

Universities Attend Debate Meet Here

Representatives of 34 colleges and universities from all parts of the country will be present on the campus today and tomorrow to attend meetings of the Sixth Annual University of Nebraska Discussion and Debate Conference.

The largest meeting of its kind in the United States this year, there will be 71 debate teams, 129 people in discussion, 17 orators, 19 extemporaneous speakers, and 13 newscasters in attendance.

Schools represented at the conference are the University of Omaha, Nebraska Wesleyan, Doane College, Hastings College, Kearney State Teachers College, and the University of Nebraska from Nebraska; Marquette University from Wisconsin; Oklahoma University; Kansas University, Southwestern College, Bethany College, and Wichita University from Kansas; Gustavus Adolphus, St. Olaf College, and St.

Thomas College from Minnesota; Denver University from Colorado; Augustana, Dakota Wesleyan, Yankton College, and Sioux Falls College from South Dakota; Illinois State Normal University, Northwestern University, and Wheaton College from Illinois; and Park College, William Jewell College from Missouri; Iowa State, Iowa University, Central College, Cornell College, Morning Side College and Simpson College from Iowa.

General Meeting.

The events of the conference begin with a general meeting at Temple Theater at 9:30 a. m. Friday. At 10 a. m. will be round one of discussion; at 1 p. m., round one of debate; at 2:30 p. m., round two of debate; 4 p. m., round two of discussion; 5:15 p. m., drawing for topics for extemporaneous speakers; 6:45 p. m., round three (See DEBATE, page 4.)

Library Poll Determines Open Hours

At their meeting Wednesday night the Student Council disclosed that the university library will distribute questionnaires to all students next week in an effort to gain the students' desires regarding extension of library hours.

Although the questionnaire will be considered by the library staff, no immediate action can be taken upon the situation due to insufficient help, it was stated.

Voluntary Attendance.

Barbara Emerson, chairman of the council committee investigating voluntary class attendance, reported that the university bulletin makes provision that, "Any student may apply for permission to receive credit in a course by examination provided that such credit shall not apply to courses in the colleges of Dentistry, Law, Medicine, Pharmacy, or the graduate college. Upon the approval of the chairman of the department and of the dean of the college the student shall apply at the office of the registrar for the examination. The candidate shall pay an examination fee of \$2.50 for each credit hour desired."

Plans for the Junior-Senior Prom were also given consideration by the council.

Halifax Talks To Students

Halifax Draws Over Capacity Attendance

BY PHEE MORTLOCK.

Tall, slightly stooped, but with a warm personality belying the typical icy Britisher, Lord Halifax spoke to an unexpectedly large student audience in the Union Thursday.

Lord Halifax was cornered by reporters shortly before his address to the crowd of over 2,000, and made interesting frank comments. Asked if he had noted evidences of isolationistic opinion in the middle-west, Lord Halifax hesitated, then replied, "I have noticed great differences of opinion, but here, as everywhere I believe, people are beginning to realize more and more the smallness of the world."

Great Difference.

When queried as to the difference in British and American colleges, the lord reported that the (See INTERVIEW, page 4.)

Youth Should Take World Responsibility

"The responsibilities of tomorrow's world rests upon the shoulders of young university students like you people before me now," the Earl of Halifax told a large student, faculty convocation who crowded the union ballroom yesterday afternoon to hear the address of England's ambassador to the United States.

Chancellor C. S. Boucher introduced the tall, distinguished diplomat to an audience of approximately 2,000 who listened attentively as the chancellor announced the various honorary titles bestowed upon Lord Halifax. Among these was the chancellorship of Oxford university.

Oxford Aim the Same.

Lord Halifax stated that the aim of Oxford was the same as that of the University of Nebraska, to train the minds, hearts and imaginations of students and to help them to become good citizens by playing the part they should play in deciding their nation's future.

Universities should give large amounts of information to students but an even more important aim is to provide them with the ability to make correct judgments concerning this information, commented the Britisher.

"Know what you believe in and be willing to stand up for it whether other people believe it is right or wrong—but first, develop the judgement which will enable you to distinguish between the genuine and the counterfeit," Halifax told his listeners in his clipped accent.

Governmental Procedure Different

In referring to the relations between the United States and Britain, Lord Halifax stated that altho the presidential and parliamentary governments differed in procedure their aims were the same.

Halifax pointed out that the world was by no means thru with difficulties, all of which must be handled with patience, perseverance and wisdom if the world is to be set back in proper order.

Emphasizing the economic and social collapse of many European countries as a result of the war, Halifax noted that the world has changed more rapidly during the past 40 years than it had in the previous 4,000.

Urging the inspiration of nationalism as a constructive power for the good of the world, Halifax said that men must strive for something greater than himself. He compared a university student's loyalty to a school society with his loyalty to the university as a whole, to an individual aiming for self gain instead of working to promote the progress of his state or family.

The suave British representative (See HALIFAX, page 3.)

Ag Men's Social Club Elects Jack Bavid New Prexy

The men's social club on Ag campus elected officers for the second semester last Tuesday night, Feb. 19, according to Frances A. Switzer, ex-secretary of the group.

Jack Bavid assumes the position of the new president. Bill Draper as vice president and social chairman. Gail Peterson as secretary-treasurer, and Wayne Waddell as sports chairman.

Churches Plan Study Groups For Students

Discussions, Bible studies and talks highlight university church plans for the weekend with several parties and special themes scheduled.

The Rev. Thomas Payne, new Baptist student pastor, will be presented at a cabinet breakfast Sunday morning at 7:30 at the Baptist student center. At the breakfast plans for the coming year will be discussed with Rev. Payne and all members of the Roger Williams group are invited to attend.

Sunday evening will close the Bible study series at the regular LSA meeting at 5:00 at the student center, 315 No. 15th street. The Rev. Alvin M. Peterson will be in charge of the discussion. A fellowship supper will follow the meeting.

As part of the "University of Life" series at St. Paul Methodist church Sunday evening, a student forum will discuss one of the quest topics, "Marriage and the Family." The Inspiration hour, beginning at 6:30, will consist of sacred music. At 5:30 a fellowship supper will be held at the church. Regular Sunday morning services are at 11:00.

The Methodist "Friendly Friday" party Friday night at the student house will feature a talk on Japan by Prof. Frank Hallgreen of the university faculty, who returned less than two months ago from Tokyo, where he served with the armed forces.

Newman Club mass will be said in parlors X, Y and Z of the Student Union Sunday morning at 11 by Msgr. George Schuster. A social hour for Catholic students is scheduled for 4-5 Sunday afternoon.

Members of the Roger Williams (See CHURCHES, page 2.)

Music Sororities Bestow Ribbons On New Pledges

Three honorary music sororities have pledged 15 women thus far in second semester.

Sigma Alpha Iota last Wednesday gave pledge ribbons to Bonnie Compton, Phyllis Fischer, Gretchen Hemminger, Patricia Lee, Betty Maynard, Dorothy Schneider, Shirley Stapleton, Eleanor Swanson, and Virginia Smith.

Delta Omicron has as new members: Darlene Hollenbeck, Shirley Laffin, Joan Weston, Lois Swanson and Connie Haney.

Mu Phi Epsilon pledged Marilyn Hazelton.

AWGWAN
Students may receive their copies of the Awgwan in the booth in the Union between 10 and 5 o'clock any day this week. Subscriptions to the Awgwan are also sold at this time.



One of the 17 candidates pictured above, will be crowned "Hello" girl, as a result of a tabulated student vote at the B.A.B.W. get-acquainted dance, Saturday evening. They are: Doris Ulrich, Howard Hall; Betty Benjamin, Rosa Bouton; LaVaughn Johnson, Jackie Clements, Wilson; Helen Wulf, Towne Club; Nita Vastine, Hesperia; Irene Koros, Carl Hall; Eleanor Walford, Amikita; Rita Maginn, International House; Donna Ellyson, Dorm annex; Patricia Kline, Love Hall; Jean Jensen, Northeast; Marjorie Anthony, Raymond; Peg Reckeway, Upperclassmen; Lillian Lock, Love Memorial; Maureen Johnson, Cox Hall; Esther Lamb, Rundless, and Harriet Moline, Loomis.

BABW Get-Acquainted Dance Tomorrow Features Presentation of Typical 'Hello' Girl

Highlighting the B.A.B.W. get-acquainted dance in the Union ballroom Saturday night, will be the presentation of the "Hello" girl, typical barb, chosen from 17 candidates from organized groups, by a student vote at the dance.

The "Hello" girl will be announced at intermission by Don Huffman. At 9:15 the candidates will be introduced, and voting will take place from that time until 10:15. Ballots will be given to the students as they present their ticket for admission at the dance.

Program.

At intermission, a short program, featuring a song by Jean Chilquist, and a dance by Erma Lou Fisher, will be presented. Don Huffman and the "Hello" girl will lead the first dance following intermission.

Tickets will be on sale until noon Saturday in the Union office, and at special times,

at a booth in the Union. However, committee members point out that students who wish to do so may buy tickets at the door. It is not necessary to have a date for the dance.

Candidates.

Members of B.A.B.W. will act as hostesses.

Candidates are: Doris Ulrich, Howard Hall; Betty Benjamin, Rosa Bouton; LaVaughn Johnson; Jackie Clements, Wilson; Helen Wulf, Towne Club; Nita Vastine, Hesperia; Irene Koros, Carl Hall; Eleanor Walford, Amikita; Rita Maginn, International House; Donna Ellyson, Dorm annex; Patricia Kline, Love Hall; Jean Jensen, Northeast; Marjorie Anthony, Raymond; Peg Reckeway, Upperclassmen; Lillian Lock, Love Memorial; Maureen Johnson, Cox Hall; Esther Lamb, Rundless; and Harriet Moline, Loomis.