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A Full House, Kings and Queens

The university is faced with a horrible dilemna. If things continue as they are now, there won't be a single solitary, common ordinary student left to walk inconspicuously between Sosh and Andrews. All of the cabbages will be kings.

It wasn't so long ago that when a girl was chosen to be Honorary Colonel or Prom Girl the bonor meant something and the crowd bowed to its royalty. Now, practically everyone is a member of the Royal Order of Nebraska. There is no one left to curtesy. No one left to pay homage. No one remains to accept the favors of our "high" almighties.

Just think back since the start of school. How many kings and queens, BDG's, BMOC's, Prom Girls, Ball Girls, Pledge queens, and Heart Beaters will have been chosen by the time the second semester closes. There are so many honored students that even those who are within that golden rim can't remember who their compatriots are.

It all started when various committees for social events on the campus decided that if they had somebody elected to something it would provide an added attraction for the party and thus increase the revenues which had been slowly decreasing over a period of years. The idea worked. Parties began to be financial successes because of the added publicity. Then the novelty of the thing wore off, so the committee members got another bright idea. They had their royal order elected at the door the night of the party. Most of the sororities and fraternities and even the barbs were supporting their own candidates. To be able to insure election, all the backers had to attend the social functions,

The novelty of this brainstorm has worn off again. One tree in the middle of the desert will attract attention. One tree in the middle of a forest is bound to be neglected. Evidently, the various organizations can't seem to realize this for instead of reducing the number of kings, queens, jacks, or what have you, they have doubled and even trebled the membership in the Royal Order of Nebraska.

Frankly, we were waiting for the Sophomore cabinet to announce that it would open nominations for the girl most representative of the sophomore class, thus putting the Midas touch on some bit of collegiate femininity. The Sophomore Council held its party in the Union yesterday afternoon. From 4:30 to 6:00 p. m.

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Editor, Daily Nebraskan Dear Mr. Svoboda:

During the past few days, Mr. Jim Selzer and myself have been subjected to such relentless questioning that we have decided to make a clean breast of everything-well, almost.

We have been confronted with so many wild rumors about which band is going to play at the Junior-Senior Prom that we decided we should make an effort to keep all campus rumor-mongers from being absolute liars: we are going to give you a list of the last 15 orchestras which were being considered as possibilities. This list will cover all those orchestras which we have been told are going to play the

You may treat this list as public information. We guarantee that the name of the orchestra that is going to play the Prom is in this list. And as the list is reduced-well, you can draw your own conclusions.

I sincerely hope that this will serve to save Mr. Selzer from some of the beatings he has recently been administered. The list follows:

> Philadelphia Philharmonic. Xavier Cugat Harry James Gene Krupa Glenn Miller Tony Pastor Sonny Dunham Gray Gordon Little Jack Little Alvino Rev Charlie Fisk Lawrence Welk Glenn Gray Jan Savitt Guy Lombardo

Yours very truly W. W. Marsh Union Director

By Marsa Lee Civin.

Admission to all university social affairs such as dances, plays, and parties given after this vital branch of the service. November 1, 1917, were subject to 10 per cent war tax. Football admisions were exempted from tax because all profits were given to the

A number of university women were interested in the "Treasure and Trinket" fund started in connection with the local Y.W.C.A. This fund was unique from the rest of the war country, large quantities of war funds in that no eash contributions were asked supplies are amassed and stored but it simply involved the donation of worn out, discarded, or broken bits of jewelry, gold, or silverware lying about the house which may be of value when collected and sold to the mint functions of the quartermaster in Washington. Trinkets are melted down to ment pays a marked price. silver and gold nuggets for which the govern-

This idea was no fad as it originated in England and proved a success. There, the paper-bond one, is wanted, Miss women gave nothing but unused silver Rosborough said. thimbles. These alone netted over \$75,000. Money was used to purchase ambulances,

we waited around for spotlights to single out the benighted, or for some girl to pop up out of the floor in "the most novel presentation ceremony of the year." But we were disappointed. No one emerged from a bundle of cornstalks. No one interrupted the dancing with "and now we have the honor and privilege to present . .

Congratulations to the sophomores. They have preserved that great American heritage of having the right to be just an inconspicuous,

common ordinary student.

Exhibit . . .

Continued from Page 1. part of their privileges as students, just like the Student Union and the library.'

The galleries will be open to students from March 2 thru 29 between 8 a. m. and 5:45 p. m. on week days. Saturdays the exhibit can be seen from 8 a. m. to 4:45 p. m., and on Sunday afternoons from 2 to 5 p. m. Sunday, the opening day, will be reserved for members of the association only, as will the living pictures to be given in the Union the same day.

Students are asked to use the stairway on the east side of Morrill hall, not only to facilitate the checking of attendance and regis-

tration cards, but to enter the galleries in the best order.

A new arrangement of material has been carefully planned this year to make it easier for the visitor to grasp the connection between the various divisions of the whole and to understand the message of the theme. Different divisions will also be labelled with data concerning the author or the work. Entering from the east

in Pan-American room, Wed. Call 3-8314 for exchange. STRAYED-Tan "Balpaca

stairway, the visitor should procede directly down the main corridor to the west end, then see gallery B, and end in gallery A.

Dean Paul Brosman of the Tulane university college of law has a hobby of collecting pipes. His office and home are littered with briars of every shape and from every country

YOUR DRUG STORE

Sick? See your doctor and then bring his prescription to us.

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By Alan Jacobs

By-lines are dangerous. Although it is nice to see your name above the masterpiece (?) that you have pounded out, criticism which may develop and which, of course, is directed toward the writer, is often disconcerting. The by-line on the story about BMOC's and bmoc's which Buzz Dalton, who does smoke a lot of cigarettes and who does not do a lot of studying, objected to resulted in a lot of ribbing for this writer. But we're willing to take the ribbing if youwhether you get angry or happy-read this column.

We went to a faction meeting Wednesday night at the suggestion of letter-writer Dalton, and we received some justification in writing an obituary for campus BMOC's. Although no hot chocolate was served, discussion seemed to indicate that politics aren't as interesting as last year when-minus ballot flushers and ident card punchers there were at least two parties, and Barb opposition to the greek faction.

Speaking of the barb faction, Bill Dafoe was down to see us Wednesday. Just out of the hospital after an automobile accident, Datoe said that he would have written us a letter too, if he had thought that he was a BMOC, but since he didn't qualify-even for the no capital status-he didn't write.

What a Boy Was 'Big Boy.'

In addition to the names that Dalton provided Dafoe added the name of "Big Boy" Williams. "Big Boy," it seems, is about the only unaffiliated student who ever had his finger in absolutely everything. Dafoe was as disappointed that we didn't include him among our list of BMOC's as was Buzz perturbed over the elimination of his favorites.

A Council member, politician and big activity man made the best comment we've heard in a long time. "It used to be that a fellow could come to college poor, become a BMOC, and leave college a rich man. Nowadays, everybody-whether they are poor or rich when they come to college-leave school a soldier.'

UN Trains ROTC Officers To Take Care of Johnny

up! But mother won't have to most diversified mission. worry about his being cold or going hungry while he is away. The army has made special provisions tion engineer, automotive mefor Johnny in the Quartermasters chanics expert, and a storekeep-

now undertaken to do its part in supplying the trained officers for Twenty Cornhusker ROTC seniors are now learning to deliver the goods to Johnny and his buddles.

Distribute Supplies.

Essentially the quartermaster corps performs the service of supawaiting shipment to distribution points nearer the front.

Feeding, clothing and transporting Johnny are not the only

Books . . .

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A collection crew is now being organized which will collect the books on March 7. Students with cars are needed for the crew and are asked to contact Shirley Heldt at the Alpha Phi house.

All affiliated houses will be canvassed, and the committee will pick up books of unaffiliated students who have 20 or more books to contribute.

Bob Schlater, managing editor of the Daily Nebraskan was named to fill the vacancy left in the committee by the resignation of Paul Svoboda, and \$132.84, money made by the "High Jinks" variety show, was officially turned over to the Red Cross.



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Johnny Jones' draft number is service, the quartermaster has the

The quartermaster officer has to be somewhat of a transportaer. If Johnny's shoes wear out, The University of Nebraska has who is there to supply him with a new pair? If Johnny eats beans six times a week and twice on Sunday, who is there to take the blame? If Johnny's jeep breaks down, who is there to repair it for him?

The very ground that Johnny walks on in his morning drill, is procured through the quartermaster! In addition, the maintenance ply for all the other arms and of all utilities for the army is services. In its depots thruout the charged to the quartermaster corps.

Bulletin

Franceskierier, will meet today in Smith at noon. TW knitting staff, headed by Joy rena, wil hald he regular meeting in Ellen Smith at 5 p. m.

The University of Kentucky is one of only eight schools in the southeast offering the PhD degree. One hundred thirty schools and colleges in the eastern United States are co-operating with the tuition plan in permitting parents to pay their children's tuition fees on a monthly installment basis.

