

CORNHUSKER MEN BANQUET TONIGHT

Feast to Celebrate Victorious Football Season at Lincoln Hotel Tonight.

NEW NEBRASKA SPIRIT WILL BE SHOWN TODAY

Elaborate Entertainment Planned by Innocents for Big Annual Dinner.

The 1921 football season will be history after tonight. With cheers for "U-U-Unt" the annual and traditional Cornhusker banquet will begin this evening at 6 o'clock in the ballroom of the hotel Lincoln. Places have been set for more than 500 men students. Tickets for the affair sold more quickly than in preceding years and by Wednesday noon approximately all 500 pasteboards validated were eagerly taken.

Those who have not yet been able to procure a banquet ticket may be able to get one by calling at the students activities office in administration hall and inquiring if any more "turn backs" are on sale.

The primary purpose of the Cornhusker banquet is to further spirit. Nebraska has a new spirit this year. In keeping with this reawakening, the Cornhusker banquet promises to set a precedent for feasts in coming years. These were the words of a university instructor yesterday.

That entertainment of some kind would be provided the guests during every minute of the banquet was the aim of the committee in charge of the affair. The university quartet will sing. An orchestra composed of Nebraska students will play some of the old college tunes to ragtime—in addition to their proposed program of popular dance "hits."

The members of the 1921 football team will be seated on a platform before the banquet. Near them will sit Toastmaster Charles A. Robbins, Chancellor Samuel Avery, Coaches Dawson, Schulte, Frank and Day, Director F. W. Luehring, Jack Best, ex-Captain Swanson and Captain-elect Hartley—all of whom have a place on the toast list.

Jack Best Will Go.

"The tobacco smoke makes it necessary that I stay only a few minutes," said Jack Best yesterday when asked whether he should like to attend the 1921 Cornhusker banquet. "But I consider the banquet the biggest occurrence of the school year and I cannot stay away."

Arrangements will be made to take the veteran Husker trainer to and from the banquet by automobile. He wishes to mingle with the students and team in their celebration over the victorious season just closed. His wish will be granted.

Coach Dawson has returned from the east where he was dickering for an intersectional clash for the 1922 grid season. He will attend the banquet tonight and has consented that his name be placed on the toast list.

Dr. George E. Condra will present pictures of Hartley, Swanson and Jack Best, fading out into "movies" of the Nebraska coaches, the team in action, the Kansas-Nebraska game and the celebration accorded the victors on their return from Pittsburgh.

STATE MUSEUM GIVEN A CURIOUS SPECIMEN

The state museum has just received the skin and bones of a two-toed sloth, or night monkey as they are called in Brazil. This was secured and donated by Mr. Lewis C. Chapman, U. of N., '16, who is now an oil geologist for a Louisiana company. Mr. Chapman has been in South America for a year or so looking up oil prospects for this company. This is the first specimen of a sloth received at the university. Mr. J. T. Zimmer is at work upon the skin and it will soon be mounted and placed on exhibition at the museum. The sloths hang head downward in trees. Their toes are modified into hooks, so that they are perfectly adapted for their arboreal life.

Cornhusker Banquet Tickets.
All those who have Cornhusker banquet tickets turn them in at once. Those who have not yet purchased tickets may secure them at the Student Activities office.

PLANS ARE COMPLETE FOR BIG JUNIOR HOP

All the plans are completed for the junior hop that will be Saturday night at K. of C. hall. The committees are satisfied that everyone will have a good time and they will leave saying that it is the best class party that they have ever attended. Dick Reese let a hint drop last night when he said the refreshments would be in keeping with the season and that the weather would affect the eats.

For those who have been unable to see any member of the committee there will be tickets at the door for the same price—\$1.25, including war tax. The music by Polly Butler is enough to insure a good party. Then the favors and the refreshments will be worthy too. This will be the last junior party this semester so it is up to all patriotic juniors to support their class.

CALL SOUNDED FOR FRESHMAN GAGE MEN

Coach Pickett To Start First Year Men Monday Afternoon.

The official call for candidates for the freshman gage squad has been sounded and every man wishing to try for a position on the team is requested to report to John Pickett in the Armory Monday afternoon. Last season the yearlings had a great team and gave the varsity plenty of competition throughout the season.

Every man will have to furnish all of his equipment until the regular squad has been picked when it is expected that the usual freshman suits will be issued. Coach Frank has had the varsity going at a steady clip since the Thanksgiving vacation and Coach Pickett of the yearlings expects to send his proteges against the varsity in a short time.

With only a week and a half to practice, the Huskers will be put thru a strenuous session every day until they leave for Lawrence for the initial contest of the season. Reports from the Jayhawker camp indicate that the Kansans are bent on avenging the defeat on the gridiron this fall and expect to whip the Husker basketballers.

NEW MEN INITIATED INTO GREEN GOBLINS

Cooper and Miller "Ride The Goat"—Goblins Plan Subscription Dance Soon.

James Cooper and Lowell Miller, selected at the first of the year for the Green Goblins, freshman men's organization, but never initiated, "rode the goat" Thursday evening at a meeting at the Phi Delta Theta house. These are the only men in the 1921-22 Green Goblins who were not initiated at the general roundup early in the school year.

The Green Goblins passed a motion to hold a subscription dance soon after the holidays. Committee working on the plans for the dance and the Goblins promise a real exhibition.

It was proposed that a freshman men's banquet be held at which all of the men in the freshman class be invited. It was decided that because of the rush of things at the present time no action would be taken in the matter until after the holidays when a special meeting will be held at Alpha Sigma Phi house to clear up some business which will confront the Goblins at that time.

The Goblins are working hard in an effort to get the job of ushering at the basketball games. No definite action has been taken yet in this matter but the Goblins believe they would, if conditions make it possible, follow the precedent of the former Goblins.

Y. W. C. A. BAZAAR DRAWS BIG CROWDS OF CO-EDS

Emerald and shamrocks, gay colored tulips, bright eyes of saucy French maidens and gorgeous gypsy girls all added to the holiday spirit of the Y. W. C. A. bazaar which was held at Ellen Smith hall Tuesday.

Groups of chattering girls gathered about the attractive booths. The different university organizations furnished music during the afternoon. The bazaar truly accompanied a dual purpose, in being an attractive market for dainty wares and in being a social affair.

Annual Girls' Cornhusker Party Is Set For Tonight In Gymnasium

The annual girls' Cornhusker party will be at 7:30 tonight. The organizations putting on stunts will not be announced until then. We are assured that the program is new and better than ever before. The members of Mortarboard and Silver Serpents will sell all of the eatables besides those served by the committee. Come prepared to pay 35c admission and spend a few nickles on the goodies you won't be able to resist. There will be dancing after the program.

If the stunts put on are going to be better than those put on in past years you will want to be there. It would be worth the money just to see some of the bizaare and funny costumes, even if there weren't any stunts. Upon entering the confetti-laden atmosphere you will be dazzled by strange and wonderfully arrayed men, women and children. You will be ac-

costed by all varieties of vendors and hawksters who will persuade you that their wares are the best. If you buy pop-corn balls and gooey apples (which were sold last year) you will be surprised to find yourself becoming strangely attached to someone or better to their apple, which has tenacious qualities that you would never expect. You will be surprised at the amount of pop-corn ball that can get on your face.

If you don't sit on somebody's costume and tear off part of it you will know that your night's efforts have been in vain. These little incidents go toward making everybody acquainted and friendly, strange as it may seem to feel any friendliness for anyone who manages to get pop-corn in your hair or down your neck, and by making everyone in the best of spirits make the Cornhusker party a great success.

UNI. PLAYERS SHOW TO CROWDED HOUSE

First Production of "A Winter's Tale" Meets With Success.

The University Players presented "A Winter's Tale," last evening to a crowded house. The audience seemed thoroughly pleased with the presentation of this play.

The plot itself deserves a great deal of attention, on account of its peculiar construction. The King of Bohemia is visiting his brother, King of Sicilia. The queen wishing to make his visit enjoyable pays considerable attention to him. Her husband, imagines she is untrue to him and openly accuses her. She is tried and just as she is exonerated the news comes that the young heir to the throne, after having taken his mother's grief to heart, is dead. This news supposedly kills the queen. There is no heir left to the throne as the daughter, while the queen was in prison, has been disowned by the king and has been taken to a far off country. Those who carried her across were drowned on their return journey so their was no way in which she might be found. A period of fifteen years elapses and the curtain rises on a pastoral scene. Here we find Florizel, the Prince of Bohemia in love with the pretty shepherdess Peidita. Despite his rank he is determined to marry her. His father, disguised, finds him with Peidita and bids him go back without her. Camillo, the good friend of both kings recognizes the trinkets which have been left with her and hurries her and Florizel to the court of Leoles. There the two kings are reunited and Peidita and Florizel are left to carry on their plans. The statue of Hermoite proves to be alive and she gives them her blessing.

H. Alice Howell is Hermoite, the lead of the play, was excellent. The part gives ample opportunity to show her long training and experience. Hart Jenks as Leontes plays a difficult role. Niel Brown as Polixenes makes a very kindly figure. Melba Bradshaw as Paulina gives a splendid interpretation of the sharp tongued lady in waiting. Irma McGowan as Emilie also deserves commendation, for her work. Carl Bennett as Autolyos is very pleasing with his songs. (Continued on page 3.)

FRATERNITY OFFERS PRIZES FOR ESSAYS

Alpha Gamma Rho Will Give Awards for Best Articles on "Agricultural Leaders."

Alpha Gamma Rho, national fraternity, is offering two prizes to students within the college of arts and country who write the best essays on "The Need and Sources of Agricultural Leaders." The competition is open to all regularly enrolled agricultural students in the United States.

The prizes are of \$100 and \$50 respectively for the best and second best essays. They are offered each year to agricultural colleges of the year. The prize last year was won by Fred E. Sasse, a freshman in the Nebraska agricultural college. His topic was "Relationship of Agriculture to the Development of a Nation."

University of Nebraska agriculture students have excellent opportunities since Nebraska furnishes both the technical education and the training for the scholarly presentation of the material.

The rules governing the contest follow:

- 1—The contest is open to every bona-fide undergraduate student regularly registered in your college of agriculture and pursuing at least a two year course in agriculture.
- 2—The article may be of any length not to exceed 5,000 words.
- 3—It must be typewritten on clean white paper 8 by 11 inches, the margin on left side of page to be 1 1/2 inches.
- 4—Articles not dealing strictly with the subject will not be considered.
- 5—When completed, the papers are to be handed in to the dean of the college of agriculture unsigned but with a separate statement from the student to show that he has received no personal outside assistance.
- 6—The dean will number the manuscripts and the student statements and refer the manuscripts by number and without names to a local committee of three who shall select the two best papers and send them to the scholarship committee of the Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity with the statements of the successful students.
- 7—All manuscripts must be in the hands of the committee by March 1. (Continued on page 4.)

A STUDENT PUBLICATION

Did you know that the Alumni Journal is in reality a student publication? The material for the 1921 fall issue was edited entirely by Professor Lawrence's class in news editing. The complete staff is listed on page two of the magazine and contains the names of sixteen university students.

Don't get the idea that the Alumni Journal is a far-away something that has no close connection with the Cornhusker campus. That is the biggest mistake you ever made. It is a magazine edited by Cornhuskers, about Cornhuskers, and for Cornhuskers.

It wants a Cornhusker slogan. So the opportunity of suggesting one is now offered to all Cornhuskers.

The Alumni Journal is the most powerful influence that the university exerts on its alumni. Naturally it is a potent factor in developing a strong Nebraska spirit, and that is what we all want, n'est pas?

WATCH US SUNDAY

CO-ED HOCKEY LEADERS ARE CHOSEN BY CAPTAIN

Marie Snavelly, W. A. A. Hockey leader announces the following as temporary class captains in the sport, Josephine Reyman, senior; Jessie Hiett, junior; Lois Shepherd, sophomore, and Irma Johnson, freshman. Each captain has distinguished herself as a good hockey player, and will help the sport leader and the coaches choose the members on her class team.

Almost a hundred girls have been out for the game and have learned to swing the new clubs in a skillful way. The inter-class tournament will be played off in the second week after the holidays. There is yet time for the ambitious girl to get in the required ten practices.

OFFICERS FOR "N" CLUB ARE ELECTED

William McCrory Selected As New President Of "N" Organization.

The "N" club held an important business meeting last evening and elected new officers for the coming year. William McCrory was elected president, Herb Gish, vice president, and Adolph Wenke, secretary and treasurer.

McCrory is baseball captain for the coming year, a freshman law in the University and a member of Delta Upsilon. He succeeds Clarence Swanson, who graduates in February. Herb Gish, the new vice president is one of the leading track men in school and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Adolph Wenke, who was elected to the secretaryship, is a junior law, junior managing editor of the Cornhusker, a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon and considered one of the best tackles in the Missouri valley.

The "N" men will occupy a separate table at the Cornhusker banquet at the Lincoln this evening. The men decided to do away with charging a new member \$7.50 for initiation and the only cost put on anyone joining the club will be the cost of the pin.

GOBLINS WILL GIVE SCHOLARSHIP MEDAL

Freshman Men's Organization To Make Award To Student With Highest Standing.

Green Goblins, freshman men's organization, will award a medal to the member of the first year class who makes the highest scholarship average for the year. This decision was arrived at in a meeting recently and the Goblins are preparing to make the promise good.

The contest is open to both boys and girls. Money will be raised soon when the Goblins put on a subscription dance.

The Green Goblins of last year took action toward the awarding of a medal and the freshman men this year feel that such an award will be an incentive for better work among the first year students?

There are sophomore and junior medals awarded each year and a freshman medal should not be lacking in the opinion of the first year men.

NEW TREE FORMATION ON CAPITOL GROUNDS

While deforesting the capitol grounds, the woodchoppers came upon an unexpected knot in a soft maple tree, about a foot in diameter. It proved to be a horseshoe, perfectly embellished in the wood. The shoe is in a state of perfect preservation and is free from rust. In one or two places it was nearly cut through by the axe. This was saved and donated to the museum by Mr. D. G. Cosen, 309 South Twenty-fifth street, Lincoln. Undoubtedly, when the tree was young, the horseshoe was lodged in some crotch and thus became overgrown and embedded.

KAPPA EPSILON HAS FOUR NEW PLEDGES

Kappa Epsilon, the professional pharmaceutical sorority announces the pledging of Ellen Nelson, Antonia Stara, Phyllis Roberts, and Albie Hervert. Kappa Epsilon was established at Nebraska in 1920 and chooses its members by their scholarship and school activities.

INNOCENTS FAVOR HOMECOMING WEEK

Senior Men's Organization Endorses Plan for Commencement—Big Job.

STUDENT COMMITTEE BEING SELECTED TO AID IN PLANS

Alumni Secretary Holt Explains Proposition to Students in Message Below.

"The Innocents society as an organization place themselves on record as unanimously supporting the general plans for Alumni week, particularly in sympathy with the plans for a concentrated homecoming, which means that we favor having all organized bodies on the campus arrange to have their annual homecoming at commencement time." These are the resolutions verbatim adopted by the Innocents, honorary senior men's society, at a meeting Tuesday, December 6, at which Alumni Secretary Holt placed before the thirteen men the plans for homecoming and alumni week.

A committee composed of Story Harding, Asa Hepperly, and Clarence Ross was appointed to confer with Mr. Holt in regard to details of the plan. After a meeting held Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Holt wrote the following message to Nebraska students, in which he explains the plans for alumni and homecoming week in detail:

"This much discussed program called Alumni week was conceived last year at the annual alumni reunion held in connection with commencement. It was the final outburst of a long smoldering desire for the establishment of better relations between the undergraduates and former students, a better understanding by the alumni of the problems of the students and the administration and in like manner a recognition of the need for better interpretation of the university, a better presentation of its practical value to the people of the state by the undergraduates. The time has come when the tax-payers of this state—the folks who live next door to you in your home community—wish to know that the money which they are contributing to the university is not being wasted. As a matter of fact it is not, but a more definite and organized means of providing this fact than has existed in the past must be found.

A Real Homecoming.
"The one particular part of the program which insures the successful accomplishment of all the above things lies in the plan for an annual gathering which will be a real homecoming—not the attendance of four or five hundred resident alumni, but a gathering of many times that number, who will leave their work, desert their professions and responsibilities for a few days and come back to renew their acquaintance with the men and women who were their intimate friends in college days.

"What is it that will take men like our own Dr. Waite back across the continent to the commencement at Amherst? What is it that annually finds the graduates and former students of Yale and Harvard and Princeton and others too numerous to mention, filling the trains and literally eating up the roads on their way back to the old alma, it is one thing only. It is the great, glorious prospect of seeing all the old friends in one great reunion. If this will build for other colleges a spirit which makes every student and former student enthusiastically true and boosting to their dying day and at the same time makes every high school student in the country long to be one of them, is it not logical to assume that this is one thing which will help us at Nebraska to be better undergraduates and 100 times better alumni after we have joined the ranks of the tax-payers? In other words let us apply to Nebraska the ideas which have been tried and found to produce greater universities and colleges at other places.

"A concentrated homecoming (Continued on page 3.)

"N" Men Attention.

There will be a special table reserved at the Cornhusker banquet tonight for all men who have an "N" in athletics at Nebraska. Following the banquet there will be a short but very important meeting of all "N" men.