

# Records Join Shakespeare On Shelves of City Library

BY JOAN KRUEGER

No longer do William Shakespeare and his contemporaries have a monopoly at the Lincoln City library.

Starting the first of March, Chopin and Beethoven and their fellow composers joined the shelves of the building formerly monopolized entirely by literature.

Rather than the customary books or magazines that libraries generally are known to check out, the new record department at the Lincoln library checks out albums of phonograph records. Headed by Mrs. Wilber Gaffney, wife of Wilber Gaffney, instructor of English at the University, the collection has grown to include 110 albums since its beginning two months ago.

The unusual part of the lending, points out Mrs. Gaffney, is that at least 50 per cent of the borrowers are University students. The library took a survey recently to determine just who checked out the records. Upon examining the cards, Mrs. Gaffney found that one half were students, all University ones, except one from Wesleyan and two from high school.

Mostly classical works are found in the collection, but there are some albums of Stephen Foster and one folk album. Others include works of Cole Porter, Morton Gould, Victor Herbert, the "Red Shoes" and "South Pacific" music.

More than a dozen long playing albums are a part of the collection, points out Mrs. Gaffney.

One record that might hold special interest for University students, stated Mrs. Gaffney, is the recording of the University symphony orchestra of "The Carnival of the Animals." It was recorded last fall by Ed Down of Lincoln. The library probably will have a recording of the last orchestra concert, also, maintained the director.

The record department was started on a shoestring, claims Mrs. Gaffney. "We started with 20 albums, all gifts." The last 20 albums in the collection were donated by H. S. Brooks, Lincoln, who owns a collection of more than 2,000 records. The present collection numbers 110 albums.

Mrs. Gaffney explained also that the library has some 150 single records that are not yet ready to be checked out. They will be put on the shelves when appropriate folders are made for all of them. Some of these, said Mrs. Gaffney, are probably collector's items. The first gift included some Caruso's works and date back to 1915.

Two in Nebraska

A lot of libraries throughout the country now have record libraries, Mrs. Gaffney pointed out. "It seems to be a growing thing," she said. The only other one in Nebraska is at Falls City. Although it is about ten years old, they have only as many albums as does the Lincoln library after two months of operations. Omaha is planning to start a similar department soon.

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## NU Masquers To Hold Annu Spring Banquet

Nebraska Masquers, honorary theater group, will hold its annual spring banquet, Saturday, May 20, at the Continental cafe.

The program which will consist mostly of presentation of awards will begin at 6:30 p. m.

Two actors and two actresses of the University theater will be specially honored at the banquet when they receive the "Oscar" awards presented annually at the banquet. These trophies are sponsored by the University theater.

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## Dinner to End Band Activities

Members of the ROTC band and brass choir will meet for a final social get-together, Tuesday evening at the annual band banquet.

The program, which begins at 6:30 p. m. will be held in Parlors A, B and C of the Union. It is sponsored by members of Gamma Lambda, band service fraternity.

Highlights of the banquet will be the announcement of band officers for next year and the presentation of the "Keys" to five men selected by band members as outstanding in service, ability and interest. These special honors are awarded each year at the annual banquet.

In addition, the new officers of Gamma Lambda will also be announced. Results of the band and Gamma Lambda elections are traditionally kept secret until the banquet.

Entertainment for the evening will include skills under the direction of Gamma Lambda.

Band members of both the symphony band and the brass choir are urged to attend the banquet, considered the bands major social event of the year.

Tickets will be available from any member of Gamma Lambda. Band members may attend with or without dates. Price per ticket is \$1.50.

## Morrill Exhibit Shows Work of 33 Seniors

Work of 33 graduating seniors in art is now being shown at Morrill hall in connection with the School of Fine Arts annual exhibit of student projects.

The senior exhibit is located in gallery A on second floor of the building and was planned by the senior class members. A committee, consisting of Don Hazelrigg, Allee Burch and Bill Moomey, made arrangements for the show.

The seniors selected the individual works to be shown in the exhibit.

Included are water colors, oil paintings, advertising work, design, sculpture, composition art ceramics and etching.

Seniors whose work is included in the show are: Margaret Woodbridge, Donna Schreiner, Robert Paulson, Donna Wallenstedt, Don Hazelrigg, Charles Jones, Alice Burch, Bill Farmer, John Kline, Lawrence Pichev, Jacqueline Moser, Bill Moomey, James Hiett, Hobart Hayes, Robert Miller, Andrew Morrow and Jack Brodie.

Denise Hosfield, Phillip Ruppling, Robert Vestelka, Archie Dillman, Jo Davidson, Nancy Glynn, Shirley Seyrig, Phil Rueschhoff, Ester Beynon, Suzanne Pecha, John Dean, Hartrick Johnson, John Williams, Donald Sharp, Jack Flemming and Kathleen Clement.

## Shucks 'Award' Issue Due Soon

The "Awards" issue of Corn Shucks, the final issue for 1950, will hit the stands late this week, according to Frank Jacobs, editor.

Featuring stories, articles and pictures, this issue will present awards to the most outstanding events and people of the year.

Also included will be an "awards features" on the most outstanding movies of the year.

Carrying the awards theme farther, the winning entry in the Corn Shucks short story contest will also be published. Corn Shucks will also give its versions of very-near-future final exams.

Jokes, features and pictures will fill the rest of the magazine, which sells for 20 cents.

Television rights for the 1948 World Series were sold for \$140,000.

## Law Students Get Burkan Awards

Two University law students were announced Saturday as winners of the Nathan Burkan Memorial competition at the University Law college.

Lee White, a junior, and Jack Solomon, a sophomore, received awards of \$150 and \$50 respectively. The competition for the best paper on copyright law was judged by Dean Edmund O. Belsham.

## '50 Yearbook Distribution Starts May 17

Students will be able to pick up their 1950 Cornhusker yearbook beginning Wednesday.

Distribution will start in the Cornhusker office at 1:30 p. m. and will continue until 500-800 books have been given out.

John Connelly, editor, stated that in order to allow utmost efficiency in distribution, the entire Cornhusker office will be arranged for a minimum of confusion.

Signs located above each of four booths will serve as guiding posts. Upon each sign will be alphabetical arrangement of letters denoting surnames. Persons whose surnames begin with letters from A to E will visit booth 1; from F to K, inclusive, booth 2; from L to R, inclusive, booth 3; and from S to Z, inclusive, booth 4. Files will be located in each booth with records of all purchases.

In order to pick up their yearbooks, a student must produce his student ID card and receipt card which he received from the Cornhusker salesman. No Cornhuskers will be released unless students bring both receipts and ID's.

According to Connelly, this is the earliest date that the Cornhusker has been issued since 1945.

Members of the staff and workers have been working on the yearbook since the beginning of this year.

Staff members are: Bud Gerhart, business manager; Mardell Buss and Jack Barnart, assistant business managers; Dick Kuska, photography editor; and Nancy Porter, Betty Green and Tish Swanson, managing editors.

## Campus Activities Program To Continue in Summer

Students enrolled in the 1950 summer session will be offered something new in the way of extra-curricular activities.

Under the jurisdiction of the Student Council, a summer activities group has been formed to carry on programs of campus activities during June and July.

Anne Barger was elected to the post of top coordinator of the group and will have charge of the program.

## Organizations Will Fill 14 Council Posts

Fourteen campus organizations this week will elect their representatives to next year's interim Student Council, following a recent directive by the faculty subcommittee on student organizations.

They are: Law association, YWCA, YMCA, Interfraternity council, N club, WAA, Coed Counselors, Military department, Insignists, Mortar Boards, ISA, BABW and Engineering Exec board.

Six other groups will be represented on the new Council by recently-elected hold-over members: Bob Raun, Ag Exec board; Bob Parker, Corn Cobs; Gene Berg, Builders; Bruce Kennedy, publications; Betty Green, Panhellenic council; and Shirley Allen, Tassels.

The first three above will serve as president, vice president and judiciary chairman of the Council, respectively. They were chosen by written vote of this year's Council members at a meeting last Thursday.

The organizations which were given representation on the new Council are identical to those serving this year. The faculty committee announced that any proposal relative to changes in representation be submitted in writing to them for consideration next fall.

The delegates from the groups should be elected by the Council at final meeting of the year this Wednesday. They are to be chosen by secret written vote of the entire membership of the organizations.

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## NU Professor Heads Lincoln School Board

Dr. John P. Senning was unanimously elected president of the Lincoln board of education Monday. He succeeds Robert C. Vennier.

Other new officers are Elmer Magee, vice president and Gilbert S. Willey, secretary. Willey is also superintendent of the Lincoln schools.

The new president is in his third year of a six-year term as member of the school board. He is also professor of political science at Nebraska. He has been in the department since 1947 and is past chairman of the department.

He was among the group that waged a successful fight for the unicameral legislature in Nebraska and has written several publications and contributed to numerous others on this subject.

Dr. Senning is a member of the American Political Science association; American Society of Public Administration; National Municipal League; Civil Service Assembly of the United States and Canada; National Institute of Governmental Research; Governmental Research Institute, Chamber of Commerce; American Arbitration association; and a past panel member of the War Labor board, region seven.

Before coming to Nebraska, Dr. Senning taught at Illinois College and Wesleyan university, Middletown, Conn.

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## Authors of Past 'Cornhuskers' Include Well-Known Alumni

Some of today's most distinguished alumni of the University helped prepare the 1950 Cornhusker, forerunner of the Cornhusker.

The yearbook included a number of signed articles and special literary section. Willa Catha, who was an associate editor, wrote the prize story, "The Fear that Walks by Noonday." Co-author was prep student Dorothy Canfield, daughter of University chancellor, James H. Canfield.

Louise Pound, now professor emerita of English, published an account of a women's drill company, organized in 1888, which marched along with male students on several occasions.

Another in the articles appearing in the book is entitled "The Rape of the Type." It told of the early fights between the literary societies over the Hesperian, first campus newspaper.

1899 Sombrero In the 1899 Sombrero editors estimated that there were about 200 members in the three literary societies, while the 12 fraternities and five sororities could claim about 300 students. Appropriate quotations accompanied names and pictures in the class sections.

Several pages were given to the University's U. S. volunteers in the Spanish-American war. Among the organizations featured were the girls' basketball team, the oratorical and debating associations and the Pershing Rifles.

Considerable space toward the back of the volume was devoted to jokes, short essays and poems, of which the following is a fair sample:

The U. of N. in Pin Girl She wore his frat pin o'er her heart Her own upon her collar, And her Yale and Princeton stick-pins Came from him, I'll bet a dollar—

But what made her so popular The cause is plain to see For there among her other pins She wears a T.N.E.

New Name In 1907, the name Cornhusker was adopted for the yearbook and the size of the volume increased considerably. Students were arranged according to colleges—literature, sciences and arts; industrial; and medicine.

"Which will you take, a PBK or a football 'N' was the subject of a lengthy discussion by college presidents, leading NU football players and PBK's. Football players were strong for athletics and the scholars stressed the importance of studies. Few indicated that they would change their ways if they were to go through college again.

Harold Gerhart, whose son is business manager of the 1950 Cornhusker, was editor of the 1920 yearbook. Dwight Kirsch, now professor of art at the University, drew the division pages and the colored pictures of buildings.

The last section of the book was, as usual, devoted to humorous essays and verses. Among the caustic comments was a satire on the Student Council.

Minutes of Student Council Invocation. President declares meeting

open for any business that he may care to bring before it. . . Moved that present constitution be accepted without the Inno-cent and Black. Masque reservations. Seconded. Carried.

Moved that present constitution be sent to puzzle editor of the Youth's Companion for interpretation. Seconded. Carried.

Speaker comes out in favor of honor system, stating that it will raise the grades of the students.

Moved that student council do something worthwhile. Lost for want of second.

Song, "Student Council Forever."

Adjourned to meet at the call of the executive dean.

Through these and other writings in early Cornhuskers it is clear that, although there may be no place like Nebraska, the college people who make up its population do not differ too much from year to year in their attitude toward activities, social organizations, athletic events and the matter of education.

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