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TOASTMASTER FOR BANQUET ANNOUNCED

ANAN RAYMOND SELECTED FOR FIRST PLACE ON LIST

OMAHA CABARET IS SECURED

Members of Football Teams Past and Present To Speak—Special Music Has Been Secured—Interest Manifested

With Anan Raymond, '13, of Omaha, as toastmaster, a lively cabaret troupe from Omaha as fun provokers, a number of short and snappy talks from university people and business men, and lots of singing, the Cornhusker banquet at the Lincoln hotel Friday evening, will be a fitting celebration in honor of Nebraska's greatest team.

Prof. H. W. Caldwell, Captain "Dick" Rutherford, Captain-elect "Tim" Corey and Guy Chamberlain, the all-Western end, will be the University speakers. F. A. Stryker, secretary of the South Omaha live stock yards, will represent the out-state boosters for the team. A Lincoln business man, whose name the committee was not ready to announce yesterday, will complete the toast list.

Anan Raymond is noted for his ability to give a talk with lots of "punch" to it. Since leaving the University he has been making good as a lawyer in Omaha, and is now a member of the firm of Brogan & Raymond. Mr. Raymond was a prominent debater and orator during his University days, a member of Phi Kappa Psi and numerous other organizations.

The coming of the cabaret troupe from Omaha is arousing a great deal of interest, especially among those members of the football team who recall the Omaha Commercial club banquet of last year. The two guards hope the same actors will appear Friday night.

ALPHA PHI'S RECOVER GOD

Squadron Swarms Phi Psi House—"Pan" Disappeared on Thanksgiving Day

A number of co-eds from the Alpha Phi sorority bearing a small terra cotta image of the Greek god, Pan, from the Phi Kappa Psi house to a waiting electric out in front attracted the astonished attention of passers-by on Sixteenth and Q streets early yesterday morning.

The Greek god, Pan, has decorated the halls of the Alpha Phi sorority house for many years, and its sudden disappearance Thanksgiving vacation caused weeping and wailing in Greek letter circles. Hemlock Jones, the boy detective, discovered a clue, and for a small bribe of one plate of fudge, divulged the hiding place of the Alpha Phi mascot.

Many secret conferences followed, where daring plots were formed and terrible vows of vengeance sworn. Headed by General Beatrice Dierks of Lincoln, the flying squadron, swarmed through the Phi Psi house this morning before the enemy could rally to the defense.

The sorority has again come into its own. It "panned" out all right in the end, say the co-eds.

Miss Hayden a Contributor
The last number of "Dialect Notes," just published, edited by P. W. Long, of Harvard university, contains a study of "Terms of Disparagement in American Dialect Speech," by Marie Gladys Hayden, M. A., Nebraska, 1913. The study was made while Miss Hayden was a graduate student of the English language here. The same number also contains a short word-list from the Judith Basin of Montana by Miss Hayden.

Men's Union Committee Meeting
The Commercial club committee, appointed to investigate the Men's Union proposition at Nebraska, met Wednesday afternoon, with Prof. O. R. Martin. At present, they are busy gathering in formation and data from other universities, where such organizations exist. The committee agreed that there is an unfilled place at Nebraska University for an organization which will engender and perpetuate a healthful college spirit and which will unify the institution.

HOLD RIFLE TEAM TRY-OUTS

The Ten Men Making the Highest Scores Will Compose the Team in Intercollegiate Match

Try-outs for the University Rifle team will be held from 3 to 5 p. m., Thursday, December 2, and from 4 to 6 p. m., Friday, December 3. Two consecutive series of twenty shots each are the basis of judging. Two sighting shots are an allowance preceding each score.

The ten men making the highest scores will compose the Nebraska team in the first intercollegiate rifle match.

The five men who stand high in the match will make up part of the team the next contest. The remaining five places will be open to competition.

Sorensen on Way to Europe

C. A. Sorensen, '13, Law '15, of Grand Island, visited the University yesterday afternoon on his way to New York to join Henry Ford's peace party that sails for Europe, Saturday. Mr. Sorensen's invitation probably came because he was a delegate from the World Polity club at the student peace congress at Cornell university last summer under the auspices of the Carnegie Peace Foundation. After the Ford party breaks up at The Hague, Mr. Sorensen intends to visit Berlin, Paris and London. He expects to remain in Europe until March.

Competition for places on the University rifle team will be held in the rifle gallery as follows:

3 to 5 p. m., Thursday, December 2.
4 to 6 p. m., Friday, December 3.

Each competitor will fire two consecutive scores of twenty shots each; two sighting shots are allowed preceding each score; position prone.

The ten men making the highest scores will constitute the team to shoot in the first intercollegiate match.

The five high men in each match will constitute the first five men of the team for the next match; the remaining five places on the team will be open to competition by any member of the University Rifle club. Competitors for places on the team after the first match will fire their scores during record firing by the team.

All record scores must be fired under match conditions.

"TIM" COREY ELECTED CAPTAIN FOR 1916

BIG LEFT TACKLE GIVEN HONOR OF LEADING HUSKERS

NEXT YEAR PROSPECTS GOOD

Many of the 1915 Regulars Will Be Back Next Fall—Coach Stiehm Will Have Material to Pick World Beater From

Harold H. ("Big Tim") Corey was elected to command the 1916 Cornhusker eleven, at a meeting of the Athletic board yesterday noon.

Previous to the election, the following men received sweaters for their



H. H. COREY
Captain-Elect

work done this year: Abbott, Ballis, Caley, Chamberlain, Cook, Corey, Gardner, Habersleben, Kostitzky, Moser, Otoupalik, Proctor, Reese, Riddell, Rutherford, Rasmussen, Shay, Shileds.

After the election of Corey, the men who had received sweaters went to the St. George studio to let the photographer have a chance at them.

At the left tackle position, "Tim" Corey has been a power during the nineteen fifteen football season, and he will be a still more powerful factor in next fall's lineup. Possessing the ability, when he is feeling right, to send the ball on the kick-off for a touchback, and a still greater ability to kick goal from any angle, the big boy has been the pinch hitter of the Husker eleven on more than one occasion.

If you are inclined to take any stock in prophecy, you will be willing to listen to the statement that after their sixth Missouri Valley championship season in as many years, the limit of

Harmonique Trio Plays

The Harmonique Trio will play in Art hall this morning at Convocation. The Trio is composed of the following:

* Mrs. August Molzer.....Violin *
* Miss Lillian Eiche.....Cello *
* Miss Francis Morley.....Piano *

he Husker machine is still far off in the future.

The season of 1916 will add a bunch of fish to the Cornhusker string and perhaps the Stiehm roller will be given the chance to impose a severe trouncing on one of the terrible eastern teams.

With Guy Chamberlain, without a peer in America, at his wing position, and Shaw, Moser, Kostitzky, Corey and Riddell of this year's first stringers in the line, and Caley, Cook, Otoupalik, Proctor and Gardiner in the backfield, besides an abundance of good material in 1915's second team, and a bunch of fast men coming in from the Freshman class.

Leaves for Conference

Prof. Grove E. Barber, president of the Athletic board, leaves today at 1:30 p. m., for St. Louis, to attend the Missouri Valley Athletic conference at its semi-annual meeting. The meeting will last two days. Prof. Barber expects to return Sunday.

GOVERNOR REFUSES TO SIGN

Gives as Reason a Rule, Not to Affix Name to Petitions or Recommend Patent Medicine

E. E. Bennett of Lincoln innocently, perhaps, created something of a panic among democratic state officers this forenoon by presenting to them a petition asking for the submission of a prohibitory amendment next year under the initiative and referendum law, a law championed for many years by W. J. Bryan, the recognized leader of democracy. Two of the state officers, Attorney General Reed and State Treasurer George E. Hall, were luckily or unluckily absent and did not have to face the petition, but Mr. Bennett promises to come another day.

Governor Morehead, the first officer approached, declined to sign the request to submit the proposed "dry" amendment to the state constitution to a vote of the people next year. He declined on the broad ground that he had a rule, which is seldom fractured, not to sign petitions of any kind or to recommend any particular brand of cigars or patent medicines or other articles of merchandise.

Secretary of State Pool did not sign the petition. State Auditor Smith said he believed in the initiative and referendum and would sign a petition to submit the amendment to a vote, but he did not sign on the ground that he is not a legal resident of Lincoln or Lancaster county. His legal home is still in Seward. Mr. Bennett said that made no difference, that the signers could state in the petition where their legal residence is. He said ex-Governor Holcomb, now a member of the state board of control, had signed and stated that he votes at Broken Bow, his legal home. Judge Howard Kennedy, republican, a member of the state board of control, signed the petition, and so did Railway Commissioners H. T. Clarke, H. G. Taylor and T. L. Hall, also State Superintendent A. O. Thomas, all republicans. Several democrats holding appointive positions in the state house, signed the petition. Land Commissioner Fred Beckmann, republican, did not sign.

Mr. Bennett said the work of gathering names had commenced and workers are now canvassing the city of Lincoln, but had volunteered to call on voters in the state house. At noon he had not gone above the first floor or visited the judges of the supreme court or other officers above that floor in the building.

ARMAMENT QUESTION A TIMELY ISSUE

INTEREST IN DEBATE IS RAPIDLY GROWING

NO PUBLIC PARTIES ON DEC. 10

Attempt Is Being Made to Place Debating Abreast of Other College Activities—Business Managers Advertising Extensively

The question of armament, both sides of which will be argued simultaneously at Lawrence and at Lincoln by the Kansas and Nebraska debaters Friday, December 10th, has been made the subject for debate in both the state college and high school leagues. Because of its immediate importance, the proposition for increased armament, upheld by the Nebraska team and opposed by the Kansas team at Lincoln, promises to arouse more interest than any of the subjects brought up heretofore.

Interest in the debate is rapidly growing. The admission price has been reduced from 50 cents to 35 cents and 25 cents, to bring the contest within the reach of every student, and effort is being made by Business Manager Darrell Lane to make this year's debate fill the place it should in University activities. The board of regents have set aside Friday, December 10th, as the date for the contest, and no public parties will be scheduled for that date.

To Hold Candy Sale

Omicron Pi will hold a candy sale, Friday, December 3, from 11 to 1 o'clock, in the Reception hall of the Home Economics building. The proceeds will go to the Ellen H. Richards memorial fund.

Pan Tee, the Greek who has been spending a few days at the Phi Kappa Psi house, returned home yesterday.

ANNUAL HISTORICAL MEETING

Henry D. Estabrook Principal Speaker—General Webster the Probable Toastmaster

The annual meeting of the State Historical society, which was to take place the second week in January, has been changed to January 17-19, because Henry D. Estabrook, the principal speaker, was unable to be present at that time.

General John Lee Webster will be present at the meeting and will probably be toastmaster of the banquet.

Dr. Fred H. Sterns, who is at the head of the Peabody museum of Harvard university, will present a paper on "The Archaeology of the Pawnee." Dr. Sterns has devoted years to field work in Nebraska and is thoroughly familiar with his subject.

Gordon W. Wattles, chairman of the executive committee for the semi-centennial celebration at Nebraska, will talk on an optional subject, to be announced later.

Chess Club to Be Organized

A University Chess club will be organized tonight at 7 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. reading room of the Temple. All interested in chess are invited to be present and participate.