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Meddling With Melick

By M. J.

In fact, we are getting so good at this popular indoor sport that this

four or five times-that Dean Thompson stated that his remarks at

Monday night's ISA meeting were "not for publication." This was

not only inaccurate but just plain wrong. In checking with the re-

porter who covered the meeting we discovered that it was a lesser

matter and from the conversation learned some interesting information.

ing to have anything he says to students printed. Item No., 2 deals with

the "popular misconception" that he is "down on" the Greeks. The

was the issue of student politics-a subject near and dear to our heart.

If we may be so bold as to mention ourself and Dean Thompson in

one breath, we find that we are in complete accord on the subject of

and the forces which control it, are so deplorable as to be downright

rotten. We were particularly interested to hear that since student at-

tempts to "foil the villain" seem to have met with little success, ulti-

Needless to say, we paid Dean Thompson a call concerning this

Item No. 1 was, of course, that Dean Thompson is perfectly will-

But the portion of the interview that really held us spellbound

Thompson feels (see Page One) that the system of student voting,

The upshot of the whole thing seem to be that "at long last" the

We are more often wrong than right, but every now and then a

little gremlin taps us on the shoulder and tells us that there is no

'ill feeling" between affiliated and unaffiliated groups but that the

feeling is being "created" by external forces. Need we say, stop us

time we have gone in clear to our knees.

light who handed down the ultimatum.

truth, we were told, is quite to the contrary.

mate success may be achieved through the faculty,

(hush) the faction, (unhush).

We seem to have developed a special type of agility. It is that athletic accomplishment known as putting one's foot in one's mouth,

In yesterday's column we seemed to have mentioned-at least

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## Early Spring Cleaning . . .

A challenge has been offered to the Student Council by the administration. "Your house is dirty. Clean it up." This, we learned, by attending the Student Council meeting Wednesday.

Earlier in the afternoon we had started an editorial which brought forth wide-spread lament that the hands of rules of council procedure and the Student Council are tied by the administration. At the Council meeting, we listened to reports which indicated that, from the administration's angle, it would be willing to give the Council the power it requests if the Council were truly sels and a member of AUF adrepresentative of the student body. Frankly we are skeptical. We are not so sure that it is Greek control of the Council which makes the administration so reluctant to give it the power a university student council should have.

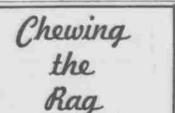
Nevertheless, the administration has stated its case. Faction control of Council must go.

Once it is gone, the Student Council will have a clear road ahead of them to govern Nebraska students and look out for their interests with as much power as needed to accomplish the tasks. If that power is not granted, the administration would then be admitting that their condemnation of the Council's "dirty house" was only an excuse to keep the Council from acquiring the full power to which a college student governing body is entitled.

The cleaning job is one for the Council. The Daily Nebraskan will gladly print any comment on the matter, whether it be recommendation of something "new" or defense of the "old."

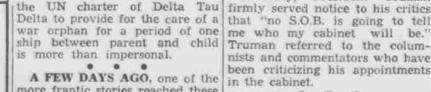
In the meantime, we will attempt to show to the students of the University where the Council has had difficulty with the administration in getting its job done.

No greater moral tragedy could happen on our campus then to have students denied the right of having their own governing body to handle the affairs of students. That body must be truly representative-a point made by the administration. We appeal to the powers, wherever they lie, to meet the administration's challenge before it is too late.



#### by Frank Jacobs

OFFERING OF TODAY'S enlighten the avid readers of The column ranges from a campus similar Latin-American version gev Desert to the Jews. fraternity "adopting" a war or-



more frantic stories reached these ears. Down South American way in Quito, Equador, a rather ingenious radio announcer, bored with the commonplace decided to test emotions (and also the "Chewing the Rag" will try to enlighten the avid readers of The countryside, Recalling the Orson Daily Nebraskan with items of Welles "Man from Mars" fiasco of call for a demilitarization of avid interest. The material in this a few years ago, he broadcast a



the Student Membership Council is apportioned to the various colleges of the University A certain number of men and women are elected from each col-

lege in proporto the tion number of students enrolled. Today we will begin introducing the Council representatives from Teachers College

Joan Farrar is a senior holdover mem-Joan Farrar. ber of the judi-

ciary committee this year. The judiciary committee passes on areas of council jurisdiction. It composed of seniors.

Miss Farrar is president of Mortar Board, vice-president of Tasvisory board and Kappa Alpha Theta.

Dorothy Borgens is a member

faculty may be alive to a situation that this newspaper and other students have been decrying for a long time. committee has working been with A. J. Lewandowski to produce the seating plan which was an-

the She is a junior, Dorothy Borgens. serving her

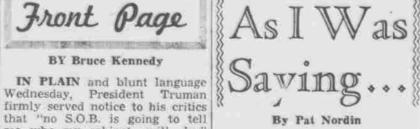
first year on the Council. Miss Borgens is a member of Coed Counselor board, YWCA

From the

BY Bruce Kennedy

in the cabinet.

cabinet and Alpha Chi Omega.



The annual Phi U Candle ball will be the high point of social nists and commentators who have activity on Ag campus this weekbeen criticizing his appointments end. To be held in the College Activities building, the dance will be informal this year, reaching a cli-AFTER NINE months of war, max with Helen Oschner's vocal the Jewish and Arabs have agreed rendition of the "Candle Song." to sign an armistice agreement. Bobby Mills and band will play The truce was worked out under and Gloria High and Al Lamb, the auspices of the United Na-Marilyn Boettger and Conrad tions. Stipulations in the armistice

> Social Calendar. FRIDAY Phi U Candle ball, College Activities

Ginger Mechan and Jerry Dosek who will divide their time between the Tri Delt formal and the Delt ball. Incidently competition is running high for the hon-or of "Delta Queen" to be presented that night. Finalists will be announced in this column Friday.

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of the football seating com-mittee. This

The last item on the agenda of the Thompson conversation concerned unaffiliated participation-a subject also mentioned in the Page 1 story. Here we must come to a parting of the ways. We feel that the whole issue of Barb representation has been way over-rated. We realize that the distribution on the Student Council is,

shall we say, disproportionate! Let us be the first to second that idea. nounced at the But we would like to clarify the misconception that Barbs are not beginning of welcome to work on The Daily Nebraskan staff. Anyone who is willsemester. ing to give the necessary tim eand effort is welcome in the Rag office,

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