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Nebraska Business Experiences War Boom, Bizad October Survey Shows

Business activity in Nebraska continues to ride high on the crest of war-time boom conditions, it was indicated by the October business research survey of the college of business administration.

This upswing shows prosperous conditions paramount thruout the state altho there are many of the smaller businesses like filling station operators and automobile dealers who have been in the throes of priority slashes.

Bank Accounts Up.

Bank account deposits, most reliable indicator of business conditions, rose some 29.9 percent during the first nine months of this year as contrasted with the same period last year.

This represents a marked increase in the money put in circulation thru business transactions and for the purchase of war savings bonds. Correspondingly farm products and livestock sales are 55.6 percent larger for the first half

of 1942 as compared with a similar space last year.

One of Eight.

Nebraska is one of eight states that have an increase of 50 percent or over. Marketing of livestock and livestock products and the larger sales of wheat during June account for most of the additional farm income.

Along industrial lines, production continues to rise as may be evidenced by advancing electrical power consumption, pay rolls and employment. Electrical power consumption increased 18.1 percent over the first eight months of last year.

Payrolls doubled the increase in employment in the state with a 38.6 spurt with employment up only 19.2. Importance of these figures is that it shows that Nebraska industries are turning out more and more war materials.

Retailers Happy.

Retail trade, measured by the

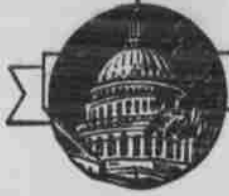
Arnold Calls Scabbard and Blade Meeting

Military Movie Highlights Evening Program; Pledges Asked to Pay Fee Balance

A meeting of all Scabbard and Blade men has been called by Dick Arnold, commander, for this evening, in the Union at 8 p. m.

All pledges who have yet to pay their fees should bring with them the balance due, it was announced. For the main business of the evening, a movie will be shown, followed by a discussion of the group.

Attendance by all members was emphasized, as an organized program of activities of the year will be designed and presented to the group.



CAPITAL to CAMPUS
A. C. P.'s Correspondent Reports from Washington

Kill The Poll Tax

In the eyes of our United Nations friends, the poll tax is a strange sight indeed in a country fighting to preserve freedom throughout the world.

Which probably has considerable to do with the fact that the House, after these many years, has finally passed an anti-poll tax bill—over the shameless protests of the poll tax "bloc", many members of which have their seats only by virtue of the fact that poll tax laws in their states prevent many persons from voting.

It's a good bill. But it faces a rough course in the senate, where red tape and technicalities threaten to choke it off, as well as a similar bill sponsored by Senator Pepper of Florida.

Hunter college made a gesture that, multiplied many times elsewhere, might turn the trick. Two thousand students and members of the faculty signed and sent to Congress a petition in favor of the anti-poll tax bill.

That's one language every congressman understands. And when the voices are numerous and loud he does something about it.

JOBS . . .

About all you have to do now if you can use a federal job is ask for it. Since the outbreak of war in September, 1939, the number of persons on the government payroll has considerably more than doubled.

Right now, for example, there are openings for technical assistants in engineering, metallurgy or physics for applicants who have completed one, two or three years of college. The pay ranges from \$1,440 to \$1,800 a year.

Dietitians are being sought for jobs paying \$1,800 annually. Requirements have been loosened.

If, by odd chance, you want to come to Washington you can start work as a junior clerk the third day after you arrive. You need one day to put in your application and another to take a routine test. The pay is \$1,440 a year. Because vacancies must be filled promptly the current call is limited to persons in or near Washington.

You can get information and blanks concerning any of the jobs mentioned at a first or second class postoffice. Or you may write the Civil Service Commission here in Washington, 801 E. Street, N. W.

The nazis are setting up educational camps for children of the occupied countries who are orphans, who were born out of wedlock or whose relatives have been convicted or deported. Others may be mobilized to fill out quotas. Camp organization will be on military lines; camp conversation will be in German, exclusively.

election of Leonard Dunker, law college, to fill a vacancy on the Council.

Uphold Varsity Honors . . . Eight Men and Six Women Chosen for Debate Squad

After an exciting series of speeches on this year's debate question, eight men and six women were picked to uphold varsity honors on the debate team.

They are: George Blackstone, Morris Coff, John Dale, Norman Hansen, Albert Johnston, Frank Matoon, Bill Rist and Art Riven for the men's squad and; Carolyn Frescoln, Jean Kinnie, Helen Kisselback, Betty Newman, Kathryn Sloan and Anne Wellensiek for the women's squad.

The first regular meeting of the entire squad is scheduled for Wednesday evening, Nov. 4 at 7:30 p. m. in the Temple, room 203.

This is the second year that women have participated in Varsity team activities and, considering the work of the women's squad of last year, Dr. Laase commented that more emphasis would be

placed on women's debating in the future.

Five of the squad members are members of previous varsity teams. They are: George Blackstone, Frank Mattoon, Bill Rist, Art Riven, and Betty Newman.

The freshman debate team of last year dominates the varsity, having seven sophomore members on the squad. The varsity also includes the Long Cup winners for each of the last three years, who are: George Blackstone, senior, winner in 1940; Bill Rist, junior, winner in 1941; and Albert Johnston, sophomore, winner in 1942. The Long Cup is given to the outstanding freshman debater, in connection with the freshman debate program.

Tryouts for the freshman debate squad will be held in about two weeks. Announcements of tryouts will be made thru the Daily Nebraskan.

volume of sales in department stores increased by 15.4 percent during the first nine months. With retail prices on an average, 14 percent higher than a year ago, the volume of sales represents a slight increase in the quantity of consumer goods sold.

Life insurance, constituting a measure of the more prosperous consumers purchasing power show a small rise.

On the other hand, the estimated cost of building construction shows a sharp decrease due to the priorities placed on civilian building materials. Residential building is limited to the construction of houses essential to workers in war industries. The building trades, however, are busily engaged in the construction of plants for the production of war materials which is a part of the state's prosperity.

NIA Assembly Meets Tonight For Discussion

NIA general assembly will meet in the Union tonight at 7:30 to discuss campaign issues of the election Nov. 10. All barb students may attend.

This meeting is the one postponed from Wednesday night, the regular assembly time, because of the military convocation of ROTC officers.

Convention . . .

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Carveth Wells and Dr. Paul J. Leonard will be the speakers at the general session Friday morning. Mr. Wells, famed explorer, engineer, author and lecturer will speak on "Africa and the Battle for Strategic Materials." "You and Inflation" will be the address given by Dr. Leonard, who is from the Consumer Division, Office of Price Administration, Washington.

Panel discussions and special meetings are scheduled for Friday afternoon and the convention will draw to a close following the general session Friday evening. A courtesy program, "Romance of Old Mexico," starring Greta Rubio and a troupe of Latin Americans, is scheduled for the final session. A talent show will also be presented by the Lincoln Air Base at this session

Setup . . .

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On the ballot, then, in the coming election will be the junior and senior class presidents, the six eligible bachelors and senior member of publications board, for which a vacancy has occurred. Kosmet Klub will decide upon the method of election for Prince Kosmet and Nebraska Sweetheart.

A proposal that the Council should recommend a change in the constitution of the Union Board to the effect that members should be chosen from a list of workers compiled in the fall was tabled for two weeks. Also set aside for consideration was the

Council Acts . . . Fall Election Filings Are Set Up Till Next Tuesday . . . In Selleck's Office

Filings for fall election posts have been extended until next Tuesday, the Student Council voted last night. New deadline is Tuesday at 5 p. m. in John K. Selleck's office in the coliseum and the election will be held Nov. 10.

Mortar Boards request that each fraternity and organized house on the campus nominate one candidate for "eligible bachelor" and that the NLA council name two. Qualifications for the bachelor competition are that each candidate be carrying at least twelve hours this semester, have 24 hours previous and be neither engaged,

pinned nor going steady.

Identity of the six "eligible bachelors" elected Nov. 10 will be kept secret until the Mortar Board party. Petitions or amendments to the Student Council having the valid signatures of 100 students or more may be filed before Tuesday, according to Dick Harnsberger, president of the council which is in charge of all elections.

Nominations for a senior member of the publications board to replace Robert Shoemaker, who is now in the army, should also be made by Tuesday, Harnsberger said.

Such Goings On . . . It's Wonderful to Watch!

GEO. BRENT and BRENDA MARSHALL
"You Can't Escape Forever!"
Hear EXTRA
Henry BUSSE—Jan GABER
Freddie MARTIN—Gene KRUPA
and Richard HIMBER together in "BANDS ON PARADE"
Hedda Hopper Hollywood—News
30c 'til 6

Stuart

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