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Dear Editor:

It is our belief that the recent controversy about student government is of utmost importance to the University campus. We also feel that the administration, faculty and students wish to have good student government, but have not sought means of implementing their desires. In light of this, the University YM-YW, two student-faculty organizations, feel that we can meet together on the matter to the mutual benefit of all.

To this end we would like to take this opportunity to inform the student body that this Thursday evening at 7:30 in the YM lounge in the Temple building, we are holding a round table discussion about the present concerns of student government and student organizations. We have invited Dean Thompson, Miss Mielenz, Dale Ball, Chuck Thoen, Shirley King and Rex Knowles to share with us some possible action in this area. Dr. Lease will be the moderator.

The YM and YW feel that as organizations whose membership includes both faculty and students, we should get the ball rolling to clear up the situation through some democratic procedures.

Sincerely yours,
Jan Nutzman
President, University YWCA
Bill Reuter
President, University YMCA

Marine Vets Plan Meet March 23

The Cornhusker detachment of the Marine Corps league will hold a meeting for all members and any ex-Marines and their wives March 23, at the Lincoln hotel.

The league is the only veteran organization consisting exclusively of Marines and former

Marines. It was incorporated by an act of Congress, Aug. 4, 1937.

Serving as a liaison group between students and the Veterans Administration, it is active in all veterans legislation and functions.

Both men and women who have served in the marines are eligible for membership in the league. A student representative will be in the Union lobby, Thursday afternoon to give information on joining.

SHE: (timidly) "Darling, there's something I want to say to you—you'll think I'm awful!"

HE: (apprehensively) "No I won't, go ahead." (to himself . . . "Gosh . . . it's not Leap Year, either!")

SHE: (still timidly) "But it's such a . . . such very personal thing to say to someone!"

HE: (to himself . . . "Gosh that's it . . . she's going to pop the question.") To her . . . "What is it?"

SHE: "If you don't get an entry blank and try to be a B. D. O. C., why I won't ask you to marry me!"

HE: "I'll do it tomorrow."



Any fellow can enter.

Get your entry blank NOW from HARVEY BROS. or THE DAILY NEBRASKAN, Student Union

Meet The Council

Byron Hooper is another Arts and Sciences representative to Student Council.

Hooper is a member of the Council committee on elections. This committee plans and sponsors all campus elections. It is charged with regulating candidates' eligibility. It also controls student campaigning.



By Hooper

The major project of the election committee is the Council's own election each spring. This committee will soon be functioning for the 1949 Council election.

In addition to his work on Council, Hooper is a member of the Student Union board, Cornhusker managing editor and a Sigma Nu.

From the Front Page

SENATOR LUCAS, Democratic Senate leader, said he would move to adjourn the Senate and abandon the drive to curb filibusters. He tried to do this at one point Monday night, but was prevented by some Republicans and the Southern Democrats.

The Southerners are determined not to let Senator Lucas drop the filibuster drive. They do not like the President's civil rights program and this is one way to fight it. Sources in the Senate also said they doubted very much whether Wherry's proposal on filibuster yesterday would ever go through.

A WATERFRONT fire on the West Coast will probably cost the Army above one million dollars. A big Army warehouse burned to the ground and threatened other warehouses all along the front. The cause of the fire was undetermined, but Army officials said an investigation for sabotage would be conducted.

TWO MORE Soviet officials were relieved of their cabinet duties Tuesday. The shake-up, which began with the removal of Molotov, has been continuing for the past week. Russia still remains silent on reasons for the shake-up.

THINGS CAN be carried to the extremes. And that is just what six circus bears must think in Germany. The Russians made the six bears present their permits before they were allowed to enter their way to a West Germany circus.



"I love Seventeen," reports campus beauty

More and more coeds depend on Seventeen Cosmetics for peachy-n-cream loveliness. Best of all, Seventeen Cosmetics are made for tender, sensitive skins . . . are as free as possible of allergy-causing ingredients. All Seventeen Cosmetics are priced to fit easily into campus budgets.

SEVENTEEN COSMETICS ON SALE AT GOLD & CO.

Your Dishonest Editor . . .

In a recent conversation with an administrative official, we conceded that the University had valid grounds for not wanting to tie itself up in any way with any commercial enterprise. Thus, admitting that the faculty committee on student organizations and social functions may have had good reason for not sanctioning The Daily Nebraskan to participate in a national contest to find the most beautiful freshman coed, we were straight-forwardly informed that we were not being honest in allowing The Daily Nebraskan to sponsor a contest to find Nebraska's most beautiful coed.

Why, then, was the contest held? There are several reasons, none of which, we realize, are acceptable to the faculty.

In the first place, The Daily Nebraskan, as told in last Friday's story on the contest, paid little heed to the whole business until we were informed that the U. of N. had been selected as one of the 15 universities in the United States adjudged by 257 college newspaper editors as having the most beautiful coeds. Pleased, if somewhat surprised, at this outcome, The Daily Nebraskan decided it would not show indifference to the comeliness of Nebraska coeds by ignoring the contest any longer. Furthermore, we thought it would be novel, if not unique, for the campus to have one beauty contest that was for the singular purpose of finding a beautiful coed without any prerequisites on basis of sales, personality, contribution to campus life, average and what-have-you.

Too, we thought The Daily Nebraskan was a free enough press to make the decision as to the dangers of the commercial aspect of the contest. Since the contest was for students and was to be sponsored by a student organization, we felt that the decision could be made by students. In this particular case, our opinion was that the contest was of an unusual enough nature that such procedure would not become a habitual thing. Obviously, there is no assurance of such an assumption.

Nevertheless, The Daily Nebraskan, possessing a human failing of wanting to do something in addition routine duties, proceeded with the contest with an eye to adding a new interest to a front page often criticized as being hopelessly dull and for its own enjoyment.

A point not to be overlooked is that The Daily Nebraskan, student newspaper, took a poll of students regarding the contest and found that 92% of them favored the contest. The poll was viewed by The Daily Nebraskan as a sufficient mandate.

It has been made clear to us that the contest did not help faculty-student relations in the least. In fact, the wrath of some faculty members manifested itself in telephone calls to the administration building asking what was going to be done about The Daily Nebraskan.

At this point, we would like to say, perhaps to the surprise of many, that no intimidations to The Daily Nebraskan came from the administration. Despite rumors that somehow got on the wires of one of the national news services, neither the editor or entire staff was suspended or even threatened with such. If the administration felt that The Daily Nebraskan had made a mistake, it at least allowed it the freedom to make that mistake. For that we are deeply grateful.

To the professors who howled about the matter we say this: hanging the threat of suspension over the heads of Daily Nebraskan staff members is comparable to what the faculty has accused the faction of—intimidating students who would act in accordance with their own beliefs rather than with faction say-so—when those students are not in agreement with faction policy. In light of several incidences during the past few years, such accusations are just.

There must be freedom of the student press just as much as there must be freedom in student politics. The Daily Nebraskan is ready to go to bat for both.

P. S. This is the last of any kind of article on the subject of the Freshman beauty contest.

Naval Reserve Wants Recruits

U. S. Navy recruiters will again be in the Union lobby Wednesday and Thursday from 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. to take applications for the Naval Air Reserve.

Men and women between the ages of 17 and 40 may apply. Training will take place one week end out of each month at the Naval Air base in Lincoln. A two-week cruise will also be offered during the summer. Persons in the reserve may resign at any time.

Vacancies exist in the reserve

up to Lt. Commanders. These vacancies include enlisted grades. There are also positions for WAVES, WACS, SPARS, and WAMS as clerical workers or storekeepers.

Music Sorority Names Pledges

Delta Omicron, professional music sorority, held formal pledging service Tuesday.

The eight new pledges are Jane Goeres, Nancy Butten, Pat Laffin, Pat Hinds, Sue Eastergard, Bonnie Gries, Joanne Smith and Irene Hunter.

MIGHTY WITH BATTLE!

JOAN OF ARC

INGRID BERGMAN

A CASE OF THOUSANDS with JOE FERRIS - FRANCIS L. SULLIVAN - J. CAROL NASH - WARD BOND - SHERRILL STODOLSKY - HUB HARTFEL - GENE SOCHNER - JOHN BARRY - GEORGE COULOURIS - JOHN URELAND and CECA PLOWRY - based on the stage play "Joan of Arc" by MARCELLE LANGRAN - Screen Play by MARCELLE LANGRAN and ANDREW SOIT - An Adaptation by RICHARD DAY - Director of Photography, JOSEF V. PALACHE, A.S.C. Produced by WALTER WANGER - Directed by VICTOR FLEMING - Presented by SIEMMA PICTURES, Inc. Released by RKO RADIO PICTURES

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