

Olson Opens Intra-mural Extemp Meet

April 22 has been announced as the opening date for the intra-mural extemporaneous speaking contest to be sponsored by Delta Sigma Rho, national honorary forensic fraternity at the university.

Each organized house may be represented by two people and individuals may compete for the individual prize, a silver loving cup. Entries for the contest must be submitted by Tuesday, April 16, according to Donald Olson, director of university debate.

Individuals.

Olson has urged all individual entrants to contact him in Room 203 at the Temple before the entry deadline. Members of Delta Sigma Rho and debate squads are ineligible; however, the contest is open to all other men and women carrying 12 hours with passing grades in the current semester.

Current national and international events will be the general subject of the extemporaneous speakers. The use of notes is optional and speeches at the time of delivery are to be five to seven minutes long. Each house may substitute personnel from round to round provided the names are included on the original entry card.

Drawings Tuesday.

Drawings for topics for the first round will take place Tuesday, April 23 at 7 p. m. in the Temple.

Ratings are to be based on thought, composition and delivery.

A gavel with the winning organization's name engraved on it will be presented to the house
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Thirteen Coeds Strive For '46 Prom Girl Title

Nautical Theme Prevails At NROTC Ball Tonight

Tonight is the night for the NROTC Spring Ball. The carefully guarded secret of the decorations can now be announced, according to Meno Wilhelm in charge of the ball.

A 16-foot white anchor will hang in the center of the ballroom with blue streamers forming an artificial ceiling. Lighting will be provided by floor lamps scattered around the ballroom.

Banquet Before Dance.

Starting at 9 in the ballroom, the dance will be preceded by a banquet in parlors X, Y and Z of the Union for navy men and their dates. Refreshments will be served there later in the evening.

The dancers will be swaying to the music of Jean Moyer's band

from 9 to 12, and the receiving line will be composed of Chancellor and Mrs. Chauncey Boucher, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Rosenlof, and Commander W. W. Fitts, USN, acting NROTC director, and Mrs. Fitts.

Bids to NRO's Only.

The navy regrets that the ball cannot be an all university affair, but as this is impossible, and the bids are limited to NRO's only. Discharged men from the unit who are now in school are special guests and approximately 100 men from the unit are expected to attend.

The committee in charge of the Spring Ball is headed by Meno Wilhelm, assisted by Will Henderson, Charles Peake, Jack Hill, and Roger Johnson.

Thirteen coeds will compete for the title of Prom Girl at the Junior-Senior Prom on April 5.

Coeds filing applications are: Frances Baker, Mary Cox, Patricia Curry Deppe, Ann Doudna, Doris Easterbrook, Sallie Emerson, Betty Jean Latta, Kathy Legge, Margaret Munson, Frances Poulous, Katharine Reese, Jackie Scott and Jean Shinkle.

From this group of candidates, one will be chosen to reign as Prom Girl by couples at the dance. Each couple will write their choice on the back of the ticket on entrance to the dance.

Sonny Dunham at Coliseum.

Sonny Dunham, America's foremost trumpet and trombone stylist, will provide music for the semi-formal affair which will be held in the coliseum.

This year the Prom will be open to freshmen and sophomore students as well as upperclassmen. Tickets are on sale from any N Club member or in the Student Activities Office of the coliseum. Price per couple is \$2.50 plus 50c tax.

Dance From 8 to 12 p. m.

Students will dance to Dunham's music from 8 to 12 p. m. on
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H. Peterson Discusses Television at Conference

Harold C. Peterson, '21, discussed television relay experiments conducted by RCA laboratories at the sixth annual Broadcast Engineering conference held at Ohio State university on March 18-23.

He has been with RCA since 1922 and in 1940 received the Modern Pioneers award for invention from the National Association of Manufacturers.

PBK, Sigma Xi Announce Membership

Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi, honorary societies, announced the selection of 23 students to membership at a dinner last night in the Union.

New members of Phi Beta Kappa are Ava Bromwich, Gretchen Claudius, Norris Getty, Leslie Glotfelty, Nancy Green, Barbara Griswold, Mary Louise Hanson, Fusaye Inouye, Esar Gordon Margolin, Mrs. Lois Nelson, Edith Pumphrey, Margaret E. Stewart, Phyllis Taylor, Mary Lou Weaver and Dorothy Woodin.

Requirements.

Phi Beta Kappas are selected from a group comprising one-eighth to one-tenth of the graduating class. Members must comply with the group requirements of arts and science college whether the degrees are to be granted by that college or another college. Within recent years, the scholastic average has not fallen below 88 percent. The new members were
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Seven Colleges Represented At AFCW Meet

Attracting representatives from seven colleges, the American Federation of College Women will meet here tomorrow.

Attending this year's national conference for women's athletic
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Musical Sorority Presents Spring Concert Sunday

Theta chapter of Delta Omicron, professional music sorority, will present a spring concert Sunday at 3 p. m. in the Temple theater.

The program includes the ensemble in "A Song of Spring," by Mendelssohn; "Yonder! Yonder!" Russian folk song; "Moon Marketing," by Weaver; and "A Spirit Flower," by Campbell-Tipton-Trehanne; Jacquelyn Rasmussen in "The Jewel Song-Faust," by Gounod; Marilyn Nelson in "Fireworks," by Debussy; Alice Saunders and Darline Hollenbeck in "Concerto in D minor," by Bach; Betty Jayne Bracken in "Adieu, Forests—Jeanne d' Arc," by Tchaikowsky; and Lela Mae Jacobson and Shirley Premer in two Jamaican street songs—"Mattie Rag," and "Cookie," by Benjamin, and "Jamaican Rhumba," by Benjamin.

Margaret Shelley is director of the ensemble, and accompanists are Lela Mae Jacobson, Shirley Premer, Margaret Shelley, and Vesta Zenier.

Palladian Club Holds Oratory Finals Friday

Six students will compete in the annual oratorical contest sponsored by the Palladian Literary Society Friday at 7:45 p. m.

LaVawn Johnson, winner of last year's event, will preside. Winners of 1945 essay, verse and short story contests will be announced by Victor Seymour, who will represent the alumni organization. Alumni members will also judge the entries.

Contestants and their subjects are: Jack Burley, "Race Color or
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Special Entertainments Spark Local Church Group Activities

Special programs and parties highlight church group activities for this week end.

Rev. John McCaw, national student worker from Indianapolis for the Nebraska Christian Foundation, and Rev. E. M. Hawkins, new student worker for the Foundation and Cotner college official, will be guests at a party, for the students, sponsored by the Foundation tonight at 7:30 in the third floor parlors of the First Christian church, 16th and K street.

Rev. McCaw will also be guest speaker at the 9:30 Sunday school class Sunday morning for university students, and at the regular meeting of the CYF Sunday at 5 p. m. in the church.

Sermon subject for the regular Sunday morning service beginning at 10:45 at the First Christian church, will be, "Seeing God Through the Cross."

The Methodist young people will have a campfire meeting Sunday night at 8:30 at the St. Paul Methodist church to discuss Summer Service Opportunities. Those who have taken part in summer projects previously will be in charge of the meeting. All Methodist students are invited to attend a square dance Friday at 8 p. m. at

the St. Paul Methodist church. Kenneth Durm will call.

Sunday morning service at St. Paul is at 11 o'clock, and every Wednesday morning during Lent, beginning at 7:15, special Lenten services are held in the Methodist Student House.

The Roger Williams group will conduct the evening service at the Baptist church in Adams, Sunday. Those who plan to go are to meet at the First Baptist church at 5:45. All Baptist students are invited to attend a "Coffee Chat" social at the Baptist Student Center at 7 o'clock Friday evening. Sunday morning services at the four Lincoln Baptist churches are at 11 o'clock.

Members of the Newman Club and all Catholic students are invited to attend a social hour Sunday in Parlors X, Y, and Z of the Student Union. Audrey Ernst is in charge. Mass Sunday morning will be said at 11 o'clock in Parlors X, Y, and Z of the Union. Mass is also said in the Parlors every Wednesday and Friday morning during Lent at 7:05.

The Lutheran Chapel service of worship will be held at 10:45 Sunday morning in Room 315 of
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Child's Dream of Queen Brings Her to Campus

BY ELLIE SWANSON.

When I was a little girl, my mother told me stories about kings and princes and even queens. Being a simple child, I believed these fairy tales and by the time I was old enough to make decisions, I came to the conclusion that queens and kings were some sort of dignitary and often longed to hold such a pretentious position myself.

But then I got to be a bigger girl . . . I saw the despondency of it all . . . I dashed my head sharply against the wall and miserably realized that unless I got busy, Princess Elizabeth was going to mount the throne in spite of my nightly prayers. What was a poor cynic like myself to do? In desperation, I went to the big university and got to be a big girl.

Freshman.

Now, as a freshman, my hopes begin to revive . . . In a little less than two semesters I have come to the conclusion that before I graduate, chances are three to one that I, too, will be a queen. I have watched the newspapers with renewed interest day by day and gasped with the mention of the "Pep Queen," the "Snowflake

Queen," the "Prom Queen" and thought that each queen would bring the end of the campus monarchs.

Now I am happy! The university will be crowning queens as long as they can think of names for them. I have just read of the forthcoming coronation of the newest queen . . . The "Turtle Trudge Queen."

First Step.

I think the first step the university should take is to notify Webster that his definition of "queen" as "a female monarch, eminent in rank, power or attractions," should be changed to "a frequent proclamation of any title to every third coed." Secondly, I decidedly believe that Ripley should be advised of this revolution.

Well, now I've told my story. "I've said it and I'm glad!" Any queens who wish to bring action against me can find me at the "Torrid Home for Jealous Women," recognized by the two crossed pitchforks on the bars of the front door. I also wish to announce that all opinions expressed in my story are my own and do not necessarily represent the beliefs of the Daily Nebraskan.

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