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UNIVERSITY Y. W. C. A. GIRLS CHOOSE OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Election Will Be Held in Library Wednesday and Thursday—Committee Announces Nominations at Regular Vesper Services on Tuesday—All Members of Association May Vote.

TO HOLD MAY MORNING BREAKFAST FOR STAFF

Grace Spacht and Gertrude Tomsen Are Candidates for President—Lila Wyman and Ruth Small Are Contestants for Vice-President—Winners to Take Offices Immediately.

Election of officers for the University Y. W. C. A. for the next year will be held Wednesday and Thursday, February 28 and March 1, in the Library. All girls who are members of the University may vote.

The officers of the University Association are elected in the spring, and take office immediately. The president appoints the chairman of the committees. These chairmen are also members of the cabinet, which governs the Y. W. C. A. Each committee is composed of girls who are members of the staff. They are chosen by the chairman, with the approval of the president.

The nominations, as made by the committee, composed of three girls from the cabinet and three from the association at large, and announced at the regular vesper services at five o'clock Tuesday, are as follows:

President
Grace Spacht
Gertrude Tomsen
Vice President
Lila Wyman
Ruth Small
Secretary
Helen Guthrie
Agnes Kessler
Treasurer
Edith Olds
Marian Madigan
Undergraduate Field Representative
Kathryn Warner
Mary Creekpaum

A May Morning Breakfast given by the girls of the new social staff for the girls of all the cabinet and the staffs, will be given in the spring, before the close of school.

Plans and goals for the coming year are made at this affair. The association, say the officers of the organization, always tries to do all that it can to foster worthwhile movements on the campus.

COACH ADKINS CALLS FOR MORE SWIMMERS

Candidates Are Asked to Report at "Y" Pool Tuesday or Thursday at Four O'clock.

A call for divers and long-distance swimmers were issued from the office of Frank Adkins, coach of the swimming team at Nebraska. Candidates are asked to report at the Y. W. C. A. pool Tuesday or Thursday at four o'clock and work with the swimming squad.

The call for divers and long-distance swimmers is a result of last week's defeat by a close margin in a dual meet with the Kansas Aggies at Manhattan. The Nebraska mermen grabbed the dashes and Phillips captured first in the fancy dive but a weakness was apparent in the long-distance swims.

"We have a wonderfully balanced team," said Coach Adkins, "but we are in need of two good men for the long-distance swim and another diver."

Several meets are now being considered and the Nebraska mermen should be seen in action within a short time in the Y. M. C. A. pool.

Major John Griffith, commissioner of athletics for the Big Ten, spoke in defense of athletics at a convocation at Indiana University. "Gambling, professionalism, and commercialism are the greatest evils of athletics," he said, "but the first of those can be eliminated."

A Lenten Thought for Every Day

For Friends.

For our absent loved ones we implore thy loving kindness. Keep them in life, keep them in growing honour; and for us, grant that we remain worthy of their love. For Christ's sake, let not our beloved blush for us, nor we for them. Grant us but that, and grant us courage to endure lesser ills unshaken, and to accept death, loss, and disappointment as it were straws upon the tide of life.

—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Junior Class to Hold Meeting This Morning

The junior class will meet Thursday morning at eleven o'clock in the Social Science auditorium according to announcement made today by Carl J. Peterson, newly-elected president of the class. Election of minor officers and other business are to be brought before the class, he says.

It is important, says Peterson, that a large number of students be present at this meeting, because the junior class is for most part, intrusted with the Ivy Day festivities.

"Y" SECRETARY TO SPEAK AT LUNCHEON

Kirby Page to Give Talk Thursday on "War from the Christian Viewpoint."

Kirby Page, industrial secretary of the Y. M. C. A., author of a number of books on the subject of world peace, will be in Lincoln Thursday and will speak Thursday noon at a luncheon at the Grand hotel. His subject will be "War from the Christian Viewpoint."

Mr. Page is author of "The Sword or the Cross," a pamphlet which the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. discussion groups have been using as a text for their discussions. These discussion groups have been meeting every Thursday noon at the Grand hotel. Dr. Huntington, Methodist student pastor, has been leading these discussions.

Students not in the regular discussion groups wishing reservations for the luncheon Thursday noon, should make arrangements with Mr. McCaffrey at the University Y. M. C. A., Miss Appleby of the University Y. W. C. A., or Dr. Huntington, before Wednesday night. Admission is only twenty-five cents.

New Records Looked for at Drake Relays

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 27.—That several new records will be established at the fourteenth annual Drake university relay meet April 27-28 is the prediction of track coaches and experts who have followed the results of recent indoor meets.

Marks set at the indoor meet of the Kansas City Athletic club last week were phenomenal, and since practically all of the athletes entered in that event will compete in the Drake carnival, the keenest kind of rivalry can be predicted.

Kansas Star Enters.
Earl McKaown of the Kansas State Normal school, who broke the world's indoor pole vault record at 12 feet 10 inches in the Kansas City meet will be entered in this special event at the Drake carnival. The present Drake pole vault record is 11 feet 9 1/2 inches, held by Rogers of Kansas.

Poor of Kansas university also showed up well in the high jump, clearing the bar at 6 feet 3 inches. Bob Simpson, former champion high hurdler, who holds the Drake record for the 120 yard high event at 14 4/5 seconds and who is no wtrack coach at Missouri, has developed several excellent hurdlers, among them his younger brother.

In Keith Lloyd, Coach Schulte of Nebraska seems to have developed another wonderful sprinter.

DePaul Sends Train.
Coach Haggerty of De Paul univer-

Cornhusker Co-ed Rifle Team Makes Appearance on Campus

Bang! Bang! Bang! The Co-ed Fiffing team of the University of Nebraska is here! Rumbles from the shooting gallery in Nebraska Hall, and rumors that the cadets and officers were endangering their lives teaching brave co-eds how to make bull's eyes, have been heard on the campus for two months, but not until yesterday did the Co-ed Rifling team become a reality.

Twenty-four gym-clad girls, each shouldering a murderous-looking twenty-two, filed out of Nebraska Hall yesterday afternoon. Cadets coming in from the drill field, stared the rubbed their eyes, thinking it must be the Russian Battalion of Death. A closer look, however, and some questioning, revealed the fact that this was the Co-ed Rifling team on the way to have its

Freshman Girls Win Class Cage Tourney

The freshman girls won the second team interclass basketball tournament when it defeated the junior second team, 18-16, Tuesday noon in the Armory. The Old Rose team won from the Dark Green in the game for the championship of the girls' color tourney, by a score of 20-19.

In the interclass game, the score at the end of the first quarter was 9-0, but the juniors came back strong and at the end of the half, was 11-6 in favor of the freshmen. Eleanor Snell refereed the game.

The first team class tournament will start today with the match between the seniors and the freshmen.

COHAN PLAY TO BE STAGED BY PLAYERS

"The Meanest Man in the World" to Be Presented in Temple This Week.

"The Meanest Man in the World," George M. Cohan's masterpiece, will be presented by the University Players at the Temple Theater Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. According to those directing its production, every phase of an ideal performance will be stressed to make this play a real success.

The cast is as follows:
Bert Nash—Harold Feiton.
Kitty Crockett—Dorothy Sprague.
Richard Clark—C. L. Coombs.
Ned Stephens—L. C. Hawley.
Mrs. Clark—Mary Bost.
Nellie Clark—Margaret Good.
Frederick Leggit—Dwight Merriam.
Henry Billings—Foster Machett.
Carlton Childs—John Dawson.
Michael O'Brien—Jess Randall.
Jane Hudson—Irma Wolfe Coombs.
Hiram—Randolph Sandstedt.
Frank Feilding—Armin West.
Tickets for those who do not have season tickets are now on sale at Ross P. Curtice Music Co.

The freshmen of Xi Psi Phi will give a Smoker for all fraternity freshmen Thursday from 7:30 to 9:00 P. M. at Xi Psi Phi House, Dean Engberg and Coach "Indian" Schulte will speak to the yearlings. Refreshments will be served and a good musical program is promised. This gathering is for the purpose of acquainting the freshmen of the various fraternities and stimulating class spirit, say those in charge.

Miss Margaret Munger of the University Players Class went to the Kansas State Agricultural College at Manhattan, Kansas, where she was a judge at the Oratorical Contest there.

Katherine Kreig, '26, was elected captain of the Girls' Rifle Team at a meeting of the girls of the team in Nebraska Hall, Friday afternoon.

sity has notified Athletic Director K. L. Wilson, in charge of the Drake carnival, that he is grooming several sprinters whom he is counting on to place in the local meet. Among these are Egan, who set a new dash mark at the Michigan Aggie meet in 1922 and who now runs the quarter mile; Fitzmore, Jim and Joe Seeley, and Burman and Dunn.

A letter was received from athletic officials at Carnegie Tech inquiring about competition in several of the events and expressing keen interest in the coming Drake meet. It is considered probable that the Pittsburgh institution will be represented this year.

KOSMET KLUB ANNOUNCES TRYOUTS FOR CAST AND CHORUS OF COMEDY

Large Number of Students Are Expected to Compete for Roles in 1923 Production—Contest for Places Will Be Held Monday and Tuesday Evenings.

"THE YELLOW LANTERN" WILL BE STAGED IN APRIL

Rosanna Williams of Lincoln Chosen as Pianist—Play Written by Cyril Coombs—Committee in Charge Formulates Rules Governing Tryouts—Applicants Select Skits.

Kosmet Klub announces the tryouts for the cast and chorus of the 1923 musical comedy. Over a hundred students are expected to try out. The comedy will be put on in April. The competitions for places will be held Monday and Tuesday, March 5 and 6, from 7:30 to 10 o'clock, the place to be announced later.

The cast and chorus are among the largest ever used, so the chances of obtaining a role are better than ever before, states a member of the Klub. The students wishing to try out are asked to sign up in the office of the Daily Nebraskan as soon as possible. For further information, they should see some member of the Klub.

DRIVE FOR MEMORIAL FUNDS IS LAUNCHED

Campaign Begins at Vespers Monday—Secretary of National Student Volunteers Speaks.

The Grace Coppock Memorial Fund drive was launched last evening at the Vesper Service, when Miss Marjorie Sanford, secretary of the National Student Volunteers, of New York, spoke of the work of the Y. W. C. A. in China. The goal set for the drive is \$1,600.00, of \$100.00 for each team, and it is expected that they will go over the quota before the campaign closes Friday evening.

This fund is raised by Nebraska University girls each year, in memory of Grace Coppock, who represented this Y. W. for fourteen years in China. This year the fund is to go towards the support of a recreational project there in charge of Vera Barger who is also a graduate of Nebraska.

Every girl in school will be seen personally. The canvassing will be completed by Friday evening. The captains of the various teams are requested to keep the members of their teams checked up each day. Luncheons will be served at Ellen Smith hall for the girls working on the campaign. These short noon meetings will be a source of inspiration to the workers and every team member should be present each day to report the amount collected, says the committee in charge.

ENTRY LIST FOR GAGE TOURNAMENT CLOSES

208 Teams Scheduled to Compete in High School Basketball Tourney Next Week.

Entries for the high school basketball tournament to be held March 8, 9, and 10 under the control of the "N" club and University authorities, closed Saturday at midnight with more than two hundred teams scheduled to appear during the week.

According to an announcement made by W. G. Brooks, secretary of the high school board of control, 208 teams had entered at midnight Saturday, and more entries were probably mailed before that time that could slip under the wire.

Last year 226 teams took part in the tournament and present indications point to about the same number participating this year.

Sutton captured the class A trophy last year as a dark horse having played a non-spectacular season. They will enter with a veteran team again this year, but several teams have defeated the champs during the present season.

Lincoln, Sutherland, Beatrice, Omaha, and Fremont are making a bid for class A honors this year. Lincoln's record for the present season looks as though the Red and Black team would be the favorites for the class A cup.

Havelock now enters with a new wrinkle, having ambitions to stage a state tournament for girls basketball teams. Invitations to the Havelock festival have been mailed to all teams in the state having girls' teams. The games are to be staged at Havelock March 8 and 9.

Rosanna Williams, of Lincoln, was selected as pianist for the production at tryouts held Monday evening from about twelve who tried out. Miss Williams is a sophomore. She will play at all the practices of the cast and chorus, as well as in the production itself. She will accompany those giving musical readings or songs who do not have an accompanist.

The play, "The Yellow Lantern," which has been selected to be produced some time in April, was written by Cyril Coombs. One of the songs of the play was a feature at the Pan-Hellenic formal.

The Kosmet Klub play is a tradition of long standing at the University of Nebraska. Experience with tryouts in past years indicates that large numbers of men and co-eds will be on hand Monday and Tuesday at the competition for places on the cast and chorus.

Important announcements concerning the play and the arrangements for coaching it will be made in the near future by the members of the Klub.

The committee in charge of the tryouts has made the following rules:

- 1 Students of all four classes are eligible to try out for leading parts and for places in the chorus.
- 2 Applicants will be given five minutes to try out, and may choose their own time on either Monday or Tuesday evenings, from 7:30 to 10, by signing up in the Nebraskan office before the time of the tryouts.
- 3 More than one person can try out at one time. In case three or four wish to give a skit, more time will be allowed by the judges.
- 4 Persons may try out with parts from any skit, play, song or reading. The judges want a knowledge of the ability to play in a chorus or in a speaking part. No part with which to try out will be given. Each applicant selects his own.

MISS EDITH SANFORD SPEAKS AT VESPERS

Foreign Missionary Tells Why She Chose Service in Other Countries for Life Work.

"I have one life to live and one life to invest, and if I am going to invest it for God and humanity, why not put it where the need is greatest and the fight the thickest?" Miss Edith Sanford gave as the reason at the Vesper services of the University Y. W. C. A. for choosing her profession in the foreign missionary field. Barbara Wiggenhorn led the services and Jean Holtz sang.

Miss Sanford spoke on the life of the modern missionary as an introduction to the Grace Coppock Memorial fund campaign which starts this week.

"Why shouldn't we go?" is the question rather than "Why should we?" Miss Sanford said. The needs of foreign countries are great. China needs able and disinterested leaders. Japan, now open to Christianity, may yet be closed to it by the trend toward materialism. India, Africa, and Latin America have similar requirements which America is well able to supply.

The nominations for offices in the association were announced. The candidates were introduced to the girls.

A bill for \$100,000 appropriation to rebuild the fire-damaged armory of Iowa State University passed the house in the State Legislature. The bill has yet to pass the Senate.