

## No Queen, No Politics, Fun Grabs Spotlight At Navy Ball

BY PHEE MORTLOCK.

Introducing the NROTC Spring Ball! The Navy Ball presents no candidates, dabbles in no politics and has no queen!

The NRO's dance anchors in the Union ballroom, Friday evening. Jean Moyer's orchestra pipes aboard the dancers from 9 to 12. The semi-formal dance is a closed affair, as bids were issued to NRO's alone.

The Naval trainees had hoped to open the Ball to all university students, as the Military Ball has been in previous years, but felt that such an undertaking was too

large for their group.

### No Squealing.

Nothing short of hijacking would induce the committee in charge to squeal on decoration secrets! They are: Meno Wilhelms, Will Henderson, Charles Peake, Jack Hill, and Roger Johnson. All pummeling reporters could get from the committee was "Nautical, natch!"

Chaperoning the Spring Ball will be Commander W. W. Fitts, acting NROTC director, Dean and Mrs. G. E. Rosenlof, Chancellor and Mrs. Chauncey Boucher.

## Hunter College Offers Prizes To Essayists

In an effort to focus the attention of thinking Americans more sharply on the problems of intercultural relations and contribute practically toward their solution, Hunter College of New York City is offering a series of prizes totaling \$12,900 (maturity value) in Victory Bonds for essays on various aspects of these relations.

A first prize of \$1,000 (maturity value) in victory bonds will be awarded to that undergraduate student attending a college or university in the continental United States who submits the best essay on the topic: "How Can American colleges or other social institutions promote appreciation of the cultures of other peoples and co-operation among them?"

\$500.

The second best essay will receive a prize of \$500 in bonds, while the 18 next best essays will each win a \$100 bond.

A like number of prizes will be awarded for the best 20 essays submitted by university or high school teachers on the topic: "How Can the American Teacher Help to Foster Intercultural Relations?"

Entries must be postmarked not later than midnight, April 1. Address and mail entries to: Hunter College Diamond Jubilee Contest; P. O. Box 7; New York 8, N. Y.

## Vet Representative Checks Allotment Pay With Veterans

Veterans who have not as yet received their subsistence checks consulted with a Veteran's Administration representative Friday in the Junior Division office.

Dean N. A. Bengston of the junior division reported that relatively few veterans came to the office. He concluded that this was an indication that only few veterans have not received their checks.

If any veteran has not received his subsistence payment and does not understand the reason for the delay failed to call at the junior division Friday, he should see Prof. J. P. Colbert in Room 101 in Mechanical Arts hall. Professor Colbert's office is open daily except Saturday afternoon.

Dean Bengston stressed that a Veterans' Administration representative is always on hand to discuss any problems with veterans.

## Vets Meeting

The regular meeting of the Veterans Organizations will be held in the Union Ballroom Wednesday night, March 20, at 7:15 p. m. Those who attend are asked to bring membership lists. Financial procedure will be discussed.

Richard J. Sinsel, Publicity Chairman.

## Hallet Abend Will Speak To Students

Next university convocation, scheduled for 11 a. m., Tuesday, will feature a discussion of Far Eastern affairs by Hallet Abend, member of the New York Times Asiatic staff.

Speaking on the subject, "Asia, the World's Tinderbox," Abend will make use of the knowledge of oriental life and customs he gained in 20 years of Chinese residence. He first went to the Far East in 1926, on a six months vacation from scenario writing and Pacific coast newspaper jobs, then stayed on to write for the North American Newspaper Alliance and the Times.

Author of several books on Asia, Mr. Abend has just returned to this country from a war department sponsored air trip around the world, in the course of which he visited Germany, Italy, Ceylon, Iran, North Africa, Palestine, India, Burma, and China.

The regular policy of the university will be conformed to for this convocation, according to Chancellor C. S. Boucher. Classes will be dismissed only at the discretion of the teacher.

## Art Feature Story Contest Ends Monday

Entries for the feature story contest concerning the value of the current art exhibition to a university student must be turned in to the Art department office, room 207, Morrill hall, not later than noon, Monday, Prof. Dwight Kirsch, university art gallery director, emphasized Saturday.

Open to all university students, stories may be written in either narrative or expository form as reviews, criticisms, essays and even in humorous form. They should not exceed 500 words in length, and should be typed or clearly written and double spaced.

### Original Pictures.

Original pictures donated by art department faculty members, Miss Kady Faulkner, Mrs. Clara Marie Allen and Dwight Kirsch, will be awarded to the writers of the three best stories. Mrs. Everett E. Angles, president of the Nebraska Art association will be in charge of the committee of judges.

A panel of men will discuss the exhibit with Dr. Karl Arndt, associate professor of economics serving as moderator Sunday at 3 p. m. Students may attend this panel free of charge.

## Kosmet Klub Initiates Nine New Members

Kosmet Klub initiated nine honorary actives at ceremonies held Friday night at the Capital Hotel. The new members are Art Beindorff, Neale Copple, John Dale, Tom Green, Dick Lahr, Harry Nease, Fred Teller, Van Westover and Ken Younger.

### Choose 16.

President Dick Folda announced that the 16 Prince Kosmet and Nebraska, Sweetheart candidates will be announced March 19.

The Innocents will reduce the number of Nebraska Sweethearts to eight and the Mortar Boards will name eight Prince Kosmets.

## Sigma Alpha Iota Presents Concert Today

Annual spring concert of Sigma Alpha Iota, professional music sorority, will be held in Temple theater at 3 p. m. today, according to Dr. A. E. Westbrook of the school of music.

The program includes: "Sigma Alpha Iota Chorale" by Blackburn, and "I Hear America Singing" by Gaul, sung by the chorus, under the direction of Donnie Wageman; "The Polka Serenade," Latvian folk song, "The Little Sandman," German folk song, and "La Bella Mangliesta," Italian folk song, by the ensemble; Haydn's "Concerto in D Major" and "Allegro Moderato" by Maxine Stone; 32 Variations on an Original Theme in C Minor—Beethoven, by Marjory Horstman; and Verdi's "Caro Nome—Rigoletto" and Schumann's "Widmung" by Margaret Modlin.

## O'Malley, O'Leary, Flannagan, Kelly, Smith Pay Tribute Today to Old Buddy, Saint Patrick

BY JEANNE KERRIGAN.

Shore an 'twas a foine day that I was sittin' around drinkin' tea with me ol' friends O'Malley, O'Leary, Flannagan, Kelly and Smith.

All of a sudden O'Leary, crushing the fragile handle of his teacup in his manly hand, jumped up with a mischievous gleam in his eye that could only come from ol' Dublin, exclaiming, "Faith and Sunday 'tis the day when we remember me ol' bosom buddy, St. Pat hisself! 'Tis the day for the wearin' o' the green."

(The Irish ride again—or—The charge of the Irish brigade.)

### Right!

I then looked on me calendar and dinged if he wasn't right! That explains to you few confused souls why every Irishman you have the dubious privilege of speaking to today is wearing (or

shud be) somethin' in a bright kelly green. Those green trash cans are finally gettin' some use after all today by doin' their duty for the Irish.

Sure, an' 'tis a great day for the Irish. They've come a long way.

As the story goes, St. Pat was carried away by a band of Irish marauders at the tender age of 16. Tradition says that after six years of bondage, he escaped, returned, and drove the snakes out of ol' Ireland.

Well, to continue, when Mike O'Leary made that startlin' statement, I dashed to me closet an' searched desperately through two o' me tattered rags (not the Nebraskan by the way). Not findin' anythin' the least resemblin' me native emerald color, I looked in the mirror (horrors) an' to

## Red Cross Drive Ends With \$1,996

Failing to meet the \$2,500 goal, the Red Cross drive ended yesterday with total donations from students of \$1,996, according to Jan Engle, director of the drive.

The drive lasted two weeks with representatives covering organized houses and booths available for contributions from Lincoln students, but the goal was not reached in that time.

### High Contributors.

Alpha Chi and Kappa Alpha Theta contributions were highest among the organized women's house donations and Delta Upsilon and Phi Kappa Psi topped the men's list. Beta Sigma Psi and Cox Hall followed the two high houses.

Houses which contributed 100 percent were Sigma Delta Tau, Alpha Omicron Pi and Zeta Beta Tau.

### Turn in Money.

Miss Engle stated that all money

envelopes must be turned in by representatives Tuesday evening. Money can be turned in at the booth in the Union lobby at 5 p. m. Monday and Tuesday nights.

Aiding Miss Engle in conducting the drive were Mary Claire Phillips, treasurer; Marilyn Stahl, in charge of clerical work; Ethelyn Lashinsky, in charge of solicitation; and Shirley Jenkins, publicity. All are members of A.U.F. staff.

## Redecoration Adds Space To Law Library

Undergoing redecoration and renovation, the law college library has been designed to accommodate an accelerated expansion of its facilities, Miss Breta Peterson, law librarian said yesterday.

New steel stocks have been installed providing a 25 percent increase in book space. The new stacks also provide more space for the reading and study area.

Two more faculty offices have been added to the five previously installed.

### Fluorescent Lights.

The library has been redecorated, and the ceiling insulated to provide greater comfort both in summer and winter. Fluorescent lighting is now being installed in the reading area and a special lighting system has been installed in the stacks.

Miss Peterson announced that the library now contains about 28,000 volumes, 80 percent of them on open shelves. To offer greater service to law students, the volumes have been divided into three large groups, judicial opinions and reports in the south stacks, statute and legislative materials in the north stacks, and encyclopedias and research books in the permanent stacks on the west side of the library.

The library which has been closed the last two years with the suspension of the college due to the war, was officially opened at an open house for students and faculty sponsored by the university law alumni association last week.

## ROTC Band Will Perform on Radio Program Today

Featuring a program of three numbers, the university ROTC band conducted by Don Lentz, will present a 15-minute concert on a statewide network of 13 stations starting at 2:30 today on the University of Nebraska program.

The numbers to be played are "The Maid of Pskov," by Rimski-Korsakov; "E Flat Horn Concerto" by Mozart, with Miss Maxine Stone of Stanton as soloist; and "Cowboy Rhapsody" by Morton Gould. The program will be carried by KFAB and KFOR.

## Rosenlof Receives Award Of Armed Forces Institute

Dr. George W. Rosenlof, director of admissions was awarded one of the 13 certificates of commendation presented to members of the advisory committee for the Armed Forces Institute by the Army and Navy.

Dr. Rosenlof served as a member of the advisory committee for four years, beginning Dec. 7, 1941.

## Prom Girl Filings Close On Tuesday

Filings for Prom Girl will close Tuesday, March 19, according to the Prom committee.

The Student activities office in the coliseum will be open for filings till 5 p. m. Tuesday. Only junior and senior women are eligible to compete for this honor.

### Annual Feature.

The presentation of Prom Girl has been an annual feature of the university Prom. This year's winner will be chosen by the couples attending the dance, the choice to be written on the back of the ticket on entrance to the event.

Tickets for the affair may be obtained from any N club member or in the Student activities office. The price per couple is \$2.50 plus 50c tax.

The dance features Sonny Dunham's nationally famous orchestra. He will play for four hours, from 8 to 12 p. m.

## Ag Vets Meeting

A special get together meeting of veterans will be held in Room 306, Ag hall, Tuesday night at 7:15 p. m. All veterans attending the ag college are especially invited, according to Richard J. Sinsel, publicity chairman of the Veterans Organization.