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ALPHA CHI HOUSE BURNS

OVERHEATED FURNACE PIPE CAUSE CONSIDERABLE STIR AMONG MUSICAL CO-EDS.

MILLER RESCUES PARTY DRESSES

Wrightt Kay and Company Jeweler Comes to Aid of Girls Stranded in Top Story but Two Are Singed.

Saturday afternoon about 2:30 the Alpha Chi Omega house was seriously damaged by a fire resulting from an overheated furnace conduit. The blaze originated near the staircase and a number of girls who were on the second story at the time experienced difficulty in escaping, but the prompt work of several volunteer firemen prevented the injury of any of the girls.

At the time the conflagration was discovered a fraternity jeweler, representing Wright, Kay and Company of Detroit, who had visited the house earlier in the day was across the street. He hurried to the rescue of the girls, getting a ladder from a nearby house and liberating those who had taken refuge on the porch roof. Several young women might have been seriously hurt but for his warnings not to jump as he was getting a ladder.

However, in spite of all the warnings given, Grace Hofman and Leona Combs, attempted to come down the burning stair case and suffered the loss of eye-lashes and considerable hair. Outside of these minor injuries no one was hurt during the fire.

The girls out, an attempt was made to save everything perishable in the place. With the loss of a leg, the piano was taken through the front window to the Pi Phi house next door. Furniture was pulled out and the neighbors enriched with many donations of this kind.

At the risk of his life, Glenn H Miller a sophomore in the College of Medicine dashed up the blazing stairway and throwing a number of party gowns together on a bed spread, carried them out of the house to safety. The danger of the undertaking was increased by the fact that it was not attempted till late in the progress of the fire.

Chi Omega received the entire chapter for the afternoon and kept them warm and well-fed until the town sisters could render succor to the afflicted. Mrs Billmyer, the chaperone, remained with them until Monday afternoon, when she went to the home of a Lincoln friend.

Alpha Chi Omega will be without a home for but a short time, as the girls will not wait for the old house to be repaired. No definite plans have been made as yet but it is probable that they will be installed in their new dwelling before the end of the week.

MUCH ENTHUSIASM OVER MISS BURNER'S VISIT

Week Full of Teas, Luncheon, Meetings—Vesper Service Tonight—Big Meeting of Week.

Miss Burner, national secretary of the Y. W. C. A., who is to preside at the various meetings of association week, is now on the campus. She comes directly from the University of Minnesota, where similar meetings were held. The exchanges from Minnesota are full of enthusiasm over Miss Burner and her work.

The girls of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet met with her Monday noon. This afternoon she will be present at a tea given by Miss Ensign in her honor. This is in Art Hall, from 3 to 5.

The big meeting of the week is the Vesper service this evening. This is an affair for all University girls. Even if the opportunity was not given to every co-ed to place her name on the list in Library Hall, she is cordially invited to come, notwithstanding.

Miss Burner visits only the largest of the state Universities. It is therefore the part of the girls of Nebraska to take their place with other universities in welcoming her.

"DIE JOURNALISTEN" THIS WEEK

Much Interest Being Shown by Lincoln People—Walt's Orchestra To Furnish Music.

Tickets for the German club play, "Die Journalisten," to be given March 7, in the Temple theater, are now selling rapidly. Germans in Lincoln as well as the University students, are interested in the play. The manager of the Freie Presse has bought fifty tickets and presented them to the people who work in his office.

The characters selected are particularly well fitted for their parts. The entire cast is now rehearsing daily, and putting on the finishing touches.

"Die Journalisten" is remarkable for the number of lines which its leading characters must memorize. Two out of the twenty-three characters, "Adelheit," played by Pauline Kohn, and "Oberst," by Le Mar Stanley, each have over five hundred lines, while "Bolz," by Edward Huwaldt, has more than eight hundred.

Walt's orchestra has been secured for the evening.

Tickets are on sale at the Temple box office and at Porter's.

Notice.

Members of the Cornhusker staff meet in the Cornhusker office between 11 and 11:45 this morning.

A series of pre-nuptial parties are being given by the Chi Omega's in honor of Cozette McManigell, whose marriage to Earl Brannon takes place March 19.

DOCTOR WALTER KENDALL JEWETT SUCCEMBS TO ILLNESS

Has Been Librarian for Seven Years—Holds Degrees From Harvard and Brown—Traveled Much.

Doctor Walter Kendall Jewett, A. B. Brown, M. D. Harvard, for seven years university librarian, passed away at his home, 1634 B street, last evening after an illness of several months.

At his bedside during his last illness were his wife, Mrs Edith Jewett and his nearest relative, Doctor Bancroft of Boston, a cousin. He leaves no children and was an orphan without brothers or sisters.

Doctor Jewett was a very well educated man, spending four years at the New York Library school after obtaining his first two academic degrees. He traveled on the continent extensively while in school and has visited Europe once since he has been connected with the University of Nebraska. His broadmind and likable disposition made him a favorite among the student body.

Though but forty-four at his death, the present growth of the university library will stand for many years as a monument of his faithful efforts in its interests. Less than a year ago the hundred thousand mark was reached, an achievement long anticipated by older members of the faculty.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

A. M. A. RAISES REQUIREMENTS

Medical College Requirements and Hospital Facilities Raised—Nebraska Above New Ruling.

Dean R H Wolcott represented the University College of Medicine at the meeting of the American Medical association, held in Chicago last week.

The most important matter taken up by the association having to do with medical colleges was the raising of entrance requirements and the increasing of college and hospital equipment. The new requirements do not affect Nebraska, however, since the present requirements here are above the new ruling. The laboratory equipments are also above requirements, and in the case of the required college maintenance of a hospital, steps are being taken whereby formal contracts may be made with hospitals of Omaha, with which the college of medicine is already affiliated. This arrangement will satisfy the hospital ruling and Nebraska will be placed in the A plus class.

A bill before the legislature at the present time will, if passed, provide an appropriation for a hospital to be erected, probably on the college campus at 42 and Dewey avenue in Omaha.

MORE JOBS GIVEN OUT

JUNIOR-SOPHOMORE CLASSES ANNOUNCE COMMITTEES AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS.

JUNIORS MEET TODAY AT 11:30

Minor Officers Will Be Elected and Report of Prom Cobbittee Given—Sophomores Elect Thursday.

The list of political appointments for the second semester becomes complete with the announcements of the political plum crops in the Junior and Sophomore classes as given in the following lists made out by President Harvey Hess of their third year men and President Earl Jackson of the Sophomores.

A meeting of the Juniors for the election of officers and a report on the Prom has been called by Mr. Hess, to meet this morning at 11:30 o'clock in Memorial hall, while a similar meeting will be held for the Sophomores on next Thursday. Some difficulty has been experienced in completing the lists of appointments because of scholastic intelligibility, but the lists as given below are complete with one or two possible exceptions:

Junior appointments:

Hop—Arthur Allyn, chairman; Harold Pier, John Cutright, Gladys Bunt, Rachael Kellog, L. L. Lynch.

The master of ceremonies will be announced later.

Ivy Day—L. W. Charlesworth, chairman; Robert Davis, Hugh Agor, Freda Stuff, Hugh Raymond, Evelyn Dobbs, Dorothy Harpham.

Athletics—Roswell Haswell, chairman; C W Beck, A C Lindstrum.

Sophomore appointments:

Hop—Earl O. Hawkins, chairman; W. H. Bauman, master of ceremonies; Phil Southwick, George Spooner, Russel Swift, Marie Robertson, Emma Neal.

Ivy Day—Paul Martin, chairman; R. H. Bochens, Russel Isreal, Grace Reavis, Ruth Stonecipher.

Athletics—Otto Zumwinkel, chairman; Lewis Meier, Raymond Westover.

Publicity—James Allison.

Interclass Basketball—Ed Pettis.

THE ROADS THEY TRAVEL

Rhodes Scholars Follow Various Lines of Work—Three Hundred Scholars Finish Farming in Six Years.

The Rhodes scholarship association has issued a statement showing the different lines of work embraced by the Rhodes scholars, after leaving Oxford. The number of students in each calling is as follows: Education, 123; Law, 84; Civil Service, 25; Religious Work, 20; Medicine, 15; Business, 14;

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All Girls Out for Y. W. C. A. Vespers--Temple