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SOPHS BOOST FOR ENGLISH

ELECT HIM TO DEBATING BOARD MEMBERSHIP.

PLAN TO CHALLENGE FRESHMEN

INDOOR TRACK MEET BETWEEN CLASSES IS PROBABLE.

Will Attempt to Retrieve Honors— Sophs Think Freshies Are Uppish.

Horace B. English and C. L. Rien were yesterday elected by the sophomore class to be members of the interclass debating board. Both men have been prominent in debates since they have been in the university. English was alternate on one of the varsity teams last year and Rien was a member of the team which defeated Illinois on December 2. Rien was nominated by C. F. Phillips and A. H. Dinsmore nominated English. No time was lost in making nomination speeches.

The real hero of the sophomore meeting was Horace English, who only a few days ago, while his friends were lining up the candidacy which was to elect him to a membership on the interclass debating board, was announced by the examiners as one of two men to pass the recent Rhodes scholarship examinations. There was a general outburst of enthusiasm when his name was spoken, and a speech was called for.

Sears Boosts English.

President Sears, who was in the chair, said that the class certainly should be proud of the success attained by English, as it was not merely an honor to him, but one for his class and his university. "We should all look up to English as an honor to our school." English, in a well worded speech of less than a half dozen sentences, thanked the class for the honor it had chosen to show him, and further, "I feel deeply grateful to the class for this honor, and shall strive to do my duty. And I shall always be glad to do anything for the class and for my university."

A report by the sophomore hop committee chairman, Verne Andrews, showed that 99 tickets had been sold. He gave a detailed account of how the money was expended, and when a balance of \$15.75 was announced, as a profit on the dance, the members of the class appeared to be more than satisfied with the work of the committee.

The basketball situation was discussed and announcement made to the effect that the class team will not be finally chosen until after the final examinations for the first semester. The tournament can then be held with a definite knowledge of "who's who." The sophomore class is thoroughly sick of the ineligibility fever that seems to have attacked all forms of university interclass athletics.

To Challenge Freshmen.

And then the shot was fired. C. F. Phillips proposed an indoor athletic meet between the members of the first and second year classes. Great excitement immediately prevailed. "The sophomores are not dead," Phillips said, "far from it, and why not get busy and at least show folks that we are alive? In fact, we have absolutely nothing to lose and a great deal to gain in such a meet." Of course no questions of supremacy could be settled at such a meet, but it would be beneficial to the spirit of both classes.

Do Not Like Attitude.

One prominent sophomore complained that the freshmen go galloping around as if they had all the cares of the university resting on their shoulders and look at a sophomore out of the corner of their eyes just as though he was a certain spe-

WHISKERS FOR THE SENIORS THE HIGHLY PROPER THING

The first senior—not necessarily in good standing—who presents himself at the office of the Daily Nebraskan with twenty-four bona fide hairs on his upper lip, evenly divided with twelve on each side, will, at the end of the semester, be awarded a handsome bound copy of the Daily for the present semester. The one requirement is that all contestants be absolutely smooth shaven at the opening of the contest. As it is to open promptly at 3 a. m. Saturday, all who wish to enter are expected to arrange for a shave sometime between 2:55 a. m. and the time of the opening.

A competent judge, one who knows a whisker when he sees it, will be chosen from the faculty, and upon him will rest the responsibility of picking the winner. He will be furnished with a microscope and a corps of assistants, consisting principally of Nebraskan reporters who can easily spare the time. It will probably be several days before preliminary results can

be announced, for whiskers are not as easy as they look.

The purpose of this contest is to create a spirit of friendly rivalry among the members of the senior class. A number of plans were thought of, and this was found to be the most effective. Wherever it has been tried it has met with wonderful success. It is surprising how many mustaches and near-mustaches can be brought to light with a little coaxing. Some take more coaxing than others. That is what will make it possible for someone to win this contest.

This is no joke. The offer is made in good faith and seniors are expected to enter the contest in good faith. A whisker is a whisker. If you get one started, encourage it. If you get two to poke their tender heads through the surface of your upper lip, so much the better. Two whiskers are better than one any day, and especially in this race. One whisker more or less may mean winning or losing the decision. Keep your eye on your upper lip.

cies of fungus growth imported from a distant clime. "They don't consider the sophs as members of the school," he complained, "and look at the class as a huge joke and the classmen as mere nothings."

A committee was appointed, consisting of C. F. Phillips as chairman, and F. G. Clark and Glen Ruby as committeemen. It is expected that a formal challenge will be issued within a few days. The movement has been given the stamp of positive approval by Dr. Condra and other prominent faculty men.

WRESTLING CLUB FORMED.

University Athletes to Prepare for Clashes With Other Schools.

About twenty-five men of the university met in the armory Thursday morning for the purpose of forming a wrestling club. O. N. Miller was elected president of the organization, with Glen Ruby vice president, and F. G. Clark secretary-treasurer. A committee was appointed to correspond with the wrestlers at the University of Iowa and find out as to the essential characteristics of their constitution. The club plans to hold two wrestling tournaments during the year and if possible to secure matches with wrestlers from some of the neighboring schools.

TO BE GIVEN DECEMBER 13.

Banquet of the University Dinner Club to Be Regulated.

The committee on arrangements of the University Dinner club, consisting of Professors Fossler and Richards, has issued the following notice:

"The next dinner of the club will be given at the New Lindell hotel, corner 13th and M streets, at 6:30 Tuesday evening, December 13th. In order to make these dinners as representative and sociable as possible, action was taken at the October meeting providing for two forms of membership—sustaining and associate membership. The fee for a sustaining membership for the year is \$5.00. Those who do not wish to take out such a membership may attend any dinner by the payment of 75 cents. For this dinner all payments must

be made to Mr. Westermann, at the finance office, not later than 5 o'clock Monday evening, December 12th, in order that the plates may be reserved. To avoid embarrassment to the committee as many sustaining members as possible are desired."

TO CONSIDER AN ORATOR.

Senior Committee Will Meet Monday for that Purpose.

The selection of the commencement orator is a matter which will be brought to the attention of the senior class. A meeting of the committee appointed for that purpose will be held Monday, December 12, at which time the students will discuss a number of the prominent men of the nation, who they are desirous of securing to deliver the annual oration to the senior class of the university.

PALLADIAN PROGRAM.

Entertainment and Business Meeting Planned for This Evening.

An open meeting of the Palladian Literary society will be held this evening in the Palladian hall in the Temple. The program is as follows: Reading Miss Jannouch Reading Miss Guidinger Recital Miss Gertrude Hockeson Piano.

Miss Edith Hockeson, accompanist. A business meeting will be held after the program. All members are requested to be present.

SUFFRAGE LEAGUE BANQUETS.

Many Members and Their Friends Are Present Thursday Evening.

The College Equal Suffrage league held a banquet Thursday evening at the Lincoln hotel. At the close of the toast list a suffrage play was staged by members of the club. Over one hundred members and their friends attended. The toast list contained the following names: Miss H. Alice Howell, toastmistress; Chancellor Avery, Will Owen Jones, Mrs. Deborah G. King, C. H. Morrill and Mrs. Paul Clark.

BANKERS TO AID REGENTS

TO BOOST APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE.

TALK OF MOVING THE UNIVERSITY

MAY LEAVE COLLEGES OF LAW AND ENGINEERING IN CITY.

Regent Coupland Declares that 75 per cent of the U. of N. Engineers Do Not Remain in the State.

At a meeting of the state executive councils of the Nebraska bankers at Omaha Wednesday evening, Regents Haller and Coupland were in attendance and spoke, telling the bankers of the work and aspirations of the college of agriculture.

Quote Figures.

That 75 per cent of the engineers educated at the university never practice their profession in Nebraska was one of a series of declarations by Regent Coupland. He quoted figures to show that the engineers are attracted elsewhere in following their profession. Nebraska not having sufficient employment to keep them busy. On the other hand, Regent Coupland declared that 95 per cent of the graduates of the college and secondary school of agriculture remain in Nebraska and add to the wealth of the state by their intelligent cultivation of its soil.

Regents Plead Cause.

Regents Coupland and Haller both laid the needs of the agricultural college before the bankers without reserve. The former solicited the support of the bankers in the plan now being considered for a special one-half mill levy for new buildings. If this levy receives the favorable action of the legislature, the agricultural colleges will be able to erect three needed new buildings at a cost of about \$100,000 each.

The subject of the eventual removal of the main colleges of the university from the present city campus in Lincoln to the state farm grounds was touched upon by both regents and bankers. Regent Coupland declared that the present separation of the school in two divisions necessitated a considerable amount of duplication, with resulting useless expense. He stated it to be the present intention of the regents to gradually bring about the removal of the main colleges to the farm campus, leaving perhaps the colleges of law and of engineering at the present site.

Took Action.

Following the discussion, the bankers' council took formal action by requesting the legislative committee to use every effort in behalf of satisfactory appropriations for the agricultural colleges.

PLAN A MAGAZINE.

English Club Is Considering Another University Publication.

Another addition to the list of university publications is possible according to plans which are being promulgated by the members of the English club. The club has been attempting a move of this sort for some time, but difficulties preventing such an action have arisen a number of times and the work has been postponed. The club has been reorganized for the present year, and plans are now being entertained to add a literary magazine to the list of university publications. Members of the club have been notified that by payment of special fees and willingness to be regularly scheduled on the programs of the club would be in the future an essential to membership in good standing.