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FINE PERFORMANCE

The Sunday concert given by the university's ROTC symphonic band reaffirmed the convictions of a delighted audience that the university is the proud possessor of one of the best collegiate groups in the country.

Too often, spectators at the many football games and basketball contests forget that the university band plays for the sheer joy of playing. Under the direction of amiable Don Lentz the bandsters have been one of the main factors in making many Cornhusker contests a success. For their healthy and constructive interest in doing something for the university, the ROTC band deserves the thanks and applause of the entire student body.

A large audience received the ROTC program with deep interest but maximum response was not evinced until the band played "Huskerland" and several other pep songs. Rarely has there been such a spontaneous demonstration of spirit seen at Nebraska. "Huskerland" a new song written by Mr. Harry Miner evoked a great deal of favorable comment. Played for what amounted to the first time in the state under concert conditions, the band did an admirable job with a tune that is destined for a permanent place in the hearts of all Nebraskans.

Last Sunday also gave ample evidence that no matter where or when the band is asked to perform, they do an excellent job. Nebraska can well afford to be proud of its great university ROTC symphonic band.

WELCOME POTSY!

According to the terms of his contract, Potsy Clark takes over the reins of Cornhusker football today. The Daily Nebraskan takes this opportunity to welcome him back to the university and wish him all the luck in the world in a most difficult assignment.

There can be no question as to Clark's ability to coach football. With little marial, he was able to turn a team out in 1945 that showed a lot of fight. Clark has the too rare knack these days of instilling a "do or die" spirit into his players.

We welcome you back, Coach Clark. The days ahead look rough but you've seen rough days before in your long career of coaching. Cornhusker fans, both student and alumni, will rally behind you, Potsy, and give you all the support they can. We wish you the best of luck.

Filings for Cornshucks Managing Editor Open

Filings are open until next Monday for managing editor of Cornshucks, according to Jo Fankhouser, editor of the campus humor magazine.

The post is open due to the resignation of Warren Jacobsen.

Application blanks can be obtained at the School of Journalism in University hall.

The applications should be made either to Miss Fankhouser or Dr. W. F. Swindler, head of the Journalism school. The filings must be in this week because of the Publications Board meeting next Tuesday, March 9.

News Print

National

WASHINGTON — President Truman Monday asked Congress to extend the Reciprocal Trade Agreement act for three years, until June 12, 1951. Truman said the act has been in effect for 14 years and has become "an essential element of United States foreign policy."

WASHINGTON — Senator Vandenberg (Rep., Mich.) Monday asked the Senate to "help stop World War III before it starts" by approving the European Recovery Program. The leading Republican foreign relations expert made his plea as debate opened on the \$5,300,000,000 question.

International

MOSCOW— Pravada, Izvestia, and other major Soviet newspapers Sunday published the full text of Annabelle Bucar's letter of resignation from the United States Embassy in Moscow. Miss Bucar, who recently married a Soviet citizen, charged the embassy's policies were directed against the soviet people. The Associated Press predicts that the Russian people will take the publication of the letter as a confirmation of Soviet charges of imperialism against the United States.

HELSINKI—The Finnish conservative party announced Monday that its members of parliament had decided tentatively to urge the government to reject Stalin's suggestion that Finland and the Soviet Union negotiate a military pact. President Juho K. Passikivi, Premier Mauno Pekkala, Gen. Aarne Sihvo, commander-in-chief of the armed forces, and several other officials conferred for two and a half hours on the answer to Stalin.

The matter will go before the parliament Tuesday. Pekkala was understood to have recommended the negotiation of a pact, for to turn down the soviet bid would aggravate Finnish-Soviet relations to a dangerous degree, while to accept could mean Finland might get as favorable conditions as possible towards keeping national independence.

Nebraska

The weather, with the heaviest snow-fall of the season and threats of floods, took the spotlight as sections of the Eastern lowlands were threatened Monday. Waters were receding in the Norfolk, Columbus and Wilber areas.

GERING — Terry Carpenter, Democratic pre-primary "endorsee" for the Senate, announced Monday that he will file for the post.

Eckvall to Attend Regional Meeting

Miss Jean Eckvall, chairman of the University YWCA commission group on Community Service, will represent the University YWCA at the north central region conference of Young Women's Christian Associations, which will be held March 2 in Milwaukee, Wis.

Miss Eckvall, a sophomore and member of Kappa Delta, left Monday evening and expects to return Friday.

One hundred and eighty student YWCA's from North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and Ohio will attend the region conference.

Innocents will meet tonight at 9:30.

House representatives should turn tickets and money for **Coed Follies** in to Jackie Gordon by noon today. Remaining tickets will be sold in the Student Union, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Letterip

Dear Editor:

The student body might well consider the following quotation from an article by Dickson Hartwell which appeared in **Readers Digest**, March, 1948, page 7:

"At the University of Wisconsin I found out how the National Students Association, organized last September, had beaten down militant left-wingers trying for control. It was an eight-day battle involving 700 student delegates representing 1,100,000 undergraduates of 351 colleges and requiring of the leaders continuous sessions as much as 40 hours long. Out of the convention came a constitution, by-laws, a 'student bill of rights' and victory for the 'conservatives.'"

The whole article would make interesting reading for those who are worried about Communism on Campus.

EARL DYER, Jr.

To The Editor:

It is apparent that there is a need to remove unfair discrimination, to improve student government, to promote higher levels of teaching, and to raise the levels of political, social, and educational aspects of college life on our campuses. The N.S.A. was organized to help meet this need.

Although problems of the aforesaid types might possibly be solved by individual campus action, their continued existence indicates a need for an organization such as the N.S.A. The N.S.A. may not be perfect—it has been argued, with a degree of truth, that there are some structural defects in its constitution, but has any constitution ever been ratified free from defect?

If the University of Nebraska fails to join N.S.A., we will lose the chance of organizing with students throughout the United States in an effort to meet our common needs. If we accept N.S.A., we will be in a position to help remove any inadequacies in the organization, but more important, we will have a medium through which we, as students, can work to solve the problems long existent on our college campuses.

LEONARD HAMMES,
HAROLD MEBELSICK.

To The Editor:

The recent forum discussion of N.S.A. brought the issues openly before the students present and were resultant of some serious consideration by at least a few interested parties. After examining the issues which came to the floor, it seems obvious that they are only two in number. The first is based upon the noteworthy principles of N.S.A. It was admitted even by the most verbose and the strongest of the opposition that no attack could be made on the purposes of N.S.A. or upon its principles.

The second issues centered about the form of the Constitution of N.S.A. This question calls for an admission of weakness on the part of another group, those who support N.S.A. These are the big issues. The idealist will approve while the realist will not. I am a realist, but I cannot disapprove since the principles are so fine and worthy of the support of students and good citizens everywhere. Being a realist, I believe that there are sufficient safeguards to satisfy even the most doubting of my class.

The University of Nebraska may withdraw from N.S.A. on 30 day notice and the most we could lose would be dues of one year. Our delegates will be chosen by our own student council and neither this nor any other student council will load a national convention with a reactionary group. We should be the first to attempt change in the national constitution since we have seen its mistakes and recognize the need for modification.

If N.S.A. is to be accepted or defeated by the students of The University of Nebraska it should be done on these issues. Each voting student should decide if the purposes of the organization are outweighed by the procedural blunders in the constitution. If we accept N.S.A. we may be part of those fine purposes and aid in the remedy of these constitutional mistakes. If we defeat N.S.A., we may and will do nothing and return to our complacency of inaction and stagnation.

A Law Student



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Campus News In Brief

Coed Follies Style Show rehearsal will be held in Room 316, Student Union, Monday, March 1, at 4:00 p.m.

Graduate Club will meet Wednesday, March 3, at the Presbyterian Student House, 14th and R. Albin T. Anderson, candidate for senator, will speak.

University Dames activity schedule for this week includes: Tuesday, Beginning Bridge, Room 116, Lincoln High School. Wednesday, Music, 7:30 p.m., School of Music. Thursday, Sewing,

Room 116, Lincoln High School, 7:30 p.m.

The student branch of the **AI-ChemE** will meet in the Union at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 2. Dean C. W. Borgmann will speak on chemical engineering education.

AIEE will meet in Richards Lab., 206, at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday. Discussion will be held on Engineers Week, and NSA.

A meeting for all interested in the **Farmer's Fair Rodeo** is to be held at 7:00 p.m., in the Ag Union, Wednesday, March 3. Anyone wishing to participate in the rodeo activities is invited to attend.

YWCA comparative Religious Group Meeting Tuesday in Ellen Smith at 5 p.m., Tuesday.

YWCA Personal Relations meeting will be held at 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 2.

Corn Cobs will meet today at 5:00 p.m., Room 313, Student Union. Bring money from Junior-Senior Prom tickets.

President of Sigma Delta Tau for the coming year will be Arlene Fischer. Other sorority officers elected for the coming year are: Vice Pres., Silvia Shyken; Sec., Marcia Tepperman; Treas., Ruth Horowitz; Pledge Trainer, Charlotte Katzman; House Manager, Josephine Koom; Historian, Bernice Bessel; Rush Chairman, Helen Hershorn; Social Chairman, Phyllis Miller; Activity Chairman, Mae Samuelson; Parliamentarian, Louise Saferstein.

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