

Valentine's Day Brings Beauty Queens To You

BY MARILYN DENISON.
Valentine's Day, to most Americans, means a time of happy anticipation. Candy, flowers or sentimental cards from the "certain someone" in your heart are the traditional things to receive. Usually these expressions of sentimentality are bedecked with the customary red and white colors of Valentine's Day. These are supposedly the colors of love. Sometimes humorous greetings are sent to friends, but the sender usually remains anonymous. After seeing some cards of this type, it seems to me that is the only sensible thing to do.

Origin.

The origin of Valentine's Day, as we celebrate it, is unknown. It somehow started long ago, because a martyr, called St. Valentine, was beheaded on Feb. 14, 270 A. D., on the eve of the Roman festival of the Lupercalia. Much later in the Christian era, sentiments and those persons to whom they were directed were known as Valentines. Sources claim, however, that the sending of love tokens has no connection with the saint.

Last Chance.

If just by chance any of you men awake with a start in your Thursday classes suddenly remembering that you have not decided what to get your best girl, relax with the comforting thought that it still is not too late to ask her to the Valentine Tea dance. It will be held in the Union ballroom from 3 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday. The feature attraction will be the presentation of the university's 1947 beauty queens. You will dance, too, to the music of Dave Haun and his orchestra. The idea of the party is sure to meet with your girl's approval. Besides, she will know that you really haven't forgotten her.

Students May Write for 'Wit, Wisdom' Mag

A publication of college wit and humor by college students about college students and their activities will be available to students all over the country this April. It will take the form of a magazine to be entitled, "Survey of College Wit and Wisdom." Contributions are being solicited by the editors from any college undergraduate, and are to be of humorous nature in the form of poems, jokes, or anecdotes. Each should be about college situations, students, professors or activities. Entries should be mailed to the Survey of College Wit and Wisdom, Box 18, Tiffin, Ohio, by March 25, 1947. All rights to publication are reserved by the Survey of College Wit and Humor.

Squibs

An escort opening a door in a gentlemanly manner—then walking out ahead of the girl.
Sheepish swain, whose discourse on the perils of his date's high-heeled slippers on icy streets is suddenly cut short as he assumes a tobogganer's position in front of the coliseum.
Ex-G.I. student strapping on unmarred leg brace and dusting off can preparatory to making his monthly personal report to Veteran's administration.
University student cutting across Sosh lawn and tripping over "Keep Off the Grass" sign.
Student exclaiming "Good Gravy" as the flour and milk mixture dripped down his back. A nervous bus boy apologizing.
Girl, late to class, playing hopscotch from one dry patch of ground to another as she negotiates a short-cut across a thawing stretch of ground.
Infinitesimal gray mouse playing havoc with both male and fe-

Westmoreland Pays All-Time High in Checks

Ashley Westmoreland, veteran's administration manager for Nebraska, announced that the regular subsistence checks paid in January constituted an all-time high since the GI education and training program was inaugurated in 1944. At the close of January, 1947, 19,511 Nebraska ex-GI's were on the veteran's administration's regular subsistence payroll receiving checks totaling \$1,279,915 to aid in their training and schooling under the GI bill. In addition to regular subsistence checks, the VA in January paid out \$503,907 in retroactive payments to student veterans and on-the-job trainees under the GI bill.

male population of crowded Crib during a leisure hour.
Curiosity as to what waiter muttered under his breath when heedless coed flung her coat backwards into his face and his tray of hot coffee.
Gallant young man bumping a dainty coed and pardoning himself by saying, "Squeeze me."

Typical Nebraska Coed's Identity To Be Told at Follies Style Show

BY PHYL MAURER.

The AWS-Faculty Committee has chosen 20 girls to model in the Coed Follies style show Tuesday evening, Feb. 25. From these 20 girls the Typical Nebraska Coed will be chosen, and her identity will remain secret until the evening of the Follies. The following are the activities in which the girls are engaged.

Candidates.

- Sara Alexander, Kappa Kappa Gamma, is a member of Tassels and Swimming Club.
- Nadine Anderson, Alpha Phi belongs to the YWCA and the Student Foundation.
- Jeanne Branch, Kappa Alpha Theta, is a member of the YWCA, WAA, Coed Counselors, and the Cornhusker.
- Marion Campen, Gamma Phi Beta, belongs to the YWCA and the Cornhusker.
- Marilyn Denison, Alpha Chi Omega, works for the Cornhusker, Student Foundation, and the University Theatre.
- Joan Farrar, Kappa Alpha Theta, is a member of Tassels, Coed Counselors and the A. U. F.
- Ruth Ann Finkle, Alpha Omi-

cron Pi, is a Daily Nebraskan reporter and belongs to Coed Counselors, and is a YWCA officer.

Lois Gillett, Towne club, belongs to Tassels, YWCA cabinet, Coed Counselors, W. A. A. and Student Foundation.

Jeanne Hickey, Alpha Phi, is a member of Coed Counselors, and is the publicity director for the Student Foundation.

Jeanne Kerrigan, Pi Beta Phi, scholarship chairman, belongs to Coed Counselors, and is a news editor for the Daily Nebraskan.

Lorraine Landeryou, Delta Gamma, is the treasurer of the Student Foundation, and a group leader of the YWCA.

Lillian Lock, Love Memorial Co-op, belongs to Home Ec club, vice president of the Ag Executive Board, secretary of USA and Ag YWCA.

Alice Nakata, International House, is a member of Nu-Med and the YWCA.

Shirley Schnitker, Delta Delta Delta, is a member of Tassels and is YWCA president.

Jeanette Sherwood, Alpha Xi Delta, is a member of the honor-

ary scholastic fraternity, Alpha Lambda Delta.

Grace Smith, Gamma Phi Beta, belongs to Tassels and Coed Counselors.

Barbara Speer, Delta Delta Delta, belongs to the honorary scholastic fraternity, Alpha Lambda Delta.

Bernice Young, Chi Omega, is on the Ag YWCA cabinet, Ag Publicity Board, Home Ec Club Cabinet, and the Student Faculty committee.

Moritz Schedules Poll of Students

R. D. Moritz, director of summer session, will conduct a survey Feb. 17-18 of all students interested in attending the 1947 session. Students will be asked to fill out information sheets stating whether or not they plan to attend.

Irate Salesgirl to Disagreeable Customer: "Go easy, Madam, the days when I used to insult customers are still fresh in my mind!" —Roosevelt Torch.

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