



Military Ball: Improved Ticket Sales This Year

Ticket sales to this year's military ball have been much better than last year, according to Lt. Cdr. Donald Edge, officer in charge of this year's ball.

This is true in the case of the dance tickets only. Approximately 500 dance tickets have been sold.

He expressed disappointment in the sale of the combination tickets. The combination tickets, an idea used for the first time this year, entitles the purchaser to a buffet dinner, an orchid corsage, tickets and transportation to the dance. "Seeing that the combination offers the entire evening's expenses at a bargain rate, I expected the sale to exceed the amount that has been sold, which is approximately 100 tickets," Edge said.

Tickets will continue to be on sale throughout Wednesday and until 10 a. m. Thursday.

Orchids can be purchased separately for \$3 at the Military and Naval Science Building. They can be picked up Friday between 1 and 5 p.m.

All male students with their Identification Cards and two tickets will be allowed to vote for the Honorary Commandant.

AWS Schedules 2 AM Hours Friday

2:00 a.m. hours were announced by AWS President Carol Link for Friday evening, the night of the Military Ball.

However, no overnights will be allowed Friday Miss Link said.

Miller Named: Regents Set New Chairman

The Board of Regents held their meeting before vacation. The Regents named Dr. Victor Miller, chairman of the University horticulture department, as a part of their action Saturday.

Dr. Miller, whose appointment will be effective Dec. 1, has been acting chairman of the department since September, 1955.

Leland Olsen had his transfer from the department of zoology to the department of animal pathology and hygiene approved.

Denzin Clegg and Philip Grabowski's appointments were approved as agricultural extension assistants and assistant county agents. Harry Trebing was approved as assistant professor in economics.

Frank Sharp, patrolman at Nebraska School of Agriculture, had his retirement approved effective Nov. 1.

The Alpha Chi Omega social sorority exchanged land with the University in order to be able to build an addition.

The Board authorized the president and the corporation secretary to sign a negotiated contract with the United States in connection with Naval ROTC and "five-term" programs. The contract pays \$90 per semester for 79 resident students, \$180 per semester for 108 nonresident students, and \$90 for summer session for one non-resident student. This pays tuition for Naval ROTC midshipmen under the program.

Several grants to the University to go for the support of research were approved.

Blueprint: Article Contest Announced

Nebraska Blueprint, the official magazine of the College of Engineering and Architecture, has announced its annual article contest. The contest, which was initiated last year, is designed to create more interest in the writing of articles in a scientific vein. This contest will be open to all students.

In addition to the more intangible rewards, the winners will be awarded cash prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5. The winners will be announced in the spring.

The deadline for this contest is February 15, 1957. The articles should be turned in to Roger Berger in The Nebraska Blueprint office located in Stout Hall.

The subject of the articles should be of interest to all students, and should be written in a scientific manner. The editorial staff of The Nebraska Blueprint and Diana Baum, Article Editor, will be able to give any help or suggestions which may be needed.



Sweetheart Candidate

Barbara Brittin of Alpha Phi is interviewed by Ben Belmont, member of Innocents society, for the title of Nebraska Sweetheart Tuesday night. The Inno-

cents and Mortar Boards chose six Sweetheart finalists and six Prince Kosmet finalists from a field of 40 candidates. The final

Nebraska Sweetheart and Prince Kosmet will be chosen by all-university election and presented at the Kosmet Klub show.

Male Students To Vote:

Honorary Commandant Elections Set Wednesday

Elections for the Honorary Commandant will be held Wednesday according to Mick Neff, Student Council Election Chairman.

The polls will be open from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the City Union and from 11:30 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. at the Ag Union. Male students only will be allowed to vote.

Each voter must present two tickets for the Military Ball and his Identification Card at the polls. Identification Cards will be taken if used by persons other than the real owner. Persons with spectator tickets are not eligible to vote.

The candidates for the 1956 Honorary Commandant are Diane Peterson, chosen Miss Navy, Carol Link, Miss Army and Linda Butman, Miss Air Force. Students will vote for one of these three students for the title of Honorary Commandant.

The 1956 Honorary Commandant will be attended by the two remaining candidates.

The Military Ball is the event designating the opening of the social season on the University campus for the school year.

Identity of the Honorary Commandant will be kept a secret until her presentation as the high point of the Military Ball.

According to Lt. Cdr. D. B. Edge, officer in charge of the Military Ball, all of the candidates, the night of the ball will be presented with a service sash denoting the various services. After the presentation of these various sashes a sash bearing the name of "1956 Honorary Commandant" will

IFC: Council Appoints Advisor

James (Bill) Orwig, Director of Athletics, has been named IFC advisor to fill the position left vacant by Dr. Harry Weaver, acting chairman of the Botany Department. Dr. Weaver resigned his advisory position following his appointment as acting department chairman to devote more time to his departmental duties.

Orwig was selected by the executive committee of the IFC advisors in consultation with IFC members according to Ben Belmont, treasurer of IFC. Other members of the advisory board are Dr. C. B. Schultz, Director of the Museum and Doctor William Gilliland, chairman of the geology department.

According to Belmont many names were submitted for consideration as IFC advisor. When approached by IFC members, Orwig said he was very interested in the position.

Of all the names submitted and discussed, "we found that Bill was the best qualified," stated Belmont.

IFC advisors are appointed on a one, two and three year basis, so that each year only one vacancy in the advisory committee occurs.

be given to one of the three candidates denoting the winner. Ron Blue, Chairman of the Military Ball Committee, will then present the Honorary Commandant to

Chancellor Clifford Hardin.

The NavCad Choir and the Orchestra of Richard Maltby will be additional attractions for the night of the Ball.

Military Ball Program	
9-9:40 p.m.	Dancing to Richard Maltby and his Orchestra
9:40-10 p.m.	Grand March and Presentation of the Honorary Commandant
10-10:10 p.m.	Lincoln Drum and Bugle Corps
10:10-10:35 p.m.	Naval Aviation Cadet Choir
10:35-11:20 p.m.	Dancing to Richard Maltby and his Orchestra
11:20-11:40 p.m.	Naval Aviation Cadet Choir and Miss Diane Knotek
11:40-12 Midnight	Arthur Murray Dancers
12 Midnight-1 a.m.	Dancing to Richard Maltby and his Orchestra

Sigma Tau: Engineering Convocation Announced

All 11 a.m. engineering classes will be dismissed Monday for the ninth annual Sigma Tau convocation in the Stuart Theater.

Earl Luff, President of the Lincoln Steel Works and Northland Steel Company, Billings, Mont., will be the main speaker. The title of his speech will be, "Along the Way."

Luff is past president of the Associated Industries of Nebraska, Nebraska Engineering Society, Lincoln Chamber of Commerce, Lincoln Builders Bureau, Lincoln Rotary Club, past national president of Theta Xi Fraternity, past state chairman of Transportation Association of America, and director of National Association of Manufacturers.

Mr. Luff is a 1928 graduate from the Civil Engineering College of the University. While a student at the University, he was a member and captain of the wrestling team, worked on the Nebraska Blueprint Staff, and was vice-president of the student branch of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

Sigma Tau, honorary engineering fraternity, began the series of all engineering convocations in 1948.

Queen Vote Mode Change 'Indefinite'

According to Shirley McPeck, president of Tassels, University Women's pep organization, the constitutional amendment regarding a revision in the election of Homecoming Queens is "still in the discussing stage."

Miss McPeck stated that nothing definite regarding the Constitution revision would take place for at least two more meetings because of observance to parliamentary procedure.

'Rendezvous' Set As Union Party Theme

"Rudolph's Rendezvous" is the theme for the Union's annual Christmas party and Open House, to be held Dec. 12, from 8 to 10:30 p.m.

A window scene showing roof tops, tree tops and Santa and his sleigh, in the background, with a real chimney front will be in the main hallway of the Union, starting December 4.

In the chimney will be a sack for presents such as food, clothing and toys. These presents will be presented to needy families in Lincoln for Christmas. University students may donate gifts which are in good condition and wrapped by dropping them into the sack.

Senior ROTC To Rehearse Grand March

Military Ball officials have specified that all advanced ROTC cadets who desire to participate in the Grand March must attend the Wednesday night and Thursday night practice sessions, scheduled for 7 p.m. in the Coliseum with their dates.

Two practices for the Grand March will be held in the Coliseum Wednesday and Thursday at 7 p.m., announced Jim Boling, presentations chairman.

Senior ROTC cadets and midshipmen and their dates will participate in the Grand March at the 1956 Military Ball.

This event will highlight the evening along with the presentation of the Honorary Commandant whose identity will be kept a secret until the time of her acknowledgment at the ball.

Fowler Announced State President

Charles Fowler, director of division of buildings and grounds at the University was elected president of the central states' convention of the American Physical Plant Administrators.

The association held its annual two-day meeting at the University. Halbert, superintendent of physical plant at University of Missouri, vice president; and Norman Marble, superintendent of physical plant at Grinnell College secretary - treasurer.

Kosmet Candidates:

Prince, Sweetheart Finalists Chosen

Six Nebraska Sweetheart and six Prince Kosmet finalists were selected from a field of 40 candidates by members of the Innocents and Mortar Board organizations Tuesday evening.

The 1956 Prince Kosmet and Nebraska Sweetheart will be chosen from these finalists by an all-university election at the Coliseum the night of the Fall Review.

Selected as Nebraska Sweetheart finalists were Charlene Ferguson, junior in Teachers College and member of Alpha Chi Omega; Arlene Hrbek, senior in Arts and Sciences, Delta Delta Delta; Sara Hubka, junior in Teachers College, Delta Gamma; Mary Huston, junior in Arts and Sciences, Kappa Alpha Theta; Jane Jeffrey, senior in Teachers College, Kappa Kappa Gamma; and Marion Janda, senior in Ag, Love Memorial Hall.

Chosen as Prince Kosmet finalists were Jim Murphy, senior in Teachers College, Delta Tau Delta; Gordon Engler, senior in Business Administration, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Dyke Newcomer, Phi Kappa Psi; Don Smith, junior in Arts and Sciences, Delta Upsilon; Al Daggert, senior in Business Administration, Phi Gamma Del-

ta and Lowell Niebaum, sophomore in Arts and Sciences, Kappa Sigma.

Doran Post, senior in Ag College and member of Phi Delta Theta was Prince Kosmet in 1955 and Doris Anderson, junior in Teachers College and Chi Omega, was Nebraska Sweetheart.

Participants in this year's show

will be Delta Upsilon, Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Psi, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Theta Xi and Zeta Beta Tau.

"Classical Capers" has been selected as the theme of this year's review, which will be a combination of serious, musical and comedy skits, according to Jim Boling, director of the show.

Paul Dotson:

Philippine Pastor Scheduled To Visit

A student pastor at the University of the Philippines will visit the University from Friday to Thursday of this coming week.

The pastor, the Reverend Paul Dotson, is a fraternal worker on furlough from the Philippines and working with the Office of Student Work of the Presbyterian Church USA, Board of Foreign Missions.

Born in Flemming County, Kentucky, he was educated at Manchester College, Indiana, and McCormick Theological Seminary, received his B.D. degree in 1945. In March of that year he was appointed to work in Manila. As English is understood by most Filipinos, he began to preach and work among the students, and to help in the process of rehabilitation of this land that was ravaged by war.

Dotson became Director of Student Work in the Federation of Evangelical Churches and also taught Bible in Silliman University summer sessions. In December 1948, he was chosen as one of the youth leaders to share in the Asian conference in Ceylon.

In 1949 Dotson returned to this country, studied at Columbia University, and in 1951 was granted a special Furlough Study Fellowship in connection with the Christianity and Communism Seminar at Union Theological Seminary in New York City.

During his second term of work in the Philippines, Dotson has been Director of the large student center of the United Church of Christ in the Philippines at Los Banos, seat of the University of the Philippines.

Vesper Soloist Named

Delta Omicron, national professional jazz Wednesday the soloists for the group's annual Christmas Vesper Concert, which will be held Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at the University Episcopal Chapel.

Janet Jenkins will direct the vesper service and Dorothy Dayton, an alumnae, will be organist.

Voice soloists will be: Myrna Mills, "No Candle Was There and No Fire," by Lekkman;

Lois Panwitz, "A Child is Born," by Jokanson.

Betty Brackhahn, "Gesu Bambino," by Yon.

Alice Allen, "Panis Angelicus," by Franck.

Lois Stephens and Elaine Peterson will present "Ave Maria," by Bach-Gounod, as a flute duet.

Father Armstrong of the Episcopal Chapel will say the Christmas Collects and read the Christmas Gospel.

Outside World:

Canal Clearance Dispute

United Nations delegates balked today against footing any part of the bill for clearing the Suez Canal. Led by the Soviet Union, diplomats on both sides of the political fence said they saw no reason why neutral nations should clean out the ships and bridges sunk in the waterway by Britain, France and Israel.

Band Plays On

The musicians of the Dorsey brothers' band hid their grief Monday night and played gay music for diners and dancers in the Cafe Rouge of the Hotel Statler, following the announcement of the death of Tommy Dorsey. Brother Jimmy Dorsey was in seclusion and the band was led by trumpet player Lee Castle. In front of the band—on an empty chair—rested Tommy's trombone.

Ton-Mile Expenses Listed

Proponents and opponents of the ton-mile tax spent \$60,502, according to a report filed with the secretary of state. The Committee for Better Roads Through Fair Taxation listed \$24,851 on its unsuccessful bid to get the measure put on the books. Opponents of the bill, led by the Nebraska Consumers & Producers Committee report total disbursements of \$35,654, including unpaid bills amounting to \$3,434.

Surplus Buildup 'Checked'

According to Agriculture Department experts, the record breaking buildup of farm surpluses has been checked. But they say Uncle Sam still owns more than \$5,300,000,000 (B) worth of food, feed and fiber.

Trailer Owners Face Tax Hike

Trailer owners face a possible tax increase if a move by the Lancaster County Commissioners is successful. Lancaster County Assessor Arthur Davis says trailer owners aren't paying their "fair share" of the taxes and suggested that trailer owners purchase permits March 1 each year. The tax would increase county revenue about \$50,000.

Death Ends Chase

A speeding driver who thumbed his nose at a pursuing state trooper and almost ran down two other officers who tried to stop him was abruptly stopped by a large semi-trailer loaded with potatoes. The driver and a passenger were killed and a second passenger was badly injured. The driver, unidentified, had a loaded .357 Magnum high-powered revolver in his lap according to Marshal Lynn Martin of Haigler who set up the truck block after the car pulled away from the patrolman.



Dotson

'Nomads': Jazz Combo To Sponsor Workshop

"The Nomads", a jazz combo made up of artists who have worked with top recording stars of the nation, will participate in a jazz workshop sponsored by Sigma Chi and Kappa Kappa Gamma in the Union ballroom Dec. 2 at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are available from members of these two organizations or at the Union Activities Office, for \$1.25 per person and \$2.00 per couple.

Lauri Johnson, vocalist with "The Nomads", will be the guest of Sigma Chi for dinner Dec. 2. After dinner, the Sigma Chi's and "The Nomads" will gather at the Kappa Kappa Gamma house for coffee.

Jahny Vieth, the originator and leader of "The Nomads" practice of jazz workshops in New York.

Included in the combo are Phil Colabrok, formerly with George Shearing and Gene Krupa; Billy Franklin, who has worked with Tex Beneke; Joey Voda, a drummer who was formerly with the "Inkspots" and "Charioters"; and Lauri Johnson, vocalist and a former member of the Broadway play "Wish You There".

Administrators Set Special Conference

Approximately 400 school administrators are expected to attend a two day conference at the University Thursday and Friday, sponsored jointly by the Teachers College Department of School Administration and the Nebraska Association of School Administrators. Guest speakers, discussion groups and election of officers will make up the conference.



Courtesy Lincoln Star Foltz

Cold Wave From Canada To Hit Today

Colder weather with strong northerly winds will sweep into Nebraska Wednesday, according to the Weather Bureau.

A low pressure area gliding southeastward, just east of Nebraska, will shift north or northwesterly and bring down some cold air from Canada.

The bureau said the lowest readings will be mostly in the middle or upper teens, followed by moderate temperatures Thursday. No precipitation is expected.

