

# NYA STUDENTS HAVE HIGHEST SCHOLARSHIP

## Those Earning Government Funds Rate Above Student Body.

Scholastic averages compiled at the University of Nebraska showing the ratings of NYA students as compared to other groups on the campus revealed that the 893 students attending the university on government funds this year established a scholarship record considerably above that for the entire student body. According to Dean T. J. Thompson's data, NYA seniors the first semester this year were surpassed only by the highest ranking professional sorority and fraternity, and were superior in scholarship to the regents scholarship winners.

NYA juniors were slightly behind the senior group but ranked ahead of the highest ranking social fraternity and sorority. Next in the NYA group came the sophomores whose scholastic average for the semester was above that of the sorority women and the all women rating, while NYA freshmen were still above the all student semester average and the non-NYA freshman average.

There were a total of 730 students employed on National Youth Administration projects at the university for the school year 1935-36 as compared to 893 the present year. Undergraduates earned on an average of \$14.65 per month. Students having such employment carried approximately 13.7 credit hours, which was slightly less than the all student average of 14.2.

Following are the comparative scholastic ratings for the first semester:

|   | Ave.  | Approx. Grade |
|---|-------|---------------|
| High. Professional Sorority             | 3.285 | 86.09         |
| High. Professional Fraternity           | 3.024 | 83.89         |
| NYA Seniors                             | 2.976 | 83.47         |
| Regents Scholarship Students (Freshman) | 2.896 | 82.72         |
| NYA Juniors                             | 2.820 | 82.00         |
| High. Social Fraternity                 | 2.806 | 81.87         |
| High. Social Sorority                   | 2.714 | 81.01         |
| NYA Sophomores                          | 2.658 | 80.48         |
| NYA Women                               | 2.643 | 80.34         |
| All NYA students                        | 2.577 | 79.72         |
| NYA Men                                 | 2.544 | 79.41         |
| All Sorority Women                      | 2.488 | 78.88         |
| All Women                               | 2.482 | 78.84         |
| Non-Sorority Women                      | 2.481 | 78.82         |
| NYA Freshmen                            | 2.311 | 77.22         |
| All Students                            | 2.182 | 75.82         |
| Non-Fraternity Men                      | 1.987 | 74.16         |
| All Men                                 | 1.979 | 74.08         |
| All Fraternity Men                      | 1.963 | 73.81         |
| All Freshmen in the Uni.                | 1.909 | 73.36         |
| Non-NYA Freshmen                        | 1.806 | 72.30         |

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## Strange Knowledge From Exam Papers

NORMAN, Okl. (ACP.) Strange bits of knowledge that drifted in on English final exams given to freshmen at the University of Oklahoma added to the general education of paper correctors. They learned that a church has "spirals" and that celibacy is a "weakness of the mind."

A Spenserian stanza was defined as "eight lines of iambic pentameter followed by an Australian with six feet."

And embers "glowered from the hearth" on one novel paper.

"The average student emerges with unity, coherence and emphasis twisted into a double bow knot under his chin and a mixed metaphor in his pocket," sighed Instructor Lucille Searcy.

## Would Change Approach To Teaching Endeavor

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psychological tests as guidance material; and he put forth the warning that such tests should be neither completely rejected nor rigidly accepted as conclusive in their findings. "Guidance," he further stated, "requires continuous, rather than spasmodic, inquiry into the aptitudes and growth of the individual."

Miss Gladys J. Shamp, state director of the National Youth Administration also spoke at the Tuesday afternoon session. She discussed vocational guidance and training as a major objective of the NYA.

Wednesday morning, Dr. Carol R. Reed, superintendent of the Minneapolis, Minn., schools, Mrs. Charles E. Roe, of the National P. T. A. congress, and Dr. Cecil W. Scott, professor of education at the university, were the speakers. Mrs. Roe also spoke at the annual conference dinner at the University club Wednesday evening. The second afternoon session included a second talk by Dr. Reed and an address by Miss Harriett Town, director of child welfare and supervisor of vocational guidance in the Lincoln public schools.

The conference will close with the following schedule for today:

**Morning Session.**  
Miss Clara O. Wilson, presiding, Professor of Primary and Elementary Education, University of Nebraska.  
9:00-9:40—Address, "A Concept of Discipline," Mr. Blatz.  
9:40-10:00—Discussion by Mr. D. A. Worcester, professor of educational psychology, University of Nebraska.  
10:00-10:30—Address, "The Function of Measurements in Guidance," Mr. Dewey B. Stult.  
10:30-10:50—Discussion led by Mr. Fred Archer, Supt. of Schools, Loup City.

**INTERMISSION**  
11:00-11:40—Address, "The Selection and Salvaging of Guidance Materials," Mr. Toops.  
11:40-12:00—Discussion led by Mr. E. W. Lantz, Associate Professor of Secondary Education, University of Nebraska.

**Afternoon Session.**  
Mr. O. H. Werner, presiding, Professor of Principles of Education, University of Nebraska.  
2:00-2:30—Address, "Some Practical Applications of Guidance as the Dean of Girls Sees Them," Miss McLain.  
2:30-2:50—Discussion led by Mr. H. C. Mardis, Principal, Lincoln High School.  
2:50-3:30—Address, "Guidance as State-Wide Planning," Mr. Toops.  
3:30-4:10—Address, "An Analysis of Modern Education," Mr. Blatz.

## Speech Department Plans Present 'As You Like It'

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Harmon will find difficult to fill. From early rehearsals, Harmon promises to uphold well the family acting reputation.

Supporting these three will be a group of well known Players including: Delford Brummer as Touchstone; Robert Weaver as Old Adam; Paul Bogen as Oliver; Marjorie Thomas as Celia. Leading the group of shepherds will be Arthur Ball as Silvius. Mr. Ball as the "ond Gravedigger in the spring production of "Hamlet" showed an unusual ability for the "yokel" parts. His talents are being capitalized to the nth degree. With him will be Lois Patterson as Rube; Portia Boynton as Audrey; and Frances Brandt as Corin.

A low admission charge has been set so that all summer school students will have an opportunity of attending. The high school orchestra and chorus students have been invited to attend the Wednesday night performance as the guests of the department. There will be no reserve seats, and the production has been scheduled for 7:30.

The complete cast follows:  
Orlando ..... Harmon Rider  
Adam ..... Robert Weaver  
Oliver ..... Paul Bogen  
Duke Frederick ..... Robert Reade  
Charles ..... Arthur Ball  
LeBeau ..... William Miller  
Touchstone ..... Delford Brummer  
Banished Duke ..... John Gaeth  
Jacques ..... HART JENKS  
First Lord ..... William Miller  
Second Lord ..... Paul Fuenning  
Silvius ..... Arthur Ball  
Corin ..... Frances Brandt  
Rosalind ..... Helen Lawrence Ames  
Celia ..... Marjorie Thomas  
Phebe ..... Lois Patterson  
Audrey ..... Portia Boynton

"Tuesday Evenings" have been reserved by the department of speech this summer for special dramatic programs. Friends of the department have been invited to attend, as well as those whose interests are for things dramatic. Last Tuesday Miss Portia Boynton, '37, presented a modern play in dramatic recital. This week the department is concentrating on the production of "As You Like It."

During the week of July 5-10 no activity has been planned since vacation, the high school orchestral and choral concerts and the all school party will demand student attention. An experimental bill of one act plays is in preparation for July 13th. Mr. Belford Brummer will present "Winterset" July 20th, with Miss Virginia Amos, '37, concluding the series of programs July 27th with a dramatic recital of "What Every Woman Knows." No admission is charged for these "Studio Theater Evenings."

## WOMEN'S SWIMMING HOURS ANNOUNCED

Free Sessions Are From 5, 6 Thru Week; Earlier Saturday.

Women swimmers may enjoy recreational swimming hours at the coliseum pool each afternoon except Sunday, it was announced by Miss Rausch, instructor in the physical educational department. Free hours on the five days from Monday thru Friday will be from 4 to 5. On Saturday the hour from 1:30 to 3:30 will be open. Those wishing to swim must

obtain a swimming permit from the student health service, and must come equipped with cap and shoes. A fee of 10 cents will be charged for towel and suit.

Those wishing to register for women's physical education classes without credit may do so now without payment of the fee for late registration, according to announcement from the office of the registrar. Classes open during the summer include a beginning class in tennis at 8, a beginning class in golf at 4, beginning classes in swimming at 8, 9, 10, and 2, and an intermediate class in swimming at 3.

## BUREAU ANNOUNCES 27 TEACHING JOBS

### Graduates Appointed to Teach in Various Parts of State.

The following teaching placements were reported to the university teacher placement bureau: June Waggener, Dorchester. Gretcher Stein, Wilcox. Iellene Warren, Fullerton. May Burkholder, Norfolk. Irmel Williams, McCook. Earl Bowen, Laurel. Merlyn J. Cook, Hordville. Ervin Brier, Waverly. C. C. Scofield, Shelby. Leona Degner, Gary, S. D. Wilbur Olson, Dawson. Greley Price, Wolbach. Marjorie Cass, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Carol Ann Shaw, Milford. Ailene Verity, Davey. Vance Leininger, Stanton, Ia. Helen Willard, Hampton. Helen Leslie, Clearwater. Steven Watkins, Newman Grove. Virginia Smith, Decatur. Margaret Wilke, Sutherland. Allen Anderson, Dunning. Paul Miller, Bird City, Kas. Jeanette B. Hoffman, Kiowa, Colo. Evelyn Fosler, Culbertson. Dorothy Bogardus, Fairmont. Charlotte Mayfield, Nehawka.

## GRADUATE STUDENTS GIVEN SCHOLARSHIPS

Miss Katherine King, candidate for a master of arts degree in English, was awarded the Mortar Board scholarship. It was announced by Dean Fred Upson, of the graduate college. Among other fellowship and scholarship winners that were announced at the same time were the Wolf Memorial fellowship in philosophy, which was won by Francis Wickersham, candidate for a master's degree in psychology.

Robert Rundle and Robert Upson, candidates for the master of science degree in chemistry were announced as winners of the Samuel Avery Memorial fellowships in chemistry. The Parke-Davis fellowships in chemistry were awarded to Kenneth Banks, Albert Beguin, Stephen Binkley, and Julius Capps, candidates for the doctor of philosophy degree in chemistry.

Dr. James M. Reinhardt, professor of sociology, is author of an article appearing in Character and Personality, entitled "Hereditity and Environment."

## GUILFORD WRITES FOR NEW BOOK ON COLOR

### Inter-Society Color Council in Washington Prepares Manuscript.

Dr. J. P. Guilford's name is to be included in a volume entitled "Who's Who in Color" that is being prepared by the inter-society color council of Washington, D. C. The book is to contain the names of those who work with color from a theoretical and educational standpoint. Dr. Guilford's investigations have been mostly confined to the measurement of color preferences in an attempt to derive psychological laws of reference. He left for California Thursday to attend the meeting of the Western Psychological association at Pamona college where he will read a paper on "The Psychophysics of Mental Test Difficulty." He also expects to attend the convention of the American Psychological association and the Psychometric society in Minneapolis during the summer.

## ROLAND WELSH WINS SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Dean J. E. LeRossignol of the college of business administration at the University of Nebraska announced that Roland B. Welch of Manning, Ia., has been awarded the Miller & Paine business research scholarship, awarded each year to an outstanding student in the college. Welch received his A. B. degree in June from Morning Side college in Sioux City and will work toward his master's degree next year at the University of Nebraska. While the particular project which he will undertake has not been definitely decided, Welch will make a study of some field of Nebraska business as a requirement for his advanced degree. The scholarship is for \$250.

Prof. Clifford Spangle of the college of business administration will be an examiner for the state insurance department during the summer.

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