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## THE OFFICERS' HOP

Details are Perfected and a Delightful Time is Assured.

Committee has Left Nothing Undone to Make Hop a Success.

Tomorrow night the Officers' Hop, the first informal dance of the year, will be held at Frat. Hall. Chairman Ramsay and his committee have been working faithfully and everything in the committee's power will be done to make this "Officers'" the best yet. Eddie Walt, with his full orchestra, has been secured to furnish the music. Light refreshments, of late an unusual feature at the University informals, will be served. Unlike many other committees the one in charge of this year's "Officers'" have not raised the price of tickets. Admission will be \$1.50 per couple.

Twenty regular numbers and two extras will make up the program of dances, which are as follows:

1. Waltz.
2. Two-step.
3. Waltz.
4. Two-step.
5. Waltz.
6. Two-step.
7. Waltz.
8. Five-step.
9. Waltz.
10. Two-step.
11. Waltz.
12. Two-Step.
13. Waltz.
14. Two-step.
15. Waltz.
16. Five-step.
17. Two-step.
18. Waltz.
19. Two-step.
20. Waltz.

The committee having the "hop" in charge is W. C. Ramsay, chairman; Ed. Adams, master of ceremonies; White, Crawford, Dayton, Stone.

Mr. H. G. Shedd has presented to the State University library about fifty volumes of valuable publications issued by the foreign and state commissions of the late Exposition. The volumes that are particularly interesting are the handsome hand-books issued by the governments of Japan, China, Belgium, Slam and Argentine Republic. An interesting set of agricultural publications by the government of New Zealand, a number of pamphlets on education in various states and countries, notably Sweden, are included.

Through the efforts of F. W. Taylor, chief of agriculture for the Fair, William James, who is in charge of the Nebraska corn exhibit, and Secretary Shedd, over one hundred and fifty varieties of different grains grown in foreign countries, especially those of South America, Russia, Asia Minor, Egypt and certain parts of Africa, have been secured for the state experiment station. Prof. E. H. Barbour was also able to procure over a carload of cases, specimens and exhibit material of the departments of mining and education which has been received and stored in the University Museum. This material has filled the museum to overflowing and is now packed in the hallways and every available nook and corner.

Eat at the Uni Music Cafe.

## Officers' Hop

Fraternity Hall, Friday, Feb. 3

EDDIE WALT'S ORCHESTRA

INFORMAL

TICKETS, \$1.50

### SECOND PRELIMINARY

Nebraska's Forensic Representatives to be Chosen Today.

This afternoon at 4:00 o'clock the second contest of the preliminary debates will be held in Memorial hall. At the conclusion of this debate the judges will select fifteen men out of the entire number of speakers who debated last night and today. Those chosen will constitute the debating "squad" and will immediately go into training under the "Nebraska system." This debate will rival the highly commended contest of last night in spirit and interest. Those who heard the first debate need no urging to attend the second, and others will have a last opportunity of hearing a debate from which they can receive much amusement and instruction. Memorial hall should be well filled not only to encourage the debaters—for anyone who has spoken publicly will testify that there is little inspiration in addressing empty seats—but also to show that the students support debating with the same indefatigable enthusiasm with which they back athletics.

The same judges who served last night will award the final decision today. The following is the order of speaking: C. A. Sunderlin, Jack Miller, Leo Legro, J. L. Clark, R. A. Van Orsdale, Roscoe Ozman, Frank Peterson, Albert M. Levy, E. W. Marvin.

Mr. Albert Watkins, Esq., of Lincoln, will preside this afternoon.

### "Faust" Program

Tomorrow at Convocation the beautiful marble bust of Goethe's Margaret, lately purchased by the German Department for the University, will be formally brought before the students. Miss Howell will read "Margaret at the Spinning Wheel." Miss Elma Marsland and Mr. George Johnson, both so well and favorably known to the University public, will render two selections from Gounod's Faust Opera. This gift of the German Department to the University, the bust of Margaret, was purchased by Professor Fossler last summer in St. Louis. It is of pure Carrara marble and is the work of Antonio Frilli, a sculptor of Florence, Italy. The work on this bust was done in his studio in Florence.

The Sophs meet this morning to elect officers for the second semester. Dwight Kramer and Ray Findley, both of Omaha, are the presidential aspirants. Both are strong men and a lively contest is sure to result.

Oyster stew 25 cents at Cameron's new Restaurant, 119 South 12th.

Eat at the Uni. School of Music Cafe.

### ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

The Work Will be Begun in the Near Future.

Plans for the new administration building to be erected on the campus have been submitted to the superintendent of construction by the president of the building committee. It is expected that work on the building will begin in about three weeks. The contract has not been let. The building will be situated on the campus near the chemical laboratory and will be modern throughout.

Work on the interior of the physics building is progressing and the building will probably be finished in June.

The building will be fitted out in the very best and most modern manner throughout. Superintendent of construction Chowins is now working on the plans and drawings for the plumbing, gas and air piping. He is also making drawings for two very elaborate lecture tables. They will be piped and wired for gas, water and waste, acetylene, hydrogen, oxygen and compressed air.

### A New Course.

Miss Wild will give a course in Arguments for Christianity, a synopsis of which is given below. This course is given Thursday at 3 in Library Hall 310:

1. Is Christianity only one among many religions or is it the supreme religion and why?
2. God's attitude toward those "who throttle the truth."
3. Who is it that "throttle the truth?"
4. The advantage of those who are brought up in the church. What they may not rest upon.
5. Who is it that are lost?
6. The Christian's standing before God. The only attitude that he can hold.
7. How are we saved?
8. The practical recipe for conquering sin.
9. Two ideas of salvation prevalent today; self-developing and self-surrender. Which is right?
10. What it means to be a child of God.
11. "The expectation of the creation." Do we know anything about the purpose behind this world and life?
12. Election equivalent to selection. Paul's harmony with the evolutionist.
13. Inevitable things which we might as well accept.
14. "The stone of stumbling." To Christians and non-Christians alike.
15. The appeal to Christian service.
16. What is due the fathers even if we do think them old-fogy and mistaken?
17. The person of a large mould.
18. The Christian's relation to civic law and politics.
19. The Christian's law of helpfulness.
20. "My gospel." What was Paul's peculiar gospel?
21. "The revelation of the mystery." What was the "mystery" Paul talks about so much?

## GIRLS WILL PLAY

Championship to be Decided Friday, February 10.

Close Contests Promised—Each Team Strong.

The tournament to decide the Girls' Inter-Class basketball championship has been set for Friday, Feb. 10. The tournament will consist of games played between the class teams and then the winners playing for the championship. The class teams this year are more evenly matched than ever before, the members of the 'varsity being pretty evenly divided among them, the Freshman class being the only team without 'varsity players. But this team is exceptionally strong and has given the 'varsity the hardest practice of any of the teams.

The Freshmen and Sophomore teams will play first and then the Junior and Senior teams. The winners of these games will play together. The Junior team is very strong this year and as it was the winner last season much will be expected from it. The price of admission for these games will be ten cents. It is quite probable that the 'varsity will play Minnesota in Minneapolis the 24th of February. The management wished to bring Minnesota to Lincoln this year, but this is impossible as Minnesota makes another trip and can not come to Lincoln this year. A contract was sent to the management stating Minnesota would probably meet Nebraska in Lincoln next year if Nebraska would play in Minnesota this year. The question has not been fully decided but it is pretty sure that the girls will travel northward on the twenty-fourth.

A game with Haskell will likely be played in Lincoln the first of March. If the first team plays Haskell here, the second team will meet the Omaha Y. W. C. A. team on the same evening. This will give a double header and two good games of basketball on one evening. The Haskell team has never been able to defeat Nebraska and this year promises to be no exception to others.

The game with Misouri is without a doubt the most important game of the season for the girls. This game will be played in St. Louis the latter part of March. This will be one of the fastest games played in the west for the present year as the teams are so evenly matched.

Mrs. Clapp and Miss Pound will accompany the team on its trips, and Mrs. Clapp will act as official for all the games with the exception of the game at Minnesota. Other games will likely be played in Lincoln between surrounding colleges.

The Latin Club met Tuesday morning at Chapel time and elected twelve students to membership. Students to be eligible to election must have taken work in the Department of Latin and the election is based to a considerable extent upon scholarship in that department. Those chosen were: Misses Axtell, Schwerty, Cooper, Grimeson, Cutter, Schrieber, Beatie, McClucas, McEachron, Petrashek and Bomerhard, and Mr. Scribner.

Miss Ruth Woodsmall is president of the club and Frank Peterson secretary.