

## BASKET FLIPPERS TURN TO LINCOLN

226 Teams With More Than 2,000  
Players to Gather for An-  
nual Tournament.

## UNIVERSITY TO BE HOST TO BOYS FOR THREE DAYS

Fraternity Houses Each to Care  
for One Team—Private  
Homes for Others.

For 3 days this week, the University of Nebraska and the city of Lincoln will be host to more than 2,000 basket flippers belonging to some 226 teams registered in the twelfth annual state high school basketball tournament, March 9, 10 and 11. Fifteen classes were necessary to take care of the largest basketball tournament in the world.

Fraternity houses and private homes have been drafted into use for tourney headquarters of the cagesters. Twenty-five teams will be taken care of in the fraternity houses while private homes will be arranged for the others. All but forty teams have made reservations so far.

Starting at 8 a. m. Thursday, the visiting high school cagesters will be busy playing their sport for three days. Some 115 games will be played off the first day with ninety-one the second and the fifteen championship contests on Saturday. Seven gymnasiums are being used for the first round contests while five will be in use on the second day.

All class A and B and a part of the class C contests in the first round will be played at the coliseum. The other contests will be staged in the armory, city auditorium, university chapel, Y. M. C. A. and the two Lincoln high school gyms.

The university "N" men will take charge of the tourney from start to finish. University basketball men will referee the most of the contests while the students will be used through-out as time-keepers, doormen and scorers.

A fine exhibition of the cage sport will undoubtedly be given to the followers of the tournament. In classes A, B and C, especially are teams which have been well trained in the fundamentals of basketball and throughout the season have been giving snappy battles to their opponents.

The university students should do their best to entertain the visiting boys during the tournament. Every one of the men is a possible future student of Nebraska and his future course in higher education may be determined by the impression which he received during his brief three day sojourn at the university.

The following resume of home high school games played last week may give some "dope" on championship caliber in the upper classes.

### Games of the Week.

Lincoln high school tossed a load of worry into the class A interscholastic camps last week when the capital city lads decisively drubbed the Omaha Central quintet, 27 to 15. It was either an "off night" for the Centralites or else the Omaha five had been over-rated, for the Red and Black found little trouble in scoring or penetrating the Omaha defense.

The calibre of the Lincoln scoring machine was shown in the first forty seconds of the game, when Lewis Brown and O'ds chalked up five points. The Lincoln defense was in evidence throughout the first half, the Centralites failing to score in the first seventeen minutes of play.

Lincoln lost its second game of the season during the week. Sutton high turned the trick on the Clay county court. The Sutton lads won 23 to 16. Omaha Central walloped Omaha Commerce early in the week, 19 to 8. The defeat, however, did not dismay the Book-keepers, who are matched with the Centralites in the first round of the tourney. Commerce expects to avenge the defeat in the game Thursday.

Kearney handed Gothenburg a 23 to 21 defeat. Gothenburg came back and stopped the speedy Curtis Aggie five, 25 to 11, and also walloped Lexington 30 to 13.

South Omaha showed a reversal of form and trounced Nebraska City, 25. Superior romped over Edgar, 50 to 4.

University Place collected Columbus and Schuyler scalps on a two-day road trip. Schuyler was defeated, 27 to 16. Columbus ran the Methodists a close race but lost 28 to 24.

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## Student Life Section Needs Contributions

The Student Life section of Everybody's Cornhusker is waiting for worthwhile contributions.

Perhaps you have in mind a happening of amusing nature that has involved several campus luminaries. Perhaps you have thought of a caricature of some campus personage or organization that would make a valuable addition to the Student Life Section.

One thing however, must be remembered, emphasizes Editor Randol, when writing material for the Student Life section. He insists that this year's annual be free from personal avenues of revenge that have been so popular in the past few years. The Cornhusker, he says should not be the instrument by which vengeance can be meted out by one downtrodden individual against another.

There is a vast difference between experiences that are really amusing and those that are void of all traces of humor, because of the smuttiness, sarcasm and other undesirable means that have been used in relating them to catch the students' eye.

So many things happen during the school year that would be classed as really ridiculous, were they known and recorded. So many so-called famous campus visages could be caused to blush or even worse—if some small tale involving them were told. And yet these incidents, these characterizations, these mirrors whereby we see our selves as others see us—do not have to contain racy material in order to "get across." They do not have to incorporate into themselves slang, sarcastic words, direct slams on physical characteristics or individual "cracks."

Write some really amusing material and hurry with it to the Cornhusker office. The Student Life section is waiting.

## APPLICATIONS FOR VARIETY SHOW DUE

Students Should Hand Names in  
Today if They Wish Parts in  
Program April 7.

At 5 o'clock this evening the deadline on applications for places in the acts of the variety show, to be given under the direction of the university lyceum board at the Orpheum theater April 7 falls. Students desiring parts in the different numbers must have their names together with the type of acts they prefer to take part in into the student activities office before that time.

Tryouts for the casts of the acts will be held the latter part of this week and the results of the tryouts announced as soon as is possible. Only the best talent obtainable is to be selected by the board as the show is to be a true representation of the talent which the University of Nebraska has.

Some of the acts which will be sent out into the state as a part of University week will be shown at the variety show. Costs of transportation which are very heavy on acts with large casts will serve to enable better and larger acts to be selected for the Lincoln show.

The variety show is an innovation into the annual University week lyceum programs. Lincoln people have long felt that they were being slighted when the university each spring vacation sent good programs over the state as a part of the work in extension. They felt that the folks living next door to the university students should be given a chance to see the students in action. For this reason the lyceum board decided this year to produce a program for the benefit of Lincoln people.

The variety show as being worked out by the board will contain from eight to ten acts of a varying nature. Comedy, feature, dramatic and musical acts will make up the numbers. Acts of a feature and unusual nature are particularly desired for the show and suggestions of all kinds will be gladly welcomed by the committee. These should be turned into the student activities office.

The variety show will take much the nature of an Orpheum vaudeville performance. One-act skits, musical and dramatic features and comedy performances will be present in abundance. Most of the best amateur talent in the state is contained in the student body of the university and Lincoln people should be treated

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## Y. W. OFFICERS TO BE CHOSEN

Cabinet Officials to be Chosen by  
Members of Y. W. C. A.  
This Week.

## ELECTION TO BE HELD IN LOBBY OF LIBRARY

Names of Candidates Are Pre-  
sented by the Nominating  
Committee.

Elections of new Y. W. C. A. cabinet officers will be held on Wednesday and Thursday at the library. Only members of the Y. W. C. A. may vote for the new officers.

The nominating committee consisting of three cabinet members and two members at large, namely Elva Krogh, chairman; Katherine Willis, Eunice Hilton, Nancy Rennoyer and Dorothy Hammond, have selected the following girls as nominees for office:

President—Florence Price, Dorothy Williams.

Vice president—Jeanette Cook, Florence Sherman.

Secretary—Betty Ridell, Grace Spacht.

Treasurer—Gertrude Thompson, Mary Ellen Whelpley.

Undergraduate field representative—Eleanor Dunlap, Ruth Small.

## SIGMA DELTA CHI HOLDS INITIATION

Five Men Enter National Honor-  
ary Journalistic Fraternity  
Sunday Afternoon.

Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, held initiation for five men Sunday afternoon in the Dramatic club rooms in the Temple building. The following men were initiated:

Herbert Brownell, jr.  
Edward Buck.  
James Fiddock.  
Ward M. Randol.  
Reede Reynolds.

These men have been pledges to the fraternity for some time. Brownell and Buck are both night editors on the Daily Nebraskan. Randol is editor of the 1922 Cornhusker and Reynolds is junior managing editor-elect of the 1923 Cornhusker. Fiddock is business manager of the Daily Nebraskan.

After the initiation ceremonies a dinner for the new members was held at the Grand hotel. A short business meeting was also held. The annual banquet of the fraternity will probably come during the alumni homecoming week in June. Plans for this affair were discussed at the Sunday meeting.

## COMMITTEE PLANS FOR ALUMNI WEEK

Plans for Big June Event Discus-  
sed—Students do not Have to  
Stay Extra Time.

Alumni and student committees in charge of the alumni week program to be put on in June met Monday noon for a luncheon at the commercial club. Plans for the extensive program were discussed but nothing definite was decided.

Members of the alumni committee are Fred I. Archibald, Dean Seavey, Marcus Poteet, Harold F. Holtz, Mr. Campbell and Mr. Halligan.

Members of the student executive committee are Margaret Henderson, Adelheit Dettman, Katherine Willis, Marjorie Barstow, Robert Van Pelt, Hawley Barnard, Ward Randol and Asa Hepperley.

Many students are under the impression that they will have to stay at school throughout the alumni week. This is not necessary, however, as students will be allowed to leave as soon as their examinations are over. This will be two days earlier than usual because of the forging ahead of the final tests two days in order to make room for the week of fun to follow. It is believed that students should take it upon themselves to stay and help the university entertain the graduates so that alumni week may be made more successful than would be otherwise possible.

## Cornhusker Office Is In Throes Of Redecoration All This Week

"Laus 'o mercy," have you seen the Cornhusker office? Well we surely got "skared" when we poked our heads into the door of the office and "seen" what we saw.

Before we go into detail we must explain that our object in poking our heads into the room at all was merely to offer our services and inquire of the authorities therein whether they had a little drawing or writing to be fiddled for the year book. But what greeted our eyes what far from what we had anticipated.

The office looked as if it had been raided after a Sunday of dissipation. The desks and tables were pushed in the center and covered over with a dirty looking cover. Everything was topsy-turvy. The terrible looking men were standing on ladders on each side of the room debating paint on the walls. The awful realization that the Cornhusker office was being redecorated came to us.

Now what a silly thing to do, this time of the year, when the use of the office is so imperative. Why, the Cornhusker office looked perfectly "splooforous" last week. Everything was so nice and neat, and one could come in at any time to work (or see who was working). We would just like to know the big idea of going to all that expense of time and money

to beautify an office that, to our eyes, was already beautiful.

Why, it made us feel terrible to be turned away from the office when we had come such a great distance to assist in getting out the best book in the history of the school. The frightful part was that there was no other place to go and work, no room had been reserved, in other words, we had'n't been locked out for. We carried our grievances over to the "Rag" office and what do you think? Some foolish person dared to say, "Oh, isn't it just lovely that they are having the Cornhusker office fixed up for the new staff to work in; it is such a revelation." Revelation, "me eye," we think it's the "berries."

When we asked those two awful men what they were doing one said, "What do we look like, we're doing misses, shootin' craps in an ice-cream parlor?" Now, wasn't that the roughest thing ever? Then we tremblingly inquired how long it would be before the office could be used again. The other "interior decorator" said, "It won't be more 'n two weeks, yeh might flit in about that time and see." Two weeks, why the very idea, never heard of such a thing.

After all we found out that the place isn't going to be used for the Cornhusker office at all, but that the Alumni office is going to occupy that room and the Cornhusker office is going to move in the basement of the Administration building where the Alumni office has been here-to-fore. Gosh, we wish that they would tell us when they are going to make changes like that and we wouldn't run our legs off looking for the place. Believe us, it is going to be a cold day before we are so liberal with our services again.

## TRYOUTS FOR GLEE CLUB ARE TOMORROW

Male Chorus Members to be Se-  
lected in Competition Wed-  
nesday Evening.

Tryouts for places in the newly organized men's glee club of the University of Nebraska will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the faculty room of the Temple building. Every male student of the university who can sing is urged to try out for a place in the chorus.

Parvin White, widely recognized leader of singing clubs, will have charge of the Cornhusker glee club, which the organization will be named. He will undoubtedly turn out a chorus which will rival that of any other school in the country.

It has long been felt that University of Nebraska students do not sing as much as they should and it was this feeling which prompted a group of students to meet with Harold F. Holtz, secretary of the alumni association and plan the Cornhusker glee club.

Letters have been sent to every fraternity and sorority in school urging the men to try out for places on the chorus and the girls to urge the men to try out. The best material in the university is wanted.

## HOTEL RUGS STOLEN DURING UNI PARTY

Valuable Navajo Blankets Dis-  
appear During Saturday Eve-  
ning Dance.

Two expensive Navajo blankets, property of the Lincoln hotel, were stolen from the dressing rooms of the hotel last Saturday evening during the formal party of Delta Upsilon, according to announcement of hotel authorities and members of the fraternity made last night.

Indignation and surprise that such a regrettable affair should occur have been expressed by the management and by Nebraska alumni who were informed of the affair shortly after the party. Investigation, which was immediately instituted after the theft was reported, showed that university students were responsible for the losses. Several petty thefts from the rooms were also discovered and aided in establishing the identity of those responsible for the affair. Members of the fraternity were hesitant about bringing immediate action against those responsible and have decided to allow a chance for the rugs to be returned. A short time will therefore be given in which the rugs may be returned, according to the announcement made Monday evening after a conference between the hotel management and members of the fraternity. The fraternity members have

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## ANNUAL VOTE OF SENIOR MEN SOON

Fourth Year Men to Cast Ballots  
for the Innocents of  
Next Year.

## ELECTION BOOTH OPEN ON WEDNESDAY, MAR. 15

Social Science Hall to be Scene of  
Balloting for Honorary  
Membership.

All men in the senior class will be given the opportunity to state their preferences for the thirteen men who are to be chosen as members of the Innocents society, at an election to be held on Wednesday, March 15 under the auspices of this year's Innocents.

The balloting will be held on the first floor of Social Science hall on the day. Copies of the official list of junior men eligible for selection and election into the men's senior honorary organization will be on hand. Members of the Innocents will be at the polls. Each man in the senior class is given the opportunity to vote for thirteen men or any number under thirteen that he chooses.

The balloting for members of the Innocents society was started by last year's men in order that the selections might be more representative of the class and school and be chosen on a strictly democratic basis. The first balloting was done in response to a demand on the part of the student body for some such arrangement as was used by the senior women in selecting the thirteen girls who are to make up the Black Masque or Mortarboard the succeeding year. The Mortarboard election has already been held this spring.

No announcement of the names of the men selected by the vote will be made in the near future as the tapping of the newly elected men takes place, by tradition, in connection with the annual Ivy day exercises. The Innocents are tapped in the afternoon of that day soon after the Mortarboards have been masqued and following the crowning of the May Queen in the morning. An impressive ceremony by the active men in their red gowns precedes the individual selection from the crowds of students and alumni.

This year the tapping will be held on Ivy day during alumni week. The present schedule of that week makes Ivy day come on the first day of June. Indications from the alumni office are that many more alumni than usual will be present to witness the ceremonies than for some time.

A list of senior men is being prepared by the registrar's office to be used in the election next week. Only men on this list will be allowed to cast a ballot, as no under-graduates are included according to the plans adopted for carrying out the election.

The plan of having senior men aid in the selection of members of the senior men's honorary organization met with success last spring and was heartily endorsed by the student body through student opinions in the college press and general conversation around the campus. The members of this year's society have felt themselves in no way bound by the action of last year's men but have decided that the plan used by them is the fairest and most democratic method of determining student opinion on the men who are to be chosen.

Definite plans for the balloting, including the time in which the election booth will be open have not as yet been decided but will be announced within a few days by the committee from the organization which has been selected to manage the polling. One day has been decided upon as sufficient time for all senior men to express their preference.

## WISCONSIN DAILY ON COMPENSATION

"The Workman's Compensation act or Wisconsin is not as liberal today as it was at the time the law was first put into effect because of the higher wage standard and the higher living costs of today as compared with a few years ago," declared Fred M. Wilcox, chairman of the Wisconsin industrial commission, in a talk given to the Progressive club in the chambers of the secretary of state, last night.

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## CLOTHES GIVEN AS PRIZE IN ORATORICAL CONTEST

Los Angeles, Calif., Feb. 29.—Jerome Mayo, freshman at Southern Branch University of California, was awarded the second prize—a suit of clothes—in Hemburger's oratorical contest held Friday, February 10 in the Normal Hill center auditorium. Competing with the Southern Branch representative were men from six other Southern California colleges. Mr. McGinnis, the student body president of U. S. C. received the first place.