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"READY MONEY" GETS ACROSS IN BIG WAY

UNIVERSITY PLAYERS SCORE ANOTHER SUCCESS IN COMEDY

Large Audience in Temple Theater Applauds Miss Howell's Actors in Montgomery's Play

Another was added to the long list of successful plays given by the University Players under the direction of Miss Alice Howell, when "Ready Money" was produced at the Temple theater last night. The play was cleverly presented, and if it is decided to keep it as the production for University week next spring, it is safe to say that the success of "Believe Me, Xantippe" will be repeated.

Miss Howell has selected a cast of players admirably suited to their parts. There were a few slips in the lines last night, but these were easily covered up and in no way did they detract from the enjoyment of the piece. And if Gwynne Fowler had trouble in escaping the descending curtain once or twice, who thought of that when his part was so brightly played throughout?

Maurice Clark, who has delighted more than one University audience with his skillful work, had the leading part, and that is equivalent to saying that it was well done. He was enjoyed throughout and his work was up to his usual standard.

Some of the Good Ones

Lena Lipsey, as Mrs. John Tyler, Spray Gardner as Jackson Ives, and Virgil Skipton as Hon. John H. Tyler, played character roles with most distinction. Mr. Gardner was convincing as were the others. Herbert Brownell, Jr., was mighty good as the office boy.

To do justice to the players, and even the natural pride one takes in his own University's production should not discount the statement, it would be necessary to single out each one of the cast and say "well done." Lucile M. Becker as Grace Tyler did not have a part that gave her a great opportunity to show what she is capable of, but she made the most of her lines and proved a lovely heroine.

The setting was good, especially in acts one and two. No mistakes of stage management were apparent to the audience.

The Cast of Players

The cast:
Neil.....Mr. Louis F. Meier
Sam Welsh.....Mr. Lad Kubik
Sumner Holbrook.....Mr. Irwin Clark
Mrs. John Tyler.....Miss Jean Lipsey
Hon. John H. Tyler.....
.....Mr. Virgil E. Skipton
Miss Grace Tyler.....
.....Miss Lucile M. Becker
Miss Ida Tyler.....Miss Catherine Pierce
Miss Margaret Elliott.....
.....Miss Carolyn Kimball
Sidney Rosenthal.....Mr. DeWitt Foster
William Stewart.....Mr. Gwynne Fowler
James R. Morgan.....Mr. C. Neil Brown
Jackson Ives.....Mr. Spray Gardner
Captain West.....Mr. Paul Hagelin
Hammond.....Mr. Clarence Hagelin
Quinn.....Mr. Harry Geyer
Reddy.....Mr. Herbert Brownell, Jr.
Executive
Director.....Miss Alice Howell
Asst. director.....Mr. Maurice Clark
Business manager.....Mr. H. G. Hewitt
Stage manager.....Mr. Lad Kubik
Electrician.....Mr. Paul Hagelin

SILVER SERPENTS TO ENTERTAIN JUNIOR GIRLS SATURDAY

Silver Serpent, the junior girls' society, will give a party for all junior girls tomorrow afternoon at the Temple. Every co-ed in the junior class is wanted, and the statement of this will be the only invitation any will get.

FOURTH REGIMENT, WITH UNIVERSITY MEN, ORDERED TO RETURN

Word was received in Lincoln Thursday, and confirmed at the state adjutant general's office, that the Fourth Nebraska regiment, on border duty at Llano Grande, Tex., has been ordered home.

Arch L. Burnham, colonel of the University cadet regiment, is with the Fourth regiment, as captain of E company from Wayne and Stanton. Major Kenneth Craig of the cadets is a lieutenant in this company.

The Fourth regiment went south July 7, after mobilizing at the state fair grounds, Lincoln. It is one of the crack guard regiments on the border, and the cadet men have made excellent records.

PHI ALPHA TAU PLEDGES 20 MEN

Public Speaking Fraternity Prepares for Year—Banquet Will Be Given Wednesday for Debaters

Phi Alpha Tau, the public speaking fraternity, has pledged to membership twenty University students who have distinguished themselves along public speaking lines, either on the debating platform, the forum of oratory, or in dramatics. With the pledging of the new men, the fraternity has one of the largest organizations active in the school.

The society will entertain the Nebraska and the Kansas university debating teams at a banquet next Wednesday, the evening of the dual clash between Nebraska and Kansas on the question of submarine warfare. The banquets for the intercollegiate debaters have been established as one of the most popular customs of the fraternity.

The Pledges

The list of pledges follows:
Spray L. Gardner, '17, Valentine.
Leon H. Snyder, Alma.
Clinton D. Foster, '17, Lincoln.
Darrell T. Lane, '17, Seneca.
C. Ivan Winslow, '18, Beaver City.
William C. Cull, '18, Oakland.
Leonard W. Trester, '18, Lincoln.
Walter R. Raecke, '17, Central City.
Leonard W. Kline, '18, Blue Springs.
Milton J. Keegan, '17, Alliance.
Earl C. Jeffrey, '18, Lincoln.
William F. Heyler, '18, Edmond, Okla.

Gilbert Eldredge, '17, Omaha.
W. C. O. Jacobson, '18, Omaha.
Joseph Flaherty, Sp., Dixon.
August C. Krebs, '17, Lincoln.
Ira D. Beynon, '17, Lincoln.
Lester L. Dunn, '18, Lincoln.
Jess L. Ertel, law '18, Geneva.
Frank F. Barnett, '19, McCook.

Y. M. C. A. LEADER ON CAMPUS TODAY

David R. Porter and H. L. Heinze-man Will Meet Cabinet Men for One Hour

David R. Porter, the executive international secretary for student work and H. L. Heinze-man, international secretary for this district of the Y. M. C. A., will be on the campus today. They will meet the cabinet men of the Y. M. C. A. at the Temple for a session of one hour, from 5 to 6 o'clock.

Both men are big in Y. M. C. A. work. Mr. Porter was to have presented the European war relief fund to the students, but when it seemed that he could not come, W. H. Tinker put up the proposition instead. Mr. Heinze-man has been closely associated with the University association, and is fully acquainted with its problems.

WEIRD SIGHTS FOR COSTUME PARTY

SOME STRIKINGLY ORIGINAL MAKE-UPS PROMISED

Co-eds Plot Secretly and Stunts Tonight Will Astonish Some, Is Report

Sshhh—
The annual girls' costume party, held in the Armory at 10 cents admission per costume, tonight, will be startlingly, strikingly, startlingly surprising.

Spare moments during the past two weeks have been spent by most co-eds in collecting the alpha and omega of garments in the effort to get something new for the big party. Success has resulted.

One stunt on which a good deal of time and painstaking effort has been spent during the past week is an Hawaiian program. Ukeleles will be very much in evidence. The clothes, it is said, will be typically tropically islandish and outlandish, and the maidens will just naturally look like they have stepped from the jungle. The sinuous girations with which they perform should prove most interesting to the spectator.

The Sensational Stunt
Everyone last year heard of the Kappa chain gang—it was the talk of the school. Just what stunt will prove the sensation this time remains pretty much of a mystery, but it will be revealed when the festival begins tonight.

Xi Delta will sell candy tonight. The reporter was not told to whom the proceeds will go, but she was informed that the candy would be good.

Coch Steinhm, who was a feature of five preceding banquets will probably not be present, but it is whispered that his successor, Doctor Stewart, will answer the roll call, with his team of husky warriors.

Leads from the co-ed ranks have been few, however, and the secrets of the party will be unknown, for the greater part, until the event comes off, this evening.

PROF. HOWARD TO LECTURE SUNDAY

Will Speak on Race Prejudice Under Auspices of the Open Forum Club

Dr. George Elliott Howard, head of the political science and sociology department will lecture on "Race Prejudice" before a meeting at the All Souls church, Twelfth and H streets, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Lincoln Open Forum. This organization is for the purpose of discussing important public problems. It recently brought Lincoln Steffens, the well-known journalist, to Lincoln.

Professor Howard will discuss particularly the race prejudice against the negroes in the south and how that prejudice stands in the way of the social, political, and economic development among the southern states. He has traveled in the south recently and is in intimate touch with his subject.

Professor August Molzer will furnish the music. A half hour discussion by the audience will follow Professor Howard's address and questions will be answered.

HENRY C. MABIE NEXT CONVOCATION SPEAKER

Henry C. Mabie, LL.D., of Boston, will be the next speaker at convocation, appearing next Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock in Memorial hall. His subject will be "The Student in World Relations."

CORNHUSKER FEAST TICKETS SOLD OUT

FEW LEFT MAY BE HAD AT COLLEGE BOOK STORE

Arrangements Finally Completed for Celebration of Seventh Successful Valley Championship

Cornhusker banquet tickets will be on sale today at the College Book store. Individual ticket sellers ran out yesterday, and the less than a hundred passes to the feast that are left will be disposed of at the store across from the campus.

M. M. Garrett, who has had general charge of the banquet, said last night the advance sales have been ahead of those of any previous year. The fattened calves have been killed; field, forest and plowed land have been robbed of their yields to furnish good provender for the men who will gather together tonight to do honor to the football team.

In spite of the two defeats registered against Nebraska this year, the Cornhuskers are still entitled to the Missouri valley honors, and the banquet will, for the seventh successive time, be in honor of the team that stands head and shoulders above all the other schools in the Missouri valley family.

The Toastlist

The toastlist has been announced before. James Harney, '28, will be the grand master of ceremonies. Quiggle will represent the University's good friends, the citizens of Lincoln. Captain Tim Corey will speak of the season just closed, and Captain-elect Ed Shaw will tell of that to come. Victor Halligan will disclose the darkest secrets of the coaching game.

Every blessed man on the team and squad will feast with the rooters. They will modestly, but like men, accept the congratulations of the school along with the beefsteak and gravy, and it will be hard to tell which will prove the more palatable.

Good authority has stated that there will be more protection to life, and less infringement on the pursuit of happiness at the banquet than in former years. Sugar, it is rumored, will not loaf about the place so promiscuously, and the boys who think they have to prove their speed and accurate throwing arm will have slightly less of a chance to demonstrate their skill than in the old days.

Wilber Whisenand, '15, is assisting in the college of agriculture connected with the University of Illinois.

ATHLETIC HEADS TO CONFERENCE MEET

STEWART, REED AND BARBER OFF TO MANHATTAN

Schedules for Basketball, Track and Football Will Be Made up This Week

Coch Stewart, Manager Reed and Professor Barber left last evening for Manhattan, Kans., where they will attend the meetings of the representatives of the schools comprising the Missouri valley conference.

Doctor Stewart and Guy Reed will attend the meeting of the coaches and managers, where the basketball schedule for this year the football schedule for next year and any other arrangements of contests that are necessary, will be made.

Professor Barber will attend the meeting of the faculty representatives of the schools and make any changes or addition in the rules governing eligibility, that may be necessary.

SUMMER MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS WILL BE HELD

The military department has announced that the plans for governmental summer training camps, such as existed last year, have been tentatively completed by the military authorities. The estimate of attendance is placed just short of 60,000. The camps will be divided up into four districts: eastern, central, western, and southern. Plattsburg will be the largest eastern camp, while in the central district, there will be camps at Fort Riley, Fort Snelling and Fort Sheridan. The western and southern districts will also hold a number of camps at central locations. There probably will be an average attendance of 2,000.

ALPHA ZETA TAKES IN NEW MEMBERS

Agricultural Society Initiates New Men on the Farm Campus

Alpha Zeta, honorary agricultural fraternity which chooses its members for proficiency in scholarship and aptness along agricultural lines, initiated thirteen new members last night. The ceremonies were held on the farm campus.

Following is a list of the initiates:
J. Earl Hogue, '18, Crete.
G. A. Blotz, '17, Albion.
E. B. Catterson, '18, Sutton.
Carl C. Dale, '18, Greenwood.
Byran H. French, '18, Page.
Ira W. Hepperly, '18, Norfolk.
Emil C. Loricks, '17, Madison, So. D.
B. J. Novotny, '18, Clarkson.
Walter P. Roberts, '18, O'Neill.
Don W. Spohn, '17, Superior.
Charles C. Vasey, '17, Liberty.
Arthur W. Tell, '18, Dunbar.
Charles E. Kellog, '19, Red Cloud.

BEETHOVEN'S THIRD SYMPHONY PLAYED

Convocation Audience of 400 Enjoys the "Heroic Symphony" Yesterday

Under the direction of Mrs. Carrie B. Raymond, the third Beethoven symphony was given yesterday morning at convocation hour in Memorial hall, before 400 students and others. Mrs. Raymond played the organ; Edward G. Walt, first violin; Ernest Harrison, second violin; William T. Quick, viola; and Mrs. Lillian Eiche, the cello.

The following interpretation, given in part, was written by Prof. W. F. Dann:

This symphony was originally composed in honor of Napoleon Bonaparte, in whom at the time of composition Beethoven thought he saw the great representative of popular rights. Disappointed in the later course of Napoleon, he destroyed the title page, and wrote the simple inscription, "To celebrate the memory of a great man." The composition is generally known as the Heroic Symphony.

It was not the composer's purpose to recount in musical sounds Napoleon's life, nor to present a series of tone-pictures of events in his career. To do the like is beyond the power of musical art, and Beethoven was too sincere an artist to attempt it. It was enough that the music in the nobility and beauty of its appeal should suggest the high and noble character of his hero. This Beethoven has done with incomparable skill and feeling. Intellectual mastery exhibited in the unfolding of the themes, moving pathos, kindly humor, a sense of inner strength and high purpose are all perceivable here, and it is these qualities that make the symphony a worthy analogue of a truly great character.

PREPARE TO MAKE MEAL OF JAYHAWK

DEBATERS WOULD REVENGE DEFEAT OF FOOTBALL TEAM

Fogg Is Coaching Men—Debaters Have a Remarkable Record of Victories

The disposition of the Kansas Jayhawk to puff up his chest, flap his wings, and blow at the slightest provocation will be dealt a sledgehammer blow in the annual Kansas-Nebraska debate, to be argued simultaneously at Lawrence and at Lincoln Wednesday evening, December 13, in the opinion of Nebraskans.

Kansas won a football game from Nebraska this fall, the first one in seven years, and so giddy did she become with the glory of it that the Missouri Tigers, waiting for the Jayhawk bird to approach its lair, devoured the pompous creature with more gusto than the bird itself had shown in picking corn. But the joy of victory over Nebraska belongs to the Jayhawk, and with the football season past, he is looking for another husking bee in the annual debate.

Revenge is Sweet

But revenge is sweet, and revenge for the Kansas defeat upon the football field cannot come too soon to Nebraska. Her record of victories over Kansas in debate overshadows even the remarkable record of successive victories on the gridiron. A glance at the official record of intercollegiate debate reveals the fact that not once, within the ken of the present University generation, has Kansas won a decision from Nebraska upon the rostrum. It is said, however, that once in the dim past, before official records were kept Kansas did humble Nebraska.

Reasoning logically, the Kansans believe that the breathing spell they have enjoyed since their last victory in debate is sufficient, just as it was in football, and they are determined to make a clean sweep over Nebraska in 1916.

Huskies Work Hard

Nebraska, although handicapped by the fact that on both its teams there are only two old men, is working hard under the direction of Prof. M. M. Fogg, official debating coach, who has made a remarkable record since he took charge of this activity, and the men are confident that Kansas will meet defeat, thus keeping Nebraska's debate slate clean, even though the Jayhawk did mar the football record.

Interest in the Lincoln debate is at high pitch, due to both the desire for honorable revenge and the timeliness of the question to be argued—whether submarine warfare on neutral vessels is incompatible with the laws of nations. A large out-of-town attendance is expected; delegations from high schools in the Nebraska high school debating league have ordered block reservations. Word was received yesterday that the Nelson high school, from the southern part of the state, would send a delegation.

Tickets, which have been placed on sale at Porter's and the College Book store, are selling at a good rate, according to the business management. All seats on the main floor and the first two rows in the balcony are selling at 50 cents, with the rest of the seats at 35 cents.

PAUL A. REICHEL, STUDENT VOLUNTEER SECRETARY, IS COMING

Paul A. Reichel, of New York city, secretary of the Student Volunteer movement, will be in the city December 10 and 11. All who wish to have a personal conference with Mr. Reichel are asked to see Mr. Harper in the registrar's office.

Homer Rush, '15, will attend a house party in Omaha this week end.