

Collegiate editors believe . . . Recent Fascist combinations are aimed at United States

By Associated Collegiate Press.
How serious and how immediate is the "triple threat" to America from Rome, Berlin and Tokyo? Collegiate editorialists are speculating freely these days, and their near-unanimity of opinion is remarkable.

Recent decision of the three fascist powers to collaborate more closely, reasons the Tech, published at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, "is designed to prevent the United States from entering the conflict by threatening a war on two fronts if we keep extending our help to Great Britain."

At Brown university, the Daily Herald sees the Nordics, the Latins, and the Orientals, with much flexing of muscles, proclaiming "their joint supremacy and the utter waste of resistance to such a strength as they represent." But the Herald asks: "What strength? It is meet that we should examine these claims of totalitarian invincibility and our own puerility." Proceeding with such an analysis, the Herald believes "the first axiom which, until disproved, we must accept, is the impossibility of the defeat of Britain. So long as Britain stands we are secure in Europe, and the boasts of the axis are but empty prattling so far as their ability to harm us is concerned. And so long as China stands we are secure in Asia. Our shields are friends, and our only intelligent, our only possible course is to re-enforce these shields. The British have learned. The Chinese have learned. And we must learn that the only thing we have to fear is fear."

Aid to Britain.

The Butler Collegian feels that "this democracy should continue economic aid to Great Britain, for only the maintenance of the British navy will enable the U. S. navy to remain in the Pacific ocean. The treaty threatens the United States only when this nation decides to do what Hitler and his colleagues wish us to do—be negative, cease to strengthen the British military machine, and let Japan go about her imperialistic way, uninterrupted."

The Eastern Teachers College (Ill.) News advises that "our best answer to the pompous threat of the totalitarian powers is to ignore it. Continue to increase our aid to England and China, who seem to be keeping the dictators fairly

ASCAP sponsors music contest

The American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, is sponsoring a contest for musical plays written by one or more university students and produced and staged in costume. The play will be judged on originality, practicalness and neatness.

Each year the society sponsors such a contest. It awards prizes to each of the eight divisions of the U. S. Nebraska is in the fifth division which comprises Iowa, Kansas, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Minnesota. The prize for the best play is \$750. Any student interested should see Armand Hunter in Temple theatre, or Myron Roberts in the school of music.

busy at the present time, and make ourselves strong at home."

New Mexico Lobo likewise calls upon America to stifle its hysteria about the newest phase of axis diplomacies. "The alliance," agrees the Lobo, "just isn't news." These three nations have been informally in a state of cohesion since Germany began its ambitious onslaughts, and the mere addition of a theoretical formality to a known actuality should be no reason for additional jitters."

The Michigan Daily believes that "Japan in recent days has executed one of the most precipitous backdowns in diplomatic history. Whether the Japanese will persist in sneak aggressions and convert grabs under their apologetic smoke screen remains to be seen. In any event, prevailing ideas about the importance of 'face' in Oriental psychology need revision."

National student . . .

Survey shows college opinion divided on Willkie—Roosevelt

By Joe Belden, Editor.
Student Opinion Surveys of America.

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 1.—American college opinion is almost equally divided between Franklin Roosevelt and Wendell Willkie.

Results tabulated this week for the first Student Opinion Surveys of America poll of the college year show the republican candidate with a minute lead of one-half of one percent. Willkie's majority is so slim that, considering the allowable margin of error (3 or 4 percent) in all scientific sampling, it would be more appropriate to say that college students are about evenly divided on the two candidates.

The DAILY is cooperating with the surveys and nearly 150 other college newspapers in conducting these polls established in 1938 by the University of Texas. Reports of national college opinion, based on a proportional sample of students from Maine to California, will appear weekly.

Scores of personal interviewers using uniform methods over this cross section of campuses asked students, "Whom do you want to see elected president in November?"

Willkie, said 50.5 percent
Roosevelt, said 49.5 percent
(Of all the students interviewed, 6 percent declared they had not

Poultry group plans contest

Ag college students will have an opportunity to compete for poultry honors Saturday afternoon, Nov. 2, in the animal husbandry building on ag campus.

Ribbons will be awarded in the junior and senior divisions by the sponsor of the contest, the Poultry Science club, and the high individuals of the entire contest will also be given ribbons.

On Nov. 9 the Poultry Science club, in co-operation with the Home Ec. club, will present a Sadie Hawkins dance, at which event the winners of the poultry judging contest will be announced.

Property law should facilitate transfer—Foster

Dean Henry H. Foster of law college, speaking before the 33rd annual convention of the Nebraska Title Association in Hotel Lincoln Friday said, "In an agricultural state such as Nebraska, it is important that our property law facilitates the transfer of property, allowing it to be disposed of according to the intention of the owner, unless violating some rule of law based upon an existing public policy." The title of his address was "Modernizing Nebraska Property Law."

American property law, Dean Foster stated, has developed from the feudal land law of England. Harmful survivals of this law in England have been eliminated by the Property Act of 1925. In America the Uniform Property Act has been framed by the joint efforts of the American Law Institute and the Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.

Schooner adopts new policy; to admit student manuscripts Hopes to stimulate students

Student manuscripts may be printed in the Prairie Schooner, university literary quarterly, under a new editorial policy announced by Dr. L. C. Wimberly, editor. Formerly, only works of nationally established authors have been admitted for publication.

Short stories, articles, one-act plays, poems, biographies, and other student writing may be submitted provided the manuscript has been approved by the author's English instructor. All entries should maintain the usual standard of the Prairie Schooner, according to Wimberly. Therefore, students

submitting manuscripts will be required to subscribe to the magazine for a year that they might study the type of literature wanted.

"We feel that this experience of writing for a specific publication and the likelihood of the reward for good work being the appearance in print of students' offerings alongside those of authors of established reputation should prove a great stimulus to student literary work," said Dr. Wimberly.

Request of the World Digest to reproduce condensations of "The Espalier Plum Tree" and "The Blue Shawl" which appeared in the fall issue of the Schooner has been granted.

Business management of the magazine is conducted by the editorial and publicity department of the university. Charles Russell, editorial assistant, supervises circulation and accounts, and Miss Eleanor Ambuhl, editorial proof clerk, assists with both manuscripts and subscriptions. Keith Brown continues as circulation manager for his second year. Associate editors of the Prairie Schooner are Russel T. Prescott, Martin S. Peterson, Miss Ambuhl, Frederick L. Christensen, V. Boyce West, and Miss Louise Perry. Book review editor is Leo Sonderegger.

War poses problem for American college libraries

NEW YORK. (ACP). Europe's war is posing a difficult problem for American college libraries.

Robert Bingham Downs, director of the New York university libraries, declares it is extremely hard to keep highly necessary collections of foreign periodicals and books up to date.

In view of the exodus of scholars from Germany, some quarters have raised questions as to the present value of German learned publication. But it is the general feeling among educators, Mr. Downs reports, that at least the leading journals in several fields of knowledge should be continued for the present.

"With the coming of the war foreign currencies have fluctuated in value, insurance and carriage have steadily increased in cost, and deliveries are slower and more uncertain," says Mr. Downs. Advance payments have been required on serial subscriptions, with no assurance that publication would not be suspended before the subscription expiration date. The workings of the British embargo have not always been predictable, tho the interference has been less noticeable perhaps than during the World war."

decided.)

Not all college students are eligible to vote, of course, but of the thousands who are 21 or older and will go to the polls next Tuesday, a majority will probably give their support to Willkie. Cross tabulations of qualified voters gave these percentages, adjusted to eliminate undecided answers:

Voting students:
Willkie 52.4 percent
Roosevelt 47.6 percent

This poll was taken before the president swung fully into his speaking tour, and it may be that before election day he may influence many a collegian, with the possibility of his taking the majority from Willkie. In 1938 the surveys started sampling collegiate opinion on the third term. Here is the record, showing the increase of approval as election time approached:

Favoring third term for F. D. R.—
December 1938 27.2 percent
January 1939 28.2 percent
November 1939 31.8 percent
February 1940 39.5 percent
TODAY 49.5 percent

From section to section of the nation opinion varies considerably. Only in the Middle Atlantic states, which the Gallup and Fortune surveys indicate will be the deciding factors, are students sharply divided: New England—63 percent for Willkie; Middle Atlantic—52 percent for Willkie; East Central, 60 percent for Willkie; West Central, 62 percent for Willkie; South—63 percent for Roosevelt; West—61 percent for Roosevelt.

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**Omicron Nu gives
pre-election party**
Omicron Nu, national honorary society for home economics students, will sponsor a pre-election party tonight in ag college activities building.
The mixer will be in the form of a dance, with games for those who prefer them. All students are invited to attend.
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