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REPORT ACCEPTED

REPORT ON THE CHAIRMAN'S RECENT STATEMENT.

The Junior Class Accept It After a Very Lengthy Discussion—Affidavit Presented by Chairman.

Following is the essentials of the report of a committee appointed by President Myers of the Junior class to investigate the expenses of the Junior Prom, as reported by the chairman of the Prom. Committee:

First—We wish to commend the chairman on the great success of the Prom, and the general satisfaction that was voiced by its patrons. The number of couples in attendance and the treatment accorded them surpassed that of any previous Junior Prom. No complaints have been registered with the committee on this score.

Second—Between the officers of the class who appointed the committee and the committee itself we can find no specific previous agreement or arrangement as to the division of the profits or losses of the dance. The chairman was given no instructions as to the turning over of such profits or losses to the class, and there were no restrictions or rules laid down by said officers of the class. Neither was any action taken by the class whereby the committee was instructed or restricted in any manner. Neither were the number of complimentary tickets to be issued by the chairman limited in any way by the class. In view of the said facts in conducting the dance, the chairman seems to have felt that he was simply to follow the precedents of other Junior Proms given in previous years and in dealing with him the class should bear these facts in mind. On the other hand, we find that it has been customary for the chairman of each party given by this particular class to submit a report and turn over the proceeds to the class treasurer. This has, in the knowledge of the committee, been done on two previous occasions.

Third—Two witnesses have testified to members of the committee that the chairman told them the morning after the Prom that one hundred and six (106) couples were present. The chairman now says that he stated to these men that about one hundred (100) couples were present, he having counted them to ascertain the number. The report as submitted to the class shows that the number of tickets taken in at the door was eighty-nine (89) and of this number twenty-eight (28) were complimentary. The chairman in making his report stated that ten more couples were on the floor than the eighty-nine (89) accounted for in the report and that the only way that he could account for them was that they must have "sneaked" in. That ten (10) men could sneak in without paying is readily accounted for in that the ticket-taker was placed at the dressing-room door to receive the tickets. This was done by the chairman over the protest of the ticket-taker that he could not properly per-

form his duty at the dressing-room door. The chairman makes no defense, simply stating that the mistake was his. The class is left to assume how far his responsibility extends, but we would assume that if ten persons did sneak in, it was the fault of poor management on the part of the chairman.

Fourth—The twenty-eight (28) complimentary tickets were distributed as follows:

Junior Prom. Committee.....	7
Kendall, M. of C.....	4
Cornelius, M. of C.....	1
Exchanged with other dances.....	7
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	20

Making a total of twenty (20) tickets accounted for out of the twenty-eight (28) reported in the report. The chairman states that the remaining eight (8) tickets were distributed to his down-town friends and fraternity brothers, whom he states would not have come otherwise on account of lack of finances, and for this reason he says it did not deduct from the otherwise gross receipts of the dance. Then, a total of ten (10) complimentary tickets went to members of the committee and for advertising, while eighteen (18) went to the chairman's friends and fraternity brothers and to purchase his admission to other dances. It is beyond the province of your committee to state whether the powers of complimentary giving was abused to the disadvantage of those who paid.

Fifth—The report contains an item of twenty (20) dollars for refreshments. Two members of the committee visited "Tommy" Coleman, the caterer for the dance, and asked what had been his charge for the Junior Prom. He replied eighteen (18) dollars. He was explicitly asked if this included his own services and those of his wife, and he answered emphatically that it did. The next day he was asked for a written statement of the fact and he then said that he had on the previous occasion forgotten to include his own services for two (2) dollars, making the bill as per report twenty (20) dollars. He also stated that he had talked with the chairman in the meantime. The chairman, when asked to explain this discrepancy, claimed that the two (2) dollars difference was for extra punch. The committee is at a loss to know why the explanation of the two parties is so diverse. Also proof has been found that this caterer has considered it a part of the plan on other occasions of University affairs to give two bills for the same occasion. The two differing from two (2) to three (3) dollars in amount, the object is, of course, mere-

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THE VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM LEAVES.

To Make Southern Trip During Vacation—Play the Jayhawkers Two Games.

The Cornhusker hickory-stick manipulators left Lincoln this morning, April 11, for the southland, where they will spend their Easter vacation gamboling on the green. The initial game will be with Manhattan Agricultural today and tomorrow Kansas University will be dealt with for the first time in a baseball way since relations were resumed. On Friday, the 13th, a second game will be played at Lawrence and on Saturday the soldiers from Fort Riley will be excused from drill long enough to find out that Morse has been feeding and watering his cubs regularly and that they have wiggled the stick some already this season. A good day's rest on Sunday will put the bunch in shape to hand it to St. Mary's on Monday in a way that will make them wish they had never been born.

Carr, Hyde, Nillson, Morse, Dort, Barta, Rine, Denslow, Carroll, Cooke and Bellamy will make the trip and Morse says it is possible that he will do some outfielding besides his work in the box.

They have something besides books to think about when they get back, too, for the Bryanites are laying for them on the 13th and 19th, and rumor has it that the Nebraska Indians are on the warpath again and will be after a pair of varsity scalps on the 20th and 21st. "Ducky" Holmes expects to get what is left of the students' scalps, if the Indians leave any, and accordingly, on the 24th and 25th, the fans will be served another square meal and it will not be soup served with a fork, either. The 28th will find Eager leading his wigglers toward the rising sun for a long seige.

MR. SWEARER LEAVES.

Visits Doane, Grand Island and Other Nebraska Colleges.

Mr. Swearer, who lectured at convocation Monday and who has been conferring with the students of this institution relative to Volunteer work for the past two days, left for Doane College yesterday morning. Mr. Swearer will spend the rest of the week visiting Nebraska colleges in the interest of the Volunteer Movement.

It has been a long time since such a noted mission worker as Mr. Swearer has visited the University and very few men have won the interest of the students so completely as he.

Mr. Swearer has been in this country but a few months, having returned from Korea on a furlough last winter. He has been engaged in Volunteer work since his graduation from Allegheny College in 1895.

PHI BETA KAPPA

NEBRASKA CHAPTER ELECTS EIGHTEEN NEW MEMBERS.

Rewards for High Scholarship in University Given—Four Men and Fourteen Women.

Following is the list of those chosen last night for Phi Beta Kappa honors:

- Julia Bednar.
- F. E. Denny.
- Alma Erickson.
- Grace Ernst.
- Ina Gittings.
- Florence Hirst.
- H. L. Hollingsworth.
- Margaret McLucas.
- Leah Meyer.
- Vera Meyer.
- J. C. Moore.
- Effe Morgan.
- Lena Nelson.
- Emma Schreiber.
- Mildred Slater.
- Millicent Stebbins.
- Leta Stetter.
- I. L. Thompson.

About one-seventh of the graduating class was elected to the society, and many who had high enough marks failed in election because their course had not included the broad course of study prescribed for eligibility to the society.

PHI GAMMA DELTA WIN.

Defeat Sigma Chi by a Large Score in What Was a Very Close Game.

Phi Gams, 14; Sigma Chi, 3. The Phi Gams defeated the Sigs yesterday afternoon in one of the most exciting games of inter-fraternity baseball ever seen on the home field. Both teams played good hard ball, but the winners seemed to be a little better with the stick and have better luck in fielding than the Sigma Chis.

The pitching of both Newman and Caughay was of a high order. These men seem to keep most fraternity-team players at their mercy. The work of Persons and Van Burg for the Sigs and Lott for the Phi-Gams is especially worthy of mention. The result of the game came much as a surprise to those interested in the game for they had expected an easy victory for the Sigma Chis.

Fraternity Games.

	Games.	W.	L.	P.C.
Delta Upsilon...	1	1	0	1000
Alpha Theta Chi.	1	1	0	1000
Phi Gamma Delta	1	1	0	1000
Alpha Tau Omega	1	0	1	.000
Beta Theta Pi...	1	0	1	.000
Sigma Chi.....	1	0	1	.000

SECRETARY HURRIE HERE.

International Student Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Visits University.

Charles D. Hurrie, one of the international student secretaries of the Y. M. C. A., stopped off to visit the University yesterday while on his way from Denver to Chicago. The object of his visit was principally to confer with the advisory board of the Y. M. C. A. relative to hiring a secretary for next year.

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