Detailed geologic knowledge of the loess formations is highly essential in connection with general geological work, soil erosion, soil conservation, tree planting, land use, and irrigation. The present projects have been endorsed by the geology and agronomy departments, the conservation and survey division of the university, and also by the U. S. bureau of chemistry and soils."

### WINNERS ANNOUNCED IN TOTAL SCORE CONTEST

**Lloyd Cardwell Estimates Outcome of Oklahoma Football Game.**

The four winners of the Nebraska-Oklahoma estimating contest are announced by Gold and Co., sponsors of the contest. First prize of three Arrow shirts are awarded to Vernon Wickham, two shirts to Henry McMiller, and third prize of one shirt to Lloyd Cardwell. Fourth prize went to Edmund E. Dudek. Details of a new contest appear in Wednesday's edition of the Nebraskan.

### Coed Counselors Plan to Entertain Little Sisters

Coed Counselors, under the direction of Phyllis Jean Humphrey, and Marjorie Bannister, will entertain the little sisters at a picnic Thursday, Oct. 31, from 5 to 7 o'clock at Pioneers Park. Gladys Klopp is entertaining coed counselors and little sisters from agricultural college Friday evening at 7:15 on the ag campus.

### Frosh Takes to Rowing.

(By Associated Collegiate Press.) PRINCETON, N. J.—For the first time in the history of Princeton, more freshmen are interested in rowing than in football. A check of the class of 1939 showed 112 freshmen out for crew while 92

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### HALLOWE'EN MIDNIGHT MATINEE

—Thu., Oct. 31—4:15 P. M.— A free-for-all fun frolic packed with laughs... GEO. RAFT Joan Bennett 'SHE COULDN'T TAKE IT!' with Walter Connolly Billie Burke Regular Run Starts Friday

football aspirants reported for practice. Last year football attracted 90 men and crew only 73. Prospects for both freshman crew and football are excellent.

### Pennsylvania Students Go 'Questionnaire Crazy'

(By Associated Collegiate Press.) PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—A questionnaire skirmish recently enveloped men and women on the University of Pennsylvania campus. The Daily Pennsylvanian started it by asking the men whether they preferred pretty girls or the smart ones, slinky or fluffy evening dresses, and other questions of importance in higher education. The girls countered with a questionnaire for women students that began: "Do you like intelligent men or the typical college boy?"

### Engineering College Men Tell of Training Courses

Recent visitors in the engineering college were Carl A. Sonderegger, C. E., '35, and Frank V. Hulac, M. E., '28. Mr. Sonderegger, of the White Eagle Refinery of Augusta, Kas., reported his training course at the refinery a valuable experience. Mr. Hulac is connected with the Hulac Auto Shop and the Hulac Chevrolet Co., of Omaha.

### Darlington Tells of Germany.

Prof. George M. Darlington, assistant professor of accounting, spoke recently before young people of Vine Congregational church on the subject of "Present Conditions in Germany."

### Watson Gives Lecture Series.

A series of lectures on the general theme "The Problem of Personal Adjustment" will be given by Dr. W. E. Watson of the psychology department before the college group at First Methodist church.

### Dental Group Hears Barbour.

Members of Delta Sigma Delta, dental fraternity, heard Dr. E. H. Barbour, director of the museum, speak the past week on the subject of "Fossils of Nebraska," with special references to dentition of these preserved remains.

### Graduate Visits Campus.

Jess O. Weyand, M. E., '31, now principal of Marquette, Neb., high school, was a visitor on the engineering college campus Friday. Mr. Weyand was attending the Teachers convention.

### OLDFATHER SPEAKS TO STUDENTS OF CLASSICS

**Dean Discusses Theories of Decline of Roman Civilization.**

Taking for his subject the decline of ancient civilization, Dr. W. A. Oldfather, head of the classics department of the University of Illinois, spoke recently before a group of classics students in Morrill hall.

Dr. Oldfather first discussed several popular theories which attempt to explain the decline of Roman civilization—theories based on barbarian invasions, soil exhaustion, lack of gold and silver for currency, and the effects of malaria—and explained why these theories are inadequate. Then he advanced his own hypothesis, which attributes the decline to conditions within the civilization, namely, to the unjust distribution of wealth under the Roman legal and economic system.

"Under the Roman system," Dr. Oldfather stated, "there was no protection for the economically weak against the economically strong. The poorer class was continually being exploited; there were no fixed wages, fixed hours, or limitations on rate of interest. This led inevitably to a division of the people into two classes: A small group of the very rich, who could not by themselves repel the barbarian invaders, and a large group of the very poor, who were too discouraged to make any attempt to save their civilization."

### Teachers Ask for Climate Maps of State Climate

Many requests for climatic data maps of Nebraska are being made by teachers of the state, the geography department of the university reports. The maps show annual and seasonal temperature and rainfall in different sections of the state as well as maximum and minimum rainfall records. An interesting map by Dr. E. E. Lackey shows the amounts of rainfall which have fallen at certain periods in different parts of the state.

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