

# SPRING FASHION EDITION

## Fashions

Twelve pages of spring clothing tips, illustrated with photographs of campus Best Dressers, will be found in today's paper on pages 3 to 14 inclusive.

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## Men!

Vote today for Nebraska's entry in the All-American College Queen contest, sponsored by the DAILY and Paramount Studios. Ballot on page 2.

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## City council elects Wilson to vacancy

Law college professor and former attorney replace R. E. Campbell

Ralph P. Wilson, assistant professor in the Law College and former attorney, was unanimously selected by the city council in special session late Monday to fill the vacancy caused by R. E. Campbell's resignation. The latter will become mayor following the resignation of Oren S. Copeland to run for congress.

Henry H. Wilson, father of the new councilman, has taught at the university since the school was founded. Ralph Wilson graduated from the college with an A.B. degree in 1911 and later earned a law college stated, "The council a part-time job with the university since 1917. Dean Foster of the law college, stated, "the council could not have made a better selection than Ralph Wilson. He has always been well-liked in the law school for both his efficiency and

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## Women hold dance frolic

Seventy-five ag women present 'folk festival'

Ag college women last night presented a folk-dance frolic in ag Activities building. Seventy-five sophomores participated in the festival showing the native dances of all nations.

Five American folk-dances were presented to show the growth of American tradition. Two English folk-dances dating far back into the middle ages were also given.

Other numbers on the program included folk-dances of Denmark, Russia, Mexico, Germany, and Switzerland.

The Viennese waltz number was presented with a high degree of technical perfection and was one of the best dances given.

The program was open to the general public.

Hear ye . . .

## Males of Huskerland choose your All-American Queen

Breathes there a man with soul so dead,  
Who has never turned his head—  
And said:

"Hm-m-m, not bad!" . . . as a trim ankle and a pretty face passed by, held together by the form of a living Venus? Balloting from six candidates for Nebraska representative in the Paramount Pictures "All-American College Queen" contest on the basis of vim, vigor and personality as well as beauty, continues till March 30.

Marjorie Adams, Bettie Cox, Jean Cullinan, Beth Howley, Pat Reitz, and Gerry Wallace are the finalists chosen by the judges from the original field of 23. Ballots may be mailed to the DAILY or dropped in the ballot box near the Union entrance. Each man student may vote only once, and names must be signed to the ballots for the purpose of authenticating the ballots. Checks will be made to see if the signer is enrolled in the University and to see if he actually submitted the ballot himself.

From the list of individual winners, which will be submitted to a board of New York artists, 48 will



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RALPH WILSON

## The weather

Mostly cloudy, occasional light rain or snow early today; clear Thursday with rising temperatures in east and southeastern portions.

## Four win quiz semi-finals

Alpha Xi Delta, KAT, Farm House, SAM left

Alpha Xi Delta, Farm House and Kappa Alpha Theta were victorious yesterday in the semi-finals of the interfraternity quiz. Kappa Alpha Theta won over Gamma Phi Beta with a perfect score of 84, the highest thus far in the quiz. The members of the Theta team are Mary McLaughlin, Betty Dodds, and Hortense Casady.

The Alpha Xi Delta team, Fern Steuteville, Mary Steuteville, and Annette Biernbaum, defeated the Tri-Delt team with a score of 56. Farm House won from Kappa Sigma, Delta Tau Delta, and Alpha Gamma Rho with a score of 72. Montee Baker, Daniel Atkinson, and Jean Lambert comprised the Farm House team.

These three winning teams and the Sigma Alpha Mu team, which won over Pi Kappa Alpha Saturday, will compete in the finals which will be held in the Union ballroom Sunday, March 31.

be selected as state winners. Pictures of these girls will be printed in three issues of MOVIE and RADIO GUIDE MAGAZINE, and votes of the readers will select the 12 most lovely.

Paramount will take this dozen American beauties to Galesburg, Ill., home of Knox college, for the world premiere of "Those Were the Days." From these 12, the winner will be chosen. . . then she'll be taken to Hollywood for a screen test.

## Democrats invite uni students

All university students are invited to attend the Young Democrats meeting tonight at 7:30 in room 313. Grant Howard, chairman of the university committee of Young Democrats and member of the executive committee of Lancaster county issued an invitation to university students to attend a meeting of the group tomorrow. The purpose of the meeting he explained is to stimulate interest in political affairs among students.

## Spring in the air brings hopes, new duds to wear

BY RALPH COMBS.

Webster says of Spring: "Season of the year when plants begin to vegetate and grow; the vernal season, usually including March, April and May. . ." This is in itself a logical definition—but it is also a limited definition. . . For it does not mention that with the advent of spring comes many phenomena that defy classification in this category.

Spring is the time of seasonal renaissance—a re-birth. With spring comes a universal blossoming-out. First evident, as Webster tells us, in the beginning of plant-life to grow. Grass grows. Flowers blossom. Trees bud. Weeds thrive. But this new growth is but one phase of spring. Animate life, too, experience a re-awakening. Fish come up from river-bottoms. Frogs squirm out of mud. Bears crawl out of caves.

But—even this does not give a complete picture of spring. People, like animals and plants, experience a new feeling. . . one of yawning and stretching, perhaps. The snow, the sleet, the cold, the dark of

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## Radio executive writes marching song for Huskers

Nebraska has a new marching song, "On Cornhuskers," written by Theodore C. Diers of the radio department, stated Diers yesterday. A stirring march such as this has been needed for Cornhusker rallies and sports events for some time; due to its limited range, its simple melody, and its inspiring words it is one which everyone will be able to sing. Ellsworth Duteau, alumni secretary, was attracted by its catchy tune, and put it on records, which are being sent to alumni groups.

## Pre-Easter services set

Presbyterian center holds morning series

Before a cross of aspen wood, Holy Week is being observed by a series of early morning services at the Presbyterian Student Center, 333 No. 14th. The services are from 7:15 to 7:45.

This morning Dr. Edmund F. Miller, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was the speaker. His subject will be "The High Road and the Low." Nate Holeman will sing a tenor solo, "How Sweet Is Thy Grace," from Stainer's "Crucifixion." Jay Norris, organist, will play "The Song Without Words" by Mendelssohn and "Rondo" by Beethoven.

## Final service.

At the final service Thursday Dr. William F. Perry of the Fourth Presbyterian church will speak. Milan Starks, soloist, will sing "Open the Gates of the Temple," by Knapp.

The cross used at the services was made by James Comstock of Plattsmouth, a student in the engineering college. It was fashioned of aspen wood sent from Colorado, in keeping with tradition.

## Vocational series brings women's magazine editor

Miss Katherine Clayberger, associate editor of Womans Home Companion, will speak Thursday, March 28 at 4 in Ellen Smith hall. This will be the fourth in the vocational guidance series sponsored by AWS and the dean of women.

Miss Clayberger's subject is "Vocational Possibilities in Any Part of the Magazine Publishing Business."

## Duryea sings in concert

Soprano, pianist appear in Temple recital today

Mrs. Don Duryea of York, soprano, and Mrs. James Blackman, pianist, will present a public concert sponsored by the university school of fine arts at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Temple.

Marvin Bostrom, who will accompany Mrs. Duryea, is now supervisor of public-school music at York. Both he and Mrs. Blackman are Nebraska graduates. Mrs. Blackman also holds a degree from the Eastman School of Music, and for a time taught music at Lindenwood college. All three are now taking advanced work at the university.

## Council names WAA officers for new term

The retiring Council of WAA named new officers in an election held in Grant Memorial hall yesterday. New members of the Council are Betty Jane Mallat, cabin chairman, Mary Kline, publicity chairman, Janet Curley, expansion chairman, and Jean McAllister and Betty Newman, associate concessions managers, Tess Casady was elected president of the WAA last week.

The Women's Athletic Association sponsors intramural sports, takes care of concessions at the football games in the fall, awards scholarships to girls, and helps generally in the sports activities of women on the campus.

## Economics group to hear Fullbrook talk on monopoly

Dr. Earl Fullbrook, professor of marketing, will speak to members of Economics, faculty and graduate student organization, this evening at 7:30 in the Union. His topic will be "Imperfect or Monopolistic Control." Fullbrook's discussion will review and explain the theory of monopolistic competition as developed in economic literature of the last few years, and criticize its imperfections.

## Pool writes textbook

Dr. Raymond J. Pool, chairman of the department of botany, is the author of a new book entitled "Basic Course in Botany," which is published by Ginn and Company.

## 400 women elect Ivy Day May Queen

Coeds also choose next year's Mortar Boards at record election

Approximately 400 junior and senior women cast votes to select the 1940 May Queen and nominate their choice of next year's members of Mortar Board yesterday afternoon in Ellen Smith. Mortar Board members, who supervised the election, considered the number a good showing as compared to last year's count of 349.

The May Queen, who will be one of the six candidates, June Bierbower, Maxine Lake, Faith Medlar, Selma Hill, Virginia Clemens, and Pris Wicks, will not be revealed until the Ivy Day ceremonies to be held May 2.

## Eligibility rules.

Eligibility requirements for May Queen are a scholastic average of 80, four years of school at Nebraska, one B activity, and no out-

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## 4-H opens dairy contest

Frisbie announces 4th year of demonstrations

Better dairy methods will be promoted in 1940 for the fourth consecutive year by means of the National 4-H Dairy Production contest, L. I. Frisbie, state 4-H club leader at the university, announced. Increased awards will be available to boys and girls who are successful this year in 4-H dairy competition.

As in previous years, the contest will be supervised by county and state extension agents, and it is open to all boys and girls enrolled in dairy projects. Club members can obtain further assistance from county agents in planning demonstrations which must concern breeding, growing, fitting, feeding and judging of dairy cattle—or production of milk and cream on the farm. County elimination contests will determine the teams to compete for Nebraska state finals.

## Pasture clubs.

Another feature of the program are the relatively recently organized pasture clubs, which show a marked increase in number this year. These clubs were organized last year for the first time, in order to give boys and girls an opportunity to get acquainted with the grasses that are most important in their own localities, and to learn a little more about good pasture management. Last year there were 11 pasture clubs in Nebraska, with a total membership of 98 boys and four girls. This year, county agents indicate there may be double that number. Interest is naturally greatest in the sandhills.

## Sergeant Regler to talk on radio

Sergeant Regler of the university police will go on the air today and tell of the life of a campus cop. He is to be interviewed and questioned by Jane Tucker on KFAB at 2:15 p. m. concerning the "Highlights of the Campus Police."

According to Regler the recent basketball tournament was very orderly. There were no cases of disorder, drunkenness or theft.