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ALUMNI WEEK AGAIN.

Yesterday the judges in the Alumni Slogan contest picked what they considered the best one of the many submitted. From the number of slogans presented, it showed that the school is interested in making this week a big success.

Sunday the committee which is to help the Alumni secretary, was announced, and yesterday letters were received by each one of them in connection with the drive.

The Alumni Journal is backing the plan to the limit and every effort is being made to make all old grads enthusiastic about the plan.

The questions confronting the successful culmination of the proposed seven-days of festivity are being discussed on all sides. The councils representing the sororities and fraternities are strongly behind it. The literary societies are doing a great deal to help.

From all surface appearances the school is going to be more united on this splendid thing than on any thing ever before proposed at Nebraska. The reason for it is no secret—and this reason is that it will do a great deal for the Nebraska of today and the Nebraska of the future.

Every real Husker should back the Alumni Week to the limit.

STRAINING FRIENDSHIP.

How many friendships have been sorely strained because of the insistence of one of the parties of making the acquaintance productive in a material way. The person who depends upon a friend to help him get his lessons is shifting part of the responsibility that should be his alone, onto the shoulders of his friend.

Friends are sometimes taken as a sort of first-aid station where services are gladly given free of charge. Everyone is glad to exchange ideas and suggestions occasionally, but when it is a regular thing to be asked to practically prepare an entire lesson it gets tiresome.

The exchange is quite one-sided, for the one has everything to gain and nothing to lose and the other has nothing to gain and precious time to lose. It is a selfish and unjust habit and its continued practice undermines friendship. It is a poor policy to follow on general principles for it will not always be possible to have someone to shoulder the burden of difficult tasks, or serve as a crutch to bear the weight. The finishing touches to a complete ruin of friendship are added when the one that always needs help forgets to include his helper in his social circle.

Contemporary Opinion

(Michigan Daily)

AMERICA'S HURRY.

A foreigner once said to a friend, "You Americans are always in such a hurry. You hurry to rise, you hurry to eat, you hurry to work, you hurry home, you hurry to bed."

There is reason for America's hurry. There is work to be done. Lots of it. There are bridges to build, railroads to lay out, skyscrapers to erect, mammoth corporations to extend and develop.

This is a new nation, filled with young blood. It draws the more adventurous, the more courageous of the older nations.

America—alive—plastic—growing. Europe—ultra conservative—impoverished—saddled with nobility and class strife.

In America the hampered worker of other lands finds his future—his opportunity.

With so much to do, is it to wonder that America hurries?

University Notices.

Football "N" Men.

All men who were awarded the official "N" for football are requested to call immediately at the office of the director of athletics and state size for sweater. If this information is inmediately forthcoming, it may be possible to get the sweaters to the Student Activities office before the holidays.

F. W. Luehring,
Director of Athletics.

University Night Skits.

Any organization desirous of putting on a skit for University night, must have the manuscript in the hands of the committee before January 15. The general chairman should be notified as soon as possible.

Notice of Change of Meeting.

The talk to be given by W. E. Whitten to the commercial club Thursday at 11 has been postponed until next Thursday, December 22, at 11 o'clock.

Prizes Offered to Agricultural Students by National Fraternity.

One hundred and fifty dollars is offered in two prizes for the best essay written by an agricultural student on "The Need and Sources of Agricultural Leaders." Manuscript must be submitted before March 1, 1922. It may not exceed 5,000 words. Details regarding this contest may be secured from the dean of the college of agriculture.

E. A. Burnett.

Home Economics.

The Christmas tree given by the Home Economics faculty will be Tuesday, December 20 from 4:30 until 5:30 p. m. All home economics students are invited. It will be held in the home economics building.

Civil Engineers.

American society of Civil Engineers will meet Wednesday, December 21 in M. A. 102 at 7:30 p. m. City Engineer George Bates will speak on the design of the construction of the Lincoln Municipal swimming pool.

Square And Compass Club.

The regular meeting of Group B, Square and Compass club will be held Wednesday evening, December 21 in Social Science 107. Dr. Wolcott will present a number of topics for future study and all members should be present to express their preference. Dr. Rankin will give a talk on the history of Masonry which promises to be highly interesting. All University Masons are invited and urged to attend.

Commercial Club.

The commercial club will hear Mr. Whitten of the Lincoln chamber of commerce, Thursday, December 23, at 11 a. m., in 305 S. S.

Omaha Club.

The Omaha club will hold a social meeting, Wednesday, December 21, at 8:00 p. m., in Faculty hall, Temple building. The committee has succeeded in procuring this desirable meeting place and has arranged a very attractive program. Every Omaha student welcome. All members come promptly and bring a friend.

Notice.

The Gallery range will be available to all men who have not fired the prescribed course, on December 21, 22 and 23.

By order of Colonel Mitchell:
SIDNEY ERICKSON,
Major, Infantry, (D. O. L.)

In Years Gone By.

Seventeen Years Ago Today.

At the meeting of the athletic board the ballots for the football captain were counted, and Charles Borg received the highest number.

Ten Years Ago Today.

Through the efforts of Chancellor Avery, and the consent of Mr. C. S. Allen, president of the board of regents, it was decided to place a cafeteria lunch room for the university students in the Temple building. Plans were being made for remodeling the building.

Eight Years Ago Today

The Dramatic club presented "The Servant in the House" at Loup City, under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias.

The Juniors won the interclass championship in football by defeating the freshmen 7 to 0.

Five Years Ago Today.

A total of \$1,414 was reached by the prisoners' relief fund in the university. This included \$1,276 in cash, and about \$137 yet to be collected.

Two Years Ago Today.

Christmas vacation started. School to open again January 5.
A telegram from General John J. Pershing stated that he would accept

the invitation of the University of Nebraska to a special alumni convocation in his honor, in Memorial hall, on December 27.

The Calendar.

Tuesday, December 20.
Home Economics faculty tea, 4:30 p. m. Home Economics building.
Wednesday, December 21.
American Society of Civil Engineers 7:30 p. m. M. A. 102.
Group B of Square and Compass club, 7 p. m. Social Science 107.
Omicon Nu business meeting, 5 p. m. Ellen Smith hall.
Beaver City club meeting, 12 m., S. S. 102.

EXHAUST

Woman reading paper, reads an advertisement "Gillette shaving the world." Musing to herself, "I wonder who this Gillette is?"

Teacher to pupil: Will you please explain why this tack is on my chair.
Pupil: Please Miss, it was only a joke.

Teacher: I am sorry, I fail to see anything funny in that.
Pupil: I am sorry, you didn't get the point.

The new Blue Valley drive is bound to be popular with a breezy abbreviation as the B. V. D. road.

Ajax.

For sale: Five seater..... touring car, rattling condition.

—Provincial Paper.

Three guesses: what is it?

Professor asking his usual question, "Is there any question about the course?"

Indian Club: "What's the course about?"

To Whom It May Concern.

All students will be expected to report to their classes beginning Tuesday morning after Christmas vacation. (This arrangement will make it possible for merry makers to recuperate a day after the morning after the night before.

The Men Have It.

Say folks!
How do you like the new Gait the male element Are affecting? A sort Of a cross between A boat's roll, and the Tripping of a nymph. With a little shuffle movement At the heels—no, not just That, it would be as easy To explain the movements of An Egyptian dancer as This newest accomplishment. Perhaps, it is merely the outward expression of the blast nature Of the modern college man. Or maybe the co-eds Have corrupted their morals With their customary Adherence to fads. While we are wondering What the next move will be, We will admit that it is QUITE FETCHING.

Cornhusker Queries.

Q—Who were the first members of the board of regents?

A—The first members of the board of regents were Rev. John C. Elliott, Otoe county; Robert W. Furnas, Nemaha; Rev. D. R. Dungan, Pawnee; Rev. John B. Maxfield, Cass; Abel L. Fuller, Saunders; Champion S. Chase, Douglas; William B. Dale, Platte; Rev. William G. Olinger, Burt and Dr. Fyfield H. Longley of Washington.

Q—What was the score of the football game when Nebraska played Syracuse in 1917?

A—The score was, Nebraska, 3; Syracuse, 0.

Q—Who holds hold's the present record for the two-mile run and what is the record?

A—In 1917 Glen Graff made the run in nine minutes, fifty seconds.

Q—Wat Lincoln the capita' of Nebraska when the university was founded?

A—The capital had been placed just two years before and legislatures had hardly begun to meet.

Q—What is this "Organized Agriculture" week?

A—By mutual agreement among more than twenty-five state agricultural organizations, each holds its annual meeting in Lincoln during the first week in January. Hence the expression "Organized Agriculture Week." With few exceptions the meetings are held on the Ag. college campus of the university. Hundreds of farmers and their families attend these meetings each year, and it is the natural home-coming time for Ag. college alumni.

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GOBLINS ENDORSE ALUMNI PROGRAM

Freshman Men's Society Promises Help To Secretary Harold Holtz.

At a special meeting of the Green Gobblins society Sunday afternoon at the Alpha Sigma Phi house, the members of the freshman men's society unanimously endorsed the plan for alumni week as outlined by Secretary H. F. Holtz. The Gobblins drew up a resolution to be sent to Secretary Holtz in which they promised any assistance which might be asked of them in making the venture a success.

The Green Gobblins will give a subscription dance soon at the Rosowilde party house. Plans for the dance have not been entirely finished but will be announced soon.

Following the business meeting, the Gobblins went in a body to the Delta Zeta house where the freshman girls were holding open house for all of the freshman men.

FRATERNITY COUNCIL FAVORS ALUMNI WEEK

Motion To Abolish Frat Formals Of 1921-22 Fails To Carry.

The proposed tentative plans for an Alumni week in connection with commencement week next June were unanimously endorsed by the inter-fraternity council at a meeting held in the law building Sunday afternoon, Chairman R. D. Scott presided.

Secretary Harold F. Holtz, of the alumni association, was present and explained the proposed plans in detail. Every member of the council expressed himself as favorable to the plan. According to the plan, all fraternity and sorority banquets will be held on the evening of June 2. This will necessitate a number of groups holding their banquets in their chapter houses. A motion was made to abolish fraternity formals during 1921-22 but failed to carry.

NEW COURSE GIVEN FOR MILITARY MEN

Practice in Handling the Pistol is Being Demonstrated by Captain Nix.

A late addition to the curriculum of the university is a course in the handling of the pistol, which is now being given in the military department. The instructor is Captain Robert W. Nix, U. S. army, who is an expert rifleman. When the actual firing begins, it may be necessary to name replacements for the instructional staff, in case any of the beginners make mistakes.

The course is a limited one and is given in two sections. The maximum number who may enroll in the course is fifty. The work is open at first to the commissioned cadet officers and warrant officers, but in case the maximum is not reached, it will be thrown open to the sophomores of the military department. The work is not regularly provided for in the schedule and no credit is given for it, but the interest has been very great and the work is progressing rapidly because of this fact.

The instruction is given in periods of one hour a week. The first four weeks are to be spent in mastering the nomenclature of the Colt .45, and after the holidays target practice in the gallery will commence, according to Captain Nix. This work will continue until spring, when work on the range outside will commence. Matches will be held between the companies and with other organizations if possible.

This course should prove a very valuable and popular one during the crime wave that is sweeping the country this winter.

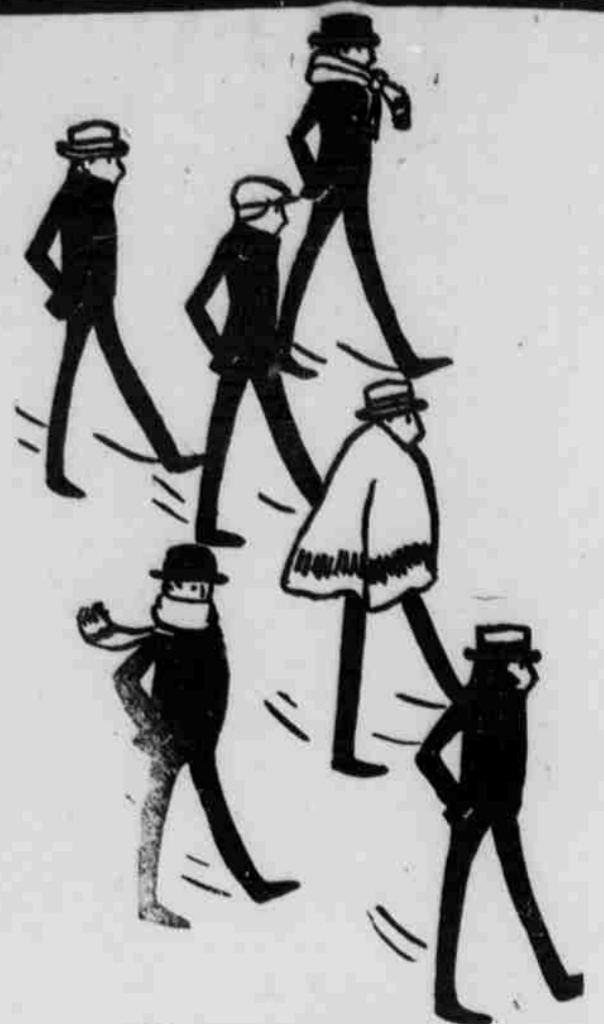
WANT ADS.

LOST—ONE GREY KID GLOVE, ON library steps. Return to Student activities office.

LOST—BETA THETA PI FRATERNITY pin. Return to Student activities office. Reward. Name C. L. Boin on back.

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