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Pat Chamberlin, Censor

Petty Officer 2/c GOULD FLAGG, ATO of last year, was back on a three-week leave from his Signal Corps duties. He left last Sunday for New Orleans, La., to pick up his next ship.

A/S DEAN W. SKANDERUP is back on a 15-day furlough from Carlsbad, N. Mex.

COL WALTER J. GARDNER, former Field Artillery ROTC instructor and sponsor of the F.A. honorary Scabbard and Blade at UN, was back the middle of the week for three days, after which he returned to Camp Gruber, Okl. Colonel Gardner is a member of ATO.

LT. BILL ROBINSON, Kappa Sig, was among the first paratroops to invade Holland on Sept. 17. He was sent to England the first of August, then transferred to the Holland front. Latest news of him relates he is enjoying "steaks in foxholes." The foxholes we understand about, but just where does he gets the steaks?

LT. JOHN DEPUTRON, Delta Upsilon, graduated from the Fort Benning, Ga., infantry OCS a week ago. He is now back on his graduation leave, after which he will report to Fort McClellan, Ala. At UN, John was Cornhusker photographer.

PVT. RAMY BEACHLY, Sig Alph, received a shrapnel wound in the leg in action somewhere in Germany. He is now home on a convalescent furlough.

SGT. STEVE DEVOE, Phi Delt, is hospitalized somewhere in England from injuries received in action in Germany. Steve has been overseas since late summer.

LT. (jg) EUGENE "RED" LITTLER, conference 440 champ in 1940 and '41, was home this week for a 2-day leave from his duties as flight instructor at Corpus Christi, Tex., naval air station. Red is a Phi Gam.

ENSIGN "GUS" SWANSON, Phi Gam, recently graduated from Corpus Christi, Tex., naval air station, was back this week before reporting to the west coast for Pacific fleet duty.

RALPH SVEN ALLYN received his commission as ensign in USNR two weeks ago from the Corpus Christi, Tex., naval air station.

LT. DONALD CLIFTON of Butte has been assigned to a B-24 Liberator bombardment group in Italy. He was commissioned a navigator in April, 1944 at Hondo Field, Tex.

LT. WILLIAM R. GUIOU of Grand Island is serving in Italy with a veteran P-51 Mustang fighter group. He arrived overseas in September. At UN he majored in mechanical engineering and enlisted in the air corps February, 1943.

T/3g HERBERT D. VERSAW is a mem-

Pharmacy Group Pledges One Coed

Beta chapter of Kappa Epsilon, women's honorary pharmaceutical society, met at the Union Thursday afternoon at 5:00 for the purpose of pledging Betty Welfo Hegel.

The officers of the chapter are Betty Stehlick, president and vice president; Midori Sakamoto, secretary-treasurer. Miss Helena Redford, instructor of pharmacy, sponsors the chapter.

LETTERIP

Open Letter to all Political Parties and UN Students:

This letterip column is open for any signed letters from any student about anything. For the hashing out of current political questions on issues, procedure, organization, platforms, this column should be an aid to those students who are not clear on these points, or who wish to express independent views, or who wish to answer doubts. Each signed letter received will be printed and will be answered (if an answer is required) by a member of the party concerned. If there are any questions on the political situation before registration of party membership next Wednesday, send them in to the Nebraskan.

The Staff.

Les Said The Better

By Les Glatfelter

Another shot at a presentation—not the pep queen, but a coed that could run said queen some stiff competition—namely, JOYCE CROSBIE—Crosbie with an "ie" as it was specified to us in no uncertain words.

Joyce, one of the managing editors of the 1945 Cornhusker, really works at this yearbook business—in fact we found her in the Cornhusker office yesterday down on her hands and knees, doing things the hard way. Seems that about eleven-seventy cards out of the yearbook file got dropped on the floor and there was Joycie putting them back together—almost as hopeless job as repairing the famous Humpty-Dumpty.

Besides being one of the stalwarts of the Cornhusker, Joyce is a member of War Council and the all-campus vespers committee, AND, as she put it "one of the 250 Coed Counselors." Her major is sosh and she is a Lincoln girl, which may account for the fact that she seems to know all the men in uniform who come back to town. Delta Gamma claims her and so does the dying junior class.

Technically speaking she's a blond, but not really blond if you know what we mean—blue eyes, average height, and with a pug nose which gives her, if pun is forgiven, a slightly pugnacious look. A good-looking, hard-working, just plain good gal.

Mail is piling up in the Nebraskan office at an alarming rate for one DAVE D. WADE. We don't know who Mr. Wade is and neither does anyone else on the staff, but if he will reveal himself to our wondering eyes, he may collect approximately four or five letters from Crawford, Nebraska, from one N. Monroe, addressed only to him in care of the Nebraskan office.

And as a special favor to Fanchon Jones, we're pleading for the return of half of a white, cable-stitched sweater. Fanchon was knitting the sweater for a man, when she turned it over to one of her friends for safe-keeping temporarily. Said friend left the sweater, knitting needles and attached ball of yard somewhere on the campus, maybe in Sosh, she thinks. So, since cold weather is a-coming, if anyone is running around in less than half of a white sweater, we suggest they deliver it to Miss Jones.

ber of the Burma Road Engineers, attached to the Services of Supply in China. Sergeant Versaw is foreman of a section of Chinese laborers as well as an operator of the complex road-building machines. He was graduated from UN in 1942, and was inducted into the army in November of that year.

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The Nebraskan's Stand on Politics

The appearance of two opposing political parties on the campus both of which are recognized as legal by the Student Council has caused some question among student leaders as to the Nebraskan's political stand.

It has been previously, and will continue to be in the future, the policy of the Nebraskan to be non-partisan in regard to the newspaper columns. Both parties will be given as fair, equal, and accurate news coverage as is humanly possible with no discrimination shown either party.

The Nebraskan believes, insomuch as there is only one newspaper on the entire campus, that it should not take sides on campus political issues, but strive to present both sides of any controversy between parties so that the students will know the facts and make up their own minds.

The editorials and signed columns of the paper will also be non-partisan and present over-all views of both parties.

The only exception to this rule being if, some action of either party comes to our attention that is in our opinion underhanded and needful of clarification or reform, that situation will be given full airing in the editorial columns.

That the Nebraskan will be non-partisan does not necessarily mean that staff members and reporters will not belong to or be active in any political party. Staff members still have their private lives and this is still a land of freedom of thought and action. Except—such private opinions will not be reflected in the Nebraskan.

Which Party?

Students have until next Thursday at 12 noon to decide which of the two recognized parties on campus they will join. Thursday, Nov. 16, all afternoon the Student Council will sponsor registration for membership in either the Student Party for Democratic Government or the Progressive Party. After the parties have their membership lists, they will be able to proceed to elect party officers for this year and carry on party business.

Every student is urged to decide his party membership for himself by weighing carefully and comparing for good and bad points both party platforms, organization, method of nominating party officers, and candidates, and method of voting. Both parties' platforms and organizational plans show wide differences in make-up, altho both parties are pledged to support democracy in voting and in representation and fairness in general elections, and are opposed to so-called "dirty" politics.

Every person is asked to consider his political stand as an individual and not decide for or against one party merely because his best friend or his organized house has decided to go that way. It is strongly recommended by both parties that houses do not vote to join any one party in a bloc.

Despite the fact that whatever political parties there are on campus must be strong enough to nominate their best-qualified people to office either in the party or in any campus elective post, students are not required to belong to a political party. Some may wish to vote as an independent in general campus elections, and have no voice in party matters. Nor is any party required by either party to vote a straight party ticket in the general elections. He may, after considering the relative merits of each party nominee, wish to cast his vote not for his party's candidate, but for the other party's man. According to the Student Council by-laws on this subject, "A party member's main duty to his party is in helping to select the most worthy members of his party for office. His duty in the final election is to the school, in helping to put the most worthy of the candidates into office."

Both party plans and platforms are out for each student's inspection, and it is hoped by the parties that each student will make up his own mind.



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DEC. 1ST

You remember the law of physics that two objects cannot occupy the same space at the same time. Just so with war materials urgently needed at the fronts and personal packages. For that reason our Government has requested that all civilian Christmas packages be sent before Dec. 1st. So we of Railway Express ask you to help us (and yourselves too) by doing these three simple things, in addition to shopping early:

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