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War Council Plans Dance for Trainees

Answering the cry for "social life" voiced yesterday by the aviation cadets newly stationed on the campus, the War Council is sponsoring a welcome dance this Saturday, April 3, from 9 to 12 p. m. in the Union ballroom, open to the cadets and university Lincolnettes.

Lincolnettes in the university division will be admitted by their Lincolnette card, and those members who wish to attend the dance are asked to leave their names before Friday noon at the Union office.

Expect 300 Trainees.

Fully 300 cadets are expected to attend this dance, according to Lt. F. Marshall, public relations officer of the college training detachment here. Therefore it is necessary that the War Council know just how many Lincolnettes will be on hand Saturday night, in order that the ratio between coeds and cadets may be approximately the same.

Music for the dance will be furnished by the Union's master juke box and public address system, while refreshments will be furnished by the campus Religious Welfare association. Virginia Steurmer is in charge of refreshments.

First of Its Kind.

First of any kind of entertainment on the campus sponsored by the university for trainees, the dance meets the approval of the AWS board, according to Janet Hemphill, president. Dean Verna Boyles, colonel of the Lincolnette university division, has given full approval of the idea, from the dean of women's viewpoint.

Saying that probably in the future... (See DANCE, page 2.)

Senior Wins Architecture First Prize

DeForrest Heggenbach was announced today as winner of a \$100 prize offered by the Nebraska building chapter of the Associated General Contractors of America for the best working drawing of an elementary school building submitted by senior architectural students.

Drawings were submitted by all senior architecture students and were judged by a jury made up of three architects and three contractors including Virgil J. Haggart and Earl G. Hawkins of Omaha and Everett Kingery of Lincoln. (See AWARD, page 2.)

Find Chemical That Destroys Smells: OD-30

NEW YORK. (ACP). Discovery of a chemical compound that will destroy any offensive odor known to man or beast is claimed by three industrial chemists.

Designated as OD-30, the compound was discovered by Dr. Walter H. Eddy, Columbia university; Dr. James H. Dalbey of Chicago; and Dr. Lloyd Arnold, University of Illinois.

OD-30, its discoverers said, has been successful in killing the odors of stench bombs, skunks, cooking cabbage, fish and butcher shops, dog pounds and public rest rooms.

Dr. Eddy explained the compound literally kills the smells by burning them with oxygen as they float in the air.



Courtesy Lincoln Journal.
DEAN VERNA BOYLES
... heads Lincolnettes

Coeds Fail To Attend War Group

Out of 188 university women who registered for work on the Red Cross surgical dressing units, approximately 60 have appeared for the Saturday meetings, according to Catherine Wells, one of the student instructors.

Red Cross officials have been disappointed at the apparent lack of interest on the part of many coeds, and have reminded them that it takes two women for each man at the front in the surgical dressings group.

With the Lincoln quota rising each month, the Red Cross and the Student War Council have expressed a hope that each girl who has signed up for this type of war work keep her contract. Hours are Saturday from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. or from 1 to 5 p. m. Those who cannot stay the full time may be excused.

Required for the class is a white garment, preferably a dress or blouse, which must be carried, not worn, to the building. Headdresses must be worn, and nail polish and jewelry are forbidden. War Council heads expect a full room Saturday if women who have registered will attend.

Term Immediate Activation Of ROTC Unit Improbable

Further unfolding of plans of the current specialized college training program was revealed yesterday with the activation of all ROTC college units of the seventh service command as soon as the program is put into effect.

Immediate activation was termed improbable, however, by military and administrative officials, commenting on the situation. Word was received by Chancellor C. S. Boucher, early yesterday, advising of the impossibility of an engineer unit before May 1. Details of administration along with technical obstacles were believed to be the cause for the delay in the inauguration of the program in U. S. colleges.

Delay ROTC Activation. Military officials believed the added delay would render an ac-

Give Army, Navy Exam Friday at 8

Qualifying examinations will be given Friday at 9 a. m. in social science auditorium for the army specialized training program and the navy college training program, according to T. J. Thompson, dean of student affairs.

All students who expect to take the Army-Navy qualifying tests Friday, April 2, and who have not filed formal applications should call at the Junior Division office at once and fill out the blanks that will be furnished them there.

Blanks for both services are now available, according to Dean Nels A. Bergston. This is an important formality that must not be neglected. The examination will be conducted in social science auditorium Friday, beginning promptly at 9 o'clock.

Students should be in their seats at least 15 minutes before the hour.

Selection of prospective officer candidate material for the army, navy, coast guard and marine corps will be aided by the results (See EXAMS, page 2.)

Scholar Finds Greeks Knew A Way for It

LOS ANGELES. (ACP). The Greeks had an idea about paying enlisted men which does not jibe with Uncle Sam's, according to Dr. Arthur P. McKinlay, professor of Latin, emeritus, at the University of California.

"The Athenians paid their sailors nine cents a day, not thru a lack of money but for fear some of them would injure their health by spending their money on things which brings on sickness." So spoke Alcibiades the general, 410 B.C., in Thucydides, VIII, section 45, Dr. McKinlay reminds.

"As for our own well being and fighting powers," said Dr. McKinlay, "I would take a large percentage of the gross receipts from the sale of tobacco, wine, beer, whiskey and cokes and put it into a reserve fund to take care of the wastage of these businesses."

Miltzer Speaks At Powarp Forum



Courtesy Lincoln Journal.
W. F. MILTZER.
... tells new inventions.

Professor W. F. Miltzer of the university chemistry department will lecture on the "Promise of Science" at the powarp forum today. The forum, a weekly activity, will be held at 4:30 in parlors XYZ of the Student Union. It is open to all students interested in the problems of the post-war world.

New inventions to be rushed into production after the war will be revealed and discussed by Professor Miltzer in their relation to future society. He will tell of improvements in radio, television, and in the lines of the "to-be" automobiles.

Traces Effect.

All of the factors in the production of the three great essentials to man, food, shelter, and clothing, will be greatly improved and changed, and Professor Miltzer will attempt to trace out their effects upon post-war organization. His lecture will be in connection with the broader significance of these changes, not merely their superficial benefits.

Professor Miltzer has taught in the chemistry department at Nebraska for seven years. He received his scientific training and doctor's degree at the University of Wisconsin.

Hold One More Forum.

The forum is the fifth in a series of six sponsored jointly by the University Council of Religious Welfare and the University Council on Post-War Reconstruction, for post war social, economic and political planning. Most of the (See POWARP, page 4.)

YW Plans Activities For Year

Members of YWCA will hold their annual spring mass meeting open to all women tonight at 7:30 p. m. in parlors X and Y of the Union, according to an announcement by Jane Dalthorp, president.

Discussion of the policy that the Y should adopt for its fall program will highlight the meeting. The membership amendment which was voted in at the spring election will also be presented to the group as it will go into effect this fall.

Summarize Year's Work.

A brief summary of the YW activities on campus and in war work this year will be given by Betty Hohf, vice president.

Summer job opportunities that can be obtained thru membership in the YW will also be announced at the meeting, which will be completed by officers' reports. Jane Dalthorp will preside.

All women are expressly invited to attend this meeting, when next year's program will be outlined according to the members' wishth and suggestions.

Red Cross Discontinues Knitting Class

Due to a shortage in the supply of yarn, the Lincoln Red Cross headquarters has advised that there is no need for university women to contribute their time to this part of the War Council program.

Catherine Wells and Joyce Junge will transfer the preference of each girl who registered for Red Cross knitting today and Thursday afternoon in the Nebraskan office.

If no indication is given of another preference, those girls will be automatically transferred to the surgical dressings group, also sponsored by the Red Cross.

Home Ec Group Rents Seniors Caps, Gowns

Annually, the Home Economics club sponsors the renting of caps and gowns to graduating seniors. This year's drive is now in progress and will continue through Saturday.

Orders and measurements are being taken in Ag Hall for the convenience of Ag college students. Other students or faculty members who wish to place orders may do so by calling Gladys Bowman, chairman of the drive, before Saturday.

A deposit of \$1.00 is required but because of the uncertainty of graduation for many fellows, provisions have been made to refund this money if the person is unable to be present at Commencement exercises.

the library on the same basis, and under regulations similar to those of present college training detachment.

Military Program Continues.

Meanwhile ROTC classes of both the advanced and basic drill units will continue with their present curriculum, until further announcement of changes. First notice of activation of the cadet corps appeared on the field artillery bulletin board, in a letter from Col. Briggs, seventh service command ROTC commandant, to Colonel Murphy of Nebraska.

When questioned, Colonel Murphy stated the notice would have no bearing on the present status of the cadets until an official announcement of the enactment of the specialized training program was released.

activated ROTC unit for the remainder of the semester highly impractical, and would cause postponement of such action until the end of the semester.

In an interview yesterday, the chancellor stated university facilities have been readied and are awaiting the enactment of the program. All that remains to be completed now is the signing of the contracts, and it will be up to the war department to make the next move.

With the coming of the engineer trainees, the university will go fully on the long-awaited, much-discussed manpower training program. Engineering students coming off the campus and other colleges will probably be housed in