



'49 Farmers Fair Plans Include Rodeo, Parade

Farmers Fair plans are in the final stages for the event to be held April 29 and 30, according to Don Smith, president of Farmer's Fair board.

The arena for the rodeo will be near completion this week. Bleachers with a capacity for 3,500 people will be constructed after spring vacation, according to Bob Eggert, chairman of the rodeo committee. Jack King, well-known mid-west rodeo and horse show announcer, will handle the verbal account of the rodeo. Prizes for winners of the various events will be on display in the Ag Union preceding the Farmer's Fair.

DEPARTMENTS will display new ideas in Home Economics and Agriculture at the Open House Saturday, April 30. Latest developments in research and resident teachings will be displayed.

This year two trophies will be presented, one to the outstanding women's display and the other to the winning man's display. Co-chairmen for the Open House are Keith Arterburn, Sue Bjorklund and Harriet Moline.

Plans are being made to serve between 750-1000 people at the annual barbecue held after the rodeo. The ranch-style event is restricted to Ag college students, alumni and faculty members.

Barbecue pits will be lighted at a huge out-of-doors Farmer's Fair spirited rally. Barbequing this year will be done by Prof. W. J. Loeffel, chairman of the Animal Husbandry department. Co-chairmen of the barbecue committee are Donna Rudisil and Jack Baird.

"THE PROGRESS of Agriculture" will be theme of the Farmer's Fair parade. An all Ag college pep band will lead the parade, followed by floats from each organization, club and organized house on Ag campus. Entrants should contact Bob Raun, chairman of that event.

Featured at the dance will be the presentation of the Goddess of Agriculture and the Whisker King. The Whisker King will be selected on the basis of the best growth between March 23 and Farmer's Fair time. Connie Crosby is chairman of the committee.

Two special events have been added to the Fair this year. A homemakers program, under the

Easter Bunny Arrives Early On NU Campus

Eggs... eggs... eggs... The Easter bunny had from eight to twelve decorated eggs for each of the twenty Cedar Home children who were entertained Sunday afternoon at the Red Cross Easter egg hunt.

For an hour and a half, the children ran over the L-shaped part of the campus near the stadium in search of eggs and then played games with the Red Cross hosts.

Ranging in age from two and a half years upward, the Cedar kids raced over the campus pocketing the colored eggs and Easter candy hidden in artificial grass nests under bushes, in tree crotches, by tufts of grass, behind the pillars and even over water main caps.

THEY YELLED as their loot increased, and whooped when one of the cracked eggs was unboiled. Then they joined hands with the hosts and hostesses of the Red Cross College Unit institutions committee and played such games as "Drop the Handkerchief," "Flying Dutchman" and "Red Light, Green Light."

By 4 p. m., they were ready to return to the Cedar Home. They gathered their sacks and boxes of eggs and candy and piled into the Red Cross station wagon for their return trip.

direction of Eunice Jensen will be held on Saturday.

Following the barbecue, the Ag College Square Dancing club will sponsor a square dance. Dave Sanders will call. The square dance will be the finale for the 1949 Farmers Fair.

Block & Bridle Plans Annual Awards Dinner

The Block and Bridle club will hold its annual awards dinner on Friday night, April 22, in conjunction with Feeders' Day, according to Bob Hamilton, club president.

At the dinner, awards will be made to winners in the Block and Bridle club judging contest held April 2. Awards will also be presented to the Ag livestock judging teams of the past year and to various other Block and Bridle club members.

IN PAST YEARS, the club has honored someone at their dinner for outstanding contributions to the livestock industry in Nebraska. Delmar Anderson of Lexington, who was killed in an auto accident shortly before receiving posthumously this year's Nebraska Builder award, was to receive the Block and Bridle award at this dinner. This year the club will present a portrait of Delmar Anderson to be hung in the Block and Bridle "Hall of Fame" in the AH building.

The presentation will be made as part of the Feeders' Day afternoon program.

Students to Get Special RR Rates

"College Special" round-trip rail fares are again available to students and faculty members.

This plan offered by all American railroads liberalizes the expiration time limits on money-saving round-trip tickets. With a "College Special" ticket, there is a three month limit from the time of purchase to the expiration date.

TICKETS MAY be purchased at stations anywhere in the United States or in Canada. Ten days are allowed to reach the destination, enabling students and faculty to stop over on the way. The same ten-day privilege is allowed on the return trip.

The "College Special" ticket allows checking up to 150 pounds of baggage free. If tickets are not in stock they may be ordered by the ticket agent in three or four days.

Summer, Fall Registration Procedure Opens April 25

Students Will Receive Course Cards May 4

Registration procedures for the summer and fall terms will begin April 25.

Students may secure their appointment cards with the assignment committee on that date. In the meantime, all students should make appointments with their advisors to work out class schedule, said Dr. Floyd Hoover, assistant registrar. Office hours posted on advisor's doors.

Actual registration will begin May 4 and Junior Division registration will open May 16. Registration procedure will be much the same as last semester. Details will be released later this week.

Dr. Hoover wished to assure students that there will be little waiting in applying for their appointment cards. About 100 students every minute will be able to receive cards under the present organization.

AG COLLEGE registration will be handled in the same way as it has been for the past two semesters. Dates and procedures for Ag registration will be announced later by Dean W. V. Lambert.

"We can't promise that everyone will get the sections they want this year," Dr. Hoover said. "However, the assignment committee is set up to serve the students the best it can. Choice appointments with your advisor will help you to get a good schedule."

Walters Chosen 'Easter Queen' Of Vets' Party

EASTER QUEEN of the Red Cross Easter party at Veteran's hospital last night was Jo Walters. Model of the prize winning creation in the Crazy Hat contest was Melvin Argebright.

The winners were presented in the finale of the ten part show in which 150 University students took part or worked backstage.

Miss Walters was chosen by a board of patient-judges from a group of 22 University coeds wearing different modes of new spring styles. She was representing Gamma Phi Beta, and appeared in a white gabardine suit with green iridescent middie collar, white felt hat and black shoes.

ARGE BRIGHT WORE a dizzy chapeau made by a veteran which was judged best by a trio of be-furred judges, Sally Sipple, Mary Sidner and Twila Burgess. The "crazy" hat had two bouncing Easter bunnies, a small cardboard chicken, an egg, a duck and a host of spring flowers on an old felt brim. Argebright represented Brown Palace.

Second place in the style show Gamma, and third place winner was Lois Larsen, Towne club. Chuck Deuser, Kappa Sigma, took second in the hat show, with Reza Salhyoo, unorganized, third.

The student and veteran winners were presented by George Wilcox, master of ceremonies. The veteran creator of the first place hat won a \$10 gift certificate for a man's hat. Second and third place winners each received three cartons of cigarettes.

A PROGRAM of skits and acts preceded and followed the style and hat shows. Numbers included Quartette, Ed Lawson, Ed Stone, Wayne Klough and Bob Swain; tap dance, Cherrie Ann Bengston; vocal solo, Keith Andreason; "Preview of Spring," Kappa Kappa Gamma; readings, Mary Forrell; piano duet, Neil Atkinson and Terry Gaines; juggling act, Jack Bruce; and songs by the Delta Upsilon chorus, directed by Gordon Johnson.

Marion Crook and Wanda Young accompanied the acts. General chairman of the party was Carla Renner, assisted by Jean Fenster, Jean Bay, Anne Figge, Rita Brennan, Liz Olson, Darlene Jacobs, Mary Ann Pedersen and other members of the Red Cross institutions committee.

Former NU Dean Speaks at Union

A former dean of the College of Business Administration at the University of Nebraska, John D. Clark, will speak on "The Business Outlook" in the Union ballroom Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Clark, a member of the President's Council of Economic Advisors, is a graduate of the University of Nebraska where he received his A.B. and LL.D. degrees. He was also a professor in the Department of Economics at NU from 1934 to 1937.

Author of **Federal Trust Policy**, Clark has a background including economics, law and political science. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, American Economic Association, Phi Delta Phi, Chi Phi and Beta Gamma Sigma.

First Semester Student Grades Average 5.4

Weighted average of all University students' grades for last semester is 5.4, according to information released by Dr. G. W. Rosenlof, director of admissions and registrar. The figures were prepared by H. M. Cox, director of the bureau of instructional research.

The weighted average grade of 5.4 is based on 47,008 class cards for the first semester. The mean grade was 5.7. The figures reveal that 95.5 percent of all the grades given were passing.

AVERAGES were increasingly high from the freshman level to the senior level. One percent of the seniors had averages above 8.5, while no percentage was below 2. Freshmen, sophomores and juniors had no percentage with averages above 8.5, but the freshmen had 2 percent below 1.5 and the sophomores and juniors each had 1 percent below 1.5.

A summary of the distribution of average grades is as follows:

Upper 10 percent of average grades are above: Freshmen, 6.5; sophomores, 7.0; juniors, 7.2; seniors, 7.5.

Upper 25 percent of average grades are above: Freshmen, 5.9; sophomores, 6.2; juniors, 6.4; seniors, 6.8.

Burr Goes on Ag Research Trip

W. W. Burr, dean emeritus of the Agricultural college, left Lincoln late Saturday, April 9, for Washington on the first leg of a special agricultural mission to Central and South America.

Dean Burr will visit Guatemala, San Salvador and Peru at the request of the State Department and the U. S. Department of Agriculture. In these three countries, Burr will study the co-operative agricultural research work being done by those countries and the United States.



"Oooohhh, I found another egg, Jowis." One of the little Cedar Home girls stoops for an Easter egg hidden behind a bush in front of the Stadium. Joris Devereux, one of the Red Cross hostesses for the College Unit Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon on the campus, leans over with an artificial grass nest in her hand. The little girl wears the red hat that consistently slid off her head all afternoon at the party.

Campus Chapel Plans Lenten Vesper Service

An all-University Lenten service will be held at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday in the Campus Chapel.

The service will be the first of its kind to be presented at the University. It will be offered in a way to make allowances for the fact that people worship in different ways, according to Ruth Shinn, YW executive secretary.

The program for this service will begin with a call to worship followed by an opening hymn. Next on the agenda will be the reading of a prayer and some special singing. Then a meditation entitled "Cooperation in Human Relations" will be held with a Communion Service preceding.

A HYMN and benediction will bring the service to a close. Four student pastors are to take part in the presentation of the program. They are: Reverend Richard Nutt, Reverend Rex Knowles, Reverend Gordon Lippett, and Reverend Jack Lepke.

Invitations have been sent to different groups who expressed particular interest in this service. However, anyone who wishes to come will be welcome.

Those in charge of the entire service are Ruth Troxell, Bill Broaden and Bill Reuter.

Medical School Asks Students To Open House

Open house for junior and senior pre-medical students will be held April 23 at the University College of Medicine in Omaha.

Students who expect to attend should add their names to the list on the pre-medical bulletin board, 306 Bessey Hall not later than Thursday, April 14. All students interested in nurses' and laboratory technicians' training are invited to attend.

ACTIVITIES of the day will last from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Opportunity to see the facilities of the Medical college and the University Hospital will be given and demonstrations will be offered in many departments.

Lunch will be served at the Hospital cafeteria at a nominal cost to visiting students.

Attendance at this affair is on a voluntary basis, Eugene F. Powell, pre-medical advisor, stated. Each student must provide his own transportation.

Catholics to Build Student Chapel

A Catholic chapel and student center, to be built near the University of Nebraska campus in Lincoln, was approved by the Archbishop of Omaha and the Bishops of Lincoln and Grand Island in a recent meeting of the Interdiocesan Social Action conference in Omaha.

A campaign for funds will be undertaken soon by the members of the Newman club, in which both the students and the alumni will be solicited. It is estimated that the building will cost about \$200,000.

In the fall the parishes of the state will take up a collection for the chapel and student center, to be continued annually for three years.

The student body will begin soliciting immediately after spring vacation. There are at the present time 1,500 Catholic students attending the University. Between these and all known alumni the money will be collected.