

CAMPUSOCIETY



COLLEGIATE—ISN'T THAT THE way you university students like the atmosphere of places? Well, that's the way it will be at the basketball games this year—and there are two home games this week. The game itself is enough to interest you sport enthusiasts but now there's to be an added attraction for the rest of you. Organized houses have been invited to sponsor games and entertain between the halves by singing two songs of their own choice. The Alpha Chi O's and the D. U.'s have agreed to initiate this splendid idea at the Iowa game Thursday evening. So let's pack the coliseum and help the team—which according to reliable reports is an exceptionally good one this year—hook the Hawkeyes and then Saturday night we'll defeat those Nodaks from North Dakota.

MELVA SCUDDER of Central City will be married shortly after Christmas to Jack Erickson of Lincoln. Both members of the couple have attended the university where Miss Scudder became an Alpha Phi and a Phi Beta Kappa, and Mr. Erickson was a Chi Phi and an Innocent.

ALPHA PHI'S social calendar is exceptionally full with three parties in one week. Last night Santa Claus presented the children of the alumnae with presents at a Christmas tree party and tonight twenty-five poor children will be entertained at a similar party. Thursday evening the members of the chapter will be guests at a Christmas dinner at the chapter house at which the decorations will be blue and silver Christmas trees.

JOHN D. SCOTT, national vice president of Delta Upsilon, is a guest of the local chapter. He arrived Monday and will leave Thursday for Chicago, Ill. Mr. Scott, whose offices are in Chicago and New York City, is making a tour of all the D. U. chapters in the United States.

KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA mothers' club met Saturday at the home of Mrs. L. D. DeBrown for a 1 o'clock luncheon. A small lighted Christmas tree centered the table and flowers were used in the living room. Mrs. E. W. Nelson, the housemother, was a guest.

A WEDDING which took place last evening at eight o'clock at the St. Matthew's Episcopal church was that of Mary Katharine Throop to Wesley Patrick McDonald. Both the bride and groom have attended the university where Mr. McDonald became a member of Sigma Chi.

MOTHERS of Zeta Tau Alpha members will meet at the chapter house this evening at eight o'clock for a Christmas party. Mrs. Gurina Harlan and Mrs. Ethel Becker will be hostesses.

SIGMA KAPPA alumnae met at the home of Miss Janet Smith last evening at seven-thirty o'clock. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Guy Phillips and Miss Elsie Hershberger.

MEMBERS of the university group of Tabernacle Christian church will be entertained at a Christmas party this evening at eight o'clock. Juanita Smith, who is the chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, has invited Mrs. Ryerson to chaperon.

INITIATION services were held

WHAT'S DOING.

Wednesday.

Mu Phi Epsilon, Christmas party and Musical, Mrs. M. C. Lefler.

Zeta Tau Alpha, mothers' club, chapter house, 8 p. m.

Thursday.

Kappa Delta, mothers' club, Christmas party with Mrs. S. E. Ewing, 1:30 p. m.

Pi Kappa Phi, mothers' club, 1 o'clock covered dish luncheon and Christmas party with Mrs. Frank Galloway.

Nebraska-Iowa basketball game, coliseum.

Friday.

Lambda Chi, Alpha, auxiliary, covered dish luncheon and Christmas party with Mrs. E. B. Brooks.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon, formal, Cornhusker hotel, 9 p. m.

Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. party, Ellen Smith hall, 8 p. m.

Saturday.

Sigma Chi, dinner dance, Lincoln hotel.

Nebraska-North Dakota basketball game, coliseum.

Christmas vacation begins at 12 o'clock.

for the new members of Sigma Alpha Iota Saturday morning at the Cornhusker. The new initiates who are: Ruth Treiss, Virginia Geheuse, Esther Kinnett, Stella Linhart, Margaret Philippe, and Mrs. Victor E. Vraz, were guests of honor at the founders' day luncheon which followed the ceremony. Lucille Reilly was toastmistress and toasts were given by Laura Kimball and Mrs. Vernon Forbes.

MU PHI EPSILON will entertain at a Christmas party and musicale this evening at the home of Mrs. M. C. Lefler. The program will consist of original compositions by the members. Eunice Bingham will play a violin selection and Ruth Haberly will sing two of her recent compositions. Others who will take part in the program are: Mrs. Altina Tullis, Miss Bess Phelps, Miss Marjorie Miller, Miss Margaret Kimmel, Miss Henrietta Sanderson, and Miss Irene Remmers.

MEMBERS of Alpha Omicron Pi will hold a Christmas party at the chapter house tonight. Christmas decorations will be used. Tomorrow afternoon, a party for the children of the alumnae will be given. Pauline Reynolds is chairman of the committee. In charge, assisted by Virginia Keim, Dorothy Bentz and Irene Henson.

Movie Directory

LINCOLN THEATRE CORP.

STUART—(Mat. 25c; Eve. 40c) "THE PAINTED VEIL," W. Somerset Maugham's novel with Garbo, George Brent, Herbert Marshall, Warner Oland, Extra, Leon Errol in "GOOD MORNING, E. V. E., another "Dumbell Letters" and Pete Smith's "Rugby Football."

LINCOLN—(Mat. 15c; Nite 25c) "BABES IN TOYLAND" with Laurel and Hardy.

ORPHEUM—(Mat. 15c; Nite 25c) "SILVER STREAK" with The Zephyr Train, Sally Blane, Charles Starrett.

COLONIAL—(Mat. 10c; Nite 15c) "I AM A THIEF"—Mary Astor, Ricardo Cortez.

LIBERTY—(Mat. 15c; Eve. 20c) "WE'RE NOT DRESSING"—Bing Crosby, Carole Lombard, Burns & Allen.

SUN—(Mat. 10c; Eve. 15c) "INTERNATIONAL HOUSE"—W. C. Fields, "PURSUED"—Rosemary Ames, Victor Jory.

WESTLAND THEATRE CORP.

VARSITY—(25c Any Time) "POWER" with Conrad Veidt and Benita Hume.

KIVA—(Mat. 10c; Nite 15c) "THE HELL CAT" with Ann Sothern and Robert Armstrong.

SIG ALPHAS CAPTURE WATER POLO TITLE

Overwhelm Betas by 49-17 Score; Delta Sigma Phi Is Third.

Flashing a potent scoring attack which there was no stopping, Sigma Alpha Epsilon splashed its way to the intramural water polo championship Tuesday night by overwhelming Beta Theta Pi to the tune of 49 to 17. Delta Sigma Phi ended in third place, winning via the forfeit route from Sigma Nu.

The final match started out auspiciously for the Betas when School scored in the first ten seconds of play. This lead, however, was short-lived as the Sig Alphas came back with a barrage of goals which swept them into a lead they never relinquished. The second half was a veritable carnage as the Sig Alphas scored almost at will via every method, outscoring their opponents 30 to 8.

Ralph Ludwick with four tough goals totaling 20 points was the big gun of the SAE attack, while Ellis garnered 10 for second honors. Barry lead the Betas with 8 free throws and 1 thrown goal for 11 of the 17 points.

The Turkish government recently announced that fifteen native students are now enrolled in American universities, having been awarded scholarships by the government.

'Satisfactory Results' for Reduced Four Course Swarthmore Program Strikes New Liberal Education Note

By College News Service.

SWARTHMORE, Pa., Dec. 19.—A new note in liberal education was struck at Swarthmore college this week by Dean Harold E. B. Speight, who revealed what he termed "satisfactory results" of the reduced, four course program now in effect there.

Stressing ideals of excellence in scholarship over former quantitative measurements of progress, Dean Speight revealed that students are required to pursue only four courses each semester rather than five as formerly necessitated.

"The expected benefit does not lie in the numerical reduction alone; it is believed that the growing interest in quality can be stimulated," he stated.

"The first essential in a curriculum is to insure that every course should have a purpose and which so far as possible be understood by the student and adopted as his own," the dean said. "This is more likely to be achieved if he is called upon to make an intelligent selection of sixteen courses of study in the four years in place of the traditional twenty."

Under the formerly employed five course plan, the student who has come to college without clear purpose "shops around" in the first two years or even thruout his course, tasting the intellectual fare spread before him, he said, bringing all too clear consequences of such a dilettante pursuit of education.

The greatest necessity of wise choice early in a student's career under the four-course program seems to result in a varied of programs in which the chosen subjects fall within the unity of a field of interest, he added.

Advantages of acquired leisure time from the new program were cited by Dean Speight.

"In limiting himself to four subjects a year the student will be more free to follow up questions arising in his mind or supplementary reading brought to his attention," he pointed out. "He will be in somewhat less danger of having to lay down his work in one

Wolfe, Cheney and Berry. This will be the opener for the Nebraska B's who will continue with a schedule which calls for eighteen games during the season. Doane has lost one of its star players, Frank Kobes, center of last year, who is attending West Point.

The party intends to return to Lincoln shortly after the game. A student at Whitman college recently defined "epicurean" as Upton Sinclair's plan for California while another defined vandalism as "being without work."

All senior photographs must be taken and all proofs returned before Jan. 1 if they are to be in alphabetized section of the Cornhusker. CHARLES BURSNIK, Senior Editor.

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SAUER MAKES CUT IN FROSH BASKET SQUAD

Coach Announces List of 22 Men for Freshman Varsity.

LEAGUE TEAMS CONTINUE

The first freshman basketball squad cut of the season was announced Tuesday by Coach George Sauer. The list, made up of twenty-two men, is the preliminary cut before the Christmas vacation. The men named will receive free tickets to all of the games during the holiday vacation and shortly after school takes up, the permanent cut will be made.

"The men who were not named need not feel discouraged," Coach Sauer said, "for this is not the final list. The same league system used in freshman football will be employed and men showing well on the league teams will be moved up to the frosh varsity."

Present plans call for three league teams to be assembled from the remainder of the basketballers and they will engage in games among themselves and with an Ag college team.

The men named on the frosh squad are Paul Amen, Pete Andrews, Noble Ayers, Dick Bradley, Dick Cady, Bruce Campbell, Calvin Carstens, Elmer Dohrmann, Floyd Ebaugh, Lester Gerber, John Howell, Frank Jaurez, Don Lefell, Lyman Morgan, Lawrence Nelson,

America's Schools Are Making a Race Of 'Old Youngsters'

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 19.—(CNS)—A generation of "jaded old youngsters," devoid of a sense of values, is the harvest America may expect to reap from her schools unless the philosophy of education now governing them is quickly and radically altered, believes Dr. William Ernest Hocking, Harvard university professor of philosophy.

"The school of the future must provide, first of all, for the training of the emotional side of the student's mind and for the "serious business of building will and character," Dr. Hocking said in a recent address before delegates of a teachers' convention.

Teachers will do well to "scrap two-thirds of the textbooks now in use, since most of them are condensations of fact divorced from both action and feeling," he further asserted.

"Bring students into contact with things of real value, such as you yourself enjoy," he said. "If you don't enjoy them, don't think you can recommend their enjoyment to your juniors. Great quality is apparent to minds of all ages."

Bob Parsons, Howard Richards, Bill Sawtell, Marlin Scholz, Clifford Scott, George Scott and Reginald Wurtz.

The California Institute of Technology recently purchased 160 acres on Palomar mountain adjoining the site of the observatory to house the world's largest telescope.

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