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## UNIVERSITY PAGEANT

WILL BE GIVEN ON AFTERNOON OF MAY FIFTH

### PROFESSOR SCOTT IN CHARGE

Several Faculty Members Will Help With the Work—Will Help Entertain Returning Graduate Students

The University Pageant to be given the afternoon of May 5th is one of the greatest attempts at entertainment which has taken place at Nebraska. The success of the feature is assured because of the experienced leaders in the work. Professor Scott has charge of the pageant as general director; Miss Betty Park and Miss Charlotte Whedon have charge of the dancing and the allegorical scenes. Mrs. Raymond is working with the chorus; Miss Hayden has designed the costumes, and Miss Branson has made several beautiful posters which will be on exhibition Wednesday. Guy Reed has charge of the business end of the work.

The pageant opens with the Adventures being led westward by the Spirit of Progress. They are enticed to remain on the plains by the Sprites of the Prairies.

The Indian scene shows the redmen coming to Salt Creek and making their little settlement on its banks. The next scene is the choice of the site of Lincoln, June 29, 1867. Three commissioners—Governor Butler, Secretary of State Conard, and Auditor Gillespie—are sent westward to look over Lancaster, Yankee Hill, Ashland, and others. On August 14, 1867, the site of Lincoln was chosen and proclaimed. A general celebration follows.

The fourth scene is a medley of University life centering around an old cow. General Nebraska spirit is suggested and college songs add "pep" to the scene.

The last scene is the "Grasshoppers and Afterwards." The most beautiful costumes are in this scene. Wheat, corn, grasshoppers, bluebirds, and Golden Hopes all appear in gorgeous costumes. The Golden Hopes are little children under seven years of age.

The pageant is a part of the extensive program to entertain returning graduate students. Several other features will be announced later.

## ALUMNI ASSOCIATION CHOOSE ORATOR

Madison Bentley of Illinois Will Speak on "The Psychology of Settlement"

Madison Bentley of Illinois University has been chosen to be the orator at the annual meeting of the Alumni Association, June 5. It has been the custom to let the class who is celebrating its twentieth anniversary choose the orator of the day. Professor Bentley is himself a member of the class of '95. He is head of the Psychology department at Illinois and is director of the Psychological Laboratories there. Professor Bentley was a Bachelor of Science at Nebraska and a Doctor of Philosophy at Cornell. His subject will be in harmony with the pageant of the afternoon's program, "The Psychology of Settlement."

## PUBLICATION BOARD CONFIRMS ELECTION

Appoint Harkson Business Manager and Everett Scott as Assistant Business Manager

The Publication Board met and approved the election of editors for the Daily Nebraskan. The total number of out-of-town votes was seven.

U. S. Harkson, the present assistant business manager, was appointed by the board as business manager, and Everett B. Scott was made assistant business manager.

## PERU CLUB HELD ANNUAL BANQUET

Eighty-Five Members Were Present at Grace Church Saturday Evening—Elaborate Decorations Used

The Peru Club held its annual banquet at the Grace M. E. Church, Saturday at 6:30 o'clock. About eighty-five members were present, making it the best banquet in the history of the club. The table decorations were smilax and carnations, while the menu cards were in blue and white—the Peru colors. Professor Filley of the State Farm was toastmaster. The main subject of the toast list was "Local Features," and was carried out by the following speakers: Hills of Peru..... Harrison Line Honey Creek..... Belle Bolejack Oaks and Willows..... Professor Gregg Sand Bars..... Prof. N. A. Bengston The Hill Road..... Doctor Beattie Mr. Laurence Wickland sang a vocal solo and President Hayes made a few remarks on "Peru of the Present and of the Future."

## INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL LEAGUE

Deltas Win the First Division—Defeat the Kappa Sigs by Large Score

Delta Tau Delta won the championship of the first division in the Interfraternity Baseball League by completing the schedule with a percentage of 1000 when they defeated Kappa Sigma on the athletic field Saturday morning. On account of the high wind the Deltas piled up a big score, which the Kappa Sigs were unable to overcome. The game was called in the fourth inning.

The second division contest has not yet been decided. The Phi Deltas are the only team with a clear record, but they still have to play the Sig Eps. As soon as the division championships are decided the two winners will play for first honors in the league. Batteries—Delta Tau Delta, Hugg and Riddel; Kappa Sigma, Temple, Reynolds, Gibbons and Lynn.

### Commercial Club Picnic

The first annual Commercial Club picnic will be held at Capital Beach, Thursday afternoon. A special car will leave Tenth and O streets at 1:45. Tickets may be obtained of R. V. Koupal, D. H. Bowman, E. J. Althouse, R. H. Van Boskirk, C. W. Helzer, B. C. Vig, J. P. Robertson, W. H. Wilson, F. S. Pegler, A. Kjellgaard.

Since Commerce students are excused from classes all are urged to be present and thus assure the success of this new holiday.

## MEET TO GOPHERS

MINNESOTA TAKES LAST DUAL MEET 86½ TO 30½

### "ZUMMIE" AND SHELDON OUT

Missed Connections and Could Not Compete Saturday—Events Staged in Heavy Rain—Varsity Will Meet Freshmen and Old Stars Wednesday

The last dual meet on the 1915 track calendar went to Minnesota when the Gopher athletes, on their own field and in a driving rain, outpointed Nebraska 86½ to 30½. The Huskers were minus the services of Captain Zumwinkle and Sheldon, who, through a series of mishaps, failed to reach Minneapolis.

The 440 and relay were Nebraska's only firsts. Deering was declared winner of the 440 when Ritter of Minnesota was disqualified for blocking. The Husker relay team, composed of Bates, Scott, Deering, and Clark, cir-

### THE MAY QUEEN



Leila Mc Nerney

led the muddy track a good distance ahead of the Gopher four.

The pole vault and jumps were handicapped by the soggy ground and mud and luck entered considerably.  
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## ANNUAL BANQUET OF COMMERCIAL CLUB

Affair Saturday Evening in Honor of Seniors—Governor Morehead and the Chancellor to Be Present

Seniors will be entertained by the Commercial Club, Saturday, May 29, at a banquet at 6:30 o'clock, followed by dancing. Quick's orchestra will furnish the music. Governor J. H. Morehead, Chancellor S. Avery, and the Board of Directors are to be present. This is an annual event and every Senior is urged to attend. "Come," is Secretary Whitten's plea, "even if all you got is a pair of overalls and a soft shirt. We want everyone to be present."

### Tennis Petition

Petitions for more tennis courts are being circulated today. If you are not asked to sign one, call at the Nebraskan office and sign one there.

## CANDIDATES FILE

Several Sophomores Out for Assistant Manager of Next University Week

The following candidates have filed for manager of University Week:

Darrel Lane.

For assistant manager:

Frank N. Hixenbaugh.

Axel R. Swenson.

John L. Riddell.

Harry G. Marsh.

Roy J. Harney.

Ralph O. Lahr.

## LAWS WIN FROM AGGIES BY DEFAULT

Farmer Boys Fail to Appear at Appointed Time—Freshmen and Engineers Play Today

The baseball game scheduled between the Laws and the Aggies for yesterday afternoon was forfeited by the Aggies to the Laws by the score of 9 to 0.

The Laws were out in force and practiced for half an hour before the game was due to start, but the usually faithful Aggies failed to arrive and the umpire declared the game forfeited.

This afternoon the Freshmen will play the Engineers, while on May 19 the Aggies will meet the strong Academic team.

### Standing of the Teams

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Academics	5	0	1000
Engineers	2	2	.500
Laws	3	3	.500
Freshmen	1	3	.250
Aggies	0	3	.000

## ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DINNER BY Y. M. C. A.

Will Be Held on Thursday Evening—Good Program Arranged by Committee

The annual membership dinner of the University Y. M. C. A. will be held Thursday at 6:30 p. m., sharp, in the Banquet Hall of the Temple. All will be free to leave promptly at 8 o'clock.

Every man in college who is at all interested in the Y. M. C. A. and the work it is earnestly trying to do will appreciate the things that will be presented at that time. They will be entertained by stereopticon slides, illustrating in detail the Estes Park conference; they will be duly concerned about the reports of each cabinet member on his particular activities for next year, and they will enjoy the wholesome fellowship that is becoming more and more manifest in University Y. M. C. A. circles.

This dinner will not be a banquet affair, but a "thirty-five-cent feed." Informality and promptness in starting and closing will characterize the event. Get tickets from Dillon, Hartman, Koupal, Austin, Holcombe, Gordon, Ketcham, Ubbach, Pier, Everts, Riddell, Miller, or Lundeen.

### Open Air Concert

Today at the regular convocation hour the band will give the following open-air concert on the campus:

1. March—Yankee Navy.....Sousa
2. Overture—Orpheus.....Offenbach
3. Sextette from "Lucia"....Donizetti
4. Overture—Athalie....Mendelssohn

## SCHOOL OF DRAMA

WILL PRESENT ANNUAL PLAY DURING COMING WEEK

### IBSEN'S "GHOSTS" TO BE GIVEN

Essie Jones and Maurice Clark Will Play the Leads—Play Will Be Staged at the Temple Theatre

With the presentation of "Ghosts" the School of Drama is taking a long stride toward the type of play that a university school of drama ought to produce. This is one of the epoch-making plays of the century, and one which, at the time it took all Europe by storm, undoubtedly exerted more influence on modern drama than perhaps any other one play. So different was this play from any other that had ever been presented before its time that George Moore, writing of its first presentation in Paris at the Theatre Libre, said: "The simple truth sought by Ibsen casts upon the scene so terrible a light, so strange an air of truth, that the drama seemed to be passing not before our eyes, but deep down in our hearts in a way we had never felt before." Of the storm of criticism that passed over Europe, chiefly adverse, there is little to be said today. Ibsen's own answer in "An Enemy of the People" silenced most of that. The fact remains that now this work stands out as one of the strongest plays from the acting standpoint Ibsen ever wrote.

There are but five characters in this play, and every one is important. The cast has been spending a great deal of time on this production and are prepared to give a very thorough as well as artistic piece of work. Miss Howell feels that she has placed the best possible talent in this play and is determined to make it the big dramatic event of the School of Drama year.

Essie Jones, who is taking the part of Mrs. Alving, is well known to University audiences and has been doing splendid work at rehearsals. Maurice Clark, who will play the part of Oswald Alving, is also a familiar figure in local theatricals. He has rehearsed the part before and ought to be able to do some excellent work. Miss Louise Dobbs has the difficult part of Regina. Harold Campbell will play Pastor Manders, and Fred Babcock will play Engstrand.

## DAVID CITY CLUB BOOSTS UNI WEEK

First Annual Banquet of Butler County University Club Declares in Favor of University Week

The promoters of University Week at David City and those who entertained the students while they were there during spring vacation are giving a banquet this evening from the money made at that time. All the University students from David City have also been invited.

This is the first annual banquet of the Butler County University of Nebraska Club, organized to encourage University Week and to get it for David City every year.

Miss Ethel Stone was at home Saturday to the members of the Achotha sorority. The time was spent at cards.