

Military Clarifies Reserve Position May Stop 'Slow' Recall If Emergency Declared

Military reservists and those who are eligible for the draft are now able to see where they stand in regard to being called into the service.

U.N. Troops Guard Seoul Approaches

The Chinese communists have forced U. N. troops to evacuation by the sea from northeast Korea.

Approaches of the South Korean capital, Seoul, are being guarded by Eighth army troops.

While U. N. troops fought their way out of a trap maintained by the communists by the Chosin reservoir.

In Hungnam harbor, marine 3rd and 4th divisions are being loaded on transports and landing craft after beating off an attack by Chinese reds dressed in American uniforms.

Some of the units, it is believed, would be landed at allied-held ports south of the 38th parallel to fight with troops there against an expected red attack.

Tenth Army Retreats Nearly 200 Miles

A withdrawal of nearly 200 miles was made by 10th army corps to reach Hunnam. These troops were stationed at points north of Chongjin, on the northeast coast.

The evacuation was covered by marine and navy airmen who were constantly strafing small enemy groups.

A future test of strength on the front in western Korea where part of both sides is expected on reds are holding back for supplies and reinforcements.

Many sources are wondering if the reds are awaiting to see if Lake Success negotiations will proclaim a cease fire order.

Light Infantry Unit Docks in Yokohama

The famous Princess Pat light infantry docked at Yokohama, Japan to reinforce General MacArthur's forces in the far east.

The daily report from General MacArthur was the shortest since the beginning of the war, reporting light enemy attack northeast of Hamburg on the Seoul front, only patrol activity.

January, February Draft Quotas Upped

Selective service headquarters in Nebraska announced the increased number of calls to be made for draftees during January and February.

Increased speed in the production of weapons, and other equipment is requested by the armed forces. President Truman is expected by some to declare a state of national emergency which would step up production even more.

The new draft call corresponds to the casualties incurred in the Korean war. The draftees are needed most in the army, which is the branch in the service suffering the heaviest losses in combat.

By July 1 the army will attempt to gain forces of 1,264,900 increasing the goal if the situation becomes more serious.

Plot to Assassinate 'Mac' Investigated

In Tokyo, agents are investigating an attempted assassination plot on MacArthur's life.

The recruits of the Japanese police force revealed the plot to reliable sources in Hachinoe city in northern Japan.

It is said that communists ordered some of their agents to join the reserve police force, which is under MacArthur's command.

Truman to Address Nation Friday Night

A radio address will be given by President Truman at 9:30 Friday night. His talk will be concerned with the present world crisis.

The announcement of the speech followed the declaration of Congress to give full support to Truman for a fast built-up of military strength by boosting production measures.

Drop In University Registration Expected

According to Dr. Rosenlof of the office of registration, enrollment next year is expected to drop to 6,000 or about three-fourths of the present number of students.

Dr. Rosenlof says, however, that no true prediction can be made yet, as the office is now awaiting information from Washington concerning the action of Congress on the draft bill.

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The weather

Partly cloudy with high near 46. Light winds.

as originally planned because of the pressure of events in Korea.

2. If a national emergency is declared, this might be the occasion for throwing the "slow-down" policy out the window entirely.

3. A declaration of national emergency would not require reservists to report for active duty. It would not automatically mean the mobilization of reservists. The army, navy and air force would continue to use their regular procedures, each service calling up men according to its needs.

National Emergency

The impression of some reservists that declaration of a national emergency would automatically put them on 24 hour call for active duty should be relieved by the Defense Department statements.

In regard to those in position to be drafted, the army has called for a total of 160,000 draftees in January and February. This move nearly doubles the quotas previously asked for by the army.

While the navy and air force continue to rely on volunteers, the army quota for January was raised from 40,000 to 80,000 and that for February from 50,000 to 80,000.

Army Action

This action was taken by the army in line with President Truman's decision that the United States must raise its military manpower sights beyond the goal set before the recent reverses in Korea. This previously amounted to 2,800,000 men by next June 30.

Specifically, in regard to Nebraska draft commitments, these are expected to reach about 702 in January and 704 in February. Nebraska's quota had been formerly set for 351 and 440, respectively.

The pool composed of men aged 19 to 25, inclusive, will now be dipped into at a faster pace. This was released by Selective Service headquarters.

A Selective Service spokesman said that he believed the new January and February quotas could be filled without changing the draft law or the existing regulations issued by the president.

However, if the draft pace is to be long maintained the law will undoubtedly have to be changed at the Congressional session beginning Jan. 3.

Guard Officials

National guard officials in Nebraska, in conferring with a Fifth army spokesman, were unable to determine to what extent the Nebraska-Iowa National Guard would be affected by the proposed national emergency.

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RAYMOND A. MCCONNELL, JR.—The editor of the Lincoln State Journal will speak today at a meeting of the Soil Conservation society.

Journal Editor Will Address Soil Meeting

Raymond A. McConnell, jr., editor of the Lincoln State Journal, will address the University chapter of the soil conservation society tonight at 7:30 p.m. in Ag hall, Room 307.

McConnell will discuss principles of watershed management at the regular monthly meeting of the soil conservation chapter.

The Journal editor co-chairman of the Salt Wahoo Watershed association formed after the disastrous flood that covered the Lincoln area last May 9.

This association was formed to develop a program on a watershed basis to conserve the soil and reduce the damage caused by floods and uncontrolled water.

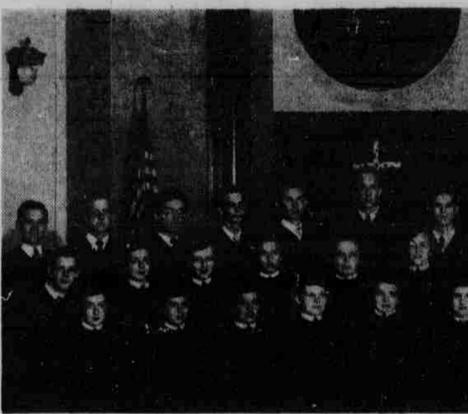
McConnell has for several years carried on an educational program through the columns of The Journal for the purpose of acquainting the readers with the fact that conservation of soil and water resources was one of Nebraska's urgent problems.

The University chapter of the Soil Conservation Society of America is the first student chapter of the national organization.

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Student Christmas Choir ...



Six Pastors Will Speak At 'Y' Christmas Vespers

The second annual All-Campus Christmas service will be held tonight at 7 p.m. at the University Episcopal Chapel. This is the first time that the service has been held in the Chapel.

Under the sponsorship of the University YMCA and YWCA groups the service is being put on for all University students.

Dr. Theodore Leonard of Trinity Methodist church will speak and the Lutheran Student Choir will present a program. The choir will sing two anthems, "Jesus Bambino" and "A Cradle Hymn."

Five student pastors will take part in the inter-denominational service. Rev. O. H. Turner of the Christian Student Foundation will give the invocation.

Christmas Scriptures

Rex Knowles, Presbyterian Student Pastor and Rev. C. B. Howells of the Baptist House will read the Christmas scriptures. The Christmas prayer will be given by Rev. Richard Nutt of the Methodist Student House.

Father John Sweigart, Episcopal chaplain will close the service with the benediction.

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Council Analyzes Big Seven Reports; Probes ISA Issue

Members Discuss Various Teacher Rating Possibilities

Reports and ideas from the Big Seven Student Government association affected committee reports and general discussions in Student Council meeting yesterday.

Rob Raun, Council president, presented the system under which the independent students are organized at Oklahoma university. This organization operates solely as a service organization for independent students.

How this can be applied to the ISA problem at Nebraska is not known by Raun but he reported that new ideas gathered from the convention will be applied to the situation and that other schools in the Big Seven share the same problems.

ISA Recognition

Betty Green, chairman of the student activities committee, asked the Council members: "Should ISA continue to be recognized as a campus organization by the Student Council?"

Recommendation by the Council was that no action be taken on the ISA problem until the suggested poll of the opinions of all Independent students is tabulated.

Include Poll

Attempts are being made to have this poll included in registration forms for second semester. The teacher-rating program which is being worked on by Council members was discussed by the academic committee at the convention. Miriam Willey was Council delegate on this committee.

Kansas and Iowa State have teacher rating programs the results of which are made available to individual faculty members and not administration officials.

Campus Improvements

Kent Axtell, reporting on the campus improvements committee, stressed that results of the rating program will not be used as a criterion for "hiring and firing" of faculty members.

Proposed plan for the program would include passing out of criticism questionnaires in classes on a strictly voluntary basis.

Raun said that he was "only sorry that the whole Council could not have attended the convention. I don't know how three days could have been better spent."

Hans Dieter Berendt, exchange student from Bonn university, was a guest at the Council meeting. He is collecting ideas on student government in the United States to take back to his country.

Raun reported that a block of seats for faculty members will be reserved in the west bleachers of the Coliseum for next Tuesday night's basketball game. "If the plan is successful, it will be continued," Raun said.

Counselors To Recognize 'Best' Sisters

The Coed Counselors will sponsor their annual Christmas tea this afternoon in Ellen Smith hall from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

The tea will climax the work done by Big Sisters this semester in helping the freshmen coeds adjust to college life.

Main event of the tea will be at 4:30 p.m., when Marilyn Campfield, president, announces the 18 outstanding Coed Counselors of 1950.

The Counselors to receive the recognition will be chosen by their sincere interest shown in the organization, project work such as the charm school book review, friendship dinner and freshman party, actual contacts with their little sisters and their ratings as given by little sisters on the evaluation sheets.

Outstanding Work

In regard to choosing the outstanding Counselors, Miss Campfield said, "Many of the Counselors are doing outstanding work in helping make the program this year a success, but the ones who were selected are the outstanding Coed Counselors."

The president, vice-president and Coed Counselor board members were responsible for the selection of 18 out of the 150 Counselors.

Carols

During the tea Marilyn Preuss and Janice Fullerton will play the piano. Christmas carols will be sung by Nancy Butten.

Miss Helen Snyder, sponsor of Coed Counselors, and Miss Campfield will be in the receiving line. Pouring the spice tea will be Mrs. R. C. Gustavson, Miss Marjorie Johnston, Miss Mary Mielenz and Mrs. Elvera Christiansen.

House presidents and presidents of the various campus organizations have been invited to the tea. All freshman women are urged to attend. The tea is informal.

Chamber of Commerce Post to Dean Green

Dean Roy M. Green has been elected to serve a three year Lincoln Chamber of Commerce membership. He was one of nine newly elected members chosen at the annual balloting.

Candidates For Calendar Girl Selected

Twenty-two candidates for Calendar Girl of the Year will be judged tonight at 7:30 in the music room of the Union. From the group 12 girls will be selected to represent the months of the year. The Calendar Girl of the year will be elected by popular vote at the annual Calendar Girl show, Saturday, Jan. 6, in the Union ballroom.

The candidates are:

Alpha Chi Omega, Snooky Coryell; Alpha Omicron Pi, Phyllis Wheeler; Alpha Phi, Mary Ann Covington; Alpha Xi Delta, Lou Kennedy; Chi Omega, Beverly Fuglei; Delta Delta Delta, Grace Burkhardt; Delta Gamma, Ruth Raymond; Gamma Phi Beta, Jo Ann Berry; Kappa Alpha Theta, Harriet Wenke.

Kappa Delta

Kappa Delta, Jo Richards; Kappa Kappa Gamma, Nancy Pumphrey; Pi Beta Phi, Cathy Corp; Sigma Delta Tau, Lois Gerelick; Sigma Kappa, Verba Jean Miller; Raymond hall, Barbara Kroitz; Love hall, Hattie Mann; Heppner hall, Muriel Sottley; Terrace club; Caryl Giltnet; Wilson hall, Mary Ann Groningen; Adelphi, Lois Stewart; Towne club, Barbara Roland; and Love Memorial hall at Ag, Luella Cooney.

The girls will be judged on the basis of personality, poise, and general appearance. The judges selected are Professor Lane and Professor Elliott of the University faculty and Herb Reese, a senior student.

Dance

The dance will be the first big event of the new year and is co-sponsored by the University Builders and the Union.

Aaron Schmidt and his combo will play. Admission charge will be 44 cents.

Adele Coryell was the 1950 Calendar Girl of the Year. The 12 finalists who represented the other months of the year were: Mary Pitterman, Mary Chase, Jo Chase, Pat O'Brien, Clo Ann Caul, Marge Jensen, Lois Fursythe, Gladys Bygland, Ruthe Jewett, Pat Gaddis and Dorothy Elliott.

Sophomore Registration Starts Today

Registration will begin today for all sophomores when they pick up their numbers and schedules at the Military Science building from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The members of the junior division may get their numbers on Friday, Dec. 15. Ag students may obtain registration material from Dr. Hixson's office in Agricultural hall.

All students are urged to see their advisers and arrange their schedules before the Christmas vacation.

The steps which should be followed in registering are:

1. Make an appointment to meet with your adviser by signing his appointment schedule. This should be done before Dec. 20.

2. Be on time for your appointment. Make out a worksheet and leave it with your adviser.

3. Go to the Military Science building and pick up your number and schedule at the appointed time.

4. Watch for the time when your number will be posted. It will appear on the blackboard in front of the Military Science building and in The Daily Nebraskan.

Numbers will be posted beginning Jan. 4.

5. Registration fees must be paid from Jan. 22 to 24, alphabetically: Jan. 22, A to H; Jan. 23, I to Q and Jan. 24, R to Z.