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A. A. U. W. Honors Nebraska, Doane Women With Tea

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 also directed the play.
 The cast follows:
 Grandmother Jones, Mrs. Arthur J. Weaver, Jr.
 Mrs. Smythe, Miss Cecile Bricks
 Miss Smythe's maid, Mrs. J. J. Young
 Bertie Smythe, Miss Flora Aldin
 The baby, Miss Tommie
 Violet, Miss Helen Hoffmann
 Members of Ellie's tournee:
 Ross, Mrs. C. C. Silbert
 Ada, Miss Lucille Schenel
 Clara, Mrs. C. C. Hellmers

the living room of the Smythe family where Ellie, Ma, Grandma and little Tommie (who all live on the wrong side of the railroad tracks) eagerly await the coming of Bertie. Bertie, who is called Brenda in Hollywood, is returning to the old home town, Lincoln, Neb., to dedicate her first picture.
 Musical Trio.
 Music during the tea will be furnished by a trio composed of Mrs. Vernon A. Forber, cello;

Mrs. O. K. Bouwama, piano; and Mrs. Leslie Strain, violin.
 Tea will be served in the dining room after the play. Two performances of the play will be given to accommodate the large number of guests expected to attend.
 Members of the program and property committee are: Miss Fern Hubbard, chairman; Miss Ethel Bryant, Miss Mary Guthrie, Mrs. Winifred Mayhew and Miss Lulu B. Moore.
 Miss Annie M. T. Cogil is chairman of the hostess committee. Mrs. Maurice Deusch has charge of the reservations. Other members of the hostess committee are: Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. H. J. Young, Mrs. Frank Grant, Mrs. A. E. Sheldon, Miss Marie Mengers, Miss Freda Schmelling, Miss Berna A. Mickell, Mrs. C. L. Clark, Miss Valera Bonnell, Miss Irma Calhoun, Mrs. C. S. Hamilton, Mrs. Woodrow Magee, Miss Bell Farnam, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. O. B. Clark, Mrs. D. E. Marcotte, and Mrs. George M. Darling.

Senior Barb Women to Form Ivy Chain

All senior barb women who wish to take part in the ivy chain must leave their names with Mrs. Westover at Ellen Smith hall before noon today.

A Chicago schoolboy writes upside down and backwards. Wise boy, that. He's getting ready for the time soon to come when the world will be completely topsyturvy.

Editorially Speaking

Found In Grandpa's Notebook

It's been one of our great delights to browse thru the yellowed pages of our grandfather's notebook and pick up little philosophical bits here and there which he has jotted down in his travels abroad and over the United States. One of his underlined sayings struck us as being particularly appropriate for this time of year, when the main urge of the majority of students is to hop into a car and go speeding down the open road. That saying, which a grandfather who lived in the horse and buggy days saw fit to underline was, "Many a speeding motorist goes slaying in summer."

Appearing in the Daily Nebraskan today is an article telling of the C. I. T. safety foundation's offer of cash prizes for the best essays on safety. The prizes total more than \$2,000 and are being offered for the purpose of encouraging the adequate teaching of traffic safety and interest in the subject by students. The general aims of the safety foundation state that thru close co-operation with other safety organizations and independent activities of its own, the foundation seeks to popularize public safe driving habits. It is believed that disregard and carelessness on the part of drivers or pedestrians, or at least human failure to take into consideration all existing hazards, are the immediate causes of most accidents. Human nature or personal responsibility is the most difficult factor to change, but the one to which it is most necessary to appeal. Thus, as its special aim the foundation is seeking ways and means of making safety popular with the general public.

It comes to imperiling human lives thru unsafe driving, is set out by Dr. Frank Thone in a recent article appearing in the March issue of Science News Letter. Quoting a recent study of fatality statistics, his article is enlightening in its proof that while the younger driver should be and probably is the more skillful driver, he is also the deadliest behind the steering wheel.

"If we pick the same number of drivers in each age group and count the fatal accidents that each group has, we find that those who are 45 to 50 years old kill the fewest persons in a year. While they are killing 66, the 16 year olds are killing 201, the 17 year olds, 186, and the 18 year olds 148, and those between 19 and 21 are killing about 215 persons for each 100,000 drivers on the road."

That the 16 year old class finds a high death bracket is understandable in the light that these are the drivers behind their first steering wheels. The more cautious and more moderate outlook upon speed by the middle aged is reason enough for the lower fatality count here.

But why the murderers' row between 19 and 21? At this age the driver should be and is, according to current driving tests, the most adequately equipped of all his fellows.

Here at the university, most of the student body presented in fall driver's tests excellent scores in driver's reactions, vision and knowledge of traffic problems. Yet the age of the average driver on this campus lies within the 19-21 bracket which falls directly in the murderers' row category.

It appears that grandfather's saying is pointing rather directly at young people who are of university age. The saying, like grandfather, is old, but its truth is still vividly alive and active.

NEBRASKANS ATTEND 'INDEPENDENT' CONVO AT NORMAN, APRIL 22

Woodward, Gray, Prof. Lantz Journey to Oklahoma for Barb Meet.

Francis Woodward, Denver Gray and Prof. E. W. Lantz left Thursday afternoon to attend the first national convolve of Independent Men's associations which will be held April 22-23 in Norman, Okl.

The delegates will gather in the Oklahoma Union building for the meetings which will include reports of the activities of unaffiliated groups on the different campuses and discussion groups to consider the problems raised.

"On many campuses independent men have developed effective organizations, but" the bulletins calling for delegates declare, "up to the present there has been no opportunity providing for the organizations to pool their interests, secure ideas from each other, and present a united front on a national scale. It is proposed to experiment with a program of cooperation among these independent organizations in somewhat the same manner as the National Inter-Fraternal Conference provides a cooperative point of clearance for fraternities."

The delegates from Nebraska are sponsored by the Barb Interclub Council of the University. Prof. E. W. Lantz, of the education department is also sponsoring the trip.

Roger Williams Club to Elect New Cabinet at Next Sunday Meet

Election of officers will be held next Sunday at the regular meeting of the Roger Williams club. The social hour begins at 6:15 p. m. The theme of the meeting is to be, "The Values of University Church Groups." It will be discussed by Frances Scudder, representing the Methodist, Dean Worcester of Plymouth Congregational church, Mary Ellen Osborne of the Christian church, and Lewis Anderson, Presbyterian.

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