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## RHODES SCHOLAR LIVES BY PLATO; PLANS TO TEACH

### Harry Flory Gets Coveted Scholarship for Two Years at Oxford.

One of 32 students in the United States to receive a Rhodes scholarship, Harry D. Flory, a senior at the university, will leave for Oxford, England, about the third week of this September. The scholarship provides for a two year plan of study at Oxford with a possible third year. An annual sum of \$2,000 covers expenses. A notice of the award was made Dec. 20.

Flory, who will receive his bachelor of arts degree this June, has an average of 93 1/2 percent in his studies to date. Majoring in philosophy, he has centered most of his attention upon the special field of 19th century English philosophy, working under Doctor Hindman and Doctor Patterson. His minors are English and economics. When Flory graduates he will have completed over 140 credit hours in the university.

Follows Plato.

Other activities of the scholarship winner include membership in Gamma Lambda, honorary band (Continued on Page 2.)

## JANUARY 28 SET AS REGISTRATION FOR NEW PUPILS

All new students will register Jan. 28, according to announcement made by the registrar, Miss Florence I. McGahey, yesterday. All entrance credits should be on file previous to that time in order to facilitate registration.

Students are required to take a classification test in English before entering the university. This test will be given Thursday morning, Jan. 27, in Social Science auditorium, from 8 to 12 a. m., and in the afternoon from 1 to 5, for those who have not taken the university test given at their high schools, or who desire to try for a higher classification.

Algebra Tests Given.

An algebra test will be given during the same period for freshmen entering engineering. This also applies to those who have not already taken the test in their high schools.

All new students will be given a medical examination by the university staff physicians all day Thursday, Jan. 27. It may be taken previous to that time during regular office hours. Cards of admission may be secured at the registrar's office. There is no charge for this examination but it must be taken before any fees may be paid and registration is completed.

A psychological test also will be given for all freshmen who did not take the test in their high schools. This test will be on the morning of Jan. 27 in Social Science auditorium from 8 to 12.

## Nebraskan Wishes You a Happy New Year SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS

### FIRST SEMESTER 1937-38

Laboratory classes meeting for several continuous hours on one or two days may avoid conflicts with other classes of the same nature by arranging that their examinations occur as follows: Classes meeting on Monday or Tuesday may be examined on the date scheduled for the first hour of their laboratory meeting; Wednesday or Thursday classes on the second hour of their meeting; Friday or Saturday classes on the third hour.

Please note that in this schedule special arrangements have been made to conduct unit examinations for all sections in the following subjects: (1) Business Organization 3 and 4; (2) Chemistry 1; (3) Education 30; (4) English 0, 1, 2, 3, and 4; (5) English 11; (6) French 1, 2, 3, and 4; (7) Mechanical Engineering 1; and (8) Spanish 51 and 53. If students have regularly scheduled examinations conflicting with the above especially arranged schedule, arrangements to take such specially scheduled examinations at another time should be made with the department concerned on or before January 19. For example: If a student is scheduled for an examination which conflicts with a specially scheduled examination in French, arrangements should be made with the French department to take such French examination at another time.

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 20

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 8 a. m., Tues., Thurs., Sat., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 2 p. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 21

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 8 a. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 4 p. m., Tues. and Thurs., or any one of these days.

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 22

8 a.m. to 10 a.m.—Classes meeting at 7 p. m., Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.  
9 a.m. to 12 m.—All sections in Freshman English classes (0, 1, 2, 3, 4).  
9 a.m. to 12 m.—All sections in English 11.  
10 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 7 p. m., Tues. and Thurs., or any one of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 4 p. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—All sections in Chemistry 1.

#### MONDAY, JANUARY 24

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 9 a. m., Tues., Thurs., Sat., or any one or two of these days.  
1 p.m. to 3 p.m.—Classes meeting at 5 p. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.  
3 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 5 p. m., Tues. and Thurs., or any one of these days.  
3 p.m. to 5 p.m.—All sections in Business Organization 3 and 4.  
3 p.m. to 5 p.m.—All sections in Education 30.

#### TUESDAY, JANUARY 25

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 9 a. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 2 p. m., Tues. and Thurs., or any one of these days.

#### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 10 a. m., Tues., Thurs., Sat., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 1 p. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 27

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 10 a. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 3 p. m., Tues. and Thurs., or any one of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—All classes and sections of French, 1, 2, 3, and 4.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—All classes and sections of Spanish 51 and 53.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—All sections in Mechanical Engineering 1.

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 28

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 11 a. m., Tues., Thurs., Sat., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 3 p. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 29

9 a.m. to 12 m.—Classes meeting at 11 a. m., five or four days, or Mon., Wed., Fri., or any one or two of these days.  
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Classes meeting at 1 p. m., Tues. and Thurs., or any one of these days.

## NEBRASKA DELEGATES ATTEND OHIO STUDENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY

### 36 States Are Represented In National Meeting During Holiday.

While their classmates were enjoying Yuletide at home, some 1,500 college men and women met last week at Oxford, O., for the national convention of Student Christian associations. Thirty-six states were represented on the roster of delegates who came both from large state universities and training schools and small denominational colleges.

Representing Nebraska student Christian associations at the convention were Eleanor Elche, Paula Smith, Frances Seuder, Bernetha Hinthorn, and Frances Steele from (Continued on Page 3.)

## DIALECT SOCIETY PRESIDENCY WON BY LOUISE POUND

Miss Louise Pound of the English department has been chosen the national president of the American Dialect society. She was elected at the recent meeting of the society in Chicago.

Last year's president was William Allan Nelson, president of Smith college, and editor-in-chief of the Webster New International dictionary.

Sir William A. Craig of Oxford was elected vice president. He is editor of the American historical dictionary, now in process of publication at the University of Chicago.

## TRI-K CLUB SPONSORS FIRST MIXER OF 1938 ON AG CAMPUS FRIDAY

### Committee Plans Favors. Swing Band; Ticket Sales Continue.

Nebraska farmers and farmettes at the college of agriculture are going to start the new year off right Friday with a party celebrating the coming of 1938. The "mixer" is being sponsored by the Tri-K agronomy club on the campus.

Tentative plans for the event were announced Monday evening. A highly popular orchestra is now being selected to play for the party which will be held in the student activities building. Dancing to the tune of the "swing" orchestra, will get underway at 9 p. m.

Ticket sales start. The committee in charge of the mixer hopes to make it one of the big social events of the year. Favors will go to everyone attending. Students buying tickets prior to the event will be given a reduced price, 30 cents and 20 cents. At the door on Friday evening the cost will advance to 35 and 25 cents.

Ticket sales for the New Year party already have started. Students participating include: Wayne Domingo, Frank Svoboda, Myron Keim, Phil Sutton, Early Heady, Glenn Glingman and Harold Benn.

## 'Zip' Leads as Job-Getting Requisite, Says Graduate

### James Marshall, '25, Writes In Current Nebraska Blueprint.

If you want to get a job, says James D. Marshall, a graduate in civil engineering at the university in 1925, just remember that "if flat rejection comes from ten prospective employers, you must meet the 11th with the same zip as the first; he may be your golden opportunity. Marshall is now a consulting engineer specializing in structural engineering with offices in Kansas City. While he is writing in the current issue of the Nebraska Blue Print, official student publication of the college of engineering at the university, of which he was once editor, his ideas on how to secure employment may be of interest to those in other fields.

## Second try to learn something from every man to whom you try to apply for a job. Ask a man a question and he will be complimented and will remember you longer and with greater respect than if you try to tell him something.

### Let Others Do Talking.

"We are queer animals, but it seems that success in meeting people consists in letting the others do the talking and perhaps boasting. Conversation with an employer who himself has no position for you may lead his mind to suggestions which will be of benefit to you. Besides, if you cannot get a job, you might as well make a friend.

## PI MU EPSILON OPENS ACTIVITIES WEDNESDAY

### Honorary Math Fraternity Invites Non-Members To Meeting

The first meeting of the year for Pi Mu Epsilon, honorary mathematics fraternity, will be held tomorrow night, Jan. 5. The meeting will be held at 700 p. m. in S. S. 101.

## Daily Nebraskan Recalls 'Biggest' Stories of Year

### DEAD HALTS REQUIRED AT 14TH AND S STS

Drivers are requested by the university police department to come to a dead halt at the stop signs at the 14th and S street intersection, Commencing, Monday, Jan. 3, members of Alpha Phi Omega, service fraternity, which is helping to enforce the new regulations, are authorized to give tickets to all who fail to comply.

These traffic signs will be up from 7:50 a. m. to 8:15 a. m., from 11:50 a. m. to 1:10 p. m., and from 4:50 p. m. to 5:10 p. m.

## PLAYERS PRESENT WORLD PREMIERE OF FALCON DRAMA

### 'I Knew Her' Opens Monday At Temple Theater With Cast of Ten.

University Players will present, for the first time in many seasons, a world's premiere, when they show "I Knew Her," the new play by Harold Felton, former Nebraska student and instructor in the speech department, opening next Monday night at the Temple theater and showing thru Saturday evening.

"I Knew Her" is a moving problem play, with a touch of tragedy, that is destined to stir any audience. Central figure of the story is the woman who tries to change the lives around her to suit her own whims and fancies; the havoc she creates and the tragedy that ensues is the action of the plot.

Cast includes Ten.

Mr. Felton is at present a lawyer in New York City, but eastern critics have highly praised his play writing abilities. In this play he has observed the classic unities, for the time, place and action remain the same from the rise to the fall of the curtain. Three years ago the Players produced another Felton show, "The Brighter Flame," with much success.

The cast of ten, which will be headed by two favorite and prominent players and will include other veterans of the group, will be announced Wednesday.

## STUDENTS TO APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS BY MARCH 1

### Filings for Fellowships, Assistantships Open, Upon Announces.

Several fellowships, scholarships, and graduate assistantships for the school year 1938-39 totaling several hundred dollars are announced by Dr. Fred W. Upson, dean of the graduate college of the University of Nebraska. Students applying for these awards must file their application with university authorities before March 1, 1938.

Fellowships for the coming school year include two Samuel Avery fellowships in chemistry (Continued on Page 4.)

## 1937 Proved as Newsworthy, Historical Milestone Of Campus Life.

By Harold Niemann.

As old 1937 careened out of existence, it took with it the happenings and events that now make history, history that may never again repeat itself. Big stories appeared in the Daily Nebraskan and big things happened at the university during the year.

Starting off with a record enrollment, Nebraska was not long in amassing a coveted victory over the Minnesota gridder. This story in itself made national news, national history, and has been voted as one of the outstanding sports stories of the old year. The Nebraskan files may be opened again only by those future editors who are sometimes forced to get subject matter from their contemporaries, but forever they will leave a printed record of these ten big stories of the year.

1. Nebraska's victory over Minnesota.

Frenzied citizens numbering over 36,000 strong watched Major Bill Jones put his first Cornhusker team on the Memorial stadium turf and, when the final gun echoes across the field, emerge with a score of 14 to 9. The Cornhuskers with Johnny Howell, "Wild Bill" Callahan, Elmer Dohrmann and Fred Shirey surprised the nation with their victory. Eldon McIlvray received a head injury that kept him in the hospital more than a month and on the sidelines the (Continued on Page 4.)

## NEBRASKA RANKS 16 IN COLLEGIATE ENROLLMENT LIST

### 6,587 Full-Time Students Represent Slight Increase.

The University of Nebraska with 6,587 full time students stands 16th in the United States this year in point of full time college students, according to a study of the statistics of registration in American universities and colleges by Dr. Raymond Walters, president of the University of Cincinnati, published in School and Society. Despite a slight increase over last year's figures the university dropped from 15th place to 16th, being displaced by Hunter college of New York City, which last year was 16th.

Dr. Walters' figures show that the west north central section of the United States, which includes Nebraska, had next to the smallest increase in college enrollment, the increase for the seven states in this area being 1.85 percent. The largest increase was in the west south central, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas, with 7.17 percent increase.

Three Percent Increase.

In the 602 colleges and universities from which Dr. Walters received statistics there are a total of 781,038 full time students or an increase of 3.6 percent over the same time a year ago.

The University of Minnesota stands third in the nation with 13,691 students, Pittsburgh is 12th with 8,172 students and Oklahoma 25th with 5,678. Following are the first 25 schools in order:

California	Olin State
Colorado	Michigan
Illinois	Wisconsin
Indiana	Washington
Missouri	Texas
New York University	Harvard

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## Why Are We Here?

It really is a matter for serious thought. I mean, we ought to think very earnestly about it. Well, at least we ought to find some reasons for it. After all, if everybody just about does it, and nobody hardly at all likes it, then why? What I'm driving at is, is there any defensible reason for coming back to school after the holidays?

Since almost everybody, however regretfully or regretfully, does and almost always has, there must be something to it. That is to say, everybody wouldn't keep on doing it and not liking it and still doing it for nothing would they? Or would they? At all events, we decided that there must be some valid explanation of the thing. So we inquired around.

At first it appeared that there wasn't a single justifiable reason for the return to "hell and starvation," as they say in the song. But finally, by questioning only the most charitable-to-education, we unearthed a few. These we feel duty bound to pass on to the waiting world, because so many unhappy souls are cursing their campus reincarceration.

### Christmas on Exhibit.

Obviously, lots of collegians came back to parade, talk about and display their Christmas presents. As some of the g'xts are right floozy the showing off thereof is a most compelling motive. An even more special reason for trekking back to school from the hinterlands is to flash brand new engagement rings, fraternity pins, et al. This is such a big item that it would almost appear that Dan Cupid was the holiday deity, rather than Santa Claus.

And then there are vacations to monologue about. Everyone must take turns with everyone else telling about trips. New Year's eve parties, mobs of visiting relatives, and all of the customary cheer. Too, many return to college to lose the fatal pounds gained from turkey diet. Or, indeed, several bedraggled socialites tell us, to catch up on sleep.

A somewhat more serious reason, for seeking again the university environs, is "so that you'll feel that you ought to study—not that you ever do study anyway, but you promised yourself so faithfully that you'd study during vacation and didn't and so you go back to school so that you'll feel you really ought to, even though you don't."

### Bye Bye Party Lines.

But the most weighty reason of all, in many cases, we understand, is to get away from the home town and home folks and all their good influences. For the village citizenry makes your business their business, and the pater and mater have firm ideas about galoshes and warm underwear and other horrible things. So boys and girls hurry back to school to look after their own good times and welfare.

So far as we could ascertain, professors have only the poorest excuses for going back to their educational efforts. Those who went to conventions, conclaves, meetings and the like have lots of new learning to harass their students with. Those that didn't might just as well have never left off having fun with their families and dogs and books and pipes and so on.

The return to school by scholarly ways and the restroom seems to be sort of unwarranted for them, somehow.

It all winds up to one simple fact: We're here because we're here because we're here because we're here.

## JOHNSTON TO ADDRESS VESPER GROUP TODAY

### 'Perdition of the Good Life' Subject of Minister's Address.

The Rev. Carl J. Johnston, prominent in civic affairs, will give an address entitled "Perdition of the Good Life" at the Y. W. C. A. vesper service this afternoon. The service will begin at 5 o'clock at Ellen Smith hall.

The vesper choir under the direction of Maxine Federle will sing the professional, "Father of Life," and the recreational, "The Earth is Hushed in Silence." Evelyn Welborn will lead the devotions and benediction. The choir will conclude with a special benediction.

## WORLD WAR VETERAN TO ADDRESS PHALANX TONIGHT.

### Lt. J. D. Graham Describes Shell Construction Tonight.

First Lt. Julian D. Graham, of the Infantry Reserve, will address the members and rushes of Phalanx tonight in the clubrooms. He will explain the construction of artillery shells and show moving pictures of the infantry school and maneuvers at Ft. Benning, Ga.