

Homecoming: Scenes Like These

UN Groups Plan Many Activities

Beginning with the arrival of alumni in the city today, and lasting until late Saturday night, Homecoming activities will occupy the center of attention this weekend.

Typical of scenes which will be re-enacted over the weekend are those reproduced on this page, showing pictures taken at previous Homecoming days.

Tonight's rally, with its Hoosier effigy burning will be followed by the selection of winners among the Homecoming displays erected by fraternities and sororities. Silver cups will be awarded by the Innocents, men's senior honorary society, for the displays considered most original and outstanding.

Barbs Sponsor Dance.

Also included in tonight's schedule is an open dance, sponsored by the Barbs, which will be held in the Union from 9 to 12, with music furnished by Johnny Cox.

Various informal alumni get-togethers will be slated for tomorrow morning with alums touring the campus and Greek houses throughout the day.

The national board of directors of the university's alumni association will meet at 10 o'clock in the faculty lounge of the Union. Present at the gathering, in addition to the chancellor and board members will be Alvin E. Evans, Dean of the College of Law at the University of Kentucky, and Charles C. Perrin of Philadelphia.

N Club Meets.

The noon hour will see several luncheons on tap, including the N club banquet which will be held in the coliseum before the game. Alumni of Innocents society will dine together in the Union and plans have been made to have short speeches by members of classes of '11, '21, '31 and '41. In charge of the society's meeting is William Marsh, director of the Union.

Alumni of Alpha Tau Omega, their wives and actives will gather at a buffet luncheon in the chapter house at noon, while similar reunions take place throughout the city.

Two alumni special trains will bring old grads into the city at approximately 1 o'clock. A special coming for the second year is the one which will bring the Denver alumni, while a train from Kansas City and Saint Joseph will bring Missouri alums to Lincoln.

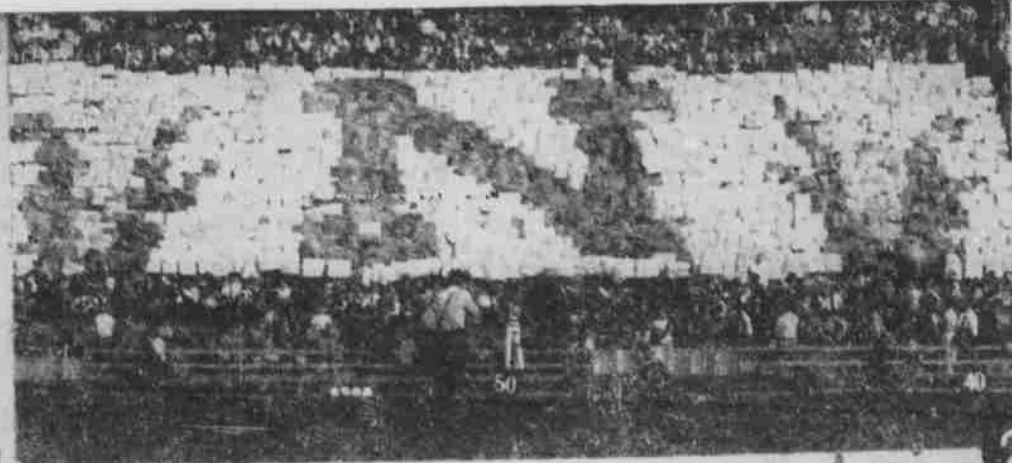
Following the headline event of the weekend, the game between Indiana and Nebraska, at which an estimated 32,000 will be present, a matinee dance will be held in the Union ballroom under sponsorship of the Barbs.

Expect Record Crowd.

A record influx of grads has



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been predicted by alumni secretary Ellsworth Duteau, with reservations for game tickets coming from points as far away as Lexington, Ky. and Clarkston, Ga.

Headlining events of Saturday evening, in addition to the various reunion banquets, are the chancellor's reception for 500 guests at Carrie Belle Raymond hall, and the presentation of this year's Pep Queen at the Annual Homecoming dance sponsored by Tassels and Corn Cobs in the coliseum. Music for the dance, to which the public is invited, will be furnished by Jay McShann's orchestra.

Palladian literary society alumni will observe the organization's 70th anniversary at a banquet in the Union at 6:30. Judge C. M. Skiles, of Lincoln, will serve as toastmaster.

ATO's Hold Banquet.

As part of their two-day alumni roundup, Alpha Tau Omega will hold a banquet for alumni, actives and pledges at the Hotel Cornhusker, followed by dancing.

At the same time, members and alumni of Delta Tau Delta fraternity will gather at a banquet at the Lincoln Hotel, with dancing on the post-banquet schedule.

Delta Gamma Mothers Meet at Chapter House

Mothers of members of Delta Gamma held a 1 o'clock luncheon Friday at the chapter house. A business meeting followed the luncheon. The afternoon was spent in playing bridge.

Decorations--

(Continued from Page 1.) other member of the faculty whose name will be added today.

Must Be Up Early.

Homecoming decorations must be up by 5 p. m. today, and the judging will take place between 7 and 8 p. m. The winning sorority and fraternity will each be presented a silver cup at the Corn Cob-Tassel Homecoming dance tomorrow night.

Alpha Chi Omega, who won with its display of Sherlock Holmes staring thru his eye glass to "track down the Tigers" last year, is now in possession of the sorority cup. Phi Delta Theta, featuring a buzz saw that saved its way thru menacing Tigers, was awarded the 1940 fraternity trophy.

It All Began In '23.

The idea of homecoming decorations was inaugurated by fraternity men and sorority women in 1923, when Sigma Alpha Epsilon won first place with a goal post display decorated with Kansas and Nebraska colors. Since 1923, the affair has progressed rapidly and the displays, tho limited in cost to \$25 are usually quite elaborate and very often operated by an integrated mechanical system.

SAE again won in 1936 with a display that had a Missouri tiger, gazing sourly at a pig behind the goal posts. All-American Sam



Filings Close Today at 5 p. m.

Filings for the fall election close today in John K. Selleck's office at 5 p. m. Offices open are junior, senior and sophomore class presidencies Nebraska Sweetheart and Honorary Colonel.

Francis' image stood at one side, holding a rope that was being dropped "noose-wise" over the snarling (Sound effects started here) tiger.

Alpha Phis Win.

The Alpha Phis had the winning idea in 1937. A tall beautiful girl (by Petty standards) reclined in the arms of a Husker footballer while a downcast Jayhawker performer stood by and groaned: "I wonder if Biff Jones gives a correspondence course in football."

Delta Gammas spelled out "Victory" with dazzling ice in 1938. Sigma Nu's featured a 7 foot Tarzan swinging about and dangling a tiger that omitted fierce yells (by pledges). In 1939 a spotlighted theater marquee, advertising "The

Jones Family" brought the DG's another victory.

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Celebrations--

(Continued from Page 1.) tomorrow night. Cups donated by the Innocents society will be presented to the winning fraternities and sororities.

Elected by student ballot, the pep queen will be crowned by Jean Christie, 1940 pep queen, and will be revealed sometime during the evening as a surprise to the dancers.

The queen will step from a miniature football complete with a gridiron background. Members of the presentation committee are Bob Gritzfeld, chairman, Jack Hogan and Charles Marcy.

One of the following candidates will be named: Mary Helen Farrar, Kappa Alpha Theta; Virginia Ford, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Janet Hemphill, Pi Beta Phi; Barbara Jones, Alpha Phi; and Betty Klingel, Alpha Xi Delta. Selection will be determined by voting at the door.

First all-university party of the year, the dance will feature the Twentieth Century Rhythm of Jay McShann and his orchestra. The Decca recording band has one of the finest rhythm and brass sections in the business. Ray Treinen, owner of the jukebox in the Union grill says that McShann's records here lead in popularity for the number of times played.

The orchestra stars Walter Brown, whose style on "Confessin' the Blues" is unbeatable. First of all a dance band, McShann's crew will play music for the students from hot jive to sweet music. Of special interest will be a 25 minute arrangement of "One O'clock Jump" with a ten minute trumpet solo.

Tickets may be secured from any Tassel or Corn Cob for 90 cents; door price is \$1.10.

President Roosevelt's youngest son, John, was among 376 naval reserve ensigns recently graduated from a three months training course conducted by the navy's supply corps at the Harvard business school.

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