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**THE ELECTION**

At last the formal announcement and the plan for the coming election has been submitted. It is not everything that we had hoped for, but it is better than nothing at all, and will accomplish more than has ever been accomplished along this line before.

The first proposition on which the students will vote is whether or not they favor the appointment of a committee to draw up a definite plan and constitution for a student state headed by the Student Council. Just how even the most radical opponents of the Council can object to this proposition is hard to see. It does not adopt the Student Council. It merely provides for the submission of a definite plan to be adopted or rejected next year. No one can consistently object to an expression of student sentiment. To do so would be an effort to gag public opinion.

There will be some difficulty in getting out the vote. There are several examinations on the same day, to say nothing of the competitive drill. It is almost inhuman to ask students to take time to vote when there are so many distractions. But there has never been a real step taken in advance that has not meant a certain sacrifice of time.

**THE COMMITTEE OF FIVE**

It will be noticed that the ballot calls for the suggestion of a committee of five to confer with University authorities as to how to get the proper organization for the purpose of drawing up the constitution for the Student Council. Remember that this committee does not write the constitution; it merely draws up a plan for securing a representative body to do so.

To name the students eligible to serve on the committee would be practically to repeat the student directory. However, to secure a sort of informal nomination, and to get the students to think on the matter, we take the liberty of suggesting the following names:

George Grimes, Edwin Partridge, Tim Corey, E. J. Althouse, Albert Bryson, A. J. Covert, Ted Metcalf, Axel Swenson, W. K. Miller, Doris Slater, Louise Coe, DeWitt Foster, John Riddell, Ray Doyle, Edna Froyd, Jean Burroughs, Eva Miller, Walter Hager, Vincent George, Glen Everts.

**THE VOTE ON THE SINGLE TAX**

The submission of the Single Tax to the students at this time is a surprise. The regents at one time waived the question of student support, and it was supposed that that part of the proposition was settled for all time. But now that it is up, the only thing to do is to vote it through.

It will be noticed that the plan, in its present form, is for the voluntary tax. The arguments advanced by Mr. Hare and Mr. Weber at the beginning of the semester were, in their final

analysis, objections to the fact that the system was compulsory. The change in the plan has therefore removed every objection that was advanced against it.

It might be recited at this time that last week the students at the University of Texas adopted the Single Tax by a vote of 1,307 to 215. Let's show them that we have as much school spirit as they have.

**FORUM**

Lincoln, Nebraska, May 22, 1916.  
 Editor of Daily Nebraskan,  
 Lincoln, Nebr.

Gentlemen:

In The Daily Nebraskan of May 22nd you asked for an explanation for the lateness of the 1916 edition of the Cornhusker. The cause for this delay was published in The Daily Nebraskan some time ago, but as you do not seem to have read the paper I will explain again. The fact that the year book is not yet in the hands of the readers is no fault of either the editorial staff or the business management. Their work was all completed on schedule time. The two weeks delay was caused by the fact that the engravers were unable to obtain a sufficient amount of copper within the limited time. They had all their copper expressed to them instead of having it sent by freight, but even at that rate they could not procure enough to supply the large amount needed to fill the Cornhusker order of this year. The munition factories had the first hand in the supply and did not leave enough for other purposes. As you realize, this condition that could not be prevented by any students of the University of Nebraska.

At the present time the expressmen's strike in Chicago is making some trouble but I do not think that it will cause any serious delay. Friday, May 26th, has been set as the day for the distribution and I am sure that every one will be satisfied as the quality of the book has not been impaired in the least by these delays.

Trusting that this explanation is what you desired, we remain,

Very respectfully yours,  
**THE CORNHUSKER 1916,**  
 WALTER BLUNK,  
 Ass't Business Manager.

**ON TO PLATTSBURG!**

Many of the eastern colleges and universities are preparing to send corps of students to the military training camp at Plattsburg this summer. Yale and Williams college have already started the enrollment of men.

Two of the latest model range finders for military purposes have been received from the war department by Adjutant General Hall and will be assigned to the two regiments of the Nebraska national guard. The instruments are reflecting telescopes mounted on tripods and delicately adjusted so that distances of remote buildings or topographical points can be calculated by applying the principles of triangulation. Range finders of this type have been in constant use in the European war.

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**BRIEF BITS OF NEWS**

Lutheran students will meet this evening at 7:30 in Faculty hall.

Pi Kappa Phi announces the withdrawal of the pledges of Henry W. Fouts and Golden Kratz.

Students who expect to register in the summer school for the course in field geology,—Black Hills trip, please consult with instructors in the department of geology before June 1. The course is open to all men.

Business meeting for Ag club members Tuesday evening, April 23, at 7:30 p. m., in U. 106. Only paid up members will be allowed to vote on officers for next year. Those who haven't paid, who wish to take part in the meeting, must see the treasurer before hand.

Financial statement of the junior-senior breakfast, held at the state farm, April 29, 1916, is as follows: Total receipts, \$25.80. Total expenditures, 183 breakfasts at 15 cents each, \$27.45; advertising, \$2.85; gatekeeper, \$1.00; total, \$31.30. Deficit to be stood by class treasury. Frank Hixenbaugh, chairman. Audited May 18, 1916. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

Financial statement of the Junior play, which was given at the Oliver theatre, April 14, 1916, is as follows: Total receipts, \$406.25. Total expenditures, rental theatre and electric sign, \$108; royalty, \$50; stage expense, \$48.37; music, \$20; printing, \$12.50; advertising, \$20.87; make up, \$5; costumes, \$28.21; books for caste, \$3; total, \$292.95. Net profit, \$113.30. To be turned over to the University of Nebraska. J. L. Caley, chairman. Audited May 19, 1916. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

Financial statement of the University Week association, March 24 to April 1, 1916, is as follows:

Total receipts, \$841.89; advertising, \$90; total, \$931.89. Total expenditures, railroad fares, \$277.96; band, incidentals, \$57.07; dramatic club, incidentals, \$32.64; costumes, \$11.25; royalty, \$125; lecture, incidentals, and railroad fare, \$15.58, advance man, expenses, \$52.21; telephone, \$8.25; printing, \$87.40; manager, salary, \$100; programs, \$90; manager's expenses to Omaha, \$9.40; total \$866.76. Net profit, \$65.13. D. T. Lane, manager. Audited May 19, 1916. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

**HOLD PROM IN RATHSKELLER**

At the University of Washington the junior prom is to be held in the Rathskeller. To those who may think it a somewhat unusual resort for an affair of the sort, be it said that the Rathskeller is one of Seattle's auditoriums, and not what its name implies.

**S. G. A. CONVENTION IS REPORTED ON**

Delegates Traveled in Private Car to and From Lincoln, Neb.

"It was the most wonderful experience I ever had." This is the statement of Inez Noll, president of S. G. A., made when asked about her trip to the Fourth Annual Conference of the Middle Western Intercollegiate association for Women's Self-Government, held in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Inez Noll, Charlotte Bodman, and Helen Zillmer made the trip to Lincoln.—The Daily Cardinal.

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G. E. Spear, B. Sc., M. D., University of Nebraska, '03; physician and surgeon. 1417 O St. B-3621.

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