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MYSTERY PLAY GIVEN HERE IN FIRST SHOWING

University Players Present
'The Black Flamingo'
In Temple Today

CAST INCLUDES TWENTY
Plot and Action Are Based
On Events of French
Revolution

"The Black Flamingo," Janney's mystery play of the French Revolution, will be presented by the University Players Jan. 12, 13, and 14, with Beatrice Hullett and Cecil Schmidt in the leading roles of Nicole and Trigand, respectively. The play, which will be a costume drama, will be presented in the Temple Theatre.

The rest of the cast:
Bodier, an inkeeper.....Robert Reade
Clafide, a servant.....Ellen Hedge
Bourien.....Elwood Ramay
Francis.....Jay Storm
Eugene de Lussac.....Thad Cone
Diana.....Gertrude Rowe
Charlotte.....Pauline Gellately
A Priest.....Ray Ramsay
Pope.....Herbert Yenne
Gavroche.....Zolley Lerner
Bassange.....Bernard Maxey
Peasants and revolutionists.

The principals of the cast are all experienced players, having appeared in many plays productions. All members of the cast will be costumed according to the fashions of the turbulent period in which the action of (Continued on Page 3)

MICKEY READS PAPER AT DAKOTA MEETING

Unable to Address A.S.C.E. Tonight;
Wanted as Advisor For
Flood Committee

Professor C. E. Mickey, chairman of the Civil Engineering department, has been called to Sioux Falls, South Dakota, to deliver a paper before a meeting of the South Dakota Engineers and Architects on "A Plan or Policy for Developing the Missouri River and Its Tributaries."

Professor Mickey was scheduled to address the student branch of the American Society of Civil Engineers this evening, but will be unable to do so because of this appointment. The House of Representatives of the United States has requested the services of Professor Mickey as an advisor to the committee on flood control, and his application for leave of absence is before the Board of Regents. His work will keep him in Washington, but he will address the A. S. C. E. at a later date.

The lecture that was to be given this evening by Mickey was on the topic of "Conservation of Water Resources and Problems of Flood Control." In the absence of Professor Mickey the meeting of the A. S. C. E. will be held as scheduled, but will be a business meeting, taken up with the election of a new president to take the place of Floyd F. Fever who will be graduated at the close of the semester.

Spring Weather Will Stay Rest of Week, Says Weather Official

Spring weather has been forecasted for the remainder of this week. Students appearing on the campus may be assured of not becoming uncomfortable by discarding their overcoats. These driving cars need not have fear of radiators freezing. Reports from H. Carter of the department of weather bureau of the University are for little change in temperature the remainder of the week. Such days as yesterday and today are temperature record breaking days for the month of January. Fair weather has prevailed over the entire country and predictions show little change for the remainder of the week. Little or no rainfall has been predicted.

W. A. A. REQUESTS PICTURES

Group of Girls for Soccer Photographs Will Report Friday

The W. A. A. officials request the following girls to report for soccer pictures for the Cornhusker: Winona Ayres, Genevieve Carroll, Helen Clarke, Clara Cypresen, Ruth Kess, K. Shankland, Edna Bergstrasser, Genevieve Clayton, Edith Grau, Della Kolling, Clarice McDonald, Dorothy Oliver, Esther Peterson, Harriet Rodgers, Maude Stewart, Elsie Willson.

This group is to report at 12:15 o'clock Friday, January 13, at the campus studio.

Portray Leading Roles



Cecil Schmidt

Appearing in the roles of "Trigand" and "Diana de Lussac" respectively, Mr. Schmidt and Miss Rowe have the leading parts in "The Black Flamingo", which will be presented by the University Players tonight in the Temple theatre. This is the first presentation of this play by any stock company.



Gertrude Rowe

KAPPA SIGNS WIN FROM PHI SIGS

Take 24-19 Victory from Last
Year Champions in One
Of Feature Tilt

HOLD LEAD THROUGHOUT

In a fast floor game, the Kappa Sigs took the long end of the 2' to 19' count over Phi Sigma Kappa on the Coliseum floor last night. This game was in the championship round of the inter-fraternity basketball tourney and the Kappa Sig quintet kept its slate clean while the Phi Sig five dropped its second game of the tournament.

The game was fast throughout and after the first stanza the Kappa Sigs took the lead and held it throughout the game. The score at the end of the initial quarter was knotted at 5 to 5. At half time, Kappa Sigma lead 15 to 9 and at the end of the third quarter, held the lead 19 to 13. Fisher, star Lincoln high forward from last year, was high scorer for the losers and played a fast floor game to score nine points during his stay in the fray. Kronkright and (Continued on Page 4)

WELFARE WORKER SPEAKS THIS WEEK

Miss Mildred Ducklin Will Talk on
"Family Social Work" at Ag
College Forum

Miss Mildred Ducklin of the Social Welfare Society will speak on "Family Social Work" at the College of Agriculture World Forum this week. These meetings are held at the Home Economics Hall every Thursday noon.

This talk will serve as a continuation of the social problem talk recently given at one of these meetings by Miss Anna Cameron, social extension worker. Such a large interest was manifested in this talk, according to Anton Frolik who is in charge, that Miss Ducklin has been asked to speak on the same subject.

A small change is being made in the plans this week. Instead of taking their trays up to room 213, those attending are requested to eat their lunches in the regular cafeteria, and then go up for the meeting.

Returned Rhodes Scholars Choose Varied Fields for Their Life Work

Education, religion, law, and journalism are the professions into which Nebraska's fourteen returned Rhodes scholars have gone. Sixteen have entered Oxford since 1904 and Robert N. Lash, the seventeenth Rhodes scholar will leave for Oxford next October.

Of the fourteen who have returned from England five are now instructors in colleges. Churches have claimed three, of whom one is deceased; the law, five; and newspaper work, one. Four of the returned scholars are making their homes in Nebraska, two now living in Lincoln.

Raymond H. Coon of Grand Island College left with the initial group of scholars twenty-three years ago to scholars in Nebraska. Since then the state of Nebraska has been represented by one student from Cotner, one from Hastings college, one from Nebraska Wesleyan, one from Creighton, one from Cornell University, seven who had received all of their college training at the University of Nebraska, and three who had taken part of their university work at Nebraska.

The maintenance of a certain number

Steel Is Subject of M. E. Lecture Tonight

Dr. C. J. Frankforter, professor of industrial chemistry, will lecture on the preparation of steel at an open meeting of the chemical engineers in M. E. 206 at 8 o'clock this evening. The lecture will accompany a Bureau of Mines film "The Story of the Alloys of Steel."

Faculty Work For Last Year Is Collected

In order that alumni and students may know what the members of the faculty have accomplished in research and scholastic work, a collection is being compiled of the names of all subject matter printed in 1927, which has been written by members of the faculty.

More than 550 letters have been sent to the faculty of the University and Medial College in Omaha asking them to send in the names of the articles of their authorship which have been printed. About 40 answers have been received by V. Royce West, editor of the Nebraska Alumnus, who is sponsoring this activity in conjunction with the magazine. The list will be published in the February issue of the "Nebraska Alumnus". West yesterday declared that he is assured of the success of the project because of the interest the faculty is already taking in it.

A blank form is sent to each member of the faculty requesting him to list the title, publisher, place, date, periodical, and volume of essays, stories, articles and poems. Mr. J. Harris Gable, of the University library, will compile the bibliography. (Continued on Page 3)

Graduate Now in Army Returns to His Work

An article "Some Investigation in Nebraska Clay" by Arthur J. Rymes, '25, appears in the January issue of The Journal of the American Ceramic Society. This article is the result of research work by Mr. Rymes under the direction of Dr. C. J. Frankforter of the chemistry department for which Mr. Rymes received his master's degree in the summer of 1927. Mr. Rymes is now employed by the Proctor and Gamble Company at Kansas City.

GRACE COPPOCK TEA SCHEDULED THIS AFTERNOON

All University Women Invited
To Ellen Smith Hall from
4-5:30 O'clock

PLAN POSTER DISPLAY
Musical Numbers and Talk by
Chinese Student Included
In the Program

All university women are invited to the Grace Coppock tea to be held from 4 to 5:30 o'clock this afternoon at Ellen Smith hall. The purpose of the tea is to acquaint the students with the missionary work accomplished in China by Miss Grace Coppock and her successor, Miss Vera Barber.

Posters which portray Y. W. C. A. activities in China have been secured from the Womens' Union Christian Colleges in Foreign Fields, a national organization, with the central office located in New York City. This elaborate poster display was shown at the Detroit convention and has been loaned to the University of Nebraska Y. W. C. A.

Other features of the entertainment will be some musical numbers and a talk by Chen-Shih Yuan, a student from Honan, China. Miss Williams of the City Y. W. C. A., has loaned some Chinese art work and costumes. Refreshments will also carry out the Chinese tone.

Miss Erma Appleby will preside at the tea table during the first hour and Miss Williams during the second hour.

Mildred Olson is general chairman (Continued on Page 3)

JUNIOR STOCK TEAM LEAVES FOR DENVER

Will Take Part in Student Contests
Conducted by Western
Livestock Show

The Nebraska junior livestock judging team left Wednesday evening at six o'clock for Denver where they will participate in the student judging contest conducted by the Western Livestock Show. The members of the team are: Warren Rice, Ainsworth; Clarence Bartlett, Bird City, Kansas; Harold Fulcher, Holyoke, Colorado; Guy McReynolds, Fairfield; William Heuermann, Grand Island; Victor Sander, Leigh, and "Dad" Weber, coach.

The Junior team has "taken" the Denver contest for the last two years. This year's team appears to be as good as last year's team; so they should make it three straight by winning the contest Saturday.

The members of the junior team are eligible to try out for the senior team next fall which enters the contests at the National Swine Show, the Kansas City Royal and the Chicago International.

METHODISTS TO GIVE PLAY

University Students Will Present
"The Rock" Sunday

The "Wesley Players" dramatic club of Methodist university students will present a religious play, entitled "The Rock" at St. Paul's M. E. Church Sunday evening. The play which is in three acts is under the direction of Harriette Dell Barr.

The cast is: Milo Price as Simon Peter, Harold Woods as Ucal, Melinda Keller as Deborah, Irene Fee as Magdala, Dudley Dobbs as Agur, Buheman as Titus and Charles Swan and Aileen Strubbs as servants.

Nebraskan and Augwan Applications Due Friday

Applications for appointments to the following positions will be received by the Student Publication Board until Friday noon, January 13:

The Daily Nebraskan: Editor-in-chief, contributing editors, managing editor, assistant managing editors, news editors, assistant news editors. Business—business manager, assistant business manager, circulation managers.

Augwan: editor, associate editor, business manager. Application blanks may be got at the office of the secretary (student activities office, Coliseum) and at the office of the School of Journalism (U104). Applicants are expected to submit evidence as to their qualifications for filling the positions for which they apply. (Material already on file need not be duplicated.)

J. K. Sellock, Secretary Student Publication Board.

Only Two Days Left for Cornhusker Photographs

Only two days remain for pictures to be taken for fraternity or sorority groups for the 1928 Cornhusker, according to Dwight Wallace, editor. Saturday, members of the staff will start making up the panels for that section of the book. The pictures are being taken at Hauck's or Townsend's.

LISTLESS PLAY MARKS QUINTET

Husker Basket-Tossers Go
Through Blow Session
With Yearlings

GO TO DES MOINES NEXT

With their fifth Valley contest scheduled for Saturday night at Des Moines, the Cornhusker hoopssters put in a listless practice session on the Coliseum court Wednesday afternoon. The varsity men are to meet the Drake Bulldogs Saturday, January 14 on the Iowa court.

At present, the two Saturday night opponents are tied for seventh place with a mutual percentage of .250. Drake has beaten the Oklahoma Aggies while the Huskers pulled out their lone victory in an upsetting game with Missouri.

Predictions for victory are absent in both camps. Both teams have been playing in and out basketball so far this season, being particularly good about one night in four. Myers of Drake is in fourth place in the Valley scoring while Nebraska's representative, Tom Elliott, ranks twenty-first with thirteen points to his credit. The average of the Nebraska team taken as a whole compares more favorably with the Drake average, however, and the two teams seem matched as far as offensive strength is concerned.

Nebraska cagers plan to leave late Friday afternoon for the Bulldog camp. The number and personnel of the squad has not yet been decided by Coach Charley Black but ten or twelve men will probably make the trip.

Wednesday's drill session with the yearling quintet-as opponents was nothing to cheer the heart of Coach (Continued on Page 3.)

New College At Wisconsin Draws Notice

The work of the Experimental college of the University of Wisconsin, under the direction of Alexander Meikjohn, formerly of Amherst, is attracting nationwide attention. The Experimental college was recently created for the purpose of allowing students greater latitude in the pursuance of their college careers.

Students are not required to attend lectures, but are allowed to work along with advisors. The Experimental college entered just before the holidays on its second stage—the program which will carry through nearly all the remainder of the year.

The first 10 weeks of the college found the 120 freshman students and their 11 advisors digging into the translations of the works of great Greek historians, philosophers, and writers of literature, and modern comments on the period, in an endeavor to build up an understanding of the whole civilization of Athens (Continued on Page 3)

STUDENT COUNCIL VOTES TO BAN CLASS HONORARIES

Innocents and Mortarboards only Societies to Escape Axe;
All Rough Initiations in Honoraries and
Professionals Are Tabooed

FACULTY COMMITTEE HAS FINAL DECISION OF ACTION

Expected that Faculty Will Hear Appeals from Any that
Wish to Present Them; Rulings of Council to
Be Handed to Above Group Today

Unanimously recommending that the six lower class honorary societies should be abolished, effective June 1; that Innocents and Mortarboard should be permitted to continue their existence; that rough initiations in honorary and professional clubs and societies be abolished; and that sororities again be permitted to sell subscriptions to student publications, the Nebraska Student Council, in its meeting in the Temple Wednesday afternoon, wound up its consideration of the question of honorary societies with the unqualified acceptance of the report of its committee which has been investigating the honoraries.

Vikings, Silver Serpents, Iron Sphinx, Xi Delta, Green Goblins, and Mystic Fish are the societies affected by the Council's action. All would be dissolved June 1 if the Council's action is approved by the faculty committee on student organizations to which it will be presented today. Power for action lies in the hands of that committee. It is expected that the societies affected will be given a chance to present an appeal to the faculty committee if they so desire.

CO-ED FOLLIES ARE POSTPONED

Date Changed to February 17;
Skits Received Until
January 21

PRIZES ARE OFFERED

The Co-ed Follies, under the auspices of the Associated Women Student Board, will be presented on the evening of February 17 instead of January 21 as had been formerly announced. Laura Margaret Raines is chairman of the affair which will be held from 7:30 to 9 o'clock in the Temple.

Any group of girls who wish to put on an act may do so by presenting a short summary of their skit to Laura Margaret Raines by January 21. A committee from the Associated Women Student Board will select the best skits, as only a limited number can be presented. The presenting of skits is not limited to members of organizations as any group of three or more girls may present their skit for selection by the Follies committee. Prizes will be awarded for the best skits.

The Associated Women Student Board for the past two years has sponsored the Co-ed Follies. The money made by the presentation of the Follies will go into the general fund of the Associated Women Student Board, which will eventually be used for the financing of a Cooperative house, on the University of Nebraska campus.

MISSIONARY FIELD DISCUSSED BY HI-Y

Morton, Smith, and Groth Talk to
Assembly of Sixty Men at
Wednesday Banquet

The Hi-Y building last night held a group of about sixty men interested in the field of missions. Perry W. Morton, Richard B. Smith, and Wendell Groth gave talks to the assembly. This was the annual alumni meeting and the various talks were (Continued on Page 4)

The Council took up the matter of the class honoraries early in the fall when the usual outcry against them was raised. Action was postponed while the Council was preparing for the meetings of the National Student Federation of America held here in December.

Report Accepted
The committee proposed to investigate the honoraries renewed its investigation following the holidays and presented a twelve-page type-written report, completely analyzing the honorary situation on the Nebraska campus at yesterday's meeting. The committee's report was accepted by the Council with but one minor change in wording. This attempted to clarify the Council's action against rough initiations. With this change, the entire report was unanimously adopted by the Council after over an hour's discussion.

Belief that the work of the honorary class societies could be handled in other ways and that their social activities were not justification for their existence was the chief factor in the committee's recommendations. Fear that abolition of these societies would remove a method of conducting subscription drives led to the Council's recommendation that sororities again be permitted to participate in such campaigns. Competition in publication sales campaigns was furnished by the sororities before being turned over to the class societies several years ago.

Senior Societies Remain
Innocents and Mortarboards, senior class societies, were given a clean slate by the Council in its investigation. The committee after investigation reported that they were handling sufficient duties satisfactorily to justify their existence and also that honorary organizations were justified in the senior class where they were hardly justifiable as such in the lower classes.

Investigation of the honoraries forced the committee farther afield (Continued on Page 2)

MOZER DESCRIBES DETROIT MEETING

Delegate Tells of Value of Meeting
Representatives of Other
Lands and Ideas

"I consider the importance of getting in touch with other people, not only the diplomats of the world, but common ordinary people, as shown to me at the Student Volunteer Convention at Detroit, one of the best things which was offered," stated Anatole Mozer, delegate to the recent convention in Detroit, at the World Forum luncheon yesterday.

Speaking on the subject, "Echoes from Detroit," Mr. Mozer described the convention, some of the 4,000 delegates and explained what was accomplished. He declared that one of the current questions debated by the League of Nations is the "Practical Situation with the Missionaries." According to Mr. Mozer, the four main questions discussed by the convention were: international peace, the growing international mind, in (Continued on Page 3)

Graduate Writes for Ceramic Publication

Fred B. Ryans, '00, is returning to Washington, D. C., today. Mr. Ryans was four years on the General Staff Detail of the U. S. Army and was formerly national secretary of the B. A. R. Officers Association of the U. S. Army. He has been visiting friends and relatives over the holidays.