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SEND DELEGATES TO STATE CONFERENCE

100 University Students to Attend Volunteer Assembly at Crete

MOVEMENT IS NATION-WIDE

Modeled After Northfield Meeting—Fraternity Houses Visited by Prominent Business Men

At least fifty men and fifty women of the University will go to Crete Friday and Saturday of this week to attend the State Student Volunteer conference, held there February 15th to 17th, Friday to Sunday. The delegates will represent every organization and interest on the campus. This meeting will be a continuation of the National Student Volunteer conference held in January at Northfield, Mass. Its work will be to lay out and supervise all the religious work of the colleges and universities of the state for the following year. According to its promoters, it is even more—it is a campaign intended to enlist thousands of college students in a program of deep and serious thinking on the really big facts of life, touching particularly on questions connected with the war. It is not a local movement, but it is being inaugurated in every state in the country, and along practically the same ideas. It is being pushed forward by men of national reputation as workers in this field. The slogan of the concerted campaign is "North American Students Mobilizing for Christian World Democracy," and it is probably the most gigantic and extensive program ever planned for the student world.

Speakers Go to Fraternities

The meeting at Crete will be attended by about 300 students and faculty members from Nebraska schools. Just as men of national reputation are conducting the general campaign, men of prominence throughout the state are forwarding the plans for the Crete assembly. The first step taken in Lincoln was made Tuesday and Wednesday nights, when prominent business men dined at most of the fraternity houses and made brief addresses on the necessity of college men acquainting themselves more thoroughly with the fundamental principles at the bottom of the world war, and with the moral and social issues involved, as well as the political ones. So far as possible, the men were alumni of the chapters they visited. Following is the list of the speakers at the fraternity houses: Alpha Sigma Phi, A. S. Dougall, W. A. Luke; Alpha Tau Omega, Guy E. Reed; Alpha Theta Chi, Arthur Hillner, George L. Towne; Beta Theta Pi, Judge Ralph Wilson, John Roseborough; Delta Tau Delta, John Ridgell, Judge E. J. Hainer, Dr. E. B. Finney; Delta Upsilon, Eugene Holland, E. J. Sias; Phi Delta Theta, Dr. Pillsbury; Phi Gamma Delta, W. A. Seleck; Phi Kappa Psi, H. G. Hough, A. L. Haecker; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, T. (Continued on page two)

CADETS DRILLED IN BATTALION FORMATION

Expect to Hold Parade Later in Season—To Introduce Company Buglers

Battalion drill is this year becoming a prominent feature in the work of the University cadets. Wednesday evening during drill hour the various companies were formed into their respective battalions, and while at attention the cablegram from Colonel Yates, former University commandant, was read.

Soon after Colonel Roberts took charge of the military work at the University, he had the cadets drill in battalion formation one evening. Wednesday was the first of a series of battalion drills, and later in the season it is expected that parades will be held.

Another new feature being introduced by Colonel Roberts is company buglers. Heretofore the various companies have been assembled and dismissed by one bugler, but after practice of two weeks or so, it is expected to have each company have its own bugler.

MID-WINTER GRADUATES ASKED TO REGISTER

Members of the mid-winter graduating class are asked to leave their names and addresses with the alumni secretary in her office in the basement of the Administration building. Permanent University records are kept at alumni headquarters, and all graduates are asked to do their part in keeping these records as complete as possible.

ASKS HELP WITH UNIVERSITY HONOR ROLL

The University honor roll, permanent records of which are being kept at alumni headquarters, is constantly growing. Students who know of any changes of addresses among their soldier friends should report these to headquarters. The January issue of the Alumni Journal contained over 1,000 names. Over a hundred names have come in since. The additional list will be published in the April issue.

Ostry Enters War Service

Principal J. M. Ostry of the Bruno schools, who is a former student of this University, has given up his school work in order to enter military service. He enlisted recently in the aviation corps but will be here for several weeks studying French and telegraphy, until he is called.

Miss Vance to Washington

Miss Julia Vance, acting head of the home economics department, leaves Saturday for Washington, D. C., to attend a meeting of the home economics food administration directors. This convention will last the whole week.

Attends Extension Meeting

Miss Mary Ellen Brown of the extension department, left Wednesday for Washington, D. C., to be present at the junior extension service meetings. C. W. Watson, also of the extension department will attend these meetings.

Junior Debate Tryouts

Tryouts for Junior class debating teams will be held in Law 101 today at 5 o'clock.

To the Women in the Graduating Classes of the College and Universities:

The United States Food Administration calls you to its service. Our need is so great that we appeal to you to prepare yourselves as best you can, and to enlist for the great work that must be done.

There will be diversity of asks and therefore diversity of talent and training can be used. All our questions now center in food; its production, its distribution, its use, its conservation. The more you know about these things the more valuable you will be, and the greater will be your service to humanity.

If you have not already done so, we urge you to pursue studies dealing especially with food, but these should be reinforced by courses in chemistry, physiology and economics. It will be well, too, if you have acquired the arts of public presentation of your knowledge to the people who so much need it.

Fortunately most of our educational institutions now offer courses which give the necessary training for this work, but to the others an appeal is being sent to provide such instruction wherever it is possible.

More detailed suggestions and directions will be published soon. Today your country asks you to resolve to do what you can in this hour of extreme peril to the democratic people of the world.

Faithfully yours,
HERBERT HOOVER.

BIG SISTERS TO GIVE PARTY FOR FRESHMEN

Will Entertain Protegees in Temple Saturday Afternoon from 2 to 6

A senior-freshman girls' party will be given by Dean Amanda Heppner at the Temple Saturday, February 15, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock. There will be a program in the early part of the afternoon. Games and dancing will follow the program. Refreshments will be served.

All senior and freshmen girls are cordially invited. Admission will be free.

CORNHUSKERS OUT TO LICK JAYHAWKERS

Result of Two Games With Kansas Will Mean Much

TEAM WILL DO ITS SHARE

Promises to Fight to the Finish—Puts it Up to Student Body for Support

The two basketball games of the entire schedule that mean the most to the student body and team and coaches will be played Friday and Saturday nights of this week, when the classic rivals of Nebraska, the Kansas Jayhawks, will invade the Cornhusker camp for their annual mix. Beyond the fact that Nebraska must beat Kansas simply because it is Kansas, the standing of the two teams in the Missouri valley championship race will be largely decided by the outcome of these two games. Therefore, it is expected that both nights will see the gym in the Armory packed to the doors with enthusiastic, loyal Cornhuskers.

While the dope on the outcome of the games is indefinite, and fluctuating, it is not altogether unfavorable to the Nebraskans. Kansas has beaten Washington university badly in two games this week. Washington beat Nebraska badly last week. But there seems to have been something wrong with the Kansas-Washington games, for these who have been watching the conference race closely declare that Kansas has been showing form that would place it below Washington by a considerable margin. Washington beat Nebraska by much greater margin than Missouri did. On the other hand, Missouri beat Kansas two games on the Kansas floor. Kansas has either shown a complete reversal of form, or Washington took a bad slump, or Missouri was in good form when it beat Kansas, or was playing loose when it defeated Nebraska. Or maybe Nebraska did not play consistently on its trip to Washington and Missouri. Each fan has his pet theory of the situation, and is absolutely certain that he has it all doped out right.

Team Has Lots of Fight

But fans do agree on one point—Nebraska is going to beat Kansas if it is within the range of human possibility for them to do so. So far as the team itself is concerned, the Scarlet and Cream are under a slight handicap. Nearly every player is crippled in some way or another, from the results of last week's games, and the strenuous practices that have been held. And the team's lack of experience is still strongly in evidence. A fair offense has been worked up this week, and the defense strengthened until few attacks can penetrate it. However, the chief asset of the team is its fighting spirit; and by the way, Nebraska's fight and pep this season is fast becoming the talk of the valley. The Missouri coach told Coach Stewart that never in his career had he sent a team on the floor against (Continued on page two)

FOUR ATHLETIC CAPTAINS TO BE CHOSEN TONIGHT

Board Will Select Leaders in Basketball, Track, Wrestling and Baseball

Four varsity athletic captains will be elected by the athletic board Thursday evening. Basketball, track, wrestling and baseball will be the sports for which leaders will be selected.

Cable Jackson who has been selected by the members of the basketball team as their leader will probably be chosen by the board for that office. It is not known who will be selected for the other three places. A meeting of all letter men in track will be held shortly before the board meeting at which time a man will be recommended to the board as suitable to lead the cinder-path athletes this spring.

Among the wrestlers there is not a veteran and the captain will have to be selected from among the new men of this year. There will probably be an election by the members of the team that went to Ames last week.

Three of these vacant places were (Continued to Page Four)

MUST HAVE PHOTOS TAKEN BY SATURDAY

Cornhusker Management Issues Last Call for Pictures

WANT ALL REPRESENTED

Publication Board Requires Full Amount to Be Paid Before Prints Are Sent to Engraver

The time has come when it must be demanded that the Cornhusker pictures be gotten in at once. Because of the unsettled condition of school the time has been extended until Saturday of this week but this will be the final date for any pictures to be taken.

There are a few junior and senior pictures still to be taken. The management realizes that these persons are desirous of having their pictures in the book, but that they have simply neglected to get them taken. Special arrangements have been made whereby all who have not had their pictures taken can do so at Townsend's studio on South Eleventh street sometime before Saturday of this week.

All organization pictures should also be attended to before Saturday. A deposit is required of all organizations at the time that the picture is taken. It is for the good of the organizations that their pictures should appear in the Cornhusker as this book is in a great degree a representation of what the organization is doing.

Deposits Must Be Made

Many students have had their pictures taken but have failed to make the required deposits. It is required by the student publication board that the full amount be paid before the pictures can be sent in to the engravers. Since it is necessary that any one section of the book should be complete before it can be sent to the engravers, it is found that there are a few students or organizations that are holding up particular sections of the book. At this time of adverse conditions it is particularly desired that the students do everything in their power to help in gathering the material for the Cornhusker.

It is probable that if the war is still in progress next year an annual book will not be attempted. Also there are numerous persons in school who will never return from their trench life. For these reasons it is probable that the junior pictures will never again appear in an annual book. For the added reason that many will never return, all students should make an earnest effort to have their pictures appear. Even if they are not particular about having their pictures in the book, their friends will be anxious to have this book as a memorial of the friends and associations of their school life.

Albert Freitag, '13, who has been stationed at Camp Grant, Ill., has recently been transferred to the Third Officers' Training camp.

Major C. B. Robbins, '98, adjutant of the 67th Brigade, has been appointed commander of the Second Officers' school, Camp Cody.

Edward C. Johnston, '09, who has been located at Little Rock, Ark., as manager of the Western Newspaper Union, has been transferred to the office at New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Deming are living in Lincoln until the former, who is attending the University, leaves for war service. His folks will move from Fairmont to a 1,540-acre ranch located 60 miles southeast of Denver in Elbert county, Colorado, where they will do farming and raise stock.

HONORARY SOCIETIES POSTPONE MEETING

Dr. Milliken Unable to Address Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi

The combined annual meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi societies has been indefinitely postponed. Dr. R. A. Milliken, who was to address the meeting, is unable to leave his work with the National Council of Defense. It has not been decided whether another speaker will be secured or whether Dr. Milliken will give the address at a later date.

MID-WINTER GRADS WILL GET DEGREES

Fifty-Two Students Recommended for Graduation Friday

FIVE BELOW LAST YEAR

Prof. J. E. LeRossignol Will Give the Address—Acting-Chancellor W. G. Hastings to Confer Degrees

Fifty-two students, according to the faculty recommendations to the chancellor and board of regents, will receive degrees at the annual mid-winter commencement to be held in the Temple theatre tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. This is only five less than the degrees conferred at the same time last year. The arts and science college furnishes twenty-four of this number.

Prof. J. E. LeRossignol, head of the school of commerce, will deliver the address. He has chosen for his subject, "Canada and the World War."

Acting-Chancellor William G. Hastings will confer the degrees and in the absence of Governor Keith Neville, Adjutant General H. E. Clapp will give the military commissions. Dr. W. W. Bolt of Plymouth Congregational church will be the chaplain.

The board of regents will meet tomorrow morning to act upon the recommendations.

Following is the list of graduates recommended:

GRADUATE COLLEGE

Master of Arts

Byers, Earl Alexander, A.B. 1916, Midland College, Germanics.
Stoner, Walter Wells, A.B. 1893, Otterbein University, Educational, Theory and Practice.

Vose, Leonard Owen, B.Sc. 1917, University of Nebraska, agricultural chemistry, bacteriology.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Bachelor of Arts

Beachy, Fern Lydia
Beardslee, Elbert
Conner, Paul
Fisher, Elsie
Franklin, N. Victor
Fudge, Elizabeth May
Henninger, Ruth
Horsfall, Alice
Kenner, James Rupert
Kirsch, Hollis Harlan
Murphy, Bradford James
Orr, Fred Loper
Palmer, Lawrence Alfred
Rice, Adolph Lemuel
Sands, Robert Lyman
Sheidon, Ruth
Shores, Ward Adrian
Wells, Frederick Nichols

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Buerstetta, Blanche

Bachelor of Science

Dally, Claude Franklin
Dungan, Edmund Dale
Kimball, Kent K.
Physical Education Certificate
Sheldon, Ruth

Certificate of the School of Commerce
Kirsch, Hollis Harlan

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

Bachelor of Science in Agriculture
Dale, Carl Core
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AWGWAN GIVEN BOOST IN JUDGE COLUMN

Nebraska Humorous Monthly Ranked With Harvard Lampoon and Princeton Tiger

The Nebraska "Awwgan," the Harvard "Lampoon" and the Princeton "Tiger" make up the page—"With the College Wits"—in the February Judge. This is quite a plume in little boy Awwgan's hatband for the "Lampoon" and the "Tiger" are known throughout the United States as the leading college humorous publications. Since Princeton and Harvard draw the best men from many states and Nebraska as only a middle-west state university has only the students of practically one state as contributors, it makes the honor even greater.

Starting at the top of the page with the familiar face, figure and pipe of Chief Awwgan, continuing through five new and "hot" jokes and ending with a picture by Dwight Kirsch—"An Old Fashioned Circular Starecase"—Awwgan takes up a column in the middle of the page flanked by his two artistic eastern rivals.