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HISTORY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION WILL MEET IN LINCOLN

Annual Spring Meeting Will Be Held May 11 and 12 in Connection with Fete Day.

EXPECT BIG ATTENDANCE

Excellent Program Outlined for Two-Day Session—Professor Cochran Is President.

The annual spring meeting of the Nebraska State History Teachers' Association will convene at Lincoln May 11th and 12th in connection with the other meetings held at the University on Fete day. All sessions are open to the public. The program of this meeting will emphasize the geographical phase of history. Prof. Roy E. Cochran of the University of Nebraska, is the president of the Association, while Prof. Laura B. Pfeiffer, of the University, is the vice-president, and Miss Margaret Davis, of Lincoln high school, is the secretary-treasurer.

An informal dinner and social hour will come at 6 o'clock Friday evening, in Ellen Smith Hall, at which all teachers and others interested are welcome to attend. At 8 o'clock, in the Social Science auditorium, Professor N. A. Bengtson will speak on "The Economic Factor in International Affairs." It is hoped that Dean Philo M. Buck, who is expected back from India, can be present and speak on the present conditions in that country.

Miss Clark is a special student of Professor Good of the University of Chicago, and is reported to have built up a great reputation both in scholarship and in the pedagogy of her subject. Prof. Jacob Warshaw, of the Modern Language department, of Nebraska, and author of the recent book, "The New Latin America," will speak on the "Cultures of Latin America." Professor Hicks of North Carolina University, will be present to deliver a lecture on "The Influence of the Farmer in American History." This paper was considered to be one of the best delivered at the last meeting of the American History Association at New Haven. After these talks a short business meeting will complete the session.

Reservations for the dinner to be held Friday should be mailed or telephoned to Miss Margaret Davis at 1712 B St., Lincoln, or (Phone L9390). Plates will be one dollar. All teachers and the general public are invited to join the Association. Any who wish to do so should get in touch with the Secretary, Miss Davis. The complete program follows:

Friday, May 11

6 P.M. Ellen Smith Hall
Informal dinner; reservations to be made with Miss Margaret Davis, 1712 B, or telephone L9390, Lincoln.

8 P.M. Social Science Auditorium, University of Nebraska
The Economic Factor in International Affairs. Prof. N. A. Bengtson, University of Nebraska.
The Present Condition of India. Dean Philo Buck, University of Nebraska.

Saturday, May 12

9:30 Social Science Auditorium
Tophography, A Factor in History. Prof. Rose B. Clark, Wesleyan University.

The Influence of the Farmer in American History. Prof. Hicks, North Carolina University.
Cultures of Latin America. Prof. Jacob Warshaw, University of Nebraska.

Application for appointment to the staff of The Daily Nebraskan for the first semester, 1923-1924, should be submitted not later than Friday, May 18. Application blanks may be got at the Student Activities office.

The positions to be filled are: editor, managing editor, associate editor, night editor (three); business manager, assistant manager and circulation manager.

M. M. FOGG, Acting Chairman, University Publication Board.

Nebraska High School District Debate Champions Will Meet in Final Contests in Lincoln May 10 to 12



SIDNEY (NORTH WESTERN)
Laurence Davis, Roy Chambers, Franklin Hornaday, Clifford Moore.

GRANT (WESTERN DIST. 2)
Gladys Dunge, Frank Stohler, Ruth Jane Troxel.



OMAHA TECHNICAL (EASTERN DISTRICT)
Edmund A. Stromberg, George E. Williams, Albert L. Russell, Willard Rodgers, Edwin W. Hoyle.

GREELEY (CENTRAL)
Charlotte Brannen, Patrick Davy, Marg Murphy.



BATTLE CREEK (NORTH CENTRAL)
Doris Thomsen, Will Schulz, Rosella Wisenstine, Merle Woste.

UNIVERSITY RACE (EAST CENTRAL)
Walter Gato, Norris Chadderton, Elmo Phillips, Audrey Carrell.



AUBURN (SOUTHWESTERN)
Margaret Gillan, Isabelle Snyder, Marie Nelson.



GENEVA (CENTRAL DISTRICT)
Roland Propst, Donald Warner, Howard Hamilton.

—Courtesy of The Lincoln Star.

Dr. Clyde Davis Is Visiting Friends Here in Lincoln

Dr. Clyde Davis of Milford, Delaware, formerly dean of the College of Dentistry, was the guest of honor at a dinner and card party given by Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Truell for the seniors of Xi Psi Phi, Tuesday evening.

Dr. Davis is giving the lectures in Clinical Surgery every day this week until Saturday. Saturday Mr. Davis leaves for Milford, Delaware, where he will be initiated into a new Masonic order "The Tall Cedars," which is a degree after the Shrine. President Harding will be initiated into "The Tall Cedars" at the same time.

GIRLS PLANNING TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

Rocky Mountain Student Conference of Y. W. C. A. to Be Held at Estes Park This Year.

The Rocky Mountain Student Conference of the Y. W. C. A., of which the University of Nebraska Y. W. C. A. is a participant, convenes at Estes Park, Colorado, August 14-24, 1923. Every girl is invited to attend and up to the present time sixteen girls have planned to go. They are Ruth Carpenter, Mary Creekpaum, Grace Sapcht, Arvilla Johnson, Millaunt Jacke, Frances Weintz, Muriel Deering, Frances Mentzer, Josephine Schramek, Helen Tomson, Dorothy Perkins, Eloise McMonies, Margaret Fahrstock, Margaret Hager, Jessie Sutter, and Nellie Dye.

Some of the questions to be discussed are: How can spiritual energies be released? What are the roots of war? How do they appear on the camps? Is there a scientific or Christian basis for the assumption of the superiority of any one race?

Girls must come with open valises and a spirit of adventure as well as with simple warm clothing, Bible, notebook, tennis rackets, musical instruments, and a large amount of pep, according to bulletins. It is estimated that \$1.50 will cover the cost of three meals a day served in cafeteria style. The rooms are either \$10 or \$15 for the conference period and it is expected that the railroad companies will offer rates at a fare and one-half. The program fee is \$8.00 and should be sent with the application blank by July 26 to the Conference Registrar, 600 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

So live that it never will be necessary to ask the public to postpone judgment until all the facts are brought out.

ELECT NEW OFFICERS FOR COUNCIL TONIGHT

Four Members of This Year's Organization Will Serve on Student Council Next Year.

Officers for the Student Council for next year will be elected at a meeting to be held Friday in Social Science 107 at 5 o'clock. The members of this year's council and the newly elected members of the Council are expected to attend this meeting.

The Council for next year will be composed of four members held over from the present organization and fifteen members chosen at elections held Tuesday, May 8. The four members who will hold over are: Clifford Hicks, Reede Reynolds, Helen Kummer, and Mildred Daly. The newly elected members are: Ruth Small, Josephine Shramek, Robert F. Craig, Carl J. Peterson, Francis Boucher, Victor Anderson, Marx Koenhake, Francis Weintz, Ronald Button, Neva Jones, Gladys Lux, Pell Broady, Dorothy Hultin, William Schaaf, and Jack Meradith.

High Scholarships is One of Leading Qualities of High School Debaters

High scholarship in general prevails among the members of the eleven high school delegations that come to Lincoln this week end to debate for the state championship in the sixteenth annual state debating tournament. The list of representatives includes six valedictorians and three salutarians. Brief sketches of the representatives of the district championship schools follow:

Auburn (Southeastern District)
Isabelle Snyder, '23, valedictorian of her class of fifty, has a scholarship of 94 per cent. She was a member of the team that was runner-up in district contests of 1922, and is an exceptionally good student in argumentative work. She intends to go to the University of Nebraska to prepare for teaching. She is editor-in-chief of the annual and the school paper; is one of the outstanding leaders in all school activities.

Margaret Gillan, '24, intends to go to the University of Nebraska to study journalism. She is an officer of her class and a leader in school activities.

Marie Nelson, '24, has one of the highest averages in her class. She will go to National Park Seminary, Battle Creek (North-Central District)

"BIZAD" COLLEGE WILL HOLD ANNUAL BANQUET

Will Gather at Miller and Paine's Tea Room at 6:15 This Evening for Big Event.

The annual banquet of the College of Business Administration will be held this evening at 6:15 in Miller and Paine's tea room. The banquet is being staged under the auspices of the University Commercial Club and is for "Bizad students" only.

Dean J. E. LeRossignol will be the toastmaster at the banquet. R. V. Kupal, '21, will speak for the alumni. Kenneth Cozier, president of the University Commercial Club, will represent that organization. Harry Latowsky will speak for the student body. The University at large will be represented by Chancellor Avery. William L. Bates, '12, of the firm of J. H. Markel Automobile Company of Lincoln, is expected to represent the Board of Regents at the banquet.

Tickets for the banquet sell for \$1.00 and may be secured from members of the ticket sale committee or members of the banquet committee.

Doris Thomsen, '24, has been on the debate team two years. She will probably go to college.

William Schulz, '23, has been on the debate team one year. He will attend college.

Rosella Wisenstine, '23, has been on the team one year. She will enter college.

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Merle Woste, '23, (alternate), has been member of the debate team one year. He is going to college.

Brady (Western District I)
David W. Johnson, '23, is salutarian of his class. He intends to go to college in California to prepare for law.

Sidney McCaig, '23, is also an all-round athlete.

Leland H. Cover, '23, is valedictorian of his class. He has been debating only one year. He intends to go to Hastings College.

Geneva (Central District)
Howard Wayne Hamilton, '25, leader of his class in scholarship, has been on the school debating team two years. He intends to go to Hastings College to prepare for law. He is active in glee-club work, athletics (Continued on Page Four.)

FIRST ROUND OF DEBATE STARTS THURSDAY NIGHT

Winners of Eleven District Championships Will Go into Action—Greeley Draws Bye

PROF. FOGG IS IN CHARGE

Delta Sigma Rho, National Debating, Fraternity, Will Assist with the Tournament.

The program for the five first-round debates Thursday evening at 8 o'clock follows:
Auburn-Grant—Law 101.
Geneva-McCook—Social Science 107.
Oakland-Omaha Technical—Social Science Auditorium.
Sidney-Battle Creek—Social Science 209.
University Place-Brady—Memorial Hall.
Greeley drew a bye.

Thirty-eight representatives of eleven district championship schools will be in Lincoln Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, to clash in the sixteenth annual state debate of the Nebraska High School Debating League, on the proposition that "Nebraska Should Adopt the Kansas Industrial Court System." The debate tournament will be under the direction of Professor M. M. Fogg.

The five initial contests of the forensic tournament will be held Thursday evening. The six teams surviving these will meet Friday morning. Of the three teams left, two will debate Friday evening and the winner of this debate will go into the finals which decide the state championship, Saturday morning.

Broadcasting the decisions in the tournament will be an innovation at the sixteenth state debate. The results will be sent out by the University Radio station (WFAV), in charge of which is F. J. Moles, at 10 o'clock Thursday evening at the close of the five debates; at 12:45 o'clock Friday afternoon at the close of the three debates; at 10 o'clock Friday evening; and at 12:40 o'clock Saturday at the end of the final championship contest.

The official bulletin board of the High School Debating League tournament is on the first floor of the University Hall, according to an announcement made yesterday by Professor M. M. Fogg.

Moving and still pictures of the visiting delegations—debaters and school officials—at the tournament will be taken at the east entrance of the Administration Building at 12 o'clock sharp, by the Conservation and Survey Division of the University, Dr. George E. Condra, director. These pictures are for the University's record of the event.

The team members who will compete for the 1923 championship are picked students of argumentation and oral discussion who have won the championships of the eleven districts into which the League is divided. They come to the tournament with an all round knowledge of the Industrial Court question—prepared on short notice to put up the case for either side, as the lot drawing may assign.

Last year North Platte, debating on the question "Resolved: That the Movement of Organized Labor for the Closed Shop Should Receive the Support of Public Opinion," won the state championship.

The Nebraska chapter of Delta Sigma Rho—national honorary society for intercollegiate debaters—will assist in managing the tournament, acting as time keepers and presiding officers.

A parade and review in honor of the Governor and his Staff will be held at five o'clock Friday, May 11, on the drill field north of Social Science building. The first call will be at 4:50.

All cadets will be required to attend in proper uniform unless properly excused, by order of Major Erickson, professor of Military Science and Tactics.

Honorary Fine Arts Society Banquets at Woodburn Last Night

The annual banquet of Alpha Rho Tau, honorary fine arts society, was held Tuesday night at the Woodburn. Before the banquet, initiation ceremonies for the new members were held at the home of Mrs. Carrie B. Raymond, 1414 L Street. The following were initiated: Coleita Aitken, Mary Bost, Ruth Dreamer, Elizabeth Kennedy, Miriam Little, Viola Loosbrock, Margaret Malowney, Irma McGowan, Helen Tanner, and two new faculty members, Miss Ella Wittie and Mrs. Elsie Z. Miles.

DEBATING LEAGUE WAS FORMED HERE IN 1908

Has Grown from Thirty Members Divided into Eleven Districts.

Founded in 1908 with but thirty members the Nebraska High School Debating League has grown rapidly into prominence with the annual high school basketball tournament. Several other states, following Nebraska's lead, have organized such leagues. Prof. M. M. Fogg, professor of English, organized the league at the request of schoolmen of the state. It has developed in its sixteen years of life to ninety members, grouped into eleven districts.

The championship teams of these eleven districts will compete for the state title in a tournament starting with five debates this evening. The final contest is set for Saturday morning in Memorial hall. North Platte was the winner of the final debate in 1922. Over one hundred debates have been held in the eleven districts on the question for this year, "Resolved, That Nebraska should adopt the Kansas industrial-court system." The closed-shop was the issue debated in 1922.

To aid schools with limited library facilities, abstracts, compiled under the direction of Professor Fogg, have been made of seventy-five or eighty authoritative books and articles on the question for debate each year for several years. These abstracts are furnished to the schools cost.

Soon after the organization of the league teachers of the state organized the Argumentation Section of the State Teacher's Association for the discussion of questions relating to the teaching of argumentative composition and oral discussion in secondary schools. Through this organization methods of teaching these subjects in high schools have been improved.