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NEBRASKA WILL MEET GRINNELL IN DUAL DEBATE

Two Teams Will Argue Farm Relief Question Friday; Last Local Debate

TWO-MAN TEAMS USED
Hunt and Skiles Represent Nebraska Here; Fellman, Kezer go to Grinnell

University of Nebraska and Grinnell college debaters will meet in two split-team debates Friday on the question, "Resolved: That the essentials of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill should be enacted into Federal law." The home debate, which will be the last local debate on farm relief, will be held Friday afternoon in the Law college.

Two-man, instead of three-man teams, will be used in these debates as another innovation for Nebraska in intercollegiate debate circles. The two-man split-team system has become one of the most popular debate forms in the west.

Personnel of Teams

Everett M. Hunt, '28, Lincoln, will speak on the affirmative for Nebraska in the Lincoln debate and John A. Skiles, '28, Lincoln, will be Nebraska's negative speaker here. David Fellman, '29, Omaha, and Munro Kezer, '29, Fort Collins, Colo., will make the trip to Grinnell for the other debate. Fellman will speak on the affirmative at Grinnell and Kezer on the negative.

Nebraska's affirmative team on the question of farm relief engaged in a no-decision contest with a negative team from Kansas Aggies, Saturday, February 26. David Fellman, Lloyd Speer, and Everett M. Hunt represented the Cornhuskers against the Aggies. Negotiations are under way for a debate between Kansas University and the affirmative team.

Negative Team Gets Into Action

Negative speakers have not yet had a formal debate this season. Two members of the negative team, Skiles and Kezer, will get into action against Grinnell. The third member of the negative team, Dennis M. Dean, '29, Seattle, Wash., will complete the team which is scheduled to debate Iowa State at Ames on the same question April 9. This will finish the season for the Husker debaters. Before that date, Coach White hopes to have a dual debate with Creighton University on the parliamentary government question which was debated between the University of South Dakota and the University of Nebraska early in the season.

The Nebraska-Grinnell debate to be held here was originally scheduled for Friday night. The time was changed to the afternoon so as not to interfere with the Junior-Senior Prom.

RUGH WILL SPEAK AT TEMPLE DINNER

Will Give Principal Address at Stag Banquet for University Y. M. C. A. Members Wednesday

Arthur Rugh, for many years secretary of student Y. M. C. A. work in China, will be the principal speaker at the University Y. M. C. A. member's stag dinner to be held Wednesday evening at 7:15 in the "Y" rooms at the Temple.

Mr. Rugh is intimate with every type of Chinese life, traveling extensively in China and coming in contact with the various castes and their activities. Mr. Rugh, since he has been associated with student life in China, has come in contact with the Chinese Nationalist Movement, in which the Chinese student is playing such an active part.

"I consider Arthur Rugh one of the half-dozen ablest and best-informed speakers on China today in the country," stated C. D. Hayes, general secretary of the University Y. M. C. A. Mr. Hayes added that Mr. Rugh is the possessor of dynamic personality, and is one of the ablest men to speak on the Chinese student and his activities.

TRAIN GIRL RESERVE WORKERS

Miss Richter Conducts Groups Monday in Ellen Smith Hall

Beginning Monday, March 14, Miss Fae Richter of the City Y. W. C. A. will conduct a training group for all girls who are interested in Girl Reserve work in high schools. Those who plan to teach in high school next year are especially urged to come. Miss Richter is secretary of the Girl Reserve work in Lincoln with offices at the city Y. W. C. A. She is experienced in Girl Reserve work and is very capable of giving instruction in that line.

Nebraska's First Prom Girl Will be Selected From List of 300 Seniors

Men Will Vote on Representative Social Woman at Junior-Senior Prom Friday Evening; Ticket Sales Are Increasing.

Nearly three hundred University of Nebraska women will be eligible to receive the title "Nebraska Prom Girl," according to the registrar's records. The Prom Girl will be selected from the senior women by a vote of the night of the Junior-Senior Prom of all men who attend the affair.

Interest in the idea, which has never before been put forth at Nebraska, has grown so great that the Prom Committee has sent a letter to every fraternity on the campus in order that the possible favorites may be cut down to ten or a half dozen before Friday night. Announcement of the honor will be made at intermission of the dance.

Prom Girl is High Honor

The Prom Girl idea has been tried at other schools and at many has grown in proportions as to vie with other campus honors. If it is successful at Nebraska this year, and it promises to be that, it will be handed down from year to year along with the Queen of May and the Honorary Colonel. Nebraska has few social honors such as this for women and school authorities have said that they do not think another would be amiss on the campus.

Plans for the party are almost complete, and with a good ticket sale—such as everything now points to—the Junior-Senior Prom should end the winter party season in proper form. Louis Turner, in charge of ticket sales with Vikings and Silver Serpents, reports a fair sale, and anticipates the annual last-minute rush. Tickets for the party are selling at \$2.50, lower than other parties of its kind this year. They may be had from representatives in every fraternity on the campus and at the Co-Op and Long's Book stores. The party is not limited to juniors and seniors only, but is open to all classes.

Two Orchestras Furnish Music

Tracy Brown's Oklahomans and Beck's orchestras will furnish the (Continued on Page Three.)

ENGINEERS PREPARE MARCH BLUE PRINT

Made Ready for Distribution March 21; Decided at Luncheon to Publish Special Issue

The Nebraska Blue Print, Engineering publication, will be ready for distribution March 21, according to announcement from the College of Engineering. Subscriptions may be given to Eldred Morton, Homer Scott, or Ernest Pollard, of the Nebraska Engineering Society, to any of the Departmental Chairmen, or to the Co-Op Book Store. The subscription price, one dollar, also pays the dues of the Nebraska Engineering Society and the Departmental Society for the remainder of the school year.

It was decided at a luncheon and meeting of the staff that a special issue of the Blue Print would be distributed Engineer's Week, and that all members of the Nebraska Engineering Society would be given an extra copy to send to their parents or friends. Carl Olson and William Van Wie have been put in charge of local advertising, by Chester Hawke, business manager. Ray Lepicler and Kenneth Young will have charge of national advertising. R. R. Fowler has been chosen general manager to fill the vacancy caused by the absence of Forest R. Hall.

R. O. T. C. Band Adds to Spirit of Gatherings; Has Interesting History

It is a gala day during the football season. Streams of humanity flow toward the stadium. Cars full of laughing, shouting, singing students career recklessly around corners, all headed for the game as though drawn by a common magnet. Magnificent limousines—and some not so magnificent—in which the old grads ride, pull up sedately to the gate of the Nebraska Memorial Stadium. Co-eds in many-hued sweaters that rival the rainbow in brilliance swarm down the walk toward the campus.

Here Comes the Band!

Suddenly there is a burst of music, and around the corner swings the R. O. T. C. band to the tune of "There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight." Straight ranks of blue-gray uniforms and shining instruments, in front, a drum major whose bearskin shako almost sweeps the sky, and row upon row of swiping zuttons.

The music stops, and with a ruffle of drums, the band, seventy strong, marches proudly into the stadium, and to its time-honored seats in the front row, for what would a football

Three Hyannis Boys Take First Rail Ride

The annual state basketball tournament gave to three members of the Hyannis team their first thrill of a ride on the railway. It was the boys' first experience with a train. The team, headed by Claude W. Reynolds, superintendent as well as instructor of history, were runners-up in Class P.

Many alumni, including professors and coaches representing schools from all parts of the state, were visitors of the University during the days of the tournament.

STORRS SPEAKS TO ENGINEERS

Former Graduate Will Discuss Electric Problems at Dinner Tonight

STUDENTS ARE INVITED

Lucius S. Storrs, a former graduate of this University, and now managing director of the American Electric Railway Association, will give a talk to the Nebraska Section of A. I. E. E. on "Problems of the Electric Railway Industry," at the Grand Hotel this evening at 6:15 o'clock. There will be a charge of fifty cents a plate for all those who wish to eat luncheon there. All students of the university are cordially invited.

Mr. Storrs is an authority on his subject and has had wide experience in the practical operation, financing, and development of large electric railway properties.

At one time he was president of the New England Investment and Securities Company, and is at the present time a director of the Union Trust Company of Springfield, Massachusetts.

Experience Gained with Steam Roads

Mr. Storrs' first transportation experience was gained with steam roads in the northwest. Since that time his wide range of activities has been particularly noteworthy. As president of the Connecticut Company he was in direct charge of the operation of nearly all of the electric lines and many of the busses throughout the state of Connecticut. Later he became the managing director of this company, and while in this position he was successful in financing the organization and greatly improved it with his public relations work.

While head of the Connecticut Company, he served a term as president of the American Electric Railway Association, and during the war was chairman of the National Electric Railway Committee.

Graduated in 1890

Mr. Storrs graduated from here in 1890 with a B. Sc. degree. After considerable experience in the coal (Continued on Page Two.)

Discussions on Burner Topic Held This Week

All women who heard Miss Oolooah Burner of New York City when she spoke here several weeks ago on "The Divine Possibilities of Life," or who are interested in follow-up discussion on this topic are invited to a discussion group meeting at four o'clock on Mondays and Thursdays.

Marjorie Sturdevant has charge of the group on Mondays, and Asernath Schill on Thursdays. These discussions will continue for several weeks.

PLEDGING BILL IS DISCUSSED IN LEGISLATURE

Senator Banning Introduced Bill; Social Standards Are Too High

COMMENT IS EQUAL

Would Result in Financial Burden and All-Year Rushing, is Belief

"The social standards set up by fraternities and sororities are too high and as a result many students find it necessary to leave school because of the heavy expense incurred." Senator Banning told the Senate today when introducing the bill for second year pledging. Presenting the bill at the request of alumni, the senator said that these organizations set up an artificial standard of living.

The Pan-Hellenic and Inter-Fraternal Councils govern the Greek-letter organizations very strictly on such matters to which the Senator referred, Neil Adams, '27 replied. If fraternities had considered second-year pledging beneficial, a rule to that effect would have been enacted within the Council itself.

Locke Opposes Measure

"This bill would result in all-year rushing and would be an additional financial burden and a detriment to scholarship," Roland Locke stated in opposition to the measure. Mr. Locke showed the Senate that the scholarship standing of fraternity men was higher than that of non-fraternity men. Last year there were forty-eight fraternity men forced to leave the university because of delinquent grades as compared to the eighty non-fraternity men dropped for the same reason.

Verne Hedge, president of the Alumni Association, remarked that he was in favor of the measure, but not at the present time. In order to make the plan workable a new dormitory system would have to be installed. The present dormitory accommodations are inadequate.

General discussion followed these arguments. The bill will be considered and taken up Thursday by the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

AUTHORITY ON CHINA TO SPEAK AT FORUM

Mr. Arthur Rugh, Many Years in Charge of Y. M. C. A. in Orient Will Talk at Forum

Mr. Arthur Rugh, noted authority on China, is scheduled to speak at the weekly World Forum luncheon Wednesday. Mr. Rugh has been for many years in charge of Student Y. M. C. A. in China and comes to the University as one of the most renowned speakers of the year.

He has traveled all over China, visiting the universities and colleges and has acquired a broad knowledge of the conditions of student life in the Orient. He has just returned from his travels recently.

"I met Arthur Rugh last summer and he is worth going far to meet. He knows the student movement in China thoroughly and will be able to tell us some mighty interesting things about the new China which is making itself felt throughout the world," John Allison, president of the Y. M. C. A. stated yesterday.

LAW COLLEGE GIVES TUITIONS

Second Semester Scholarships Granted to Twenty-seven Students

The University of Nebraska Law College has recently granted scholarships for the second semester of 1926-27.

The scholarships were granted to those who made application for them and whose scholastic standing was high enough. In the junior and senior classes an average of 80 or above was required, while in the freshman class the lowest average to receive the honor of the scholarship was 82.

Twenty-seven men received the honor: nine seniors, eleven juniors, and seven freshmen. The scholarship amounts to the tuition of one semester in the law college.

The following men received scholarships:

Seniors: Harry Ashton, John C. Conley, Edward E. Eaton, H. S. Griminger, Philip M. Lewis, Alfred J. Luebs, Lloyd J. Marti, John W. Starr, Fred T. Vette.

Juniors: Paul B. Bowen, Harry B. Cohen, David F. Foster, Herbert S. French, Wm. H. Hein, Herbert E. Hill, John H. Kuns, John H. Leisveld, Philip H. Robinson, Harold E. Stanley, Ronald G. Yoder.

Freshmen: George A. Henley, Harry L. Ladbury, James R. Mansfield, Lumir F. Otradovsky, Elmer E. Thomas, Charles Wm. Ulig, Clarence C. Virtue.

Will Play at Prom



Tracy Brown's Oklahomans, who are noted for their novel features and rhythmic dance melodies, will provide part of the music and entertainment for the Junior-Senior Prom. Students who have heard this orchestra in Omaha have given their enthusiastic approval to the selection of this band for the evening.

MEANS TO SPEAK AT CONVOCATION

Colorado Senator Will Deliver Address on National Defense This Morning

SPONSORED BY VETERANS

Senator Rice W. Means, United States Senator from Colorado, who will address the University Convocation today on "Our National Defense," is National Commander of the United Spanish War Veterans. He is making a tour of the country in this capacity, and is visiting here through the auspices of the local chapter of that organization.

While in the city, Senator Means will be entertained by the United Spanish War Veterans and the Ladies' Auxiliary. He and Mrs. Means will be met at the Burlington station when he arrives this morning at 9 o'clock, by a reception committee and escorted to the Lincoln Hotel. He will address the University Convocation at 11 o'clock in the Temple Theater. From there he will go to a luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce.

May Address Legislature

In the afternoon Senator and Mrs. Means will be taken on an excursion trip around the city and the state institutions including the University and the Agricultural College. He will address a joint session of the legislature, if the necessary arrangements can be made. In the evening, he will give an address at a banquet given in his honor by the United Spanish War Veterans and their ladies. Mrs. Blanche M. Barker, of Massachusetts, president General (Continued on Page Three.)

ENGINEERS TO DISCUSS TRIP

Meeting Concerning Kansas City Trip Will be Held Thursday

A meeting will be held of all men expecting to go on the Engineers' inspection trip to Kansas City, April 4-8, Thursday at 5 o'clock, in M. E. 206. All questions in regard to the trip will be answered, and general information will be given regarding the tentative itinerary, where the men will stay while there and arrangements about securing positions while there.

At the present time eighty-six men have registered for the trip. The registration from the different departments are: Electrical, 32; Civil, 25; Mechanical, 11; Chemical, 9; Architectural, 7; Agricultural, 2.

Flashy Clothes and Antique Cars Proclaim the Coming of Spring

Spring must be here. Fur coats are about taboo, the grass is taking on a verdant aspect, and the campus is spiced with flaming color combinations in neckties, tabby seasonal dresses and smug spring coats. The cars are coming out after a long winter of hibernation, and there is many a familiar clatter and bang of a campus wreck that has had a four month lay-off, enough to make the bearings just a little more void of oil than they were the fall before, the tires just a little bit more uncertain and the upholstery a bit more frazzled and not thoroughly dried out from the winter's snows—and more noise than ever.

It is getting more difficult to make those afternoon classes, and more tedious than ever to pore over a book in the evening. The window is up and the curtain blows back in your face. There is something vivacious in that evening breeze. You chance a glance out the window and see a few drifts of clouds and a slice of moon. The study lamp snags off the chair is kicked over backward and the book bangs up in the corner. You are out in the evening air and convinced that spring is here.

Hayes to Give Talk at Vespers This Afternoon

Mr. C. D. Hayes, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will speak on Tuesday at 5 o'clock at Ellen Smith Hall.

Miss Helen Clarke has charge of the meeting.

COPPOCK DRIVE FALLS SHORT

Workers Raise \$679.70; Less Than Half of Amount Set as Goal

The annual Grace Coppock drive closed Monday evening less than half way to the goal set at the beginning of the campaign, with a total of \$679.70. Never since this fund originated has Nebraska failed to send less than fifteen hundred dollars to China, and in spite of the fact that some money will undoubtedly come in today from the campus and that the alumni pledges are not yet in there is little hope that the final sum will reach more than a thousand.

Helen Anderson's team, team I, has turned in more than any other and heads the list with \$138.00 to their credit. Team B, under Edna Schirck comes second with a total of \$83.25, while team M, under Ethel Saxton continues in third place with \$80.95.

The Grace Coppock drive is one of the two drives which the university Y. W. C. A. sponsors on this (Continued on Page Four.)

CARNIVAL HAS STYLE SHOW

Combined with Other Features in First Health Show at Nebraska

A style show will be a feature of the one cent Health Carnival to be given March 16 and 17, Wednesday and Thursday in the Women's Gymnasium from 2 to 5 o'clock.

A bar room, dancing, a fortune telling booth, a "house of horrors," a weight guessing contest, and silhouette booth have created such interest that all students who have no classes will undoubtedly attend the first Health Carnival ever given at Nebraska University.

Clogging, tumbling and dancing acts are a part of the number of skits obtained. An orchestra will play. The carnival, under the direction of W. A. A. and Physical Education Club, is open to men and women and the price of admission as well as for each attraction is one cent.

Favor Social Science

There is dozing in class. The stone work about Social Science is becoming warmer and one must hunt for a space big enough for two to sit on now. Barriers will probably be stuck on all the short-cuts across the campus lawn. Everything indicates that spring must be here. March 21 has come to mean nothing except to inform tardy ones that they can begin to think about putting out onion sets. For it is only a calendar beginning of spring. Campus dress and activity has heralded the season a week in advance.

Slickers will probably be necessary this week, as the weather reports prophesy rainy weather before Saturday. Until Wednesday we ought to enjoy balmy weather, then a slight cold wave and a rising temperature toward the end of the week—that is if you bank on weather reports.

Tuesday will show signs of being unsettled. It will probably be good kite flying weather. Monday was a warmer day by from three to ten degrees than is characteristic for this time of year. At three o'clock the approximate average for the day was 50 degrees. The lowest temperature Monday night was above freezing.

DATE SET FOR ANNUAL FROLIC TICKET SALES

Tickets Will be Available Next Monday; May Reserve Any Number of Seats

MARCH 28 IS OPEN NIGHT

Nine Skits May Complete the List; Orpheum Orchestra Will Furnish Music

Tickets for the annual University Night program will be available next Monday morning March 21, at ten o'clock, at the Orpheum Theater box office. The ticket sale for the annual frolic begins at that hour. The price of admission has been set at \$1.00 a seat, with the exception of the seats in the last ten rows of the balcony which can be had at seventy-five cents.

The date for the presentation of the University Night program has been set for Monday, March 28. This has been declared an open night for sororities that they may attend the performance. Box seats or seats on the main floor and in the dollar section of the balcony may be reserved. There is no limit set on the number of seats that might be reserved. Fraternities and sororities will thus be enabled to send a single representative to purchase a block of reserved seats that they may sit in aggregate. May Need a Curtain Skit

Thus far there have been nine skits accepted by the University Night Committee for presentation and it is probable that the list is complete, though there may be an addition of a short curtain burlesque. The evening of entertainment will last approximately two hours and twenty minutes, a full evening of clever performances. The regular Orpheum orchestra will furnish the music during the performances.

At the meeting of the University Night Committee, at 5 o'clock Monday evening these arrangements were made. It was further decided that Theta Sigma Phi, honorary journalistic sorority for women, should have charge of the compiling and printing of the programs.

There will be a great demand for the tickets this year and organizations and individuals are urged to bear this date in mind that they may obtain choice seats. The ticket sale begins on next Monday morning at 10 o'clock, at the Orpheum box office. Blocks of seats may be reserved by organizations. The minimum charge has been set at seventy-five cents for any seat in the last ten rows of the balcony. All other seats will be sold at a dollar.

UNIVERSITY CHOIR SINGS IN MISSOURI

Fifty Nebraska Students Appear with A Capella Choir in Kansas City Churches

Singing unaccompanied the master pieces of Bach and Mendelssohn, a choir of fifty University of Nebraska singers made its appearance at two churches in Kansas City, Sunday. The Nebraska choir is under the direction of John M. Rosborough.

Sunday morning the choir appeared at the First Baptist church, Linwood boulevard and Park avenue in Kansas City, and Sunday night appeared in the Linwood Boulevard Presbyterian church, Linwood Boulevard and Woodland avenue.

The singers arrived in Kansas City Saturday and were guests at a theater matinee in the afternoon and at a dinner in the Hotel Baltimore Saturday night. They returned to Lincoln yesterday morning.

FIRST AG MIXER TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Agricultural Students Plan Series of Parties; Given in Activities Building

The first Ag club mixer of the semester is being planned for Saturday night, March 19 at the Student Activities Building on the College of Agriculture Campus. This is to be the first of a series of parties and mixers as a social program for the college, according to Thome Johnson, '27, who is chairman of the committee.

The floor of the activities building is large enough for five hundred couples and will be freshly polished for the occasion. One of the best orchestras in town is promised for the music and an evening of the finest entertainment is assured.

Admission for the men is fifty cents. Ladies are admitted free. Every student in the University is invited, the committee has announced and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of this opportunity.