

This Was Big News 19 Years Ago

WHEN THE UNIVERSITY WENT TO WAR.

The campus scene in January of 1917 was not unlike the current passing show.

A war was going on over in France, and some Americans were actively involved.

Battle Over Drill. The boys in school were heatedly debating the question of compulsory drill at the time.

A Holy Crusade. But nobody really believed the European conflagration would ever hit this country.

Time marched on. It was announced that Nebraska contributed \$1,245,000 of a total of \$100,000 from all the colleges in the country.

War Rears a Certain Head. Then, unexpectedly, ominously, the middle four columns of the March 23 issue of the Nebraskan were smeared with a feature.

On March 26, "the first definite movement in the placing of the nation on a war basis was felt by the university when a number of students, members of the fourth national guard regiment, were ordered to mobilize with their companies for police duty in case of hostilities.

The Women Organize. Following closely upon this came the announcement of the preliminary organization within the university of a woman's auxiliary to the navy reserve.

War seems to be upon us, if we are not already engaged in it. Americans are not haters of any other people, nor are they lovers of war; but they are haters of certain things, and they are lovers of democracy and of liberty.

Huskers Pull Out For Pitt to Take Shot at Panther

Cornhuskers Seek Revenge For Previous Losses To Pittsburgh.

Faced with the test of topping the nation's No. 1 eleven, the Cornhusker football team, 34 strong, entrained last night for Pittsburgh where it will meet Dr. Jock Sutherland's highly vaunted Pitt Panthers Saturday before a crowd of approximately 70,000.

Adopting "Pity Pitt" as its war cry, a zealous student body gathered at the Burlington station to give its team a rousing send-off.

Polishing their placekicking toes were Lowell English, Marvin Plock and Vernon Neprud. All had good averages in sending balls.

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MISS DEWEESE TELLS HIGHLIGHTS OF PARIS TRIP TO FROSH A.W.S.

Fashion Authority Declares French Sport Clothes Unsuitable Here.

Parisian sports clothes, said Miss Dewese, "are not practical for American college campuses.

Paris Exposition Like Chicago's. The Paris exposition was compared by Miss Dewese as similar to the Chicago exposition.

Miss Dewese said that any color from black to white is good, as long as the material is rich, and the lines correct.

WALT DISNEY CHAUFFEURED MISS HOWELL THRU FRANCE

University Women, Overseas Or Home, Performed Wartime Tasks.

Having Walt Disney, famed creator of Mickey Mouse cartoons, as chauffeur in France was only one of the highly interesting experiences of Miss Alice Howell who was called across the sea during the World War to do canteen and social work.

Miss Lillian Stuff of the infirmary was another of our Nebraska women to go to France. She was in charge of a 9 million dollar home which was used as a hospital.

AUTHORS TO FILE SPRING KOSMET COMEDY ENTRIES

Writer of Best Manuscript To Receive \$40; Second Prize Set at \$10.

Prizes of \$40 for the best musical comedy manuscript submitted and \$10 for the second best will be awarded by the Kosmet Klub in a competition now open to select a play for the spring show.

Authors must file outlines of their manuscripts by 5 o'clock of Tuesday, December 7, the deadline as announced today by Winfield Elias, president of the Klub.

Plots will be judged on a basis of originality, cleverness of action and lines, ease of staging, and adaptability to the type of production.

WILLARD BURNEY LEAVES FOR KANSAS CONVENTION

Nebraska Sigma Delta Chi President to Attend Topeka Meeting.

Willard Burney, president of the Nebraska chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, left this morning for Topeka, Kas., where he will attend the national convention of Sigma Delta Chi.

The delegates will be welcomed to Topeka Friday by Herbert G. Barrett, mayor of Topeka. The principal address of the convention will be delivered by Hugh Bailey, president of the United Press associations, and honorary president of Sigma Delta Chi.

Other speakers will be E. H. Lindley, chancellor of the University of Kansas; Henry S. Allen, editor of the Topeka State Journal and former U. S. senator; and Ervin Bryant, editorial writer for the St. Louis Star-Times.

War Emergency Courses.

Comparable to the service of the men during the World War are those played by our own university women. War emergency courses for women were at once started by the Pharmacy college.

With the call to arms came with it the call for nurses. Nurses and first aid instructors were put in charge of first aid stations.

Pacifists Disagree on Imminence Of Approaching World Conflict



From three of Lincoln's most rapid pacifists came varying opinions on the present status of the world in regard to the imminence of another universal war, in a survey by the Daily Nebraskan yesterday.



strikes an optimistic note when he speaks of an approaching conflict of nations.



a bit more immune to war than other nations, for they do not ever want to send men across the sea to fight again.

Students Will Remain In Classes Armistice

University classes will not be excused today in observance of Armistice day, according to Dean T. J. Thompson.

Only the senior varsity band, members of Pershing Rifles, and those Tassels who will carry the service flag will participate in the Armistice day parade sponsored by the city.

11 DEBATERS COMPETE TONIGHT FOR PLACES ON LEGISLATIVE TEAM

Judges to Select Two Best Pro. Con Speakers for Topeka Assembly.

Eleven student debaters, trying out for the varsity debate team, this evening will argue a temporary question, regarding the power the National Labor board should have to enforce arbitration of all industrial disputes.

Those participating are: Forrest E. Wilke, Russell A. Soucek, William M. Townsend, Arthur Hill, and William Harlan, affirmative speakers; Eugene Curtis, Merle Shoemaker, Leo Eisenstat, Otto Woerner, Milton Gustafson, and Gerald S. Vitamus, negative speakers.

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS ADDED

Variety of Volumes Placed Before Students. Some books recently added to the library are: "Friendship, Love and Marriage," by E. H. Gripps.

"The Emergence of Human Culture," by C. J. Warden. "How to Develop Personal Power," by Dick Carlson. "Communist and Cooperative Colonies," by Charles Gide.

TASSELS CARRY MEMORIAL FLAG IN PARADE TODAY

Pershing Rifles, Varsity Band Only Other University Units in March.

The annual Armistice day parade which will feature the Tassels, the senior varsity band, and the Pershing Rifles, assembles this afternoon at 2 o'clock in front of Nebraska hall.

The reason for this change of policy is that in past years Lincoln business men have refused to co-operate with the military department and have remained open for business.

An E. O. T. C. parade to take the place of the regular Armistice day parade has been planned for the near future, but Colonel Dury has not set the exact date as yet.

'IRRESISTIBLE FORCE' 'DRAWS US INTO WAR'

Dr. Ray Hunt Gives Peace Maker's Viewpoint Of Conflict.

"An irresistible force is drawing us into a world conflict," said Dr. Ray Hunt of the First Christian church who spoke on "Significant Living from a Peace Maker's Viewpoint" at the Y. W. C. A. vesper service Tuesday afternoon at 5 at Ellen Smith hall.

Dr. Smith told the group there were five points which we should consider in connection with peace and war. First, as we think about war we should not be deceived by clamor of military.

SANDBURG JIBES AT WAR IN POEM

The little girl saw her first troop parade and asked, "What are those?" "Soldiers." "What are soldiers?" "They are for war. The fight and each tries to kill as many of the other side as he can."

A.W.S. BOARD DRIVE ON N STAMP SALES TOPS 25,000 MARK

With a total of over 25,000 stamps sold, the annual N stamp sales sponsored by the A. W. S. board was brought to a successful climax Monday evening.

Margaret Krause Wins High Place; Jean Swainson Rates Second.

Sponsored each year by the A. W. S. board the N stamp drive is held for the purpose of arousing enthusiasm among parents and alumni members for the Homecoming game.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and little change in temperature was predicted for last night and today.

REGENTS SAT AS COURT TO JUDGE FACULTY ACTION

'Luke-Warm Americanism' Charge Filed Against 17 Professors.

Sixty-five percent of the males in the senior class had left school to join the army.

Hysteria was rampant. Emotions of the war mired nation were at a fever pitch. Reputations were ruined overnight.

SCHOONER PRESENTS LIBRARY COLLECTION

Literary Magazines Placed In Periodical Room For Students.

The Prairie Schooner is presenting a collection of approximately 400 literary magazines to the University library.

These magazines come from 19 states and from one foreign country. Spain. Some of them are professional productions but most of them are magazines with editorial offices connected with universities.

ENTIRE UNIVERSITY PLACED AT DISPOSAL OF WORLD WAR

2,300 Enlist in Army. When the call came in the World War, the university placed its faculty, students, buildings and equipment at the disposal of the government.

School Bears Strain as War Drafts Students, Alumni, Equipment in 1917.

Today, when the country commemorates the signing of the armistice which ended the World War, many minds turn back to review the disruption and alienation to daily routine which swept the United States' entrance into the conflict.