

# SOCIETY NEWS

## Alumni Return for Round of Initiations Founders Day Banquets, Spring Parties

### Delta Sigma Lambda Had Founders Day Banquet Sunday; Marialice Ley Weds Edgar Allan Champe Thursday Afternoon in Lincoln.

Initiations, founders day banquets, spring parties and house dances scheduled for the week end will attract many alumnae to the campus. Those events which are the occasion for their return are the banquets to be given by Beta Theta Pi, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Gamma Delta and Sigma Kappa, the spring parties planned by Alpha Chi Sigma and Sigma Phi Epsilon, and the house dances slated by Pi Beta Phi, Sigma Kappa and Sigma Phi Sigma.

#### Beta Theta Pi.

To attend the banquet which Beta Theta Pi will give at the University club Saturday evening many alumni will return to Lincoln. From Hastings will come Frederick T. Daly, Charles W. Wahlquist, and Willard Hockman. From Beatrice Maurice Hevelone, Fred Vette, Earl C. Adams, Clifford Adams, and Cy Reed will return. Those from Plattsmouth are John Sattler and Robert E. Wurl. William Chamberlain of Pleasant Dale, Robert Morrow of Omaha, Wade Abbott of Fremont, and Guy W. Chamberlain of Blue Spring will return. Bruce Thomas will come from Mound City, Mo., and Ernest Nolte from Hiawatha, Kas.

#### Phi Gamma Delta.

Alumni of Phi Gamma Delta who will return for the annual Pig Dinner to be given at the chapter house Saturday night include the

from a platform erected in the Center of the floor chaperons for the affair are Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Minter, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gramlich, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Miller and Judge and Mrs. John L. Folk.

#### Former Students Are Wed Thursday.

Miss Marialice Ley of Wayne and Edgar Allan Champe of Lincoln, were married Thursday afternoon and left for Chicago. Both were formerly students at the university, where Miss Ley was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi and Mr. Champe of Phi Gamma Delta.

#### Delta Sigma Lambda Has Founders Banquet.

Delta Sigma Lambda held its annual Founders Day banquet at the chapter house Sunday, March 6. The house was decorated in the fraternity colors, blue and gold. Reginald Miller, president of the active chapter presided. Prof. O. R. Martin and Sherman Britton, sponsors of the local chapter, gave toasts. About forty were present.

Gamma Phi Beta alumnae will meet at the Oak Hall tea room Saturday for luncheon, following which there will be a business meeting at the apartment of the Misses Nanki Field and Florence Barlow.

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### SOCIAL CALENDAR

Notice of parties to be listed in social calendar Sunday must be received at the office of the Daily Nebraskan by Saturday noon.

Friday.  
Biazd spring party, Hotel Cornhusker.  
Sigma Kappa, dance at the house.  
Ag mixer, Student Activities building.  
Sigma Phi Sigma, house dance. Saturday.

Beta Theta Pi, initiation banquet. University club.  
Kappa Phi, banquet at the Cornhusker.

Phi Delta Theta, founders day banquet, Hotel Cornhusker.  
Phi Gamma Delta Pig dinner, at chapter house.

Sigma Kappa, initiation banquet, Lincoln hotel.  
Pi Beta Phi, dance at the house.

Sigma Phi Epsilon, spring party, the Cornhusker.  
Alpha Chi Sigma, dance at Lincoln hotel.

following: Clay H. Thomas, Henry Smith, Randolph Claassen, William Ure, Elmer Coates, Paul Morrow, Hamilton Morrow, John Sanders, Sherman Welpton, Clement Waldron, Robert Reasoner, and Kenneth Van Sant, all of Omaha; Orville Chatt, Walter Hopwell and Ralph Anderson of Tekamah; Richard Hadley of Hastings; Wyman Kenagy of Beatrice; C. S. Campbell of Mitchell; George Shaner of North Platte, and Guy Craig of Herman.

Short informal talks will be given by John L. Champe, Fred M. Sanders, Clay H. Thomas and Clement Waldron, with W. H. Butterfield of the active chapter acting as toastmaster. Harriet Cruise Kemmer will sing during dinner.

**Sigma Kappa.**  
To attend the dance at the house Friday night and the initiation banquet at the Lincoln hotel Saturday night, the following alumnae of Sigma Kappa will return to the campus. Miss Sally Flore, Albion; Miss Betty Noble, Blair; Miss Mable Heyne, Wisner; Miss Florence Phillips, Villisca, Ia.; Miss Winifred Holey, Omaha; Miss Marion Davis, Eagle; Miss Mable Dickinson, Seward; and Mildred Standard, Tecumseh.

**Sigma Phi Sigma.**  
Returning for the Sigma Phi Sigma house dance Friday evening are Al Jones, Elm Creek; Harvey Jacobson, Jo Catebeck, Jim Belda and Wendell Dodds, Omaha; Hugh McBride, Belgrade; and Hubert Stamp and Herbert Matzen, Yutan.

#### All University Party to Be Given Saturday Eve.

A Saint Patrick's motif will be used in the decorations for the all university party to be held at the coliseum Saturday night. Eddie Jungbluth's orchestra will play

### DELTA SIGMA RHO MAKE PLANS TO ESTABLISH DEBATE

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group, was that varsity debaters should be excluded from participation and that any regularly enrolled student should be eligible for participation if he is not on the debate squad.

#### Round Robin Affair.

The tournament is designed to be a round robin affair and each group will meet every other group.

Two debaters to a team was decided upon. The speeches are tentatively set at eight minutes for the main speech and four minutes for rebuttal. The organization feels that the time is sufficient and that interest will be maintained if the debate doesn't last over an hour.

Teams will alternate between the negative and the affirmative side, each organization will either have an affirmative and a negative team or will have one team that will take both sides. This was decided as being the fairest way of handling the situation.

The three judge plan was agreed upon by the debate honorary. It was thought that it would be advisable to select disinterested judges that have had experience in debate or in argumentation.

#### Debates Held in Houses.

It was deemed best to hold the debates in the houses of the organization participating as this would insure an audience. The final debate between the two survivors of the round robin league might be held at a place that would accommodate a crowd.

Any organization will be eligible to participate. The intramural activity will not be limited to fraternities and sororities but any organized group that cares to take part may do so.

The committee that is investigating the situation is Edwin J. Faulkner, Carl Marold and Earl Fishbaugh.

#### Many Questions Considered.

Some of the questions that are being considered are: The abolition of compulsory military science at Nebraska, the realignment of political factions on the campus, companionate marriage, women's smoking and the issue whether social organizations justify their own existence. Delta Sigma Rho welcomes any suggestions as to a proper question that would be of general interest.

It is hoped that debate will be put on the same footing as the rest of intramural program is, and that some award, such as the plaques that are presented for athletic championships, will be presented and that it will be included in the counting of points for the grand trophy.

Rudolf Vogeler, chairman of intramurals, signified his willingness to include debate in the intramural program some time ago if enough interest was shown by the students body to warrant its installation.

Arrangements for the program will be made by Delta Sigma Rho and a suitable question will be chosen in the near future. Debate is one of the features of the intramural program at other schools and according to members of the national forensic honorary there is no reason why it is not feasible that its adoption could not be made on the Nebraska campus.

## WRITERS' CONTEST FINAL DATE NEARS

### March 15 Is Closing Time For Story and Poem Manuscripts.

The final date for submitting manuscripts for the short story and poetry contest of the Nebraska Writer's Guild is next Tuesday, March 15. Manuscripts should be mailed to Theodore Diers, secretary, Nebraska Writer's Guild, Station A, Lincoln, before that date.

Cash prizes donated by Lincoln newspapers will be awarded in the short story contest. In this contest, manuscripts will be accepted only from Nebraska writers. Prizes are fifty dollars, thirty dollars and twenty dollars for first, second and third places. Rules are: All manuscripts to be typewritten (double-spaced) on paper size 8 1/2 by 11, and on one side of the sheet only.

Name of the author must not appear on the manuscript but should be enclosed with the title of the story in a separate sealed envelope.

Stories must be limited to 5,000 words. Contestant may submit only one short story.

If manuscripts are to be returned at the close of the contest return postage must be included.

In the consideration of the cash award, the Nebraska Writers Guild reserves the right to publish any one or all of the prize stories in the "Prairie Schooner."

All manuscripts must be submitted before March 15, 1932, and mailed to Theodore C. Diers, Secretary of Writers Guild, Station A, Lincoln, Nebr.

#### \$50 For Best Poem.

In the poetry contest a prize of fifty dollars will be awarded for the best contribution, regardless of whether the author is a resident of Nebraska. Twenty-five dollars will be awarded for the best poem written by a Nebraska author. In this contest it is possible that a Nebraska poet win both prizes. Rules for the poetry contest are: All manuscripts to be written on one side of the sheet only.

Name of the author must not appear on the manuscript, but should be enclosed with the title of the poem in a separate envelope. Poems must be limited to sixty lines.

If manuscript is to be returned at the close of the contest, return postage must be included.

Contestants may submit not more than two poems.

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Included on the staff of directors of the Nebraska Guild are J. E. LeRossignol, dean of the College of Business Administration, and Hazel Gertrude Kinsella, connected with the school of music.

#### 'JINGLE BELLES' HAVE REHEARSAL MARCH 10

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tional woman of about fifty and has modern ideas and dresses fashionably. Helen and Donald Barry are her two children and are students at the University of Nebraska. Tom Randall is the fiance of Helen Barry. Mary Lou and Jane are friends of Helen Barry. Russell is a young college boy. The villain of the show is a middleaged bachelor named Jerry Lambert. The housekeepers are Mr. and Mrs. Carmichael.

The plot of the musical comedy is to have Helen realize the worthlessness of Jerry Lambert and to return to her former love of Tom Randall.

#### MOVIES BLAMED FOR CHILD DELINQUENCIES

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"While the boys' cases are more numerous," said Mrs. Morning, "the girls' are more serious." She attributed this to the fact that girls are more subtle and will never admit error, whereas boys frankly tell of their misdemeanors once they are caught.

Most of the children who are declared delinquent are put on probation, according to Mrs. Morning, unless they have offended more than once. In that case they are sent to a retention home. She said, "It is most interesting to see how these children improve during the probation period."

After a brief discussion of the mother's pension and the girls' training school in Geneva, Mrs. Morning gave some very interesting cases which had come to attention during her work as head probation officer of the court.

Smoking among women is a fad that is gradually passing, according to Mrs. George F. Halverson, president of the Madison Central W. C. T. U., in an interview in the Daily Cardinal. An anti-cigarette campaign was recently launched by the women's group with particular emphasis against smoking by high school and university student.

New York university has introduced a sliding scale charge for dance admissions. One charge is in proportion to the girl's waist, a charge of one cent being made for each inch of circumference. At another dance a charge of a penny a pound was made.

Five leather medals have been awarded to contributors to "Columns," University of Washington humorous publication.

## Patrons Ask Strange Questions of University Telephone Girls: System Has Outgrown the Present Equipment

"Can you tell me how much vanilla to put in my chocolate fudge?" "Where can I find out how to prevent cholera?" Such are some of the questions received by the operators of the university switch boards. Anything from care of children to negotiating a thousand dollar loan goes over these lines.

"They seem to think we are nothing less than an information bureau," says Fern Finnello, switch board operator of the university call lines.

The switch board was established approximately twelve years. Before the board went in there were about fifteen phones on the campus. The switch board started with 120 university lines and seven outside trunk lines. After the switchboard was established, extension phones were put in, until at the beginning of the board there were about 120 lines and seven outside lines.

At the present there are 176 lines. There are seventeen trunk lines, or lines connecting with numbers outside of the university exchange. Including the extension

phones on the main lines there are 340 telephones.

From four hundred to six hundred calls go through this board in an hour. The busiest time for calls is between classes.

"We have really outgrown our equipment," states Miss Finnello. "People do not understand why we keep them waiting when they ask for a connection, but with the equipment we now have, there are often times when the lines get filled and we cannot answer a call."

"We can hear the conversations but in order to do so we must stay on the line and we never have time to do so," she says.

The administration building has perhaps more calls than any other building on the campus.

## ANNOUNCE B CAGE AWARDS

Twelve Campus, Varsity Men Receive Basketball Numerals.

Twelve B players have been awarded basketball numerals for the 1932 season, the department of athletics announced Wednesday afternoon.

Both Ag B men and varsity B cagers are included in this list. Those receiving numerals are: Forrest Bauer, Lincoln; Scott Beadie, Papillion; Robert Chase, Lincoln; Herman Levinson, Omaha; Glenn LeDoy, North Platte; Merrill Lee, Brownlee; Charles Livingston; Nehawka; William Ralston, Omaha; Thomas Snipes, Lincoln; Irving Walker, Waverly; Herbert Yost, Harvard; and John Yordy, Pender.

## BAPTISTS PLAN PROGRAM

Junior and Senior Choirs to Give 'Old Hymn' Musicale Sunday Afternoon.

The junior and senior choirs and the student orchestra of the First Baptist church will unite in presenting an "Old Hymn" musicale Sunday at 5 o'clock. This service is one of the series of pre-Easter vespers which the church has been holding Sundays.

The program will consist, in addition to chorus and orchestra numbers, of solos, duets and quartet numbers.

The junior choir is directed by Mrs. Carl Hedeon and the orchestra by Miss Naomi Randall. Miss Paige Crawford, senior choir director, is in charge of program arrangements.

## Freshman Commission Holds Meeting Thursday

The freshman commission had its first meeting of the semester Thursday afternoon. Margaret Day has charge of the commission and announces that it will meet regularly from now on.

A silver loving cup will be awarded the winning fraternity in a ping-pong contest at the University of Ohio. Seven groups have entered.

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