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## MAKE BIG PREPARATIONS

JUNIORS HAVE LARGE PLANS IN VIEW FOR THEIR DEFICIT HOP AT THE BEACH MAY 16.

## TICKETS ALMOST ALL GONE

Both Sides of the Pavilion Are Being Rushed Into Shape for First Informal of Second Semester.

Pursuers of the terpsichorean amusements are again notified by juniors who believe that the University should dance and pay for it that the date of the widely advertised junior relief hop is May 16 and that the place is Capital Beach. This dance is positively the first hop of the open season at the Beach which in the opinion of the committee adds a distinction to pleasure. Both sides of the pavilion have been engaged for use by no fewer than 200 couples. Positively the most finished floor the University has ever glided over is guaranteed the dancers, and the price of all these exceptional accommodations is rock bottom at a dollar.

Other events will cater to this big dance. Junior hop day is high school fete day. But instead of entertaining prospective rushees at their houses, several fraternities have agreed to entertain next year's members at the junior hop. Others will follow suit. Men who have never danced before will be extended the courtesy of the oldest hand should they decide to begin with the remainder of the school on the night of the junior dance.

Every effort is being put forth to bring the University out. The dance is neither in letter nor spirit limited to juniors. The entire student body is welcome singly or in convenient pairs. Boats and other Beach attractions will be at the disposal of attending students and the rare advantage of open air exercise is a distinctive feature of the junior relief hop.

Tickets have been on sale since Friday. They are going, going! Hurry, or they will be gone. Over one hundred have already been sold. Serious inroads are daily made on the remaining hundred. The dance is to be strictly limited, none without tickets can hope to dance. This is an economy dance and law is law. Get that ticket for the best dance of the year, and date her now.

## Co-Eds to Trip the Light Fantastic Next Saturday

A new line of talent will be displayed by the girls of the university Saturday evening when they will trip the light fantastic in a dance festival at the Temple theatre.

There will be seven original dances given to the accompaniment of classical music. The girls giving these are: Florence Farnam, Frances Tut-hill, Gertrude Van Driel, Ethel John-

## Riot Precipitated at Wesleyan University by Fight Over Score Board

The first class fight since they were ruled out by the college council some years ago was pulled off Tuesday afternoon and evening at the Wesleyan University in University Place. The freshmen had decided that they would give the University a much needed score board for the athletic grounds.

The score board was prepared and before the freshmen were able to make the presentation, the sophomores secured the board and carried it upon the field in the third inning, with the score correctly tabulated and the following inscription in sophomore colors printed upon it: "Presented by the Class of 1915."

This so outraged the freshmen that disregarding all faculty and college council rules that they rushed across the field and took the board by sheer force of numbers.

After the game was completed the freshmen in a body came down St. Paul street and meeting a band of sophomores a battle royal ensued. The freshmen were so much in the majority that the result of the conflict was merely a matter of time. "Bob" Chittick, a sophomore came out of the fight so badly injured that it was necessary to call a physician after he had been carried to his room. The doctor stated that he was probably not seriously injured although badly bruised and shaken. Four other members of the sophomore class were taken captives and carried bodily off the field. These men were carried to Havelock, but were rescued by a band of sophomores about 9:30 Tuesday evening.

Just what the result of the fight will be is not known. The penalty to one or the other classes and possibly to both will be to lose representation in the college council and possibly other honors will be taken away from them. It is impossible to state what action the faculty will take upon the matter and it may be possible that they will leave the whole thing to the council. Members of both classes were given quite a shock when they saw that Chittick was so badly injured, for it was feared for some time that he had sustained some internal injuries.

This sobered both crowds and lessened the interest in the scrap.

son, Ruth Davis, Annie Wynne and Helen Randall.

Mrs. Lillian Dobbs Helms will open the program with a vocal selection, "Nymphs and Fauns." The program of dances will be arranged as follows: Spanish Tambourine dance (original), Florence Farnam. Columbine, Edith Miller. Golden Butterfly, Margaret eKifer. Sailor's Hornpipe, Edith Shank. Miniature polka, Viasta Sterba. Greek Maldens playing ball, group. Moon Moth (original), Ruth Davis. Throwing Kisses (original), Frances Tut-hill. Spanish Dance, Florence Farnam.

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## University Bill Was Not Signed by Chief Clerk

More irregularities in the passage of bills by the recent legislature cropped out Wednesday. This time, defects were found to be due to the failure of Speaker Kelley in one instance and Chief Clerk Richmond in another to sign or attest bills.

The McKissick bill, H. R. 245, providing for a three-fourths mill levy to develop the university and the state agricultural college, leaving the question of location to a popular vote in 1913, was found to lack Richmond's signature. It was the last bill to be acted upon by the legislature, except the general maintenance bill, and in the final wind up of the session the chief clerk overlooked that detail.

This omission, Secretary of State Wait thought, could be corrected even after the bill had gone to the governor and been signed by him and turned over to the secretary of state's office. Mr. Wait expected to see Richmond during the day and have him write his name on the certificate attached to the bill.

In the case of H. R. 47, providing for the payment of pensions to widows of policeman by the city of Omaha, Speaker Kelley's failure to sign it before the legislature adjourned would be fatal if anyone cared to test it in the courts. The constitution requires the speaker to sign all bills "while the house is in session and capable of transacting business."

## Butt's Manual Holds Attention of Spring-Fevered Soldier Boys

There has been a wailing and gnashing of teeth among the cadets with Bowman that Butt's Manual will be the order of the day for the rest of the week. But the commandant is of the opinion that the systematic exercises of Prof. Butt are an excellent specific for spring fever, and moreover he has no very great respect for the varying whims of a lowly cadet.

Each battalion has its turn at these beneficial exercises and no man escapes unless he skips drill and thereby inflicts upon himself a penalty more serious than a week of Butt's manuals. The band accompanies each battalion and the sight of three companies of soldier boys moving with trained precision and regularity is well worth seeing.

Freshmen will have no game tomorrow as scheduled in yesterday's rag.

This morning's convocation in the Temple program will be a musical one, of unusual excellence. Marian Jones will give the A concerto in A minor Op. 16 by Grieg in three movements: Allegro motto moderato, Adagio, Allegro marcato. Mrs. Will Owen Jones will play the orchestral parts.

## MANY GRADS SEEK OFFICE

THIRTY-SIX UNIVERSITY ALUMNI RUNNING IN TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

## COLLEGE MEN NUMEROUS

City Clerk Gives Rule as to Students Voting—Attendance at University Does Not Deprive of Suffrage.

On next Tuesday the election of excisemen, councilmen, and members of the city council will be held. For the office of excisemen there are six candidates, for that of councilmen ten, and for membership in the charter convention thirty.

According to the Alumni Bulletin, published by the University, none of the six candidates for excisemen are graduates of the University. Among the candidates for excisemen Otto Meier is a graduate in the years of '98 and '00, and John H. Mockett, Jr., in the '87. Don Love graduated from the University of Iowa in '86.

Among the thirty candidates for the charter convention, eight are University men. Frank Edgerton, graduated in '00, Albert Candy in '98, L. E. Aylsworth in '00, L. A. Winship in '07, Oscar V. P. Scott in '88, L. R. Hatfield in '94 and '02, Barton Green in '11, and Allen W. Field in '85.

The city clerk has had many questions asked him in regard to students voting. The fact that one is a student at the University does not prevent him voting if he has his residence in this place and is otherwise qualified. If he has no present intention of making a change and no particular future residence in view and considers this his present residence, he would be entitled to vote if he has the necessary qualifications of age and citizenship.

If an elector is a first voter or has moved into the precinct since the last day of registration, which was March 29, he may take, if not registered, by making affidavit before the judges of election showing a three months' residence in the city.

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★ ATHLETIC BOARD ELECTION ★  
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Sec. 2. All male students, of at least, one semester's residence at the University, who have made twelve (12) or more hours credit during their last previous semester are eligible to vote at the election of students members of the athletic board.

Sec. 4. Any student eligible as a voter may become a candidate for election to student membership on the board who files with the secretary of the board, before 12 o'clock noon on the Monday preceding the day of election, a written statement in which he declares his desire to become a candidate and his intention to remain in the University the following year.