

NEBRASKA CAMPUS SOCIAL WHIRL

SEEN AT THE PROM

Kay Henly and Bruce Kenny keeping under cover in convent corners. . . . Bill Marsh "taking charge" of things in general. . . . a solitary couple dancing on the stage after the presentation. . . . Beta pledges piling on masse into their rented car. . . . Jane Ostberg waiting patiently for Bill Clayton to finish his picture taking. . . . Elizabeth Moomaw and Jim Marvin trying to find a parking place. . . . Harriett Byron looking very lovely in one of those new chintz formal. . . . Inez Heany and Harry Haynie back together again. . . . several couples playing shuffle-board with their coat checks at intermission. . . . Barbara Ann Murphy going nautical on us with a smart new sailor formal. . . . Bob Gannon entertaining his friends with an imitation of Joe Venuti. . . . Betty Hillier and Bud Cather swooping to the swing tunes. . . . George Wahlgist looking for Henry Whitaker and vice versa. . . . Ruth Malloy carrying her train around. . . . Helen McLaughlin gazing soulfully at the orchestra. . . . Jane Eldredge looking as smart as ever in black net. . . . Sancha Kilbourn and Bernie McKerney dancing in their usual spot by the orchestra. . . . Bill Stenten and Kay Davis having their first spring argument. . . . all of Eddie's band listening to the maestro. . . . and everyone trying to decide whether or not to be happy that the formal season is over.

TEA will be given by the girls at the Home Management house Sunday afternoon. Those in charge include: Margaret Deeds, Jane Weldon, Bernice Pickett, Ruth Schobert, Gladys Schlichtman, and Clarice Bloom. About 50 have been invited to attend.

Around Washington

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—Beside being the capital of the nation, Washington is a city of some 600,000 residents, with many of the same municipal problems found in Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Chicago. But whereas those cities have elective bodies of their own to manage their affairs, Washington is governed by congress, a group of men much more concerned with the business of the nation as a whole than they are with the troubles of the capital.

The result is that Washington, economically well off, has more deaths occurring yearly of preventable diseases, more crime, more traffic accidents, and more of a traffic problem than any city of the same size in the country, with the exception of one or two cities whose industrial population is largely unemployed, causing an abnormal increase in disease deaths and crime.

Poor Transit.

In addition it has an unbelievably poor transit system, a tremendous housing shortage and fabulously high rents, and its gas and electric rates yield unduly high returns to the utilities.

These evils exist because the government rules Washington through a district committee of

WHAT'S DOING

Sunday.
Beta Theta buffet supper at the chapter house.

PLEDGES, actives, and alumnae members of Sigma Delta Tau were entertained Saturday afternoon at an informal luncheon at the Lincoln hotel. Table decorations were carried out in the sorority colors, cafe au lait and blue, and about 20 were present at the affair. Florence Smeerin was in charge of the arrangements.

PLEDGES of Delta Zeta will give a buffet supper for the active chapter and their dates Sunday evening. The evening will be spent playing Monopoly. Doris Eastman is in charge of the affair and Mrs. Eloise Tebbits will be the chaperon.

BILL Strong, S. A. E., was taken by surprise at the Phi Phi house the other evening when he was called before the chapter. Blind-folded and led into the dining-room he was formally pledged. He is now sporting an "extra-special" pledge pin which he must wear every night at dinner. We imagine that there are many people who would like to be in the Kosmet show about now.

WE don't know whether it was boredom, desire to do something different, or just love of sport that led Helen Flansburg, Theta pledge, and Bill Bacon, A. T. O., to put in an appearance at the bowling alley Friday evening. It would seem that they had good intentions of attending the Prom, as evidenced by their formal attire, but where they wandered from the straight and narrow, nobody knows. 'Stumpy' what spring weather does to folks!

SPRING FEVER COMES AT LAST

With the Phi Mu spring party last night successfully ushering in the new season of romance and gayety, campus fun seekers are planning all manner of summer recreations this week. Despite the recent floods and decidedly muddy ground, many ambitious souls are planning picnics, horse-back rides, and various other outdoor amusements. The primitive urge is decidedly being combined with the spring fever mania this year. Everyone is wondering when the park will open, and all of the comely coeds are planning new spring wardrobes to wear when the big day arrives. "Moon eyed" couples are becoming more numerous and there is a decided abundance of vacant seats in afternoon classrooms. Unless the weather man fools us and brings forth the proverbial March winds, we feel safe to say that spring has really come in earnest this time.

ALPHA Omicron Pi announces the pledging of Marjorie Misch of Lincoln.

MEMBERS of the physical education department and W. A. A. Council members will be entertained by Miss Mabel Lee, head of the department, at a tea Sunday at her home. Miss Amanda Heppner will be one of the guests of honor and will preside over the tea table with Miss Matilda Shelby. Decorations will be carried out in the spring motif.

MEMBERS of the cast of the University Players were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Armand Hunter. About 25 were present.

FRANCIS SETS NEW SHOT PUT RECORD

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individual scoring honors of the evening. He placed first in the low hurdles, first in the high hurdles, second in the broad jump, and fourth in the short sprint.

Paced by the great Oklahoma runner, Floyd Lochner, Wilson "Iron Man" Andrews came in third in the fast mile run. Lochner's time was 4:23.1. Lochner came back later to win the two mile run in 9:52.2 with Cornhusker Fred Matteson placing third.

"Jake" Jacobsen, vet Husker sprinter, trying to lower the conference spring time, won first place, but his time was 6.4 seconds, three-tenths seconds off the 60 yard sprint time.

Oklahoma proved too much for the Nebraska in the long distance runs, and Bob Morris had to content himself with a second place in the 880 yard race. Barrett, Sooner runner, won first in 1:58.8. Hayward Dawson, blond runner and jumper, placed fourth in the broad jump to gather another point for the Husker total.

The K-Argy crack mile relay quartet outran their opponents to seize their only first place. Their team, composed of Eberhart, Rook, Dill and Nixon, ran the distance in 3:52.4.

Summaries.

Shot put: First, Francis, Nebraska; second, Sociolofsky, Kansas State; third, Lochner, Missouri; fourth, Christian, Iowa State. Distance, 48 feet 11 1/2 inches. (Record trial—Francis, 50 feet 5 1/2 inches—old record, 50 feet, Hugh Hines, Nebraska, 1922.) High jump: First, Kelley, Missouri; second, Adams, Colorado; third, Shannon, Kansas; Cio, Kansas (three way tie). Height, 6 feet 3 inches.

50 yard dash: First, Lochner, Oklahoma; second, Bedford, Kansas State; third, Andrews, Nebraska; fourth, Sweet, Kansas State. Time, 12.1.

60 yard dash: First, Jacobsen, Nebraska; second, Burke, Oklahoma; third, Waters, Missouri; fourth, Caldwell, Nebraska. Time, 6.4 seconds.

80 yard high hurdles: First, Caldwell, Nebraska; second, Horckins, Kansas State; third, Hewes, Oklahoma; fourth, Newton, Oklahoma. Time, 1:7 seconds.

Pole vault: First, Lyons, Iowa State; second, Cogswice, Nebraska; third, Hempel, Kansas State; fourth, Blumrich, Kansas State. Height, 13 feet 2 1/2 inches. (Old record, 13 feet, inch, Oshank, Nebraska, 1921.) Second, Coffman, Kansas, 1922.

Two mile run: First, Lochner, Oklahoma; second, Slater, Kansas State; third, Matteson, Nebraska; fourth, Robinson, Kansas State. Time, 9:52.2.

880 yard run: First, Barrett, Oklahoma; second, Morris, Nebraska; third, Eberhart, Kansas State; fourth, Dill, Kansas State. Time, 1:44.

60 yard low hurdles: First, Caldwell, Nebraska; second, Hight, Nebraska; third, Jacobsen, Nebraska; fourth, Chapman, Nebraska. Time, 7 seconds.

440 yard run: First, Barrett, Oklahoma; second, Moody, Oklahoma; third, Pankovich, Nebraska; fourth, Gee, Missouri. Time, 2:2 seconds.

Broad jump: First, Waters, Missouri; second, Caldwell, Nebraska; third, Fritz, Kansas; fourth, Dawson, Nebraska. Distance, 24 feet 1 inch. (Old record, 23 feet 10 1/2 inches, Meli, Oklahoma, 1921.)

Relay: First, K-Argy Five (Eberhart, Rook, Dill, Nixon); second, Nebraska; third, Missouri; fourth, Iowa State. Time, 3:52.4.

Just a Football

And so, because Washington has no votes, it is tossed around merrily from year to year by congress. Whoever in congress wants to pay attention and exert effort in regard to the city can do it great good or immeasurable harm. All sorts of things have been and are suggested by congressmen for the district. A dry congressman proposes the district be made dry, by recalling prohibition for the sole benefit of Washington. Blanton sticks in a rider to the district appropriations bill to the effect that district teachers are not to teach or advocate communism. If some bigot appears in the house some day and makes an impassioned demand that the sidewalks be taken up at 9 o'clock every night the only thing that will prevent him from putting such a bill thru will

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Nothing to it, say WPA authors of a guidebook to America. Pocahontas didn't love Capt. John Smith she saved his neck merely because she liked Englishmen.

It must be true, Prof. Thomas A. Langlie of the Wesleyan university psychology department adds his voice to the chorus of professors who say that cramming is futile. It "inhibits the memory."

A flood more disastrous than that of 1927 threatens the south this year, according to Prof. Vernon C. Finch, University of Wisconsin expert in climatology.

Admission requirements of American universities have reached a dangerously low level, according to Frank Bowles, Columbia authority.

With the co-operation of 100 of the largest firms in New York, CCNY has set up a new employment service for graduates.

George Washington university hospital researchers have developed a new anesthetic for use during child birth.

Alcohol, tobacco, tea and coffee, moderately used, do not cause any disease of the heart or blood vessels, says Harvard's Dr. William H. Robey.

Weaver, Kramer Write on Erosion Control by Plants

Dr. J. E. Weaver, professor of plant ecology and Joseph Kramer, assistant in botany, are co-authors of a recent bulletin entitled "Relative Efficiency of Roots and Tops of Plants in Protecting the Soil from Erosion."



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PATTERSON TELLS RELIGIOUS BELIEFS

Philosophy Professor Discusses Current Thought.

Dr. Charles Henry Patterson of the department of philosophy, will address the Council of Religious Welfare at their regular monthly meeting at the Grand hotel at 12 o'clock Wednesday on "Current Philosophies of Religion." This address is preparatory to the coming of Dr. Henry Nelson Wyman.

Any student or faculty member is welcome to attend this meeting and may make reservations by calling a university pastor or Y. M. C. A. or Y. W. C. A.

Landgraf Accepts History Teaching Job at Fremont

Edward Landgraf, Scotia, who was here working for his master's degree, has accepted a teaching position in the high school at Fremont. Lillian Johnson of Meade, will teach English, Latin, German and music at Glenvil. Landgraf will teach history.

The newest organization among college men is the VFW, a military organization. It means: Veterans of Future Wars, and the or-

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Fencing is becoming increasingly popular as a sport for college women, says Rene Peroy, Harvard coach.

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