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NEBRASKA MEN MAKE RECORD AT SNELLING

CORNHUSKER STUDENTS ARE GRANTED EIGHTY-SEVEN COMMISSIONS AT OFFICERS TRAINING CAMP

LIST INCLUDES FIVE CAPTAINS

Nebraska's record at the Fort Snelling training camp was an excellent one, equal or better than any other college in the country according to the list of appointments which was given out at the close of the camp.

Eighty-seven commissions were granted to Nebraska students, ex-students and alumni. Six of these commissions were for captaincies, twelve for first lieutenantcies and sixty-five for second lieutenantcies.

Captaincies of infantry were awarded to four students and two alumni, H. H. Corey, '17, Lincoln; Carl C. Brown, '18, Papillion; Melvin M. Garrett, '17, Madison; A. L. Burnham, '17, Stanton; Silas M. Bryan, Lincoln, and Howard H. Harley, Lincoln.

Arthur A. Emley, Harrison D. Gayer and George W. Irwin were awarded first lieutenantcies in the infantry service; Charles D. Foster of the cavalry service; Arthur W. Ackerman and Brian O'Brian of the field artillery service. Prof. Philo M. Buck, of the department of rhetoric, was appointed first lieutenant in the statistical section of the adjutant general's department. William F. Joachim and Leroy D. Williams were awarded first lieutenantcies in the ordnance department.

The 65 Cornhuskers awarded second lieutenantcies are:

Infantry

J. Ned Allison
Alfred L. Adams
Carey E. Campbell
Paul G. Flothow
Frank Hixenbaugh
Earl E. Ketcham
Earl E. Schelley
Oakley R. Cox
Robert H. Flansburg
Charles M. Frey
Harry K. Grainger
Robert F. Grant
Edwin O. Hugg
Ben Huntington
Henry C. Harper
H. F. M. Hall

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RUSHING SEASON OPENS WITHOUT RULE ON SOPHOMORES

The postponement of the sophomore pledging rule for fraternities until next year features the rushing season for men and women's Greek letter societies, which officially opens at noon today. Executive Dean C. C. Engberg has announced that the many withdrawals from school last spring and the failure of students to report on their work as required has made it impossible to determine the scholarship averages for the second semester, thus making the application of the rule impracticable.

The rule, which was adopted last spring by the board of regents, will allow only those fraternities whose scholarship is above the general average of all fraternities, to pledge freshmen.

All of the societies had expected the postponement of the ruling because of the unsettled conditions last spring, and had prepared to rush freshmen. Although the "open season" does not start until this noon, fraternity men have been keeping close watch over out-of-town friends slated for registration.

Coach E. J. Stewart, who is starting on his second season at Nebraska, has had a hard row to hoe since coming to Nebraska from the Oregon Agricultural College, last year. Last fall he stepped into the coaching job just after the two greatest football stars Nebraska has ever turned out, had finished their playing years, and this year, owing to the war, he lacks veterans for his team. Although he has unusual new material to work with a coach always feels more secure if he has enough veterans to fill in with, when the new men have a tendency to lose their heads.

Although Dr. Stewart realizes the Cornhuskers have a big task before them, it is but necessary to ask him about one or two of the new men and he will open up and tell of the great things he is expecting of them.

TASKS OF CO-EDS LIGHTENED BY UNI GIRLS' CLUB

Members of the University Girls' club and Y. W. C. A. are meeting all trains and conducting an information bureau at the west entrance of the Armory, to make registration week less tedious and confusing for the women who are entering the University for the first time.

The purpose of the bureau is not so much to give the information concerning work, rooms, and board, as to tell where such information may be secured. The bureau will not itself recommend courses or rooming houses.

About 250 letters were sent to new girls who had sent their credits to the registrar by September first. The letters, signed by Edith Youngblut, '18, president of the Girls' club, and Valentine Minford, '18, president of the Y. W. C. A., invited the co-eds to use the Y. W. C. A. for help and welcomed them to the activities of University girls.

CAPT. E. L. GRISSEL CADET COMMANDANT

MILITARY PROGRAM NOT AN-

CAPTAIN PARKER NOW MAJOR

Captain Elbert L. Grissel, a retired army officer stationed at San Francisco, is to have charge of the University military department this year. Captain Grissel has not yet arrived in Lincoln but a telegram was sent to the adjutant general's office last week by Chancellor Avery requesting that he be transferred here at once to take charge of the work as soon as school opened and he is expected within the next few days.

A number of changes will very likely be made in the military courses and supervision but until the new commandant arrives nothing definite can be given out.

It was thought for a time that Major John G. Workizer, U. S. A. retired, who was commandant from 1905 to 1909, would be obtained but it was found impossible to have him stationed here.

Captain Samuel M. Parker, commandant of cadets last year, was promoted to the rank of major and is stationed at Fort Snelling in charge of students in the second officer's training camp. Sargeant William Allen, who was assisting in the commandant's office last year, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant and has left for government service at Hoboken, New Jersey.

UNIVERSITY TELEGRAPHY SCHOOL NOW OPEN

Instruction For Army Service Started Monday

The school of telegraphy which the University installed at the request of the federal government, was opened Monday morning on the fourth floor of the Mechanical Engineering building. The request of the government came after it was found very difficult to secure the required number of Morse and radio operators for the first increment of troops. A number of other educational institutions have established training schools for telegraphers for the United States army.

Three competent instructors have been secured for the school and these will work under the direction of Walter Mahlon Herbert, '17. The room which they occupy will accommodate



DR. E. J. STEWART

REGISTRATION WILL EXCEED ESTIMATE

YEAR'S ENROLLMENT IN FRESHMEN CLASS WILL BE HIGH

UPPER CLASSMEN ARE SCARCE

Registration, starting this morning, will probably be heavier this year than predicted, it appeared from the number of new and old students on the campus yesterday. It is certain, however, that there will be a marked falling off from the figures of previous years.

Senior men were almost a rarity yesterday and junior men were far from numerous. There was no appreciable decrease in the number of senior and junior girls on the campus.

It is expected unofficially that the registration in the sophomore class will be as large as ever, and there are some who predict that the freshmen class will be larger than last year. They base this belief on the fact that the war has brought an increased interest in industrial and commercial instruction. The college of engineering will gain in its freshmen enrollment, it is thought, although it will lose a large percent of its upperclassmen.

The Pre-Medic college also appears to be in line for an increment, brought about by the desperate need for doctors in the army. The college of medicine at Omaha will lose but very few of its men, since President Wilson has decided that all junior and senior medics are exempt from the draft.

Today and tomorrow morning will see the heaviest registration of freshmen with Saturday the next heaviest period, if this year is like former ones. Old students register early, with the big bulk Thursday.

Nearly an hour before the door of the registrar's office was opened yesterday, the line of students awaiting their registration time cards extended across the campus to the library, and in a short time had doubled back again nearly to the administration building. The run was not finished before noon.

NEBRASKAN FREE TO UNIVERSITY SOLDIERS

Believing that Nebraska men actively engaged in the war are just as anxious for news from the campus as their former classmates are for word from them, the management of The Nebraskan will send the paper free of charge to every Cornhusker soldier whose address is known. You can help by sending lists of addresses to The Nebraskan, either mailing them to Station A or telephoning them to the business office, B-2597.

over 100 students and it is hoped that at least that number will soon be enrolled in the course.

The men that are wanted for this service must have no known reasons for being declared physically unfit for service. They must agree to be graduated when their instructors say they are far enough along to go to the government signal corps schools and to apply for enlistment in the signal corps of the United States army when finished.

Application blanks for the course have been prepared and may be obtained from the registrar. Descriptions of the signal corps service, together with pay and the chances of promotion may also be obtained from the registrar.

Instruction in the school will be free to students and the daily program will be such that the students will have spare time for other studies or for outside employment to help pay the expense of board and lodging.

Miss Amy Armstrong, who took her Master of Arts degree in August, has an excellent position as teacher of English in Park City, Utah, just outside of Salt Lake City.

Miss Marguerite McPhee, of the rhetoric department, spent her vacation in Montreal, Canada, with relatives.

Prof. Alice Howell was in Sedro-Wooley, Wash., this summer visiting her sister, Mrs. Kerby. She returned by way of Glacier Park and was very enthusiastic about the scenery there.

Prof. Laura B. Pfeiffer has returned from Ludington, Mich., where she interspersed recreation with research study.

EVENING CLASSES TO BE HELD IN COMMERCE DEPT.

Evening classes in the school of commerce will be held this year in response to numerous requests on the part of business men and others who are unable to attend the day classes. The courses to be given are special sections of the regular courses in commerce hitherto given in the day time only.

A course in business law will be given on Monday and Friday evenings by Mr. Bullock; a business course for women Tuesday evenings by Mrs. England and a course in marketing on Thursday evenings by Mr. Cole.

University credit will be given to all regular matriculated students. Other students who complete the work in a satisfactory manner will receive special certificates entitling them to University credit if they should matriculate at a later date. Students will be registered in University hall 102 during the week beginning Monday, Sept. 17 at the scheduled time in Room 102, University hall, beginning Monday.

FEW CHANGES IN FACULTY ROSTER

Six Instructors Are Absent in War Service

MINOR APPOINTMENTS MADE

Few changes were made in the faculty roster by the board of regents at their last regular meeting and nearly all of the professors will be in their regular places when classes begin Monday.

Professors C. J. Frankforter, of the department of chemistry, C. W. Taylor, principal of teachers college high school; P. M. Buck, of the department of rhetoric; John W. Calvin, of the department of agricultural chemistry, and Drs. H. H. Eggers and A. A. Johnson, of the medical department, were given leave of absence during the time they are engaged in military service for the federal government.

The board accepted the resignations of Dr. Palmer Findley, of the medical college, and Ben G. Elliott, of the engineering department.

The following appointments were confirmed: Agricultural extension, L. T. Skinner, associate professor, in place of P. L. Gaddis; Noel N. Rhodes, county agricultural agent, of Madison county in place of Arthur G. George; Arthur G. George, instructor (assistant state leader junior extension work), in place of C. W. Watson; C. W. Watson, assistant professor (state leader junior extension work) in place of L. T. Skinner; L. T. Gaddis, associate professor of agronomy in place of H. J. Young; Addie Reynolds, fellow in American history; Leah Bowker, assistant instructor in home economics in Curtis school of agriculture, in place of Esther Bennett; B. H. Thompson, instructor in dairy production; W. B. Nevens, assistant professor of dairy husbandry, in place of E. G. Woodward; Ross Carroll, assistant herdsman in animal husbandry; Oscar E. Edison, instructor in electrical engineering in place of F. C. Holtz; Edna D. Green, clerical assistant in entomology; Charlotte Burgess, superintendent of nurses in medical hospital; Dr. Maurice I. Smith, assistant professor of pharmacology, in place of Dr. J. D. Pilcher; Dr. C. W. Pollard, professor of obstetrics, in place of Dr. Palmer Findley; Blanche Lyman, supervisor of American history and civics in teachers college high school; Walter E. Hager, instructor in physics in the school of agriculture, in place of C. W. Smith; Agnes Gordon, Florence Taylor, instructors in Romance languages and Walter Mahlon Herbert, chief instructor in the telegraphers school.

Miss Elsie Cather, M. A. '15, is teaching English in Albuquerque, New Mexico.



DEAN O. V. P. STOUT

COACH CALLS FIRST FOOTBALL PRACTICE

SHAW, RIDDELL, DOBSON, COOK, RHODES AND OTOUPALIK BACK

FIRST WORKOUT ON SATURDAY

Coach Stewart will call the candidates for the 1918 football team together for the first official workout of the year, next Saturday.

Captain Ed Shaw has had charge of the men for the past two weeks and will have charge of them for the next three days.

When Coach Stewart looks over his charges Saturday, he will look upon one of the smallest, most enthusiastic willing and promising squads of recent years, but it will be a squad composed of but few veterans. Captain Shaw, Ted Riddell, Paul Dobson, Roscoe Rhodes, Hugo O'toupalik and John Cook are the only members of last year's team that will be on hand to greet the coach.

Material Plentiful

However, the lack of veterans will cause the coach no worry on the grounds of needed material. Although the candidates for the most part will lack valuable experience, they do not lack other requirements that go to make football players and teams. In the freshmen squad from last year there is speed, weight and fight enough to make any coach smile, and added to it all is the fierce determination on the part of every man out, to make the team.

Among the last year's freshmen who will bid for places on the team are McMahon, Munn, Schellenberg, Day, Young, L. Shaw, Kellogg and Henry. McMahon and Henry are the two speediest men who have been on the field this year. Schellenberg and Kellogg are not far behind. Day is already being compared with Rutherford in his defensive ability and many were the times last year that a varsity man had a sensation of sudden sickness when "Bill" let him feel the full force of his punishing tackles. Munn, Young and Shaw are expected to make valuable men in places in the middle of the line.

Three Old Men Out

Of the old men, Shaw, Rhodes and Dobson are the only ones that have shown up for practice so far. The other three have been heard from, however, and should be on hand within the next three days. Shaw is in good condition from a summer's work (Continued on page two)

UNIVERSITY Y. M. C. A. HELPS NEW STUDENTS FIND WORK AND ROOMS

New students seeking employment, rooms and board will find the University Y. M. C. A. ready and able to help them in any way possible. A man has been placed in charge of the employment bureau in the lobby of the Temple building to aid all students who desire to earn part of their way through school. The Y. M. C. A. each year makes a canvass of the city for people who wish to hire students and the employment bureau is able to furnish nearly any kind of work to students that they wish to do. Each year this bureau has obtained work for students that have enabled them to earn a large part of their expenses.

A list of practically all the rooming and boarding houses has been obtained, together with the prices and conveniences. All students are invited to take advantage of this service.

Wednesday and Thursday evening there will be stag meetings for all the men of the University. These will be held in the association rooms of the Temple building at 8 p. m. A get-together program is being planned.

Dean O. V. P. Stout, head of the college of engineering, has been commissioned major in the engineers' section of the officers' reserve corps of the United States army. He is expecting a call at any time and has arranged his work so that he can leave as soon as he is called. As yet he does not know what the exact nature of his work will be.

In the event of his call a leave of absence will be granted and the college and departmental work and other University responsibilities will be apportioned among the different members of the faculty.