



# Society

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and  
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## AS JOHNNY SEES IT.

Embarrassing talk about my having a ghost writer has become so prevalent around the campus that now every time I leave a classroom I have to duck my head and make a dash for the reserve room at the library to avoid questions. I hear that some little sheet up in the stockyards country, I think they call it the World-Herald, is going to tell a story about the column today.

First, altho it's a little late, congratulations to Fred Shirey and Elmer Dohrmann on their top-notch performances in the East-West game on New Years day. They tell me that the crowd that day was always in a state of constant agitation wondering whether Dohrmann was going to come down with snow on his helmet after snagging one of Sloan's passes.

I can't tell you whether Shirey's trip to the coast was profitable for him or not as far as his love life is concerned. Anyway, his affair with Delta Gamma Barbara Meyer seems definitely on the rocks. First hint of this came during Christmas vacation when Barbara came back to her old flame, Sam Svenson, Phi Rho in med school, at the Marasing formal in Fremont. From then on until school started it was an every night stand, with a couple of extra sessions on New Years day, Shirey, on the other hand, evened things up, blossomed out at the A. O. Pi formal Friday night with a not-bad brunette who was his one and only a couple of years ago.

Pledge Dorothy Cline, of Bloomington, alias Bloomdale, remains furious with Don Anderson, Delt, and John McDermott, D. U., for being my temporary stooges. She seems plenty put out that I should have the crust to accuse her of being hitched. And especially to that flash from Midland. The catch is that it was neither Anderson nor McDermott who broke the news.

I'm still writing this.

Among the many things that I don't understand is how Howard Lynch and Bill Clayton, Cornhusker bigwigs can get any work done with all sweet bits of feminine loveliness around. Solomon didn't.

I have a prize New Year's eve event which happened of all places in an elevator in Omaha. It concerns one Don Powell, Phi Delt pledge and Liz Hedge, Kappa. As the New Year came in the two were riding up in an elevator. For a period of one minute every light in the building was turned off. When the light came on again Powell was huddled sheepishly in the corner, his face the color of a fresh washed radish if it is a red radish. Liz couldn't understand it and delved for the answer. It seems that Powell had been wrestling with the elderly, mustached elevator operator for a full minute without knowing it. P. S. Liz was disgusted. P. P. S. So was the elevator boy.

For the past week Mary Anna has been digging into the love lives of many of Nebraska's students during the holidays. I hear that Mary Anna didn't do so bad herself. But one night, the night of the Tri-Delt fling at Fort Omaha, she definitely put her foot down on the caveman tactics of Delt pledge Bob McCampbell, the tall dark man in her life. Maybe gentler technique will turn the trick.

Compliments to Sarry "Around and About" Meyer for a very vivid description of the A. W. S. court. I understand that it will be her last for a while because that hatchet which is the scourge of athletes has invaded the rag office and taken the ace columnist.

For free bowling some cold day I suggest roping Jane Barbour in a loser pay proposition. You can't lose and by betting a nickel on spares and a dime on strikes

the game might result in a little profit. For Jane's benefit I recommend the new book, "How to Break Your Jaw While Bowling," by Dave Blanchard. This book may be listed under "The Evils of Alcohol."

By the way, I'm getting sick and tired of having little bundles of love scurrying up and tell me what pretty legs Paul Amen has.

At a recent election, Charles Tanton was elected president of Kappa Sigma. Which goes to prove that the only good in Beechnut gum isn't for digestion's sake.

I'll close today's attempt with a real honest to goodness social note. Alfred Mathis, Alpha Gamma Rho, dealt out the Havanas around the house lately with the news that he and Eunice Covey, unaffiliated, were that-away.

## AS MARY ANNA SEES IT

One of our last final flings before exams—a gala week end, started off with a bang at the D. U. orchid dinner dance Friday night, and what an evening. Seventy-five orchids and then dancing afterward to Anna Mae Winburn's orchestra, then on to the Cornhusker for the A. O. Pi dance and that too turned out to be somewhat of an occasion. Before I go further let me tell you a choice bit about our friends, DeLoris Bors and Elwood Pankonin. For them, Friday night meant a pin hanging, so now that little Alpha Chi is just another dream girl of Delta U. Pinky Burt who was all dated up with Bill Sachett for the orchid party found she had a play rehearsal, so Bill dined with Theta pledge Mary Marnell, and after taking her home, called for Claudine to escort her to his formal. You've heard of late dates; well this sounds like something new and different.

Saturday night turned out to be a two star final also, beginning with the Chi Phi Coconut Grove where we dined and danced and the girls received dainty combs with the Chi Phi crest on the case and the fellows just had fun. I've heard about the Chi Phi Coconut Grove parties, but seeing is believing. From the Hotel Lincoln everyone trekked over to the Cornhusker again for the Alpha Chi dance which was its usual success.

Hi-lights of the week end: Kitty Adams looking ultra-smooth in white satin chatting with Mary Helen Husted, who wore one of those smart two piece affairs—black velvet full skirted topped with a fitted jacket of pale blue lame; Dick Kosman looking very Esquish as he handed out orchids at the D. U. dinner; A. T. O. Wilbur Rogers even going so far as

to kneel on the dance floor at Virginia Shuler's feet—these modern Romeos; and Tri-Delt pledge, Marjorie Lindquist, doing the rounds as usual—this time with Roy Proffitt.

The members of Palladian were greatly surprised at their formal banquet at the University club Friday evening when a candy passing announced the engagement of Lydia Newell to James Marvin, graduate of the University of Nebraska and now an assistant instructor of physics at the University of Minnesota.

Marvin was the toastmaster at the banquet and the couple was the butt of a great deal of ribbing and jokes by those who gave toasts at the banquet.

## REGENTS ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF POLLY GELLATLY

(Continued from Page 1.) Theater. Besides being its director for the last five years she has

found time to play a major part in many of the little theater presentations during the past ten years.

### Active in Faculty.

Miss Gellatly has also taught children's dramatic classes through the extension division and has been a member of the faculty advisory committee of Mortar Board staff as well as faculty sponsor to Tassels since this organization's establishment on the campus. While in school she was a member of Mortar Board and Alpha Rho Tau, fine arts scholastic society. Following her graduation from the university she took advanced work at the University of Michigan.

The board also approved the resignation of Wentworth Fling, assistant instructor in Romance languages, who has accepted a position on the faculty of Hamilton college at Clinton, New York.

Regents gave faculty standing to two members of the athletic

department staff. Roy Lyman, assistant football coach and Adolph L. Lewandowski, assistant football and basketball coach, were given the academic rank of instructor.

The regents also gave their approval to Dr. R. V. Shumate, associate professor of political science, to become research director of the legislative research council.

Prof. L. B. Orfield of the college of law will address members attending the Phi Beta Kappa meeting January 10 at the University club on the subject "The Social Security Act."

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