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Student Request . . .

At the Student Council meeting Wednesday afternoon a motion was passed to have the secretary write a letter to Dean T. J. Thompson concerning student representation on the faculty committee on student affairs and social functions.

The proposed committee member would be elected from the Student Council body and would be able to present a picture of student sentiment and opinion as represented by the council.

We wish to go on record as favoring such an addition to the faculty committee. In fact, we are amazed that the faculty committee does not include student representation on a group that directly concerns student affairs and social functions or that recent Student Councils have not proposed this action.

It seems, since the decisions of this committee do concern students so vitally, that the faculty representatives should also favor student membership in order to gain a general knowledge of student interest and opinion.

We hope that Dean Thompson and the committee will be receptive to the Student Council's request and that they will not only consider it seriously but will act upon it.

Choir Will Continue 40-Year 'Messiah' Tradition Sunday

Persons present in the Coliseum at 3 p. m. Sunday will hear Handel's "Messiah" performed on a much greater scale than when the tradition was established some 40 years ago by a handful of singers under the direction of Mrs. Carrie Belle Raymond. Nearly 700 musicians will take part, according to Prof. David Foltz of the school of fine arts, who will direct the oratorio.

Soloists Represent Various Schools
The 1948 presentation might well be termed an all-state performance for each of the featured soloists represents a different Nebraska school. It assumes an even greater scope when one stops to consider that participants represent most of the states of this country as well as nearly all Nebraska counties.

Soloists are: Doris Ruth Ganz, instructor in voice at Nebraska Wesleyan university; Marion Copp, director of the voice department, Doane college, Crete; Millard Cates, instructor in voice at Hastings college, and Wayne H. Hooper of the Union college music department.

Choral Composed of six Groups. The university choral union, which each year sings the "Messiah," is composed of six vocal groups. These are the agricultural college chorus, Altinas

Tullis, director; the University Singers, Arthur E. Westbrook, director; the University Singers, Arthur E. Westbrook, director; the University Chorus II, J. Dayton Smith, director; the Grieg male chorus, Robert E. Stepp, director; and the Lincoln male chorus, John C. Whaley, director. Lincoln businessmen are members of the last two groups.

The university orchestra, under the direction of Emmanuel Wisnow, will play, and Jeanette Dolezal, pianist, and Myron Roberts, organist, will also assist. The brass choir will play familiar Christmas carols for a half hour preceding the performance.

Doris Ruth Ganz, the soprano soloist, taught at Mary Hardin-Baylor college in Texas and at Hastings college before coming to Lincoln. She has sung with the Dallas Opera company and was soloist in the presentation of the "Creation" at the University last spring. She is also a soloist at First Presbyterian church in Lincoln.

Sings with Mendelssohn Choir. The contralto soloist, Marion Copp, has sung with the Mendelssohn choir, the Toronto Symphony orchestra and the Vancouver symphony. Before coming to the United States from Canada, Miss Copp was a member of the faculty of the Toronto conservatory of music of the University of Toronto.



Ganz



Copp



Hooper



Cates

As I Was Saying . . .

BY VAN WESTOVER

It's the woman who pays and winds up behind the eight ball tonight when the tables are turned and 17 Senior women throw the annual Mortar Board Ball at the Coliseum. Drummer man Krupa will swing the baton for dancing. Marge Alexis has asked Ray Simmons, Adele Dovey will escort Ed Maryott in a moving van, while Fritz Simpson will be led around on a leash held by Jo Davidson.

Before the Ball, the Mortar Boards and their dates will dine at the Cornhusker. Gathered around the table will be such wheels as Norm Leger who is the date of Marian Crook, Floyd Cardinal and Lois Gillett, Howard Lamb and Jo Kellenbarger, and Stanton Vierk and Marion McElhaney.

The Beta Sigs are predicting that Fred Chael will come home from his date with Edith Roesler tonight minus his fraternity pin since this is the first time that Edith has had the chance to be the aggressive member of the duo.

Long Distance Runner

Bob Cable has been leading in the merry chase which Dot Worden started and she may catch him in time to take him to the Ball. Dot's sorority sisters say that she has never put so much energy into one single effort before in all her life.

In spite of a five minute limit for all telephone calls at her sorority house, Susie Philpot talks for two hours at a shot each night with a different man. The question is: Do the men call her or does she call them?

The Love Bug

SICK: Peggy Walter and Bob Renelke (Temperature rising).

Marilyn "Twitchy" Diestel and Jack "Tommy Manville" Schirmer (N. C.)

DISEASED: Joy Norman and Bob Isham (Blood pressure far from normal).

Norma Jean Myers and Jack Wellinger (Were immune at one time).

DELIRIOUS: Patty Fiske and Walt Byington (Leprosy in third finger of left hand).

Ruth Ann Hinds and Dan Rober (Gangrene set in).

And then there is the Tri Delt who is secretly pinned and is wearing a Phi Gam pin on a chain around her neck so that her unmentionables will hide the fact from the public eye. This girl even gets up before dawn to take her bath so that her room mates will not see the pin until candy is passed next Monday night.

Teachers College Plans Carnival

A Winter Carnival for all freshman students in teachers college will be held Dec. 18 at 8 p. m. in the Union according to an announcement Thursday.

This party will be sponsored by the Teachers college and will give the teachers and students a chance to become acquainted.

Entertainment of all kinds has been planned including carnival booths, fortune telling and games. Skits by the faculty, counselors and students will also be given. A 13 piece band will provide music for the evening's dancing.

Candied apples, cokes and popcorn balls will be on sale. No admission will be charged.

Business Fraternity Visits Omaha Business Firms



MEMBERS OF ALPHA KAPPA PSI, professional business fraternity, view noodles on a conveyor belt as they are manufactured at the Skinner Manufacturing company in Omaha. The complete manufacturing process was shown and explained during their tour through the plant. Onlookers include Harold McNare, Oliver Meninger, Earl Dunning, Remy Smith, Gerald Mason, Orville Muenchau, Philip James and Dwayne Pullen.

Members of Alpha Kappa Psi, professional business fraternity, and faculty members of the college of business administration recently made an industrial tour of several business establishments in Omaha. Faculty members who went on the tour included R. M. Bourne, Emory Burnett, Curtis Elliott, G. L. Mattson, L. S. Robertson, E. B. Schmidt and R. M. Strahl.

Group Visits Exchange

The tour started with a visit to the Omaha stockyards exchange. Ed Janike, secretary of the exchange and former instructor of animal husbandry at the university college of agriculture, told the group how the livestock is brought in from the farms, sold by the commission firms and dealers to the buyers and how the owner then receives payment for his livestock within a period of approximately 24 hours.

Janike stressed the fact that the Omaha exchange is truly a competitive livestock market for the establishment of prices because it has a large enough supply to bring the maximum of competitive buying. The buying and selling of livestock in the market is

a private treaty. Without written agreement or contract or down payment, it is a system of trade based on "old-fashioned" integrity.

The group also visited the Armour meat packing plant where the meat packing process was witnessed from the slaughtering of the animal to the preparation of the finished product for shipment. At the Skinner Manufacturing company, the complete process of the manufacture of macaroni, spaghetti and noodles was shown and explained. The brewing, aging, storing and bottling of beer was seen at the Storz Brewing company.

Faculty and Members Entertained
During the noon hour the fraternity members and faculty were guests of the Omaha chamber of commerce at a luncheon. Ross Frampton, secretary of the junior chamber, and Howard Shinrock, industrial manager of the chamber of commerce, addressed the group. Shinrock told how the chamber encourages companies to come to Nebraska but said that the principal drawback at the present is the lack of adequate building facilities to house such companies.

Kappa Alpha Mu Sponsors Contest

A photo contest and salon sponsored by Kappa Alpha Mu, national photographic fraternity, was announced today by Phil Raynard, president of the local chapter. The salon will be held in the Union.

Pictures may be entered in one of the three classes which are: News, Action, and Still Life. Certificates of merit will be awarded the first, second and third place winners in each class. Judges for the contest will be local professional photographers.

Contest rules are:

1. All entrants must be presently enrolled in the University of Nebraska.
2. Pictures must have been taken within the last year.
3. Prints may be any size, but must be mounted on a 16x20 inch vertical mounting board.
4. Entries must be submitted by 5 p. m. Monday, Feb. 7, 1949, to Room B-4, Burnett hall.
5. Contestants may enter as many prints as they desire.

6. Decision of the judges will be final, and duplicate certificates will be awarded in case of a tie.

U of C Students Promote Drive

Students at the University of California have devised a unique promotion plan for a drive which is being conducted to collect paper and pencils for foreign students.

Students will be given small crumpled pieces of paper on which to take class notes during one lecture. The scraps of paper are compared to the cigarette wrappers and backs of envelopes that foreign students are using for note-taking.

Iowa State is on the upward trend in the college world due to the addition of a fertilizer course. This short attraction is scheduled for December 9 and 10.