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## PAN-HELLENIC GROUP PLANS MAY BANQUET

**Announcement of Scholarship Standings of Sororities Will Be Made**

**WILL PRESENT TROPHIES**  
Organizations Having Highest Averages Will Receive Silver Baskets

"May Day" will be the feature carried out in the annual Pan-Hellenic banquet scheduled for May 1 in the Coliseum. The announcement of scholarship standings of sororities will be part of the program. One of the most colorful formal banquets of the year will be held when twenty-one tables for the twenty-one sororities on the campus will be laid for both active and alumni members of Greek letter organizations. The banquet is usually attended one hundred percent by active members of sororities.

One of the features of the May Day banquet will be the revealing of the large tablet bearing the names of the twenty-one National Pan-Hellenic sororities arranged in order of their scholastic standing. The four  
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## LEADERS MEET TO CHECK RUST

**Convention at Ag College Ends With Afternoon Session And Tour of City**

**PROJECT IS EXTENSIVE**

National convention of leaders in barberry eradication, which has been in progress all week at the College of Agriculture, closed yesterday afternoon with a session in the Plant Industry building, followed by a tour of Lincoln and surrounding vicinity. The program yesterday morning consisted of talks by E. A. Lungren, Colorado; Lynn D. Hutton, Washington, D. C., and P. W. Rohrbach, Iowa. In the afternoon Mr. Hutton, who is the national leader of barberry eradication, spoke again and the closing address was given by Dr. C. R. Ball, in charge of the office of cereal crops and diseases, Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Cooperates With Colleges  
Barberry eradication is an extensive project under the direction of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, working in cooperation with the state agricultural colleges and experiment stations, state departments of agriculture.

Stem rust is a fungus disease which causes tremendous damage to wheat, oats, barley and rye. In 1916,  
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## Ad Club Is Accepted By Alpha Delta Sigma

**Local Chapter Will Be Installed In Few Weeks; Has Handled Publicity Programs**

Word has been received by members of the Ad club, that their petition to Alpha Delta Sigma, national advertising fraternity, has been accepted. The local chapter will be installed within a few weeks.

The Ad club has been prominent in handling publicity for University activities—programs, signs, etc., for Varsity parties and affairs of like nature.

Three of the seventeen chapters of Alpha Delta Sigma are found in the Missouri Valley, all of them active in advertising work.

In a recent election of officers James Pickering was re-elected president. Other officers are: Elton Fee, vice-president; John Wylie, treasurer; Lyman Cass, secretary.

## Vocational Expert Comes Here



Mrs. Florence Robnett, managing director of the Chicago Bureau of Occupations comes to Lincoln under the auspices of the A. W. S. board. She will hold a number of conferences with women students, in which she will give detailed information concerning opportunities in specific vocational lines.

## MRS. ROBNETT WILL DISCUSS VOCATIONS

**Director of Bureau of Occupations Will Give Information on Opportunities**

Mrs. Florence Robnett, managing director of the Chicago Bureau of Occupations will be in Lincoln, Monday and Tuesday, under auspices of the Associated Women Students' board, to give specific and detailed information concerning opportunities and qualifications in vocational lines of interest to individuals. Mrs. Robnett's program during the two days that she is here will be as follows: Monday—Convocation, 11 o'clock, Temple; journalism, group conference, 2 o'clock, Ellen Smith Hall; library, group conference, 3 o'clock, Ellen Smith Hall; tea room and cafeteria conference group, 4 o'clock, Ellen Smith Hall.

Tuesday: laboratory conference group, 10 o'clock, Ellen Smith Hall; secretarial work conference, 11 o'clock, Ellen Smith Hall; College of Agriculture Vespers, Student Activities.  
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## WOMEN HOLD PLAY FESTIVITIES IN GYM

**Sixty Physical Education Majors And Faculty Members Are Sophomores' Guests**

Sixty physical education majors and members of the faculty of the department of physical education for women attended a play festivity given in the women's gymnasium Saturday afternoon. Sophomores of the department were hostesses. A Dutch theme was carried out in favor dances and in refreshments which included root beer and pretzels. A tap dance by Miss Dorothy Babcock was a feature of the afternoon.

Committees for the affair were: general arrangements, Eleanor Dam, Cornelia Weaver; invitations, Sue Hill, Louise Fugate; refreshments, Edna Schrick, Della Hoy.

## 'Observance of Lent Gives Fine Unity to Churches', Says Leland

Editor's Note: This is the third of a series of interviews with the University's student pastors concerning the Lenten season and its relation to University life which will be published by The Daily Nebraskan.  
(By Cliff F. Sandahl)

"What impresses one in the growing observance of Lent is that year by year the churches more and more experience a fine unity in this matter of vital religion," said Dr. Dean E. Leland, Presbyterian student pastor, in an interview Saturday afternoon. "Rev. Foy and Rev. Erek have explained in recent issues of The Daily

Nebraskan the meaning and significance of Lent, so it is not necessary for me to add what they have so fully explained," he continued.

Forget Church Differences  
Throughout the country, according to Dr. Leland, during the past few weeks, men and women, forgetting their differences of church, class and creed have unconsciously united in cooperative services of worship and meditation. They have been expressing what is so vital in their lives, a simple recognition of God in prayer and worship.  
"We are greatly indebted to the  
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## 'Artful Dress' Will Be Museum Meeting Topic

The museum's weekly program at 4 o'clock Sunday in Morrill hall will be a chalk talk by Miss Lavada Zutter and Miss Marjorie Shanafelt, both of the museum staff. "Artful Dress" is the title of the program. The modes of dress and their development to the present day will be explained.

## TOMAN LEADS 1929 MATMEN

**Wrestlers Choose 158-Pound Artist to Captain Team Next Year**

## HAS TWO HUSKER LETTERS

Joe Toman, 158 pound wrestler on the Nebraska varsity grappling squad was chosen captain of the 1929 contingent last week, according to announcement yesterday by Herbert D. Gish, acting athletic director.

Toman, who hails from St. Paul, Nebraska, earned his second wrestling letter this year, by virtue of steady performance in the Missouri Valley matches. He has been one of the mainstays on the team, meeting defeat but twice during the past season. Barring mishap, Coach Kellogg is counting strongly on Toman to uphold Nebraska's honors in the Valley championship matches next year, which annually settle supremacy in the conference. Toman is a junior and a member of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity.

## Knickers Bring Stocking Evils To Husker Men

(By Bill McCleery)

"The black Sox just got a runner in!" exclaimed an Alpha Sig. No—we're not talking about baseball, but since spring has started the knicker (the K is silent like a Kappa in an 8 o'clock) had the men are beginning to have difficulties with the long-stockings.

Nebraska has always looked with disfavor upon knickers. It looks now as if they had gained a foothold, however, for we noticed somebody besides the Phi Psi wearing them yesterday. In fact everyone blossomed out in them Saturday. It remains to be seen whether the nerve will keep up and they will be worn to classes Monday morning.

There are good features about knickers (we just couldn't refrain from putting a parenthesis here even  
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## BAND CONCERT WILL HAVE TWO SOLOISTS

**Soprano and Trumpet Solos Feature Second Appearance Today in University Armory**

The University of Nebraska R. O. T. C. band, under the direction of Prof. William T. Quick, will appear in its second concert of the season at the University Coliseum Sunday at 3 o'clock, featuring Miss Vera Upton, soprano soloist, and Mr. Raymond McCormack, cornet soloist.

The program:  
1. Coronation March From "The Prophet"—Meyerbeer.  
2. Valse Lento—Sphinx—Francis  
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## KOSMET KLUB SELECTS MEN TO MAKE TOUR

**First Announcement Is Made Of 'Love Hater' Cast; All Are Declared Eligible**

## REHEARSALS OPEN TODAY

**Entire Group Will Practice Monday; Ten-Piece Band Accompanies Troup**

Final selection of the all-male cast for "The Love Hater" was made by the Kosmet Klub Friday. All men whose names appear on the lists which follow have been found scholastically eligible to make the Kosmet Klub tour during spring vacation.

## The Cast of Characters

Sylvia Sylvester, a former follies girl  
—Al Ernst  
Madame La comtesse de Clairenne  
—Howard Payne  
Phillip Cornell, a young college professor  
—Jack Wheelock  
Vernon Ladd, the professor's secretary  
—Bud Bailey  
Eleanor Harper, a young co-ed  
—Charles Dox  
Mrs. Harper, her mother  
—Lynn Twinem  
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## STUDENT POLL ELECTS HOOVER

**Dawes Is Second, Smith Third; No Change in Order Is Seen Since First Returns**

## INSTRUCTORS COOPERATE

Herbert Hoover increased his lead in The Daily Nebraskan's presidential preference race with the return of Saturday's ballots and the close of the "straw vote". Hoover's total of votes is 757 as compared with Charles G. Dawes' 366, and Alfred E. Smith's 268. These three men, the first two of whom are Republicans, led the University of Nebraska poll.

Since the return of the first ballots no change in the order of the presidential possibilities has occurred. More than 3,000 ballots were sent out by The Daily Nebraskan for voting in 9 o'clock classes last Wednesday. Through the cooperation of those instructors who had 9 o'clock classes a vote was taken at the below.

## Hoover Wins Student Poll With 757 Votes

Herbert Hoover	757
Charles G. Dawes	366
Alfred E. Smith	268
Charles E. Hughes	236
George W. Norris	163
Frank Lowden	116
James A. Reed	68
Charles E. Borah	42
Thomas J. Walsh	35
Charles Curtis	33
Edwin T. Meredith	16
Albert C. Ritchie	12
Oscar W. Underwood	10
Frank B. Willis	8
Vic Donahey	6

## University Represented At Chicago Convention

H. G. James, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, W. H. Morton, A. A. Reed, and F. E. Hendick represented the University faculty at the Chicago meeting last week of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

## Seniors' Commencement Invitations Are Available

Commencement invitations will be available at Long's College book store and the Co-Op book store on Monday, according to an announcement by Ray Randels, president of the senior class.

## OTHMER IS NEW CAGE CAPTAIN

**New Pilot Has Served Two Years on Varsity; He Took Part in Most of Games**

## PLAYS ONE MORE SEASON

Kenneth Othmer, '29, Omaha, was elected captain of the 1928-1929 basketball team at a meeting of letter-men held Thursday afternoon. Votes were checked Friday and the result kept secret until late Saturday afternoon.

The new captain has been on the basketball squad for the last two years at a forward and center position. He participated in practically all of the games during the past season. Othmer is especially effective on follow-in shots.

## Played at Omaha

Playing his prep school basketball at Omaha Tech, Othmer made the team every year during his four years in school. In addition, he participated in track and football at the Omaha school, earning his letter four times in each sport.

Othmer will play his last year at Valley competition next year. In case Munn, elongated center, is unable to get in the game, Othmer will probably be groomed to take his place.

He is enrolled in the College of Business Administration and belongs to Kappa Sigma fraternity.

## LARUE WINS STOCK JUDGING CONTEST

**Hedlund Is Second, McReynolds Third; Winners Have Names Engraved on Plaques**

Clarence LaRue, Curtis, won the annual students' judging contest sponsored by the Block and Bride club of the College of Agriculture, Saturday, March 24. Glen Hedlund, Chappell and Guy McReynolds, Fairfield were second and third, respectively.

The contest is composed of sophomores and juniors in the College of Agriculture. They judge ten classes of breeding and fat stock and reasons are given on six of the classes. The two high men of the contest of all classes will have their names engraved on a plaque, and the high man of each class has his name engraved on a separate plaque for that class, horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs. These  
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## Pops Win First Round Game in Extra Period

An extra period was required for Phi Omega Pi to nose out Alpha Xi Delta, 29-26, in the first round of the co-ed intramural volleyball tournament played Saturday afternoon. In the same round Delta Zeta defeated Alpha Delta Theta, 45-23.

Phi Omega Pi will meet Theta Phi Alpha in the semi-finals Friday, March 30, and Delta Zeta will fight it out on the same date with Phi Mu. The losing teams will play off a consolation tournament. Finals in the main tournament are scheduled for March 31.

## 145 STUDENTS MAKE COVETED AVERAGE OF 90

**Four Undergraduates Maintain 95% Records for First Semester 1927-28**

## WOMEN OUTNUMBER MEN

**Barbs Lead Greek Members By Two to One; Juniors Win Class Race**

One hundred forty-five undergraduate students of the University maintained averages of 90 percent. For the first semester of the 1927-28 school year, according to information announced by Miss Florence L. McGahey, registrar, Saturday morning. Four students had averages of 95 percent or above.

Two men and two girls maintained the 95 percent standing. They were: Marjorie Ann Stuff, who carried twelve hours with an average of 95.58 percent; Myron Otas Johnson, who carried sixteen hours with an average of 95.06 percent; Eleanor Jean Paul, who carried fifteen hours with an average of 95.0 percent and Lynn Thomas Anderson, who carried twelve hours with an average of 95.0 percent.  
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## GRUMMANN WILL EXPLAIN OPERA

**Director of School of Fine Arts Appears on Tuesday Morning Program**

## TWO MORE ARE PLANNED

Prof. Paul H. Grumann, director of the University School of Fine Arts, will give an interpretation of "Il Trovatore", the opera which will be presented by the Chicago Civic Opera company at the Coliseum Thursday, in a lecture at University convocation Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, in the Temple Theater.

Two more convocation programs, which are open to the public, are arranged. On April 5, Major-General Harry A. Smith, commanding general, seventh corps area, Fort Omaha, will speak on "The Profession of Arms and Leadership."

On March 30 Clayton Hamilton, one of the most distinguished authorities on the theater in America, will deliver two lectures at the Temple Theater. At 11 o'clock, he will speak on "Oliver Goldsmith; His Plays and Place in the Theater", and at 2 o'clock on "The Theater of Yesterday and Today."

Mr. Hamilton was for twenty years lecturer on dramatic literature at Columbia University, and has been successful as a writer. His "Manual of the Art of Fiction" is accepted as a standard work and is studied as a text in more than two hundred universities and colleges.

## BOXERS LAND K.O. IN FINAL MATCHES

**Winners Will Enter Omaha Try-outs For American Olympic Team, April 13 and 14**

Final matches in the all-university boxing tournament were held yesterday afternoon at the Coliseum, fast bouts characterizing the championship conflicts. Two knockouts were scored in the battles, both coming in the final round. All the fights were scheduled to go three rounds.

In the 125-pound class, Dingman carried off a decision over Toohy in a rugged match. Both men were laboring hard at the finish and seemed somewhat fatigued after two fast frames.

Rock, 135-pound finalist, hung a knockout on Cherry, the other aspirant for honors. Cherry was down three times in the final round before Rock could land the K. O. blow. The men fought on fairly even terms in the opening round but Rock wore his adversary down in the second with several hard body punches.

In the 147-pound division Foet kept up his string of easy victories by knocking out Freud in the third round. Freud was helpless before his rugged opponent, fighting a purely defensive battle throughout, and was down several times in each round.

Redd and Wilson in the 160 pound bracket fought a lively battle which went an extra round, the decision going to Redd. The decision was received unfavorably by the gallery who thought Wilson had held the upper hand in the deciding round. The winner fought a cautious fight and  
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## Stem Rust Experts Hold Convention



Leaders in the national program of barberry eradication, have been in session at the College of Agriculture all last week. The project is under the direction of the U. S. Department of Agriculture working in cooperation with state departments and sectional associations. The men whose pictures appear above are prominent in this work. They are: Dr. E. C. Stakman, black stem rust expert, University of Minnesota; Lyman D. Hutton, National leader of barberry eradication, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and Dr. C. R. Ball, in charge of office of Cereal Crops and Diseases, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.



## Dispensary Cares for Many Influenza Cases

From sixty to seventy cases of influenza and grippe have been cared for daily by the student health department during the past two weeks. None of the cases was serious. The dispensary normally cares for about thirty persons daily.