

On The Social Side: Campus To Have Big Week

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There are four formal dinners scheduled this week-end and three sorority initiation banquets. Those girls nominated for Theta Xi Dream Girl are Carolyn Freeman, Barb Davis and Kay Kruger. They will be guests for dinner at the Theta Xi house tonight, and the winner will be announced as the 1957 "Dream Girl" at their formal Saturday.

There are two house-parties, a jam session, a square dance and an hour dance this week-end; so it looks like the campus has finally thawed out of its winter social lethargy—at least for the sake of this column I hope so.

Congratulations to Rebe Kinne, Chi Omega junior in Teachers, who was named Honorary Commandant of the Pershing Rifles at their dinner dance last Saturday.

Monday night there were announcements of four engagements and one pinning.

ENGAGEMENTS:
Frances Van Houten, Terrace Hall junior in Teachers from Omaha, to Don Beck, Alpha Gamma Rho senior in Agriculture from Fremont.

Jeanette Blattert, junior in Teachers from Stanton, to Burt Becker, junior in Arts and Sciences from Stanton.

Jo Ann Sander, junior in Business Administration from Omaha, to Richard Devries, senior in Engineering from Lincoln.

Babs Jelgerhuis, Delta Delta Delta senior in Teachers from Huron, S.D., to Ensign James Thorson, Theta Xi alumnus from De Smet, S.D.

PINNINGS:
Bernard Eaton of Ashland, senior in Business Administration and member of Delta Sigma Pi, to Miss Gloria Owens of Fullerton, graduate of Kearney State Teachers College.

Pat Prouty, Kappa Kappa Gamma sophomore in Arts and Sciences from Lincoln, to Will Else, Delta Upsilon junior in Business Administration from Fairbury.

SOCIAL CALENDAR:
TUESDAY
Theta Xi Dinner honoring their "Dream Girl" candidates.

THURSDAY:
Pi Beta Phi-Phi Delta Theta Dessert.

FRIDAY:
Delta Gamma Founders Day Banquet.

Colonial Terrace Apartments-Alpha Gamma Sigma Hour Dance, Palladian Society —Program—Temporary J.

Beta Sigma Psi Formal Dinner Dance.

Love Memorial Hall Formal Dinner Dance.

All University Square Dance/**SATURDAY:**
Kappa Kappa Gamma-Kappa Sigma Jam Session.

Theta Xi "Dream Girl" Formal Dinner Dance.

NROTC Formal Dinner Dance, Sigma Alpha Epsilon House-party.

Loomis Hall House-party, Gamma Phi Beta Initiation Banquet.

Kappa Delta Initiation Banquet.

SUNDAY:
Kappa Kappa Gamma Date Dinner.

Sigma Kappa Initiation Banquet.

Alpha Chi Omega Initiation.

Basoco Gives Mathematician Artist Qualities

A creative mathematician was likened to an artist Thursday evening by Dr. M. A. Basoco, professor of mathematics at the University.

Speaking to the monthly meeting of Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic society, Dr. Basoco said a mathematician works in a similar atmosphere. Considerations of an essentially aesthetic nature enter into his judgments, he said.

"Questions of simplicity, symmetry, order, harmonious relationships, all play a role in this thinking."

He explained that at the turn of the century there emerged a point of view which regards mathematics as a purely formal system; "an abstraction which by itself, without interpretation, says nothing about the empirical world."

Dr. Basoco continued: "The axiom systems relevant to a particular bit of mathematics may be looked upon as inventions of the mathematician. There are inventions very much in the sense that art may be regarded as the invention of the artist: as creations rather than discoveries."

"The imagination of the mathematician, guided by aesthetic considerations within the framework of logic, is the source of these creations which constitutes modern mathematics."



Courtesy Lincoln Star
Dr. Basoco



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CosmoLanterna Participants

Seven international students gather for a moment of talk at the Cosmopolitan Club show "CosmoLanterna," Saturday night in the Union Ballroom. The annual dance and floor show, described by Amir Mag-

hen, president, as a "real success" was attended by almost 350 people. The ballroom was decorated with hundreds of Chinese and Japanese lanterns "lighting up the world". Left to right the international students

are Shirley Lin from China, Usba Sondhi from India, Mrs. Hess Baluch from the United States, Abdul Magid from Afghanistan, Nelson Chang from China, Inderjit Jaipant from India and Hess Baluch from Afghanistan.

Breckenridge Chairman: Chancellor Appoints Building Committee

Chancellor Clifford Hardin has announced the appointment of a new six-man University Building Committee, with Dr. A. C. Breckenridge, dean of faculties, as chairman.

Other members are C. A. Donaldson, director of purchasing; Charles Fowler, director of buildings and grounds; Dr. Franklin Eldridge, associate director of resident instruction of the College of Agriculture; Dr. Merle Stone-man, professor of school administration and elementary education, and L. B. Smith, professor and chairman of department of architecture.

Dr. Hardin said the committee will be charged with determining the needs of the physical plant for the next decade, including renovations, replacements and repairs.

He added that an additional duty will be the better utilization of the present physical plant. All recommendations are subject to the approval of the Board of Regents.

The Chancellor was authorized by the Board of Regents last Jan. 5 to appoint new members to the committee. The Board also termi-

Business Frat Smoker

Alpha Kappa Psi, professional business fraternity will hold a smoker on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in Parlor A of the Union, according to Alan Rosen, president.

The smoker is open to all male students in the College of Business Administration with a scholastic average of 5.5 and above, he said.

Interviews Slated For Ag Seniors

Job interviews for Ag College seniors are scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, according to Dr. F. E. Eldridge, director of Resident Instruction.

Cargill Incorporated, a grain handling company, whose main product is Nutrena feeds, will hold interviews Wednesday.

On Thursday, DeKalb Agricultural Association, Hybrid seed and chick company and Doane Agricultural Service, largest farm management concern in the United States, will hold interviews.

Agricultural seniors who wish to be interviewed should sign up in Dr. Eldridge's office, Room 206 Ag Hall.

Bridal Club To Meet

The Home Ec Club will hold a regular meeting Thursday at 4 p.m. in the Lounge of the Ag Union, according to Norma Wolf, club president.

Miss Sandra Sick, bridal consultant of Miller and Paine's will speak to the group on Bridal Showers and Etiquette. De Chatterson, Student representative of the Reed and Barton Scholarship Competition, will have a showing of sterling flatware on display.

Museum Identifies Artifacts

Several bones, unearthed about a month ago from deep under the farm of Lee Fink near Page, have been identified at the University State Museum.

Lloyd Tanner, associate curator of Vertebrate Paleontology at the museum, said the bones are an estimated four million years old.

Tanner said the bones, badly damaged, were parts of a three-toed horse, fossil deer, land turtle, a cat-like animal and a rhinoceros. He said the bones are damaged by the drill, Fink was using to drill an irrigation well when the bones were discovered at 180 feet.

Some of the bones were damaged so much that about 75 of the fragments could not be identified, Tanner said.

In explaining the unusual concentration of bones, Tanner said that possibly at this spot there was a river bed or water hole where several of the animals died. He added that this was a long time before man was around.

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Faculty Present Vote Opinions

The Faculty Senate Committee on Committees today will consider a Student Council resolution requesting that students on faculty committees be allowed to vote.

The Daily Nebraskan has asked a cross section of University faculty to present their opinions on the subject and the following are some of the comments received.

J. Phillip Colbert, Dean of Student Affairs and Chairman of the Faculty Committee on Student Affairs: "This matter was discussed at the last meeting of the Committee on Student Affairs and the general feeling was that particularly on committees where students vote, the Committee passed a resolution to that effect."

"However, the curx of this matter, I think, is not that students aren't capable of voting but where the responsibility lies. The Faculty Senate is responsible to the Board of Regents and the Regents are responsible to the people of the state. Student are responsible to no one and could not be held responsible for their actions. This is probably the primary consideration involved."

Ken Keller, Assistant Director of Public Relations and Public Relations Department representative on the Publications Board: "I think that voting student membership on the Publications Board is desirable for these reasons: 1) The student publications, Rag and Cornhusker, are essentially student enterprises. In the case of the Rag, for example, students are assessed when fees are paid for the support of the paper. This, it seems to me, is one good reason why the student body should have voting tions."

"3) Experience has shown that student members of the committee have demonstrated that they have the ability and the interest to serve committee. In the selection of staff members of the Rag and Cornhusker, the knowledge and opinions of the student members are especially helpful."

Robert Knoll, assistant Professor of English: "Since the students have been voting on the committees on which they sit for the past several years, it seems to me that the student request to legitimize the custom is hardly revolutionary. I can see no reason why they shouldn't have the vote."

Mrs. Ruth Levinson, Assistant Professor of Physical Education for Women: I expect to speak in favor of the resolution when it comes to the floor of the Senate."

Walter Wright, Assistant Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences: "I don't like to comment on things unless I've been present when the proceedings took place. We have two representatives on my committee, the Commencement Committee, but by the time we actual-

ly vote, everything has been pretty well hashed over and we have never been divided. So whether or not the students vote is irrelevant."

Herbert Davis, Professor of Dairy Husbandry: "We've allowed the students to vote on the Subcommittee on Student Organizations of which I was the head and I'm in favor of extending the voting right."

Herbert Bates, Associate Professor of Chemical Engineering: "I am in favor of it. It seems self-evident that if the students are members and take part in committee work, they should be allowed the vote."

Mary Jean Mulvaney, Assistant Professor of Physical Education for Women: "I think they should have a vote because the University is for the benefit of students and at college level, students should be mature enough to have reasonable judgement and should be able to express adequate opinions on matters that pertain to their welfare."

Helen Snyder, Assistant Dean of Women, "I am in favor of it. My experience on the Subcommittee on organizations has convinced me that students are able to make a fine contribution."

Journalism: Application Deadline Set Friday

Deadline for submitting applications for the six Lincoln Journal and Lincoln Star freshman Journalism scholarships is Friday, Dr. William Hall, school director, said today.

The Journal and The Star have established two \$250 scholarship grants for out-state graduating seniors, four \$100 grants for Lincoln seniors.

Applications must include an autobiographical letter stating why the student desires a career in journalism and letters of reference from the high school journalism teacher and the school principal.

Winners of the six scholarships will be announced on or about May 1, Dr. Hall said. Judging committee will include a representative from both the Journal and the Star and Dr. Hall.

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