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FIVE TEAMS DROP OUT OF RACE FOR FORENSIC HONORS

University Place, Auburn, Omaha Technical, Battle Creek, and McCook Win First Debates.

WILL BE RESUMED TODAY

Motion Pictures of Delegates to Be Taken Today at 12—Greeley Meets Auburn.

The winners in the five opening debates Thursday evening at the University of Nebraska in the sixteenth state debate of the Nebraska High School Debating League were: University Place (affirmative), of the East-Central District, defeated Brady, Western I. by a verdict of 2 to 1; Auburn, (affirmative), Southeastern, defeated Grant (Western II); Omaha Technical (negative), Eastern district, defeated Oakland (Northeastern), unanimously; Battle Creek (negative), North-Central, defeated Sidney, (Northwestern) 2 to 1; and McCook (negative), Southwestern, defeated Geneva (Central), unanimously.

Lot-drawing held at 10 o'clock Thursday evening in the office of the president, Prof. M. M. Fogg, decided the pairing and sides for the three contests Friday morning at 10 o'clock as follows: McCook (Southwestern), affirmative—Battle Creek (North-Central district), negative; Greeley (West-Central), affirmative—Auburn (Southeastern), negative; University Place (East-Central), affirmative—Omaha Technical (Eastern), negative.

The University Place-Omaha Technical debate Friday morning will be held in Memorial Hall. The Greeley-Auburn debate, in which Auburn changes sides from Thursday evening, will take place in Law 101. The McCook-Battle Creek contest, in which McCook changes sides from Thursday evening, will be held in the Dramatic Club Room, third floor of the Temple.

Moving and set pictures of the eleven district championship delegates and the league officers will be taken Friday at 12 o'clock on the east steps of Administration building.

The Sidney (Northwestern district) team, in charge of Mrs. Merle Green, is at the Lincoln hotel. On the team is a brother of Guy Chamberlain, Law 16, of Lincoln, former Nebraska Intercollegiate debater who represented Sidney and the Northwestern district in the first state debate of the league in 1908.

The Geneva team (Central district) delegation of five, is at the Lindell hotel in charge of Miss Ellen Maunders. Five representatives of Battle Creek (North-Central district) are at the Y. M. C. A. in charge of Miss Yrsa Hansen. The Brady team (Western District I) is at the Lincoln hotel, in charge of J. A. Matters.

The order of speaking and the judges at the five debates follow: Auburn, Southeastern district (Isabelle Snyder, Marie Nelson, Margaret Gillan)—Grant, Western district II (Ruth Troxel, Frank Stohler, Gladys Burge). Won by Auburn. Judges: Cecil C. Strimple, Law 23 (Nebraska debating teams against Iowa 1920 and 1921).

Oakland, Northwestern district (Leo Neilsen, Margaret Peterson, Eldred Larson)—Omaha Technical, Eastern district (Edwin Hodde, George E. Williams, George M. Hagerman). Won by Omaha Technical, unanimous. Judges: Sheldon Tefft, '22, Law 24, Weeping Water (Nebraska debating teams against Iowa 1921 and 1922, and South Dakota 1923); J. Manly Phelps, Department of Dramatic Art, University School of Music (debater at Northwestern University); Prof. L. E. Aylsworth, department of Political Science, University of Nebraska.

Sidney, Northwestern (Franklin Hornaday, Laurence Davis, Roy Chambers)—Battle Creek, North-Central (William Schultz, Doris Thomson, Rosella Wisenstein). Won by Battle Creek, 2 to 1. Judges: Robert Van Pelt, attorney, Lincoln (Nebraska debating team against Iowa 1920); Prof. J. O. Rankin, department of rural economics, University of Nebraska (intercollegiate debater at Iowa State Agricultural College); Prof. Guernsey Jones, department of history, University of Nebraska.

Geneva, Central (Howard Hamilton, Roland Propst, Donald Warner)—McCook, Southwestern district (Evelyn McClure, Fern Harbaugh, Hazel Shepherd). Won by McCook, unanimous.

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Miss Heppner Will Entertain Seniors

Miss Amanda Heppner will be hostess at a party for all senior girls Saturday afternoon at Ellen Smith Hall from 3 to 5 o'clock. She will be assisted by the Silver Serpents, junior honorary society, according to a custom of past years. Spring flowers will be used as decoration.

A continuous program will provide entertainment for the guests. Vocal and piano solos as well as an original skit, which the Silver Serpents will present, will be included.

STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS

Clifford Hicks Elected President for Ensuing Year—Meets for the Last Time Friday.

Student Council Officers
President—Clifford Hicks
Vice-president—Helen Kummer
Secretary—Ruth Small

At the first meeting of the Student Council held last evening in Social Science 107, officers for next year's Council were elected. Those chosen to lead the activities of the Student Council for the coming term are: President, Clifford Hicks; vice-president, Helen Kummer; secretary, Ruth Small. Ferd Bing, the retiring president of the Council, gave a farewell talk to the incoming members of the Council.

Robert Polk, Roscoe Perrin, and Guy Hyatt, retiring members of the Council, gave short talks to the members of the new Council. President-elect Hicks took charge of the business of the meeting. Plans for next year, as well as practicability of the continuation of present policies, were discussed.

The Council will meet for the last time this year, next Friday at 5 o'clock, in the same room in Social Science.

NEW RULES RESTRICT SPENDING OF MONEY

Organizations Having Deficits Must Pay, Cease Activities or Guarantee Bills.

Organizations having financial deficits will hereafter not be permitted to hold any sort of entertainment, according to action taken by the student organization committee of which Amanda Heppner, dean of women, is chairman. A list of such groups will be published after the next meeting of the committee which will be held during the coming week, and which will be devoted entirely to a discussion of this matter.

The purpose of the committee in making such a ruling is to induce organizations to liquidate or at least to reduce their present deficits. Letters will be sent to the president of each group advising him in regard to the matter.

John Selleck, of the Student Activities office, has recently put on trial a plan whereby all members of a deficient organization wishing to give a party are required to sign a guarantee that they will be responsible for the bills incurred by the party and for the deficit. This scheme will form the only condition under which these organizations may hold any function.

The committee also decided to close no nights during 1923-24 except Food Friday, April 18, and the nights before final examinations. It is felt that the majority of the students are restricted on closed nights for the benefit of a few.

Two organizations, the practical arts association of the Teachers' College and Pi Epsilon Pi, were recognized by the committee.

Application for appointment to the staff of The Daily Nebraskan for the first semester, 1923-1924, should be submitted not later than Friday, May 18. Application blanks may be got at the Student Activities office.

The positions to be filled are: editor, managing editor, associate editor, night editor (three); business manager, assistant manager and circulation manager.

M. M. FOGG,
Acting Chairman, University
Publication Board.

NEBRASKA'S POET WILL GIVE TALK AT CONVOCATION

John G. Neihardt to Make Address in Temple Theater at Eleven O'clock Today.

POET LAUREATE OF STATE

Entertained at Dinner Given by Faculty Men's Club—Is Guest of Dean Sherman.

John G. Neihardt, Nebraska poet laureate and honor alumnus of the University, will address the special convocation Friday morning at eleven o'clock in the Temple Theater. Poetry as an element in education will be the theme of his address. English classes meeting at the hour of the convocation will be excused.

Dr. Neihardt arrived Thursday afternoon and spoke at the dinner of the Faculty Men's Club. He will be entertained after the convocation Friday at a luncheon given by Chancellor Avery and the members of the faculty of the English department. In the evening, he will be the guest of honor at the dinner to be given by the School Masters' Club at the Lincoln Hotel.

During his stay in Lincoln, he will be the guest of Dean L. A. Sherman of the college.

Dr. Neihardt was in 1919 named poet laureate of the state by the Legislature of that year. At the normal school of Wayne, Nebraska, Neihardt's home, a bust of the poet has been placed. It was presented to the school by the poet's mother, and was modelled by his wife, Mona Martenson Neihardt.

Dr. Neihardt is the author of numerous poems, including "The Dawn Builder", "Lonesome Trail", "The Quest", "The River and I", "Song of Hugh Glass", "Song of Three Friends", "Stranger at the Gate," and "Two Mothers". In 1921 Mr. Neihardt was editor-in-chief of The Poet's Pack, a monthly published in New York.

Medical Fraternity Elects New Members

Alpha Omega Alpha, honorary medical fraternity, has elected the following students from the class of 1923, University of Nebraska College of Medicine in Omaha: Neil J. Dau, Fresno, Cal.; Warren H. Eller, Lincoln; W. Max Gentry, Gering; W. H. Judd, Rising City; Morris Margolin, Omaha; A. R. Moritz, Seward; C. A. Owens, Omaha; H. E. Stroy, Murdock, and D. Q. Waddell, Los Angeles.

Twenty-six leading medical schools in the United States have chapters of this fraternity. The Nebraska chapter was established in 1914.

Dr. Inez Philbrick will talk to the University girls at St. Paul's church, Sunday May 13, at 9:45. Her subject will be "The College Girl's Christian Responsibility Toward the Health of Future Generations."

University Y. W. C. A. Receives Report From Workers in China

"Fochow Association of the Honor Roll" is the title of a report received by the University Y. W. C. A. from Mildred Hand of Shanghai, China. Fukien Province was at the time of writing the report the center of one of the many furies of warfare so characteristic of the provinces on the early days of the Republic of China.

The annual finance campaign, in charge of Rosale Venable, general secretary for China, started off with a typhoon that used up so much coal on the steam launch that was taking the secretary to Fochow that the crew had to make up the coal dust that remained in the bins into little balls to enable the boat to carry them the remainder of the way. Upon arriving, Miss Venable found that the governor had issued bonds to the amount of \$13,000,000 to pay the northern soldiers who were holding the city. Next day Miss Venable departed after the foreign consul had urged that all properties of the Y. W. C. A. be removed to the safety zone without delay. "Even war has its humorous aspects," for finally the association as in a state of deficit.

The "association" then in Fochow

INSPECTORS WILL VISIT NEBRASKA'S UNIT OF R. O. T. C.

Two Majors Will Arrive Monday to Gather Report to Make to War Department.

HIGHER RATING WANTED

Visiting Officers to Be Entertained by Major Erickson, Captain Nix and Scabbard and Blade.

Major Henry T. Bull of the United States cavalry, on duty with the chief of Cavalry, and Major R. W. Kingman, of the United States infantry, on duty with the chief of infantry, will arrive in Lincoln Monday to inspect the R. O. T. C. unit of the University and report to the war department in regard to conferring distinguished rating. The officers are on a tour of inspection, visiting, Texas, Arizona, California, Oregon and Washington, and including fourteen schools, with the final intention of deciding as to the relative merits of the military departments of the schools visited.

Monday, from one to six, there will be a general inspection. On Tuesday morning, the officers will inspect the classes which regularly meet at that time.

Distinguished Rating
Distinguished rating is accorded on the basis of faculty and student support, equipment and facilities for the work, and practical and theoretical work of the corps. The work of the unit in general must be above the average. The announcement as to ratings will be made about the first of July.

There are only twenty-five honor schools in the country, and they are inspected annually to be sure that each one keeps up the rating. Missouri is the one western school which is now rated in this class. In 1921, Minnesota was so honored.

Major Bull and Major Kingman, will leave Wednesday morning for Washington, D. C., where they will report on this trip. Every year the war department picks certain schools to be inspected preparatory to the decision as to the conferring of the rating. Nebraska has never before been considered eligible.

Entertainment Planned

While the officers are in Lincoln, they will be honor guests at several functions. On Monday, Major Sidney Erickson of the military department of the University of Nebraska, will entertain them at luncheon. Mrs. Erickson will be the hostess at the Monday evening dinner at which they will be honored.

Scabbard and Blade, honorary military fraternity, will give a luncheon Tuesday for the officers, and on Tuesday evening, they will attend the dinner of the Reserve Officers' association.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. R. W. Nix, wife of Captain Nix of the Military department, will give a tea in honor of the military inspectors.

Chatburn's New Book Now in Circulation

"Highways and Highway Transportation," written by Prof. Chatburn, chairman of the department of applied mechanics of the College of Engineering, is just off the press of the Wiley company, publishers of technical books. The volume contains many actual photographs of obsolete and modern methods of transportation and road conditions, and is supplemented by detailed lists of references. Copies of the work are now in circulation on the campus.

HIGH SCHOOL EDITORS WILL MEET SATURDAY

Seventy Delegates to Be Here Under Auspices of Sigma Delta Chi.

Headquarters for the convention of Nebraska High School Editors will be open in the office of The Daily Nebraskan in the Administration Building this afternoon and all day Saturday.

Seventy delegates from high schools in every part of the state will arrive in Lincoln today and early tomorrow for the convention of Nebraska High School Editors. Registration of delegates will take place at 8:30 Saturday morning in Room 101 of Social Science Hall.

Editors and business managers of high school newspapers and annuals and faculty sponsors of journalism activities are invited to the convention. Interest among the high schools is evidenced by the large delegates which are being miles. At least two schools are sending representatives more than three hundred miles. Sigma Delta Chi journalistic fraternity is in charge of the meetings.

Convention Pamphlet

A sixteen-page pamphlet, "Nebraska High School Journalism," has been published and will be given to the delegates at the time of registration. The pamphlet contains a detailed program of the sessions and an outline of the discussions which will occupy an important place on the program of the day. Following an introduction which reviews the purpose of high school newspapers and annuals, are printed suggestions to the editorial and business staffs.

These suggestions have been compiled after a study of practically all Nebraska high school papers and annuals as well as figures concerning high school publications in South Dakota and Kansas. High schools may obtain copies of the pamphlet by sending to Sigma Delta Chi, under whose auspices the book is written, and enclosing mailing charges.

Delegates to the Editors' convention will be asked to express their opinions on the founding of a permanent high school publication organization to be known as the "Nebraska High School Press Association." Details of the organization will be worked out at a business session to be held at the Chamber of Commerce following a luncheon and address by Prof. J. W. Searson.

Arrangements for the lodging of the delegates at fraternity and sorority houses is under the direction of members of Sigma Delta Chi and Theta Sigma Phi. Instructions to delegates concerning the convention and lodging arrangements may be obtained at the office of The Daily Nebraskan this afternoon and tomorrow.

Vocational Men to Discuss Wage Cuts

A meeting of all vocational students in the University will be held Friday evening at 7:30 at 1133 M street to discuss the proposed cut in wages for ex-service men. All men who served in the army and who are now attending the University are urged to attend the meeting.

A parade and review in honor of the Governor and his Staff will be held at five o'clock Friday, May 11, on the drill field north of Social Science building. The first call will be at 4:50.

All cadets will be required to attend in proper uniform unless properly excused, by order of Major Erickson, professor of Military Science and Tactics.

HIGH SCHOOLERS CLASH IN TRACK MEET SATURDAY

Thirty-seven Squads Will Compete in Twenty-first Annual Track and Field Meet.

ALL TEAMS ARE GROUPED

Best Athletes in State Will Try for Honors—Preliminaries Show Very Good Records.

Thirty-seven high schools will compete in the twenty-first annual state high school track and field meet, which will be held at the state fair grounds tomorrow afternoon, starting at 1:30 o'clock. The teams have been divided into three groups, according to the enrollment of the schools. All the teams entered in the state meet Saturday have shown up well in the various meets which have been held throughout the state the past three weeks, and the competition should be intensely keen Saturday.

Grouping of Schools

Nine schools have been classified in the first group, sixteen in the second and twelve in the third group. Arlington with nine entrants, Galloway with twenty, Clay Center with sixteen, Dewitt with eleven, Dodge with five, Edgar with six, and Valparaiso with ten athletes have been listed in the first class.

Alliance entering the meet with two athletes, Aurora with eight, Broken Bow with seven, Cambridge with ten, Crete twelve, Geneva eight, Havlock two, Hebron six, McCook ten, Osceola, four, Cozad one, Harvard eight, and Wilber ten, will compete for honors in the second division.

Beatrice with thirteen names on the entry list, Fremont with twenty-one, Grand Island seventeen, Hastings seventeen, Lincoln Fourteen, Norfolk five, Omaha Central eighteen, University Place twelve, North Platte four, Scottsbluff three, Superior one, and Columbus eighteen, have been listed in group one.

In Group Three, a close contest for first laurels is expected between Omaha Central, which won the state title last year, Lincoln, which was victorious at the Hastings meet last year, and Fremont, Columbus, and Grand Island. The Omaha team won the Fremont meet several weeks ago, competing against Lincoln, Fremont, and other schools, and so the big city lads are favored to cop the state track championship again this year.

An even closer fight than the Group Three contest is promised in Group Two. Broken Bow, which won the Custer County meet last week, is the favorite. Gothenburg, however, can be counted on to put up a hard fight for first honors, as the state team pentathlon competition went to the Gothenburg athletes. Tecumseh, with Mandery, sprinter, and McKenzie, hurdler, as its star performers, is planning to capture first place. Wilber, which won Group Two championship last year, intends to repeat its title-winning feat again this year.

Callaway, which finished second in the Custer County meet at Broken Bow a few days ago, is expected to have everything its own way in the first group. The Callaway school has a strong, well-balanced team which will score heavily in almost all events. Twelve of the Callaway athletes have won numerals in the state high numerical competition conducted by Coach Schulte.

Fast Races

Mandery of Tecumseh and Evans of Fremont are expected to fight it out for first place in the 100-yard dash. Both of these athletes have stepped the century in 10.1-5 seconds in preliminary meets this year. The same pair of sprinters are also favored in the two-twenty, though in both the hundred and 220 there is a possibility of one of the other high school speed artists stepping in and copping the honors.

Hubert Franck of Tobias, who holds the state record of 4:37.1 in the mile run, is expected to win the mile run. Evans of Hastings and Moore of University Place have run the mile under four minutes and fifty seconds, this year and may push Franck for first honors. Lawson of Omaha Central, Wilson of McCook, and Stahl of Cambridge have run the mile under five minutes, and should come in for a share of the laurels.