

# CHIPS



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## DIOGENES' DREAM-MAN

Poor Diogenes. He lived 20-odd centuries too early. If he had only picked up his lamp and peered into a local hamburger hutch yesterday he would have found an honest man. So honest was he that he boasted of it and his virtue became a fault. As far as the inhabitants of the hamburger hutch were concerned, Diogenes could have had him at a discount.

The negligence of the dispenser of hamburgers started the whole thing. The honest buy ate 25 cents worth of hamburgers, soup, and ice cream and the waiter only ticketed him for 20 cents!

Making sure that his friend and one or two others heard him, he handed the ticket back to the waiter and said:

"Hey, I ate 25 cents worth. Fix this ticket."

And his tone was such that the waiter instead of saying thank you, asked to be excused for making such a blunder.

"I'm an honest man," said the two-bit eater proudly.

The gentleman on our right muttered something about his being "an all day sucker."

And then the two-bit eater went on to tell his friend that on the day before a cashier had given him 30 cents too much change for a dollar and he had called the cashier's attention to the mistake. It was an unkind thought perhaps, but it occurred to us that Diogenes' dream-man could be building himself a reputation, self-publicized, at the expense of a nickle or two spent indiscriminately.

It really didn't surprise us so very much that Two-Bit turned out to be a man of such sterling morals because all during the process of inhaling vitamins he kept making references to the number of papers he had to read. He carelessly brought out the fact that he was reader for classes in math, bookkeeping, and poly sci. Just another perfect specimen. Oh, yes, he carried a briefcase and the contents of a five foot shelf of books under his arm.

The sense and nonsense about valentines the other day is resurrected in the following paragraphs. A hard-working student received one of those notorious comic valentines that went like this:

STUDENT.  
You can study and ponder  
All day and all night.  
But from your neck up  
You will always be light.

Feeling somewhat libeled, the student took pen in hand and worked out the following lines to ease his own feelings. His roommate passed it on to us.

Think, wise friend, for your advice.  
It surely is a pleasure  
To get wisdom from your treasure  
So profound and so precise.

But from your hasty observation  
And your sketchy meditations  
Make no biased calculations.  
Watch next time, and you will learn,  
'Tis the college bird that gets the worm.

## PHI SIGMA IOTA PLANS NATIONAL AFFILIATION

French Fraternity Schedules Ceremony, Initiations In Early March.

Phi Sigma Iota, honorary French fraternity, formally decided Tuesday night to hold the installation into the national organization and initiations in early March, with Dr. Ervin K. Mapes, one of the national vice presidents, officiating. Dr. Mapes is an instructor of romance languages from Iowa City.

Virginia Smith was elected to take Patricia Cain's position as secretary-treasurer since Miss Cain has resigned. Frances Beatty was elected vice president and Katherine Piazza historian-reporter.

Following the business meeting, Dr. J. F. Wadsworth spoke on "Walt Whitman and Modern French Poetry." In his speech Dr. Wadsworth traced the introduction of Whitman into France and how he influenced the French poets.

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## AG BLOCK, BRIDLE CLUB PLANS JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW

Animal Husbandry Honorary Schedules Ak-Sar-Ben Ball Feb. 25.

Preparations for the eighth annual Junior Ak-Sar-Ben stock show and ball began this week with the appointment of committees by the officers of the Block and Bridle club, animal husbandry honorary which sponsors these two feature events of the Ag campus.

The stock show, scheduled for Saturday, March 12, is held for the benefit of students interested in fitting and showing livestock. The Junior Ak-Sar-Ben ball, an important social event of the Ag campus, will be held Friday Feb. 25th.

### Award Silver Trophy.

The outstanding stock showman of the entire show will receive a large silver trophy donated by the Nebraska Livestock Breeders and Feeders association, and winners in each separate class will be given woolen ties by the Midwest Wool Marketing association in addition (Continued on Page 4.)

## COEDS STAGE ANNUAL PENNY CARNIVAL THIS SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Counselors to Award Loving Cup for Best Booth At Copper Fete.

Coed Counselors annual Penny Carnival will be held this Saturday in Grant Memorial hall from 2:30 until 5 p. m. at which time students may, for the consideration of 1 cent, be admitted to side-shows, games of chance and other entertainment.

Both sororities and Barb women's houses are sponsoring booths this year and a handsome cup is now on reservation as prize for the booth which is voted to be the best by those in attendance. The popular voting will be held at 4:30 and other prizes will be awarded to booths ranking high in the competition. Fifteen concessions are entered in the carnival contest at the present time.

Carnival goers will purchase at the door a card which entitles them to 15 different concessions. Numbers 1 to 15 will be arranged around the side of the card and as a guest enters a concession one number will be punched. A num- (Continued on Page 2.)

## WATER COLORS SHOW WATER IN STATIC, MOTILE STATES

Exhibition Depicts Mist, Rain, Peaceful Bay, Storming Sea.

Not just another picture exhibit is the group of water colors on display in the Morrill hall art gallery this week. An originality of technique lifts the collection out of the ordinary and makes it worth while crossing the campus to see.

Gayest of the pictures is Margaret S. Hinchman's "Canoes on the Wissahickon," depicting a number of multicolored canoes stacked upsidedown on the water's edge, against an autumnal background of hillside. In contrast to the brightness of Miss Hinchman's water color a scene by M. Gest goes into the shadowy depths of a forest and shows great vine covered trees. A third picture, Marion M. Co-

## Proper Physical Education Builds Health Says Miss Lee

Prof. Discredits Big Muscle Charlatans in Recently Published Book.

"The development of the body, unfortunately, has for too long a time been linked with the cult of the big muscle, the Charlatanism of the physical culture faddist and the theatricals of the trick muscle performer. Physical education, like the long sought elixir of life, might after all be thought of as the panacea of most of our present health ills."

Thus Miss Mabel Lee, professor of physical education at the University of Nebraska, who has just published a 560 page book entitled "The Conduct of Physical Education," in which she points out that benefits will always accrue to the individual who applies correct principles of living, defends the culture of physical education.

### Based on Science.

"Physical education, however, is no mere a consort of these dissemblers than is the medical profession a companion of quackery. Since it is based upon the well established sciences of sociology, physiology and anatomy, it has a



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definite place in the educational (Continued on Page 2.)

## JOURNALISM GROUP SCHEDULES ADDRESS BY LASELLE GILMAN

Editor of Shanghai Paper Will Talk at Luncheon This Noon.

At a noon luncheon today in the Lincoln hotel, members and guests



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of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, will hear (Continued on Page 4.)

## STUDENTS SUBMIT IDEAS TO PRESENT PROM GIRL FRIDAY

Deadline for Filing Entries For Queen Candidates Closes Saturday.

Students who would like to see the presentation of the Prom Girl at the Junior-Senior Prom based on their ideas must have their "brain children" in the hands of the committee in charge by 5 o'clock Friday announced co-chairman Ed Steeves.

To win the \$10 prize for the best idea, students must limit the expenditures involved in their presentation plan to \$25. Several ideas have been submitted to the committee, but as many more to choose from as possible are desired.

### Mail Candidates' Pictures.

Filings for Prom Girl, opened yesterday, will be closed Saturday (Continued on Page 2.)

## DANCE SYMPOSIUM ASKS ORCHESTRAS TO PERFORM

Lack of Finances Prevents Acceptance of Offer Says Miss Moore.

Orchestra Dance group received a highly complimentary invitation last week to perform at the Dance Symposium of the Kansas State University at Manhattan. Miss Moore, sponsor of Orchestras, stated, however, that the group would be unable to participate due to lack of funds.

Widely publicized, the Dance Symposium is conducted by the modern Kansas dancers for the purpose of bringing together college groups throughout the middle west. As a result of these gatherings, ideas are presented and exchanged and interest in the dancing art is aroused by contact with other dancers. Talented modern dancers attract a great many to the Symposium by the presentation of special numbers.

### Held Rehearsals.

Rehearsals for the annual dance recital of Orchestras, to be given March 26, are being held at present and this year's recital promises to be an outstanding event.

An American dance presentation sponsored by Charles Weidman and Dorothy Humphrey will be presented at the Omaha Tech high school Tuesday afternoon and evening, Feb. 22. All those who wish to travel by special bus are requested to notify Miss Claudia Moore at Grant Memorial hall before 5 o'clock this evening.

## NOTED AUTHORITY DEPICTS ORIENTAL TROUBLE MONDAY

Grover Clark to Interpret War Between Chinese, Japanese Nations.

Grover Clark, a world-renowned authority on problems of the Far East, will speak before an all-university convocation next Monday morning at 11 o'clock, according to Dr. Harry Kurz, chairman of the Romance Languages department. Clark comes from a family which has been active in the Far Eastern countries for the past half century. He himself was born in Japan, and in addition to making personal studies of Oriental problems has taught in Chinese and Japanese provinces.

Clark is expected to draw one of the largest crowds of the season because of the timeliness of his subject, "The Conflict Between China and Japan."

### Edited in North China.

After getting his formal education in this country, Clark returned to Japan in 1918 and, following two years spent in teaching in government schools and magazine writing, he went on to China as a professor in the National University of Peking.

He remained with the Chinese for ten years, during most of which time he served as editor of the Peking Leader, the leading English language newspaper of North China. In the period from 1928 to 1930 he served as associate director of the China International Relief Commission, whose duties took him to all parts of the country and brought him into close contact with most of the leaders of China.

When he returned to this country in 1930, Clark was made special lecturer of Columbia university and visiting lecturer at Wellesley college. In the autumn of 1937 he joined the faculty of the University of Denver as professor of economics.

## FOUNDATION ELECTS VICTOR SMITH PREXY AT ANNUAL MEETING

Seacrest, Roberts, Stastny, Marsh, Crawford, Miller, Gunderson Named.

Victor Smith, Omaha, was elected president of the University of Nebraska Foundation for the ensuing year at the annual meeting held on Charter Day, Tuesday noon at the University club. He succeeds E. P. Brown, Davey.

All of the other officers were re-elected as follows: J. C. Seacrest, Lincoln, first vice president; Mrs. Charles Roberts, Lincoln, second vice president; Dr. Olga Stastny, Omaha, third vice president; Fred A. Marsh, Archer, fourth vice president; R. P. Crawford, Lincoln, recording secretary; L. E. Gunderson, Lincoln, treasurer. Max Miller of Omaha was named to fill out Mr. Smith's six year term on the executive committee.

The purpose of the Foundation is to receive and administer gifts to the university from alumni and friends. It was first proposed by Chancellor E. A. Burnett, and incorporated early in 1936 as a non-profit enterprise by Nebraskans who have no connection with the university administration except the Chancellor and a member of the Board of Regents who serve as ex-officio trust. Most of the members are alumni.

Donations and gifts, large or small, are religiously used for whatever purpose expressed by the donor. Scholarships, prizes, research projects, dom-

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