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**THE CHALLENGE**

We have at last received a copy of the Challenge, a magazine published at New York. It outlines its reason for existence as follows: "Challenge is a magazine organized to stimulate the free discussion of opinion among American students, to the end that each American college and university may become a conscious, informed and intellectual democracy."

From its preliminary announcements, we feared that this paper was to be subsidized by those philanthropists who are active in the interests of peace. But the cursory glance that we have had time to give it indicates that we were mistaken.

We are ready at any time to endorse any paper that has for its object the stimulation of the student's interest in the responsibilities that gravitate to him as a citizen. A publication that can gather the best the college world has in this line and presents it to the college public is certainly to be commended. If the Challenge can do this, without becoming the slave of any particular movement, it will be a great success.

As Nebraskans, it is our duty to support this magazine. The subscription price is within the reach of all. Let's show the people of the east that Nebraska is willing to do her part in the college world.

**SPRING VACATION**

The approaching spring has contaminated the campus with germs of spring fever. Our brains work slowly, and our souls grow weary for the coming camping trips and picnics. Classes are easily forgotten and grades become immaterial.

And yet there are over two months of school work—the hardest of the year—yet to be completed. It behooves us, therefore, to accumulate all the enthusiasm possible, with which to combat the inevitable spring drowsiness.

The Daily Nebraskan has not been immune to the fever. We have the hottest place on the campus to work, and have often chosen to use the scissors rather than the pen. We will reform, however, and promise much of interest to all before the year is over. After school begins again, we will take up the anti-noise campaign, the Single Tax, Student Union, and two or three other matters of importance, and push them to their logical conclusion.

**BLACK SPOTS**

before your eyes are usually of a purely nervous origin, while the cause is found in uncorrected visual defects which proper glasses only will remedy. Pleased to talk with you about your black spots.

**HALLETT**

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**UNIVERSITY NOTICES**

**WILL RECEIVE BLUE PRINT APPLICATIONS**

Applications for positions on the Blue Print staff, which will be elected during Engineers' week, will be received now by members of the board of control:

- W. K. Fowler, Jr.,
- W. Hall,
- J. P. Fairbank,
- L. L. Westling,
- H. F. Weatherbee.

**Statement of Catholic Plays**

Financial statement of the Catholic Students' club plays given in the Temple March 17, 1916, is as follows: Total receipts, \$59; refund on piano rental, \$2.50; total \$61.50.

Total expenditures: Advertising, \$8; theatre, \$10; printing, \$1.50; doorkeeper, \$2; rental piano, \$5; stage manager, \$2.75; costumes, \$2; incidentals, 75c; ticket seller, \$1; total, \$33. Joe C. Flaherty, manager. Audited March 23, 1916. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

**Comus Dance Finances**

Financial statement of the Comus club dance, held at the Temple March 17, 1916, is as follows: Total receipts, \$32.50.

Total expenditures: Rental hall, \$7; music, \$15; doorkeeper, \$1.50; service and refreshments, \$5; total, \$28.50. A. W. Tell, chairman. Audited March 23, 1916. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.



**HARRY E. WELLS**

Harry E. Wells, announces that he is the Republican candidate for County Clerk, and respectfully solicits your support.—Adv.

**DEBATERS AT WORK FOR WEEK OF BATTLE**

The intercollegiate debating teams—a new feature this year in the University Week program—which defeated the University of Kansas last December on both ends of the increased armament question, are readjusting their cases in preparation for the opening battle at Seward Saturday evening. Prof. M. M. Fogg will accompany the teams and will preside at the five debates, ending with that at Fremont Thursday evening.

German Lunch and Cafe, R. C. Schelder, manager. 1121 P street.

The Mogul Barber Shop, S. L. Chaplin, proprietor, 127 North Twelfth.

Meal tickets, \$5.50 for \$4.50, 137 North Twelfth. Newbert Cafe.

G. E. Spear, B. Sc., M. D., University of Nebraska, '03; physician and surgeon. 1417 O St. B-3021.

After dinner dances at McCormick's Cafe. Open till 1 p. m. 129 South Twelfth street.

**NON COMPOSITIS**

**STYLE ALL THE WHILE**

Who is that I can see from the classroom,

Her hat at an angle a-tilt; While the forehead I thought of as marble

With bangs hanging low is o'erbuilt? A jacket of spidery fineness, And shoes of wondrous design; Can it be that short-skirted person Is the girl that I used to call mine?

Say, who is that individual, With a hat like the flaps of a sail Whose coat surely chokes in its tightness;

Who is that incongruous male? His trousers are surely skinfitting, A loud necktie, too, do I see; Can that young man with the glasses, Be the one that used to fuss me?

So styles change in the autumn, So styles change in the spring, And we don't know the friends of last season, When bedecked with the changes styles bring.

Theatrical Manager (introducing members of company): "This is the leading man. This is the leading lady. This is the juvenile lead. This is 'shouts without' and 'the populace cries.'"

**My Opinion of the Conference**

By the linotyper who had to read the copy of some of the reporters: (Deleted by censor). "1!—!—!—\*—\*—?"

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**WE MEAN THIS**

When the girls at Nebraska have their pictures put in a down town window, without even an "if you please" for the Roman mob to speculate as to the the eight-prize beauties—and all this is a mere advertising scheme, (though "clever")—it is about time that a well balanced discrimination be made between propriety and popularity.

**MEN UP IN ARMS**

The poor neglected men of the campus are about to rise en masse, to vindicate the terrible outrage perpetrated when the girls of this high and noble institution showed such thoughtlessness as to have a "degrading, common vocational conference" and to actually forgot them for two whole days.

**WE DON'T CARE**

Now that the "Phi Bets" have been chosen and everybody is feeling happy, we would like to state, and it isn't "sour grapes," either, that we wouldn't have been a P. B. K., anyway, because "it really is only pull after all, you know."

**"OWED" TO VACATION**

Vacation starts tomorrow, And all are filled with sorrow That their roommates will have to borrow Some money to get home.

Our new spring hat, or Easter bonnet, Some gloves, a handkerchief with lace 'pon it, A tie, or collar will be loaned, To get the other "feller" home.

Ain't it so? Guess we will knock off and go home.

No one will read this column Friday, anyway.

**SIGMA TAU PLEDGES SEVEN TO MEMBERSHIP**

Two seniors and five juniors have been pledged to membership in Sigma Tau, the honorary engineering fraternity, according to the announcement of the pledging, made yesterday. Membership in the society is based upon activity shown in the engineering college.

The new pledges are: I. C. Baker, M.E., '16, Lincoln. C. B. Dempster, M.E., '17, Beatrice. M. M. Garrett, A.E., '17, Madison. T. Lorenzo, C.E., '16, Ballway, Bull-cran. O. A. Powell, M.E., '17, Stuart. I. B. Starr, E.E., '17, Lincoln. C. J. Wertz, E.E., '17.

**PICK AND HAMMER CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS**

The newly organized Pick and Hammer club of the university geology department has completed the election of officers. The society is intellectual in its nature, the members listening to lectures from the faculty, of whom Professor Schramm and A. C. Whitford have already spoken.

The officers of the society are: Jerome Burnett, president. M. M. Garrett, vice president. Alfred Beck, secretary. Laurence Whyman, treasurer. Ralph Sturm, reporter.

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