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ENGINEERS' NIGHT TO GO ON RECORD

Everything in Readiness for Largest Celebration in History of School.

Members of State Legislature to Attend—Program Starts at Eight O'clock

All activities of the college of engineering at the University of Nebraska will be displayed tonight when the engineers hold open house for university students and the public. Each department has a full exhibit and everything from ice-making to electric welding will be explained in detail by the corps of assisting student engineers.

Engineers' night has been in former years one of the main events of the year for the engineering college. Formerly it came as a climax to Engineers' Week, a feature which has been omitted this year.

Legislators to Attend
The members of the senate and house of representatives of the Nebraska state legislature have been invited to attend engineers' night, Tuesday evening, April 1st. The program will last from eight p. m. till ten o'clock. Following is a partial list of the exhibits:

Department of Applied Mechanics—At the materials testing laboratory in Mechanics Arts Hall. Tests of concrete for road building. Tests of steel, wood and other materials of construction.

Department of Agricultural Engineering—At the automotive laboratory, in Mechanical Engineering Building. Tractors.

Department of Mechanical Engineering—At the various laboratories in the Mechanical Engineering Building. Operation of steam and hydraulic machinery. Gas and oil engines. Ice-making. Foundry work (will pour at about 8:30 p. m.) Forging and steam-hammer. Wood-turning.

Department of Electrical Engineering—At the electrical engineering laboratory. Farm lighting plant. Lighting exhibit. Wireless apparatus, telephones, switchboards. Electrical accessories and appliances for the home. Electric welding.

Department of Civil Engineering—At Mechanics Arts Hall. Instruments; model structures; photographs of work of graduates.

A very large crowd is expected, as much enthusiasm has been manifested on the part of the students.

AG CLUB INITIATION TO BE HELD TONIGHT

The Ag Club initiation will be held at the stock judging pavilion on the farm campus, this evening at eight o'clock.

A Scotch high ball will be the feature of the initiation program. All Ag men are urged to be out.

TAKE R. O. T. C. PICTURE FOR CORNHUSKER ANNUAL

Friday evening at the five o'clock drill hour the members of the R. O. T. C. unit were shown motion pictures at the Temple depicting the proper use of the bayonet and the handling of infantry equipment. These films were very instructive and interesting and clearly pictured bayonet fighting as it should be done, and the proper way to care and carry the new American pack. The pictures showing the wielding of the bayonet were run slowly in order that each motion of the men could be analyzed. These films were taken at Fort Sill, Okla.

Monday evening members of the Cornhusker staff took photographs of the men chosen for the "Pershing Rifles" as well as those of the other R. O. T. C. companies.

Seen from Bessey Hall



Students of the university attending classes at Bessey Hall see this familiar sight every day. The monotony of such buildings on the campus tend to produce ill sentiment for the institution.

Every student welcomes the suggestion of an immediate removal of these buildings. Such a movement in favor of a campus beautiful will be a boon to a greater University of Nebraska.

GIRLS' EDITION

Tuesday's issue of the Daily Nebraskan will be the annual Girls' Edition. The girls on the staff of the Daily Nebraskan will have complete charge of the paper, writing the stories, editing the copy, writing headlines, reading proof and "putting the paper to bed."

REV. SMITH CHOSEN FOR BACCALAUREATE SERMON

Omaha Pastor Invited to Give Sermon for University Graduates.

Dr. Frank G. Smith, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Omaha, will deliver the Baccalaureate address Sunday, May 25, in Memorial Hall. Dr. Smith is well-known in Nebraska. He first began by studying law in Kansas City, but later turned to the ministry and was pastor of a church in Chicago. From Chicago he went to Kansas City, where he spent eight years.

The usual number of students will be graduated this spring from the University of Nebraska. There will be between 350 and 400 to receive their degrees. The majority of the graduates will be girls.

The classes will hold their annual reunions Friday and Saturday. Most of the Alumni have made arrangements already for their meetings and entertainment. The graduation exercises and the semi-centennial celebration will be held together. The following program of the exercises has been decided upon:

Friday, May 23

Moving pictures of university life. Exhibit of the departments. Art exhibit.

Ivy Day, morning and afternoon.

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CORNHUSKER MANAGEMENT APPEALS FOR MATERIAL

Every line of type, every snapshot, every cut and every joke that is to appear in the "Victory Annual" must be in the editor's hands by Wednesday night at 6 o'clock. The staff is working every minute and those who are not on the staff but are still inclined to help out when they are needed for any of the university activities are doing much to help the overworked members of the annual staff and make the book the excellent publication that it is expected to be.

There is still a shortage of snapshots and the students who have some that they have not yet turned in are urged to do so before Wednesday night. Every picture that is of interest to the university students should be submitted to the management to help out the book and make it a part of each student's own personal life.

UNI MAT TOURNAMENT SET FOR APRIL 10

Every Man in School Will be Eligible for Participation in Wrestling.

Medals and Jerseys to be Awarded to Winners of First Place in Each Class

The annual All University Wrestling Tournament will be held in the gymnasium on Thursday afternoon, April 10 at 4 o'clock. The winners of first in every class will be presented with medals by the College Book Store and jerseys with the wrestling "N" will probably be donated by the athletic association. All entries must be filed with the acting wrestling coach, Dr. R. C. Clapp, by 6 p. m. April 9, and contenders must be down to actual weight after 11 a. m. on April 10.

This tournament is open to the whole university and it is possible for a freshman to win a letter, for the Constitution of the University Athletic Board, Article 5, Section 1, states: "The 'N' (wrestling team emblem) shall be granted to the representatives of the University in the Western Intercollegiate Gymnastic Association Meet (held at Chicago), also to representatives in all dual conference contests and to winners in each class in the university contest, the same to be worn only on wrestling shirt." Section 9 further states: "Wrestling 'N's' shall be plain white 'N's' five inches in height, four inches in width with one inch bars and one and one-eighth inch center bar."

Freshman May Win "N"

This provision makes it possible for a freshman to win his "N," and is the only branch of Cornhusker sports where this is possible. Monte, Puclick and Wertz will put up a hard grapple for the "letter," but every Cornhusker may get on his fighting togs and enter the festivities.

PLANS FOR BASEBALL DISCUSSED BY GREEKS

Inter-fraternity baseball is a reality; that is, if the Interfraternity Athletic Council, which meets in Coach Stewart's office at 11 o'clock this morning, can agree on a reasonable plan of operation. Many of the Greek organizations have been priming up for the tournament by tossing the leather pellet around in the balmy sunshine of these latter days. The demand for Greek baseball has been growing in strength and the meeting this morning is the result of this unsatisfied yearning for battle on the diamond.

Much dissatisfaction has been expressed over the old system of elimination and it is likely that a regular league will be established, the championship being awarded on the percentage basis. That is, each team will

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THIRTY-NINE SENIORS ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN PHI BETA KAPPA

ONE-SIXTH OF SENIOR CLASS ARE AWARDED COVETED HONORS IN HONORARY SCHOLARSHIP FRATERNITY.

SEVEN MEN CHOSEN FROM LIST IN WHICH HIGHEST AVERAGE IS 93.60 PER CENT—SPEAKERS AT CONVOCATION STRESS IMPORTANCE OF TRADITIONAL IVY DAY EXERCISES.

Thirty-nine seniors, seven of them men, were awarded membership in Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholarship fraternity at the annual exercises held in Memorial Hall this morning. The list represents approximately one-sixth of the senior class.

The highest average this year was 93.60 per cent, slightly above the high mark of 93.40 made last year.

The percentage of men elected shows an increase over last year's selection, when only four were chosen from a total of thirty-nine seniors. The removal of the eligibility requirements specifying classics and mathematics, two years ago, has resulted in the attainment of averages higher than in former years.

Urge Ivy Day Attendance

Preceding the announcement of the election, Mr. O. J. Fee, an alumnus of the university, talked on "Nebraska Traditions." Prof. R. P. Scott gave a talk on "Traditions of Other Schools." Dr. Winifred Hyde discussed the pageant written by Dr. H. B. Alexander, which is to be a part of the Semi-Centennial program. The band played several numbers.

The purpose of the convocation, which was in charge of the Black Masques and the Innocents, was to interest the students in plans for Ivy Day. The Ivy Day program will be held May 23, in conjunction with the Semi-centennial celebration.

New Officers Elected

Dr. H. B. Alexander was elected president of the Phi Beta Kappa council Monday afternoon at the final meeting of the society held before the convocation exercises. Other new officers elected were Miss Annis Chal-

kin, vice-president, and Miss Daisy Needham, treasurer.

Following is the alphabetical list of seniors awarded Phi Beta Kappa honors:

Georgian Adams, Lincoln.
Mary Helen Allensworth, Lincoln.
Myrtle Dixie Berry, Lincoln.
Marjorie Bodwell, Beatrice.
Francis Bockin, Lincoln.
Marian Byram, Lincoln.
Geneva Donaldson, Norfolk.
Orell Freeman, Sheridan, Wyoming.
Ellsworth Fulk, Atlanta.
Eliza Gamble, Mead.
Hazel Goggins, Lincoln.
Neida Grove, Lincoln.
Catharine Hainer, Webster Grove, Missouri.

George W. Hearn, Lincoln.
Olive Higgins, Idaho Falls, Idaho.
Augusta May Kibler, Kearney.
Dwight Kirsch, Lincoln.
Viola Kleinke, Chadron.
Lucile Lees, Lincoln.
Lea Lipsey, Omaha.
Hannah McCorindale, Odebolt, Ia.
Laura McRoberts, Mound City, Mo.
Margaret Mortimer, Lincoln.
Esther Murphy, Sidney, Ia.
Robert Nesbit, Tekamah.
Greta Nunemaker, Tobias.
Opal Nuss, Sutton.
H. J. O'Neill, Emmetsburg, Ia.
Winifred Perkins, Mullen.
Emma Possibil, Prague.
Pansy Read, Merna.
Harry Reimund, Lincoln.
Lela Sands, Winter Haven, Fla.
Zora Schaupp, Lincoln.
J. F. Showalter, Lincoln.
Bernice Tabbets, Lincoln.
Marian Whitaker, Clinton, Mo.
Jay Worley, Holyoke, Colo.
Josephine Zrust, Clarkson.
Dr. W. I. Elmore, honorary member.

NEBRASKA ALUMNI WRITE EXPERIENCES IN FRANCE

Anton Jensen, ex-'18, is at present with the Army Educational Commission, Sarbonne Detachment, American Expeditionary Forces, St. Honore, France.

He writes:

"On arriving at Paris a few days ago I was informed that a former University of Nebraska professor was in the French censors' office at Bourse. Tucked up away in the uppermost recesses of the Bourse is one of the main French censorships and in the midst of its glorious French officialdom a lonely American officer, Lieut. Maynard, instructor in the French department, 1916-1917. Lieut. Maynard despite his isolated condition feels far from lost, in fact he seems to be quite contented. He has no idea when he will get back. Meanwhile he is trying to get leave to attend a Spanish university under the plan of the Army Educational Commission. As Spain is a neutral country he would probably be interned upon his arrival, no matter how scholarly an appearance he might show. So his efforts probably will be in vain unless some special dispensation should intervene in his behalf. The other day I met D. Gilbert Eldredge, '17, Omaha. He has come to Paris to attend French school under the provisions laid down by the Army Educational Commission. He has practically recovered from the wound he received in the chest at the drive on the St. Mihiel salient.

"Sergeant Edwin Partridge, '16, in the war gas laboratories here, has no idea as to when he will be sent home. He is not losing and sleep over it, as he has a good place and is contented to remain a little longer.

"Have received several letters from Prof. M. M. Fogg of the department of rhetoric. He is now at Beaune, near

Dijon, in Northeastern France, where he is instructing in the big army university at that place."

A letter received from August C. Schmidt, A. B., '10, and LL. B., '12, Monday at the Alumni Headquarters. He is first lieutenant in the 352nd Infantry, U. S. A., France.

"At present my regiment is located here at Bonnet (Meuse), France," he writes, "which is about midway between the larger towns of Neauchateau and Bar-le-Duc. Apparently we are booked here for a long stay and I will not be at all surprised if we do not leave for home until the month of July or August.

"I have already taken advantage of the loitering to see Europe. I have had a leave of fourteen days and was down to that land of Paradise, Nice, and Monte Carlo. It is the most beautiful country I have yet seen. I have also done Paris in good shape and she is some town. Several days ago I was over to Domremy, the birthplace of Joan De Arc, where the old maison still stands and the old church built back in the fifteenth century. But the beautiful thing is the wonderful church erected about ten years ago by the French on the spot where she had her vision. It stands on a high point overlooking the valley of the Meuse River and can be seen for miles. I also hope to get up in the Rhine region before I start homeward. Lieut. Edward Shoemaker, '14, is up there at present with the Rainbow Division, and he has given me an urgent invitation to come on over."

Theta Sigma Phi Elects Officers—Theta Sigma Phi has elected the following officers: President, Marian Henniger; vice president, Alyne O'Loughling; Carolyn Reed, secretary; H. Ashbrook, treasurer; Sadie Finch, historian.

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