

Met Opera Comes to UN Wednesday to Give 'Tosca'

32 Houses Enter Ivy Sing Contest

Seventeen women's organized houses and 15 men's houses will compete in the annual Ivy Day Sing contest Thursday.

Women's Songs

Women's houses entered, with their song directors and songs: Kappa Alpha Theta, Ruth Moll, "Theta Lips;" Kappa Kappa Gamma, Shirley Lierk, "Kappa Dreams;" Delta Gamma, Mimi Hahn, "Fairest Rose of Delta G;"

International House, Lois Kroehler, "Na' Lii;" Residence Halls, Arlene Kostal, "Mem'ries of Raymond Hall;" Pi Beta Phi, Eleanor Swanson, "Remember the Pi Phi Arrow;" Gamma Phi Beta, Dora Lee Niedenthal, "Gamma Phi Dreaming Song;"

Delta Delta Delta, Marilyn Voorhees, "Evermore;" Sigma Kappa, Myra Hauge, "I'll See You Again;" Alpha Chi Omega, Pat Larson, "Firelight Serenade;" Sigma Delta Tau, Annette Jacobs, "N U Days;" Alpha Phi, Gwendolyn Taylor, "Alpha Phi Sweetheart Song;" Towne Club, Shirley Laffin.

Men to Sing

Men's houses entered, with their song directors and songs:

Alpha Tau Omega, Fran Fagot, "Tumbling Tumbleweeds;" Beta Sigma Psi, Bill Jahde, "King of the Air Am I;" Beta Theta Pi, Jess Thomas, "Sons of the Stars;" Delta Tau Delta, Dick Dempster, "Men of Harlech;" Delta Upsilon, Robert Adams, "Meadowlands;" Farm House, Neal Baxter, "The Green Cathedral;" Phi Delta Theta, Ed Donegan, "Tell Me Why She Wears His Pin;" Kappa Sigma, Bob Diers, "The Drinking Song;"

Phi Gamma Delta, John Binning, "Hail Sons of Destiny;" Phi Kappa Psi, Herbert Jackmaan, "The Phi Psi Rag;" Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Lynn Eller, "Sigma Alpha Epsilon Sweetheart Song;" Sigma Chi, Lee Kjelson, "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi;" Sigma Nu,

Bruce Coffman, "The White Star;" Sigma Phi Epsilon, John Adams, "Deep in My Heart;" and Zeta Beta Tau, Byron Krasne, "My Brother, Here's My Hand." Houses will sing in the order listed. The Kosmet Klub is sponsoring the sing contest.

Osler to Head Ag Exec Board

John Osler was elected president of Ag Exec board at a special meeting of both old and new members last Monday.

Osler, a senior member at large, is also secretary of Tri-K and a member of Alpha Gamma Rho, Alpha Zeta, Block and Bridle, and Corn Cobs.

Miss Reynolds is a senior hold-over member and Miss McDill and Baxter are new junior members.

APOLOGY

The Farmers Fair Board offers its apologies to the eight engineering students who were dunked in the tank for not wearing the traditional denim during this week, which is Cotton-Denim Week at Ag College.

Aggies Soak Wet Blankets

Many unbelievers in the Ag college Farmers Fair tradition are receiving proper treatment this week in the form of a dip in the horse tank in front of the Ag union.

All Ag students are to wear cottons and denims all week in accordance with the Farmers Fair board decree for "Cotton and Demin Week" which is traditionally held the week before the Farmers Fair.

Secret Fair service men, all reported weighing over 180, are checking proper garb. Notes reporting saboteurs are being passed in classes and being whispered from one student to another and then the guilty are punished by the authorities.

Various reactions are being felt from the culprits. One was heard saying, while wringing out his carefully pressed flannels, "I'll send the bill to the Farmers Fair board."

AWS Announcement . . .

Wednesday night will be a 12:30 night and Thursday night 10:30 for all coeds, according to Marian Crook, AWS president.

May Queen Court Will Begin Ivy Day Festivities Thursday

The May Queen and her court will make their appearance at 9 a. m. on April 29 to begin the first phase of the 47th annual Ivy Day ceremony.

M. B. to Select Attendants Her majesty will be attended by two freshman women, two sophomores, four juniors and two seniors, selected by the members of Mortar Board on the basis of scholarship and participation in activities.

An Ivy chain of senior women and a daisy chain of underclassmen will surround the court.

Nelson to give Oration Ralph Nelson will give the annual oration at 10:00. Following the oration Glen Blinde, senior

class president, and Jerry Johnston, junior president, will plant the ivy.

The inter-sorority sing will begin at 10:30 with sixteen Greek groups participating.

Afternoon Program To Open With Sing Opens Program

The program for the afternoon will get underway with the interfraternity sing at 1:15. The ceremony will then be turned over to the Mortar Boards who will mask outstanding junior women who are to be '48-'49 Mortar Boards.

At 3:45 thirteen junior men will be tackled by the Innocents.

The day's events will be correlated by Master of Ceremonies, John Carson.



REGINA RESNIK. . . brings new costumes for "Tosca."

Preview, Rates Given Students

BY SAM WARREN.

Operatic music—in the glamorous form of the one and only Metropolitan Opera company—comes to the Cornhusker campus Wednesday for a single performance of "Tosca" at the Coliseum.

Shoving aside as mere coincidence the fact that the world-renown company is performing right on campus, the sponsors of the affair, the Lincoln Symphony Orchestra association, announced these three developments.

Favors for Students.

1. "A 'Tosca' Preview" will be presented at 3:30 p. m. today in the Music Room of the Union where the music activities committee will play recorded selections from the Puccini score.

2. The Met will employ 35 students as ushers, admitting them without charge and paying them \$1 for the evening. Ushers must report at 7:30 p. m. for rehearsal Tuesday and at 7 p. m. Wednesday for the performance.

Three Sections Open.

3. Three sections of the Coliseum have been opened at a special student rate of \$1.20, including tax, in an unprecedented move, according to Archie Furr, symphony board president.

Tickets may be purchased at the Union, where reserved seats in higher-priced sections will also be available, according to Mrs. Richard W. Smith, local manager of the Met's first appearance here since the turn of the century.

Starring with the 90-person chorus and full orchestra of 88 pieces will be Regina Resnik, American soprano as Tosca; Jussi Bjoerling, 37-year-old Swedish tenor as Cavaradossi; John Brownlee, Australian baritone as Baron Scarpia, chief of police; and Salvatore Baccaloni, comic basso, as the Sacristan of the church.

Color Added.

Additional color will be added to the performance by Miss Resnik, who will wear for the first time anywhere a new wardrobe which she designed for her role of the opera singer, Floria Tosca.

For the dramatic second act, Miss Resnik wears a formal empire evening gown of eggshell lame, encrusted with pearls and rhinestones. Over her shoulders she will wear a floor-length cape of royal blue velvet with an elbow-length over-collared of white ermine.

Delta Sigs Take Ten Bizad Men

The Alpha Delta chapter of the international fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi at the University of Nebraska held its formal initiation at the Cornhusker hotel Sunday morning, April 25.

Those initiated were: Merrill Fie, George, Ia.; Melvin Foreshoe, Dakota City; Robert Freeman, Tule Lake, Calif.; Wilson Kasik, Madison; Paul Mahaffey, Lincoln; Leonard Olney, Stamford; Arnold Pierson, Shenandoah, Ia.; Dallas Schroeder, Homer; John Sommers, Omaha; and Lawrence Wilson, Nemaha.

Midnight Vandals Nearly Revive Old Law-Engineer Campus Feud

A campus catastrophe reminiscent of those old Law School-Engineer feuds was averted Monday by quick, understanding action by Dean Beutel of the Law college, Dean Green of the Engineering college and Fred Pelton, publicity chairman of the Engineers' Week committee.

An unidentified group of students took down two engineers' signs advertising Engineers' Week late Sunday evening and set them up again on Dean Beutel's porch in south Lincoln. Then they rang his doorbell.

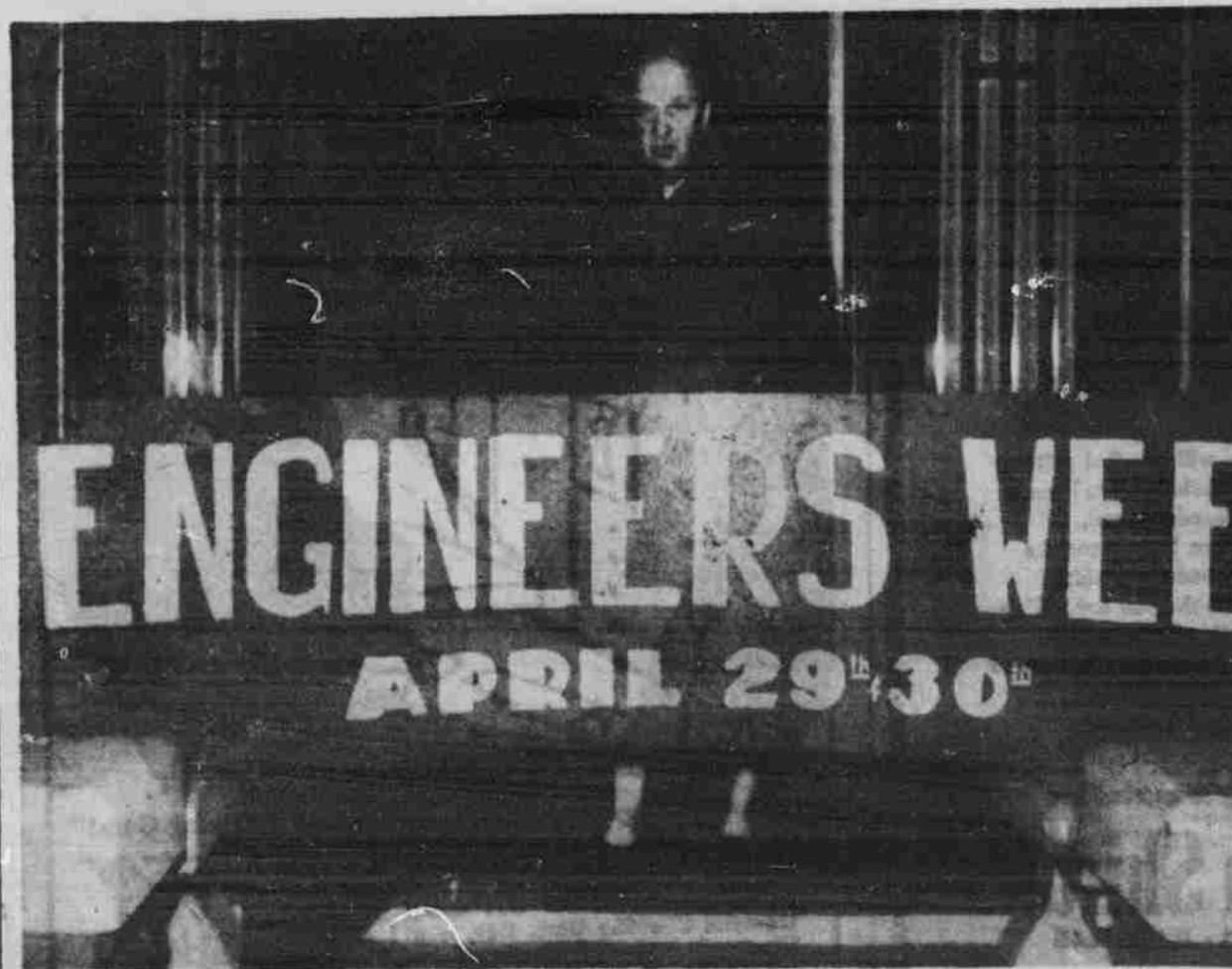
Picture Snapped

When Beutel opened his door, the students snapped a flash picture of the amazed dean clad in his pajamas and robe. The engineers have the posters back and they will be set up again in the near future, according to Pelton.

Following is a statement by the publicity chairman of Engineers' Week:

Regret Embarrassment

"We regret the embarrassment to Dean Beutel, but the publicity value of the incident for Engineers' Week is much greater than that of the two signs. As it is, the signs have all been recovered in usable condition and will be put up again at a later date. No damage has been done as far as the engineers are concerned. There is no evidence to indicate who took the signs or the picture, but as far as the Engineers' Week committee is concerned, it makes little difference. The whole inci-



F. K. Beutel, Dean of the College of Law, is shown as he heartily endorses Engineer's Week.

dent only insures that a greater number of people will hear about Engineers' Week." Fred Pelton

Publicity Chairman Engineers' Week committee.