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Beat Notre Dame.

Nebraska will win from Notre Dame Thanksgiving day if—Nebraska wants to. Fifty per cent of the chance to win lies with the student body, the other fifty per cent with the team.

The last football rally of the season will be held in the Armory, this morning at 11:30 o'clock. It is going to be the real thing in rallies,—the latest "dope" on both teams, speeches by the members of the team, and the coach, the band,—all that.

It will be more. It will be the beginning of Notre Dame's defeat. The game begins at 11:30 today, and at 11:32, there won't be standing room in Memorial hall.

The responsibility of the success of the game rests with each individual in this institution. We lost to Kansas when we should have won, but we won't lose to Notre Dame, when we should win.

Go fifty-fifty with the team—beat Notre Dame.

Tonight, more than half of the students at Nebraska will go home for Thanksgiving vacation, turkey, four kinds of pie, and adoring families. European students are starving to death on greasy soup and dry black bread,—they are losing their minds for want of reading matter, and they have no idea of when they will see their families again.

If we can do some small thing to help the men in European war prisons this holiday season will have more value for each of us. The Thanksgiving day will be happier because of the opportunity taken to help suffering humanity.

If you go to "the movie" with your "best girl" once a week, that costs thirty cents. You eat afterwards, that costs thirty cents, making a total of sixty cents. You have had a shine beforehand—sixty-five cents, carfare for six rides is twenty-five cents. All this counts up to ninety cents.

This proceeding comes at least once a week for nearly every man on the campus. Ninety cents a week for six weeks would add more than five dollars to the European relief fund and would feed one prisoner of war for a month.

UNIVERSITY NOTICES

Comus Club Dance

Financial statement of the Comus club dance, which was held at the Lindell hotel, Saturday evening, November 11, 1916, is as follows: Total receipts, \$59.50.

Total expenditures: Rental hall and refreshments, \$31.50; doorkeeper, \$1.50; printing, \$9.25; music, \$20.00. Total, \$62.25. Loss, \$2.75. To be stood by club. A. W. Tell, chairman. Audited November 27, 1916. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

Junior Prom

One hundred tickets, inclusive of all complimentary have been validated for the junior prom to be held at the Lincoln hotel, December 15, 1916. No more tickets will be validated for this prom. The complimentary list will be published with the financial statement.

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OPEN FORUM CLUB INVITES STUDENTS

Meetings Will be Held Sunday Evenings at All Souls Church

The Lincoln Open Forum has been organized by prominent men of Lincoln including several professors and students of the University and members of the Woman's club for the purpose of furnishing a free platform for the discussion of social, political and economic problems, both national and local.

Frank Hixenbaugh, '17, of Lincoln, is the acting secretary, and C. A. Sorensen, '15, of the legislative reference bureau is the director.

It is hoped that this will appeal to

the students as a place to go Sunday evening and hear talks by prominent people of the state. A half hour discussion by the audience will follow the main talk.

The meetings will be held at the All Souls church since it is the only place that a meeting is not held at that time. However, the Forum has nothing to do with any church.

BEING A CROSS-SECTION OF A THEME READER'S MIND

(With apologies to Walt Whitman)

What do you see, theme reader?

I see words misspelled, punctuation marks misplaced, and sentences ending without periods:

I see changes in tense, violations of idiom, singular verbs with plural subjects:

I see quotations without quotation marks, possessives without apostrophes, all right in one word.

I see sentences that are not sentences, and paragraphs that are not paragraphs:

I see Redundance, Repetition, Tautology, and Pleonasm:

I see errors of Grammar and errors of Rhetoric.

I see changes of number, of person, of point-of-view:

I see Improperities, Barbarisms, Vulgarisms, Euphemisms,—words that are not Reputable, National, and Present.

I see irregular indentation, soiled manuscripts, t's uncrossed, i's undotted:

I see ie and ei everlastingly confused.

I see double negatives, squinting modifiers, and participles that dangle:

I see articles omitted, and prepositions omitted, and comparisons uncompleted:

I see Reformed Spelling.

I see adverbs misplaced, and phrases misplaced, and clauses misplaced:

I see stringy constructions, dangling

elliptical clauses, and anachronous participles:

I see split infinitives, remote antecedents, adjectives used for adverbs, the misuse of shall and will:

I see hackneyed allusions, triteness, fine writing, and overworked formulas.

I see the comma fault, the so habit, false parallelism, illogical co-ordination:

I see principal and principle, except and accept, lose and loose, constantly confused:

I do not see Unity, Emphasis, or Coherence.

M. H. W. '14.

EXAMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS IN ARMY

WAR DEPARTMENT SENDS INSTRUCTIONS FOR STUDENTS

Many Vacancies as Second Lieutenant Exist—University Students Eligible—Courses Required

The war department at Washington, D. C., has sent out the following communication to the authorities of educational institutions, with a view of affording students and graduates of those institutions an opportunity to enter the competitive examination for provisional appointments as second lieutenants in the United States army:

1. "A large number of vacancies now exist in the grade of second lieutenant in the line of the army. The next examination of candidates to determine their fitness for provisional appointment as second lieutenants will be held, beginning January 29, 1917, and candidates desiring to undergo this examination should forward their applications to the adjutant general of the army at as early a date as practicable, and, in any event, in time to reach the adjutant general's office not later than January 15, 1917, as applications received after that date may be too late for proper consideration in connection with this examination.

Age of Candidates

2. "Candidates must be between 21 and 27 years of age when appointed.

3. "The educational requirements for entry into the army as second lieutenant are given in General Orders No. 64, War Department, 1915. Graduates of recognized colleges will be exempted from examination in the subjects of group I, pars. 21 or 23 of the order cited upon proof of graduation.

4. "The pay of a second lieutenant is \$1,700 a year. Officers receive 10 per cent on the yearly pay of the grade for each term of five years service not to exceed 40 per cent in all. Due to the increase of the army, provided by the National Defense Act approved June 3, 1916, promotion for officers entering at this time promises to be unusually rapid.

"By order of the Secretary of War: "Sgt. H. U. McCain, "The Adjutant General."

The educational requirements referred to in paragraph 3 are divided into two groups: 1st, for appointment in the cavalry, field artillery and infantry, and, 2nd, for appointment in the coast artillery corps. In the first group, examinations will be held in the following subjects:

Group 1

1. United States history and constitution.
2. Geography.
3. Elementary English.
4. Algebra.
5. Geometry.
6. Trigonometry.

Group 2

1. Elementary French, German, or Spanish, as the applicant may elect.

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2. General history.
 3. Elementary surveying.
- Also one of the following subjects:
- Group 3
1. Advanced English.
 2. Advanced French, German or Spanish.
 3. Analytical geometry.
 4. Calculus (differential and integral).
 5. Military art and field engineering.
 6. Advanced surveying.

Graduates of the University will be exempt from all subjects contained in Group 1.

In the second group, that for appointment in the coast artillery corps, examinations will be held in the same subjects in the first group of subjects under Group 1, but in the second and third group of subjects, the following will be required:

Group II

- Elementary French, German, or Spanish, elective.
- General history.
- Elementary electricity.
- Elementary mechanics.
- Elementary chemistry.

Group III

One of the following: Advanced English, French, German, Spanish, Surveying, Mathematics, Electricity, or Mechanics.

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