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"HEARTSEASE" CROSEN FOR SENIOR CLASS PLAY

TRY-OUTS WILL BE HELD NEXT
MONDAY AFTERNOON.

COMMITTEE TO TAKE NO PART

Members of Cast Will Be Chosen by
Judges—Manuscript Is Now
at the Library.

The senior play committee has selected a play entitled "Heartsease" for the class production on May 27. The try-outs for the cast are open to all who receive a degree this spring, and will be held Monday afternoon from 2 until 6 o'clock. The committee has departed from the custom of former years and will have no part in the selection of the cast. A large try-out is hoped for so that the best material available may be chosen.

The play manuscript is at the library reserve desk and may be secured by any members of the class, subject to the usual two hour rule. It is suggested that several persons read the play together and thus save time, as the manuscript will be in great demand during the next few days.

A schedule will be arranged for those desiring to try for places. Some member of the play committee will be in U106 Friday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the names and arranging the time of try-outs. Registration must be made at this time.

"Heartsease" was successful about ten years ago, having a long run in New York. It was starred in by Henry Miller, who later played the leading role in "The Great Divide" and who is now starring in "Her Husband's Wife."

BEST BANQUET EVER.

About One Hundred and Twenty Attend Engineer Feed.

The most successful banquet that the engineers have ever had was held last Friday night at the Lindell hotel. Mr. J. B. Harvey, '09, was toastmaster and the following men responded to toasts: Dean C. R. Richards on "Thermo-pneumatics," Prof. O. V. P. Stout on "Another Piece of Pumpkin Pie," Prof. C. H. Morse on "Sparkling," Prof. L. W. Chase on "Back to the Farm," Prof. G. R. Chatburn on "Roads Scholarship," and Mr. J. A. Balderson on "When I Get to Be County Engineer." About 120 men were in attendance, besides the faculty of the engineering college. The following were on the committee in charge of the banquet: W. O. Forman, chairman; C. A. Bennett, F. H. Rosenkrantz, V. B. Elseffer, B. Beckwith and L. W. Weaver.

WEDNESDAY MAY SEE FINISH.

If Juniors Win They Will Be Tied with Seniors for First Place.

The last series of the interclass basketball games will be played Wednesday evening in the armory. The seniors are matched against the juniors and the freshmen against the sophomores. If the seniors win over the juniors they will be declared the champions, but if the latter win it will be necessary for them to play the game over again with the sophomores which was thrown out by the eligibil-

ity committee and declared no part of the series. The chances of winning are better for the juniors than before since Elliott has been found to have played in two varsity games and hence is not eligible for the interclass contests.

SPARROW AT ZOOLOGY CLASS.

Bird Insists on Being Heard and Professor Drives It Away.

A unique instructor has put in his appearance at Professor Powers' zoology class for several consecutive mornings. This strange personage is nothing other than a little sparrow which comes to the window and insists on being allowed to chirp during the class hour. The bird soon becomes the center of attraction, and finding it useless to talk to deaf ears, the professor has found it necessary to drive the intruder away.

SOME ARE DISAPPOINTED.

Cannot Get Letters from Sweethearts on Sunday.

A large number of students who have been accustomed to get their mail regularly at Station A, met with a surprise last Sunday when they found the doors to University hall locked and a notice signed by the postmaster informing them that the Sunday closing rule was in effect. Some evidently did not think that the rule would go into effect so suddenly, and others believed that because they had boxes they could get their mail anyhow. These few did not understand that the exception in regard to the boxes applied only to the main office. One young man who had been disappointed by not receiving the usual missive from his sweetheart was so violent as to say that his vote for the closing was obtained under false pretenses.

INTERCLASS DEBATES THIS WEEK

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE CONTEST
WEDNESDAY AND UPPER
CLASSES THURSDAY.

Two interclass debates are to be pulled off this week. The freshmen and sophomores will clash on Wednesday evening in an attempt to solve the woman's suffrage question for all time, and, whether they are able to solve it or not, the seniors and juniors will fight it all over again on Thursday night. Announcement had been made that the debates would be held in Memorial hall, but on account of the basketball tournament both forensic contests will be held in U106, the elocution laboratory. Seventy-three o'clock is the announced schedule time for the debates to begin.

The judges have been selected and some changes made in the list as announced last week. Dean W. G. Hastings, Prof. G. A. Stephens and Prof. G. O. Virtue will decide the winner in the freshman-sophomore argument, and the junior debate will be judged by Prof. E. B. Conant, Prof. H. W. Caldwell and Prof. M. M. Fogg. The question for the final debate between the winners of these two preliminary debates has not been selected. The interclass debating board has decided to wait until after the preliminaries are over and give the two victorious teams a chance to express their desires as to the question they want to consider. The debating board will then adopt a question more satisfactory to both teams.

ELLIOTT AT MID-WEEK MEETING.

Noted New York Lecturer to Address
Y. M. C. A. Gathering.

Harrison S. Elliott, a lecturer of national repute, will be the speaker at the Y. M. C. A. mid-week meeting Wednesday evening at the association rooms in the Temple. Mr. Elliott is one of the lecturers of the New York City board of education public lectures. He is a world-wide traveler and has been a missionary in China, and will talk on the Far East tomorrow evening.

DUPPERT ARRIVES.

Will Assist in Forestry Service for
Remainder of Term.

William J. Duppert, the government forester who will assist Professor Sponsler in the forestry department during the remainder of the term, arrived Saturday noon from Snowflake, Ariz., where he has been stationed.

Mr. Duppert took his forestry work for the most part at the University of Michigan. He has had a great deal of experience in state, landscape and city forest service, so that his services will be in great demand for the rest of the year.

A MESSAGE FROM MARS.

Junior Play Cast Hard at Work Getting
Production Ready.

Rehearsals of "A Message from Mars," the junior play, are now being carried on in earnest and the full cast is hard at work getting ready for the final production on March 18. The more important parts have been practicing for some time and the prospects are very promising to say the least. A marked improvement has been in evidence at the last few rehearsals and those in the cast are taking a deep interest. Coach Scott is optimistic over the progress being made and says that the play will compare favorably with any amateur performance ever given in Lincoln.

TWO HUNDRED TEAMS ENTER.

Expected to Be Greatest Races in
History of Pennsylvania Relays.

Pennsylvania's relay races promise to be even more important and more interesting than ever before. Practically all of the big colleges, such as Harvard, Michigan, Chicago, Princeton, Columbia, etc., have already sent word that they will have teams in the meet. This guarantees a repetition of the magnificent racing that has made the relays so successful in the past.

The college relay championship will, as usual, bring together the fastest teams of the year. The success of Harvard and Cornell this winter, together with the fast running of the western teams in recent winter sports, guarantee that Pennsylvania will have to do almost the impossible to retain the three championships she won last year. Cornell, Harvard, Chicago, Michigan, Illinois and Princeton are all out for one or other championships. In fact, Yale seems about the only one of the big colleges that has not at least one team up to championship calibre. At present nearly 200 school and college teams have entered, so it is a surety that April 29 will see more than 250 college and school teams in competition. The work that has been done at the relays the past ten years proves that these sports are some of the biggest events of the year.

TWENTY-ONE HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS ENTER TOURNEY

UNIVERSITY PLACE AND GOTHENBURG
ADDED TO LIST.

SCHEDULE OF GAMES PUBLISHED

Games Will Be Played Afternoons
and Evenings in Both Armory
and Memorial Hall.

With the closing of the entries for the annual interscholastic basketball meet, to be held in the university armory Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, twenty-one schools have recorded their intentions of competing for the championship. Gothenburg and University Place have been officially added to the list of entries published last week, which brings the number up to the present announcement.

The schedule for all the games has also been published by the committee in charge. It has been so arranged that four teams will be slated together for the first round, these having been ranked with attention to their probable strength. The teams are numbered as follows: No. 1, Tecumseh; 2, Lincoln; 3, Gothenburg; 4, Clarks; 5, Stromsburg; 6, Omaha; 7, Falls City; 8, Aurora; 9, Cedar Rapids; 10, Wilbur; 11, University Place; 12, York; 13, Temple high school; 14, Schuyler; 15, Central City; 16, South Omaha; 17, West Point; 18, Beatrice; 19, Kearney; 20, Geneva; 21, Sidney.

All the teams will play in pairs, numbers 1 and 2 slated against 3 and 4, etc. Sidney drew a bye on the first round and will be substituted on a bye appearing in the second round. Arrangements have been made so that the play can be carried on both in the afternoons and evenings of the three days, utilizing the armory and Memorial hall floors. The three winners in the semi-final round will play for the championship on Saturday afternoon.

FRATORITY RUMORED AT NEBRASKA

NEW TYPE OF SOCIETY WITH SOCIAL
AIMS SAID TO EXIST
AT NEBRASKA.

A rumor was about the campus yesterday that a new organization has made its way into the university. It is composed of both men and women and is called a "fraternity." Nothing could be learned of its membership, which has so far remained secret. Information was received from a reliable source that the society had been in existence for some time, plans having first been laid last year. The aims and purposes of the club are purely social. It has been christened "Adneoidia."

It is not known whether its membership is made up entirely from the fraternities and sororities or not. Such an organization was recently perfected at the University of Indiana. It is understood that the club at Nebraska is purely local in its nature and there has been no attempt to affiliate with similar ones in other schools.

Notice.

There will be a meeting of the freshman hop committee in U112 at 11:30 today.

DAVID F. MEEKER,
Chairman.