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REGENTS DEFER ACTION ON VACATION QUESTION

May Have Educational Conference to Discuss Course

CENSUS IS COMPLETED

Shows Only One-Fourth of Students Want Vacation, While One-Half Would Help If Given

No definite action was taken by the board of regents at its meeting last evening toward dismissing the University for the three weeks' period.

It was decided that Chancellor Avery should confer with the state superintendent of public instruction in regard to an educational conference of all state schools to discuss the question. Such a meeting may be held within the next week, and further action by the regents will probably be deferred until that time.

The census taken yesterday reached practically every man on both the farm and city campuses; 1,000 reports were turned in at the office of the executive dean.

Census Results

There are a number of discrepancies in the figures, as some students did not answer all of the questions, but in general they give the desired data. It is shown that 497 students would use the vacation for cornhusking if it were granted, while there are 398 who would not. Students who feel they would be able to be of substantial service as corn huskers number 563, those who do not, 402. Exactly half of the total number have had husking experience.

Student sentiment with regard to the vacation is very clearly shown. Three-fourth of all the men state that they would prefer school to go on as usual and aid be given by the University in helping them make up lost work if they were to miss. The spirit of patriotism is shown by the fact that although only 280 wish for the vacation nearly 500 would use it for cornhusking were it to be given.

Train Telegraphers in New Free Course

A school of telegraphy, to train some of the 25,000 telegraphers needed by the United States army, has just been established by the University of Wisconsin, as a part of its special war work. The course has been undertaken at the request of the signal corps of the army.

Any person, whether regularly enrolled in the university or not, may enter the school of telegraphy and there will be no tuition charge. The training is intended for both wireless and wire operators. Applications should be made to Prof. E. M. Terry, Physics building.

The Western Union Telegraph company is co-operating with the university in supplying an instructor, and apparatus for the course is being furnished by the telegraph company and the signal corps. Classes will be conducted throughout the day and in the evening, to accommodate students who have regular positions, and the work will continue throughout the fall and winter. Women, as well as men, will be admitted, because it is expected that women will replace operators called to war.

Two types of students will be trained: Some will be preparing directly for army service; those who are to be drafted soon will thus have a choice of service when the call comes. Frequent reports on these students will be made and their names will be sent to the signal corps as soon as they have attained a speed of twenty words a minute. Others will enter the course to train themselves so that they may replace commercial operators who are called into army service.

Registration in Music Doubled This Year

The registration in the department of music of the college of fine arts, has more than doubled this year, the total registration being approximately 100. This is the second year of this course in the University.

Seventy-six are registered in the department of theory and harmony, ninety-five in the department of applied music. Students in music are required to pass an examination in the field in which they wish to work before they are allowed to register.

A number of students who applied for entrance were unable to pass the examinations.

Students from this department come not only from parts of Nebraska but also from neighboring states including Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, South Dakota, Colorado, Wyoming.

The class in public school art has more than doubled which has necessitated the engagement of Miss Louise Mundy as assistant.

FORM 18 COMPANIES

Eighteen student military companies, seven of them sophomore and eleven freshmen, have been organized for the compulsory training of men in the two lower classes at the University of Wisconsin this year. All of these men have enrolled in the Reserve Officers' Training corps and will receive their uniforms from the government this year.

COMMERCIAL CLUB WANTS STUDENT PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

Passes Resolutions at Meeting Last Night to Aid in Liberty Bond Sale

The University commercial club at a meeting held last evening at the Lincoln Commercial club rooms passed a resolution to aid the Patriotic league of the faculty in organizing a similar league among the students.

The club also decided to take action in urging the subscription to the new liberty bonds among the students and a committee was appointed to co-operate with Dean O. V. P. Stout in the work. They expect to do every thing in their power to get a large number of bonds taken by students.

The meeting was well attended, a large number of freshmen being present in addition to the old members. Twenty-five life memberships and a number for the semester were taken out.

Professors LeRossignol and Freeman gave short talks. They spoke especially of the relations between the school of commerce and the Commercial club, and emphasized the fact that the two were supplementary.

The Resolution

Following is the resolution passed by the club with regard to the patriotic league:

"We, the undersigned, members of the University of Nebraska Commercial club, desire to express our approval of the proposal to establish a students' division of the Patriotic league of the University of Nebraska, and wish to do all that we can to further the movement."

The chief object of the league is to aid, in every possible way, the winning of the war, and it is hoped that the student organization will be completed within a short time.

Dean Lyman to Give Address.

Dean R. A. Lyman will take a trip to Omaha Sunday where he will address a mass meeting at the Y. M. C. A. His subject will be "A Discussion of the Sex Problem."

Drug Plants to Michigan.

Dean R. A. Lyman has received a request from the college of pharmacy in the University of Michigan to supply them with green and cured drug plants for laboratory study. They would also like to be supplied with seeds for a drug plant garden they expect to establish in the spring.

NINETEEN ELECTED TO GERMAN NATIONAL CLUB

Large Number of Members Fail to Return to School—Hold Special Meeting

Nineteen students were elected to membership in the Deutsche Gesellige Verein at a special meeting of the society held Thursday afternoon in Faculty hall, Temple. The role of the Verein has been greatly reduced this year through the failure of many of its members to return to school. The addition of the new members brings the number up to normal standing. Those elected were: Emil Anderson, C. Baumgartner, Katharine Gies, George Haslam, G. W. Hufsmith, F. W. Jensen, Elsie Johnson, Mabelle Holz, Minnie Lawson, Leo Lionberger, Carl Liebers, Euphemia Marty, Ruth Miller, Gayle Pickell, Elizabeth Rabe, Arthur Schmidt and David Sell.

The honorary members chosen are: Caroline Nielson and Juanita Campbell.

NEW COMMANDANT NOW IN CHARGE OF CADETS

Col. Roberts, Retired, Head of University Military Department Arrived Last Evening

Col. Harris L. Roberts, U. S. infantry, retired, the new University commandant, arrived last evening. It had been planned to have the cadet officers as well as Chancellor Avery and Acting Commandant O. V. P. Stout meet him, but his late arrival made this impossible.

The military department has been without a government commandant since school started, changes in appointments to the position two different times delaying actual government supervision. Dean Stout of the college of engineering, major in the U. S. reserves, has been acting commandant since the beginning of school this fall, but his other duties have made it impossible to spend full time in the military department.

With the arrival of Col. Roberts, it is expected that the work in drill will be carried on with increased vigor. Nebraska can feel very fortunate in securing a man of as high a rank as the new commandant, for never before has an officer of the rank of colonel been in charge of the military work. Colonel Roberts was in active service in the army on the Mexican border, and it was only a few months ago that he was retired.

PHOTOS OF UNIVERSITY TO BE SHOWN AT SYNOD MEETING OF PRESBYTERIANS

Photos of student activities at the University of Nebraska, especially in connection with church and social movements will be exhibited at a meeting of the Nebraska Synod of the Presbyterian church, at Omaha October 17-21.

Dr. Dean R. Leland, Presbyterian student pastor and Dr. L. D. Young, will be the Lincoln representatives at this meeting.

Social Service Work Open to University Girls

The social service committee of the University Y. W. C. A. desires to interest University girls in some field of service here in the city. During the winter there will be clubs and various organizations in connection with either the city centers or night schools, which afford a chance to develop qualities of leadership. Moreover there will be opportunities to do hospital visiting or other work in connection with such organizations as the city charity organized society. If those who desire to do social service will see Miss Drake, she will be glad to furnish further information.

Iowa Students to Get Report of Game By Wire

Arrangements are now under way to report the Iowa-Nebraska game play by play for the benefit of the students of the university at the natural science auditorium Saturday afternoon. Such was the report given yesterday by Homer G. Roland, assistant manager of athletics, at Iowa University.

"If present plans mature," said Roland, "we will engage a special wire from Nebraska field, and the game will be given to the students in detail within a few minutes after the plays actually take place."

A mimic football field will be provided and a miniature pigskin will follow the movements of the Hawkeyes out at Lincoln. Reports will probably begin coming in about 2:30.

If sufficient interest is shown by the students, special service will be provided for the remaining big games on the schedule, Wisconsin and Northwestern.—Daily Iowan.

Student Honor Roll Numbers Almost 2,500

Almost 2,500 University of Wisconsin students were engaged in some form of emergency war service during the past summer. This number includes 448 who were released from their university work during the last semester to engage throughout the summer in agriculture or industry related to the war. 351 who are recorded as having entered the army or navy, and 1,650 who answered the university's call of May 3 to enter emergency work during the summer

vacation and returned regular reports on the employment.

The number of those in military service will probably be greatly swelled when the record of those who enlisted or were drafted during the latter part of the summer is complete. Of the 284 men who took the university's intensive military course for officers last spring, the majority are now in the army camps or have received commissions.

Check Room for Bessey Hall.—A petition asking for the installation of lockers or a check room in Bessey hall has been signed by nearly all students taking courses in that building. As wraps are not allowed in the laboratories students have been experiencing some difficulty in finding a suitable place for them. The petition will be sent to the Superintendent of buildings.

STUDENTS PLEDGE SUPPORT TO CORNHUSKERS AT RALLY

Successful Convocation Unites Rooters and Team for Season of Strenuous Work

One the most enthusiastic Convocations ever attended by Nebraska students was held in Memorial hall Thursday at 11 o'clock.

The room was filled with fans who came to pledge their support to the Huskers through one of the biggest seasons ever scheduled for a Nebraska eleven. It was a real rally. There were no evidences of rowdiness. The students were all united for the support of the team.

The laws as usual started the excitement from their upper south side seats and the remaining students immediately took up the spirit.

The band opened the program with spirited numbers. Following these Chancellor Avery was introduced as the speaker. In a short talk he showed why the students should stand back of the team. He showed how football had advanced from the rank of a necessary evil to that of a very urgent necessity. These assertions were based upon the chancellor's own observations at Fort Snelling where, he stated, it could be seen how athletic training had given to the young men there, the tenacity, the nerve and the fight that are the essential elements in the power to command.

Stewart Tells of Prospects

After the chancellor, Coach E. J. Stewart was called upon to tell of the chances this year. Coach Stewart is always straight with his opinion to the students and did not hesitate to tell them that we might lose by over-confidence; but if the team in the bleachers will enter the season as whole heartedly as the team on the field he feels assured that Nebraska will come out on top. He reminded the students of the greater possibilities of dropping a game or so this year, compared with former years, but emphasized the fact that it was more honorable to lose one battle with Syracuse after doing the best, than to conquer the Coyotes in a dozen games with Saturday's score.

No Individual Stars

Dr. Stewart stated that this year's team would have no individual star but that what was done the "team" would do—and do it for Nebraska. He assured those present that they were supporting a team of worthy calibre, a team that had entered upon a season of work with a solemn pledge to do everything on the field and about the campus that would be creditable to the school which they represented.

Prof. R. D. Scott gave the rooters the customary "pep" injection with a reference or two to how they did it at Kansas. This was followed by a talk by Captain Shaw. Shaw brought home the fact that Iowa was true to her slogan "Iowa Fights" and added that the Hawkeyes never left the field after a conflict with the Huskers, without a pretty stable impression that "Nebraska Fights," too.

"Rootin' and Fussin'"

Oliver Frank, assistant coach, who has been called from the gridiron to report to the army, gave in a few words his idea of student spirit and student support—remarkably incidentally that "Rootin' and Fussin'" won't go together.

The last speaker was C. C. Quiggle, a University alumnus who has been back of the team ever since he came to Lincoln a number of years

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HAWKEYES AND HUSKERS PRIMED FOR BATTLE

First of Nebraska's Big Games Staged Tomorrow

IOWA'S BIG CONTEST

All of First String Men Except Riddell Will Probably Be Able to Enter for a Time

Contrary to all customs Coach Stewart did not allow his warriors to scrimmage last evening and as a result they will go into the Iowa game with only two light scrimmage practices to prime them for the battle. It was not because the coach thinks he has the game already won, but because he refused to run the risk of having any more of the men put on the hospital list.

The coach is depending on an increased physical fitness of all the men to make up for what will be lost by not having the chance to perfect defenses for Iowa's plays in scrimmages with the freshmen. The men are in such a condition now that a few minor jolts would do a great deal of damage, while with a rest until Saturday all the old injuries will have had time to heal and the men will be able to go into the game in fairly good condition.

Iowa's Big Game

Over at Iowa they are regarding the Nebraska game as one of the three big games of the season and Coach Jones is putting forth every effort to make his team as strong as possible for the game Saturday. The weaknesses in the Iowa eleven last week were noticed mainly in the line. Many shifts have been made this week and it is probable that an entirely different looking team will face the Cornhuskers than met Cornell.

The Probable Line-Up

Following are the probable line-ups of the two elevens as they will appear on the field Saturday.

Nebraska	Iowa
Teter, Rhodes	Reed
Munn, DuTeau	Jewell
Kositzky	Kelley
Day, DuTeau	Block
Wilder	Hunzelman
Shaw (c)	Greengood
Hubka	Bend'r, Ham'ton
Schellenberg	Nugent
McMahon, Cook	Davis (c)
Dobson	Von Lackum
Kello'g, Oto'pa'k'rf-qb	Jenkins

Miss Mable A. Dayton, '04, after a year of post-graduate work in the University of California has entered on post-graduate work in the University of Nebraska.

Collects Set of Fossils in Colorado

Miss Carrie A. Barbour spent some time at Florissant, Colo., this summer, collecting a remarkable set of fossil leaves and insects. These delicate impressions are due to a peculiar process. The region in which they are found was once a large lake, many miles in extent. On this lake successive falls of volcanic ash were washed shoreward burying the little creatures of the beach and with them the drifted leaves of adjacent trees. As the years went by the impressions were left in the soft material, becoming more permanent as time passed on. Of the insect life of that time, there remain the imprints of bees, saw-flies, ants, wasps, beetles and spiders. The leaves represent, amongst others, those of the beech, elm, sweet gale, soap berry or wild china tree, and poplar. They are all from that period known to geologists as the Miocene. Not far from this lake is a petrified forest where immense trees are now being dug out. One giant tree measures fifty feet in length.

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.