

Initiation:

Alpha Zeta Honors Twelve Ag Students

Alpha Zeta, national agricultural honorary fraternity, recently initiated twelve new members, Boyd Stuhr, chancellor of the fraternity, announced.

They are Richard Leitschuck, Leo Damkroger, Richard Johnson, Dan Stillwell, Dean Bucy, Leslie Zimmerman, Val Zink, Al Siffring, Arthur Zech, Jim Peck, Duane Trenkle, and John Burbank.

Membership in the fraternity is

'Oscar' Origin Discussed In Article

The custom of designating an award of merit or first prize by a personal name such as "Oscar" is gradually gaining ground.

This belief is expressed by Miss Mamie Meredith, assistant professor of English at the University, in a recent issue of Names, the journal of the American Name Society.

This type of award name, she said in her article "Oscars, Edgars and Tonys," started accidentally more than 20 years ago when an employee of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences remarked that the bronze statuette reminded her of her Uncle Oscar.

The first imitation Oscars, she said, appeared at the end of World War II when Fuzzy Wuzzy or GI Oscars were awarded to Humphrey Bogart and Greer Garson.

Miss Meredith said that since then Edgars, Ernies, Gertrudes, Brendas and many other "name awards" have been presented for outstanding accomplishments in industry as well as the arts. In addition, she said, there have been many satirical awards patterned after the Oscar.

French Fellowships Offered Graduates

Opportunities to study and teach in France during 1956 and 1957 are available to American graduate students.

The French Government is offering approximately thirty of these opportunities in study and forty teaching assistantships. The fellowship awards are for students with definite academic projects or study plans. The assistantships afford language experience and an opportunity to become acquainted with France.

Nominations for candidates will be made by joint American and French committees working in cooperation with the French Cultural Services and the Institute of International Education. The closing date for application is Feb. 1.

Requirements for application are U.S. citizenship, a preferable age of 30, a bachelor's degree from an American college by the time of departure, good academic record, good knowledge of French, correct usage of English, good moral character, personality and adaptability, and good health. Candidates in the field of medicine must have an M.D. degree.

Those who win the fellowship award will study in French universities with tuition paid as well as a modest maintenance. All applicants should be ready to pay for their own transportation.

Applicants for these awards should apply to the United States Student Department of the Institute of International Education, 1 east 67th street, New York City.

Journalism School Ranks Fourteenth

Journalism enrollment at the University places the School of Journalism in the first 15 per cent in the country in size of student body, according to a compilation just published by the Association for Education in Journalism.

The University's School of Journalism ranks 14th among 96 institutions reporting in the annual survey. It ranks third among the Big Seven schools this year.

The compilation is based upon the enrollment in upperclass courses only. Nebraska's current journalism total is 118 in the upperclass courses and 206 for all four years.

Other Big Seven upperclass journalism enrollments are: Missouri 272; Oklahoma, 121; Iowa State, 94; Kansas, 81; Kansas State, 57; and Colorado, 60.

Residence Halls Elect Officers

Residence Halls for Women recently elected officers for Raymond, Love and Heppner Halls.

Sally Cressman was elected president in Raymond Hall elections, with Ruth Roubal, vice-president; Patricia Boyd, secretary, and Dee Kautzman, social chairman.

Love Hall officers are: Frances Wertz, president; Barbara Michelmann, vice-president; Patricia Brodthauer, secretary, and Paula Roehrman, social chairman.

Officers of Heppner Hall are: Maryth Brush, president; Cherry King, vice-president; Lorraine Haggart, secretary, and Sonja Lashbaugh, social chairman.

chosen from the upper two-fifths of the respective classes. To be eligible members must have completed three semesters of their academic work.

Alpha Zeta selects its members among undergraduate and graduate students on the basis of scholarship, leadership, and character.

Some of the fraternity's activities include the publication of a newsletter distributed to alums and other chapters, plus the sponsorship of convocations throughout the year.

Officers of the Nebraska Chapter are Stuhr, chancellor; Marvin Coffey, censor; Richard Buntz, scribe; Allen trenkle, treasurer; and Dick Nelson, chronicler.

Faculty advisors are H. W. Otton, M. A. Alexander, and D. G. Hanway.

College Fiction Contest Opened

Women undergraduates under 26 years, who are regularly enrolled in a degree-granting college are eligible to enter Mademoiselle's College Fiction Contest for 1956.

The two-winners will receive \$500 each for the serial rights to their stories and publication in Mademoiselle. Runners-up will receive honorable mention in the magazine.

Stories should run from 2,500 to 5,000 words and each contestant may submit as many entries as she likes. Stories that have appeared in undergraduate publications are acceptable if they have not been published elsewhere.

Entries must be typewritten, double-spaced, on one side of the page only. The work must bear the name, age, home address, school address and school year of the contestant. The magazine assumes no responsibility for manuscripts and will not return any stories received unless they are accompanied by a return envelope.

The results of the contest will be announced in the August 1956 issue. Entries should be submitted to College Fiction Contest, Mademoiselle, 575 Madison Avenue, New York 22, New York. The entries must be postmarked no later than midnight March 15, 1956.



Nebraskan Photo

Children's Hour

Clustered around the Nebraskan copy desk and managing editor Sam Jensen, above, are 23 second-grade students from Lancroft-Grade School, who toured the Nebraskan offices Thursday on a class project conducted by their teachers, Lee-Ellen Matzke and Mrs. Earledean Robbins. Jensen, who doubles as staff social chairman, took the young students through the staff offices, including the editor's office, the business office and the darkroom. The job of each of the paper's positions was explained, and technical questions from the visitors were answered.

Library Requests Name For Room

Suggestions are requested to name the new listening room at the Love Library, Bernard Kreissman, assistant director of libraries for the humanities, said. The name should be an inclusive term which would cover all types of listening: music, literature, plays, etc.

The listening room was a new addition to the library this year and will become a permanent fixture since it has proved very satisfactory, Kreissman said.

Exam Schedule

1-4 p.m.	SATURDAY, JANUARY 21 All sections of English A
9-12 a.m.	TUESDAY, JANUARY 24 Classes meeting at 11:00 a.m. 5 or 4 days or MWF, or any one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	All sections of Education 61, 62 (Coliseum) All sections of Business Organization 3, 4
2-5 p.m.	WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25 All sections of Math 11, 16, 41, 106 All sections of Math 14, 15, 21, 42, 106, 107
11 a.m.-1 p.m.	Classes meeting at 4:50 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days
9-12 a.m.	THURSDAY, JANUARY 26 Classes meeting at 9:50 a.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	All sections of English 2, 3, 4
9-12 a.m.	FRIDAY, JANUARY 27 Classes meeting at 2:00 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days Classes meeting at 5:00 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days Classes meeting at 5:50 p.m. TTW or either one of these days Classes meeting at 7:00 p.m. MWF or any one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	All sections of Economics 3, 11, 12, 115 (Coliseum) Classes meeting at 2:00 p.m. TTW or either one of these days
9-12 a.m.	SATURDAY, JANUARY 28 Classes meeting at 2:50 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	All sections of Naval Science 101, 201, 301, 401
9-12 a.m.	MONDAY, JANUARY 30 Classes meeting at 10:00 a.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 3:00 p.m. TTW or either one of these days
9-12 a.m.	TUESDAY, JANUARY 31 Classes meeting at 4:00 p.m. TTW or either one of these days Classes meeting at 5:00 a.m. TTW or either one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	All sections of Mechanical Engineering 1 All sections of Home Economics 41, 43 All sections of Spanish 51, 53 All sections of Business Organization 21
9-10 a.m.	WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1 All sections of English B (Coliseum)
11 a.m.-1 p.m.	All sections of English 1 (Coliseum)
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 2:50 p.m. TTW or either one of these days
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 9:50 a.m. TTW or any one or two of these days All sections of Sociology 50
9-12 a.m.	THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2 Classes meeting at 1:00 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 11:00 a.m. TTW or any one or two of these days All sections of Speech 9, 10
9-12 a.m.	FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3 Classes meeting at 2:00 a.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days Classes meeting at 12:00 noon on 5 or 4 days, or MWF, or any one or two of these days
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 10:00 a.m. TTW or any one or two of these days

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Thursday:

Three Faculty Members To Play Sonata Recital

Three University music faculty members will present a recital of sonatas Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Union Ballroom. This is one in a series of faculty recitals. The public is invited.

Taking part will be Donald Lentz,

flute; Emanuel Wisnow, violin and viola, and Earnest Harrison, piano.

The program will be: Sonata in F Major by Bach, Largo, Allegretto, Allegro assai e scherzando, played by Lentz, Harrison, Wisnow (violin); Sonata-Undine by Reinecke, Allegro, Intermezzo, Andante tranquillo, Finale, played by Lentz, Harrison; Sonata in A Major by Brahms, Allegro amabile, Andante tranquillo, Allegro grazioso played by Lentz, Harrison; Pastorale, Interlude, Finale, played by Lentz, Harrison.

Omicron Nu Offers Tutors In Home Ec

Any home economics major desiring planned tutoring services can receive such help from Omicron Nu, national home economics honorary.

Persons interested in this free assistance should contact the president, Betty Eberhart, or the chairman of the project, Virginia Reeves.

Scholarship and leadership were the topics discussed at the last meeting. Highlight of the meeting was a talk by Imogene Barry about the Danforth Home Economics Senior Fellowship and the learning and experience that she derived from it.

At the next meeting, the active and alumni chapters of Omicron Nu will cooperate to honor home economics sophomores with high scholastic achievement.

Geography Group Holds Initiation

Alpha Phi Chapter of Gamma Theta Upsilon, honorary geography fraternity, initiated three graduate students, Frank Groshelle, Marvin Robbins and Don Seary and two undergraduate students, Charles Gibson and Shirley Swanson, at its last meeting.

Dr. Esther Anderson, faculty sponsor of the local chapter of Gamma Theta Upsilon, attended the national biennial convention of the fraternity at Indianapolis, Indiana. She was elected national second vice president and editor of the annual newsletter and bulletin.

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