

Pub Board Re-appoints Schirmer

Names Abramson To Business Post

Corn Shucks humor magazine will retain Jack Schirmer as editor for the coming year. He and Al Abramson, business manager, were reappointed by the Publications board Saturday.

Managing editors for Corn Shucks will be Frank Jacobs and Jim Sullivan. Assistant business managers are Bob Mosher and Al Tully. Mosher was also a re-appointment to the staff.

Schirmer is a member of Sigma Delta Chi, men's journalism honorary, and Phi Gamma Delta, besides editing Cornshucks.

Abramson, in addition to his business duties on the magazine, is circulation manager of **The Daily Nebraskan**, treasurer of Alpha Phi Omega, a Corn Cob, and a member of Zeta Beta Tau.

Managing Editor Jacobs has been assistant feature editor of **The Daily Nebraskan** and associate editor of **Unionology** this semester. He is a new member of



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Abramson Kosmet Klub, Nebraska Masquers publicity director, active in University and Experimental theater productions, Red Cross board, Alpha Phi Omega and a member of Zeta Beta Tau. Sullivan has been a Corn Shucks writer during the year. He is a member of Delta Upsilon.

Mosher is business manager of the Student Directory on Builders board, a Union committee chairman, a past Corn Cob worker and a Delta Upsilon member. He is also treasurer of Red Cross.

Tully is a Union committee chairman and a member of Zeta Beta Tau.

Military Group Sponsors Final Spelldown Test

Scabbard and Blade's final spelldown contest will be held Monday at 4 p.m. at the Armory drill hall.

These contests have been held semi-weekly by the military honorary group to encourage basic ROTC students to learn the manual of arms to perfection.

Immediately following the final spelldown a competition will be held between all winners of these contests for permanent possession of the bronze medal awarded at each contest.

The contests have been conducted on a spelldown basis—that of elimination of contestants when one mistake is made. The last man still in the contest wins the medal.

Uniforms will not be necessary for the competition Monday, according to Roswell Howard, Scabbard and Blade president.

Former winners of semi-weekly contests who will be competing for permanent possession of the medal are Derall Meinke, Leon Novak, Henry Pederson and Curtiss Buster.

Professor Baker To Get Doctorate

Marvel L. Baker of the university staff will be awarded an honorary Doctor of Science degree at Kansas State's commencement exercises May 29.

Baker, a classmate of K-State President Eisenhower, received both bachelor's and master's degrees from the college in 1924 and will be returning for the 25th anniversary of his class. He is now a professor of animal husbandry and associate director of the Nebraska agricultural experiment station. He is the author of many articles and papers relating to animal husbandry.

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Assembly Finishes Work, Seeks Student Body OK

Ted Sorenson rapped the gavel for the last time Friday afternoon to announce the end of the Constitutional Assembly and the beginning of a new era in student government.

The Assembly, which has been in session during the past two weeks, completed its work with the adoption of a new Constitution. One of the last acts of the Assembly was a resolution requesting that

the Constitution be put to a vote of the entire student body in October 1949.

The session Friday was shorter than most. Delegates acted on the report of the committee on political parties and election procedures and heard several minority amendments.

DEAN MORRISON presented the committee's report which involved no major changes in the former Council Constitution. A series of amendments from the floor altered its complexion.

The first amendments to be added to the structure was the

Band Honors Five Key Men, Names Officers

Five Key men, officers of Gamma Lambda, and officers for the Cornhusker band, were announced at the annual R.O.T.C. band banquet Friday night.

The 1949 Key men who were honored for outstanding service and loyalty to the band are Alfred Hein, Eugene Stoll, Paul Austin, James Henson and John Boberg. At the same time, Col. C. J. Frankforter, faculty advisor of the band, was presented a Band Key for 11 years of consistent boosting of the organization.

Gamma Lambda, honorary band fraternity, announced that Len Allen will serve as president next year. Other officers are Al Hein, vice-president; Wally Goodbrod, secretary; Don Boyd, treasurer; and Don Schneider, historian.

Al Hein will serve as president of the Cornhusker band next year, while Kent Tiller will be vice-president; Connie Rennemann, secretary-treasurer; Bill Spichal, publicity; Elliott Boberg, promotion; and brass choir representative, Sterling Seaton.

Band sponsor was revealed to be Virginia Nordstrom.

Farber, Sigma Alpha Mu Top IM Speech Contest

Don Farber walked away with the Delta Sigma Rho intramural speech honors for the second year at the final round Saturday morning at the Temple theater. His fraternity, Sigma Alpha Mu, decisively topped the house competition with 90 accumulated points, in comparison to the 77.4 points of its nearest competitor, Sigma Delta Tau. Placing third in the house contest was Sigma Alpha Epsilon with 74.9 points.

SECOND PLACE in the individual competition went to a newcomer in the contest, Janis Crilly. Three other speakers tied for third place—Carolyn Bukacek, Cy Johnson and Harold Johnson.

Speaking on "The Future of the Dixiecrat Party," Farber said that the party has no future; it is dead.

"In glancing at its obituary, we find that it had a short life," Farber said. "When it died it did



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result of a compromise between Jack Selzer, Innocents delegate, and Morrison. The motion provides for a student-faculty committee to select the Ivy Day orator.

A change in publicity practices was initiated by Charles Bergoffen, chairman of the representation committee. His motion asks for a convocation preceding each election. At this convocation, all candidates shall be introduced and a representative from each party will be allotted a certain amount of time to speak for his party. The motion was adopted unanimously.

IN ADDITION to the convocations, candidates will be able to use hand made posters for publicity material.

Reasons for the changes in publicity regulations were voiced by Morrison: "We feel that campaign publicity given by the Rag has been, is now and forever and ever will be inadequate."

With the passage of the publicity measures, the Assembly moved on to minority reports.

It sanctioned a measure to provide for Council audit and publication of the accounts of all student activities which are subsidized by student fees. It also gave official consent to an initiative and referendum measure.

Methodist Club Holds Initiation

Kappa Phi, Methodist girl's club, held its annual spring banquet May 12 at the Union. Six members received recognition by being given the Degree of the Light.

Honored at the banquet were: Jean Aker, Dortha Hunter, Marilyn Kauser, Irene Kring, Wanda Ziegler and Mary Rusho.

RELIGIOUS WELFARE delegate, Charles Goolsby, moved to strike out a clause which provided for the automatic representation of one negro on the Council. The Assembly adopted his suggestion. This leaves only one group, foreign students, with a automatic Council representation.

Another minority report incorporated in the new Constitution is a clause to provide polling places in each college.

The last action of the assembly was to adopt a seven-point bill which prohibits racial discrimination on University owned property and in organizations under the jurisdiction of the Council.

Before leaving the Assembly chamber, the delegates expressed a vote of thanks to Assembly secretary, Jan Lindquist, and parliamentarian, Bob Wallace, as well as moderator, Ted Sorenson, for their work in making the sessions possible.

AUF Donates Drive Receipts To Charities

Campus contributions to the World Student Service Fund, Community Chest and United Negro College Fund, Inc., were revealed today by Betty Bloss, treasurer of the All University Fund during the past year.

From the AUF balance of \$4,065.65, WSSF will receive \$1,932.83; Chest agencies, \$1,564.26; and the Negro fund, \$386.56.

These donations to the three groups are based on pledges made by the AUF officials. They were made after all drive expenses had been deducted from the all-campus totals.

The All University Fund retains a balance of \$200 for operating expenses during next year, said Miss Bloss.

The AUF conducted its annual fund drive this year during February. The two-week drive sought student and faculty participation in the campus' one charity drive of the year.

Next year's drive will be held from November 7-14, Ted Gunderson, AUF director, announced recently.

confidence from the people in the last election; his four years of experience; and the absence of isolationism in Congress this session. Miss Crilly is a member of Delta Delta Delta.

TOPICS of the third place winners were "How Kansas Related to the Repeal of Her Prohibition Law," Carolyn Bukacek; "Robert Taft—Liberal Republican?" Cy Johnson; and "Philip C. Jessup—American Diplomat 1949 Style," Harold Johnson.

The extemporaneous contest was sponsored by Delta Sigma Rho, debate honorary, to encourage speaking ability in students who are not speech majors. Three rounds were held, half of the contestants being eliminated in each round. Twelve contestants remained in the final round, out of which the winners were chosen.

A trophy goes to the first place individual winner and the Delta Sigma Rho gavel is awarded to the winning house.

J. R. Connelly To Edit '50 Cornhusker

Gerhart to Head Business Staff

John R. Connelly will edit the 1950 Cornhusker.

This was the decision of the Publications board at a Saturday morning meeting. The board also selected other Cornhusker staff members.

The three managing editor positions were given to Tish Swanson, Betty Green and Nancy Porter. Layout and photography went to Dick Kuska.

Handling accounts for next year's book will be Bud Gerhart. He will be assisted by Jack Barnhart and Mardelle Buss.

CONNELLY has worked for the Cornhusker for the past three years. He served as managing editor for the '49 book.

In addition to his work on publications, Connelly is a newly elected member of Innocents, vice president of Corn Cobs and a member Phi Kappa Psi.

Miss Swanson edited the sec-



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tions on classes and individual pictures for this year's book. She is a member of Coed Counselor board, Auf, and Delta Gamma.

MISS GREEN headed the sections on organizations, honoraries, religious organizations and houses and halls. She was named Typical Nebraska Coed at Coed Follies. She is a member of Coed Counselors, Theta Sigma Phi and Delta Delta Delta.

Former military section editor, Nancy Porter, completes the managerial trio. Miss Porter is a member of Y Cabinet, Builders board and Kappa Alpha Theta.

The new layout and photography editor, Dick Kuska, headed the section on fraternities for the '49 yearbook. He also worked as an assistant photographer. Kuska is a member of Builders, Corn Cobs,

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Nielsen Wins Award in Tri-K Crop Judging

Tri-K's crop judging trophy was presented to Wayne Nielsen by Dean Lambert, of Ag college, for his outstanding work in the club's annual show Saturday. The presentation was made at a banquet for Tri-K members.

Nielsen scored 131 out of a possible 1400 points in all events. He was also the recipient of a gold medal for winning the senior division championship and a scholarship.

NIELSEN and other entrants judged eight different crops and identified 60 plants and seeds.

Behind Nielsen in the senior division were Leonard Kokes, second place winner, and Dale Flowerday, third place. Kokes received a silver medal and Flowerday a bronze one.

In the junior class, Don Knebel walked off with honors. He amassed 1273 points. For his feat Knebel received a scholarship and a gold medal.

Runner-ups in the junior division were Ed Sautter and John Wilkinson.

FROSH HONORS went to Marvin Hansen who compiled 1233 points. Hansen, too, received a gold medal and a scholarship. Other medal winners in the freshman competition were Charles Stuber and Adolph Dlouhy.

Winners were introduced and awards made at a Tri-K banquet which followed the contest. The banquet, held in the Foods and Nutrition building, featured Dean Lambert as guest speaker.