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We But Suggest.

PROBABLY one of the most apparently useless and yet quite customary tasks of a newly inaugurated editor is to propound principles and matters of policy to be followed during his term in office.

It is inevitable that with the coming of new personalities the trend of Nebraskan policies in different student fields will vary, perhaps drastically.

Undoubtedly criticisms will be encountered. Condemnations may be launched from many corners. Commendations, probably more sparse, will also be heard.

In a single principle the Nebraskan wishes to remain consistent. Espousal of the causes of the vast majority of students against the specialized groups which constantly endeavor to exploit them will be the Nebraskan's sincere objective.

The Nebraskan is an independent newspaper. It has no factional loyalties. In short, it is a business institution financially self-supporting and responsible for what it prints.

At present it is almost a recognizable fact that our university is failing to provide adequate educational stimuli necessary to the intellectual development of its students.

The Nebraskan, in short, favors measures which will give students a more sound and well rounded life, keeping them at all times informed as to campus activities, believing this a means of providing a more complete preparation for the life in which students will some day find themselves.

CONTEMPORARY COMMENT

Getting The Facts.

The open air of public discussion and communication is an indispensable condition of the birth of ideas and knowledge and of other growth into health and vigor.—John Dewey.

After considerable bandying of words back and forth, what was considered a definite step towards settlement of the comprehensive examination controversy was taken last week when a student committee on comprehensive met with a faculty committee to discuss advisable changes.

The meeting was fruitless. The faculty members, claiming that the students presented no factual bases for their anti-comprehensive arguments, sent the students away without passing judgment on their criticisms.

In answer to the charges of the faculty committee, the Daily Tar Heel will conduct a survey of students who have taken comprehensive examinations on the basis of the following questions:

- 1. Did your comprehensive examination or studying for your comprehensive affect the synthesis of your major course of study?
2. Did studying for your comprehensive interfere materially with your class and other routine work taken at the same time?
3. Was the examination too long, too short, or approximately the right length?
4. Did the examination stress detailed factual information, or was it general in its scope? Do you think a comprehensive examination should contain detailed factual information? Why?
5. Did you find that the examination covered material which was generally emphasized throughout the courses of your major?
6. Would you consider a course stressing the inter-relationships within your field more advantageous than the comprehensive which you took?
7. Approximately how many hours did you spend in preparation for your comprehensive examination? Do you think the effort was worth the results?
8. Name any particular aspects of the comprehensive examination you took which you especially liked or disliked.

The questions were written and revised to furnish an unbiased basis for getting to the heart of the matter. An attempt was made to avoid leading questions.

Let Freedom Ring The Cash Register Speaks.

Of late the air has been rent with loud bellowing of the American Liberty league. This group, claimant to the defense of American liberty, actually is a champion of the "status quo."

Let's look at the "Liberty" league. Last year it received \$483,175 and spent \$389,973. It paid, among other things, a salary and expense of over \$51,000 to its head, one Jovette Shouse.

Now where did all this money come from? Yes, of course, it came from the pockets of American people who believed that their liberty needed defending.

Here we have a delightful little group of people who attempt to give the impression they genuinely represent the voice of the nation. It is they who pay the expenses of the American Liberty league.

NEBRASKAN FIFTH IN COLLEGE NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING CONTEST

National Group Inspects Papers for Lineage, Originality.

The Daily Nebraskan was awarded fifth place in a nationwide advertising lineage building contest recently conducted among college newspapers under the sponsorship of Alpha Delta Sigma.

The winners ranking before the Nebraskan were: University of California, Daily Californian, first place; Stanford University Daily, second; University of Washington Daily, third.

GEOLOGISTS DESCRIBE OIL, GAS FORMATIONS

Increase in Oil Leases in State Bring Demand For Bulletin.

"Perno-Pennsylvania Section of the Hartville Area of Wyoming," a bulletin edited by G. E. Condra and E. C. Reed, has been just released from the press.

KURZ NEXT SPEAKER EXTENSION PROGRAM

Dr. Harry Kurz, chairman of the romance language department of the University of Nebraska, will be the next speaker on the extension division's university program at Fairbury which features lectures by faculty members of the institution.

Engineering Associations Hear Talk on Big Dam

Combined meetings of the American Association of Mechanical Engineers, the American Association of Civil Engineers and the Lincoln Engineers club were held Monday evening at 7:45.

MID-YEAR CLASS OF 132 STUDENTS GET SHEEPSKINS

(Continued from Page 1.) and Maurice E. Boren of Comstock. Midyear graduates: GRADUATE COLLEGE. Doctor of Philosophy. Warren Wesley Newow, Bradshaw. Howard G. Spencer, Omaha.

PROFESSOR DEPICTS BELGIUM IN ADDRESS

In a recent radio address, Prof. J. P. Weller, instructor in the French department, who was assigned a fellowship to make a study of Brussels in connection with the efforts of the American commission for relief in Belgium during the war, depicted the newly established government and the social life of that country.

George Edwin Baker, Casper, Wyo. Carroll Adkins Brown, Norfolk. McCleary Givler, Broken Bow. John Charles Keandy, Omaha. Lester Junior Pope, Omaha. Archie Campbell Powell, Omaha. George William Pughley, Broken Bow. Earl Charles Slaughter, Norfolk. Frank Arthur Threl, Trenton. Wiley Carl Zink, Omaha.

OFFICIAL BULLETIN

Tassels. Tassels will meet at 7 p. m. Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, at Ellen Smith hall.

Lutheran Students. Lutheran students will meet for their regular Bible hour Wednesday at 7 p. m. in room 203 of the Temple building.

Henzlik to Speak. Dean F. E. Henzlik of Teachers college will speak Thursday on "The Importance of Free Choice Activities in the High School" before members of the Beatrice Professional Education club.

Student Council. Student Council will meet Wednesday, Feb. 5, in the council rooms in U hall at 3 o'clock.

Bizad Executive Council. Bizad executive council will hold its regular meeting in the Campus studio at 5 o'clock, Tuesday, Feb. 4.

Soil Meet Open to Students. State and federal workers in the Soil Conservation Service will meet in room 110 in Nebraska Hall February 22 at 7:30 a. m.

Interfraternity Council. Interfraternity council will meet Tuesday, Feb. 4 at 7:30 in Morrill hall. All members are requested to be present.

Nu-Meds. Nu-med members will meet Wednesday, Feb. 3 at 6:15 at the Annex cafe.

Nebraska Reporters. Staff meeting of Daily Nebraskan reporters Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 4, at three o'clock.

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BUY— LAW RECORDS 60c to \$1.10 ea. ENGINEERING SETS HISTORY PAPER LOOSE-LEAF NOTEBOOKS ART MATERIALS FOUNTAIN PENS College Supply Store 1135 R Street Lincoln, Nebraska (Facing Campus)

\$25 PRIZE FOR BEST ART EXHIBIT POSTER. Nebraskans May Compete in Advertising Contest. People of the state will again have the opportunity of competing for \$25 in prize money for the best judged poster advertising the forty-sixth annual exhibit of the Nebraska Art association.

Nebraska Alumnus Deserts Teaching To Write Ballads. Prof. Derr Lehmer of the University of California, formerly a Nebraska student, has announced his intention of giving up his math classes to write ballads and operas.

EASY WAY TO CLOSE WINDOW AND TURN ON STEAM ON ZERO MORNING AND AN EASY WAY TO ENJOY A PIPE. ROOSTER SEES SUNRISE AND BEGINS TO CROW AND FLAP HIS WINGS. BREEZE FROM WINGS STARTS BLADES ON WINDLASS REVOLVING WHICH PULLS CATCH AND ALLOWS WINDOW TO DROP SHUT. ATTACHMENT ON WINDOW - LIFT TURNS ON STEAM IN RADIATOR ON CLOUDY DAYS STAY IN BED. P.A. HAS THE FLAVOR! AND I GET MORE PIPEFULS OUT OF THE BIG RED TIN. LISTEN, MEN: DON'T DECIDE ABOUT SMOKING-TOBACCO UNTIL YOU'VE TRIED P.A. ITS "CRIMP CUT" FOR SLOW, COOL SMOKING. PACKED WITH MELLOW FLAVOR. AROUND 50 SMOKES IN THE BIG 2-OZ. ECONOMY TIN. PRINGE ALBERT THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE!