

Students Elect Prince Kosmet, Sweetheart at K-Klub Revue



—Courtesy Lincoln Journal.

Those tooth-paste smiles are being worn by Nebraska Sweetheart Myridene Buller and Prince Kosmet Harold Hunt. The two were chosen by the votes of students attending the Kosmet Klub revue Saturday afternoon. Myridene is a member of Alpha Chi Omega and Hunt is affiliated with Alpha Tau Omega.

'Life' Pictorializes . . . Traditions Glimmer Faintly During War . . . And Then Disappear

Realizing that college life as it is lived today will soon be "just another past tradition," "Life," pictorial magazine, presents in the pages of its Nov. 23rd issue a series of pictures on average campus life as it was lived before the war.

Stating that the proposed 18-19 year old draft law will sweep the colleges clean of their young men in a few short months, and that the end of the war will bring a new set of customs to replace those now existing in universities over the states, the magazine pictures social, academic, and extra-curricular activities of Indians university as a typical American college.

The magazine went on to state that college boys and girls are "still living cozily in a world of fantasy far removed from the harsh realities of the world around them.

"Boys who are already in the army will read these pages and feel a little silly because they will see their faces in the faces shown here, and a little sad because it will never come again."

Included in the somewhat satirized, "informal" shots, are jitter-bugging, cheek-to-cheek dancing, BMOC, the hanging of a Sigma Chi pin on a Kappa Kappa Gamma, good-night at a sorority house door, and apple polishing.

Chicago Alum Club Sponsors Nebraska Night

Chicago's Nebraska Alumni Club sponsored the first big USO State Night within the Chicago area. Called Nebraska Night, the affair was a big party night for all the men in the Army with Nebraskans the special guests of the evening.

Following the example of the Nebraska Alumni Club, Cornell, Harvard, and many other universities are going to follow suit and have special nights at the big Chicago USO center for their men in the service.

Theatre Group Casts 'Arsenic and Old Lace'

Bill Todd, Roberta Burgess Top Cast

With the selection of Bill Todd for the male romantic lead, casting has been completed for "Arsenic and Old Lace," the second production of the University Theatre players to be presented Dec. 16, 17 and 18.

Speculation has been active over the campus as to who would receive the part since the remainder of the characters were selected over a week ago. Playing opposite Todd's Mortimer Brewster will be Roberta Burgess in the role of Elaine Harper.

Playing the characters of the two kind, sweet old maids who poison their visitors are Martha

Ann Bengtson and Janet Marx as Abby and Martha Brewster. Two other insane Brewster brothers, Johnathan, who looks and acts like Boris Karloff, and Teddy, who imagines that he is Theodore Roosevelt, are portrayed by Larry Taylor and Bob Hyde.

The companion of Johnathan, a drunken doctor, Einstein who specializes in changing criminals' faces, is to be played by Bernard Swartz. Others in the cast include Dick Putney, Robert Silverman, Bill Palmer, Romulo Soldevilla, Glen Nelson and Robert Black.

Now in rehearsal, the play is a sparkling comedy. Last year chosen as the production the University of Nebraska students most desired to see. Plot of the play has a light romance running through the murderous antics of a household of lunatics.

Debate Squad Names Frosh Team Members

With the selection of the freshman debate squad, this year's debate activities get completely underway. Members of the squad are:

Andrew Andros, Norris Bettner, George Fenger, Gene Haugse, Bill Hill, Norris Leamer, Peter Loew, Roland Luedtke, Mary Mattoon, Eddie McCullough, Gerry McKinsey, Willis Olmstead, Warner Stevens, Robert Stiniger, Bernard Ulrich, Jack Wenstrand, Irvin White, Dale Wisser, and James Reed.

An informal meeting of the Freshman Squad will be held at 7:30 p. m. today, in which a practice debate by the Varsity Squad will be given. The next meeting is scheduled for Dec. 3 and final team pairings will be made then for inter-squad debates.

Bizad Review Carries Article On Insurance

C. M. Elliott Emphasizes Advisability of Investing In an Uncertain Period

A reassuring message to persons questioning the advisability of investing in insurance will be carried in the November "Business Review" of the college of business administration. The review was published Saturday.

Writing on "The Future of Insurance," Curtis M. Elliott, instructor in insurance, says: "The fact that prices have risen extensively and may continue to do so in the future should not lead one to conclude that insurance is an undesirable investment during a period of inflation.

Purchasing Power Declines. "While it is true that the purchasing power of the indemnity payable under insurance contracts declines as the general price level increases, the fact that the money is available at the time of the loss when the need for funds is the greatest is of utmost importance. Since the contingency insured against may happen any time, insurance is just as important during a period of inflation as at any other time."

Mr. Elliott points out that at present the government seems to be sympathetic to insurance as an institution.

Rev. H. C. Gosnell Speaks Tonight At YW Vespers

Rev. Harold C. Gosnell, Holy Trinity Episcopal church, will speak at Vespers tonight at 5:30 at Ellen Smith. Everyone is invited.

Navy Release Lists Changes For Reserves

Affecting those university students who attempted to enlist in V-1 and V-7 programs of the Naval reserve and who were turned down due to physical qualifications, a release changing some of the qualifications has just been officially passed by the Navy department.

The change was suggested by the Manual of the Medical Department of the Armed Forces. The following was the official word received concerning the matter:

Official Statement.

"It is requested that Armed Service Representatives inform students at their institutions who may have been rejected because of failure to meet the minimum or maximum weight requirements for enlistments in classes V-1 or V-7. Such students should reapply for examination and consideration to the nearest office of Naval Procurement or Sub or Main Recruiting Station."

The new standards:

Standards for officers, midshipmen, and enlisted men:				
Age	Height	Wt.	Chest at expiration	Expansion Required
17	63 & under 65	110	30	2
	65 & under 68	114	31	2
	68 & under 70	119	31½	2
	70 & under 72	125	32	2½
	72 & under 74	130	32½	2½
	74-76	137	33½	2½
18	64	115	31½	2
	65 & under 68	119	32	2
	68 & under 70	124	32½	2½
	70 & under 72	130	32½	2½
	72 & under 74	135	33½	2½
	74-76	142	34½	2½
19	64	120	32	2
	65 & under 68	124	32½	2
	68 & under 70	129	33	2½
	72 & under 74	140	33½	2½
	74-76	145	34½	2½
20	64	125	32	2
	65 & under 68	129	32½	2
	68 & under 70	134	33	2½
	70 & under 72	140	33½	2½
	72 & under 74	148	34½	2½
	74-76	153	35½	2½
21	64	128	32	2
	65 & under 68	136	33	2
	68 & under 70	148	33½	2½
	70 & under 72	152	34	2½
	72 & under 74	157	35	2½
	74-76	162	35½	2½
22	64	133	32½	2
	65 & under 68	141	33	2
	68 & under 70	153	33½	2½
	70 & under 72	157	34	2½
	72 & under 74	162	35	3
	74-76	168	35½	3
24	64	133	33	2
	65	137	33	2
25	64	141	33½	2½
	67	145	33½	2½
	68	149	34	2½
	69	153	34½	2½
	70	157	34½	3
	71	162	34½	3
	72	167	35	3
	73	175	35½	3
	74	182	35½	3
	75	190	36	3
	76	200	36	3

For Military Purposes . . . Twelve UN Students Take Chinese Class

Chinese is the newest language course to be taught at Nebraska. The course, instructed by Albert Fenn, assistant in philosophy, is designed to teach the students to read, write, and speak the Chinese language.

The 12 students enrolled in the class are taking the course for military purposes. Upon entrance into the military service, they anticipate being sent to China because of the knowledge of the language which they are acquiring in the course. Several of the students in the class are advanced drill men.

Keep Catalogues.

During the last two months of class work, the students have kept card catalogues of the Chinese characters they have learned with the nearest English pronunciation of them on the reverse side of the card. Thru this method they are learning to read, write and speak the language.

During the class period Fenn supplements the assignments with a discussion of the Chinese customs and philosophy. Because of the similarity of the Chinese and Japanese customs and language, the discussion aids the students in understanding the Japanese race. The Japanese written language is the Chinese, altho their spoken language is their own.

Two Each Week.

Two class periods are held each week in social sciences. One meets

Wednesday evening from 7:30 to 8:30, the other Saturday night at the same time.

Organization of the class was undertaken after Fenn had been a dinner guest of the Brown Palace Co-op. The men were so interested in the after-dinner talk given by Fenn they decided to organize a Chinese class with Fenn as instructor.

Fenn Teaches.

Albert Fenn, native of Chendu, China, came to this country seven years ago and has taken undergraduate work at Missouri and a seminary in Omaha. An ordained minister in the Presbyterian church, Fenn was taught the English language by an Englishman in China.

Those students taking this course in Chinese are: Roy Byram, (See CLASS, Page 4.)

Phalanx to Hold Special Meeting Tonight at 7:15

Meeting of all members of Phalanx will be held tonight at 7:15 in parlor Z of the Union. According to Charles White, commander, final plans for the Phalanx banquet and Military Ball Sabre sales will be made at this time.