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There is a new service organization on the campus this year which deserves special recognition-the Red Cross college unit headed by

Through the interest, planning and hard work of several students, the unit was organized, and given the go ahead signal by the Student Council.

The unit is divided into five committees, Institutional Projects, First Aid, Swimming, Motor Corps and Publicity.

The First Aid committee has made plans for special courses-to, start this year. Courses will be open to all interested students. Swimming committee will arrange for classes in swimming, life-saving, and

The Institutional projects committee started its activities when its members helped with a variety show put on at the Veterans hospital this fall.

Now the College Unit will take part in the Red Cross Institutional Christmas project plan. The Christmas project was designed by the unit committee to interest students in the needs of local institutions besides carrying out the real concepts of the holiday. Thirteen institutions have agreed to cooperate in the program. Campus organizations and institution houses and clubs may take part in the program by selecting a home and providing some type of Christmas entertainment there before vacation.

The College Unit is willing to furnish transportation and make all arrangements for the entertainment for groups that will offer their services. The entertainment would not be elaborate and would not entail a great deal of time and effort. For any group taking part it would be a worthwhile project in the Christmas spirit. The Red Cross Unit has made a good start in this project and according to its present plans of operation promises to be of real service to University students.



JIMMY DORSEY

AND HIS ORCHESTRA

AT THE

1948 MILITARY BALL

Tickets on sale by Dietze Music House, Danielson Floral Co., Haun's Music Co., Student Union Booth, and all Cadet Officers.

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Union-alls By Lee Best

The Student Union talent scouts are presenting their own version of "The Search" this week, rounding up acts for their talent show, which will be presented Saturday, Dec. 11.

Acts Screened

This year, the general entertainment committee plans to screen all acts before final presentation, so that a wide variety of the top numbers will reach the final show. This screening is to take place December 4, the deadline for registration. It's the chance of a lifetime for many NU entertainers, since all participants may have their acts rated and filed in the Union for easy reference to city and school groups seeking entertainment. Juan Il-lueca, Latin-American student, lueca, has had opportunities to present his south-of-the-border numbers many times since copping last year's talent prize,

Paul Weltchek and Al Tully, who refer to their committee as the "GE," (general entertainment) are combining the Talent Show with the regular Saturday night Juke Box fling. GE and dance committee members have arranged the program that the show will be presented during intermissions at the record dance. Thus, the entrants can get the audience reaction as well as the judges decision Judges will be Duane Lake, director of the Union, two members of the GE committee, and a member of the dramatics faculty.

Coed Contest Another Union committee came up with a "red hot idea" this week-an All-Girl Ping Pong Tourney. They are offering as a prize, a brand new trophy, which will be on display until some NU cuties claims it, as the best (female) ping-pong player on cam-

This ought to be good for a big turn-out in the gallery, but will require lots of cooperation, so that all spectators can get a glimpse of the players from the hallway. We suspect that if the demand is great enough, Dave Slusher's competitive games committee work-ers will make some sort of seating arrangements. They are hoping for a good number of contestants from both organized houses and individual players, who are interested in taking home the gold prize for a year

Note to Workers All Union committee workers

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who it may concern:

During the month of September, 1948-the 1949 Cornhusker issued a challenge to the staff of The Daily "Nebraskan." This was an invitation to a football contest which would be played according to the rules and by-laws set forth in the challenge,

That letter was not answered, nor was any explanation offered. In short, the issue was dodged empletely by said "newspaper" staff, Now you have the audacity to publish a stupid and poorly written story (advertising your staff and their insipid nicknames) stating that the Cornhusker has remained silent on the matter. Ha!

We have not remained silent. We have more pressing duties at this time than that of a football game. However, we will be very happy to defeat the rag "staff" next spring when the business of putting out the best publication is not as pressing as at present. Therefore, as far as we are concerned, you can take your beating next spring, for we do not have the time to spend on inferior menials,

Sneeringly yours in victory, the 1949 Cornhusker.

P.S. Written on a Cornhusker typewriter, as are most of the better sarcastic announcements around campus,

(Ed. Note)

The Daily Nebraskan will refrain from commenting on the abundance of gramatical errors in the Cornbusker letter. The letter has a brave tone, but the reader will notice that it fails to mention a definite date, place, etc. We can only assume that the Cornhusker staff has not yet mustered enough courage and hopes that, by putting the gane off until "next spring," the "Rag" staff will forget all about it. The Rag Staff is willing to meet the "yearbookie" staff whenever that "busy" organization can find time outside of its "strenuous" working hours, 1-2 p. m. every day except Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Dear Editor:

As the mercury curls up in its little bulb for another winter's hibernation, we find ourselves faced with the basketball season. There is no reason to expect that this year will be different from any other with respect to the "disrespect" by Joe Fan. And there is even less basis for prediction of a lapse in the crusade by Joe Columnist to reform Joe Fan.

The "divine right of referees" has been the theme of so many syndicated sermons that today we expect to find before and after every game a code for righteous living in our periodicals: Thou shall not boo. Thou shall not use the name of Collins or Pulliam in vain, Thou shall not boo. Thou shall not hurl apple cores at the official scorers. Thou shall not boo. . . .

Perhaps this is the basis for sportsmanship. Perhaps not. I merely wish to request that we do not have so many column inches of editorialism wasted in this manner. At least not so long as Joe F. is so nearly justified in his condemnation of the atrocious officiating we have and have had.

Bob Stake

should be watching the Rag close-ly these days for their meeting Madrigal Singers times, and be sure that all their assignments are finished, because there is a big Union workers party coming up, for which we'll all want to be eligible. Keep posted thru Campus News,

Come to the Union-It Suits!

Appear in Recital

Eugenia Simms Brown, soprano, and Embree Rains, trombonist, presented their recital Wednesday at 4 p. m, in the Temple Theater.

The madrigal singers, directed by David Foltz, made their initial appearance. Accompanists for the solists were Florentine Crawford and John Schwartz.

The complete program was as follows:

Amarill: Caccini; Apres UnReve, Faure; By a Fireside, Warren; Let All My Life Be Music, Spross; Mrs. Brown and Miss Crawford. Concert Piece: Mus; Andante and Afficero, Barat; Miss Falius and Mr. Schwartz.

Schwartz,
She is so Dear: (1571-1621) Practorius, The Silver Swan, (1612) Gibbers;
Allon-a-Dale, (1795-1-56) de Pearsail, I Know a Maiden Pair (1541) James;
Since Ail is Passing, (1945) Hodemitt,
Go 'Way from My Window, (1948) arr,
Nues, Madrigal Singers.

"N" Club Meeting "N" Club will hold a luncheon Dec. 6 at 12 p. m. in par-lors XYZ of the Union. The luncheon will be followed by an important business meeting Alex Cochrane, "N" Club president, announced today.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the "N" Club dance and the coming initiation. Members must wear their sweaters, Cochrane said.

The spirit line, formed by lettermen for football games, will be used throughout the basketball season.



The University Singers

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CHRISTMAS CAROLS

Presented by

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