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THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL MILITARY COMPET TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY

Parade Honoring Sponsors And Honorary Colonel Ends Activities.

First call at 12:50 Wednesday p. m., will mark the beginning of the thirty-ninth annual regimental "compet" of the university Reserve Officers Training corps. Compete maneuvers are scheduled for Wednesday afternoon on Memorial mall, south of the coliseum, and the R. O. T. C. drill field, west of the coliseum.

Many awards are to be made during the afternoon among which are awards to the commander of the winning company, commander of the winning platoon, first, second and third awards to winners in the individual compete; bars to members of the winning platoon; rifle marksmanship bars to company M; and athletic bars to company F.

The team medals and sweaters will also be presented during the afternoon, as will the American legion award of \$15 in gold to the best basic student.

Judges for the compet will be members of the university military staff, local O. R. C. members, national guard officers and regular army officers. Among them will be (Block 1) Maj. C. E. Spear, Capt. Jack Meyer, Capt. Rollo Van Kirk, Sgt. N. D. Farris, (Block 2) Col. C. J. Frankforter, Capt. G. W. Spoerry, Lt. George Mickel, Sgt. Earl DeVaughn, (Block 3) Col. H. F. Cunningham, Capt. W. T. Scott, Lt. O. J. King, Sgt. G. F. McGimsey, (Block 4) Maj. L. W. Young, Capt. H. C. Harper, Lt. W. H. Browne, Sgt. W. L. Richardson, (Block 5) Col. F. E. Overholser, Capt. C. W. Ackerson, Lt. C. J. Stewart, Sgt. J. M. Stewart, (Block 6) Capt. E. H. Connor, Lt. M. L. Plimpton, Lt. D. L. Utter, Staff Sgt. Gerard, (Block 7) Capt. J. W. Crissy, Capt. G. M. Baker, Lt. Howard Turner, and Sgt. C. A. Ashmore. Maj. C. A. Bishop, former Cadet Col. F. Sampson, and Lt. Stanley Day, will also serve as judges.

Col. W. H. Oury, will act as director of compete commandant, and Cadet Col. Howard Mixon will be assistant director. Colonels (Continued on Page 4).

Our Utopian University.

SO at last it's come to this. The last editorial. When the editor makes a brave attempt to rationalize some of the things he has said, and an even more far-fetched attempt to show what has resulted from his daily efforts.

We have realized to the full extent from the beginning of the semester that most of the editorials have been rather impractical. We have been under no illusions as to our power to reform the world or even the campus. And most disheartening of all we have been aware that the number of people who read these editorials is negligible.

Why then have we bothered to write what seems so futile? In the first place the editor is supposed to get a salary for writing. We could hardly justify drawing that salary, which incidentally is four months overdue, unless we filled our columns every day. In the second place, it is frequently difficult to fill the paper with news so that some sort of filler must be used.

And finally, despite what we said about our lack of illusions, we do have that optimistic feeling that some one or more persons might notice what is said and appreciate it or at least get angry about it, which is some satisfaction. And occasionally, believe it

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Ag School Head



MR. H. K. DOUTHIT

Who was elected superintendent of the Nebraska School of Agriculture at Curtis. He was formerly supervisor of farm operator's courses at the college of agriculture.

ALUMNI WILL STAGE ROUND-UP ON JUNE 5

Class of 1913 to Be Honored At Twelfth Annual Affair.

The closing of the school year, the twelfth annual round-up of the University Alumni association members being held in connection with commencement day June 5, will be one of the major events on final slate. Several events of interest are being planned for the day which will be started off with a meeting of the executive committee at 8:30 a. m. at the Temple building and a council meeting in the alumni quarter at the same building.

The class of 1913 of which Ralph Sweeney of Omaha is president and Mrs. Florence Schwake Bates of Lincoln is secretary will be the one honored at this year's gathering.

Election of the alumni association officers for the coming year will feature the morning meetings. Guy C. Chambers of Lincoln and Hary D. Landis of Seward are nominees for association president.

A combined commencement alumni luncheon will be held at the University club at 12:15 o'clock and after 2 o'clock the remainder of the day will be taken by reunions of the various classes. These activities will comprise the economical program of this year's round-up.

DOUTHIT SELECTED SUPERVISOR OF AG SCHOOL AT CURTIS

Announcement of Transfer Made by Chancellor Burnett.

H. K. Douthit, supervisor of farm operator's courses at the college of agriculture, has been elected superintendent of the Nebraska school of agriculture at Curtis. The announcement of the immediate transfer of Mr. Douthit of Nebraska. Both the farm operator's work and the work at Curtis are under the control of the University of Nebraska. Mr. Douthit assumed his new work Monday.

Superintendent Douthit takes the place of C. K. Morse who will be connected with the university extension division in Lincoln.

For the past four years Mr. Douthit has had charge of the farm operator's course and all of the other short courses at the college of agriculture. The farm operator's course took the place of what was formerly the school of agriculture. Mr. Douthit has been very successful in building up the enrollment and in giving the boys in this course a much broader education than they might have obtained from the books alone, according to university officials. Under his leadership the boys had their own farm operators club, their own athletic program and their own boarding club. When the depression began to cut into the enrollment of the agricultural college, Mr. Douthit became very much interested in a program to cut down living expenses and other expenses for the short course and regular college students.

While taking care of his work as supervisor of short courses, Mr. Douthit has found time to take a few courses in advanced educational work and make some special studies under Dr. Charles Fordyce.

Prior to his work as supervisor of short courses, Superintendent Douthit was county agent in Webster county. Before taking over this farm bureau work he taught Smith-Hughes vocational agriculture in the Red Cloud high school for about two years. During the summer months of the last four years Mr. Douthit has been out in the state almost continuously, giving talks at community meetings, high schools, and other gatherings.

Dr. Wadsworth Talks At Meeting Monday

Dr. J. R. Wadsworth of the romance language department spoke on "Edmond Rostand," following the 7 o'clock dinner of L'Alliance Francaise at the Cornhusker hotel Monday night. Prof. Michael Ginsburg, president, introduced the speaker, and a general discussion followed the talk. About twenty members attended the affair.

FINIS

With this issue, the Daily Nebraskan completes its thirty-second year of publication. When this issue of the paper reaches the students, a staff of almost fifty workers will have finished a year of faithful, if not remunerative, service. They have received many hours of pleasure, made many friends, and gained much valuable experience while working on the "Rag."

Special thanks are due the reporters, the society editor, the sports editor, and the woman's editor, who have done a great amount of work without any pay, (not to mention the theoretically paid staff). Members of the faculty have also co-operated in giving us news otherwise unobtainable. We take this opportunity to thank all those who have helped in any way to make the Nebraskan a permanent record of campus events.

To our successors, the staff of next year, we wish the best of luck and success. We feel sure that they will never regret the hours they devote to work on the Nebraskan, although at times they will feel discouraged and disheartened by the constant work.

LYNN LEONARD,
DICK MORAN,
The Managing Editors.

MISS GOULD TO GIVE TALK Radio Artist Will Deliver Special Address for University Women.

Miss Barbara Gould, internationally famous radio star, sportswoman and society leader, will be in Lincoln Thursday, May 25th and will deliver a special lecture for



university women at the Gold & Co. store, Thursday evening at 8 p. m., May 25th. All University girls are invited to attend this informal meeting and reception.

KLUB WILL ACCEPT MANUSCRIPTS EARLY

No Definite Deadline for Entries Set by Group.

Play manuscripts for the annual spring musical comedy sponsored by Kosmet Klub, campus dramatic organization, will be accepted at an date earlier than usual next semester, Frank Musgrave, newly elected president of the Klub, announced after a meeting of the organization last night.

No definite deadline for entering manuscripts was set by the Klub, but it was tentatively decided to call for all entries early in the fall instead of calling for them about the middle of the year, Musgrave declared. If possible, the work on the show will start soon after the play to be produced has been selected, he added.

Final committee reports for the year and a clearance of all of the remaining business were received at the last meeting of the organization for the year in the Klub rooms last night in University hall. Musgrave urged all persons planning to submit plays to the Klub to work on them during the summer so that they will be ready next fall.

CADET REGIMENT RATED EXCELLENT Officer Makes Comment On Inadequacy of Facilities.

The university R. O. T. C. was again rated excellent, according to a letter received by Chancellor E. A. Burnett from Johnson Hagood, major general of the United States army following the recent annual inspection. The inspection was conducted by Col. R. H. McMaster, field artillery, and Lieut. Colonel George F. N. Dailey, infantry.

According to the letter, in the opinion of the training inspector the unit was very fine and the courtesy, discipline, and attitude of the student personnel was especially to be commended.

Comment was again made on the inadequacy of facilities for indoor drill during inclement weather and the lack of a drill ground.

Millett Will Conduct Initiation Services

Kenneth Millett will conduct the initiation services of Phi Tau Theta, Methodist fraternity, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, at Second Methodist church. New officers will be installed, and Prof. F. D. Keim and W. E. Gates, honorary members, and John DeFord will be initiated.

ERNEST LINDLY WILL GIVE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS ON JUNE 5

Walter Aitken Will Deliver Baccalaureate Sermon At St. Paul's.

The Rev. Walter Aitken, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church of Lincoln, and Dr. Ernest H. Lindly, chancellor of the University of Kansas, will be the baccalaureate and commencement speakers respectively for the university this June, according to an announcement made yesterday by Chancellor E. A. Burnett.

The baccalaureate sermon will be held at St. Paul's church, Sunday, June 4, at 4 p. m. Dr. Lindly will deliver his commencement address the following day in the coliseum at 10:30 a. m.

Final arrangements for the graduation are being completed this week, and as yet no definite figures are available upon the number of students who will be granted degrees by the university this June.

Both speakers come to the university highly recommended. Dr. Aitken is well known in Lincoln religious and educational circles. Dr. Lindly, who is chancellor of the University of Kansas, has figured prominently in national educational fields.

The chancellor has been the guest of the university on several occasions and is well known by many of the students and faculty members of the university. Dr. Lindly, in addition to being president of the National Association of State Universities, was also president of the University of Idaho, coming directly to Kansas University from there.

AWGWAN SALES RUN HIGH ON LAST ISSUE

Graduation Suggests Idea For Feature Story by Alumni Writer.

The last issue of the Awgwan, Nebraska humor magazine, went on sale at two stands Tuesday. According to the business department the sale was very good. This edition, the ninth of this year, was featured by a cover of black, yellow and green colors.

Among the variety of stories, was one written by a university alumnus entitled "Eugene O'Neill Writes a Commencement Address."

Art Wolf wrote a reply to the woman's issue, called "It's Your Turn Ladies." "Sorority Mythology," a group of articles from various sorority magazines, was written by Charles Ledwith. Two pages of cartoons done by Robert Poiree, Morris Gordon and Willis Stork also appeared.

In addition to the picture of twelve seniors, the girl of the month, Jane Robertson, Delta Gamma, was shown.

"Pin Market," Gore, Fashions, and "From Flo to Zoe," regular features of the magazine made their last appearance this year.

UNIVERSITY GRADUATE DIES

Helen O'Rourke Stricken in Des Moines After Brief Illness.

Helen O'Rourke, a graduate of the university in 1929, died May 19 at the Methodist hospital in Des Moines, Iowa, following a brief illness of inflammatory rheumatism and peritonitis. Funeral services were held Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Rourke in Creston, Iowa. Miss O'Rourke has been teaching in Churdan, Iowa, since her graduation.