

Theatre Season Opens October 7

'Merchant of Venice' Will Star Eleanor Kessler, Bill Baker

Dallas S. Williams, director of the University Theatre, announced the cast for the first play of the season, Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice."

The play, which will run from Oct. 22 through 25, will be produced in the Howell Memorial Theatre in the Temple building.

CASTING

Appearing in the Shakespearean comedy are:

Eleanor Kessler, Jessica; Bill Baker, Prince of Arragon; Stephanie Sherdeman, Nerissa; Jo Couch, Portia; Eric Prewitt, Bassanio; Andy Backer, Lancelot; Charles Weatherford, Shylock; Dean Kautz, Salanio; Robert Wetzel, Lorenzo;

Marsh To Speak

Young Republicans will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Union.

Featured speaker will be Frank Marsh, Secretary of State of Nebraska, who is running for reelection in Nov.

All freshmen may attend since this is an organization meeting

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Social Side Cupid Rests, Too

By Sue Healy

Social life is in full swing on the campus this week. Evidences of this were the many game functions, the crowds at East Hills and King's, and, of course, the numerous pinning and engagements.

Pinnings

Jane Lyman, a Kappa Kappa Gamma junior in Teachers from Omaha, to Don McNichols, a Phi Gamma Delta at Kansas University from Kansas City.

Joan Rinne, a Delta Gamma sophomore in Arts and Sciences from Pawnee City, to Jon Fink, a Sigma Phi Epsilon senior in Agriculture from Pawnee City.

Liz Robinson, a Delta Gamma junior in Teachers from Kearney, to Bob Heinrichs, a Beta Theta Pi junior in Arts and Sciences from Lincoln.

Verna Boulton, an Alpha Omicron Pi sophomore in Home Economics from Central City, to Jim Roman, a Sigma Alpha Epsilon junior in Business Administration from Norfolk.

Pat Salisbury, an Alpha Xi Delta junior in Home Economics from Stapleton, to Dick Moses, a Kappa Sigma senior in Arts and Sciences from Lincoln.

Naomi "Sis" Kaufman, a Sigma Delta Tau junior in Arts and Sciences from Lincoln, to Danny Denenberg, a Sigma Delta Tau junior in Pre-Med from Omaha.

Kay Turner, an Alpha Chi Omega junior in Teachers from Lincoln, to Ted Dewey, a Beta Theta Pi junior in

Teachers from Lincoln. Joyce Turnbull, a Women's Residence Halls junior in Teachers from Gering, to Ray Chritton, a Delta Upsilon senior in Engineering from Tecumseh.

Susan Stone, an Alpha Xi Delta senior in Teachers from Weeping Water, to Dean Glock, an Alpha Gamma Rho alum from David City.

Janet Wells, a Phi Mu freshman at Nebraska Wesleyan, to Bob Ficke, an Alpha Gamma Sigma sophomore in Agriculture from Millford.

Engagements

Janie Coe, a Delta Delta Delta junior in Teachers from Wakefield, to Loran Meske, a sophomore in Pre-Med from Wakefield.

Jane Spence, a Piper Hall sophomore in Teachers from Beatrice, to Bob Peters, a grad student in Engineering from Kearney.

Jane Oshlund, an Alpha Chi Omega junior in Teachers from Rockford, Ill., to Mal Seagren, a Sigma Nu senior in Engineering from Wausa.

Donna Duncan from Ithaca, to Lloyd Langemeier, an Alpha Gamma Rho junior in Agriculture from Ithaca.

Sherry Glendenny, an Alpha Xi Delta senior in Teachers from Grant, to Floyd Urbach, a University alum from St. Paul.

Marilyn Abrahamson, an Alpha Chi Omega junior in Teachers from Lincoln, to Ron Bath, an Alpha Gamma Rho alum from Auburn.

Bev Flack, an Alpha Chi Omega senior in Teachers

Revised Curriculum Keeps NU Courses Up To Date

By Marilyn Coffey

In order for University curriculum to keep up to date, revisions must be made every year, said Mrs. Irma Laase, assistant registrar.

Among new courses offered are those in Actuarial Science, the mathematics of computing the average life of persons as a basis for life insurance. Actuarial mathematics and life contingencies are two experimental courses that are being financed by a group of insurance companies.

Agronomy Courses

The agronomy department has added Agronomy 199, research problems for senior students. Animal pathology and hygiene course for undergraduates is being offered for the first time this semester.

The economic department divided a course in property insurance and casualty insurance into two separate courses, Economics 207 and 214.

The increased emphasis on the education of exceptional children, said Mrs. Laase, resulted in the addition of Education Psychology 286, a course in the education of such children.

Lab Deleted

The Lab for Geography 71 has been deleted. The new course without the lab is Geography 12. Both courses are on this semester's curriculum.

For teachers in vocational home economics, a course in food buying and preservation is offered this semester. Similar food and nutrition courses have been offered before.

"The chief difference," Mrs. Laase explained, "is that Food and Nutrition 120 is a course that doesn't have a chemical background."

Special Math

A mathematics course for superior freshmen is designed to combine in three semesters what would normally take four semesters to cover. In order to qualify for Mathematics 130, a special examination must be passed.

Other additions to the mathematical department this year are: Math 190, an undergraduate seminar; Math 217, an

introduction to modern algebra; Math 265, an introduction to Mathematical Logic I and Math 299 and 381, graduate reading courses.

Physical education graduate courses were offered for the first time last semester. To that curriculum has been added Phys. Ed. 240, supervision in physical education and 340, a seminar in phys. ed.

Political Science

Political Science 279, a course in political leadership, is the only new course for that department this semester.

The Spanish department has added a course in contemporary Spanish literature, Spanish 255.

A general seminar for graduate students in sociology has been added in that department.

"The engineering curriculum is being revised but they're not offering a new course this year," Mrs. Laase said.

Also in the planning stage are several courses in advertising that may be added to the school of journalism curriculum, she added.

Course Approval

Courses before they can be entered in the University's permanent schedule go through many stages of revision and approval.

Originally initiated in the departments by faculty and department heads, the course must have the approval of the dean of the college.

Courses in the group ranging from 1 to 199, are checked for duplication by a Faculty Senate committee, the course duplication committee.

Final Check

If the course is one to be offered to graduates, it must be approved by the Graduate

Conference Report

Dr. Theodore Jorgensen, physics professor, will report on the international conference on "The Penetration of Charged Particles in Matter," at 4:15 p. m. in Room 211 of Brace Laboratory.

The conference was held in Gatlinburg, Tenn.

Smith To Direct From Walter Reed- KK Fall Review

Keith Smith, senior in Ag College from Aurora, will direct the 1958 Kosmet Klub Fall Review, according to Dick Moses, vice-president.

Moses also announced that songs and rough drafts of individual fraternity skits will be due Monday, Sept. 13. Materials should be placed in the Kosmet Klub box in the basement of the Student Union.

Complete scripts will be due Sept. 20 with faculty committee reading scheduled for some time between the 20th and 23rd, Moses said. Tryouts to select the six best skits will be held Nov. 6 with the show scheduled for Nov. 21.

Judging forms and explanatory letters will be sent to all the houses "around the first of next week," Moses said.

"Houses interested in submitting skits should start writing them now," Moses said, "because we are way ahead of last year's schedule on the Fall Review and we would like to keep the ball rolling."

from Lincoln, to Roger Hubbard, an Alpha Gamma Rho senior in Agriculture from Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Alice Jennings, an Alpha Chi Omega senior in Teachers from Davenport, to Dan Fisher, a naval cadet at Pensacola, Florida.

Barb Meston, a Pi Beta Phi senior in Teachers from Broken Bow, to John Stuart, a Phi Delta Theta senior in Business Administration from Lincoln.

Dr. Sweat Joins Ag College Staff

Dr. Robert Sweat, a former staff member at Walter Reed Army Institute of Research in Washington D.C., has joined the University College of Agriculture staff.

Dr. Sweat was in charge of viral diseases of animals transmissible to man, at Walter Reed Institute. He will be a member of the Department of Animal Pathology and Hygiene at the University.

Colorado State Grad

A graduate of Colorado State University at Fort Collins with a bachelor's degree with high distinction, Dr. Sweat received his doctor's in veterinary medicine. He is from Lamar, Colo.

Dr. Sweat will devote his time to studying, infectious diseases of beef cattle, such as pinkeye, shipping fever and calf scours. These diseases

result in poor performance and uneconomic production of beef.

Better Understanding

"A better understanding of these diseases through research will aid in development of control measures which will help stockmen produce beef more efficiently," said Dr. George Young, chairman of the University's Department of Animal Pathology and Hygiene.

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