

May Queen Filings Open For Seniors

Filings for candidates for the 1944 May Queen, to be presented on Ivy Day, open today at the student activities office in the coliseum and close on March 10.

The only requirements for candidacy are senior standing and a weighted 80 average. The validity of each candidate is decided by the Mortar Boards, who sponsor Ivy Day and the election of May Queen.

May Queen candidates will be announced before the spring all-women's election on March 15, at which time they will be voted upon. The queen and her maid of honor, the candidate with the second highest number of votes, will be revealed on Ivy Day.

Ivy Day festivities, highlighted by the crowning of the May Queen, is one of the few prewar traditions which is being continued this year.

Happy Leap Year—Andy Celebrates!!

Andy finally had a birthday. For years the students in U hall have been waiting for Andy to come along with a birthday. Too late, we found out yesterday that Andy had pulled a fast one and had a Leap Year birthday Feb. 29.

Andy, for general information, is Andy Brawner, custodian in U Hall, and famous for his relentless pursuit of smoking students. He usually celebrates his birthday on Feb. 28 or March 1, but this year Leap Year gave him the opportunity to really celebrate. He said, "I don't get old enough fast enough, but then, it's a good deal to stay young, Andy, unfortunately got no proposals, and that is not a good deal."

City Restaurants Survey Incomplete Reveals Arnholt

A report on the survey of Lincoln's restaurants, taverns, and drugstores, being carried on by representatives from the ag campus, the Lincoln Air Base, and the city health department, was included in the speech of Dr. M. F. Arnholt, director of the municipal health department, who was guest speaker of the Nu Meds's meeting Wednesday.

"Altho we have rated three-fourths of the restaurants according to the United States code of eating and drinking establishments, we haven't completed our survey," said Dr. Arnholt.

In Lincoln, concluded Dr. Arnholt, is the oldest social disease clinic in Nebraska being 24 years old. At the outbreak of the last war there were 600 such clinics in the United States. At the beginning of this, there were 200.



—From Lincoln Journal.

DEAN H. H. FOSTER

... is unable to make a statement.

Law Students Ask If College Will Reopen

All students who are eligible for law school and interested in attending school here are asked to leave their name at the Nebraskan office.

Students who will be eligible for entrance into law college next fall have approached Dean Henry H. Foster concerning the possibility of opening law school.

In answer to the inquiry Dean Foster said he could make no statement since the opening of the law school is a serious situation under the restrictions of the Board of Regents and Association of American Law Schools.

Action Depends Upon Regents.

Dean Foster said, "I can make no statement with reference to the opening of the college of law for instruction next fall. That matter is entirely dependent upon the action of the board of regents."

In a letter to one of the students, Dean Foster wrote, "the situation is an extremely complicated one and one that can not be settled in a few week's time. This institution is not entirely free of its actions since the law school is a member of the Association of American Law Schools."

Difficulties at This Time.

Altho the desire of the students See LAW STUDENTS, Page 2.

Stamp Sales Top \$100 Mark First Day After Drive

Stamp sales for last Wednesday, the first regular sale day after the close of the fourth war loan drive, went over the hundred dollar mark to total \$112.10.

Additional sales of \$6.20 at the school of music on Thursday brought the week's sales to \$118.30 and the year's total to \$3,803.70, disregarding the \$2,559.55 sold during the recent drive.

The Union booth was high for Wednesday taking in \$63.55. Ag was second with \$22.55 and sosh and Andrews sold \$18.35 and \$7.65.

Council Takes Action on Election, Ask Formal Ban Reconsideration

BY MARYLOUISE GOODWIN

Campus politicians can get the machinery oiled and ready to function because student council last night asked the elections committee to begin working on plans for the council spring elections to be held sometime in April.

From all indications the local political pot has been bubbling for some time. Pre-election comment has kept the wires hot for the past several months with speculation as to the who's and it's of spring elections in this war year when the big male politicians are polishing the brass for the armed forces.

Women's Election Date Set

Women's election date which was tentatively set by the organizations for March 15 was given

an official okay by the council last night.

Editorial comment and a letter in the Nebraskan and student agitation brought to the attention of the council campus dissatisfaction with the ruling by the faculty senate committee on student affairs banning formal parties and forbidding formal dress to be worn outside of houses.

The council voted to present a written petition to Dean Verna G. Boyles, secretary of the faculty committee, asking that the committee reconsider the ruling on campus formals. A committee composed of June Jamieson, Jean Cowden and Jeanne Larson will present the petition to Dean Boyles.

The elections committee reported that since Herb Williams, senior,

who was ejected for absenteeism at the last meeting was a hold-over member no one could be elected in his place. Gene Dixon, dental junior was elected to take the place of Earl Lampshire who was removed from the council for the same reason, but is not a hold-over.

It was decided that again twelve and one half percent of the money spent for each cap and gown rented by seniors would go to the Student Foundation. Official approval was given to the appointment of Ghita Hill as publicity head of the AUF.

The council was requested by war council to check the records to see what provisions were made about disposition of war council funds when it dissolves after the war.



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Ag Home Ec Council Elects New Chairman

Madeline Hiltzschler has been elected chairman of the home ec student-faculty council to replace Blanche Reid who resigned the position to take the presidency of the home ec club. The new chairman is a sophomore home ec student, a member of AWS board, YWCA and is affiliated with Tri Delta sorority.

The student-faculty council is made up of four faculty members and twelve student representatives of the four classes. The group was organized last year and meets regularly to analyze the needs of the department and to find ways and means of meeting those needs.

As one of their semester projects the council is sponsoring a series of teas to enable students and faculty members to become better acquainted. The first tea was attended by one hundred and twenty students and faculty members.

Graduate Promotes Use of Industrial Electricity

Carl J. Madsen, graduate of the University of Nebraska in 1926, has set up an industrial engineering group in the field of electronics to develop and promote uses of electric devices in industry for the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company. Madsen has been with Westinghouse since 1926. One of his prominent services to the company was the erection of a radio station in Eastern Siberia in 1927.



—From Lincoln Journal.

FRED C. WILLIAMS

... heads Alumni association.

Lincoln Alumni Name Williams New President

Fred C. Williams, member of the executive committee of the University Alumni association, was elected president of the Lincoln Alumni club, it was announced Thursday.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. Sam Waugh, vice president; Nancy Raymond, secretary; Clarence Hinds, treasurer; and Charles T. Sturt, member of the executive committee.

For more than 25 years the new president has been active in alumni affairs of the university. He and his wife have written a column for the Nebraska Alumnus, entitled "By the Way," since 1938.

In addition to his other activities, Mr. Williams is assistant director of the Nebraska war fund and executive secretary of the Nebraska Welfare association.

Don C. Pelkey Receives Lieutenant's Commission

Don Carliske Pelkey, former Nebraskan, was appointed second lieutenant in the field artillery reserve at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, according to Col. J. P. Murphy. Lt. Pelkey was a former advanced ROTC student.

Students May Get Semester Grades

Last semester's grades are now out. Any student may obtain his grades by presenting his identification picture to the registrar on the first floor of the administration building. Either fall or spring identification card will be acceptable.

Eight Students Head Solicitors For Red Cross

Head solicitors of the Red Cross AUF drive have been announced by Jim Howe, director of the organization. They are:

Blanche Reid who has charge of Ag college; Jan Engle, sororities; Lewis Kramer, fraternities; Betty Stehlik, co-ops; June Spellman, boarding houses; Pat Garton, town; Alice Abel, organizations and Barbara Foley, dormitory.

Solicitors in charge will turn in collections daily Monday thru Friday at 5 o'clock in the Union, room 313. In this way a running account of the money contributed will be kept and reported on the goal thermometer which will be placed in the front hall of the Union.

AUF heads and solicitors will meet tonight with Lancaster county solicitors at the Cornhusker hotel at 7:30 for a rally which will begin the nationwide drive, officially starting Sunday.

In order to advertise and promote the seven day campaign, March 5 to 12, Red Cross posters are being placed in all buildings on the campus and in ag campus buildings. Victory speakers will conduct a tour Monday night thru all organized houses. Two ten-minute films of the Red Cross and its work overseas will be shown to Union dancers tonight.

People Request Arndt Alter His Forum Position

By popular request, Karl M. Arndt, economics professor who has been moderator on three of the university "Forum of the Air" broadcasts, will appear as a member of the panel Saturday at 5 p. m., over KFAB.

"Is There to Be a Land Boom in Nebraska," is the subject of discussion. George Round, extension editor of ag college, will act as moderator for the second time.

Other participants of the panel will be Prof. H. C. Filley of the department of rural economics, Prof. Arndt from the department of economics and Mr. Bruce Wallace from Omaha of the Farmer's National Co.

During the past week, the "Forum of the Air" has been extended to include most of the Nebraska networks and stations. The stations which have just included the Forum on their programs are starting with the December 11 broadcast and presenting the series in rebroadcast form.

Koils is giving a weekly rebroadcast Monday night at 10:30.

Selective Service Board Headquarters Cuts College Deferments to Five To Meet Quota

WASHINGTON. (ACP). From all indications, Nebraska's already small number of civilian male students is going to dwindle even more in the near future. Selective Service headquarters in Washington recently cut deeply into the number of young men who can be spared for non-military education.

In an announcement altering educational deferment policies in effect for the past year, National Selective Service headquarters established a nationwide quota of 10,000 students for occupational deferment and reduced the number of fields in which deferments may be granted to five.

Officials Explain Plan.

Here's the reasoning behind the tightening deferment policy: Needs of the armed forces for personnel in professional and specialized fields, says Selective Service, are being met by army and navy specialized training programs.

Hence deferments for students out of uniform are limited to essential civilian needs in war production and "in support of the war effort."

Current deferments in the five eligible fields considerably exceed the 10,000 quota mark, according to officials in Washington. That means there must be a systematic tightening up all along the line to ration such civilian education with quota limits.

Administration of the quota for each individual college is in the hands of the national roster of scientific and specialized personnel of the War Manpower Commission. The roster has no part in establishing the quota, but as an administrative agency it distributed the quota by fields. When calculating machines quit work, the national quota figures came out like this:

Engineering6,775

Chemistry2,250
Physics 850
Geology and geophysics... 125

Quotas for the individual colleges are based on the ratio of present students in those fields to the national quota. It is now up to Nebraska's administrators to tangle with the problem of deciding which students within the university shall be recommended for deferment under the UN quota. Deferments will remain in force only so long as a student maintains an acceptable level of work.

Professional Quotas Drop.

Undergrads taking pre-professional courses in medicine, dentistry, veterinary, osteopathy and theology may wonder where they fit into the new quota picture. Selective Service officials explain that they are not included in the 10,000 quota, but will be affected

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