

Independents Elect Sweetheart Finalists

Nebraska Independent Sweetheart finalists will be elected from the 24 candidates at the Bums' ball Friday in the Ag Union at 9 p.m., according to Cecil Middleton, ISA president.

Music for the ball, sponsored by the ISA, will be furnished by Russ Krueger and the "UN's." A prize will be given to the "best dressed bum" at the ball. ISA members must have their ident cards to get free cokes and coffee.

TICKETS for the Bums' ball may be purchased from any ISA council member and are on sale in the Union. They are 60 cents per person or \$1.20 per couple.

From the finalists chosen at the Bums' ball, the Nebraska Independent Sweetheart will be chosen by a committee of prominent Lincoln businessmen. She will be presented at the spring dance, and her picture will be entered in a national contest to choose the National Independent Sweetheart to reign over the national convention April 21 to 23 in Urbana, Ill.

CANDIDATES and the houses they represent are: Palladian, Janet Ringler, Madge Matthews and Louise Metzger; Rundle hall, Bonita Kirkman, Marjorie Johnson, Patricia Olson and Twyla Burgess; International house, Roxanne Bear and Florence Arnold; Towne Club, June Hornby and Pat Foster; Rose Bouton hall, Lois Kaminska, Eleanor Wiberg and Shirley Burton; Wilson hall, Shirley Anderson and Lois Erikson; Adelphi, Jan Sielaff, Marge Bauman, Mary Lou Carson and Patricia Bach; Cox hall, Billie Minnick, Connie Coker and Marjorie Bratt; dorm, Betty Schupbach.

Candidates are requested to be at the dance by 8:45 p. m. They should wear casual clothes with heels and hose. Every ISA member is eligible to vote.

Water Officials Begin 3-Day Meeting Here

More than 60 small community water commissioners came to the University Thursday to begin a three-day conference sponsored jointly by the University, the League of Nebraska Municipalities and the Nebraska section of the American Water Works association.

Prof. Niles H. Bernard of the engineering college explained that the purpose of the sessions is to offer practical advice on engineering, sanitation and routine problems arising in municipal water plant operations.

Addressing the opening program at the Union, E. C. Reed, associate chief of the University Conservation and Survey division, reported that a cooperative state-federal ground water survey has already proved helpful to about 75 per cent of the state's municipalities.

Since 1930, survey workers have drilled more than 2,200 test holes in Nebraska, varying in depth from 60 to 700 feet. Eventually, Reed said, the study will produce information not only useful to those interested in domestic water supplies but to irrigators and farmers as well.

Among those participating in the program are Dr. W. S. Petty, state director of health; T. A. Filipi, state sanitary engineer; and L. C. Vos, laboratory director of the State Department of Health. Dean Roy M. Green of the Engineering college will address the banquet session of the group Friday at the Union.



LOOKING AT PAINTINGS by artists of the Western Hemisphere are art department faculty members, left to right: Duard Laging, Prof. Kady Falkner, Dwight Kirsch and Joseph Ishikawa. The paintings are a part of the International art show arranged by Delta Phi Delta, art honorary. The exhibit is being held in conjunction with the UNESCO conference on the campus and will be on the second floor of Morrill hall until Feb. 20.

NU Will Observe 4-H Club Week

National 4-H Club week will be observed in Nebraska March 5-13, it was announced from The University College of Agriculture.

E. W. Janike, state 4-H club leader, said the week will be for statewide 4-H enrollment in Nebraska.

President Harry Truman in a special message to the 4-H clubbers complimented them on their production job. "As one who helped organize one of the first 4-H clubs in my state, I congratulate you on your theme this year. 'Better living for a better world,'" he said. "May that theme become increasingly significant during Club Week, March 5-13, and throughout the year."

Union Ping Pong Contest Continues

Second, third and fourth rounds of the ping pong tournament are to be played off between now and Saturday noon.

Players are to contact opponents for their rounds. Phone numbers are listed on the schedule which is posted in the main lobby of the Union. Quarter finals, semi-finals and finals will be played Saturday afternoon.

Iowa U Installs New Liberal Arts Program

A new major which will provide students with an integrated program of study in philosophy, history, literature and social sciences has been established in the College of Liberal Arts at the University of Iowa.

The course was described as one which "will give students a chance to come in contact with fundamental problems of human life and to see how certain great minds have dealt with them."

Backbone of the new major will be the seminar courses at the junior-senior level. Four semester courses have been planned: "Myth and Reason," "The Good Society," "Nature and the Nature of Man," and "Values in the Contemporary Society."

The class is conducted after the Socratic method with two or more professors participating in the discussion.

All students interested in writing sports for The Daily Nebraskan are asked to come to the Rag office and see the sports editor about working. No experience is needed. There is plenty of room for all the people that apply.

Despite Fame Beneke Insists He Can't Sing

Tex Beneke who will bring his orchestra to the Junior-Senior Prom on March 4 admits to being a pretty good saxophonist, but insists that he can't sing, despite the fact that his vocal records for RCA Victor have sold many millions of copies.

Tex wasn't discovered as a singer until 1938, months after he joined the Glenn Miller orchestra. The band was on tour in New England, and Miller, troubled with insomnia, was feigning sleep in the front seat of his car as Tex took his turn at the wheel. In order to keep himself awake Tex started to sing "Ida, Sweet as Apple Cider". Miller cocked an interested ear but said nothing.

At the next rehearsal, Miller passed out the sheets on a new arrangement he had made. It was "Ida" and Miller told Beneke to sing the vocal.

"Ah can't sing and furthermore ah hates singing," wailed Tex, but Miller was insistent. The response to Tex's vocal was so great that today, over a decade later, Tex is still playing and singing that arrangement of "Ida".

One of Tex's vocal records, "Chattanooga Choo Choo", with Glenn Miller's orchestra sold almost two million copies on Victor records, and his vocals with his own band are top record sellers, but Tex still insists that he simply can't sing!

UNESCO Art Exhibit Shown In Morrill Hall

An ivory miniature from Persia, a birch bowl made 200 miles north of the Arctic circle and a 16th Century sculpture from Portugal are examples of the variety of objects which will be on display through Feb. 20, in the UNESCO art exhibit on the second floor of Morrill hall.

Delta Phi Delta, art honorary, is sponsoring the show and will furnish guides every day between 2 and 5 p. m.

THE EXHIBIT contains paintings and crafts from all over the world. It includes works from the permanent hall collection, the International Business Machines collection of water colors of the Western Hemisphere and crafts loaned by Lincoln people.

Manikins dressed in the national costumes of the countries represented are also on display. They are a part of a traveling exhibit of the University.

Crafts exhibited include articles from Greece contributed by the Dwight Griswolds, articles from Europe and Turkey, contributed by Ruth Shinn and articles from Asia contributed by veterans.

Lincoln schools, the Lincoln Art Guild, Art departments of Wesleyan and Doane and various other clubs will make special tours of the exhibit.

Colleens to Meet Tuesday Evening

Regular meeting of the Ag Colleens, Ag college wife's club, will be held Tuesday, Feb. 22, instead of the usual Monday night meeting date.

To be held in the vocational education rooms, third floor of the Food and Nutrition building, the meeting will feature a lesson on interior decoration. Meeting time will be 7:45 p. m.

Palladian to Give All-Talent Show

Talent galore will be the theme of the Palladian talent show to be held Saturday at 8:30 p. m., in Palladian hall in the Temple. Members of the organization will participate in the program.

All unaffiliated students are invited to attend, according to Dick Garretson, Palladian in charge of the program. They will be admitted free of charge.

Council Requests Financial Reports of Social Events

Every campus organization will be required to submit an anticipated budget and a final financial report of social functions to the Student Council, according to a resolution passed by the Council Wednesday.

The resolution, proposed by Jack Selzer, affects any function for which tickets are sold to persons outside the membership of the organization concerned.

It provides that an estimate of expenditures be submitted two weeks before ticket sales begin. It also states that a complete budget be turned in 30 days after the function. Either of the budgets may be printed in the Daily Nebraskan at the discretion of the Student Council.

SELZER ALSO PRESENTED an unofficial estimate of Military Ball finances. The estimate indicated that the Military department realized a profit of \$383.41. The revue came from the sale of 596 tickets at \$3 to persons in uniform, 708 tickets at \$4 to civilians and 758 tickets at 75c to spectators.

Expenditures included federal tax at \$964.91, coliseum rent at \$876.83, permanent decorations at \$226.42 and invitations at \$236.56.

A report from A. J. Lewandowski on seating in the football stadium was presented by Bill Mueller. The Council adopted a resolution approving the plan.

IN GENERAL, THE plan will seat all students in the East Stadium with two blocks reserved for faculty and two for single admission. Free tickets issued to football players will be on the 50-yard line. N Club members will be seated on the 35-yard line. Innocents, Mortar Boards, Corn Cobs and Tassels will have sections on the 50-yard line.

Seats will be reserved for 9,000 students. This was the figure allocated last year.

The Athletic office will issue a different type of ticket in 1949. The ticket will be punched at the gate and will carry the student's signature.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT Dale Ball asked that the committee continue work on seats for student wives and methods of preventing sale of student tickets to non-students. The committee will also look into a plan for organizing a permanent card section to be supervised by Corn Cobs and Tassels.

A suggestion by Bob Wallace that students use the south and west as well as the east door of Burnett Hall was approved. Wallace pointed out that the congestion at the east door presents a fire-hazard and serious delay, particularly between 10 and 12 a. m.

The judiciary committee approved a petition by Mortar Board for a women's election in the spring.

YWCA Regional Director Tells of National Projects

Miss Ruth aPekard, regional director of the YWCA, has been on the campus for the past two days attending the YW cabinet meetings.

She announced today that the national YM-YW is sponsoring a work and study tour of Europe next summer. One hundred students will sail for Europe on a student ship about June 25 and will return about Sept. 10.

THE STUDENTS will tour several countries in Europe and then meet at a European-American conference of the Worlds Student Christian federation near Geneva, Switzerland. The purpose of this tour is to study the economic, political, educational and religious situations of Europe.

Another project sponsored by the YWCA is the Washington citizenship seminar. This project is designed to give students the opportunity to be observers behind the scenes in industry, social serv-

ice and in government and political affairs. The local chairman of this project is Janet Kepner.

THE NATIONAL YWCA convention will be held in San Francisco, March 7-14. Student delegates will meet in assembly to study problems of community and student Y's. More than one thousand people are expected to attend this convention. Miss Packard has urged Nebraska representation at the meeting.

Preacher Slips

The religious editor of the Texas A & M's Battalion was thrown in jail twice between semesters—once for being in a speeding car driven by a drunk and then to identify a misplaced suitcase. A preacher can't be too careful these days.