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The response of the University to the call of the nation has not been more a matter of action than it has been of attitude, of complete willingness to do whatever is deemed best to be done, and to do it cheerfully and with all one's power.

The withdrawal of seven hundred students from school is a reflection of the patriotic feeling that is felt in the breasts of all of the students. Fully realizing that some have left simply as a means of getting credit hours, it must not be forgotten that they are taking up men's work for a cause that requires men.

The students and the faculties of the foreign universities have been the leaders in the fight for their countires in the war. The students and the faculties of the American universities have proved no less quick to seize the opportunity for service. No group understands so clearly the necessity for action, and it is not surprising that the response should be so immediate.

A scene was enacted at one of the fraternity houses the other night that doubtless has had its counterpart in every fraternity and boarding house of students. After the evening meal the fraternity songs were started. These changed into the University songs, and then, without a word being spoken, but because of a common feeling of that which was nearest their hearts, the men stood up and sang "America" and "The Star Spangled Banner," with eyes bright, and faces serious but not sad.

Every man and every woman of Nebraska is ready to do work. A selective draft for both sexes could not but fail to meet with the co-operation that means success.

FORUM

The Forum

the right to close the Forum to canism." those letters that "smacked of unterms.

triotism," and of "un-Americanism" is. We know of one letter, written to the Forum not long ago, defending the principle of free speech. That To the Editor of The Daily Ne letter was not printed. We are again braskan: In closing the Forum, the constrained to ask whether such a editor of The Nebraskan did two letter would come under his definition things: (1) He assumed that he had of unpatriotism" and of "un-Ameri-The editor seems to have the idea

obliged to ask just what the editor's

definition of "smacking of unpa-

patriotism and un-Americanism." (2) that all who do not agree with him He set himself up as the judge of have a grudge against him. The what should be included under those kaiser has the same idea. Yours truly.

UNIVERSITY NOTICES

THE DAILY NEBRASKAN

Nebraskan Staff

Applicationss for election to the following positions on The Daily Nebraskan for the first semester of the school year 1917 18, will be received at the student activities office until 5 p. m. May 17, 1917:

Editor-in-chief, managing editor, woman associate, man associate, business manager and assistant business board

Farmers' Fair Banquet

1917, is as follows: Total receipts, where." \$167.50; total expenditures, Lincoln Commercial club, \$140; printing, The men who are coming here will \$13.50; decorations, \$13.50; door- enjoy the heauties of nature and they keeper, \$1; total, \$168; deficit, 50 will enjoy rigors and hardshipscents, to be taken up by Ag. club. after they become accustomed to this Audited May 2, 1917. Signed, G. W. training life. Blotz, chairman T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

Engineers' Banquet

Financial statement of the engi- summer. neers' banquet which was held at the Uncle Sam is taking these men Lincoln hotel Saturday evening, April back to nature to care for them in 28, 1917, is as follows: Total receipts, the big outdoors. He will not permit \$126.25; total expenditures, Lincoln anybody to waste the bright hours of hotel, \$102; cigars and incidental ex- the morning in bed. Early rising penses, \$8.94; printing, \$8.75; door will be not an innovation but a regkeeper, \$1.00; total, \$120.69; profit, ular fixture in this camp as in most \$5.56, to go to the society. Audited military camps, May 1, 1917. The complimentary list There is a hum and a stir at the was as follows: L. B. Weaver, R. E. fort; in a few days the men who are Campbell, F. A. Wirt, Captain Parker, to do much in winning this war F. T. Darrow, C. E. Glasser. Signed against Germany are coming to this E. M. Kadlecek, chairman, T. A. Wil- garden spot to learn how to do it. liams, agent student activities.

Vaudeville Hop

Financial statement of the vaudeville hop which was held at the Rosewilde party house Friday evening, April 27, 1917, is as follows: Total expenditures, rental hall, \$25; refreshments, \$21; music, \$29; printing, brought out was that there was a \$13.55; doorkeeper. \$1.50; total, \$90.05; total receipts, \$138.75; profit, \$48.70. to go to G. K. Kirsch. Audited April 28, 1917. The complimentary list was as follows: G. H. Kirsch, W. B. Jefrey, J. L. Giffin, Byron Hunter, Miss Gertrude Munger, Orris J. Pothost, Will Garrison, Earl Moffet, Chas. S. Keves, Fred Buerstetta, John G. Rathbun, Ralph O, Lahr, E. D, Starboard, H. H. Kirsch, Signed G. K. Kirsch, chairman. T. A. Williams, agent student activities.

VARSITY TRACKSTERS

since the appearance of the older publications, the Seminar has resumed the publication of reports. These reports are published locally, and without expense to the University or the state. The seminar publications have at-

tracted favorable attention of many botanists. PREPARE POST FOR

COMING RECRUITS

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manager. Application blanks can be Waters at this point. There are two secured from the secretary. T. A. bridges, lithe and majestic, spanning Williams, secretary student publication the stream at the fort. It is the clear cut splendor of the cliffs, which extend for miles south down the valley, intermingled with the green won-Financial statement of the Farmers' der of the rugged hills, that -ake fair banquet which was held at the the people of this part of M ... ota Lincoln Commercial club April 13, say: "You cannot match this any

What Recruits Will Find

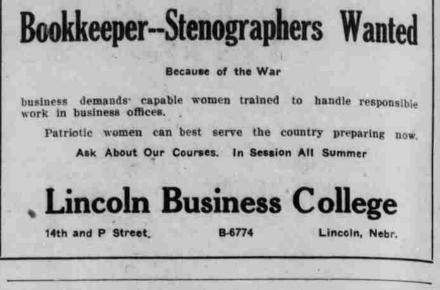
No officers could be more courteous than the army veterans who are to direct the training of the hundreds of young men at Fort Snelling this

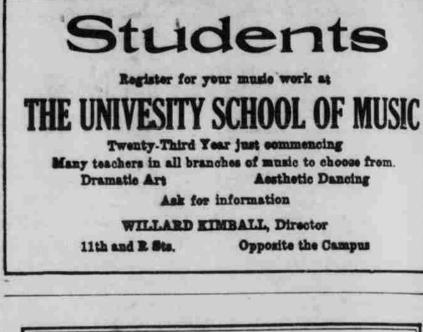
Girls Best Spellers

At a recent test held at the University of lowa, five hundred firstyear student were given fifty hard words to spell. The girls made an average of twenty-one errors; the men thirty-two. An important fact close relationship between mental ability and ability to spell.-Ex.

The People's Home Library has been adopted as the official report of the International Aid Association which has 250,000 members. The object of this association is to lower the death rate and teach economy. The association believed the distribution of P. H. L. will aid in accomplishing these objects.

Daily average of agents in the field this season is over \$13. A banner







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To both of these points we cannot agree. In regard to the first: The Forum is based on the principle of free and open discussion of all public questions. It is a means for any student to express his opinion on a public matter. It is not one sided or restricted. Its one great characteristic is its accessibility to all. It does not represent the opinion or policy of the regents, of the chancellor, or of the editor. It belongs to the student body, and every student has the right to use it freely. The editor has nothing to do with what is written in it; it is his business to print what the students write. If there is any criticism, it falls upon the students who write the articles. It is the only part of the paper that distinctly belongs to the students. The editor may run all else in or about the paper in his own way; the Forum is the students' sacred property. In our opinion, when the editor undertok to state what should be put in the Forum and what should not be, he violated the rights of the student body. If such a course is allowed to continue, then the Forum cannot be said to exist; it might as well be included in the editorial column. Now as to the second point. If we

are forced for the present, to yield to the right of the editor to interfere with the Forum, then we are

SAY BOYS

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R T. GERE. For Student Government Omaha, Neb., May 3, 1917 .- To Faculty and Students of the University of Nebraska: The Omaha alumni council of Alpha Sigma Phi, recommend that your faculty and student body of the University of Nebraska adopt student control.

This council is composed of men from universities and colleges from practically every section of the country, and who have witnessed the suc cess of student government.

The situation at Nebraska has been discussed with the students from Nebraska, and the alumni members, and we as a body have decided that the adoption of student government would be of material value, PUBLISH NEW SERIES both to the faculty and student body. In accordance with the plans at universities and colleges, where student matters pertaining to student life.

faculty and students could choose. The fact that no colleges ever remerits of the system.

of Nebraska the university, so why berg, A. F. Woods and F. E. Clemonts, student body.

ALPHA SIGMA PHI

Five Years Ago Today

from Ames by a score of 69 to 45.

880-yard dash-Overman, Grau, 2:04 :3 2 mile-Graf, 9:59. High hurdles-Finney, :16. Low hurdles-Finney, :27:2. Discus-Corey, Gorham, Reese, 117 feet, 10 inches. Shot-put-Shaw, Corey, Reese, 37 feet 6 inches. Javelin-Rutherford, Riddell, 135 feet 7 inches.

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Pole vault-Barnes, Gerhart, Nims, Davis, tied at nine feet. Broad jump-Werner, Jones Zumwinkel, 22 feet 4 inches.

OF BOTANICAL SURVEY

The new series No. 1 of "the Bocontrol is in existence, we would tanical Survey of Nebraska," has just suggest that the student be given been published by the botanical semcontrol of all activities in which they inar. The number contains reports of participate, that is athletics, publica- researches by Dr. J. E. Weaver, assotions, forensics, etc. Further, we clate professor of botany, and Albert would suggest that the student board, F. Thiel, a student of botany, on consisting of representatives from phenomena in connection with prairies various classes, and the faculty, have and forests. The publication contains the power of recommendation in all sixty pages, and is illustrated by numerous figures and half-tones. It is a The adoption of student government contribution to our knowledge of plant would be the best thing that the life of the prairies.

"The Botanical Survey of Nebraska" was organized by the Botanical Semgretted or discontinued student con- inar on August 24, 1892. The original trol is the best positive proof of the numbers of the survey were contributed by J. G. Smith, Herbert You want to make the University Marsland, Roscoe Pound, P. A. Ryd-

not adopt a system of control that with the late Professor Bessey as the will bring more loyalty and better botanical advisor. The survey thus co-operation among the faculty and constituted, published eight reports upon the flora of Nebraska. At the OMAHA ALUMNI COUNCIL OF present time, none of the original members of the survey are connected with the University, but with the ac-

cumulation of data and other material Nebraska easily took the track meet Lawrence Bruner, professor of entomology U. of N. The biggest bug



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