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DAVID MEEKER WANTS SOPHOMORE LEADERSHIP

MISS MARIE DOUGLAS MAY BE VICE-PRESIDENT.

SOPHOMORES HAVE AWAKENED

Both Announced Candidates are Prominent in Class—Others Not Yet Heard From.

David Meeker, '14, has begun his campaign for the presidency of the Sophomore class. Meeker is the first second year aspirant to announce himself, but the Sophomore honor is ordinarily much desired, and other candidates are said to have fond eyes fixed upon it.

Marie Douglas, '14, has been persuaded to try for the vice-presidency. Prominent in Class.

Meeker was a moving factor in the class last year, especially in the Olympics. He was chairman of the Freshmen hop and made a good record for class activity. He is a graduate of Wayne high school, and was prominent there in athletics and oratory. His home is now at Imperial. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Miss Douglas, Too.

Miss Douglas also is popular in the class, having been a star in several dramatic productions. She is a member of Alpha Phi.

Miss Douglas' home is in Platts-mouth.

No date has been fixed for the election, but according to the political dopesters, nothing will be done until the semester is some days further along.

KEEN COMPETITION EXPECTED.

Professor Fogg Looks for Spirited Debating Tryouts.

"Competition for the honor of representing the University in intercollegiate debate is going to be unusually spirited this year," said Professor M. M. Fogg, who is in charge of debate, yesterday.

"There is a large chance for new men to show what they can do for their University and the state, as many of the experienced debaters will not be here again to enter the contest."

When the contestants for forensic honors meet next week in preliminary debate, many new and younger men are expected to appear. The contest is open to all students of the University, and those interested may learn particulars from the intercollegiate debating bulletin board on the first floor of University hall.

A New Rhetoric Record.

Six hundred students are registered this semester in Rhetoric I. This is a new record for the department and will undoubtedly, when all late registrations are in, surpass the greatest possible hopes of the instructors.

Field Geology.

Class will meet in U 7 next Saturday, September 30th, at 8 a. m. A short field trip will be taken. Bring notebooks. N. A. BENGTON.

UNIVERSITY CAMPUS BEAUTIFIED BY AN EXPERT LANDSCAPE GARDNER---MUCH WORK DONE THIS YEAR

There is one department of the University which perhaps receives the least publicity in the press notices, yet which exerts considerable influence over the destinies of the University—and that is the Department of Landscape Gardening.

This phase of campus life has been developing for three years until at the present time returning students were greeted by one of the most artistic and unique college campuses in the United States.

Some time ago Regent Copeland, who was traveling in Colorado Springs and was impressed by the beauty of the grounds surrounding the Soldiers' Home received the inspiration that many possibilities were in store for the beautification of our own campus. Accordingly he induced Mr. William Hill Duncan to come to Nebraska, and secured a generous appropriation from the Board of Regents to carry on the work.

Came From England.

Mr. Duncan is a native of England where he received his experience as a gardener at the Sandringham Palace, one of the king's palaces. Hence he

brought with him a conception of royal taste and elegance both of which have been displayed in the picturesque campus which he has perfected.

It will be conceded that Mr. Duncan has had a difficult task to handle. His lack of familiarity with Nebraska soil and the irregular setting and design of the buildings made the problem of working out a harmonious scheme well nigh impossible. Yet the impression now received is not only pleasing, but beautiful.

In an interview with Dean Bessey, he is quoted as considering the Nebraska campus one of the most beautiful for its size that in his experience he has seen.

Farm Campus Also Beautiful.

The work of keeping the campus up is carried on by a corps of six men who divide their time between the city and farm campuses. An appropriation of \$5,820 is allowed annually to carry on this work.

At the time of the original appropriation it will be recalled that considerable opposition was raised from some sources that the money should be used for equipment.

SECOND TEAM TO PLAY PERU

WILL JOURNEY TO THE NORMAL SCHOOL STRONGHOLD OCTOBER 7.

Starting its football season coincidental with the opening of the schedule of the Varsity eleven, the second squad journeys to, Peru, Nebraska, October 7, to meet the eleven of the Peru Normal. And merely from a look at the weight and speed of that second it looks as if the "snubs" might return with a victory to their credit.

Assistant Coach Rathbone has put the scrubs through many a long hour of hard drill, and Coach Stiehm watches the squad closely for a possibility of one of the new men being developed into a future star. The result is a speedy squad that will give the Varsity a good tussle in scrimmage and will worry the Peru lads much.

The only other game scheduled by the second team up to date is one with Kearney Normal, November 11, the same team Nebraska has on for its initial game.

INVITATION TO BE GENERAL.

Y. W. C. A. Reception at Governor's Mansion Tomorrow Night.

Owing to the impossibility of obtaining all the names from the registrar's office, some of the girls may not receive personal invitations to the annual reception of the Y. W. C. A., held at the governor's mansion, Saturday evening, September 30, 1911.

All women of the University, however, whether they receive written invitations or not, are cordially invited to be present. The reception committee are working hard to provide the best sort of a time and Mrs. Aldrich is desirous that a large number attend.

AGRICULTURE GONE TO PRESS.

State Farm Official Magazine to Be Out Soon.

The October number of Agriculture, the official organ of the College of Agriculture, has gone to press and will soon make its appearance.

Agriculture was founded and published for eight years by Professor A. E. Davisson, late principal of the School of Agriculture, in the name of the alumni association of the school. Owing to ill health, Professor Davisson decided to discontinue the publication on March first, last. Thereupon the Agricultural club of the University took the publication upon its shoulders and made it representative of the School and College of Agriculture.

The subscription list numbers more than one thousand, and includes every alumnus of the School and College of Agriculture, and most of the students and instructors of both schools.

The present editor is Otto H. Liebers, a graduate of the School of Agriculture and a Junior in the University. The editorial and business office is located at the University Farm.

Organ Recital at Convocation.

Mrs. Raymond presided over the organ at convocation Thursday, the following numbers being offered:

Sonata Rogers
Allegro con brio.
Scherzo.
Prayer and Cradle Song....Ciulmant
Gavotte Martini
Meditation
Toccata Mally

Announcement was made that on next Tuesday a double convocation will be held in the interest of the first year students.

Wheeler Here on Visit.

Mason Wheeler, '06, Delta Tau Delta, is visiting his parents in Lincoln. He is engaged in the practice of law in New York City, being connected with an old and established firm.

BIG NEW GRANDSTAND NEARING COMPLETION

SPECIAL CENTER SECTION HELD FOR CO-EDS.

GRIDIRON IS THOROUGHLY UP-TO-DATE

Sections of Old Bleacher Grandstand to Be Set Up at Ends to Seat Crowds.

Nebraska Field improvements are rapidly nearing completion. According to Manager of Athletics E. O. Eager, the new grandstand will soon be ready to furnish seats to six thousand spectators, who may watch the best football teams the west can produce, struggling upon as pretty a field of fresh green sod as ever was laid. Manager Eager and a force of men



"DOG" EAGER

Nebraska's Graduate Manager.

have been at work on the field all summer, and it begins to take on more of the appearance of such a gridiron as a University of Nebraska's rank should possess.

The Big New Grandstand.

The old open stands along the north side of the field have been torn down, and replaced by a new grandstand.

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