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### Pacific Frivolities

Members of the Kosmet Klub for "South Pacific" display a bit of frivolity during rehearsal Thursday. Left to right, Mary Lou Lucke, Judy Ramey, and Sharon Fangman, chorus girls

hold Joe Hill alias Luther Billis. Tickets for "South Pacific" which will be held at Pershing Memorial Auditorium May 24 and 25 went on sale Thursday.

Tickets are priced at \$1.20, \$1.50 and \$1.80. The show features Cynthia Barber, Norman Riggin, Jack Lindsay, Barbara Conrad and Hill in the starring roles.

### KK Show Tickets Location Changed

The tickets for the Kosmet Klub's spring show "South Pacific" are now available at Pershing Memorial Auditorium and are on sale from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily. It was previously announced that the tickets would be available at Walt's Music Store, but it was arranged to have been changed. The tickets will only be available at the Auditorium, at booths to be set up in the Union, and from Kosmet Klub workers.

### Dr. Puck: Colorado Professor To Speak

Dr. Theodore Puck, professor and head of the Department of Biophysics at the University of Colorado Medical School at Denver, will present two lectures at the University on May 16. These lectures are sponsored by the Institute for Cellular Research and the Department of Physiology through funds made available by the Cooper Foundation through the University Foundation. Puck will lecture in the Plant Industry Building, Room 104, Ag campus at 11 a.m. on the topic "The Growth and Genetics of Single Mammalian Cells" and again at 3:30 p.m. on "The Action of High Energy Radiation on Mammalian Cells." Puck received his B.S. and Ph.D. from the University of Chicago. He is a member of several American Scientific Societies and has published a number of scientific articles in the fields of physical chemistry, biophysics, preventions of air-borne diseases, bacterial and virus metabolism and mammalian cell growth and genetics.

### Ag Engineers To Fete Two For Service

Two members of the agricultural engineering department who are retiring this year will be honored at a dinner tonight at 6:30 p.m. in the Union. They are C. A. Penton, who has taught woodworking courses since 1932, and E. H. Slothower, who has been in charge of supplies and maintenance in the department's tool room since 1941. Former students, colleagues and other friends of the Pentons and Slothowers have been invited to the dinner in their honor, according to L. W. Hurlbut, chairman of the department. Penton attended the University and was a student laboratory assistant from 1914 to 1916. He taught full time in the Lincoln public schools from 1918 to 1928 and has taught night classes there in recent years. He has been in construction work as foreman and contractor during summer periods or when not teaching. Before Slothower joined the department he taught in the public schools of Seward, University Place and Lincoln. He also was in business for himself at one time and still has private business interests. Neither has announced his future plans, but both probably will remain in Lincoln.

### Sunday: Rathbone To Highlight NU Spring Choral Concert

Basil Rathbone, stage, screen and television actor, will highlight the University's Spring Choral Concert with the reading of several poems and the enacting of parts from plays.

Rathbone will appear Friday at 11 a.m. in the Howell Memorial Theater. Classes will not be excused for the convocation. He will also appear in the Spring Choral Concert Sunday in the Coliseum. The public is invited, and there is no admission charge.

Dr. David Foltz, chairman of the music department, will direct the performance, which includes a 500-voice choir and the 70-piece University Symphony orchestra.

Rathbone appeared at the University in 1954 when he played to a capacity crowd in King David.

Mr. Rathbone will re-create the role of Manfred, which he has done with the Baltimore and San Francisco Symphony Orchestras. This will be the first time it has been performed at an American education institution by a Symphony Orchestra.

Manfred, a dramatic poem by Lord Byron and set to music by Robert Schumann, concerns an intense spiritual struggle with the forces of evil.

Manfred has superhuman powers of direct communications with spirits inhabiting the Alpine mountains surrounding his castle. These voices are forces of evil.

The honorable side of Manfred and of man appears in the form of three living characters who try to guide Manfred along the path of mankind's noblest aspirations.

Dr. Dallas Williams, assistant professor of speech and dramatic arts, will play the role of The Spirit and of The Hunter, who is the embodiment of man's ability to choose the right path of life.

Others who will have speaking as well as soloist roles are: Earl Jenkins, assistant professor of

voice; Leon Liebner, associate professor of voice; Carol Asbury; and Nancy Norman.

The Choral Union also will perform Mass in G, by Franz Schubert.



Courtesy Lincoln Journal RATHBONE

### 'Energetic' Basil Happy To Return To Nebraska

By CAROLE FRANK  
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Basil Rathbone, a supreme artist in the field of drama, is an extremely versatile person. In an interview with the Daily Nebraskan, Rathbone stated that he was extremely happy to be back at the University to perform with a very fine orchestra and chorus, which is under the direction of an excellent conductor, David Foltz.

Rathbone played to a capacity audience at the University in 1954, when he appeared in King David. He lists that appearance with University students as "one of his most memorable experiences."

An energetic personality plus unusual speaking accent characterizes this noted stage, screen and television actor. A question asked of him was, "do you enjoy doing these University performances such as King David and Manfred?" His answer was put very directly by answering of course, or why else saying would I be here."

To the question whether he believed television had a real purpose, Rathbone stated that he believed from experience, television is and will be a great industry for many years to come. There has

### Cooler Temps, Heavy Rains To Continue

Locally heavy rains that began to fall on Lincoln late Thursday night are expected to continue through part of today the weather bureau said.

Rainfall reported by the Weather Bureau and the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company for the 24 hours ending at 12:30 p.m. Thursday had .11 inches listed for the Lincoln area.

The weather for Lincoln will be cloudy and not so warm on Friday with showers. Friday's high is expected to be 65 degrees.

### Massachusetts Senator:

## John Kennedy To Address University Students, May 18

Sen. John Kennedy of Massachusetts, who last year came within a handful of votes of being the Democratic Party's nominee for vice president of the United States, will address the University May 18.

Sponsored by 15 student organizations, the talk will be held at 10 a.m. in the Union ballroom. The general public is invited to attend, and there is no admission charge.

After a 30-minute talk, the 39-year-old senator will answer questions from the audience.

Now serving his first term as U.S. senator, Kennedy is the third Democrat to represent Massachusetts in the Senate. Prior to his election, he served six years as a member of the U.S. House of Representatives.

He is a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee, Special Committee to Investigate Lobbying, Special Committee to Investigate Labor Racketeering, and Special Committee on honoring distinguished senators of the past.

Just last week, Senator Kennedy was awarded a Pulitzer Prize for his book, "Profiles in Courage," which is an account of the pressures endured by senators who spoke out for what they believed to be the national interest in opposition to the heated feelings of their constituents.

Prior to the war and before his entrance into Congress, Senator Kennedy was a writer and newspaperman. He represented the Chicago Herald-American at the San Francisco Conference, and in 1945, he covered the British elections and the Potsdam Conference for International News Service.

In November, 1946, Kennedy was first elected to Congress. In 1952, he defeated the incumbent U.S. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., by more than 70,000 votes, in spite of the fact that President Eisenhower carried Massachusetts by more than 210,000 votes. Kennedy received the highest vote ever given to a candidate in either party for the U.S. Senate in the history of Massachusetts.

Among the honors received by Senator Kennedy include: One of the ten most outstanding young men in America in 1946, selected by U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce; the Star of Solidarity of the First Order, 1952, highest honor that the Italian Government can bestow on any individual; Annual Brotherhood Award of the National Conference of Christians and Jew; and 1956 Patriotism Award, as "Outstanding Statesman of the Year" from the University of Notre Dame.

Highlights of his legislative efforts include:

—Introduced first bill to raise the minimum wage to \$1 an hour, now law.

—Introduced the first bill to establish a system of flexible retirement under social security to prevent rigidification at age 65.

—Drafted the first comprehensive bill for Federal Flood Insurance.

—Only senator from New England to support U.S. membership

in the Organization for Trade Cooperation and broadening of the Reciprocal Trade agreements as recommended by the Randall Commission.

—In 1956, as chairman of the Senate Subcommittee on Reorganization, held 28 different hearings on 55 Hoover Commission proposals, reported 12 measures incorporating 32 of these bills and secured Senate passage of 11 of these.

University student groups sup-

porting Senator Kennedy's appearance in cooperation with the Union are: Daily Nebraskan; Student Council; YWCA; Nebraska University Council on World Affairs; Inter-Fraternity Council; Innocents Society; Mortar Board Society; Red Cross; Theta Sigma Phi and Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism societies; Residence Association for Men; Coed Counselors; University History Club; and Inter-Coop Council.



Courtesy Lincoln Journal KENNEDY

### Sorenson: Summer School Enrollment Rises

Summer school enrollment is expected to range from 3,300 to 3,500 students, according to Dr. Frank Sorenson, director.

More than 1,100 of these students will continue to hasten their graduation by taking these summer courses, Sorenson said. Two thousand students come from the communities of Nebraska and other states. Each year more interest is shown in the summer school courses.

The session because of new interest in strengthening the library service. Also teachers and school administrators are coming to school.

The nature of the session enrollment each year indicates the summer program of the University must be heavily based on a considerable extent on teacher training. Teachers who are here are working for graduate degrees, usually masters and doctors.

More than 30 visiting staff members will attend the summer session, according to Sorenson. They will come from all sections of the country therefore bringing different representative ideas from the US to our program. There will be 170 members of the University's own staff beside these visiting members.

In addition to the regular classes and other instructional program, a number of special clinics and conferences have been planned. Perhaps the most extensive of the conferences is the one jointly-sponsored by the University extension division and the summer session department on the possibilities of using television to strengthen education in Nebraska.

Other clinics will present a national affairs preview and a world affairs preview. Speaker for the national affairs will be Gill Wilson, editor of the Flying Magazine, and Dr. Jerold Wendt, science editor for UNESCO.

Diane Knotek has been appointed special activities secretary in the summer session office for 1957, Sorenson said. He also stated that the cost for the summer fees are one half of the regular semester fee which is \$45.

The registration date for summer school is June 11 and classes are scheduled to begin on June 12, according to Sorenson.

The eight week summer session is scheduled to run from June 11 through August 2. The six weeks session is to run from June 11 through July 19. The four week session is slated from June 11 until July 5.

A special three weeks session limited to principals and superintendents is slated from June 24 through July 12.

The post session of approximately three weeks is scheduled from August 5 through August 23.

Bulletins for the summer school session can be picked up in 312 Teachers College—the Summer School Session office.

### Distribution Of Cornhuskers Set May 15

Distribution of the 1957 Cornhusker will begin Wednesday and continue through Friday, according to Sharon Hall, 1958 Cornhusker business manager.

Members of the Cornhusker staff will distribute the books on these days in the Union basement corridor from 12:30 to 5 p.m., she said.

Students must bring their identification card and their Cornhusker receipt with them in order to obtain the books, Miss Hall stressed.

"These are the only times that the books will be given out, Miss Hall explained. "If students do not pick up their annuals at this time, they will simply have to take a chance on getting them."

The early distribution of the Cornhusker this year is due in part to an early start on the work and in part to the efficiency and hard work of the staff, Miss Hall said.

### YWCA Filings Close Monday

Filings for YWCA cabinet positions are now open and will close Monday, according to Barb Sharp, president. Positions in the following areas must be filled: personal affairs, campus affairs, religion and faith, and projects.

Interviews will be held Wednesday, from 3 to 5 p.m. Applications and the interview time sheet can be found in the Y office at Ross Bouton Hall.

### Jay McShann:

## Jam Session Slated Saturday Afternoon

Jay McShann and his "band that rocks the blues", which has been booked for the Interfraternity Ball, will perform in a jam session Saturday afternoon, May 18, on the steps of the Union. The free session will be held from 1:15 to 2:15 p.m.

Jay McShann, a Kansas City jazz artist, has played with Count Basie and other well-known jazz bands. His own band has toured the nation and has been booked into top night clubs the country over.

Tickets, priced at \$2.00 per couple, are now on sale, according to Dick Youngs and Roger Rankin, IFC Ball Committee members. The ball is scheduled for Saturday May 18 at the Turnpike Ballroom from 8 to 12 p.m.

The ticket sales will be limited to fraternity members and their dates, according to Rankin, who explains that this was necessitated by the limited size of the Turnpike Ballroom.

The Junior IFC's chariot race competition will be held Sunday afternoon, with the winning frat-

ernity team to receive a traveling trophy.

Each fraternity will enter a chariot in which a sweetheart chosen by that fraternity will ride. The chariot will be pulled by two men from the fraternity.

The sweetheart of the winning fraternity will be presented with a trophy and will be crowned "Sweetheart of Greek Weekend" at the Ball that evening.

### Kinnier V.P.: Gourlay To Head Council

Helen Gourlay, junior in Arts and Sciences, was elected the 1957-58 president of the Student Council Wednesday.

Other officers elected include,

John Kinnier, first vice-president; Bill Spilker, second vice-president; Connie Hurst and Dave Keene senior hold-over members.

Miss Gourlay, one of the few women to hold the student Council presidency, is also president of the Panhellenic Council, a former managing editor of the Cornhusker and a member of Delta Gamma.

Kinnier is a member of the Innocents Society, past treasurer of the Student Council, president of the Inter-coop Council and a junior in Engineering.

The new Council second vice-president, Bill Spilker, is president of the Innocents Society, president of the Ag Union Board, vice-president of Corn Cobs, and a member of Farm House fraternity.

Miss Hurst, a junior in Arts and Sciences, is a member of YWCA, Gamma Phi Beta, and the University debate squad. Keene is a sophomore in the College of Law.

### NU Sponsors Clinic At North Platte

An educational psychological clinic sponsored by the University will be held at North Platte public schools today and Saturday.

Participants will be: Dr. Marshall Hiskey, clinic director and professor of educational psychology and measurements; Joseph Sadnavitch, instructor; Joseph French, part-time instructor; and Dr. Vernon Hungate and William Carriker, both from the State Department of Education.

The team will determine the eligibility of students for special classes and assist teachers with the diagnosis of children with school-learning difficulties, Dr. Hiskey said.



Courtesy Lincoln Star Miss Gourlay

### Radio-TV: Scholarship To Highlight Banquet

The presentation of the first annual Norris Heineman Scholarship Award will highlight the Alpha Epsilon Rho Annual Radio and Television Awards Banquet Saturday evening.

The Norris Heineman Scholarship will be presented to a freshman, sophomore, or junior student in radio and television at the University of Nebraska. This award will be based on scholarship and financial need.

Other awards will be presented to students for outstanding contributions to radio and television at the University during the past year. The radio awards include: actor, actress, writing, director, announcer, most promising new student, and the outstanding senior.

Television awards will be presented for camera operation, floor manager, announcer, and actor. A KUON-TV General Service Award will also be presented. In addition, Associate Memberships in Alpha Epsilon Rho will be presented at this time.

The main banquet speaker will be Eugene Thomas, General Manager of KETV in Omaha. Thomas has managed WOR-TV in New York City and WOIC in Washington, D. C., before moving to Omaha. He also served as the first Chairman of the Board of Television Directors of the National Association of Radio and Television Broadcasters. Thomas will discuss the present status and future of color television.

A reception is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. in the Lincoln Room of the Hotel Cornhusker, followed by the banquet at 7:15 p.m. in the Georgian Room.