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HIXENBAUGH BACK; TELLS OF MISSION

TIME ALONE WILL PROVE
FORD'S SUCCESS

All Europe Interested in the Party—
Treatment Fine—Ford is
Sincere

That the Henry Ford peace mission accomplished something for the cause of peace in Europe, although time alone will tell how much, is the opinion of Walter Hixenbaugh of Omaha, one of Nebraska university's two students who were members of the party. Hixenbaugh reached Lincoln yesterday afternoon prepared to resume his university studies. The trip to Europe has been one of his most pleasant and profitable experiences, he says.

"All that it was intended for us to accomplish was to crystallize the peace sentiment in Europe," Hixenbaugh said, "and we succeeded in a measure in doing that. The slogan, 'All of the boys out of the trenches by Christmas' was adopted merely to arouse interest, and it had this result at least, that on Christmas day everybody thought about peace."

Henry Ford Sincere

Henry Ford was characterized as a gentle, kindly man, and a very good friend to have, and as one absolutely sincere in his motives. "All were impressed with his sincerity."

"Ford was sick on the boat, and did not take an active part in our deliberations, being represented by his secretary. He did not make a single speech. Whether illness was the real reason for his leaving the party I don't know and even those closest to Ford do not know. I think Ford was too optimistic, and that those like Madame Schwimmer who talked to him before we left America, gave him too much to hope for."

Students Support Wilson

When the battle over the resolution condemning President Wilson's preparedness policy broke forth on the ship, the student representatives, according to Hixenbaugh, signed a resolution opposed to any such action, on the grounds that the peace mission was international, and that national or purely American affairs should not enter into the discussions.

The day after the fracas, however, Ford wrote a personal letter to each member of the party, with the result that most of them signed the condemnatory resolution. The result was that there was a feeling of discord and internal dissension all the way over, Hixenbaugh declared, although the delegates worked well enough together when they were in Europe.

"The mass meetings in Europe were very well attended, and fully came up to expectations," declared the student. "One of the most powerful Scandinavian papers openly sided with us. Everybody was interested, and we were treated courteously, although we received absolutely no official recognition."

The car in which the delegates rode through Germany on their way to The Hague was not sealed, asserted Hixenbaugh, although the delegates were not permitted to alight. "We made just one stop—at Hamburg, while on German soil. The Germans treated us fine, much better than the English."

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GIRLS' CLUB COUNCIL COMMITTEES NAMED

The following committees were appointed Tuesday by the Girls' club council to arrange for the reception and entertainment of the fourth conference of the Middle-West Intercollegiate Association for Woman's Self-Government, which will meet here in May:

Program—Marian Kastle.
Courtesy—Jeannette Finney, Catherine Atwood, Winifred Moran, Phebe Folsom.

Rooms and Meetings—Mildred Wessen, Christine Hanson, Glen James.

Dance—Mary Haller, Florence Angle, Margaret Kauffman, Fern Noble, Doris Scroggin.

Banquet—Louise Brownell, Ura Brown.

Tea—Ada Johnson.

Other committees appointed were: Vocational conference—Hedvic Provaznik, Elma Reeder, Hazel McCartney.

Girls' mass meeting—Lucile Roane, Doris Slater.

Reception to Achoth National Conclave—Bernice Keefer, Melba Quiggley, Gladys Wild, Hester Dickinson.

Membership—Alva Reed, Edla Collins.

REGISTRATION FOR CHORUS STILL OPEN

"Samson and Delilah" to be Sung at
May Festival

Chorus registration is still open and no additional fee is charged for students who wish to register now. Rehearsals are held in Art hall on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week at 5 o'clock. A special rehearsal at 7 o'clock Monday evening, is held for students who cannot practice at the regular hour, Monday and Wednesday. Information regarding registration can be obtained at the Registrar's office.

"Samson and Delilah" will be given by the chorus, during the May Festival. Leading parts will be taken by professional singers and a large orchestra will accompany. A free ticket, to both numbers given by the Damrosch orchestra, will be given each member of the chorus.

AMES FIVE MEET HUSKERS THIS WEEK

The race for the basketball championship of the Missouri valley, which is now lying between Missouri, Kansas Aggies and Nebraska, will be cleared up considerably when Nebraska takes on Ames for two games next Friday and Saturday nights.

The Ames team has three veterans in its lineup, while its two new members thus far have proven stars. Ames broke even with Kansas not long ago and were beaten twice by comparatively low scores by Missouri.

It is doubtful if Captain Hugg will be able to play on account of an injured knee. The Nebraska lineup, therefore, has not been decided upon. Since Nebraska does not meet Missouri this year the results of these games will be valuable in determining the standing and relative strength of the two teams.

The Ames lineup will probably be: Holmes, center; Sweeney, left forward; Boynton, left guard; Bragdon, right guard; and Aldrich, right forward.

CARNEGIE GIVES UNIVERSITY \$250

ENDOWMENT FUND FOR SUMMER
SESSION COURSES

Professors Jones and Persinger Will
Give Work on South America
and Foreign Relations

Nebraska university will receive from the Carnegie endowment \$250 to spend upon a course in international relations and in South American affairs during the coming summer session. This is the announcement made to Chancellor Avery in a letter received from Leon Fraser of the American Association for International Conciliation.

The chancellor has written in reply, suggesting that the money be divided equally between Professors Persinger and Jones, and that the former give the South American course, and the latter the one on international affairs. Professor Persinger has made two trips to South America for purposes of study, and Professor Jones has been in the habit of spending his summers in Europe, until the war broke out.

Professor Persinger stated to a Nebraskan reporter yesterday afternoon that he would include in his course a brief study of Latin-American history and relations, and a more detailed study of present day Latin-American institutions, conditions and opportunities.

Professor Jones' course on international relations will include a study of events leading up to the present war, based as far as possible on official correspondence and documents. Recent diplomatic history of world-wide interest will be the feature of the course.

PRIZES OFFERED FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS

A competitive campaign for subscriptions to the Daily Nebraskan will be inaugurated next week. Definite announcement of rules will be made later, but it can be said now that attractive inducements will be made to contestants. The Nebraskan, earnestly desiring to take rank as a real college daily, is suffering from a lack of student support. The subscription list now, to be brutally frank, is but half of that of last semester. The subscription campaign next week will be a live one, and the workers will win.

TRACK MEETING, MEMORIAL
HALL 102, 11 A. M. THURSDAY.

MUSICAL CONVOCATION
IN ART HALL TODAY

Mrs. August Molzer, first violin.
Miss Lillian Etche, 'cello.
Miss Frances Morley, piano.

Program:

Elegie Jiranek
Norwegian Dance Grieg
Serenade Chamenade
Adagio molto Arthur Foote
Allegro vivace Arthur Foote

"CAB-HOORAY" DANCING AT SENIOR PROM

The Senior Prom will begin at 6:30, Friday evening. Dinner will be served then and dancing will start at 8:30. The tables will be so arranged that those who care to get a running start may indulge in a few steps between courses, Cab-hooray style. There will be dancing all the way from soup to nuts. A herd of agile-footed waiters have been engaged to hustle the food, so that those who are dancing need have no fear of collisions.

There are still a few tickets left and these may be procured from M. L. Poteet, Sievers Susman, Willard Folsom or Russel Israel.

Death of Lettie M. Lott

Miss Lettie M. Lott, who has been a student of the university and lately stenographer in Prof. A. A. Reed's office, died Tuesday night of Bright's disease. Miss Lott had been ill more or less for two years. Funeral service is to be held at the home of her mother, 2438 T street, at 1:00 o'clock tomorrow, after which the body will be taken to Rising City for burial.

Miss Lott was a graduate of Peru normal and later on principal of the schools at Rising City. For the past few years she has been living in Lincoln with her mother.

STUDENTS RESPOND TO CORNHUSKER CALL

With still three days left for the taking of individual pictures, there are over 500 senior and junior pictures that are ready to go into the "Leap Year Cornhusker." This indicates more class pictures than have ever before appeared in a Nebraska Annual, and that sounds well for the ultimate success of the book.

With better paper, better printing and better binding, this better cooperation on the part of the students in general, makes a combination that insures the "best Cornhusker ever" for this year.

It is to be hoped that the few individuals and organizations whose pictures have not been taken will make arrangements for them at once for the closing dates are near; day after tomorrow for individuals, and February 19th for organizations.

VALUES FLEAS AT 500 DOLLARS

Is a flea valuable? People as a rule know it is useful to make dogs remember they are dogs but nobody ever thought of fleas as valuable. Yet a Chicago man figures that his are worth \$500 and has sent a detective to find the animals. Possibly a dog catcher would have a better chance of securing the runaways but he of course is not well versed in tracing stolen property.

Imagine a poor dog being tormented by educated fleas, not common hoppers but intelligent sexpeds trained to do tricks. That's what happened in Chicago. A man had a herd of trained fleas which he exhibited in a circus and some canine ran away with the whole lot. Therefore it is up to all lovers of the canines in Windy City to find out by combing their pets if they harbor some of the elusive fleas. There's \$500 in it. According to latest reports the detective is hot upon their trail.

UNIVERSITY AIDS SUCCESS IN DRAMA

SO DECLARES MRS. CHARLES
COBURN, ACTRESS

One of America's Greatest Needs is
Emotional Cultivation

By Marguerite Kauffman.

"A university education is most important for success in dramatics," said Mrs. Charles Coburn, as she talked enthusiastically of her work yesterday afternoon to a Daily Nebraskan reporter. She was dressed in the native costume of the Chinese woman and it was hard to believe that she was not Chinese herself. When she spoke, however, the fact that she is a real American was made more striking by the contrast of her foreign garb. Mrs. Coburn is a charming and well educated woman and is deeply interested in all college and university students. She seems to feel a bond of unity with them for in reality both are working toward the same end—life and culture.

She believes that it is beneficial for all students to study the drama and, if possible, take some dramatic training. "The value of this is inestimable," said Mrs. Coburn, as she arranged the bowing sleeves of her black Chinese costume, "for not only is the standard of the community in appreciation of better art, and the standard and reputation of the profession raised, but it develops in the student self-confidence, and—that which every person longs to possess—the ability to express his emotions as he feels them."

Inspiration Ten Per Cent

"The actor is not always born so," she continued, warming to her subject. "He must have, perhaps, ten per cent of natural inspiration, but without ninety per cent of thought and hard work, he will gain nothing."

Mrs. Coburn said that we are a restrained people and one of our greatest needs is the cultivation and expression of our emotions.

"The nation needs the drama, and it is our mission to give it," she said with a characteristic little gesture showing the intensity of her feeling in the matter. "The profession of the actor is an exalted one, for it shows people life, and thereby helps them to live."

This purpose seems to be the keynote of Mrs. Coburn's life as an actress, and shows what an influence for good she is exerting upon the drama of today. The Coburn players are the only repertoire school of dramatics in the United States, and in Mrs. Coburn's estimation, such a school is the only real way to train proficient actors.

University Commercial Club

A report on what Men's unions have done at other schools will be read at this afternoon's meeting of the University Commercial club. The reporting committee has collected data from all the leading universities in the United States and promises very interesting information. All students are invited to attend this meeting.

Seven Dollars Raised

The home made candy sale at the Y. W. C. A. yesterday netted about \$7, which will be spent for subscriptions for magazines for the reading room.