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EDITORIAL

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A New Leaf . . .

Having survived the sub-zero weather and the battle of final exams, Daily Nebraskan staff members return to their corner of the Union basement for another semester of news-hunting and reporting. The job is not always an easy one, and we are hoping that administrators, professors and students will give us the necessary cooperation to enable us to put out a newspaper which does not overlook any aspects of campus life.

Part of the trouble of getting news is accountable to a lack of understanding of how The Daily Nebraskan operates. Our three sources of news are: (1) the news brought in by our own staff members and reporters; (2) releases from the University editorial and publicity office; and (3) news brought in by the publicity chairman of the various organizations.

To improve our present system of obtaining news, The Daily Nebraskan must make one of the two following arrangements with all campus groups. One, each organization may assign one of its members as publicity chairman who will bring the news to The Daily Nebraskan office. Many organizations already have this system of reporting news. Two, organizations desiring The Daily Nebraskan to do the reporting are requested to inform our office of time and place of meeting and what one responsible person we may depend upon to contact for information.

The five news editors have been assigned what we consider the five aspects of a student's life—academic, social, extra-curricular activities, cultural and religious or philosophical—and are responsible for not only finding the news in these different fields but obtaining commentary from authoritative persons on what these phases of college life should mean to the student.

The assignments are as follows:

Academic: Susie Reed.

Social: Louise McDill.

Activities: M. J. Melick.

Cultural: Bruce Kennedy. (This field is in reference mainly to those events or occurrences which are apart from the University campus but are, nevertheless, important to the student. Emily Heine, Features editor, will be in charge of campus activities in this field.)

Religious or philosophical: Gene Berg.

The news which will appear in The Daily Nebraskan falls under one of the above headings. Students and groups concerned with these fields who will have news to offer the Daily are requested to contact our office and make arrangements with the designated news editor.

One more request: That professors, despite their usual lack of interest in The Daily Nebraskan, realize that The Daily Nebraskan is interested in them and wants to print the news that concerns them. So, profs, when you're speaking to groups off campus, or writing books, or making reports or discoveries of interest to the students, please don't overlook The Daily Nebraskan as a means of letting students learn of what they should and want to know. How about it?

From the Front Page

BY BRUCE KENNEDY.

The first step of the Corps of Engineers' all-out fight against the storm, that of locating the equipment necessary to do the job, has been completed. Maj. Gen. Lewis A. Pick is heading this battle against the elements.

In addition, President Truman has sent the nomination of Pick as the chief of the Corps of Army Engineers to the Senate. It is expected that his appointment will be okayed by a Senate committee soon.

The Western Powers are watching suspiciously the alleged "olive branch" being waved by Prime Minister Stalin from the Kremlin. Stalin has said that he would agree to a "no-war" conference with the United States at any time, and also said he would be glad to meet with Truman for peace talks.

Congress was advised by Herbert Hoover to give the President power to reorganize the government to the point that fewer than 20 major agencies report directly to the White House. It has been reported that from 65 to over one hundred such agencies now report directly to Truman.

The Nationalist's acting-president, Li Tsung-jen, flew to Shanghai and back Monday in what appeared to be a futile attempt to win peace from the communists.

Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky, reported gravely ill at a sanatorium at Karlsbad, Czechoslovakia, Saturday, was so much improved Sunday that he left the hospital for a while. There is still much mystery surrounding the nature of the illness, what brought him to Czechoslovakia, and practically everything else about his visit.

The Atomic Energy Commission recorded "an expansion of effort in all phases of atomic energy development," for arms and peaceful uses. And it also disclosed many new measures to protect its vital facilities from sabotage or attack.

DUs Elect

Delta Upsilon's new officers for the second semester include Gerald May, president; Gerald Hanson, vice-president; Keith O'Bannon, secretary; and Kent Miller, corresponding secretary.

IM Rifle Matches

TUESDAY.
Theta Xi vs. Beta Sigma Psi; Sigma Phi Epsilon vs. Farm House; Sigma Alpha Mu vs. Sigma Nu; Pioneer Co-op vs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Delayed Action . . .

So now one needs a taxi to see University Theatre productions. The announcement that the remainder of these plays will be staged in the Plainsman Theatre on the Nebraska Wesleyan campus marked a fitting climax to the Temple story.

Presumably, the Board of Regents knew that the Temple auditorium was unsafe. They were warned last year that it would be condemned. Yet when the State Fire Marshal did condemn the auditorium last month, the board been hurt by the "sudden" action of the authorities. The evidently was caught flatfooted.

Other organizations beside the University Theatre have Kosmet Klub must find another place to put on their annual Spring Review. The Experimental Theater may still use the theater, but only students in speech courses or connected with the speech department may attend. The music department recitals must now be held in the Social Science building auditorium.

It occurs to us that if the Board of Regents had acted threw things into an uproar, they could have avoided the resulting confusion.

We hope by next year the university will have a theater which can carry on the tradition of the Temple.

—CUB CLEM.

Chancellor's Reception Set In Union Feb. 4

University students will have the opportunity of meeting Chancellor and Mrs. R. G. Gustavson at the annual Chancellor's reception in the Union Friday evening.

Postponed from last fall because of the Chancellor's trip to Sweden, the reception will start at 8:30 p.m. in the Union lounge. The Innocents and Mortar Boards will be hosts and hostesses of the reception.

In connection with the recep-

Photographers

Anyone wishing to do photography work for The Daily Nebraskan, should contact Norm Leger Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday afternoon of this week.

IM Basketball Slate

TUESDAY.
5 p. m. Alpha Tau Omega vs. Theta Xi (A); Plainsmen vs. Muscle Men; Delta Tau Delta vs. Brown Palace (A); 7 p. m. Phi Rho Psi vs. ROTC; Dorm B-1 vs. Dorm C-2; Pirates vs. CYO. 8 p. m. Iowans vs. ASCE; Spade Foots vs. Bone Crushers; Methodists vs. Presbyterians.

tion, the Union will hold an open house with a full evenings entertainment. All the various facilities of the Union will be open to the students. Bingo can be played in parlors XYZ, and free refreshments will be served in parlors ABC.

Walt Goodbrod and his orchestra will furnish the music for dancing in the ballroom beginning at nine o'clock. Another highlight will be movies in Room 315. There will be two showings of these films, each lasting about an hour.

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NU Bulletin Board

Tuesday

UNESCO House Chairmen meeting, 7:30 p.m. in Faculty Lounge.

Dinner Meeting of Ag YWCA cabinet members, 5:30 p.m., Foods and Nutrition Building.

Corn Cobs will meet at 5 p. m.

UNESCO Natural Science Commission meeting, 7 p.m. Room 313, Union.

Wednesday

UNESCO Education Commission meeting, 7 p.m., Parlor B of Union.

Union Dance Committee meeting, 7 p.m. in Parlor Z of Union.



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