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Y COMPLETES PLANS FOR MAY BREAKFAST

Winifred Nelson to Act As Toastmistress at Mothers Day Event.

Program plans have been completed for the closing event on the Y. W. C. A. activity, the annual May morning breakfast Sunday morning at 8:15 in Ellen Smith hall, honoring the mothers of members of the organization...



Meet Your Senator... We were dashing madly about the state house and later around a local hotel in an attempt to complete interviews with some 15 Nebraska unicamerality before they left for Lincoln...

Senator Ashmore... Lincoln Journal... Altho Senator Ashmore has had no previous legislative experience, he feels that he has learned more during this session of unicameral proceedings than he could have hoped to learn under any old system...

more business-like methods in governmental units and activities, and feels that one session of the new one-house setup can not act as a criterion for judgments of all unicameral legislatures...

SENIOR HONORARY ACTIVITIES TO 'TAP' MASK MEMBERS

(Continued from Page 1.) Delta, Chi Omega, Delta Delta Delta, Delta Gamma, Gamma Phi Beta, Kappa Alpha Theta, Kappa Delta, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Phi Mu, and Pi Beta Phi. Members of Delta Gamma will be defending the trophy which will go to the contest winner today...

About All We Can Do Is Try Another Batch

God, give us leaders. It's an annual prayer, and never so timely as the day when Nebraska's activities boys and girls graduate into the ranks of the senior honoraries...

Our prayer would not be doleful if those in high office had fulfilled their responsibilities during the past year. The need would not be keenly felt had students in elective positions—principally the Student Council—increased the value of extra-curricular life for the average student...

The record of this supreme governing body has little to commend it. Members mulled over factional politics, meddled with other organizations, and appropriated new powers for their own use—all with little or no constructive accomplishment...

Their opportunities for fruitful labor were ignored. The student bookstore, supposedly a student enterprise in part, was allowed to fall into administration hands, and its professed "savings" to student buyers have become a farce. Only one student forum—that one successful enough to warrant many more—was held. When an enterprising group of juniors presented a class organization program, they were delayed and ridiculed by needless committee bickering...

can take credit for work on the union constitution.

The student leaders, more than ever before, must realize that their election or appointment is the beginning of, and not the prize for their labors. A wider field of opportunities is open to the new class, and the rest of the campus, with more at stake than in any previous year, should demand that they meet the challenge...

Student responsibilities on the union building governing board will eclipse those of any single organization now on the campus. The bookstore must become something more than a profitable administrative sideline. Student forums should become the center of campus controversial interest...

Other opportunities, some ancient and some untouched, are still open to well-directed work. A series of great artists and noted speakers convocations would be a valuable addition to this university community. Possibilities in special fields, such as the organization of unaffiliated students, are endless. Housing conditions for those living off fraternity row could stand a thorough cleaning. The university building program, with the addition of a men's dormitory, still demands student efforts...

If Nebraska's spring election could become contests over issues instead of popularity of individual candidates, half of these problems of student government would be solved. But no little goods ever had clay feet half as lifeless as the faction platforms worshipped for the limited period of two campaign days...

We can only pray that some of the new Innocents, Mortar Boards, and student council members will take their positions seriously, and consider their new offices more than a reward for smoking campaign cigars with the right people.

"TWO-BITS" Will be added to the weekly pay check of every Italian father whose home is "blessed" with a child.

For two children the ante will be raised to 63 cents. Three children means 90 cents and four babes makes the father eligible for a \$1.50 increase. When a brood of ten is acquired, \$3.75 extra goes his way. This is how Premier Mussolini plans to check the decline in the Italian birthrate as part of his scheme to raise more children for the future of Italy. Viva la duce!

INCREASE of two justices in the supreme court's membership was proposed by Senator McCarran of Nevada, one of the democratic opponents of President Roosevelt's court reform, as a substitute for the administration's original plan. The Nevada's proposal was a departure from precedent as heretofore suggestions have come in the form of amendments to the bill. It seems that plans come and go, compromises and substitutes, but President Roosevelt is sticking to his guns in demanding the judiciary reform as he wants it.

COUNCIL PLACES VETO ON CLOSED NIGHT PRIVILEGE

(Continued from Page 1.) election of Ivy Day orator was also revised. The revised method provides that any senior in any college is eligible to file but that only junior and senior men may vote for the orator. In the recent Ivy day orator election, the whole campus voted.

Officers Elected May 12. Selection of a new sophomore barb woman to replace Virginia Noite, declared ineligible under the A. W. S. point system, was deferred until the next student council meeting.

Officers for next year's council will also be elected at the next meeting to be attended by present members and those who will be elected to the council in the Tuesday, May 11, election. Student members of the publication board will also be elected in Tuesday's poll.

ONLOOKERS CATCH FIRST GLIMPSE OF MAY QUEEN AT 11

(Continued from Page 1.) semi-circle beneath the blue-pillared stage.

Presidents Plant Ivy. Then with attendants, pages, crown bearer, flower girls and train bearers, the queen will ascend the throne. After being crowned, she will preside while the Ivy Day poem is read and the Ivy is planted by Bob Wadhams and Floyd Baker, presidents of the junior and senior classes.

Winner of the Ivy day poetry contest will not be revealed until the time for the reading appears. The poem has been selected by judges from the university English department. Author of the traditional verse will read the poem.

Oration, Sing On Program.

Preceding the crowning of the queen this morning, will be the Interfraternity sing and the Ivy Day oration by Frank Landis from the queen's dial. The oration will be presented at 10:15. Landis was chosen by an all campus vote for the distinctive honor of presenting the oration.

Interest and predictions for the names of the May Queen, Maid of Honor, attendants, pages, and chain leaders, has been running high over the campus for the past two weeks. The erection of the traditional dais and grandstands in the triangle between the Administration building and old Nebraska hall has only intensified the interest.

Girls who will appear in the Daisy chain procession preceding the May Queen's appearance will be: Raymond Hall; Esther Mae Brewer, Louise Marshall and Genevieve Agnew; Alpha Omicron Psi; Ellen Funder, Elizabeth Smith and Wilma Putnam; Alpha Phi; Jean Morgan, Eva Jane Sings and... Delta; Jane Pennington, Evelyn Taylor and Lois Callan; Chi Omega; Jean Chiles, Pauline Bowen and Jean Kreis.

Delta Delta Delta; Maxine Lake, Dorothy McClellan and Mildred Holliday; Delta Gamma; Nan Talbot, Virginia Lee and Louise Macee; Gamma Phi; Helen Kovandis, Maurine Tecker and Dorothy Koser; Kappa Delta; Dorothy Swodes, Maxine Federle and Mary Francis Stewart; Kappa Kappa Gamma; Elizabeth Waugh, Harriet Cummer and Ruth Newell; Phi Mu; Margaret Dickerson, Rita Alger and Lucretia Green; Phi Mu; Lorraine Elmberg, Jean Fry and Kay Eason.

Sigma Kappa; Maxine Whistler, Wilma Jones and Arlene Lee; Howard and Wilson halls; Irma Pittman, Camilla Conger and Mary Butler; Ross Boston hall; Merna Trautman and Ruth Green; Barb A. W. S.; Faith Medler, Bartlett and... Sigma Delta Tau; Ross Hill, Marcella Kinnon and Harriet Byron; Kappa Alpha Theta; Susanne Shock, Margaret McKay and Joan Spangier.

Visitors May View Marvels Of Modern Science Tonight

(Continued from Page 1.) Stripes Forever" was sounding out, first normally, then with only piccolos and the like, and finally merely with a basso rumber, all of which is slightly disconcerting to a proper appreciation of the selection's beauty, of course, but highly amusing.

Another electrical engineering exhibit to pique the visitor's curiosity is one labeled "perpetual motion?" Here a small wheel of a metal called permalloy, which is very magnetic, slowly revolves in continuous motion without seeming reason. Part of the secret (the e. s. s. aren't quite sure whether they want to tell all) lies in artificially induced temperature changes which lower the permeability of the metal in the wheel so that the force of a small magnet is greater in one direction and pulls the wheel around.

The wonders of liquid air will be shown in a display set up by mechanical engineers in the mechanical engineering building. Prof. Jiles W. Hanesy, chairman of the department, will conduct the demonstration and give an accompanying lecture. He will show such experiments as freezing mercury so hard in the liquid air that it may be used as a hammer.

Chemical engineers will exhibit industrial displays in Avery laboratory, and show the latest methods now used in the refining of oil. Lectures will also be given every 30 minutes in the auditorium.

Architectural engineers have set up displays in the campus studio, showing drawing plans and models of modern building and landscaping. In mechanical arts hall, civil engineers will show their surveying equipment and conduct a water purification demonstration. In the same building the applied mechanics department will conduct tests showing the strength of various materials, and display outstanding working drawings done by students.

Also in mechanical arts hall, the agricultural engineers will demonstrate the effects of erosion and show recent developments in rural electrification by means of models. For the first time military engineers will exhibit the latest in army engineering equipment in Nebraska hall in a display showing the engineering side of war.

Demonstrations of how poisons are detected, on the preparation of cosmetics and medicinal drugs, and on the analysis of foods and drugs are just a few of the fascinating attractions promised visitors to Pharmacy hall by pharmacy students. Spectators will be invited to take part in color vision tests, blood pressure demonstrations, hearing demonstrations, and the like, a never failing method of attraction.

Geologists will exhibit in Morrill hall where space will be given over to experiments in the handling and analyzing of ores, sediments, and fossils. Displays of minerals and a tour of the museum will also be offered for the visitors' amusement and (no getting away from it) education.

PONTIAC TO SELECT VARSITY SHOW CAST FOR FRIDAY PROGRAM

(Continued from Page 1.) appear for tonight's rehearsal: Winners of the Interfraternity and Intersorority sing: Don Boehm and the master singers. Violin solo by Thomas McManus. The Shildeck trumpet trio. Bonaphone solo by Warren Templeton. Ocarino trio.

John Held, jr., master of ceremonies for the Pontiac Varsity Show, is assisting Mr. Whyte in arranging the broadcast program which goes on the red network of the N. B. C. at 8:30 p. m. Coliseum doors will be opened at 7:30 and closed at 8:15. Free tickets of admission, which must be presented at the door, may be secured in ag hall, Daily Nebraska office, alumni office, school of music office and student activities office.

Harold E. Wise, supervisor of sciences in teachers college, is author of an article "Visual Aids in Science Teaching" which appears in the May issue of The School Executive.

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Barbarisms

Do or Don't They Give a Damn?

By John and Joan Barb.

It can't be true, it seems almost beyond the realm of possibility for such a thing to come about but it has, for a fact it has. In the short space of only three days no less than two students pulsed on the barb situation have found their way to the editor. "The barbs don't give a damn," says Adrienne Griffith. "The barbs do give a damn," says Kenneth Mill. Neither offers a practical remedy to pacify or satisfy the "hair-tearing barb political leaders" but the mere fact of their writing indicates that there are hidden about the campus a few barbs who do care enough to stand up on their hind legs and shout what they think.

Two out of 4,158 barbs is hardly enough percentage to give the "lie" to the oft-voiced claim of barb insensibility to campus affairs, but it is a step in the right direction. Pulse contributors Griffith and Hill were at least conscious of the fact that there were barb and Greek students on the campus and that the unaffiliates were trying to accomplish things in a political and social way.

John and Joan Tell All:

For over two months Joan and John Barb have been columnizing for the barb cause, trying to let you know what is going on, trying to bring about a modicum of barb solidarity. Thus far we have withheld our own opinion as to what is really wrong in the barb camp. Today we let down all restraint and tell you. If you agree with us say so; if you don't, say so; but for gosh sakes say so!

The reason barbs don't care is not because they won't, but because they can't. And our reason for saying so is based upon a little private delving into barb political history, and a great deal of personal back of the scenes observation of barb-Greek political "deals."

In the past elections barbs have been sold down the river. We wait only until the publication of the list of student council candidates to pass out judgment in this. In brief: The whole history of the barb group, but especially of the Interclub council, indicates that yearly one or two politically ambitious barbs obtain control of certain united barb groups. The next year they go fawn upon fraternity faction bosses; pledge the whole barb vote if the faction will promise to nominate even only them—one or two men mind you—and let the rest of the barbs go hang. Why should they care about the rest of the barbs? They are nominated and that's that. Last year the barbs chummed with the progressives, got one man nominated for the student council, one for the publications board—elected only the pub board candidate.

In next Tuesday's election the barbs are teamed with the Liberal party. In joining this faction, the Barb Inter-club leaders were promised 50 percent representation. Under such an arrangement the Barbs should be given six, certainly no less than five candidates on the Student Council ticket. Have they received them? If not, we promise

you, there are, assuredly, two somethings rotten in Denmark!

Reform.

Activities, say Joan and John Barb, of the Barb A. W. S. board and the Barb Inter-club council should be correlated, and the two groups made responsible to the common Barb Council. The Council itself should be given a new constitution, and a new set of duties. Merely sponsoring the Varsity parties in insufficient reason for its existence. If some progressive action is not instituted it is time for Dean Thompson, Dean Heppner, and the Student Council judiciary committee to take a hand. If the Barb Council cannot perform a truly valuable function for the campus unaffiliates, it might just as well be scrapped—the sooner the quicker.

We believe that the council can have a valuable function; but its rests upon you, Barbs, whether such new and more powerful functions are given it. To Barbs, the election of Barb Council nominees Tuesday is more important than the Student Council election. ANY Barb may vote for Barb Council members, and by the choice of his candidates, can affect the desired changes in the organization.

Mrs. Martin Johnson Views, Admires Nebraska Museum

(Continued from Page 1.) men, attached to the personnel of Morrill hall, Mrs. Johnson, smart in 20th century street dress of black shirred chiffon, black accessories, and silver fox, was wheeled about between the glass cases of animals almost as old as time itself.

She expressed much admiration for two enormous tusks suspended from the ceiling of elephant hall and explained how she had seen great tuskers in Africa so wearied by the weight of their own ivory that they would rest their tusks on banks, on limbs of trees, and even on the backs of other elephants.

The ancestral beaver in the Morrill paleontological collection, the very small, came in for more interest on Mrs. Johnson's part than any other animal but the giant mammoth.

Chased by Rhinoceroses. The camels on the other hand seemed to come as a distinct surprise, since Mrs. Johnson's training and knowledge as a naturalist had led her to believe that the Nebraska soil was too inhospitable for camels. A woman who has been chased up trees by rhinoceroses, however is not phased by so ordinary a matter as a camel.

From two to three o'clock Wednesday afternoon she toured the halls, regally, like a queen, with her retinue following, ready with explanations of the fossils they passed. As one of the staff members remarked later, however, Mrs. Johnson gave them more information than they gave her, talking of her experiences with flesh and bone beasts like the stuffed ones in the cases.

Tour Exhausts Her.

At three o'clock an urgent engagement cut her visit of inspection short, and she was carried back to her car exhausted by her day's activities, since this was the first day she had been allowed to walk at all since the plane accident that took her husband's life.

Half an hour later, following a speedy change, she was in soft and clinging white, with a corsage of flowers, turning that dark-eyed childish look of hers as eagerly into the face of the orpheum theater

audience as she had turned it thru the blank and shining sides of the glass cases to the bones and fossils of Morrill Hall.

FIVE NEBRASKANS TO SPEAK BEFORE SCIENCE ACADEMY

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ings. This sectional meetings is expected to be of special interest to Nebraskans since it will feature a chronological presentation of climate and conservation in the middle west including a discussion of prehistoric hunting at the central great plains region, rainfall statistics since 1899, a discussion of variability rainfall maps for the same region, and addresses on conservation, land use readjustment, the shelter belt and wild life.

Melchers to Describe Nile Life.

A description of "Life and Scenes Along the Nile" by Dr. L. E. Melchers, chairman of the department of botany and pathology at Kansas State, will highlight the 8 o'clock assembly Friday evening. Dr. Melchers organized the department of mycology for the Egyptian government from 1927 to 1929, making a study of the plant diseases of the Nile valley. The annual society banquet to be held Friday evening at 6 will feature an address on "Factors in the Destiny of Man" by Dr. C. J. Shirk, professor of biology at Nebraska Wesleyan university.

More than 200 delegates from the various institutions of the state are expected to attend the meeting, and over 130 papers will be read at the 12 different sectional meetings. Most of the latter will deal with late scientific developments in all fields with many directly applicable to Nebraska, according to Dr. Weaver. He invites everyone interested to attend both the general and the sectional meetings. Sectional meetings will begin promptly at 9 o'clock both Friday and Saturday mornings, and again at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

ANNUAL BIZAD PICNIC PLANS REACH FINISH

(Continued from Page 1.) game, highlight of the afternoon, will be revealed at three o'clock Friday. Professor C. O. Swayzee, speaking in behalf of the faculty, said that they would be able to boast of a first class team. He predicted that the faculty would win by the lop-sided score of 24 to 2.

"A close race" was all that John Howell would predict regarding the game. Eddie George, Les Pankonin and other bizad students bore him out in this, but hoped to give the faculty the short end of a stiff fight. Dancing will start at Antelope park about three o'clock, according to the entertainment committee of Bob Avery, Ed Markytan and Quince Scott. Kay Risser, Helen Rosken and Marian Butler are in charge of the picnic lunch which starts at noon. Lloyd Ellis and Jim Grey are in charge of transportation.

"Seeing Color Around You" was the subject of an address by Prof. Dwight Kirach, chairman of the fine arts department, at Smith Center and Atwood, Kas, Thursday and Friday. Mr. Kirach illustrated his address with natural color photographs. The lectures were sponsored by the Kansas State college agricultural extension division as a feature of their better homes program for rural

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