

12 Days Remain Until Christmas Vacation

Coeds Planning Entertainment For Turn-About Friday Night

With the Military Ball of 1952 a thing of the past and multi-colored corsages drying on bulletin boards all over campus, it is perhaps permissible to wonder what is in store for the man who laid out the money for last Friday evening.

A quick check has revealed that most of the girls are taking the turn-about angle to heart and have planned to take their dates out to dinner.

Most of the men, according to reports, will not be required to

wear corsages. Perhaps the idea of walking into a restaurant carrying a live skunk or wearing a Santa Claus suit does not appeal to the average college man.

The only formal function of Friday evening is the Pi Beta Phi Christmas formal which will be held at the house. The event sponsored by the pledges will follow dinner at the Lincoln Hotel.

The rest of the planned gatherings seem to be informal.

Reports have not revealed plans for any picnics or swimming parties, but there may be plenty of scheming females who are not telling what is in the wind for Friday.

Lone Oak will have delegations from Gamma Phi Beta and Kappa Kappa Gamma in attendance. After dinner and dancing, some of the members of the party plan to follow the dinner with dancing at King's.

Although it is impossible to poll every coed who attended the Military Ball, there does not seem to be any strong objection to the turn-about idea. Phones have been kept busy calling for reservations. Paths have been worn from room to room to arrange foursomes to fit transportation plans. And the number one question among the coeds seems to be, "What are you going to wear?"

The universal answer, as usual, "I don't know; what are you going to wear?"

Come Friday night the women will be standing in lobbies glaring at their watches and drumming their fingers while the men keep them waiting, the privilege to which tradition entitles them.

NU Debaters Attend Wayne Conference

Four University debate teams attended an Invitational Debate Conference at Wayne State Teachers College Dec. 5 and 6.

Representing the University were teams composed of Dave Gradwohl and Kenneth Phillbrick; Reed Belden and Marvin Friedman; Jack Rogers and Paul Laase; and Charles Klasek and Paul Means.

Gradwohl and Phillbrick were one of five undefeated teams after four rounds of debate.

Belden and Friedman won three and lost one debate, Rogers and Laase won two out of the four and Klasek and Means equaled them winning two and losing two.

Rogers won a superior rating in extemporaneous speaking and Laase received a superior rating in discussion.

Rogers and Laase will participate in an audience debate at Missouri University Thursday night Dec. 11. The debate is one of a series of programs sponsored by the Athenian Society at the University of Missouri.

The debate question is — Resolved: That Congress should enact a compulsory fair employment act.

Donald F. Kline, assistant professor of speech and dramatic art, will accompany them.

Most of the males who provided flowers and steaks last Friday will be eating steak at the expense of their dates. The Delta Gamma's have rented the basement of the Italian Village and will gather there on Friday night.

Some members of Delta Delta Delta will also appear at the Village. The rest of the members have not disclosed the fate of their dates for the evening.

Capt. Bouldin Wins 2nd Bronze Star

University staff member, Capt. Frederick R. Bouldin, received his second citation for outstanding combat service in Korea at a brief ceremony Friday afternoon on the campus.

The citation, First Oak Leaf Cluster for the Bronze Star medal, was presented by Col. James H. Workman, professor of military science and tactics, and witnessed by senior ROTC cadets.

Captain Bouldin was awarded the Bronze Star in Korea. He joined the University staff three months ago as an assistant professor, instructing in infantry tactics and weapons.

In Korea Captain Bouldin was Commander of Company I, 32nd Infantry.

Bridge Party Scheduled By Ag Committee

The Ag Union will sponsor a bridge party Wednesday evening. The party is scheduled for 7 p.m. in the Ag Union lounge.

Sponsoring committee for the party is the general entertainment committee. Chairman is Evelyn Lauritzen and sponsor is Don Lees.

Prizes will be awarded to the winner of the party and refreshments will be served by the Union.

The pinochle tournament also under the direction of this committee will begin Dec. 17.

Lees said that the tournament would be completed before the Christmas holidays.

Coffee Honors Home Ec Seniors

More than 100 senior and graduate home economics students were honored at a coffee hour Saturday at the Residence Halls for Women.

The coffee hour is an annual occasion sponsored by the home economics faculty.

Mrs. Ruth Ganshorn, instructor in food and nutrition, was in charge of the affair. She was assisted in serving by five junior home economics majors.

The five girls were Stephanie Allen, Marilyn Erwin, Connie Clark, Marlene Tiller and Marilyn Sehnert.

Mrs. R. G. Gustavson poured coffee, and Mrs. W. V. Lambert poured the hot chocolate.

Candlelight Coffee Hour Set To Follow 'Messiah'

The traditional Christmas candlelight coffee hour will be held in the Union lounge following the annual presentation of the "Messiah" of Handel on Sunday afternoon.

The Union Hospitality Committee, Diane Hinman, chairman, is sponsoring the traditional event.

National Math Group To Hold Christmas Meeting In Lincoln

The National Council of Teachers of Mathematics will hold their 13th Christmas meeting at the Hotel Lincoln, Dec. 29, 30, and 31. No previous meetings have been held in Nebraska.

Besides Nebraska leaders who will participate in the program, men and women from 21 other states and the District of Columbia will present papers and take part in discussions.

The convention theme is "Mathematics Appropriate for Students Today." Milton W. Beckmann, supervisor of mathematics in Teachers College, is general chairman.

John R. Mayor, president of NCTM, said in a letter to members and teachers, "We are confident that those teachers of mathematics and school administrators who can be present will find the various sessions planned having many practical suggestions for improvement of mathematics in-

struction at all levels, valuable analysis of curriculum problems in mathematics and real inspiration from association with other teachers of similar problems and goals."

In one morning session, Dec. 30, the high school section will meet, discussing "What Mathematics Should be Required of High School Graduates?" Two participants in the discussion are Harry W. Charlesworth, Denver, a past president of the NCTM and Galen Saylor of the University.

Following will be a college and teacher education section, sponsored by the Arkansas Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Dec. 30, afternoon sessions will include the small high school section. Chairman is L. M. Larsen of Kearney.

Beckmann, the general chairman, will preside over a banquet the evening of Dec. 30. Roy M. Green, Dean of the College of En-

gineering and Architecture of the University will speak on "Student Guidance and Mathematics."

Two other college sections are on agenda for Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning. Presiding will be Adrien L. Hess of Montana State College and Orlando C. Kreider of Iowa State College.

Committee members include Beckmann, program committee and coordinating committee; Dr. Winona Perry, general secretary and coordinating committee; Henry M. Cox, general treasurer and coordinating committee. Also on this committee from Lincoln are Dr. Edwin Halfar, Dr. Calvin Reed, and Eloise Pool of the University Extension Division.

On the publicity committee is Dr. Gunther Paulsen of the University Extension Division, Donald Hofman, a student at the University, is on the committee for Film, Filmstrips and Equipment.

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Tuesday Ag Y's Meeting To Feature Panel Discussion By Foreign Students

A panel discussion will be featured at the combined YW and YMCA meeting Tuesday evening.

The meeting is scheduled for the Home Economics Building parlor starting at 7:15 p.m.

The panel, which will discuss "How the United States Can Best Aid Under Developed Areas," is composed of Burbank Christianson, a graduate student from Canada; Sam Yankosammy, a graduate student from British Guiana

and Ciro Bright, a senior from Liberia.

Sam Gibson, YMCA executive, will introduce the panel.

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Thieves Steal Decorations From Union

An estimated \$30 worth of Christmas decorations was taken from the front of the Union sometime between Saturday afternoon and Sunday night Union officials told the Daily Nebraskan Monday.

Six strings of Christmas tree lights — three on each of the two trees in front of the Union — parts of an extension cord and Santa Claus faces which were placed over lights were listed as stolen.

Duane Lake, Director of the Union, said that the lights alone were worth almost \$18. There is no insurance on any of the stolen articles.

Lake explained that the extension cords were strung through gratings into basement windows. The thieves, he said, pulled the cords as far out of the gratings as they could, then cut them.

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Poultry Judges Placed In Chicago

The poultry judging team for the University placed 13th in a 23-team contest at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago.

Members of the team are Richard Sievers, Shelton Reece, Don Jesnoutot and James Hargleroad. The coach of the team is Irvyn Williams, poultry department professor.

The team placed sixth in market produces judging, seventh in exhibition judging and 19th in production judging of poultry.

Christmas Party Set By Ag Board

The Ag Activities Board is holding a Christmas party Tuesday evening in the Ag Union "Dell."

The party, scheduled for 7:15 p.m., is given in honor of the employees of the Ag Union. A gift exchange and dancing will highlight the evening.

The Ag Union "Dell" will be closed for the evening starting at 5:30 p.m. because of the party.

Business Honorary To Initiate Thirteen

Thirteen pledges will be initiated into Alpha Kappa Psi, national business fraternity, Dec. 15 at 5:30 p.m. in the Lincoln Hotel.

Pledges are Homer Kenison, Roger Graul, Gordon Gay, James LaRue, Dana Clement, Bill Doleman, Ernest Bebb, Don Jensen, Bill Cannon, Royce Tonjes, Linus Ost-diek, Stan Sipple and Raymond Hrabky.

A banquet at 7 p.m. will follow the initiation.

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