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## FOUR AWARDS TO WOMEN STUDENTS MADE NEXT YEAR

Scholarships Amounting to \$50 Each Offered by Lincoln Group.

Association May Declare Only Three Prizes In Future.

Four scholarships amounting to \$50 each will be offered to outstanding women students enrolled in the junior and senior classes of the university next year by the Lincoln branch of the American Association of University Women. This announcement was made by Miss Lulu L. Runge, chairman of the scholarship committee. Applications must be made by women enrolled in the sophomore and junior classes this year before March 31.

This is the fourth successive year that these scholarships will be given. Winners of the awards are judged on the basis of high scholarship, self support, and activity in college affairs. During the time the scholarship is held the student must be registered for at least twelve hours of university work.

Change Is Contemplated. During the past three years the policy of offering four scholarships of \$50 each has been carried out, but this year the committee sponsoring the project is considering changing the offer to three scholarships, one of \$100 and two of \$50 each.

If a candidate of exceptional ability is discovered, she will be given the award of \$100. Miss Runge stated. If the four most desirable applicants rate on a comparatively equal basis scholastically, awards of \$50 will be given to each of them. Half of each amount offered will be given at the first of each semester next year, according to Miss Runge. References from three persons on the campus and from two people not connected (Continued on Page 4.)

## EDUCATOR SCHEDULES CONVOCATION TALK

Twentyman Will Describe Social Conditions in England.

"Changing Social Conditions in England" will be described by Professor A. E. Twentyman, former secretary of the British board of education, in a university convocation address March 26. Professor Twentyman, who is a Carnegie visiting professor at the University of Missouri, is coming to Lincoln to address the annual joint meeting of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi on the same date.

The university convocation will be held at 11 o'clock in the Temple theater. The joint meeting of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi, honorary scholastic and scientific societies, will be held at the university club following a dinner to be given in Professor Twentyman's honor. His evening address will be on the subject, "New Conceptions of Education in Europe." Reservations for the dinner may be made thru Dean J. E. Le-Rossignol's office. Person called by any chapter of either of the honor societies are invited to attend with their families. The convocation in the morning will be open to the public.

## METEOROLOGIST WILL SPEAK AT SIGMA XI MEET

At the regular monthly meeting of the University of Nebraska chapter of Sigma Xi in Morrill hall auditorium at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, Prof. Thomas A. Blair, meteorologist, will speak on "Seasonal Pressure Anomalies." Professor Blair, who is in charge of the United States weather bureau with headquarters on the university campus, was unable to give this talk last month because of illness. He will discuss some of the problems of the weather man and explain how weather conditions are predicted. The meeting is open to the public.

## Ohio University Survey Discloses That More Than 12 Percent Men Use Student Union Building Daily

A recent survey at Ohio university disclosed the fact that 12.2 percent of the men students, or an average of 921, use the Ohio union building daily, exclusive of Saturday. The survey, under the supervision of Wallace W. Hall, director of student activities at the union, was conducted by twelve volunteer members of the "Y" council.

According to the survey, the period between the hours of 11 and 1 is the most active period of the day. About 189 men use the union during these hours, Hall stated. Friday is the busiest day from the standpoint of attendance, an average of 971 men having been recorded. The maximum number in attendance on any one day was found to be 1095, while 840 marked the minimum number.

Will Survey Again. Another survey will be made for a similar period during the spring quarter, Hall indicated. The board of overseers of the union gave their approval to the results survey. The purpose of the investigation was to furnish a basis for calculations, if a movement was launched in the future for a new Ohio Union building on the campus, Hall asserted.

## ALUMNI CLUB REORGANIZES

Pittsburgh Group Chooses Officers at Meeting Last Week.

Word of the reorganization of a University of Nebraska alumni club at Pittsburgh, Pa., was received last week by Prof. Clark E. Mickey, chairman of the department of civil engineering at the university. At a preliminary meeting five reels of Nebraska films, sent to the club by the college of engineering, were shown and plans were discussed for organizing a Nebraska club. The following officers were elected: C. A. Atwell, '14, president; J. P. Gillilan, '27, vice president; G. Ross Kilgore, '28, secretary, and E. I. Pollard, '28, treasurer. Meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meyers near Pittsburgh Feb. 16, thirty Nebraska alumni heard the charter day program broadcast from the university studio thru KFAE. Twenty-four of those present had graduated from the university within the past four years.

## EXPECT 5,000 TO SEE CIVIC OPERA STAGED TUESDAY

Many People From Outside Lincoln Will Attend Production.

About 5,000 persons are expected to be present at the presentation of "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "I Pagliacci" when the Chicago Civic Opera company appears at the coliseum, Tuesday evening, according to John K. Selleck, in charge of local arrangements.

A number of people from outside of Lincoln, including delegations from the Nebraska Music Teachers association, Nebraska Wesleyan, Doane college, York college, Colner college, and Peru teachers college, will be present as well as many local people and University of Nebraska students. The University of Nebraska, according to Mr. Selleck, is the only college campus which the Chicago Civic Opera company has visited during its transcontinental tours of the past four seasons. This year its itinerary includes only twelve cities, Boston, Pittsburgh, Louisville, Texas, Memphis, San Antonio, Dallas, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Seattle, Portland, and Lincoln.

Cast Numbers 275. The opera company, with its group of 275 persons who form the playing cast, the business staff, and orchestra, will arrive in Lincoln by means of two special trains, which come direct from Portland. These trains transport the artists, and staff, along with eighteen cars which carry scenery and stage equipment necessary for the production of the opera. The two operas, each of which are comparatively short, have entirely different lead casts. None (Continued on Page 3.)

## SKELETON OF CAMEL FOUND IN NEBRASKA

Harvard Reveals Discovery; Barbour Seeks Funds For Expedition.

The skeleton of a Stenonyx, a gazelle-like camel of the Miocene era, was discovered last summer at Agate Springs, Neb., by Erich Schlaikjer, member of a research expedition from Harvard university, but the finding of this skeleton was not announced by Harvard university until yesterday. The Stenonyx, it was announced, was an offshoot of the camel family and was not a direct ancestor of the modern camel. The physical qualities of the Stenonyx were so delicate that its evolution was probably halted by its weakness.

The University of Nebraska museum has classified this tiny extinct camel on display at Harvard university as one of the thousands which once roamed over Nebraska prairies. The Stenonyx was a dainty little creature; too dainty in fact to hold its own against the onslaughts of nature, and against wild beasts. Hundreds of them died at Agate Spring ranch in Sioux county. They were probably the weaklings of the herd which had (Continued on Page 2.)

## ELECTION OF BIG SISTER OFFICERS IS SET THURSDAY

Evelyn Simpson and Evelyn West Are Nominees to Presidency.

VOTING IS CAMPUS-WIDE

Rules Governing Selection Of Heads Changed by Council.

Evelyn West and Evelyn Simpson have been named candidates for presidency of the reorganized Big Sister executive council and, according to the new constitution, will be elected at a campus-wide election of all women students of the university Thursday at social sciences. This announcement was made public yesterday by the nominating committee composed of present senior members of the council.

Nominees for senior memberships on the board are: sorority, Aileen Neely and Mildred Dole; one to be elected; non-sorority, Julienne Deetken, Hazel Powell, Betsy Benedict, Ruthalee Holloway, Ardath Pierce, Opale Dubachek, of which three are to be elected. The discrepancy between the number of sorority and non-sorority nominees is accounted for by the fact that since the constitution provides that the ratio between the two groups remain equal, and since both candidates for the presidency are members of sororities, and the defeated candidate remains a member of the board, such procedure is necessary to abide by the constitution. The senior representation on the board is fixed at six.

Junior Nominees Named. Gertrude Clarke, Margaret Upton, Katherine Warren, and Ledusa Ninger are sorority nominees for the two junior positions to be filled by sorority women. Dolores Dealman, Margaret Reedy, Margaret Chevront, and Ruth Lutz are the non-sorority candidates. Four juniors are to be elected. Sophomores, of which there will (Continued on Page 4.)

## APRIL AWGWAN DOPE MUST BE IN FRIDAY

Kelly Sets Deadline for Material; Asks for Short Jokes.

Deadline for copy for the April issue of the Awgwan has been announced for Friday, March 20. The April issue will be released not later than April 6, according to Bob Kelly, editor of the Awgwan. A special appeal was made by Kelly for jokes and short quips. Longer articles and stories will also be considered, he said, but jokes are needed most.

Marvin Robinson has been appointed art editor of the Awgwan and beginning with the April issue will have charge of all the art work. Students who wish to contribute art work to the April issue are asked to confer with Robinson or Kelly early in the week and submit their material before Friday.

## GRADUATE DIES OF BURNS

Arnold Steinkraus Receives Fatal Wounds as Oil Explodes.

Arnold Steinkraus, '22, of Pierce died Saturday, March 7 from burns received when he attempted to build a fire with kerosene. The oil exploded burning him severely. Burial was held at Pierce on last Tuesday. He is survived by his mother and a brother, Elton, who attended the university for two years. While in the university, Mr. Steinkraus assisted in the college of law as quiz master. He was city attorney in Pierce and was also adjutant of the American Legion at that place. At the recent charter day exercises in Pierce, Mr. Steinkraus was chairman of the committee in charge and Prof. R. P. Crawford spoke at the meeting which was held at the Steinkraus home.

## ARTIST GUILD TO OPEN ITS EXHIBIT FOR TWO WEEKS

The annual exhibit of the Lincoln Artists Guild will open March 16 and end March 28, according to Miss Bess Steele, president. The exhibit will be held on the fourth floor of Gold's department store and the public is invited. The work of well known artists of Lincoln, including that of a number of university faculty members, will be shown.

Salesmen for Dinner Must Check In Monday. Those selling tickets to the sophomore commission dinner are asked to check in their tickets and money between 4:30 and 6:00 o'clock Monday afternoon at Ellen Smith hall.

## Graduate Honored



—Courtesy of The Journal. Walter J. Wohlenberg, Sterling professor of engineering at Yale university, and graduate of the Nebraska college of engineering in 1910, who was listed in the Sigma Tau monthly publication.

## HONORARY MAGAZINE LISTS WOHLBERG

Sigma Tau Paper Carries Story of Nebraska Graduate.

IS PROMINENT ALUMNUS

Walter J. Wohlenberg, Sterling professor of engineering at the Sheffield scientific school at Yale university and graduate of the University of Nebraska college of engineering in 1910, is listed this month in the prominent alumni section of the Pyramid, national monthly publication of Sigma Tau, honorary engineering fraternity.

Each month the magazine gives a biographical sketch of one Sigma Tau alumnus. Professor Wohlenberg is the second University of Nebraska graduate to be so honored in the past six months.

Professor Wohlenberg was the first Sterling professor of engineering to be appointed at Yale. Under the will of the late John W. Sterling a number of research professorships were established and bear his name. This not only provides substantial remuneration for the incumbent but also supplies funds for him to use in study and investigation.

After graduation from the University of Nebraska in 1910, Professor Wohlenberg went to the University of Illinois where he received a Master's degree in engineering in 1916. He is today chairman of the special research committee on radiation of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and is also a member of the national research council's committees on heat transfer and radiation. He served as national president of Sigma Tau from 1917 to 1924, and has written extensively on subjects relating to radiation in the field of mechanical engineering.

## EIGHT STUDENTS ARE CONFINED TO SCHOOL INFIRMARY

More students were confined to the university infirmary with contagious diseases last week than at any previous time this year. Eight students were suffering from mumps, three from scarlet fever, and four from influenza, according to Dr. R. A. Lyman, director of student health. As soon as a student reports any symptoms of a contagious disease, he is confined to the infirmary to prevent any possible spreading of the infection in his rooming house, dormitory or fraternity.

## PTAK, FEIDLER TO DEBATE

Huskies Leave for Council Bluffs to Argue on Free Trade.

Two Nebraska men, Bernard Ptak, Norfolk, law senior, and Ted R. Feidler, Scottsbluff, arts and science senior, are being sent to Council Bluffs Monday to debate with the University of South Dakota squad. The issue to be debated is, "Resolved, That the nation should adopt the policy of free trade." The debate, which will take place at 2:15 Monday afternoon, is being held at the Abraham Lincoln high school in Council Bluffs.

## SWEETZ GIVES TALK

"The Earth and Its Relation to the Heavenly Bodies" was the subject of Dr. G. D. Sweetz's talk before members of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, honorary geological fraternity, Wednesday evening.

Campus Calendar Monday, March 16. Special meeting of Kosmet Klub publicity staff, club rooms, 2 o'clock. Tuesday, March 17. Kosmet Klub meeting, 5 o'clock, club rooms. Wednesday, March 18. Student council meeting, University hall 111, 5 o'clock.

## GRADS WILL HEAR SOARES AND TAFT DURING EXERCISES

California Professor and Chicago Sculptor Are Speakers.

BOTH ARE PROMINENT

Western Educator Studies Theology; Other Is Art Lecturer.

Dr. Theodore G. Soares, professor of ethics at the California Institute of Technology, and Dr. Lorado Taft, noted Chicago sculptor, will be the commencement and baccalaureate speakers respectively at the university next spring, according to an announcement made Saturday by Chancellor E. A. Burnett. The baccalaureate exercises will be held Sunday, May 31, and the sixtieth annual commencement will be held Saturday, June 6.

Dr. Soares has but recently joined the staff of the western school, according to Chancellor Burnett, having been associated with the University of Chicago for many years. He was born in England in 1869, and came to America in 1886. He received an A. B. degree from the University of Minnesota in 1891, his master's degree in 1892, and his Ph. D. from the University of Chicago in 1894. Serves As Minister.

After receiving the bachelor of divinity degree from Chicago in 1897 and the doctor of divinity degree from Knox in 1901, he served as a Baptist minister in various Illinois towns from 1894 to 1905. He was associated with the University of Chicago from 1899 until recently, attaining the chairman of the department of practical theology there. Dr. Soares was minister at the Hyde Park Congregational church in Chicago from 1919 to 1925. He is the author of (Continued on Page 4.)

## AG STUDENTS STAGE INTER-CLASS DEBATE

Affirmative Defenders Get Decision on Question of Farm Board.

Debating the question, "Resolved, that the federal farm board shall continue to be of benefit to the American farmer," the affirmative side won in a debate which was held at ag hall before nearly 100 farm operator students. Judges for the debate included James Lawrence, extension marketing specialist; Prof. H. C. Folley, and Elton Lux, extension editor. In commenting upon the debate, Lawrence said both sides made good presentations but, nevertheless, had much to learn about the farm board.

The debate served as a battle between the first and second year students in the short course. First year men upheld the affirmative side and second year students the negative. Those on the winning side included Maurice Kramer, Aurora; Bill Svoboda, St. Paul, and Eric Christensen, Blair. Those comprising the losing side were Peter Seberger, Lexington; Thurman Vaught, St. Joseph, Mo., and Frances Brenn, Powell.

## PRAIRIE SCHOONER ISSUED

Winter Number of Literary Magazine Is Mailed During Week.

The winter number of the Prairie Schooner magazine has been mailed to all subscribers this week and also has been placed on sale at various newsstands in Lincoln, Omaha and Fremont. This issue is the first one of volume five, the periodical being printed originally in the winter of 1927. Since that time the magazine has attained national and international fame and is one of the few magazines rated 100 percent as to literary content by Edward J. O'Brien, compiler of "Best Short Stories of 1930" and "British Best Short Stories of 1930," it was said. Each year O'Brien gathers the twenty best stories in each field and combines them into a volume.

## MISS WOOLFOLK IS NEW LEADER OF P.E. WOMEN

Virginia Woolfolk, Lincoln, was elected president of the physical education club at their meeting Thursday evening in Ellen Smith hall. LaVerle Herman, Nickerson, was chosen vice president; Marian McClaren, Lincoln, secretary, and Dorothy Jean Jensen, Columbus, treasurer.

McGaffin Requests Publicity Staff of Kosmet Klub Meet. A special meeting of the Kosmet Klub publicity staff will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Kosmet Klub rooms in the annex building. All members are requested to be present by Bill McGaffin, head of the staff.

## DAKOTANS FACE HUSKERS

Nebraska Debaters Go to Council Bluffs for Verbal Battle.

University of Nebraska debaters, who have engaged in a half dozen debates with leading middle western schools during the past fortnight, will meet the University of South Dakota team at the Abraham Lincoln high school in Council Bluffs Monday afternoon to argue the free trade question. Bernard Ptak of Norfolk and Ted Feidler of Scottsbluff will represent the University of Nebraska and uphold the negative. Both are freshmen law students at the university.

On March 4 and 5 another Nebraska negative team composed of George Hutton of Lincoln and Earl Fishbaugh of Shenandoah, Ia., met teams from the University of North Dakota at the Plattsmouth high school and from the Kansas State agricultural college at the Knife and Fork club here in Lincoln. They also debated the free trade issue.

## SPEAKER CLAIMS AMERICA WILL BE BLAMED FOR WAR

Eichelberger Bases Opinion On Failure of U. S. to Join Court.

A declaration that if war should come tomorrow the nations of the world will blame the United States for the disaster, inasmuch as America is the only important nation that has refused to enter the League of Nations, was made by Clark M. Eichelberger, Friday morning in a special university convocation at the Temple.

The League of Nations, he said, is hampered by the uncertainty of the attitude of the United States, and according to the speaker we have a definite responsibility toward our international obligations to which we must open our eyes.

"The problem of treaty revision, and the problem of disarmament are the two major international problems that will have to be solved in the next ten years, and I predict that the League of Nations will meet both problems and solve them successfully," said Mr. Eichelberger.

In illustration, Mr. Eichelberger pointed out that after seven years of work, the disarmament committee of the league has called an international conference for Feb. 2, 1932, at which time representatives from all the nations of the world will meet to discuss means of limitation and reduction of armaments. "Limitation must come before any definite means of reduction can be undertaken," the speaker declared.

## UNIVERSITY BAND TO GIVE FINAL PROGRAM

Seats for Opera Will Be Used for Thursday Night Concert.

Making its farewell bow to the winter concert season, the University R. O. T. C. band will present a program at coliseum next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The seats which are being placed in the coliseum for the patrons of the opera, which will be given Tuesday night, will be left there until after the band gives its concert. Those attending are assured of ample seating facilities on the main floor, it was said.

The band's program is free to the public and W. T. Quick, under whose baton the cadet musicians will perform, has cordially invited every music lover in Lincoln to attend the affair. The doors of the coliseum will be thrown open at 7:30 o'clock.

The Thursday night concert promised to be one of the finest the organization has ever presented, Director Quick stated. It will open with "Fast Overture" by the noted German composer, Lortzing. This overture, which is generally regarded as one of the composer's finest works, is unique for its brilliancy and for the tonal qualities which it calls forth from the woodwind instruments. Among the main features on the program will be a trumpet solo by John Shildneck, and two vocal (Continued on Page 2.)

## Oklahoma Union Manager Describes Building as a Popular Campus Spot

Project Dates Back Many Years When Interest First Aroused.

Editor's Note: This is the sixth of a series on student unions at other schools. The articles will deal with the purpose of student unions and will contain some of the details of financing.

BY FRANK S. CLECKLER, Manager Oklahoma U. Union. NORMAN, Okla. — The Oklahoma union, one of the most popular spots on Oklahoma's campus, has a long and varied history. The project dates back more than ten years, but the building itself has been completed only since Nov. 17, 1928.

## MINISTER FLAYS INNOCENTS GROUP IN SMOKING BILL

Rev. W. C. Fawell Declares Society 'Dressed in Devil's Robes.'

WRITES OPEN LETTER

Respect for University and Law Questioned by Methodist Head.

Describing the Innocents society, men's senior honorary organization, as a group "dressed in the robes of the devil, such as represented in a by-gone age, singing between the puffs of cigarette smoke, 'Cheer, Cheer, the Gang's All Here,'" Rev. W. C. Fawell, university Methodist student pastor, in an open letter to The Daily Nebraskan attacks opponents of the smoking bill in no uncertain terms.

Reverend Fawell, protesting against what he terms the "unfavorable" publicity that the university is receiving thru the expressed opinions of a few faculty members and a number of "so-called" leading students of the campus, takes exception to the statements regarding the proposed legislation made by representative students and faculty members and which were printed in the March 13 issue of The Daily Nebraskan.

Comments On Statements. Commenting on the published statement of W. T. McCleery, president of Innocents, Rev. Fawell writes, "Mr. McCleery is president of the Innocents, one of the honor societies of the university. Has he any respect for law or the university? If respect for rules and law is lacking at the university, why doesn't the Innocents society, under the leadership of its president, undertake by precept and example, to cultivate this spirit? Mr. McCleery may not (Continued on Page 3.)

## HEADS ARE ELECTED FOR PHARMACY WEEK

Chandler Will Superintend Annual Festival Set for April 27.

At the pharmacy convocation held Friday, March 13, at 10 o'clock the following directors and class representatives for Pharmacy week were elected: Willard Chandler, general chairman; Richard Ledler, John Schrepel, Norval Dare, and Wilmer Griess, directors; Viola Hackett, senior; Joseph Falmion, junior; Earl Kuncl, sophomore; and Lloyd Neyahr, freshman, class representatives.

Pharmacy week will be held April 27 to May 2 with Thursday night, April 30, designated as Pharmacy night. It is planned to make this week a Pharmacy week for all druggists in the city. Extensive exhibits and displays are planned for the entire week. The directors and class representatives will meet at 4 o'clock, Monday, March 16, at Pharmacy hall to make further plans.

The chairman will formulate complete plans for Pharmacy week. The class representatives will submit suggestions to the chairman, and each class will voice its opinions through its representative. The directors will work with the chairman and all plans will be discussed and voted on by the directors. (Continued on Page 4.)

## OIL EXPERT AND GRADUATE MEETS CHEM PROFESSOR

Dwight B. Mapes, who graduated from the university in 1919, was in Lincoln last week conferring with Prof. C. J. Frankforter and visiting in the department of chemistry. Mr. Mapes is chief technologist for the California oil refinery which is developing a patent recently granted to Professor Frankforter. C. C. Kattelman of Omaha and Mr. Mapes went on to Washington, D. C., from Lincoln where they will be joined in a few days by Professor Frankforter for a conference with patent office officials.

## Project Dates Back Many Years When Interest First Aroused.

About 1924 or 1925 the groups of alumni who were interested in promoting a stadium and a union building on the campus of the University of Oklahoma got together and organized a money raising corporation known as the "Stadium-Union Memorial Fund, Inc." This corporation secured the services of Tamblin and Brown, a nationally known firm, to promote our campaign. An intensive campaign among alumni students, faculty, and friends of the university was conducted, and approximately (Continued on Page 3.)