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APPEALS FOR HELP FOR ARAB WOMEN

DR. PAUL HARRISON ADDRESSES Y. W. C. A. VESPERS

Declares Non-Christian Systems the World Over Bear Most Heavily Upon the Women

"Non-Christian systems the world over bear most heavily on the women," said Dr. Paul Harrison, '05, medical missionary to Arabia, at Y. W. C. A. vespers yesterday. "The difference between Arab men and American men is very little, for the men have a certain amount of knowledge, as a whole, but the difference between Arab women and American women is very great. They have had a hard time under Mohammedanism.

"Although the women are fairly contented, their development is pitiful. At 10 years of age they go into the harem; at 12 they are married, and spend the rest of their lives trying only to please their husbands. They are weak and anemic; they have no physical basis for health and happiness; they have no mental outlook, for they have never met an intelligent person in their lives; they cannot read nor write. A Mohammedan woman's husband would not think of eating with her, and it would be an insult to ask him the state of his wife's health. A woman's life is centered in petty neighborhood gossip, and the beautiful things in life disappear in that environment.

Need Missionary Work

"When I went into Arabia the first time in Bombay, I saw the need of missionary work. Among the old women who were still young, although there was nothing criminal or vicious in their faces, everything seemed to have been worked out, pounded out of consciousness."

Dr. Harrison told of one time when he had been called to help a daughter of an Arabian shiek. She had been operated upon, and her nurse was one of the shiek's concubines, yet she was one of the most perfect natural ladies he had ever seen. If she had had half a fair chance she would have shone in any society.

The Bedouins are too poor to have more than one wife and more companionship is found, said Dr. Harrison.

There is only one type of workers who know of Christ, to put the refinement, delicacy and beauty into the minds of the Mohammedan women—it is the type which can carry ideas of art and music and beauty, and there is no one who is in a position to render greater help than the girl who has had training in art and music. They need those refinements we know, those refinements which make the difference between refined and unrefined people.

"I stand here as the advocate of ten million women, with the appeal of those who have the least, to those who have the most," concluded Dr. Harrison.

MAY QUEEN ELECTION FRIDAY

The election of the May Queen, who will be crowned at the annual Ivy Day exercises May 10, will be held Friday, April 14, in the library. Only senior girls are eligible to vote.

Little Pascale Big Meat Eater Nor Refuses Spuds

"When are we going to eat?"

According to the members of the varsity wrestling team who made the recent trip to Minneapolis, this question furnished the main topic of conversation for "Heinie" Pascale. Pascale is the infant on the team, wrestling in the "paperweight" 125-pound class, but he wants more than Melin's Food in his training.

Pascale can get outside of more beefsteaks, spuds, breads, and deserts than Kositzky in the heavy division, the wrestlers assert.

THE BASEBALL SEASON APRIL 17 TO MAY 22

Laws and Engineers to Clash in the Opening Game

The Inter-departmental baseball league games will start April 17, when the Laws and the Engineers clash on Nebraska field. Each of the five teams will meet each of the other teams twice, and the championship will go to the team making the highest percentage. The winning college will be awarded sweaters and a loving cup.

The schedule is as follows:

Laws vs. Engineers, 5:45, April 17 and May 4.

Commerce vs. Academics, 5:45, April 19 and May 5.

Laws vs. Aggies, 5:45, April 21 and May 8.

Laws vs. Commerce, 5:45, April 24 and May 9.

Academics vs. Engineers, 5:45, April 25 and May 10.

Commerce vs. Aggies, 5:45, April 26 and May 11.

Laws vs. Academics, April 27 and May 15.

Commerce vs. Engineers, 5:45, April 28 and May 17.

Aggies vs. Engineers, 5:45, May 1 and May 18.

Aggies vs. Academics, 5:45, May 3 and May 22.



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LOUISE SCHAVLAND

Leading woman in "The Man of the Hour"

MILITARY DRILL PLEASES MC FARLAND

STAFF OFFICER MAKES ANNUAL CADET INSPECTION

Battalions Stage Battle North of the City—No Announcement Made of the Victor

"The maneuvers were most successfully conducted on both sides. I am very much pleased with the military efficiency of the University of Nebraska cadets."

This was the opinion of Major Monroe McFarland, of the United States army general staff, who reviewed the cadets at annual inspection yesterday morning. The reviewing officer had inspected the farm regiment the day before, and the general impression he gained of military drill at Nebraska was a splendid one.

The cadets answered the first call at 8 a. m. Tuesday, falling in promptly for the inspection on Nebraska field. After inspection there was a review of the second battalion on the field. While this was going on, the first battalion had marched to the drainage ditch north of the city, and taken up a defensive position along the ditch from Ninth to Fourteenth street, Captain Craig defending the bridge at the first crossing, and Captain Schelsinger the second.

The second battalion marched forward for the attack. Under Colonel Hewitt a frontal attack was made by five companies, while a flanking movement was executed by two companies under Lieutenant-Colonel Wickstrum and Captain McMasters. The commandant praised the work of both attack and defense as brilliant. No announcement was made as to the successful side.

The second battalion put on a close order drill and an exhibition of Butts' manual. The companies also went through bayonet exercise, and close order drill, returning to the campus for dismissal at 12 o'clock.

KRATZ APPOINTS BARBECUE COMMITTEE

President Kratz, of the senior law class, yesterday announced the appointment of the following committee on the barbecue:

L. A. Hickman, chairman, Art Ballis, Taylor Withrow and J. L. McMasters.

A larger barbecue than ever is being planned. The date has not been set, but it will probably be some time in May. A real roast ox will be the feature of the day. There will be prominent speakers from the bench and bar.

AGS AND ACADEMICS STARS BASEBALL

Following the lead of the school of commerce, the agricultural college the arts and sciences college have called for candidates for their respective baseball teams. James Gardiner will manage the agriculture bunch, and Ed Hugg is in charge of the arts and sciences team.

Both teams will hold their first practice Saturday morning on Nebraska field. The Aggies go on the diamond at 9 o'clock, the Academics an hour and a half later. Commercial students are excluded from the academic team. Candidates for the two squads can get further information from Gardiner at B-1821, or Hugg at B-2596.

FREMONT LIKES UNIVERSITY PLAYS—WANTS MORE

So big a hit did the performance of "Believe Me, Xantippe," by the university players during University Week make with the people at Fremont, that a request has come from the town for more engagements of university dramatics. The Fremont association that backed the University Week would like to have the players stage other productions there. This raises the possibility that "Jeanne D'Arc," that will be played the latter part of April, will be put on at Fremont.

DR. HARRISON TELLS ABOUT ASIATIC LIFE

ALUMNUS, WHO HAS BEEN MISSIONARY, SPEAKER

Arabians Incredibly Filthy, but a More Hospitable Race Hard to Find, He Declares

Dr. Paul Harrison described at convocation yesterday morning the customs and habits and hospitality of the Arabians, among whom he worked as a physician and missionary for the last six years.

The Arabians, Dr. Harrison declared, are incredibly dirty. One can almost scrape the dirt from them with a knife. At one time he was called attend an old Arab who had some kind of a wound on the top of his head. When the Arab removed his turban, just before the examination, Dr. Harrison was staggered by the "wriggly" condition of the native's scalp. The wound had been trifling in itself, but the dirt had inflamed it.

Not only are they dirty, but also poor. The common Arab will buy the garment that he wears and wear it until it simply falls from him in shreds. He never washes it, and if he buys a new one, he just simply throws the new robe over the old one.

On one occasion narrated by Dr. Harrison, he invited a certain Arab to come to his camp and take advantage of the bath accommodations. But the man would not, on the grounds that he had taken a bath a month before and didn't need one yet. Besides, he explained he had poured a

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DON MARCELLUS

Leading man in "The Man of the Hour"

DELAY PLANS FOR SOCIAL SCIENCE BLDG.

WILL MAKE STUDY OF EFFICIENCY FIRST

Regents Make New Appointments and Promotions in Faculty—Bids Are Opened

Delay in the plans for the building for political and social science until a study can be made as to the efficiency of the proposed plans in connection with the use of space, was ordered by the board of regents yesterday. Regent Miller, with Chancellor Avery and Architect Hodgdon, was appointed a special committee to act on the matter. The chancellor had already appointed a faculty committee consisting of Professors Caldwell, Martin and Aylsworth, to study the same problem. The faculty committee will confer with the regents' committee and an effort will be made to apportion the space in the building to the best advantage, taking into account the growth expected in the different departments.

Although the regents opened the bids on the agricultural engineering building and turned them over to the superintendent of grounds and buildings for tabulation, no announcement of an award of contract for the structure was made. The board intended to consider in detail the bids for the principal and sub-contracts.

New Artillery Company

Commandant Parker, of the cadets, presented a request for the authorization of a building to house equipment supplied by the federal government for an artillery company. The regents deferred the request until the chancellor could see whether some way of housing the field artillery could not be found without expense to the university.

The petition of The Daily Nebraskan for the single tax was presented to the regents, but it is not known

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SOPHOMORES TO MEET

The sophomore class will meet Thursday morning at 11 o'clock in Law 201, for the election of a vice president to succeed William Schoonmaker, who has left school.

GERMAN DRAMATIC CLUB OPEN MEETING TONIGHT

The German Dramatic club meets tonight in Faculty hall of the Temple at 7:30 o'clock. The following program will be given:

Ida Wilson
Instrumental Trio Clara Schulte
Fred Rabe
Sudermann, the dramatist, a paper by Miss Kauffman.

A one-act comedy, "Der Knopf," with the following cast:
Rudolf David Haykin
Gabriele, his wife Carolyn Kimball
Karl Walter Raecke
Berta Juanita Campbell
All who are interested in German drama are invited to attend the program of the club.

VOLUNTEERS AT COTNER

The intercollegiate volunteer band will meet at Cotner tonight. Dr. Paul Harrison will speak. The meeting is open to anyone who is interested.