

Foundation Gets Approval

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Student Council Initiates Plan

A plan for a Nebraska Student Foundation embodying a four-fold project was approved and mechanics for its predicted successful operation were set up at the regular meeting of the Student Council last night.

President Burton Thiel, submitting the Foundation program, summarized its purposes, "This will be a student organization to serve as a medium for the promotion of good will towards the university on the part of the public; to promote school spirit among the student body; to relieve the strain of the limited financial budgets; to maintain the present high status of the University of Nebraska, while, at the same time, fostering greater progress by the institution in the field of education."

A Foundation board will be organized, composed of chairmen of the four committees—Scholarships, Student Statewide Activities, College Days and Foundation Ball—the committee chairmen to be selected by the Student Council from students outside the council on the basis of platforms submitted with position applications. The four members shall choose from themselves a Foundation president.

Foundation Filings Open.

Filings for the Foundation positions will be open soon, according to the Council resolution, and students interested in the project should call at the Student Council office in the Union for full details on its proposed operations.

Emphasizing that the Foundation is to be wholly a student activity which will seek aid and co-operation from the University Publicity Office and, the Alumni office, President Thiel said that in a few years the organization would be a major campus activity and that there was a possibility for positions on the Foundation being pointed in the future.

Activities Committee.

Perhaps the most ambitious part of the Foundation plan according to Thiel, is the state-wide activities committee, which will have as its major project the publicizing of the university over the state of Nebraska. Aiding the chairmen of the committee will be six other students, selected by the Council from the six regents districts. These district chairmen will have under them representatives from each county in their districts, these persons serve as links between the university and their counties, carrying on various planned activities in order to disseminate constructive information about the university and to acquaint high school students with the opportunities offered by the institution.

The College Days Committee will consider plans for a two-day celebration in the spring, probably during the Ivy Day weekend, when all university activities will be on display to high school students, parents and patrons of the university.

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'A Christmas Carol' Highlights Union Party

Union Plays Santa to Students

Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," presented by the University Theatre and dramatized by Paul Bogen, Theatre director, will be the featured highlight of this year's Union Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 18.

"We have been searching for several years to find something which would make a really fine Christmas party for university students and I think that at last

we've found it," commented Pat Lahr, Union social director. "The dramatic presentation of Dickens' great story will be, in succeeding years, a traditional part of the Union celebration of the Christmas season."

Music for the play will be furnished by a double vocal quartet directed by J. Dayton Smith of the school of music. Before and after the program Myron Roberts will

play Christmas carols on the electric organ in the Union lounge. Free refreshments of brownies and cokes will be served.

"Last year, 1,600 students attended the party," said Miss Lahr, "and we hope to hit the 2,000 attendance mark this year."

During the week of Dec. 15-20, a carol program will be presented each noon and afternoon from the organ in the Union lounge.

YMCA, YWCA Plan Activities For This Week

Friday noon two Bible discussion groups of the YMCA will meet together at the former museum. The speaker at the joint meeting will be Father Schuster of the Noon club, who will speak on "The Bible's Place in the Christian Life."

Fear Discussed at Forum.

The weekly ag YM and YW luncheon-forum will be held at noon Thursday in 206 of the ec. building. "The Necessity for Fear of Post-war Dictatorship in the United States" will be the topic discussed. C. M. Elliott, instructor in economics, will lead the discussion.

Banquet Honors Dr. Colvin.

The YM and YW will hold a banquet in honor of Dr. Harold W. Colvin at 6 p. m. Friday evening. Dr. Colvin, who is national secretary of the student Y was formerly regional secretary here. Reservations can be made at the offices of the university YM or YW.

'Library Still Is Skeleton' Says Engineer

Steam whistles blowing, elevators piled high with cement, blue-prints running back and forth... The appearance of the Don L. Love library is now rather strange, said O. A. Ellis, engineer and inspector for the building, in an interview yesterday. The building is now just in the skeleton stage, he added, but by next fall it will be very different. Then you will forget the framework and will perceive of the building at this

"I will try to explain the odd apologetically notice the beautiful exterior stage," he continued. "The asphalt on the columns isn't put there to termite-proof the building or as a glue for the bricks that will soon envelope the exterior. It will merely waterproof the columns so that the steel girders on the inside won't get damp and rust."

Those columns on top of the building that seem to lead to nowhere will be the support for the fourth floor, said Engineer Ellis, as he dodged a worker carrying buckets of cement.

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Injured RAF Flier Former Student at UN

Roland L. "Bud" Wolfe, former university student, was injured Nov. 30 in an R. A. F. airplane crash somewhere in England, his father who lives in Ceresco, was notified Tuesday night. While in school, Wolfe was a lightweight boxing champion here.

In a cablegram to his father, the British air ministry indicated that his injuries were not critical but that he was interned in Eire.

Sociology Group Has Initiation

Alpha Kappa Delta, national sociology fraternity, initiated 17 new members last night in the Union. Those initiated are: Betty Bell Barney, Betty Donohoe, Harriette Dunmire, Mrs. Virginia Dildine, Ruth Ezell, and Bertha Geiger.

Others are: Clare Gendren, David Glaser, Margaret Griggs, Mary Adelaide Hansen, Betty Hutchinson, Ivan Little, Sylvia Lotman, Ned Lynn, June Morrison, Mary Ruth Rhodes, and Virginia Way.

Whoops! Daily Draculas 'Out For' Yearbookies After Whee

Nebraska fans will witness the midwest's most outstanding post-season football game since the Rosebowl trek last year, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 when the Daily Draculas play the Cornhusker Yearbookies in their traditional annual knock down, drag out. The Daily team has overpowered, out-plunged and in general beat those huns to a pulp in past games and according to the Associated Press-ing (We do pants for 25 cents, plug.) predictions, this year's game will be no exception.

For several weeks the Dracula coach, Krafty Kerrigan, has been pressing negotiations for the game but no report has been heard from the Yearbookie camp. Late Wednesday night, however, evidently to save their faces Rippling Russel, Yearbookie coach, consented and the game was signed and will be played as in former years.

Big Time Had By All

When the radio issued the press release at midnight last eve, the campus turned out en masse to celebrate the game. Rallies began up and down sorority and fraternity row which lasted far into the morning. Altho university authorities felt that classes could not be dismissed because of 12 weeks tests, they explained that had the game been signed at any other time, school would no doubt have been dismissed for a week of rallying and merry-making.

Starting lineups have not been announced by team coaches but Krafty Kerrigan intimated that her team will be the same powerhouse that has driven the Yearbookies into the ground in former games. Captain and quarterback for the Dracula team will be Slippery Svoboda who has consistently turned in better yardages and punts than any individual player in the Big Six.

Further information concerning the game will be issued before the game Saturday. Incidentally, if the weather is good—an audience is desired. If the weather is bad—well, don't come, cause the teams won't either. Heh, Heh.

Lincoln Play Uses Realistic Stage Sets

"A Prologue to Glory," the play centering around the life of Abraham Lincoln and soon to be produced by the University Theatre, employs the use of space-staging, that is, a sky background and ground rows to give the illusion of distance. Realism is furnished by rock platforms, log cabin exteriors, rail fences, hitching-post and stumps. The scenery as in preceding plays is entirely constructed by the students of stagecraft under the direction of Professor Brummer.

All women's costumes are made by students namely, Norma Jane Brittain, Marjorie Miller and Lorraine Beams. The men's clothes centering closely around the period of 1830 are buckskin suits, cut-away coats and coonskin caps.

The play itself is unusual in that it consists of two acts with four scenes each. Each scene is complete in itself. It occurs in New Salem, Ill. about the year 1831, and in portraying the life of Lincoln attempts to be true to the spirit of the times and the leading character rather than to history.

The Weather . . .

Prospects for favorable weather conditions this weekend are high, according to the weatherman's report. He says that unseasonably mild temperatures will continue, accompanied by considerable cloudiness.

Aviation Traveling Board Examines Applicants Here

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The seventh corps area aviation cadet traveling board will examine applicants for aviation cadet appointment at the Nebraska room 201, Nebraska hall, Saturday,

Dec. 6. Lieut. Col. Harry Kendall is president of the board, other members being Captains Moore, Soltz, and Adler, medical corps, and Captain Neilsen and Lieutenant Lieben, air corps.

Applicants are being examined from those educationally qualified for the following types of training: pilot, armament officer, communication officer, photographer, meteorologist, and engineer.

"A recent change in war department policy provides for appointment of aviation cadets immediately after acceptance of their applications in Washington. If at that time appointments are not available in flying schools, cadets will be sent to replacement centers for preliminary military training until such time as they are ready for flying training. This policy eliminates delay which has heretofore existed between approval of one's applications and time of appointment."

A change in courses now combines bombardier and navigation. Educational requirements for this course prescribe at least high school graduation, the army general classification test, and an examination in physics and general mechanical aptitude.

Phalanx Chapter Initiates Twenty ROTC Cadets

Twenty Nebraska ROTC cadets were formally initiated into the university chapter of Phalanx, national honorary military fraternity, Tuesday night at St. Matthew's Episcopal church.

Black and gold Phalanx cadets were presented to the men elected to active membership in the organization. New initiates are:

Milton R. Adler, Francis L. Cox, Thomas J. Dredla, Dale R. Harvey, Ruben M. Heerman, Richard W. Johnston, Kenneth D. Lantz, Thomas R. McCandless, Collins L. McMaster, Paul E. Murfin, Thomas L. Nickelson, Frank W. Olson, Dean H. Pettett, Clyde E. Reed, Philip L. Saunders, Walter C. Stewart, Harold D. Swan, Bernard E. Swanson, Bernard F. Weygint, and Charles T. White.