

"What is mind? No matter. What is matter? Never mind."—T. H. Key

"Laziness travels so slow that poverty soon overtakes it."

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Radio Division Of University Serves State

Aids People in Keeping Touch With Educational Progress and Institution

PROGRAMS BROADCAST OVER STATION KFAB

Editor's Note: This is the sixteenth of a series of articles which Mr. Kezer has written for The Daily Nebraskan on the history, development, ideals and administration of the University.

(By Munro Kezer)

In the last article we dealt with the University Extension Division, one of the fundamental service departments of the University. Today we shall look at another important service of the University, the University radio service, which is part of the University's attempt to be of the fullest possible aid and service to the state.

The University Extension was a logical development of the University of Nebraska ideal of a truly state university. The University radio service is a distinct addition to University service and a substantial contributing factor to the University's attempt to reach all the people of the state. Although one of the most recent developments in the service program of the University, week by week it furnishes information and entertainment to vast numbers throughout the state.

The radio service is made possible largely through cooperation with KFAB, the Nebraska-Buick broadcasting station. A University studio is maintained on the second floor of the administration building from which the University programs are broadcast by remote control from KFAB. The operation of the studio is under the control of the operating superintendent. Making use of KFAB is a tremendous help to the University. It puts at the service of the University a complete broadcasting equipment which is superior to that of practically any University broadcasting station in the country. It would cost the University in the neighborhood of \$25,000 to get such equipment as is now being used through the courtesy of KFAB.

Three Departments Prepare Programs

The radio programs are prepared from three sources, the University Extension Division, the College of Agriculture and the School of Fine Arts. A good idea of the type and quantity of service given the state through the radio service can be obtained by following through the typical week's program as it is being offered this semester.

Weather reports by Professor T. A. Blair, director of the Nebraska section of the United States Weather Bureau, are given at 9:30 daily. University news is also broadcast at this time. Programs arranged by the College of Agriculture are broadcast from 10:30 to 11:00 A. M., four days a week. These cover talks on foods, nutrition, various minor suggestions on agricultural problems, and carefully prepared papers on important phases of Nebraska farm development and farm life. Agricultural programs are also presented Monday and Wednesday nights treating economic and experimental agricultural problems. These are half hour programs starting at eight o'clock.

High School Convocations Given The University Extension Division (Continued on Page Three.)

OLD PAINTINGS ARE ON EXHIBIT

Pictures from Metropolitan Museum of Art are being shown in Gallery

Paintings from the Metropolitan Museum of Art are being exhibited in the University Art Gallery in the library. The paintings represented are of older and more conservative type coming out of the seventeenth, eighteenth, nineteenth, and early twentieth centuries. English, Dutch, French, American, Greek, and Flemish schools are represented with a diversity of subjects—portraits, genre, and landscapes.

A painting entitled "Autumn" by the French artist, Anton Mauve, representing a shepherd driving a flock of sheep along a road through brown moors.

A genre picture, "The Spinner" by the Dutch artist, Van Brecklenkam (seventeenth century) depicts an old woman sitting at a spinning wheel in a peasant home. Beside her sits a white bearded old man.

An interesting picture "The Daughter's Return" by the American artist, Robert MacCameron, portrays three figures seated at a table in the corner of a restaurant.

Alexander Will Be Next Forum Speaker

Dr. H. B. Alexander, of the department of philosophy, will speak on "The Student as a Critic" at the next World Forum, Wednesday noon at the Grand Hotel. Professor Alexander is a familiar speaker on the Forum programs, and is greatly interested in student problems. Tickets for the luncheon may be secured either at the Y. M. C. A. offices or at the door.

"MESSIAH" TO BE PRESENTED

Mrs. Carrie B. Raymond will Direct Traditional Program For Thirty-first Time

CHORUS GIVES ORATORIO

For the thirty-first consecutive year, Mrs. Carrie B. Raymond will direct the presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by the University chorus when the oratorio is given Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in the University Armory. More than three hundred university students are included in the chorus to be heard at the program.

In 1895, Mrs. Raymond first directed the presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by the University of Nebraska Chorus. Every year since that time she has directed the oratorio, which now is a traditional part of the last week of school preceding the Christmas holidays.

Soloists for this year's "Messiah" will be

Harriet Cruise Kemmer, soprano; Sylvia Cole, contralto; Edward Ellingson, tenor, and Hermann Decker, bass.

String Orchestra Will Play

Music for the program will be furnished by the following well-known Lincoln musicians, assisted by the University String Orchestra: Jean L. Schaefer, first violin; Ernest Harrison, second violin; William T. Quick, viola; Lillian Eiche, violin; Mark Pierce, contrabasso; Don Berry, trumpet; Fleda Graham, piano, and Edith Burlingim Ross, organ.

For the first time, the University will broadcast the presentation of the "Messiah" this year. The university studio will radio the oratorio by remote control through KFAB (340.7), Wednesday, thus making it possible for persons in no way connected with the University to hear it. The annual presentation of the "Messiah" is regarded as one of the finest traditions in the University of Nebraska, and each year thousands of students attend the program.

Christmas Service is Planned for Vespers

A Yule-tide spirit will prevail at the annual Christmas Vespers Tuesday at 5 o'clock in Ellen Smith Hall. Ruth Ann Coddington, head of the Vesper choir, will take charge of the music which will probably consist of Christmas carols sung by the choir.

Ray Ramsey, of the dramatic department will give a Christmas reading. The entire meeting will be in charge of Mabel Ludlum. This service will be the last of this year's vespers and is intended to give the true Christmas spirit to the girls before they scatter for the holidays.

"Free Speech In Universities" is Discussed by Jenks of New York U.

Prof. Jeremiah Jenks, research professor of government at New York University, a distinguished professor of economics, who is serving on several international committees, recently delivered an address on "Free Speech in Universities" before the Cornell University Alumni corporation convention at Philadelphia. Professor Jenks delivered a commencement address at the University of Nebraska twenty years ago.

His conclusion on "Free Speech" reads:

"The chief trouble ordinarily is that persons tell the truth at the wrong time to the wrong people and in a tactless way, showing not proper self-restraint but lack of good sense and good judgment. Persons who tell the truth in this way may wisely be removed from the university, not for incompetency in their special subject, but from lack of good judgment to such a degree that young people ought not to be subjected to their influence. The chief essential of the good teacher is personality, and the life blood of this personality must be freedom, with no restraints save those that are wisely self-imposed."

The remainder of the address is: "The question of free speech in universities has come up many times of late years. It is worth while to attempt to determine the principles on

"DREAM PIRATE" CAST HAS FINAL PRACTICE TODAY

Kosmet Klub Production to be Given First Time Tomorrow Night at Orpheum

SCENERY IS COMPLETED

Souvenir Programs and Books Of Songs in Play are Printed

With a private dress rehearsal staged this afternoon at the State Penitentiary, and the final rehearsal tonight, the cast of the Kosmet Klub production, "The Dream Pirate," will be ready for its first presentation of the show to a Lincoln audience tomorrow at the Orpheum theater.

All the new scenery has been completed, and the properties, some of which were made by students in the School of Fine Arts, are ready for

use, according to Stanley Reiff, property manager. Some of the clever property material includes a pirate chest and lamp. The lamp was made by Robert H. Reade of the School of Fine Arts, and is on display in the Kosmet Klub rooms in the Oikema apartments.

Large Programs Printed

Twenty-four page souvenir programs have been printed for the Klub's Lincoln performance and for use during the show's tour of eight Nebraska towns the first week of Christmas vacation. The programs contain pictures of the principal characters and a history of the Kosmet Klub.

Because the Klub members believe that the songs composed for this production are going to be successful, they have had a sixteen-page book of songs printed. The artistically compiled souvenirs contain the music and words of the six outstanding original compositions of the production. "I Have a Dream" is the theme song. The others are: "I Ain't Sad," "Threatenin' Blues," "Dreams," "In the Land of Spanish Gold," and "Net of Love."

Tour Begins Friday

The Klub's tour will begin next Friday when the cast will make its first out-of-town appearance at Nebraska City. Many University students who will see the show in Lincoln have expressed their desire of securing tickets for their parents for the out-of-town performances. A list of the towns where the show will play and places where tickets may be obtained is printed. Information as to where the tickets may be secured may be had by writing to the following places of business: Nebraska City, December 17, A. A. Bischoff; Bentley, December 18, Warren Drug Co.; Hastings, December 20, John H. Shaw; Grand Island, December 21, J. E. Whitney; Columbus, December 22, Teller; Norfolk, December 23, A. W. Breyer; Fremont, December 24, Fremont theater box office; and Omaha, December 25, Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Every day he asks a question of different students picked at random on the campus.

Today's question: Would you be in favor of revising the custom of class gifts at graduation?

Asked at different places on the campus.

August Holmquist, Bizad, '27, Oakland.

"Yes, I would be in favor of this custom, because when you are an alumnus and come back to school, you will see your contribution to the school, and it will make you feel more like you had an interest in the school and its activities."

Bion Hoffman, T. C., '28, Ashland.

"I don't believe I would be in favor of this; it seems to me that it is more or less of an old fashioned idea and should not be revived."

Jessie Lewis, T. C., '27, Beaver City.

"Revising such a custom would be a very good plan; there are plenty of things that the school needs so it would make the matter of selection a comparatively easy one. This would be a good way to have the class remembered, as the classes coming later would see their gift and be constantly reminded of them."

Donald Russel, Law, '29, North Platte.

"I wouldn't be in favor of it. The giving of presents by the graduating class seems to me to be an incident of the 'rah, rah' days, which we hope have passed into oblivion."

Robert Mathews, A. S., '28, Lincoln.

"Yes, I would like to see the custom revived; you might want to come back to the school some day and you would feel more at home if you could see something that you had contributed to make the school a better one."

Janet Edmiston, A. S., '28, Lincoln.

"Every class owes the university something, and it would be a good idea to pay it in the form of a present at graduation time."

Marie Macumber, T. C., '27, Ellsworth.

"Yes, the giving of a gift at graduation is representative of a class spirit and would give you the feeling of being loyal alumni."

Condra Made Survey Association Officer

Dr. G. E. Condra, director of the conservation and survey division of the University, was elected vice-president of the American Soil Survey association at the recent meeting of the association in Washington D. C. The association includes most of the men engaged in soil survey work in this country and Canada. A technical paper read before the association by F. A. Hays of the University was unusually favorably commented on, says Dr. Condra.

Special Holiday Rates Offered by Burlington

The Burlington railroad announced Saturday that special holiday rates of one and a half fares will be granted during Christmas vacation. The time limits are December 21 to January 6. The Burlington passenger agent expects many students living in South Dakota, Colorado, and Wyoming to take advantage of the rates as the reduction will be most noticeable on the long trips out of state. He does not expect many students within Nebraska to stay the two days to take advantage of the rates.

JOHNSON HEADS 1927 HARRIERS

Trackman, Leading Huskers In Valley Meet, is Chosen Captain

Glen Johnson, who led the Husker cross-country men to the tape in the Missouri Valley cross-country meet this fall, has been elected captain of the 1927 cross-country team according to an announcement made from the athletic director's office Saturday.

Johnson ran next to Captain Hays in the first tryout this fall and consistently won places in tryouts. He won his letter at the valley meet finishing eighteenth, three places ahead of Reller, the next Nebraska harrier.

Johnson was one of the mainstays of the Husker track squad in the distances last spring. He was anchor man on the two mile relay team which was nosed out by Iowa State for first in the Drake relays last spring.

He took first in the mile and third in the two mile in the Nebraska-Missouri dual meet here last spring. In the triangular meet at Manhattan with Kansas and Kansas Aggies, he took second in the mile. He also won the mile run in the dual meet here with Drake.

The entertainment for the banquet was given by Harriet Cruise Kemmer, Edward Ellingson and Gale Grubb, and the Revelers orchestra.

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Local Society Made National

Kimmitt Fraternity Installed As Sigma Omicron Chapter Of Sigma Alpha Mu

MEMBERS HOLD BANQUET

The number of national fraternities at the University of Nebraska was augmented yesterday by the installation of Kimmitt fraternity as Sigma Omicron of Sigma Alpha Mu. Kimmitt fraternity was organized on the local campus in September 1925, as a local Jewish fraternity with ten charter members. The installation yesterday as a chapter of Sigma Alpha Mu is the result of its record of accomplishments during its short existence.

The installation ceremonies took place at the chapter house at 1210 R Street. Mr. Franklin A. Alter of Chicago, regional director of the mid-west district; Dr. I. Soifer, and Mr. Ed Shimmel of Omaha, formed the initiation committee. A banquet was held at the Hotel Cornhusker in the evening following the installation.

Sigma Alpha Mu fraternity was founded at the College of the City of New York on the eve of Thanksgiving, November 26, 1903, with eight undergraduates of the institution. Since its inception it has extended its membership to include chapters in thirty-one universities and colleges in the United States and Canada.

Three Chapters in Valley

Sigma Alpha Mu is represented by chapters in six universities that are members of the Big Ten conference. In the Missouri Valley conference Sigma Alpha Mu has chapters in Washington University at St. Louis, at Oklahoma, and at Kansas. National offices of the fraternity are located in New York City at 15 Park Row.

The charter of Sigma Omicron chapter contains the following names: Edward Alberts, Omaha; Harry B. Cohen, Omaha; David Fellman, Omaha; Jacob Finkelstein, Lincoln; Louis B. Finkelstein, Lincoln; Joseph Ginsburg, Ponca; W. Zolley Lerner, Kansas City, Mo.; J. Jay Marx, Lincoln; Hyman Rosenberg, Lincoln; I. Leo Rosenberg, Lincoln; Henry Rosenstern, Omaha; Carl Sokoloff, Omaha; and David Zolot, Lincoln.

BROWN LEADS HUSKER TEAM NEXT SEASON

Stiner Tosses Football to New Captain at Annual Banquet In Honor of Gridmen

ONE THOUSAND ATTEND

Condra, Avery, Bearg, Rhodes, Ahlmannson Speak; 1926 Squad is Praised

Approximately one thousand men students of the University of Nebraska and Lincoln business men attended the annual Cornhusker banquet Friday evening at the Scottish Rite Temple, when the 1926 gridiron squad was thanked for their efforts which brought the past season to a successful close, and at which time John "Jug" Brown, heady quarterback, was chosen to lead the 1927 Cornhuskers.

At the close of the banquet, Captain Alonzo "Lonnie" Stiner acting in his last official capacity as the leader of the team, opened the sealed envelope which contained the name of the newly elected captain and, while every man in the room sat at close attention, threw the pigskin to Brown, symbolic of his selection. The new captain has been a letter man for two seasons, playing quarterback. He is known as a leading football man and is adept at eluding tacklers in the open field. "Jug" comes from Lincoln, and was a prominent high school football player.

Governor Sends Greeting

Judd Crocker introduced John Curtis, president of the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce, who acted as toastmaster. The first talk was given by Professor G. E. Condra, who spoke for Governor Adam McMullen. The governor was unable to attend, as he was forced to attend an important conference, but sent his greetings to the assembly. Chancellor Samuel Avery was the next speaker. He reviewed football history in Nebraska, and especially the coaches who have served here.

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WOMEN ATTEND ANNUAL PARTY

Honorary Societies Present Novel Skits; Variety of Costumes Shown

PRIZES ARE AWARDED

Nearly seven hundred girls, dressed in original and clever costumes, frolicked at the Girls' Cornhusker party Friday night in the Armory. The party began at 7:30, and by 10 o'clock, when the orchestra was ready to leave, the girls were begging for "just one dance more!"

The skits, put on by the honorary societies, were very unusual, and won hearty applause. The Mystic Fish chorus delighted everyone with their clever take-off on Xi Delta, Silver Serpents, and Mortar Board. The Fish were in green and orange costumes and had song and dance numbers.

The Tassel stunt too caused a great deal of merriment. The representation of well known advertisements brought shrieks of laughter as each new picture appeared. Xi Delta's pantomime was cleverly worked out, and the Serenade of Silver Serpents was very realistic.

Grand March is Feature

The grand march followed the presentation of the acts. Miss Clara Wilson, Miss Mable Lee, and Mrs. E. W. Lantz acted as judges, and awarded prizes to the following: funniest costume—Marie Portis, dressed as a red-headed country boy, whose grin revealed an alarming set of teeth; most unique—Helen Whitmore, as a scarecrow; and most original—Irene Schauf, dressed as a signal light, such as was recently installed at Twelfth and R streets. She carried a flash light under her costume, so the lights changed color as she moved about the room.

Honorable mention was awarded to the following: most unique—Helen Williams, as a convict with ball and chain, and Helen and Margaret Blish, dressed as an Indian chief and his squaw; most original—Marian Cass, as Father Time, and Leone Stage-man, as a black cat; and funniest—Wilhelmina Shellak and Margaret Schill, as a mother wheeling a baby in a buggy; and Doris Pinkerton, as Daniel Boone.

University Players Present "The Swan"

"The Swan", a three-act comedy, was presented December 9, 10, and 11, by the University Players in the Temple theater. Frances McChesney, '26, Omaha, played the lead as Princess Alexandria, with Harold Sumption as Hyacinth, Harold Felton as Prince Albert, Werner Mall as Caesar. Miss H. Alice Howell played the part of the Princess; Rose Cecil, George, Nancy Forsman, Arlene, Dwight Kirsch, stage manager, created striking effects with the draperies.

White Heads State High School Debating League

Professor Adelbert H. White of the department of English, who succeeded the late Professor M. M. Fogg as professor of debating and argumentation, and as coach of the University debating team, was elected president of the Nebraska State High School Debating league Thursday afternoon at the annual meeting of the League held in faculty hall of the Temple. Professor Fogg who founded the league was president of it for nineteen consecutive years, except for a time when he was in the service of the A. E. F. Superintendent C. K. Mores of the School of Agriculture at Curtis, is secretary-treasurer of the organization.

REGENTS MEET TO CONSIDER DEVELOPMENT

Board Recommends Decrease Of Traffic On North Fourteenth Street

GRANT ABSENCE LEAVES

Alexander, Andersen, Harper To Leave; Camp Chosen As New Instructor

The Board of Regents met yesterday at 11 o'clock in the Chancellor's office. Several appointments were made or confirmed and leaves of absence granted. The board discussed the effect of the discounting of University warrants drawn on the State General Fund. After the consideration of a number of plans and proposals, it was deemed inadvisable to take any action on the matter at present.

A small revolving fund was appropriated to the department of English to aid in the starting of the magazine known as "The Prairie Schooner." Leaves of absence without salary for the second semester were granted to Professor H. G. Alexander, Miss Emma N. Andersen and Floyd S. Harper. Dr. Chester C. Camp was appointed associate professor of mathematics beginning September 1, 1927.

Resolution is Passed

The following resolution was unanimously approved: "The Board of Regents has devoted a great deal of time during the past two years to a careful study of future campus extension and university development generally. A plan for such development to cover a long period of years has been worked out and given publicity, and has met apparently with considerable favorable comment. This Board is vitally interested in doing anything possible to bring about this university development and in opposing those things which in its opinion may retard or hamper a program of university growth.

Fourteenth Future Campus Center

"It is the opinion of this Board that Fourteenth Street from R Street north to the railroad tracks, in the city of Lincoln, will in a few years be in the heart of the downtown university campus. It is appreciated that this street cannot be entirely closed, but it is believed that this street should not be made a highway or a busy thoroughfare; that attempts should be made to direct traffic around rather than through the university campus; that any future development of North Fourteenth Street by the city of Lincoln and the state of Nebraska should contemplate the parking of Fourteenth Street from R north to the railroad tracks to thereby not only direct traffic around the campus rather than through it for reasons of safety, but also to thereby assist in beautifying the campus. Many persons desire (Continued on Page Two.)

WOMEN PLAN FOR "FOLLIES"

Entertainment Sponsored by A. W. S. Board to be Given January 21

"Co-ed Follies" put on by various organizations of the campus is being sponsored by the Associated Women Students for January 21.

This type of entertainment was inaugurated last year by the A. W. S. Board and proved a great success. Any group of girls or organization may compete by entering a skit, a musical comedy, or any type of entertainment that can be presented successfully.

The Temple has been secured for the evening of January 21. The program will begin at 7:30 o'clock and last approximately two hours.

Prizes Will Be Awarded

All acts will be judged and prizes awarded accordingly. Announcement of the prizes will be made later. Prizes were won by Phi Omega Pi and W. A. A. last year for the best skits. Kappa Alpha Theta received honorable mention. "A Girl in Every Post," "In Howdy Do Land," and "Penitentiary Blues" were the prize-winning skits presented by these organizations.

Skits should be handed in to any member of the A. W. S. Board. All skits must be submitted for their approval by noon of January 7.

There will be no tickets this year. Twenty-five cent admissions will be charged at the door.

Katherine McWhinnie, in charge of the general arrangements, has appointed Laura Margaret Eames and Helen Asch as her assistants and Pauline Bilon has charge of the publicity. Oral Rose Jack is assistant chairman.