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OBSERVER VIEWS **ACTIVITIES MEET** SET FOR TONIGHT

'TO REVIVE INTEREST'

Purpose of Conclave Wil Be to Form Plans to Better System.

By THE OBSERVER.

Definite plans for the reorgan-ization of campus activities upon a scale which will point toward a closer co-operation of all social and honorary organizations will be made tonight. Under the sponsorship of Innocents society, senior men's honorary, all organizations will be represented in a meeting which will fill a very definite place in the extra-curricular activities of the campus. Here are the facts:

1. Time and place: Social Sciences auditorium, 7:30 tonight.

2. Sponsors: The Innocents so-

3. Representatives: Members of every fraternity and sorority and every honorary and professional organization on the campus.

4. Purpose: To discuss plans for improving the degree of co-op-eration between fraternities and sororities and honorary and pro-fessional organizations toward the end of recreating campus activi-ties on a more beneficial scale in the interest of every student en-rolled in University of Nebraska. Fulfills Needs.

Since last semester many students have been waiting for some group to assume leadership in a cause which merits the closer attention of every campus organiza-tion. The activities conference, as the meeting has been titled, will fulfill this need if organizations

will make a positive response.

The conference will attempt the following things, according to Richard Devereaux, president of

ricular, but we are pointing toward tion with trip plans. the future as well. We have found The Lincoln appea that many students are unachope to arrange a plan whereby of towns have signified their inter-every student may be placed in est in the proposed road trip. (Continued on Page 4.)

MUSICAL PROGRAM GIVEN WEDNESDAY

Guest Artists Entertain At Fifteenth Music Convocation.

The fifteenth musical convocation of the University School of Music was presented Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 17, at the Temple theater. The guest artists were Miss Emma Strangman, pianist; Miss Katherine Kimball, soprano, and Miss Valorita Callen, violinist. Miss Strangman played the following compositions:

Lisat, Sonetto del Petrarca. Ferrari, Temple in the Moonlight. Royce, Interlude. Saint-Saens, Valse, op. 52, No. 6. Wilbur Chenoweth, sang:

Gierdani, Caro mio ben, Durante, Banza, danza, fanciulla, Grieg, Ein Traum, Ivorak, Biblical Song, La Forge, A Pastorale, Manning, White Clouds, O'Connor-Morris, Allelina,

Miss Callen, accompanied by Earnest Harrison, played Mendel-ssohn's Concerto in e minor, Op 64, Allegro molto appassinato.

MEMBERS GATHER BAND

Gamma Lambda Honorary Is Host at Wednesday Eve Smoker.

About fifty-five members of the R. O. T. C. band attended the Gamma Lambda smoker at the Sigma Phi Epsilon house Wednes-

The band honorary held meeting for the purpose of get-ting better acquainted with the members of the band before selecting new members for the honorary next week. About twenty pledges are taken in by the fraternity every year, according to Ralph Spencer, present rush chairman. There are now about thirty actives

in the organization. Gamma Lambda, honorary band fraternity, is maintained for the purpose of promoting greater interest in the band and for sponsoring activities to raise money in order that the band may take trips with the football team. According to Spencer, the organization expects to sponsor several entertainments this semester for

that purpose. FOLLIES SALESMEN CHECK IN TICKETS

Tickets for the Co-ed Follies may be checked in to Lucile Reilly. at Ellen Smith hall, Thursday, Feb. 18 and Friday, Feb. 19, be-tween 3 and 4 o'clock. If it is impossible to check them in at this time they must be turned in at the Temple theater at 7 p. m., Friday, Feb. 19.

ARTICLE GETS PUBLICATION

Banta Greek Exchange Has Story Written About Von Seggerns.

Arthur Kozelka, Alpha Gamma Rho, editor of the Cornhusker Countryman, had an article published in the January issue of Banta's Greek Exchange which is of interest to Nebraska students. Conference of Organization
Heads Sponsored by
Innocents.

The hame of the article is Nebraska it's the Von Seggerns" and tells of the unusual duplication of college careers which the Von Seggern brothers followed on The name of the article is "At

the Nebraska campus.

The fact that both Marvin and Boyd were presidents of their respective fraternities, that both were members of the Innocents society and that both had been appointed to the editorship of the Daily Nebraskan was brought out.

FACULTY GIVES KOSMET TO TOUR

Committee Okeys Plans for Extended Road Trip of Klub Show.

OVER FORTY TRY OUT

Cast to Be Selected From Aspirants Appearing Wednesday Eve.

Consent for an extended road tine motif and a number of short trip for the Kosmet Klub show articles and features are outstand"Jingle Belles" was granted by ing.

A new department, Campus organizations yesterday afternoon. The trip, which will be made during spring vacation, will include an itinerary of many of the principle cities in eastern and central Nebraska.

"The faculty committee on student organizations has consented to the proposed seven-day trip of Kosmet Klub during spring vaca-tion. With the permission that Richard Devereaux, president of the Innocents society, who will have charge of the meeting.

"We are aiming not only toward the fulfillment of present campus the fulfillment of present campus as concerns things extra-curzation said Wednesday in connection with trip plans.

The Lincoln appearance of the show will be made after the trip has been completed if the present sphere of campus activities and plans are carried out. A number A.W.S. Board Will Present a very elaborate valentine motif.

"Kosmet Klub has been corresponding with a number of towns that are interested in the show We are making definite propositions to the various towns we are considering, and hope to have a number of the towns booked in the near future. All indications point to an entended trip," Edwin J. Faulker, business manager, in charge of the booking stated.

Many Towns Interested. Fremont, Omaha, McCook, Nebraska City, Norfolk, Beatrice, Hastings, Grand Island, Holdrege and Columbus have designated interest in the performance of the Kosmet Klub.

Announcement of the characters (Continued on Page 4.)

FEBRUARY ISSUE OF COUNTRYMAN IS OUT

Miss Kimball, accompanied by Home Economics Graduate Who Is Missionary Writes Article.

> The February issue of the Cornhusker Countryman will appear on the agriculture campus this afternoon, according to Arthur Kozelka, editor. This is the first Countryman to appear under the supervision of the new staff.

> The feature story for this issue has been written by Mrs. Hattie Hepperly Dewey, who was graduated from the university home economics department in 1921. Her article deals with the home problems of the natives of India, where she has been living with her husband who is a missionary to that country.
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> Another article in the agricul-

> tural publication this month tells of the experiences of Mitrofan Afanasieo, a graduate student from the Soviet country, in Russia. Among other features the magazine includes an article dealing with the work of Phil Baker for the United Fruit company in Cen-tral America, by John McClean, and another relating the experiences of one of the professors on the campus as a forest ranger in the Cache regions, written by Bill Ralston, associate editor of the

ART GROUP NAMES OFFICERS

President of Sigma Lambda.

Catherine Spivey was elected president of Sigma Lambda, honorary art sorority, at their regular meeting Tuesday night. Denice Greene was chosen vice president, Constance Kiser is treasurer, Sara

Green is recording secretary. Miss Spivey, from Anselmo, is a member of Alpha Chi Omega; Denice Greene, Elmwood, is a member of Alpha Xi Delta; Constance Kiser, Sigma Kappa, is tion with the university players from Tyston, Kas., and Sara Green provoked much favorable critiis from Lincoln.

OF COMIC SELLS OUT FIRST DAY

Awgwan Campus Sale Cleans Stands by Wednesday Afternoon.

EXCEEDS EXPECTATIONS

New Features of Magazine Meet Approval; More Copies Not Planned.

A complete sellout of the Febru ary issue of the Awgwan was registered yesterday, Editor Mar-vin Robinson stated Wednesday. This month's issue moved off the stands very quickly and the supply failed to meet the demand. Temp-orary plans for the printing of ad-ditional copies have been aban-

"We expected to continue the sale Thursday but the entire sup-ply was wiped out today and no attempt to further the sale of this issue will be made although it is quite possible that copies will be printed to supply the newstand sale which was curtailed to fill the campus demand," said Mr. Robinson. "The campus quota was sold out early Wednesday afternoon and greatly exceeded previous expecta-tions," explained the editor.

The February Awgwan met the campus approval with a number of new features and alterations in form. The cover drawn by Nor-

Tempo, is one of the leading features in this issue. Another new feature, the "Campus Calender" contains some unusual material. Other short articles and ma-

terial include: The Barb's Lament, the Daily Gripaskan by Theta Sigma Phi, What is This Thing (Continued on Page 4.)

Her at Coed Follies Friday Evening.

TICKETS ARE GOING FAST

their regular meeting. Her identity will be kept secret, however, until Friday evening when she will be presented to all the girls of the university at the annual Coed Follies which is held at the Temple theater from seven till nine o'clock

Tickets for the affair, which is limited to university women, were distributed to presidents of all organized houses about two weeks ago. Reports of sales show that the event will be well attended.

The Follies is to consist of fashion revue, using eighteen coeds, who were selected as repre-sentatives of the various houses two weeks ago. The stage is to be decorated as a cabaret in which the fashion display will take place. Two skits and two curtain acts

will be events of the evening. Phi Mu will present a skit entitled "Rushing Now and Fifty Years Hence." Alpha Chi Omega will give a novelty dancing act.

The evening performance will open with a curtain skit which as yet has not been announced either as to name or content. Dorothy Weaver and Anne Kavich will be the participants in it, however. Another curtain skit will be given by members of Delta Gamma and will consist of a trio, Eleanor Bur-well, Louise Correa and Zua Warner, who will entertain with vocal selections assisted by Louise Perry on the zylophone with Caroline Echols giving a novelty dance.

PLAYERS COMPLETE SHOWING OF OTHELLO

Cast Terminates Ten Day Run by Playing in Omaha At Playhouse.

A ten day run of the Shakesity players at the Community Playhouse in Omaha. The play, which has been received with enthusiasm by theater-going Lincoln, Catherine Spivey Elected appeared with equal success in Omaha for an afternoon and an evening performance.

"Othello" was pronounced as unmistakeably a great cultural achievement for the city of Lincoln. Much of the success of the stellar performance was attributed to the direction and performance of Hart Jenks, who played the to the part of Othello,

The University Players' presen tation was the first time that Othello had appeared in Omaha in twenty years. Hart Jenks, a former Omaha boy, in combination with the university players

Announce Prom Plans





WILLIAM DEVEREAUX. Co-chairmen of the Junior-Senior prom committee who Wednes-day announced plans for giving proceeds of the annual closing event of the campus formal season to drouth sufferers in northern Nebraska. Miss Kelley is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma and Deveraux of Alpha Tau Omega.

TICKET SALE MOUNTS FOR LEAP YEAR PARTY

High sales women, as shown Tuesday evening, were Margaret Sievers, Alpha Delta Theta; Ruth Byerly, Alpha Phi; Jane Youngson Kappa Alpha Theta; Alice Pedley, Kappa Alpha Theta; Gertrude Clarke, Alpha Xi Delta; and Alma Freehling.

The party promises to be a huge

success with a large number at-tending. The most popular man will be presented in a novel man-ner at eleven o'clock in the eve-

ning.

Decorations for the affair are to follow heard all over the floor.

Leo Beck and his twelve piece orchestra have been scheduled to furnish the music for the party Nebraska's best dressed girl and Harriet Cruise Kemmer, crooner, and Doris Marrow, members of the A. W. S. Board at their regular meeting Harden and Harriet Cruise Kemmer, crooner, and Doris Marrow, dancer, will furnish the entertainment.

16 NAMED MEMBERS OF DRILL HONORARY

Pershing Rifles Announce Results of Last Week's Two Tryouts.

Sixteen men were selected for membership in Pershing Rifles at a meeting of that organization on Tuesday. Tryouts were held Wednesday and Thursday of last week and selections were based upon the showing made in these tryouts. Membership in this bonorary basic drill organization requires proficiency in drill and knowledge of military science.

Those elected are: H. J. Amen. C. A. Brown, L. W. Carlson, R. V. Chase, P. Minier, H. E. Mitchell, D. Naden, F. J. Novak, J. Ord, R. Nicholson, A. O. Palmer, M. Smith, W. E. Thurman, C. G. Wallace, H. White, and H. Winquest. The next meeting will be held

Nebraska hall on Feb. 23, at 5 o'clock.

INVESTIGATION IS PLANNED

Chancellor Says University Will Review Incidents of Liquor Raid.

The recent occurrence at the VALENTINE MOTIF USED

Tickets for the Leap Year Party are selling like wild fire, it was discovered Tuesday night when a checkup was made with the Tassels, who are conducting the drive. Many girls will receive free tickets because they have sold over a quota of twenty.

We live in an age when it is possible to inform ourselves upon what national action should be taken without engaging ourselves in a war," said Mrs. E. L. Hinman, active member of the League of Women Voters and recognized authority on the question of disarmament, in a speech because they have sold over a quota of twenty.

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Today Engineers Will Open Polls in Mechanical Arts Building.

VOTING CLOSES AT FIVE

The engineers are holding an Three-fourths of the colliseum will man and the secretary-treasurer be blocked off and the dome will for open house week, which is to be draped so that the music will be held in May. The polls are in the Mechanical Arts building and will be open from 8 to 5 o'clock. All engineering students are eli-gible to vote. Identification cards will be required.

Candidates for the chairman-

ship are: William C. Norris, from Inavale. He is a member of Alpha Sigma

Williard Dann, senior mechanical engineer from Beatrice and member of Alpha Tau Omega.

Louie Etherton, civil engineering student from Lincoln. He is affiliated with Theta Xi. Nominees for secretary-treasur-

Bernard Osterloh, agricultural student from Hooper. He is a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon. Jack Hutchings, junior in the department of electrical engineering. He is from Falls City and is a member of Alpha Tau Omega. Walter Ely, senior electrical en gineer from Axtell.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

THURSDAY, FEB. 18. Activities meeting of all student group presidents and others inter-Social Science auditorium

League of Women Voters, Ellen Smith hall, 4 o'clock. FRIDAY, FEB. 19.

Lutheran association meeting Glee club rehearsal, 5 p. m. Morrill hall

Doctor Senning of Political Science Department Favors Lame Duck Bill

duck bill" that is now before the present session of congress, Dr. J. P. Senning, head of the department of political science, charac-The lame duck amendment is

of Nebraska, providing for the meeting of congress after the election. At present, the newly elected spearian tragedy "Othello" was terminated Wednesday evening with the appearance of the univer-

This, according to Dr. Senning, is a situation to be deplored, as the lame duck congress does not represent the people because of the many defeated candidates. Their attitude will not be the same as the newly elected candidates on certain bills and the fate of important measures is likely to be effected. Then, too, they are open to the influence of outsiders and thereby legislation will be hindered. According to Dr. Senning, the new congressmen are usually elected on their stand on bills be-

"I think the amendment pro-

Voicing his opinion on the "lame tinued. "One serious defect in the office of the members of the house of representatives is limited to two years. The amendment should not only do away with the lame duck terized the bill as a "very distinct session but do away with the pres-step in the right direction." of congressmen in the middle of one introduced by Senator Norris the presidential term of office. It frequently happens that the congress elected is opposed to the president and dissention occurs. The British have an admirable system of combatting this problem, for when the majority vote of the house of commons changes, the cabinet and prime minister also change.

Senator Norris has introduced his amendment seven times. The senate has sustained it four times, while in the house, only the last session was favorable when a similar measure was passed. However Senator Norris could not with this bill and it was not ratified by the senate. This year, the bill introduced in the house has so few differences from the Norris bill that the senator says

Senning. "It is of such fundamental importance and will be of posed by Senator Norris does not such great benefit to the govern-go far enough," Dr. Senning con- ment that it cannot be ignored." ings in the law school.

PROM PROCEEDS GO TO CHARITY

Event of Season; Ticket Prices, Reduced by \$1, Set at 1.50 This Year.

FACULTY TABOOS OUT OF TOWN ORCHESTRA

Local Bands Promise Cooperation With Charity Plan; University Grants Free Use of Coliseum; Pasteboards Go On Sale Soon.

Proceeds from the annual Janior-Senior prom, traditional closing event of the campus formal season, will go for charity to be used for relief in the drouth stricken areas of northern Nebraska, it was announced following a meeting of the prom

MRS. HINMAN TALKS AT FORUM LUNCHEON may, in a preciation."

Possibilities of Disarming Treated by Speaker at Wednesday Meet.

taken without engaging ourselves orchestras seemed willing to help

was the theme of the talk. Mrs. Hinman defended the League of Nations in all the actions which it has taken in the past, and especially the attitude that it has assumed during the present Chinese-Japanese crisis.

"Many people object because the league has done little more than send messages to the two opposing armies," continued Mrs. Hinman, "and still China and Japan continue their battle despite this interference. Yet if it wished, the league could bring a similar criti-cism against the United States. It could honestly assert, that we have election today to select the chair-also corresponded with Japan with inated at the polls Tuesday, are: no results." continued the speaker. Virginia Pollard, Nehawka, Chi She called attention to the peace conferences of the past, and the beneficial results which accrued

from each. The Washington peace conference abolished the Anglo-Japanese alliance and put the Anglo-American Japanese alliance in its place. Among the other important movements for peace was the Locarno pact, which consisted of an

alliance between Germany, France and Czechoslovakia the Briand-Kellog pact which labelled war as an international crime and the London conference. "It has been asserted," said Mrs. Hinman, "that the London conference achieved nothing, but it has

whittled out a scheme by which the naval force of any nation can he measured. In conclusion, Mrs. Hinman summed up the purpose of the present disarmament conference at Geneva. "War at the present time," she said, "is a threat to all of the ideals and securities which

we now enjoy. It is for you, the

younger generation, to prove that

armament is vain, and that the

peaceful security of our nation can be maintained only thru arbitra-

tion and disarmament.

Law Students Set to Go to Court Tonight Appointment at the recent board appointment at the recent board

Court will convene tonight. The attornies have consulted the witnesses and have listened to the stories of their clients. The petitions and pleadings have been filed. The case will be tried as it would be in a district court. It is an equity case.

The opposing attornies are uni-versity students. They have never been admitted to the bar, but they are trying a case nevertheless. The judge is a university professor. All set? Clear the court. The lawyers are appearing be-fore the former Nebraska supreme court bench that used to rest in the old capitol. Judges that have sat behind this bench have filled over eighty volumes with their reports of Nebraska decisions. The bench was presented to the law college after the new supreme court room in the capitol was finished

Witnesses have been called in by Professor Coffman and have been informed of the facts of the suit. Attornies have been given a general idea as to what the case s about and have found out the facts from the stories of the witnesses and consultations with their clients. The solicitors have filed their petitions and pleadings and the day has been set for the trial.
"The students will make mistakes, of course, but it is better

for them to make them here than when they are out in actual practice. It is an opportunity for them to practice what they have learned. The students have shown a great deal of interest and are fore the public eye, and by the time they meet in session, the bill has been voted on by the "lame ducks" and their opinion vote is ment seems certain," says Dr. fessor Coffman asserted when speaking of the moot court, which is conducted as part of the re-quired work for a class in plead-

Committee Announces Novel Plan for Closing Formal

committee Wednesday afternoon.

"The prom will be as much a tradition as it ever was," he con-tinued, "but the objective will be much more worth while if we can give for a charitable cause

The prom will be held in the coliseum Saturday, March 5. The university, co-operating with the committee, has granted the use of the building free of charge for the dance. In keeping with the general idea of the prom, negotiations have

been carried on to secure full co-operation from local orchestras to carry out the charity aspect. The as much as possible, subject to the approval of the musicians' union. Tickets Reduced. Several nationally prominent or-chestras had been considered for

the affair, it was announced at the committee meeting, but the faculty committee refused to allow an out-of-town orchestra to be booked. Tickets for the prom will go on sale within a few days. Several campus organizations have promised support in the sales campaign

which will probably start some time next week. The price will be only \$1.50, a reduction of one dol-lar in the usual price of the prom. The feature attraction of the prom will be the presentation of the prom girl, who will be elected that night from a group of five candidates chosen by the student body at large in a general election. Elaborate plans for the presenta-tion are being worked out.

Candidates for prom girl, nom-(Continued on Page 4.)

RALSTON CHOSEN AID COUNTRYMAN EDITING

Snipes and Ross Are New Managing Editors of Ag Magazine.

OTHERS ARE APPOINTED

William Ralston, Omaha, sophomore in the college of agriculture, has been chosen associate editor of the Cornhusker Countryman ensuing semester, Editor Arthur Kozelka announced Wednesday. He has had considerable experience with student publications during his high school years and has done commendable work on the Countryman.

Thomas Snipes and Stewart Ross are the new managing editors. Snipes is a junior in the college and Ross is a sophomore. Carlyle Hodgkins has been selected assistant managing editor. The home economics features for

the semester will be handled by

Miss Dora Wood, who received her publication meeting. She is a junior and a prominent member of the Home Economics organization. Harold Besack, Ray Tonjes, Reuben Hecht, Ray Murray and

John McClean are contributors to the magazine. Glen LeDioyt, business manager, will have the following men for his assistants: David E. Bengston, Carl Gerlach, Lorenz Bredimier, Norman Jeffery, Harlan Wiggans, Scott Beadle, and Louis Schick. Assistant circulation managers are: Elmer Parli, Mary Gerlach, Bill Waldo, Orin Webster, Glenn Heady and Murray Brawner.

FORMER STUDENT WILL BE BURIED AT BEAVER CITY

Miss Esther Morgan, former student and member Omega, who was found asphyxiated in a Los Angeles bungalow beside the dead body of her mother, will be buried at Beaevr

City Thursday.

Mother and daughter v e found by firemen who broke into the home to extinguish a small blaze. An overheated gas stove had caused the fumes that had over-come the women. They apparently had been dead for three days.

Mrs. Hinman to Talk Before Women Voters

Mrs. E. L. Hinman will address the University League of Women voters on "International Relationships Between Japan and China, at the meeting Thursday, Feb. 18, in Ellen Smith hall at 4 o'clock.

This meeting is the first of a series which it is hoped will be of interest to all women students.