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## COMMITTEE SELECTED TO HAVE CHARGE OF WORK

DEAN C. E. BESSEY IS GENERAL CHAIRMAN.

## DANDELION DAY BEGINS AT 1:30

Rain of Yesterday Will Make It Much Easier to Exterminate the Yellow Peril.

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\* To Engineers:  
\* In view of the fact that the  
\* students have taken it upon  
\* themselves to try to beautify  
\* the campus, and the chancellor  
\* has granted excuses from  
\* classes next Friday afternoon,  
\* I urge that all engineers be on  
\* hand to aid in the work.  
C. R. RICHARDS,  
Dean Engineering College.  
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Chancellor Avery yesterday appointed the committee which is to have charge of Dandelion day next Friday afternoon. Dr. Bessey is general chairman, and E. H. Hahne chairman of the men's committee and Mary Graham of the girls' committee.

There will be no classes Friday afternoon and all university activities will be suspended. Yesterday many more organizations declared their intentions of giving all their support to the undertaking. The women are going to help, and one girl said that she would bring out eight more to assist her. A great deal of individual soliciting has been done and the results are gratifying to say the least.

### Lemonade.

It was feared yesterday morning that the rain would last and make it necessary to postpone the day. But such is not the case. There was just enough moisture fell to soften the ground and it will be much easier to cut out the dandelions than would have been the case if the weather had continued dry.

The time for beginning has been set for 1:30 p. m. It is planned that the work will last till about 3 o'clock. No effort will be made to work the students to death. The rest of the day will be given over to amusement. Just what kind of a program is to be provided has been left entirely to the committee on arrangements. One thing that has been promised is plenty of good lemonade which will be free and unrestricted.

### Committee Members.

The committee appointed yesterday by Chancellor Avery is made up of the most representative men and women in the university. No members were chosen because of political or social preference. No formal notices of appointment will be sent out from the office of the chancellor, the only notice given to the members of the committee being the announcement in the Daily Nebraskan.

Dean C. E. Bessey is general chairman of the committee, Ernest H. Hahne chairman of the men's committee and Mary Graham is chairman of the women's committee. An endeavor was made to make the committee rep-

resentative of the entire university. All organizations and colleges are represented by at least one member. The following is the personnel of the men's committee: E. H. Hahne, chairman; W. C. Weiss, H. M. Plasters, H. B. Coffee, C. A. Bennett, E. T. Robinson, Arthur Allen, M. O. Bates, Dale Boyles, W. A. Letton, W. L. Bates, H. N. Cain, Harry Huse, Ben Cherrington, Owen Frank, Nye Morehouse, R. D. Hawley, W. R. Power, G. C. Kidoo, A. M. Oberfelder, V. C. Hascall, R. G. Guthrie, W. R. Chapline, A. H. Dinsmore, Chas. Epperson and Harold McNabb. The women's committee is as follows: Mary Graham, chairman; Verna Hyder, Helen Steiner, Lucy Keifer, Kathryn Willis, Alice Birge, Edna Perrin, Breta Bills, Pearl Barton, Louise Barr, Ruth McDonald, Jean McGahey, Fay Dufur, Julia Nagl, Celia Davis, Grace Bennett, Evangeline Long, Edith Stombaugh, Frances Caldwell and Lorena Bixby.

### SELLECK TO BE TOAST MASTER

### PROMINENT CITIZEN OF LINCOLN TO PRESIDE AT PAN-HELLENIC BANQUET.

W. A. Selleck has been chosen toastmaster for the Pan-Hellenic banquet. Mr. Selleck has been prominent in Lincoln business circles for a number of years, having served as president of the Lincoln Commercial club for several terms. He has gained a wide reputation as a toastmaster and is noted for his fine after-dinner speeches. Mr. Selleck is a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity.

### NO GREAT CROWD.

### Attendance May Not Be Large, but No Tickets for Sale at the Door.

Chairman Hill does not believe that there will be reason for stepping on the ladies' trains at the sophomore hop. Tickets are selling well, but at present it looks as though only a fair sized crowd would attend. No tickets, however, will be sold at the door, provided of course that enough have already been sold to pay expenses.

Another innovation has been announced in that the dancing will begin on time.

### TICKETS ON SALE TUESDAY.

### Auditorium Floor to Be Scrubbed and Thoroughly Dried.

The floor at the auditorium is to be scrubbed and thoroughly dried for two days before waxing it for the grand military ball. This arrangement was made yesterday by Chairman Harry

Hathaway, who is trying to make the military dance the best of the year. At the meeting of the committee held yesterday afternoon, the sub-committeemen reported progress in all departments of the work and the plans will be complete within a few days. Tickets will be placed on sale next Tuesday morning and it is understood that they will not be transferrable.

### JOKES BEING PREPARED.

### A Fourth of the Cornhusker Is Now Off the Press.

One-fourth of the Cornhusker has been completed and is now off the press. It represents some good work and the grouping of the pictures is excellent. All the material will be in by the end of next week and then it will not be a great while before the book will be ready for distribution. The jokes, which are the last to go in, are being put into shape by the staff. This department of the 1911 Cornhusker will be unusually interesting this year because of many good cartoons and take-offs on prominent people often seen about the campus. The good part about them is that they hit the mark.

### THE MEXICAN SITUATION.

### Dr. Maxey to Discuss Problems of Southern Republic at Convocation.

At convocation this morning Dr. Maxey will discuss the "Mexican Situation." This promises to be an interesting address because of the unsettled conditions of the southern republic. Dr. Maxey is well acquainted with Mexican affairs, having visited that country and studied its economic conditions. The speaker will take up the causes of the war and point out just what the insurrectos are fighting for. This talk will be of special interest to all history students.

### SOME INTERESTING FIGURES.

### Hospital Facilities of Omaha Compared With Other Cities.

Students in the college of medicine have been much interested in figures published in the latest issue of the Western Medical Review showing the hospital facilities in Omaha as compared with other cities in the west. Comparison by the number of beds shows the following: St. Paul, with a population of 214,000, has 1,120 beds; Kansas City, with a population of 248,000, has 1,240 beds; Denver, with a population of 213,000, has 910 beds; Omaha, with a population of 124,000, has 1,430 beds, and Minneapolis, with a population of 301,000, has 1,230 beds.

## INTERCLASS MEET NEXT WEDNESDAY AT THE FARM

### ALL MEN ELIGIBLE TO THE VARSITY ARE BARRED.

### CUP TO BE AWARDED TO WINNERS

Valuable Medals for Those Who Take Individual Events—Important Place.

The annual interclass athletic meet will be held at the state farm next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This is one of the biggest features of the Ivy day program and promises to be larger and more interesting this year than ever before.

No varsity team men are to be entered in the meet. In fact, no men who are in any way eligible to the varsity track team will be entered. This adds a characteristic to the meet which should make it even more conspicuous in the eyes of the student body. Every student who has ever manifested athletic ability of any variety should participate in the Ivy day meet. This is considered by the track coach one of the best methods in which to develop track material and to give him a valuable line on the first year athletes. The freshmen won the meet last year, only, however, as a repetition of preceding years. Other classes always have a handicap in the withdrawal of so much varsity material, the first year men being ineligible to that team.

### Trophies to Be Awarded.

A beautiful cup, now on display in Armstrong's clothing store window, will be awarded to the class winning the highest number of points. In addition to this cup, individual medals of silver and bronze will be given to the first, second and third place winners. Managers of the meet have assured the students that these medals are equally as valuable as those awarded in the intercollegiate meets and well worth the effort which will be required to secure them.

Officials for the Ivy day meet have not been appointed as yet. All entries should be made as soon as possible to the committee in charge.

### A NEW DRAMATIC CLUB

### ORGANIZATION PLANNED LAST FALL SOON TO MAKE APPEARANCE.

It was definitely ascertained yesterday that the University of Nebraska is to have a new dramatic club. The movement was started last fall by several prominent juniors, but nothing was made known. One of the peculiar characteristics of the organization is that no women will be admitted to membership.

No names have been given out, but it is understood that the new club will not conflict with the one which has been in existence for some time. The lines of study will be more along the line of the musical comedy and it is possible a musical play will be produced next year. The movement was started by several prominent juniors and so far members have not been considered from other classes.

**SOPHOMORE HOP**  
**April 28**  
**Hagensick's Orchestra**  
**Limited**  
**Tickets \$1.25**      **Lincoln, Hotel**

# GET YOUR KNIVES FOR DANDELION DAY