



Theater Cast

The University Theater production "Teahouse of the August Moon" will open tonight at the Howell Memorial Theater at 8 p.m. This begins the four day run through Saturday. Starring in the production are Roy Willey, Sally Wengert and Bill Baker.

AUF To Disclose Activities Queen At Auction Tomorrow

AUF Activities Queen will be revealed Thursday at the annual AUF Auction at 7 p.m. in the Union Ballroom, according to Jan Schroeder, chairman.

The five queen finalists are: Richie Van Ornam, member of Delta Delta Delta, Red Cross Board, Union, Coed Counselors and Alpha Lambda Delta.

Mary Verba, member of Love Hall, Ag Union, Coed Counselors, University Square Dance Club, AWS Board, Newman Club and 4-H Club.

Gretchen Saeger, member of Gamma Phi Beta, AYF Assistant, Builders, Red Cross, Pan Hellenic representative and Alpha Lambda Delta.

Karen Schueter, member of Chi Omega, Coed Counselors, Board, Builders, AUF Assistant, YWCA Cabinet and New Student Week chairman.

Sue Schnable, member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, Cornhusker section head, AUF Assistant and Builders Assistant.

Don Stokes, senior in Business Administration, will be the head auctioneer. Featured at the auction will be selling of the fraternity and sorority pledge classes.

Also Jerry Bush, University basketball coach, Dr. Charles Miller, professor of business administration, Miss Mary Jean Mulvaney, assistant professor of physical education for women and the Rev. Rex Knowles, pastor of the University Presbyterian Student House will be for sale.

One of the special events of the auction will be the privilege of throwing a pie at either Art Weaver, past AUF president or Steve Schultz, Daily Nebraskan columnist.

Members of the Innocents and Mortar Board societies will also be offered for sale. Other items will be the finalists for Nebraska Sweetheart and Honorary commandant.

Sorority pledge classes to be sold and the services they will perform are:

Alpha Ii Omega, you name it; Alpha Omicron Pi, shine shoes; Alpha Phi, clean house; Alpha Xi Delta, young maid service; Chi Omega, bus and entertain between courses; Delta Delta Delta, make candy and help on Saturday morning; Delta Gamma, phone duty and shine shoes; Gamma Phi Beta, cook and serve a dinner at their house; Kappa Alpha Theta, super duper house clean; Kappa Kappa Gamma, anything within reason; Pi Beta Phi, bus boy service; Sigma Delta Tau, bus girls; Sigma Kappa, community service with fraternity, Zeta Tau Alpha, cook and serve dinner; Towne Club, clean house.

Fraternity pledge classes to be sold are:

Alpha Gamma Rho, Alpha Gamma Sigma, Alpha Tau Omega, Beta Sigma Psi, Delta Tau Delta, Delta Upsilon, Farm House, Kappa Sigma, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Psi, Pi Kappa Phi, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Sigma Alpha Mu, Sigma Chi, Sigma Nu, Theta Xi.

NU Debate Squad Records 14 Wins

The University debate squad continued its winning streak over the weekend, taking 14 out of 17 debates in competition at two separate tournaments.

The team of Sara Jones, junior in Arts and Sciences, and Nancy Copeland, junior in Teachers, won three out of four debates at the Iowa Invitation Debate and Discussion Conference at Iowa City. They beat squads from Illinois, Indiana and Kansas State, while losing to Michigan State.

The team of Eileen Warren, sophomore in Arts and Sciences, and Barbara Bacon, sophomore in Teachers, also won three out of four debates at Iowa City. Their only loss was to Texas, while they defeated teams from Iowa, Minnesota and Missouri.

Two University teams were undefeated in three rounds of debate at the Wayne State Invitation Tournament.

Rennie Ashleman, freshman in Arts and Sciences, and Don Binder, sophomore in Arts and Sciences, accumulated the highest total of quality points awarded to a team in the Wayne tournament while winning all three rounds of debate.

The University team of Melvin Eikleberry, sophomore in Arts and Sciences, and William White, freshman in Engineering, was also undefeated in three rounds.

The team of Dick Shugrue, junior in arts and sciences, and Ernie Hines, sophomore in Teachers, won two of three rounds of debate, and received the third highest total of quality points of any team in the Wayne meet.

Four of the six highest rated individuals in the debate tournament, Ashleman, Shugrue, Hines and Binder, were from the University.

Four University speakers received superior ratings in individual events at Wayne. In discussion, Shugrue, Hines, Ashleman and Binder rated superior, while Hines also was rated superior in oral interpretation of literature.

Don Olson, debate coach and assistant professor of speech, accompanied the two teams to Iowa City. Bruce Kendall, assistant professor of speech and director of forensics, was in charge of the group that attended Wayne.

Five Teams To Compete In Tourney

Five debate teams will leave this weekend for the Southwestern Debate Tournament in Winfield, Kansas, to debate against 11 states, Don Olson, coach, said.

The five teams are Dick Shugrue and Ernie Hines, Don Binder and Rennie Ashleman, George Moyer and Don Epp, Nancy Copeland and Sara Jones and Eileen Warren and Barbara Bacon.

Four debaters will enter the discussion contest. They are Shugrue, Hines, Moyer and Bacon. Poetry contest entrants are Hines, Shugrue, Copeland and Zella Long.

Extemporaneous speaking entrants are Gary Hill, Ashleman, Miss Warren and Miss Jones.

The tournament is the oldest tournament in the United States, Olson said. The first one ever held was at Southwestern College in Winfield.

Smith, Jones Lose Role On NU Popularity Roster

By DELMAR HOOD
Special Writer

The popular names, Smith and Jones, lost out to the Scandinavians at the University this year. Johnsons led the race with 74, plus one Johnson and ten Johnsons.

Smiths tallied only 41.

The Joneses sneaked over the finish line with a bare 26.

Forty-nine Andersons, seven Andersens, 25 Petersons, 12 Petersens, 29 Olsons and three Olsons can also be found on the roster.

Color names lagged in the contest, too. Browns total 24, with a Brownwell and a Brownfield bolstering the Brown clan.

One Black, a Blackburn, Blackman and Blackmon complete this category.

Greens total five, with Greens, Greenfield, a Greenberg, Greenland, Greenlee, Greenly, Greenwood and Greenwood finishing the list.

Thirteen Whites plus a Whitehead and a Whiteside are listed.

One lonely Blue came in last.

The letter S defeated all other alphabet contenders as the first letter of students' names. Names beginning with S totaled 903.

Unfortunately, no names begin with X.

Second Campus Production To Open Tonight At Howell

The second production of Howell Memorial Theater will open Wednesday at 8 p.m. and run through Saturday.

The play is "Teahouse of the August Moon" and stars Roy Willey as Sakimi and Sally Wengert as Lotus Blossom.

Tickets are still available for the Wednesday and Thursday night performances. Harry Stiver, production director, said.

Friday and Saturday performances are nearly sold out, he added.

Tickets for the three-hour production can be obtained at the University Theater boxoffice in Temple Building.

Tickets are priced at \$1.50 each. Students with season tickets are requested to make their reservations as soon as possible.

The play features a goat, Lady Astor, who likes her diet of sweet potato brandy. Also a jeepster which presented a problem since it is four feet nine inches wide and the backstage door is only four feet ten inches wide.

The story behind the play is about Army occupation troops sent to Okinawa to "democratize" the natives. Ghiesha girls, a teahouse, natives and army officers all find places in the story.

The play itself was made into movies and has been translated into nearly every language. It has won major awards in many of these countries, including the Donaldson award, the Pulitzer award for the best play of the year, the Dramatic Critics Circle award and four or five other national awards.

The audience will be able to see how the technical crew operates when in the last act of the play, the villagers have to reconstruct the teahouse in three minutes on stage.

Two other factors that enter into the success of the play are the wrestling scene and the language used by the majority of the cast.

The two wrestlers, Berni Skalka and Noel Schoenrock, were taught Suimo wrestling by Bill Smith, University wrestling coach.

Out of the 25 people in the cast, 20 of them speak Okinawan throughout the play. Stiver said that Mrs. Robert Sakai, wife of a University history professor, has aided the cast in learning Okinawan.

Foreign students at the University will serve as hosts during the play, Jerry Sellentin, house manager of the theater, said. Tea and coffee will be served during intermission, he added.

Technical director of the play is Dr. Charles Lown, who has charge of the scenery and lighting of the play.

Other characters in the play are: Bill Baker as Captain Fisby who is sent to reform the natives of an Okinawan village, but is reformed himself; Sergeant Glecovish, Brad Bigelow; Col. Wainwright Purdy, Henry Blanke; Old Woman, Claire Cooper; Old Woman's Daughter, Marijane Craig; Ancient Man, John Hall.

Mr. Haksida, Bernard Skalka; Mr. Omura, Grover Keutz; Mr. Sumata, Willis Larson; Mr. Sumata's Father, George Rethmeier; Mr. Seiko, Glen Uhe; Miss Hige Jega, Diana Peters; Mr. Keoca, Zeff Berstein; Mr. Oshira, Andy Backer.

Captain McLean, Eric Prewitt; Villagers, Phil Nelson, Merlin Montgomery, Bill Aksumit; Ladies' League for Democratic Action, Jackie Miller, Alice Virtanen, Sandra Sherman, Judy DeVilbiss.

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AUF Applications

Applications for AUF Board members and assistant board members are due Thursday, according to John Glynn, president.

Those interested should sign up for an interview for Saturday in the AUF office in the Union.

IFC Readies Its Annual Xmas Party

The Inter-Fraternity Council will sponsor their annual Christmas party December 18 at 7 p.m. in the Union ballroom.

The program will include supper, entertainment, and the distribution of Christmas gifts by Santa Claus. Approximately seventy-five children will attend from the several Lincoln orphanages.

The co-chairmen of IFC project are Dick Moses, Kappa Sigma and Jim Whitaker, Sigma Chi. Other committee members are Larry Voss, Farmhouse; Harold Friedman, Sigma Alpha Mu; Newell Kollath, Acaacia; and Vladimir Berniklau, Phi Kappa Psi.

'Ye Olde Yule Party' Scheduled For Today

"Ye Olde Yule Party", the annual all-university Union Christmas party, will be held Wednesday in the Union ballroom from 8 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

Girls' closing hours have been extended a half hour by AWS so that they may attend.

Ruth Colman's all girl quintet, the Swinging Sweethearts, will be featured at the party. This will be the first time that this group has appeared on the university campus.

Another addition to the evening's program will be group Christmas caroling. Leading the singing will be a brass ensemble and a choir provided by Sinfonia. The program will be held in the main lounge from 9 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Bingo will be played in Parlours ABC with stuffed animals and other prizes to be awarded to winners, Ruth Eis calling the numbers. The Film Committee will show Christmas movies in the Faculty Lounge.

Santa Claus will greet people in the main hallway, passing out candy with programs attached. In the Music Room new Christmas records will be played on the Seeburg Hi-Fi set.

Rum flavored egg nog and Christmas cookies are provided in the Round-Up Room where Dave Meisenholder will play the organ and the Coed Trio will sing.

The Union has been decorated with Christmas trees and ornaments for the occasion.

RAM Group Plans Their Winter Concert

The RAM Glee Club will feature Christmas music at their annual Winter Concert Sunday at 7:30 p.m. in the Television Lounge in Selleck Quadrangle.

The Glee Club presents two concerts annually and has appeared over local television stations many times.

The program will consist of three sections. The first and last sections will be made up of the singing of traditional and other Christmas songs.

The second section of the program will feature a brass choir directed by Blaine McClary.

Roger Schroeder is the Glee Club Director.

Military Ball: Modern Cinderella Relates Tale Of Woe

By BOBBIE HOLT
Special Writer

For years fairy-tale readers have felt sorry for Cinderella who didn't have a date for the big ball. A "jazzed-up" version of this story was enacted at the University campus this week end. Modern Cinderella had a date for the Military Ball but didn't know if he were the real thing or a phantom.

Her escort said he would pick her up at 8:30 p.m. sharp. At 8:35 p.m. he walked into her sorority house and called her on "the intercom."

Allowing the proper 15-minute waiting period she floated down the stairs at 8:50 p.m. Anticipating a beautiful corsage and a flip compliment, she looked around for the honor—no date.

Thinking perhaps she had misunderstood the name over "the intercom" she gathered up her skirts and ran back upstairs to wait for her date in a less conspicuous place.

About five minutes later she heard her name over "the intercom" for the second time. She hesitated a few minutes, determined to make her date wait for her now.

Then gathering her coat, purse and gloves and shaking out her now wrinkled skirt she again floated down the stairs. Again no date.

What was this game anyway? It was 9:30 p.m. now and the house was deserted. Everyone had left for the ball.

This time she slipped the dainty plastic slippers off and with a sigh started slowly up the stairs. Then noticing the time she recalled that the coronation was to be telecast at 9:30 p.m.

She hurried down to the rec room in the basement to at least watch the Ball on TV. As she neared the door she heard the sound of the TV set. Either someone had left the set on or someone also had a late date.

Opening the door she saw the back of a blue ROTC uniform. Sensing someone's presence she turned slowly around.

"Where had you been?" exploded from the lips of both.

Cinderella's escort, a staunch TV fan, just couldn't miss "Gunsmoke." He had gone down to the rec room to catch a few minutes of it while he waited for her.

Every few minutes he would run upstairs and call for her on "the intercom." Waiting a few minutes and then fearing he would miss the hero's escape from the bandits he had hurried back to the set.

MORALE OF THE STORY: Be ready on time, girls, or else resign yourself to a date in front of the TV set. You guessed it—Cinderella and her escort to the Military Ball watched the late movie on TV Saturday night!

Patterson Withdraws Surveillance Motion

A motion that would "keep under surveillance all faculty-administration relations in the College of Agriculture which may threaten academic freedom and privilege" was withdrawn by Charles Patterson, Chairman of the philosophy department, at the Tuesday meeting of the Faculty Senate.

The motion was introduced by Patterson at the November meeting and had been tabled.

Patterson said he wished to withdraw the motion in view of matters which had taken place and come to light since the last senate meeting. Since then, he said, he had learned other facts which made a difference in the content of his motion.

Patterson said his motion was also not necessary in light of a motion made by David Dow, professor of law concerning desirability to "approve principles to be used as guides in any future cases that may come before the Academic Privilege Committee."

Dow's explanation of his motion said that it would be even more desirable "if both the Senate and the administration would agree to adopt these principles as guides to future action, without unfairly compromising the position of either."

The motion was taken from the table by Arthur Ward, associate professor of vocational education and was brought up for discussion.

Speaking against the motion, Marvel Baker, professor of Animal Husbandry, said that the motion was not an issue of safe-guarding

Committee Plans Christmas Party

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Grubby Goat Candidates

Candidates for the Grubby Old Goat award talk over their campaigns. (Left to right) Don Geis, Beta Theta Pi; Tim Schutz, Sigma Phi Epsilon; and Dick Hodge, Delta Tau Delta compare attire.

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Old Goat Award Slated For Play Opening Tonight

Final candidate for the "Grubby Old Goat of 1958" was announced today. He is Wayne Hastings of Delta Upsilon. The addition of Hastings brings to ten the number of candidates vying for the title.

Winner of the contest will be selected by the opening night audience of "Teahouse of the August Moon," which has its initial showing at Howell Memorial Theater tonight. The "Grubby Old Goat" will be selected by ballot and announced at the second intermission of the three act show.

Candidates previously announced include the following: Beta Theta Pi, Don Geis; Delta Tau Delta, Dick Hodge; Pi Kappa Phi, Roger Peterson; Sigma Chi, Dick Wood; Sigma Nu, Cecil Walker; Sigma Phi Epsilon, Tim Schutz; Theta Xi, Bob Hanz; Alpha Tau Omega, Chuck Simmons; John Eastin, Farm House; and Bob Price, Phi Gamma Delta.

A letter has gone out from University Theater advising the candidates that they should report in the Howell Theatre lobby at 7:15. Their campaign will be on from the time the audience enters the theater. Balloting will take place during the first act break.

The awards will be presented by Steve Schultz, Masquer's publicity chief. Tickets for the opening of "Teahouse" may still be obtained by phoning the University Theater box office.



Teacher Group Picks Writing As Panel Topic

A group from the Teachers College graduate faculty Thursday will initiate a panel discussion on professional writing at a meeting of the Teachers College Advance Research Organization.

The meeting will be held at 3:30 p.m. in Room 313 of the Union, according to Joseph Sadnavitch, instructor in psychology and measurements.

The panel will include Dr. Leslie Chisholm, professor of school administration; Dr. Don Clifton, assistant professor of history and principles of education, and Dr. Wayne House, chairman of the department of commercial arts.

The purpose of the organization is to provide the candidates with additional professional experiences ordinarily unavailable in the classroom. All doctoral candidates and faculty members may attend.

Christmas Carol Concert Scheduled

The annual Ag College Christmas Carol Concert will be held Dec. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the College Activities Building Auditorium.

The Ag College Chorus, under the direction of William Bush, will entertain. Mr. Bush, a graduate assistant in voice in the Department of Music, will be making his initial presentation of the Chorus.

The public is welcome to attend the event, according to Roger Wehrbein and Darrel Einspahr, general chairman in charge of arrangements. No admission will be charged.

Co-sponsors of the event include the Ag Exec Board and the Ag Union.