

Nebraska Celebrates 77 Years of Statehood

Seventy-Seven years ago, March 1, 1867, Nebraska was admitted to the union, with all the rights of full statehood. At that time, it was still a wilderness, and the Indians dominated a great part of the territory.

Since then, Nebraska has come to be recognized throughout the United States as a progressive part of this nation.

Gov. Dwight Griswold announced that there would be no special celebration of Nebraska day. He will, however, speak today at Northeast high and to the Parent-Teachers Association about Nebraska as a state.



Debate Group Adopts Five Resolutions for Peace Era

Five resolutions pertaining to international peace were adopted by the 155 delegates to the annual Nebraska intercollegiate debate and discussion conference at a legislative assembly last Saturday afternoon.

Copies of the resolutions adopted annually at the closing meeting of the two day conference are sent to the congressmen and state legislators of the states represented at the meet and appear in the Congressional Record. Mary Ellen Bruenkant of Northwestern university served as chairman of the resolutions committee which was made up of five delegates, chosen

by their quality ratings in the debates.

The resolutions passed by the group are:

Where as, we desire international security, which presumes national security thru co-operation,

Where as, tariff barriers, excessive reparations and problems of rehabilitation stand in the way of cooperation,

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Harry Miller Joins UN Staff In Chemurgy

Harry Miller, research chemist in the field of paper-cellulose-plastic processes, will be added to the staff of the Nebraska chemurgy project.

Miller will come April 1 from the University of Missouri where he has developed paper making processes adopted by a large container manufacturing concern.

This process makes use of Nebraska straw, according to Dr. Leo M. Christensen, chemurgy project director, and plants may possibly be established in this section for utilization of straw, corn stalks and other crop residues.

Miller is a pioneer in chemurgic research, Dr. Christensen said, and his availability is "very fortunate for our project because men with his broad training in paper, cellulose and plastics are scarce."

Five UN Students Receive Honors In Music Contest

Five students of the university school of music recently won honors in music contests, each in a different kind of competition.

Barbara Payne, graduate student of piano, and Ruth Ferguson, soprano, won first place in the Lincoln Symphony Orchestra annual auditions and will appear as soloists this spring with the orchestra in the last concert of the series.

Alternates are Johnson Beam, violinist, and Dorothy Strasheim, contralto.

Lenore Beck, in another contest, was one of the four girls from this district to win in the preliminaries of the National Hour of Charm competition for a chance to appear with Phil Spitalny's All-Girl Orchestra and win a trip to New York.

Counsellors Buy \$200 in Bonds

Coed Counsellors voted at their meeting Wednesday to buy two \$100 war bonds. When the bonds mature, they will be used by the Coed Counsellors for some campus improvement or fund.

The bonds were bought from the Tassels to boost the university quota.

UN Salutes War Program With Bulletin

A salute to the war training program on the campus has been released by the university. The bulletin, in the form of a short booklet, is prefaced by brief statements from Chancellor C. S. Boucher and Col. J. P. Murphy concerning the spirit of cooperation shown by the administrative and student personnel of both the armed forces and civilians.

Informal views of the university buildings which are used by soldiers for class and physical training on the downtown and ag campuses are shown. The pictures demonstrate how the buildings served in the army program.

A page of information on the university and pertinent facts about the city of Lincoln are also included. On the back cover, an account of NU's military tradition with a picture of General Pershing completes the pamphlet.

Regents Rename Engineer Hall For Former Dean

Mechanical Engineering hall will be renamed Richards laboratory in honor of the late Charles R. Richards, former dean of the engineering college. This proposal, which came from Nebraska alumni, was approved by the board of regents Saturday.

Mr. Richards was associated with the university from 1892 to 1911 and was a leader in the establishment of the college of engineering. He designed and promoted the appropriation for Mechanical Engineering hall.

Richards went to the University of Illinois in 1911 as dean of the Illinois college of engineering. In 1922 he was chosen for the presidency of Lehigh university, Lehigh, Pennsylvania, where he served until 1935. He died in 1941.

Regents Approve Faculty Changes Of This Semester

Chancellor C. S. Boucher has announced the following changes in the university staff made by the board of regents:

New appointments—Robert N. Mendenhall, instructor in the college of dentistry; Palmer Findlay, professor and lecturer in obstetrics and gynecology; Hazel Owens, supervisor of obstetrical nursing service and instructor in obstetrical nursing.

Resignations: Floyd L. Rogers, lecturer in oral surgery and pathology; Elizabeth C. Blaire, acting supervisor of obstetrical nursing service.

UN Home Nursing Class Holds First Meeting Tonight

First meeting of the home nursing class will be held tonight at 7 p. m. in room 313 of the Union.

A series of ten weekly classes will be presented by Mrs. Clayton Andrews, official home nursing instructor of the Red Cross.

The Interhouse Council of BABW is sponsoring the series which is open to all university women.

C. E. Hinds Talks To Phi Chi Theta

Clarence E. Hinds, treasurer of the First Trust company, will speak at the Phi Chi Theta meeting tonight at 7:30 in the Union. His topic will be accounting.

This is part of the Phi Chi Theta lecture series to which all university women are invited.

Pledges of \$250 Start AUF Drive

AUF's Red Cross war fund drive will start \$250 in the black because of early contributions from organizations.

Monday night the Tassels voted to donate \$200 and yesterday the Nebraskan and the Cornhusker each contributed \$25 to the organization, whose campaign starts March 5.

Plans for the campus drive which is being held in connection with the national Red Cross drive, March 5 to 12, have been completed by the AUF division heads and advisory council.

The quota of the entire na-

tion has been increased 50 percent over last year's total due to needs to carry on the war work. As a result, AUF has set its goal at \$2,300 and is asking \$2 or more from every contributor.

Speaking Tour Monday.

Dorothy Carnahan, head of solicitations, has met with her committee who will contact all students either thru organized houses or individually.

A speaking tour will be conducted Monday night to inform people of the needs of the Red Cross and to explain the use of their contributions by the Red Cross.

Posters and informative pamphlets will be placed in the Student Union and other buildings on the campus by this Saturday. A large thermometer which will show the progress of the drive in regard to how much will be needed to reach the quota will be placed on the bil board in front of the Union.

Allison Leads Forum Today In Union at 4

John M. Allison, member of the United States embassy in London, will conduct a forum on British-American relations today in the faculty lounge at the Union at 4 p. m.



—From Lincoln Journal.

JOHN M. ALLISON, discusses British-American relations.

Mr. Allison will also discuss his experiences in the consular service in Japan and China.

At the time of Pearl Harbor he was in Japan and for the following six months was confined to his home where he remained until he returned to America in August, 1942, on the international exchange ship, Gripsholm. Mr. Allison was on the streets of Tokyo at the time of the Doolittle raid.

A graduate of the university in 1927, Mr. Allison, whose home is in Lincoln, will soon return to London to continue his work in the embassy.

AWS Completes Plans for TNC, Skits in Follies

For the third successive year, a Typical Nebraska Coed will be presented at the annual Coed Follies March 9 at the Temple Theater.

The TNC will be picked for her ability to wear all kinds of clothes well, her scholarship, participation in activities, and personality.

Twenty finalists chosen from coeds entered from each organized house, will be presented in a style show following the sorority skits.

Five skits and four curtain acts were chosen by members of the AWS board after try-outs in which each organized house participated. TNC will be announced after the final act.

Represent Fourteen Groups.

The chosen coeds are Catherine Curley and Barbara Stahl, Alpha Chi Omega; DeMaris Morton and Lorraine Rabe, Alpha Phi; Jan Engle and Anna Atkinson, Chi Omega; Mary Jo Koes, Tri Delta; Janet Krause and Nina Scott, Delta Gamma; Natalie Neuman, Gamma Phi Beta; Dorothy Theisen, Kappa Alpha Theta.

Jean Guenzel, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Helen Vennuro, Pi Beta Phi; Ghita Hill and Shirley Grossman, Sigma Delta Tau; Betty Lou Simon, Residence halls; Neida Oltman and Patricia Garton, Towne Club; Virginia Bobbitt, Love hall; and Blanche Reid, Loomis hall.

The program will be as follows: Command Performance, Sigma Delta Tau; Becky Silver, skitmaster.

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Gold Donates \$1,400 For Chemurgic Study

Nathan Gold, Lincoln business man has donated \$1,400 for carrying out the program of cash awards for chemurgic development in the state.

This amount is in addition to Mr. Gold's other contributions since the project was launched early last year. The total is now \$3,600.

Dr. Staples of Ag Presents Radio Talks on Child Care

Imaginary trips to the ag college nursery school and child development laboratory will be featured on a new radio series sponsored by the state extension service. Dr. Ruth Staples, associate professor of home economics and director of the school will conduct the program over station KFOR at 9:45 a. m. on Thursdays.

Dr. Staples will present the imaginary visits in the form of short lessons and tips on child care, utilizing the studies made in the child development laboratory, and designed especially for the

mothers of pre-school age children.

Schedule Four Programs.

Four of the programs have been scheduled and their continuation beyond that number will depend upon the response received from the listening public. To test this response, listeners will be invited to write in for a new child care bulletin each week.

A similar series of programs may be heard over KFOR at 9:45 a. m. on Tuesdays, featuring Dr. Ruth Leverton speaking on the subject of Victory Food.



—From Lincoln Journal.
DR. ARNHOLT

Guest speaker for the meeting will be Dr. M. F. Arnholt, director of the municipal health department of Lincoln. He will address the members on the work of the health department in connection with sanitation, food problems, and contagion. He will also give a few highlights of the Lincoln clinic, which has been in service for 24 years. There will be time allowed at the end of his address for any questions that may arise.