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MISS KLEEMAN WINS AWARD AS BEST SCHOLAR

Senior Journalist Receives Pan-Hellenic Ranking; Average 94.71.

OTHER WINNERS LISTED

Mary Ann Weaver and Helen Cooper Win Sophomore, Freshmen Prizes.

Moselle Kleeman, Lincoln, senior in the school of journalism, was announced by Marian Rose, Pan-Hellenic student chairman, as the highest ranking woman in any of the three lower classes of the university last year at the annual Thanksgiving convocation, held Tuesday morning in the Temple theater.

In addition to the making of the Pan-Hellenic awards, the morning program included a presentation of Maunder's "Harvest Thanksgiving Contata," by a mixed quartet. The singers were Vera Augusta Upton, soprano; Mrs. R. O. Hummel, contralto; Homer K. Compton, tenor; and Edward C. Boehmer, bass. Mrs. Edith B. Ross acted as accompanist.

Miss Kleeman was accredited with thirty-five hours last year, averaging 94.71, weighted average, 97.21. Mary Ann Weaver, Falls City, college of arts and sciences, accredited with thirty-four hours last year, and an average of 93.88, weighted average 95.88, received the award for the highest ranking woman in the sophomore class of last year.

To Helen Evangeline Cooper, Lincoln, went the award for the highest grades received among the women of last year's freshman class. Miss Cooper's record shows thirty-one hours accredited to her, with an average of 93.67, weighted average 94.17. She is enrolled in the teachers college.

Winners Receive Pins.

An innovation in the making of the Pan-Hellenic awards was the presentation of the scholarship pins to the girls at the time of the making of the announcement. In previous years, the custom has been to merely announce the awards and to give the pins at a later date.

Honorary mention to members of last year's junior class was made to Brigitta Koerting, Lincoln, teachers college, 36 hours, average 92.69, weighted average 95.69; Beulah Montgomery Hickman, teachers college, 32 hours, average 94.03, weighted average 95.03; and Veronica Hanlon, Fremont, college of arts and sciences, 35 hours, average 92.4, weighted average, 94.9 Miss Montgomery was the winner of the Pan-Hellenic prize for sophomore women one year ago.

Those listed for honorary mention in last year's sophomore class were Dollie Ruth Burwell, Weston, teachers college, 34 hours, average 93.55, weighted average 95.55; and Charlotte Wells, Lincoln, school of fine arts, 36 hours, average 92, weighted average 95.

Members of last year's freshman

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Y.W.C.A. SECRETARY COMES TO LINCOLN

Miss Maude Gwinn, regional secretary of the Y. W. C. A. with headquarters in Denver, was guest of honor at a dinner at the city Y. W. C. . Tuesday evening. Members of the university Y. W. C. A. cabinet were present at the affair. Miss Gwinn is visiting in Lincoln all this week.

BUSINESS STAFF OF AWGWAN WILL GATHER TONIGHT

Meeting of the entire business staff of the Awgwan will be held at 7:30 Wednesday evening in the Awgwan office, according to an announcement by Jack Ames, business manager.

All business matters of the magazine will be discussed at this time. Bills due will be considered, disposal of advertising contracts will be settled, and plans will be made to refund subscription money.

Announcement will be made after the meeting relative to the place and time that the money will be refunded.

POOR GRADES FORCE MANY STUDENTS OUT

All Those Down in More Than Two-Fifths of Hours Expelled.

Some students who go home for Thanksgiving will not return. Those down in more than two-fifths of their hours at midsemester and who could not make satisfactory arrangements with T. J. Thompson, dean of student affairs, withdrew from school this week after midsemester reports were issued.

As usual midsemester found many more students reported down in hours than the first quarter. This, Dean Thompson points out, is due to three things. The student may have slipped. Upperclassmen are seldom reported down before midsemester in advanced courses. New students on the border line at first quarter are given the benefit of the doubt, but, failing to improve, are reported the second quarter.

Reports were mailed out to down students and parents Saturday. Fraternities and sororities received their reports Monday. Since Saturday the offices of the dean of student affairs and assistant dean, W. C. Harper, were jammed with delinquent students called in for conferences pending probation or suspension because of being down in two-fifths of hours carried.

TEACHERS HIGH WILL SPONSOR BOOK HOUR

Readings, Chorus Work and Address by Librarian Are Planned.

Teachers college high school of the University of Nebraska will sponsor a book program in the assembly room of teachers college at 11 a.m. Wednesday.

The program will be opened by two numbers by the high school chorus under the direction of Olga Jakl. They will sing "Winter Song" by Bullard and "Serenade" by Toselli. Two readings by high school students are next on the morning's program. Miss Hannah More will give "A Book," and Miss Margaret Deming will give "My Neighbor's Book."

Books for Christmas will be the subject of short discussions by Leona Spencer, Gertrude Fountain, Ruth Keech, Margaret Hellerich and Ruth Ryan.

Announcements of the ten favorits books of teachers college high school as selected by the English classes and of the winner of the book character contest will be made by Prudence Brown, who will preside at the program. The program will be concluded by a talk on books by G. H. Doane, librarian of the University of Nebraska.

INNOCENTS SET LAST RALLY OF YEAR FOR TODAY

Fans Will Gather on Drill Field at 5 p. m. to Arouse Spirit.

CORN COBS WILL LEAD

Group Will Hold Impromptu House to House Tour Before Program.

The last football rally of the year is scheduled to be held on the drill field at 5 p. m. today, in preparation for the Iowa State-Nebraska football game, the game upon which the championship of the Big Six depends.

It is planned that the Corncobs, Nebraska's men pep organization, will hold an impromptu rally along fraternity row and then join the rest of the cheerers on the drill field. There the band will join the rally and all the participants will march to the east stands of the stadium for a fifteen minute pep session. The athletic department has promised to install arc-lights on the west side of the stadium, the light from which will illuminate the east stands.

Dana X. Bible, head football coach, other members of the coaching staff and members of the football squad who are completing their university football careers in the Thanksgiving day game will be introduced and will make short speeches.

If a sufficient number of students turn out for the rally, a practice session of the cheering section stunts will be held. All the stunts to be used Thanksgiving day will be rehearsed. If the rally is not well attended there is a possibility that there will be no stunts performed at the game Thursday, those in charge being of the opinion that too many students will leave for their homes to make the stunts practicable.

The rally will be in charge of Eldred Larson, president of the Innocents society.

Graduate Depicts Task Of Killing Corn Pests

Leonard Schoenleber, who is one of the United States engineers working on the control and eradication of the European corn borer, gave a talk last night in the agriculture engineering building describing his work.

Mr. Schoenleber graduated last June from the college of agriculture. He majored in agricultural engineering.

OLDFATHER TALKS AT VESPER HOUR ON WORLD PEACE

"World Peace" was the topic on which Dr. C. H. Oldfather, chairman of the department of history, talked at the Vesper service which was held at 5 o'clock yesterday in Ellen Smith hall. Berneice Hoffman was in charge of the service. The Vesper quartet presented a program of special music following the discussion.

The Vesper staff has planned for a series of programs dealing with life in foreign universities to be given after Thanksgiving vacation. The feature talks at these meetings will be given by professors on the campus.

FOOTBALL PROGRAMS MAILED AS SAMPLES

Nebraska Booklets Sent to Eastern Schools by Paper Company.

Nebraska's Thanksgiving day football program will find its way to practically every large college in the east, it was announced today by Jimmy Lewis, editor.

The national circulation will include 250 schools and colleges. That many copies of the Turkey Day number have been ordered by the Warren Paper company to be used for sampling other schools.

"The choosing of Nebraska's program for sampling is a credit to the school," Lewis said today. "It is one of the few programs published in the country that is not heavily loaded with advertising." So far this year, somewhere between 35,000 and 40,000 programs have been sold at the home games, Mr. Lewis said today.

The Thanksgiving day program will be a 40 page edition, eight pages larger than usual. It will contain pictures of various members of the coaching staff, as well as cuts of Herbert Gish, director of athletics, and John K. Selleck, director of student activities. Both the Iowa State and Nebraska grid squads will be shown in other parts of the book.

SCANDINAVIANS TO SELECT OFFICERS IN NEXT MEETING

Scandinavian folk games and Scandinavian music will feature the meeting of the Scandinavian club at the Temple, room 205, on Monday, Dec. 2, from 7 to 9 p. m. Officers will be elected and Prof. Joseph E. A. Alexis will speak.

Miss Kerstin Thorin, graduate of the University of Stockholm, Sweden, and instructor of physical education at the university, will supervise the games. Students are invited to come with their friends.

CADET OFFICERS COMPLETE PLANS OF FORMAL BALL

Decoration Plan Has Been Outlined in Miniature by Small Model.

COEDS MAY STAY LATE

Party Will Last Until 12 O'clock; Student Time Limit Is 12:30.

Decoration plans for the military ball, scheduled for Friday, Dec. 6, in the coliseum, have been completed, according to Capt. R. G. Lehman, faculty officer in charge of decorations. A model plan of the coliseum and its decorations for the ball has been presented to Captain Lehman and Dean Hokanson, cadet officer assisting with this department of the opening formal.

Flowers will be used throughout the decorative scheme. These, together with novel lighting effects, will furnish the basis for the full dress appearance of the coliseum on the evening of Dec. 6. The Herpolsheimer company has received the contract for decorations and will work with cadet officers in their preparation.

According to Captain Lehman a large canopy will be used to cover the entire floor. This false roof will hang low, below the level of the balcony, and will help to eliminate the vastness of appearance that usually handicaps decorative schemes for the coliseum.

Beck's Band Will Play.

A brilliant, striped canopy will cover the orchestra platform, from which Leo Beck's band will furnish music for the ball. Beck's band, which has been prominent in university social functions for the past few years, will be augmented to thirteen pieces for the opening formal on the University of Nebraska campus.

Some plan of preparing the coliseum stage as a background for the presentation of the 1929

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Westinghouse Agent Will Talk to Seniors

The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company will be represented on the campus Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 4 and 5, by Dr. E. B. Roberts. Dr. Roberts will make his headquarters in the engineering school where he will discuss with senior students not only the question of employment, but also that of advanced work in the graduate field.

KAPPA BETAS GO TO INDIANAPOLIS FOR GATHERING

National directors of Kappa Beta, Christian church sorority for university students, will meet in Indianapolis, Indiana, during the Thanksgiving vacation. Helen McAnulty, president of the local chapter and Genevieve Miller, national recorder, will attend from Lincoln. Presidents of the chapters and national officers will be present at the convention.

Kappa Beta has eight chapters in all now. There are thirty women on the university campus who belong to this organization at the present time. The purpose of the sorority is to establish and maintain a friendly relationship among women attending university, who belong to the Christian church.

SELLECK DEPENDS ON WEATHER FOR CROWD

Manager Believes Sunshine Will Attract Large Attendance.

If good weather prevails from now until after Thanksgiving, the Iowa State-Husker gridiron tilt in Lincoln on Thanksgiving day will attract the third largest crowd of the season in the opinion of John K. Selleck, manager of student activities.

"Warm, clear weather would bring between 15,000 and 18,000 fans out for the game," he said. "Ticket sales, however, will be a last-minute affair, for everyone will be eagerly watching the weather."

The Cyclones from Iowa State have been playing far better football in their last few games than they did at the start of the year. If they play like they did when they held Drake, champion of its conference, to a one-touchdown margin two week-ends ago, the Cornhuskers may have plenty on their hands, in the opinion of sports followers.

A Cornhusker win in the engagement on turkey day would mean another championship for

HOME EC COEDS WIN JOURNEY TO CHICAGO

Four Students Will Make Trip to Represent 4-H Clubs.

Four home economics students of the University of Nebraska will represent the state in 4-H club contests at the national club congress in Chicago, Nov. 30 to Dec. 6. The girls who have won this honor are: Lucile Cooley of Waverly, Norma Peterson of Holdrege, and Mildred and Helen Myers of Oconto. With the rest of the Nebraska delegation they will leave Omaha Saturday evening, Nov. 30.

Miss Cooley is a sophomore in the college of agriculture. She receives her trip to Chicago as the state champion in home economics 4-H club projects.

Miss Peterson, a freshman, won the state honors in the baked goods judging contest at the state fair. For this the state home economics association will help pay her expenses to the club congress where she will represent the state in the national baked goods judging contest.

Misses Mildred and Helen Myers, also freshmen, will compete in the national clothing contest with their demonstration "Shoes for the School Girl."

KOSMET TICKET SALES RISE TO MORE THAN 900

Seats Go at Rate of 300 Per Hour for First Three Hours.

SHOW FEATURES QUEEN

Identity of New Princess Of Cosmet Court Will Be Revealed.

Selling at the average rate of 300 an hour, 900 tickets for the Kosmet Klub Thanksgiving Morning revue were sold by 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Tickets went on sale at the Liberty theater box office yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and could be obtained from 10 to 12 o'clock and from 2 to 4 o'clock. The same hours will apply today.

Sale from 3 to 4 o'clock yesterday was not as heavy as the first three hours. It was incorrectly announced over the radio Monday night that tickets would go on sale at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. One fraternity had freshmen in line at the box office as early as 11 o'clock Monday night in order to get the best seats at 8:30 the next morning. Other fraternity freshmen joined the line from 2 o'clock Tuesday morning on.

The tickets did not go on sale at 8:30 as it was previously intended they should not be released before 10. By 10 o'clock a long line of boys and girls was waiting in front of the theater.

Capacity Is 1,300.

Seating capacity of the Liberty is about 1,300. One hundred good reserved seats are still available for fifty cents, according to James Margrave, chairman of the Kosmet ticket committee. Three hundred seats in the gallery will also be sold but not until Thursday morning. They will be released at 8:15 o'clock and will sell as general admission tickets for twenty-five cents.

Identity of Nebraska's sweetheart, elected by masculine vote of the university but kept secret, will be revealed in the morning show. She will be crowned in the grand finale of the show as princess of King Kosmet's royal court and will preside as queen of the court next year. Miss Ruth Hilton, a member of Delta Gamma, who was last year's sweetheart, will serve as queen in this year's show. A full page portrait in the Cornhusker and national publicity will be accorded the sweetheart of Nebraska.

Five Are Candidates.

The honorary position of Nebraska's sweetheart was originated by club members last year. Since that time it has grown in popularity until the sweetheart of Nebraska is recognized as important as honorary colonel or prom girl. Five candidates, Jeannette May, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Fayette Norris, Pi Beta Phi; Lucille Carrothers, Kappa Alpha Theta;

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Iota Sigma Pi Holds Initiation for Three

Iota Sigma Pi, honorary sorority, initiated Louise Westover, Eleanor Mathewson, and Margaret Pearse Saturday afternoon, Nov. 23. A dinner in honor of the new initiates in Chemistry hall followed the ceremony.

'Cornhusker,' Written by Professor Stevens of Music School, Fought Hard to Obtain Recognition on Campus

BY MOSELLE KLEEMAN.

The story of Nebraska's official song, "The Cornhusker," is one of persistent struggle for recognition. The "Cornhusker" was first sung in public at one of the football games on the fall of 1908 by a small group of glee club men who considered it a "flop." Professor Robert W. Stevens, head of the pianoforte department of the school of music, had written it as a result of the strenuous rallies of that year.

Professor Stevens scratched off a few copies of a male quartet arrangement which the glee club men had run over a few times the afternoon before the game. Perhaps because of this fact and as the crowd had not been informed of the monotonous occasion, the song did not make a "hit." The singers themselves were about the least enthusiastic of all because the rhythm was tricky and the song was so different from the current conception of what a college song should be.

During that entire year of 1908 there had been a constant agitation for a real Nebraska song, because up to that time there was no established Nebraska song. The "Scarlet and Cream" was being carolled, it is true, but the same tune has been used by other schools and something original was deemed necessary. That very fall the Athletic Board had even offered a prize for a football song, but this had merely brought out a flock of parodies without lasting merit.

Some reason for Mr. Stevens undertaking to try his hand atwriting the unique school song may be found in the fact that he was an ardent football fan. It is told of him that he would leave his classes and forget his pupils waiting in the hall for their lessons and rush off to watch the team practice, more interested in sports than anything else. He was willing to be anything from coach to water boy just to be near the team. It was probably this intense loyalty to the team that induced him to write "The Cornhusker," coupled, perhaps with something of a real musician's disgust for the lack of worth in the various amateurish attempts which had been made.

When published, the song just would not sell. Every fraternity and sorority bought a copy as a matter of duty and instructed the "house" pianist to give it a good work out, but they could not become enthusiastic about it. The real worth of the song was not realized for a long time. That spring's issue of the Cornhusker yearbook ignored it entirely. Even the leader of the band thought so little of it that when the crowd finally began to call for it at the games, he had a habit of striking up on "Alexander's Rag Time Band" instead.

In 1911 the glee club was revived and the song took so well at their home concerts that the Lincoln Journal headed the writeup of the concert with a cut of the opening bars. In scribling off the score from memory for the newspaper one of the glee club men accidentally made the mistake of putting a slur in the notes for the word "sky" in the opening lines. This error still persists in spite of Professor Stevens' efforts to correct it at the time.

Professor Stevens after fourteen years with the music department of the University of Chicago is now retired for the purpose of doing some writing on musical subjects. In writing about his song Mr. Stevens says:

"After I left Lincoln, I almost dismissed it from my mind, supposing it would die a natural fadeout. It was surprised and pleased one summer when Dr. Clapp down at the University of Chicago, told me the students still sing it at the big games. Strange to say, I have never heard it sung in public myself, since then.

"I remember the rally at the Armory when I was permitted to play a 'new song' just before one of the big games. I had been tramping up and down Lincoln with the tune in my head and when I played if for them I was really surprised at the way it ran away."

Sorority and Boarding Houses Watch Drapes as Costume Party Approaches

Sorority and boarding houses will be forced to keep a watchful eye on curtains, drapes, dish towels and piano scarfs as the date of the Cornhusker costume party approaches. On Friday, Dec. 13, Nebraska coeds will gather in the armory, Grant memorial hall, for the annual costume celebration.

Admission will be twenty-five cents. Some enterprising coeds may disguise themselves as a half dollar and get a quarter change. Such an event is considered impossible by the sponsors of the party.

Prizes will be awarded to university women appearing in the cleverest, prettiest and funniest costumes. The nature of the awards has not been announced. Possibly the gathering of coeds will give the wearers of the winning costumes a hand. With the addition of the extra hand they will be able to drive through the university campus without denting any fenders.

Dancing will be one of the features of entertainment at the what-milady-wears party. Stunts will be presented during intervals. An orchestra has been engaged to play during the entire evening for the traditional coed function.

Family of Sergeant Earl DeVaughn, Of University, Makes Mark in Army

This is the remarkable story of six brothers, all of whom served, some of them fought, and one of whom died, in the service of this country. One of these brothers, Earl De Vaughn, sergeant, is now employed in the military department of this university. A letter recently received by the commanding general of the seventh corps area gives the following report:

Six brothers have shown an unusual army record in the enlisted ranks of the United States forces. Guy S. DeVaughn, of excellent character, served in the coast artillery from 1898 to 1907. He attained the rank of first sergeant. Gardner J. DeVaughn enlisted in 1899 and served until 1902 when he received an honorable discharge with the rank of first sergeant.

Earl De Vaughn, military sergeant at this university, served continuously from 1907 until the present time. Before coming here he served as second lieutenant in the infrantry reserve. The fourth brother, Howard DeVaughn, has been in the service since 1900 and after being a battalion lieutenant, a federal adjutant, and an infrantry captian, he has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel in the infantry reserve.

This brother was active in federal service. William J. DeVaughn enlisted in 1915 and gave federal service until his death in 1918. The last of the brothers, Andrew J. DeVaughn, entered the ranks of the seventh corps area last year at Omaha and has been promoted to the finance office as a distinct recognition of service.

COED CANDIDATES FOR 'NEBRASKA SWEETHEART'

—Courtesy of The Lincoln Star.

Pictured above are the five candidates for Nebraska sweetheart. One of them has been elected sweetheart by the men students of the university but her identity will be kept secret until she is presented in the Kosmet Klub Thanksgiving Morning revue Thursday morning. She will be crowned as princess of King Kosmet's royal court and next year will preside as queen. The five include, from left to right, Fayette "Bunny" Norris, St. Joseph, Mo., Pi Beta Phi; Lucille Carrothers, Falls City, Kappa Alpha Theta; Marie Herney, Petersburg, Phi Mu; Dorothy Tow, Greenwood, Chi Omega; and Jeannette May, Beatrice, Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Nebraskan Reporters Rest Until Monday

Due to the fact that there will be no school between Wednesday evening until next Monday morning, there will be no Daily Nebraskan printed during that time. All Nebraskan reporters are requested to report for assignments Monday afternoon.

Pershing Rifles Plan Another Tryout Soon

The Pershing Rifles tryouts will be held Dec. 3, 4, and 5. in Nebraska hall at 5 p. m. This try out is to take care of the football men and all others who were unable to attend the previous tryouts.