

U. S. Seeks Officer Material For War

... From Colleges

Pointing out that the US armed services seek officer material for a long war by enlisted reserve programs in the nation's colleges, members of a joint army-navy-marine corps board spoke before approximately 1,800 students and faculty members at a war convocation yesterday.

"Students who enlist are studying to become officers in one of the armed services," Lt. Fred Engel of the army ground forces and chairman of the board emphasized. "Our enlisted reserve program is not considered as a deferment plan.

UN Pledges Support.

Chancellor Boucher explained that at the first war convocation after Pearl Harbor the university pledged its complete resources to the government. "We have kept faith with that pledge," he continued, "tho often it has been difficult for us to know clearly what we could or should do to serve best

the cause of victory."

This five-man board will be on the campus through Monday to explain the reserve program. In addition to Lieutenant Engel, representatives of the other services spoke briefly at the convocation. Lt. William E. Johnson, former lieutenant governor of Nebraska, represented the navy air corps, Capt. John Culnan the marines, Lt. John Logan the army air corps, and Ensign Herbert Bohren the navy.

"We are not interested in education for the sake of education," explained Lieutenant Johnson. "Nor are we interested in the guy who joins the enlisted reserve program as a means of keeping from doing his duty. We've got a war to win."

See Long War.

Enlisted reserve programs in the schools are based on a ten-year plan. Lieutenant Engel said, not on the war being won by Christmas. "The university can make leaders of you men," he added, "if you will learn to be men, learn to analyze, learn to make decisions quickly. High school days of disrespect for government and authority are over. It is your responsibility to make good."

Dean T. J. Thompson spoke briefly as the university's liaison officer for the armed services. "The government has come to the colleges to find a group already pre-selected on the basis of natural and educational abilities for officer candidates," he said. "Enlistment is not obligatory. You should consider if your place is in industry or the armed services, and which branch of them. But you are expected to stick to your choice until you are discharged."

Chancellor Is Host At Affair For Faculty

Highlighting Homecoming social events will be the annual chancellor's reception to be held Saturday evening from 8 to 10 in the parlors of Carrie Bell Raymond hall.

Traditionally held, the informal reception will honor newcomers to the faculty. Chancellor and Mrs. C. S. Boucher will be hosts. In attendance will be faculty members and the administrative staff and their wives. New members will be welcomed and introduced when they appear in the reception line.

Old Landmarks Should All Go In Scrap Drive

... Say Queried Students

By Helen Hemphill. Among new angles on the scrap metal drive, has been the suggestion that old landmarks such as the gate on the northwest corner of 12th and R. street be torn down. In order to get a wider view on the subject, the inquiring reporter of the Daily Nebraskan confronted several students with the question, "What do you think of tearing down iron fences, gates and other landmarks on the campus?" These are some of the replies received:

Bill Todd, Phi Psi: Good idea. Who gets it? Phi Psi's?

Barbara True, Tri-Delt: It's swell, if they don't use our fence.

Bruce Boyd, Delta Sig: It's a good idea. We should look to the future not to the past.

Kay King, Alpha Chi: It's a good idea. There are lots of old fences and posts that could be torn down.

Walt Olson, Delta Sig: Leave them stand. We've gotta look at the past too.

Leonora Beck, Chi Omega: I think it's a good idea. Nobody knows what the landmarks stand for anyway.

June Griffin, Tri-Delt: Wonderful. Especially the iron fence around Berlin tree at the Library.

Jerry Tubbs, D. U.: It's O.K. It's for a worthy cause.

Jean Shwarr, D. G.: I approve of it. It's not doing anybody any good. It will be where it's going.

From this poll, it can be concluded that most students definitely approve tearing down these landmarks and contributing them to the drive.

Lutherans Hold 'Autumn Party'

Active members of the UN Lutheran Student association will be hosts to an autumn fun test party for freshmen who desire to become members of the organization from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The program for the gathering will include games, refreshments, and the presentation of the coming year's activities of the association. Freshmen students are especially urged to take advantage of this party.

The "Old Oaken Bucket" for which Dickenson and Gettysburg colleges vie on the football field is in reality a mahogany bucket, and only a few years old.



After a hard day's work gathering almost everything from everywhere, Art Stelley and Robert Kelly (left to right) pile up scrap metal in front of the Theta Xi domicile.

Scrap . . .

(Continued from Page 1). to replace Homecoming festivities with something approximating war work and is sponsored by Innocents Society. Cups for the winning fraternity and sorority will be presented at the Homecoming dance in the coliseum Saturday night, along with the announcement of the 1942 pep queen. Innocents have asked that all scrap be collected legally, and that cost of banners above the piles does not exceed \$5.

Teachers of Japanese in colleges and universities throughout the United States met recently at the University of Michigan to compare notes on latest methods and techniques.

Yeager To Lead 1943 Colorado Team Into Ames

AMES, Iowa, Oct. 8.—Jim Yeager returns to the Iowa State campus in the enemy's uniform for the second time in his career when Iowa State opens its 1943 football season with the University of Colorado, Sept. 25.

Yeager, one of the outstanding Big Six linemen at Kansas State, is now head coach of football at the Colorado institution.

Sandwiched between his opposition to the Cyclones as a player and as a coach, Yeager served as line coach and later head coach for Iowa State.

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