

TAX PLAN REVIVAL STARTED THURSDAY

Committee Composed of Presidents of Various Campus Organizations Begins Work of Drawing Up Proposed Tax Plan in Near Future.

BYRON GOULDING NAMED CHAIRMAN OF GROUP

Attempt Will Be Made During This Next Month to Secure Opinions Faculty Members, Administration, Student Groups, and Graduates.

Revival of active work on the proposed activity tax plan, started last year by the Student Council, was promised last night in the formation of a committee to start on the preparation of a report to be presented to the Board of Regents when they consider the proposition at one of their meetings next spring.

The committee, which is composed of presidents of various campus organizations, activity leaders, and members of the Student Council activity tax committee, met last night to outline plans for the report, which will cover every phase of the activity tax plan.

Goulding is Director. Byron Goulding, chairman of the Student Council activity tax committee, will head the newly-formed group and direct its work.

John Gepson, president of the Student Council, will investigate and prepare registration figures and gather statistics on the possible sources of student revenue to support the plan.

Norris and Hershey Handle Vote. The legal aspect of the matter will be handled by Bill Eddy, treasurer of the Student Council. An accurate vote to secure student opinion at the present time will be managed by Willa Norris, president of Mortar Board and Martha Hershey, president of the Panhellenic council.

Determination of student opinion thru contacts with all social, professional, and honorary organizations will be handled by Dick Moran of the Innocents society, and Vernon Filley, president of the Ag executive board. Expressions of faculty opinion will be obtained by Bob Thiel, president of the Interfraternity council, and Margaret Buol, president of the A. W. S. board.

Moran Will Make Survey. Dick Moran will prepare a report of the survey of activity tax plans in other universities all over the country secured by the Student Council last year, and he will also work in conjunction with Burton Marvin, president of the Barb council, in securing information on the significance of activities.

The committee will start work immediately, and will have part of its report prepared before Christmas vacation, Chairman Goulding announced after the meeting last night. Plans are to have the complete brief ready by the first of February.

Class Will Instruct Students in Dancing

At the request of many students, instructions in beginning dancing will be given from 7 to 7:30 to those who know nothing about it at Social Dancing classes the next two Fridays. There will be the regular hour for dancing following the period of instruction.

Dr. Walton Points Out Facts to Consider in Probing Problem of Depression Effecting Averages

Poor old depression catches it in the neck for most anything these days. If something goes wrong it's quite the proper thing to pass it off with reference to the times and let it go at that. But there is a problem whose source can undoubtedly be traced to the much talked of period of financial stress and that is the matter of general scholastic averages.

Are grades, on the average, increased or decreased by the presence of the low levels that have been sustained by business for the past few years? It is a matter of speculation but the question can be answered with a modified "yes" or "no," depending upon which way the indicator points when the grades are placed on the scale.

Dr. W. E. Walton of the psychology department points out a few facts that must be reckoned with when the problem is being probed. "If a decrease in grades occurs it might be a normal thing because the students are faced with greater problems today than is usually the case," he says. And the additional problems may be classified as financial and social.

SIGMA TAU TAKES IN NEW MEMBERS THURSDAY NIGHT

Prof. Frankforter Discusses Engineer's Character at The Banquet.

Presenting "My Idea of an Engineer," Prof. C. J. Frankforter addressed the semi-annual initiatory banquet of Sigma Tau, honorary engineering society last night at the Lincoln hotel.

Keys were presented to the ten new members who were initiated Wednesday night by Verne Hedge, national president and a founder of the Sigma Tau society. Members to receive keys are Kenneth Young of Humboldt; George Rogers, Fremont; Richard Rice, Tekamah; Marvin Nuernberger, Wakefield; Robert Joyce, Lincoln; Lester Hicks, Meadow Grove; Will Haack, Lincoln; Sol Fellman, Omaha; Walker Cordner, Lincoln, and Gordon Colborn, Hardy.

In presenting his idea of an engineer, Colonel Frankforter said "The man must have a thorough understanding of his work, and must know how to apply that knowledge practically. He must have the personal characteristics that enable him to co-operate with other men, and the strong moral integrity is needed to succeed."

Stanley Jameson, senior member of the society, gave the address welcoming the new members. He was answered by Sol Fellman, who voiced the appreciation of the new group. Richard Bulger, president of the Nebraska chapter, presided at the banquet.

SET REGISTRATION DATE Programs for Next Semester Will Be Published Before First of January.

Programs for registration for the second semester will be published shortly before the first of January, according to the registrar's office. Registration takes place the second week in January from Monday, Jan. 8, till noon on Saturday of that week.

CAMPUS COMMITTEE FOR PEACE ORGANIZES Three Sub-Organizations Are Named by Chairman Of Council.

A permanent organization set-up was arranged at the meeting of the Nebraska Student Committee Thursday night at the Alpha Phi house. Three sub-committees were named by Breta Peterson, chairman of the organization, to arrange a program for the group to develop this winter.

The first committee to be appointed is the committee concerned with county peace group set-ups. It has charge of developing definite talking points for these organizations. These subsidiary groups will be set up during Christmas vacation, and before that time material will be obtained from national headquarters by the committee which is made up of Charles Hulac, Elaine Fontaine, and Gwen Thompson.

On the third committee, which will arrange for and conduct a mass meeting preceding vacation are Morton Spence, Margaret Waterman, Bash Berkins, and Bob Mario. Early in November the Nebraska Student Peace Committee was organized following the visit in Lincoln of Paul Harris, director of the Youth Movement for World Recovery. Its ultimate purpose is to eradicate war.

FOURTH VARSITY PARTY OF YEAR IS SATURDAY NIGHT

Committee Will Use Permanent Decorations for First Time Tomorrow.

Saturday evening at 8:30 the fourth All University party of the present school year will be held in the university coliseum. For this annual Christmas party the new permanent decorations will be used, and there is a possibility that an amplifying system will be installed.

Furnishing music and entertainment for the affair will be Frank Hodek and Billy Meyers and their Nightingales, an eleven piece orchestra, which has gained quite a reputation for both its symphonic and dance music. This is the orchestra which was featured at the Ak-Sar-Ben ball at Omaha this fall. Having played over the CBS and NBC broadcasting chains, and from various midwest radio stations, Hodek's orchestra has become popular in Nebraska and surrounding states.

Hodek is Pianist. Hodek is an accomplished pianist, and takes this part in the orchestra. Meyers is tenor soloist and director. Hodek was formerly associated with Rubinoff's orchestra in the east.

Chaperones for the party will be Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Corey, and Prof. and Mrs. Lawrence Lindgren. Tomorrow night's party is the fourth All University party to be held this fall, and the fourth of the seven scheduled for the year. Dates for future parties are Feb. 17, March 10, and March 31.

FUNK WILL CHECK IN UNSOLD DIRECTORIES

Sales Have Been in Charge Of Students in Various Organized Houses.

All unsold directories will be checked in to Bob Funk, an assistant business manager of the publication, by the last of the week. Sales of these books have been in the hands of one student in each organized house for the last two weeks.

Check-up on the directories already sold has been conducted during the past week by the assistant business managers. Bob Funk states: "Representatives in the various organized houses have been quite successful in promoting these sales and are to be complimented on their efforts." Staff members of the publication urges all students to avail themselves to this opportunity to purchase one of these directories.

Directory Editor Frank Crabill expresses satisfaction over reports of the drive. "Organization members and unaffiliated students have co-operated with the staff members in pushing this final campaign and good results are shown." Reports on the final sales will be made following the last check-up to be made soon.

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R.O.T.C. Commandant.



COL. W. H. OURY, Commandant of the Nebraska unit of R. O. T. C. which is sponsoring its annual Military Ball in the university coliseum this evening. The main feature of this event will be the presentation of the honorary colonel.

OFFICERS FROM OMAHA AND AMES COMING TO BALL

Thirty Cadets from Creighton And Three Iowa State Majors to Attend.

Thirty cadet officers from Creighton university at Omaha have made arrangements to attend the Military Ball which will be staged at the coliseum tonight, according to a letter received by the military department from Creighton. Three cadet majors from Iowa State university at Ames will attend the affair.

Those from Creighton university are: Francis E. Abbott, Walter J. Ebinars, Douglas S. Brown, James A. Chapman, Gildo A. Cortese, Paul Deamin, Robert Gilmore, Early Halgren, Edward Hart, Gordon I. Henry, Hohn Kirchner, Basil Lazure, Jack A. Leary, Carroll Leary, Abel Medeiros, John Melcher, Fred Meyer, Leonard Palmer, John Rebuck, Gordon Shotwell, Ben Smith, Robert Swanson, Mark Walker, Harold Wanek, Walter Wendt, Rudolph Wieseler, Fred Wolfe, Charles Miller, Omer Fleming, and Bevan McAnany.

CLASSIC STUDENTS TO HEAR DR. LOWE SPEAK

Athens Library Head Will Give Informal Address This Afternoon.

Dr. C. L. Lowe, director of the Gennadeion Library in Athens, and former chairman of the classics department of the university, will address classics department students this afternoon at three o'clock in room 202 of Andrews hall. The address will be informal, concerning the Gennadeion and the American School of Classical Studies in Athens.

Dr. Lowe left the university two years ago to become director of the Gennadeion in Athens, which is a 45,000 volume library of Byzantine studies. He is now making a lecture tour of the United States, addressing chapters of the Archæological Institute of America. He plans to return to Greece sometime next year.

Describes Athens. In an address before the Faculty Men's club at the University club Wednesday evening, Dr. Lowe described the people of Athens and their customs, and the revolutionary political events occurring in that city. He described the Greeks as a race.

All students are invited to attend the lecture, and students enrolled in Greek and Latin classes are urged to come by Prof. O. W. Reimnuth of the classics department.

SPONSOR SHORT STORY CONTEST FOR STUDENTS

Local Judging of Entries to Be Handled by Staff of "Prairie Schooner."

Students registered in the colleges and universities of the United States are eligible to enter a short story contest sponsored by the "Story Magazine." The local judging of the entries is being handled by the staff of the "Prairie Schooner."

Winning stories will be published in the Story magazine with others considered to be of unusual merit regardless of whether they were prize winners. The first prize will be \$100 and a second award of \$50 will also be made. Entries must be in the hands of the judges by April 15, but it is recommended by the editors of the Prairie Schooner that entries be submitted to them by about Feb. 15 to allow ample time for correction.

MORTAR BOARDS START SALE OF PARTY TICKETS

Campaign Will Continue to Date of Event; Affair Is December 15.

INTRODUCE INNOVATION

Will Attach Dance Programs To Ducats; Urge Coeds to Fill Out Schedule.

Tickets for the third annual Mortar Board party will be placed on sale today when Tassels, Mortar Boards and members of Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman honorary scholastic organization begin their campaign at noon. The sale will continue until the day of the party which is next Friday, Dec. 15.

The Mortar Boards are introducing a new feature for Nebraska by making their party a program dance. Programs, which are to be filled out with the schedule of each couple's dance program will be attached to the tickets and must not be detached, according to an announcement yesterday by Jane Boos, chairman of the ticket committee.

Replica of Mortar Board. The tickets will be a replica of a mortar board, done in gold with black trimming. The dance programs are furnished in an effort to encourage a more general mixing of the crowd. "It is not necessary that the programs be used but the tickets must not be detached or they will not be honored at the (Continued on Page 3.)"

MEAT JUDGING TEAM TAKES THIRD PLACE

Squad Competes With Nine Groups; Contest Held At Wilson Plant.

ATTEND THREE BANQUETS

The Nebraska meats team won third in the Intercollegiate Meats Judging contest in Chicago Tuesday, according to Coach W. J. Loeffel. Nine teams were entered in the contest, the Ontario Agricultural college winning first, Iowa State college second, and Nebraska third. The teams judged at the Wilson packing plant in Chicago.

Arriving back in Lincoln late Wednesday night, the teammen, Howard White, Cletus Reimmler, Leonard Wenzel, and Harry Elkin, said they took in the celebration in Chicago following repeat late Tuesday afternoon. The four teammen left Chicago early Wednesday, they said, and drove back to Lincoln that day.

No Previous Practice. The novel feature about Nebraska's place in the contest, according to Loeffel, was not simply the fact they won third, but that they won third almost without previous practice. The team went to Omaha for one work-out before going to Chicago, he said, and in Chicago they had one work-out before the contest.

Banqueting occupied a large part of the time in Chicago, according to the team members. They attended three major banquets.

In the contest classes of beef, pork, and mutton were used. Nebraska ranked second in lamb, and fifth in both pork and beef. The classes included hams, light and heavy pork carcasses, beef chucks, beef ribs, light lambs and heavy lambs. Considering the amount of training the boys had had, Loeffel believes, they made an excellent showing in the contest.

Prof. Reed Is Recovering Favorably From Injuries

Prof. A. A. Reed of the university extension division is recovering favorably from cuts and bruises which he received in an automobile accident Tuesday morning. Professor Reed is still in the Morrow hospital at Seward and will not return to Lincoln for a few days.

MILITARY BALL IN CAMPUS SPOTLIGHT

Revelation of Honorary Colonel Will Feature Opening Event of Campus Formal Season in Coliseum Tonight; Winner's Identity Secret.

NOVEL PRESENTATION SCHEME WILL BE USED

Traditional Ceremonies Will Be Broadcast Over KFAB; Art Kassel and Kassels in the Air Play for Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of Affair.

Mystery shrouds the identity of the new Honorary Colonel as the stage is set for her presentation at the twenty-fifth annual Military Ball which will be held in the coliseum this evening. Approximately 1,200 couples are expected to attend the affair which marks the opening of the formal season on the university campus, according to Col. W. H. Oury.

Final arrangements for the 'high spot' of the university social calendar were completed with the last rehearsal of the grand march Thursday evening. One hundred and eighty cadet officers and their dates led by Cadet Colonel Ed Fisher and the Honorary Colonel will participate in the grand march which takes place immediately following the presentation of the Honorary Colonel.

Complete Stage Directions. Stage decorations for the presentation have been completed according to the committee in charge of the introduction of the Honorary Colonel. Colonel Oury stated that the method of introducing the Honorary Colonel which will be kept a secret until the time of the presentation, is one of the best plans ever used.

Broadcast Event. The ball including the presentation ceremonies will be broadcast for one hour and one half from 10:15 to 11:30 over radio station KFAB, according to the military department. Art Kassel and his Kassels in the Air will play for the affair.

Announce Patrons. Those invited to attend at patrons are: Governor and Mrs. Charles Bryan; Chancellor and Mrs. E. A. Burnett; Chancellor Emeritus and Mrs. Samuel Avery; Regent and Mrs. Arthur C. Stokes, Omaha; Regent and Mrs. Stanley D. Long, Grand Island; Regent and Mrs. Frank Taylor, St. Paul; Regent and Mrs. Fred A. Marso, Archer; Regent and Mrs. M. A. Shaw, David City; Mayor and Mrs. Fenton B. Fleming; Senator and Mrs. Charles G. Warner; Dean and Mrs. T. J. Thompson; Dean Amanda Heppner; Miss Elizabeth Tierney; General John J. Pershing; Miss Mae Pershing; General and Mrs. H. J. Paul; Colonel and Mrs. Frank Engler; Col. and Mrs. O. E. Engler; Col. and Mrs. C. J. Frankforter; Judge and Mrs. Charles A. Goss; Judge and Mrs. Claude S. Wilson; Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Fling; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Schwartz; Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Tukey, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Weaver, Falls City; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kormsmeier; Mrs. E. E. Cowles.

Name Sponsors. Roma DeBrowa, Lincoln, a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, has been named regimental sponsor. To the four cadet battalions are (Continued on Page 4.)

PLAYERS READY FOR OPENING ON MONDAY

Dorothy Zimmer, Hunter and Perkins Take Principal Roles in Production.

Highly elated over the results of dress rehearsal, Director Pete Stumpton announced that "Another Language," the third of this year's plays by the University Players, was ready to open next Monday night. The play opens on Monday evening and runs until Saturday afternoon, with a special matinee Saturday afternoon.

Dorothy Zimmer, Armand Hunter and Dwight Perkins carry the principal roles in this play, which was such a smash hit on Broadway last season. The play, however, contrary to the general public opinion did not first open on Broadway, but was first shown in a smaller theater far off the principal show avenue. Scoring such a hit there, it was moved downtown, where it enjoyed an extended run of approximately ten months. It was labelled as one of the outstanding financial successes in a year generally conceded to be the worst in the history of the American theater.

Miss Zimmer appears in the role (Continued on Page 4.)

YWCA LAUNCHES SALE OF YULETIDE WREATHS

Proceeds Will Be Used to Send Representatives to Estes Conclave.

STAFF TO FILL ORDERS Under the supervision of the conference staff of Y. W. C. A., a sale of Christmas wreaths, seals, ribbons, wrapping paper, calendars and candy has been launched the proceeds of which will be used to help send representatives to the Estes conference in Colorado next summer. Christmas wreaths and candy have been sold every year for some time but the other articles are a new feature.

Sales are carried on thru representatives from sororities and other organized houses on the campus. The representatives collect money and take the orders which are filled by the conference staff. Palladians and Delian-Union are also co-operating in the work. Orders will also be taken directly at the Y. W. C. A. office in Ellen Smith hall.

Following are the women who will have charge of sales in their respective organizations: Mary Fugate... Alpha Chi Omega; Margaret Easterday... Alpha Delta Pi; June Richardson... Alpha Delta Theta; Irene Barry... Alpha Omicron Pi; Annette Abbott... Alpha Phi; Doris Wilson... Alpha Xi Delta; Ardythe Dudge... Delta Delta Delta; Lois Ruthers... Delta Gamma; Gwen Thompson... Phi Omega Psi; Louise Howcock... Gamma Phi Beta; Betty Greig... Kappa Alpha Theta; Duane Voth... Chi Omega; Jean Hise... Kappa Kappa Delta; Jean Palmer... Phi Omega Psi; Marjorie Wilson... Phi Beta Phi; Adela Handshank... Theta Phi Alpha; Ruth Armstrong Howard and Winonah Margaret Medlar... Palladians.

Who Is Honorary Colonel?



One of the above-pictured senior women will be presented as the 1933 Honorary Colonel at the Military Ball this evening. Plans for her presentation were drawn by Marvin Robinson and are reported by Colonel Oury to be unusually clever. University of Nebraska's formal season will be officially opened when Art Kassel and his Kassels in the Air "Strike Up the Band" at 9 o'clock.