

Cobs. Tassels Counter Challenge Accepted

Georgann Humphrey, president of Tassels, and Larry Schrag, president of Corn Cobs, have announced they will urge members in their pep organizations to join the Extra Point Club.

Their announcements were made Monday after the Daily Nebraskan reported 100% membership in the club and challenged these organizations to duplicate the feat.

Miss Humphrey said she would ask Tassel members to join the club during a meeting set last night. Schrag said he would bring the proposal up at a Corn Cob meeting at 5 p.m. this afternoon in Union 35.

Extra Point Club memberships may be purchased by University students in the hallway of the Union today.

No Word

Fraternities and sororities have also been challenged to join the club, but no word has been received from any of these groups.

The Lincoln-Lancaster Extra Point Club campaign was begun last week and is still underway. "Dusty" Rhoads, Lincoln businessman and a key worker in the drive, said early collection reports indicate memberships this year will make "last year's drive look small."

The Lincoln-Lancaster goal is \$15,000 to \$20,000. Rhoads said that a report won't be made on the 1958 campaign until Friday. One ward captain has reported, however, that his group alone has already received more than \$1,000 in membership donations.

Mlle. Seeks Collegiate Art Talent

Mademoiselle's fifth annual art contest is now in progress.

Any woman in college or art school is eligible to compete, provided entries are in before her 26th birthday.

No special work has to be done for the contest. A few samples, at least five, that show ability in one or more media will be accepted. Mademoiselle will accept photographs of originals, either color transparencies or black and white glossies.

The two winners will interpret the two best stories in the magazine's 1959 College Fiction Contest and will receive \$500 each for publication of their work.

The closest runners-up will receive honorable mention and their entries will be kept on file for possible future commissions by Mademoiselle.

All entries for the contest must be submitted by March 15, 1959, to Art Contest, Mademoiselle, 575 Madison Ave., New York 22, N.Y.

Sputnik Boosts Russian Study

Sputnik, education and a desire to know Russia were attributed as reasons for the increased enrollment in Russian courses at the University.

Mrs. Valenine Suprunowicz, Russian language instructor, said that there were 30 students signed up for her 8 a.m. Monday through Friday Russian section.

Last year, she explained, the class was not offered because not enough students had registered for it. Two other evening classes are offered this year as well as the morning section.

"There's been such a fuss about education lately," she said, "with Sputnik and all I think people just want to know more about Russia."

COOL CATS of NU TRY YOUR LUCK AT ALPHA ZOO



WILL THEY REMAIN CHAMPS? Last year's Penny Carnival winners, Alpha Xi Delta, smilingly posed for a victory shot in front of their winning booth, "Alpha Zoo."

Student Insurance Eases Sickness Money Squeeze

Year's Coverage Costs \$15.50 For Death, Hospital, Medical

Student Insurance may be obtained until Sept. 30, Roy Loudon, personnel director, said.

The University Student Insurance Plan is \$15.50 for a year's coverage. Hospital and medical expenses are covered under the plan.

No Limitations

Accidental injuries are covered with a blanket \$500, which is used for doctors, hospital expenses, etc.

Sickness is allotted \$1,000. This is divided up into \$15 a day for room and board, \$150 for medicine and other incidentals, \$4 a day for doctors' visits and a \$300 maximum for surgery.

Accidental death allotment is \$5,000.

Full-Time Students

The plan is open to all full-time students, Loudon said. It is underwritten by Federal Life and Casualty of Battle Creek, Mich.

Students who use the plan must obtain their medical services through the Student Health Center. Loudon cited cheaper rates as the reason for this ruling.

"You can get the same services for sometimes as much as half the price," he said. "The object of our plan is to keep the policy as cheap as possible."

No Shots

Intercollegiate athletics are not covered by the plan but intramural sports are. There is no coverage for shots, unless in event of injury; or eye testing, or glasses replacement.

Dental work is not covered unless it is necessary because of accidental injury. Private plane accidents are not covered, but commercial flights and University chartered planes are.

Students participating in military service camps are not covered because they are covered by the armed forces, Loudon said. Anything that comes out of Workmen's Compensation is not covered, either.

The plan is in effect from Sept. 1 to Aug. 31. Students may go to their own doctors during the summer months, Loudon explained, as well as going to other doctors when directed to do so by Student Health.

Maternity

Pregnancy and childbirth are covered only under the married students program. This plan costs \$30.25, and offers maternity benefits for the wife.

Married students with children may receive complete coverage for their families for \$47.

The insurance plan was developed about two years ago. "We felt there was a large hole in the University's insurance coverage," Loudon said. "Students are a unique group of people. Very few have a steady income, so we knew that our plan had to be inexpensive."

Lowest Bidder

After the details of the plan were worked out, bids were let, and the contract was given to the lowest bidder as possible for the money," Loudon said.

An increase of approximately 7% over last year is expected from students who are using the plan. Last year about 18% of the students carried the plan, while this year at least 25% are expected to enroll.

NUCWA To Meet

Nebraska University Council on World Affairs will hold a meeting for all board members and assistants tonight at 7 in the NUCWA room of the Union.

New AOPi Housemother Finds Meal Planning Biggest Headache

By Sondra Whalen

Meals have presented the biggest problem to the new Alpha Omicron Pi housemother, Mrs. Katherine Morrison.

Mother Kay, as the girls call her, finds planning dinner for 60 to 70 girls quite different from cooking at home.

Tough Job

"I was a housemother at the men's hall at Doane for a year before coming here," she said, "but that didn't involve cooking. All the students ate together in one big dining hall. Even planning the bare necessities of a meal here is hard!"

Born and raised in Nebraska, Mother Kay's most recent home was in Beatrice. Her son is still living there, while her daughter's home is in Wahoo.

Sewing for her five grandchildren occupies much of



Mrs. Morrison

Booth Work Begins For Penny Carnival

... Seventeen Houses Entered in Show

Seventeen organized women's houses have begun work on booths for Penny Carnival, fall coed presentation.

Scheduled for Oct. 3 from 7:30 p.m. to 9:15 p.m., the Carnival will feature booths set up and manned by each house.

Coed Counselors are sponsoring the event.

Votes

Student vote and a team of judges determine the winner. Student vote counts 40 per cent.

The Carnival was moved to the Military and Naval Science building this year to provide more room for the booths.

Dressing room space and the voting set-up have also been enlarged, according to Kaymarie Swarts, Penny Carnival chairman.

"Six voting tables will be provided instead of the two used last year," Miss Swarts said.

Penny Carnival is held early in the fall so that it won't interfere with four-week exams and work on homecoming displays.

Favors

The uniform favors, provided by Coed Counselors, are also planned to eliminate some of the work the houses were formerly required to do, Miss Swarts explained.

Houses are limited to \$15 for costumes and \$10 for booths, Miss Swarts warned.

Costs will be estimated by Miss Swarts and the Coed Counselor president and vice-president.

Booth chairmen must pick up the tickets for their houses from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday at the Sigma Kappa house.

Tickets will also be sold at Ag and City Unions Oct. 2 and 3.

The following houses will participate in the Carnival: Alpha Chi Omega, "Alpha Chi's Can Can-Can," chairmen, Judy McCabe and Jackie Janacek.

Alpha Omicron Pi, "Aim for the Skies with the AOPi's," chairmen, Sara Christensen, Kathy Pisk and Betty Jean Meyers.

Alpha Phi, "Vive la Phi!," chairmen, Nancy Montgomery and Mary Erickson.

Alpha Xi Delta, "Alpha Xi's Al Fuzzy," chairmen, Kay Miller and Ann Walker.

Chi Omega, "Chi O Casino," chairmen, Jana Hruska and Suzi Platz.

Delta Delta Delta, "Delta Damsels in Distress," chairmen, Sue Morgan and Linda Sauvell.

Delta Gamma, "D G's Anchors Aweigh," chairmen, Marcia Hall and Kay Livgren.

Gamma Phi Beta, "Gamma Phi Goddesses," chairmen, Jeanne Denker and Linda Schelbitzki.

Kappa Alpha Theta, "Around the World the Theta Way," chairmen, Nancy Elliott and Lynn Wright.

Kappa Delta, "Slamin' KD," chairmen, Ginny Hansen and Jo Ann Myer.

Kappa Kappa Gamma, "Key to the Kappa Seas," chairmen, Mary Luke and Lynn Tooley.

Pi Beta Phi, "Here's Pies for Beta Phi's," chairmen, Karen Peterson and Glenda Luff.

Sigma Delta Tau, "SDT's Purple People Eater," chairmen, Sue Goldhammer and Maddie Miroff.

Sigma Kappa, "Sigma Kappa Leis," chairmen, Linda Fahrlander and Ann Sanderson.

Zeta Tau Alpha, "Zeta Zorro-ah!," chairmen, Joan Graf and Karen Knaub.

Love Hall, "Send Your Love Airmail," chairman, Lorraine Hadley.

Final theme for Towne Club has not been announced. Towne Club chairmen are Ann Fisher and Linda Mueck.

Last year Alpha Xi Delta took top honors with their "Alpha Zoo." Second place went to Delta Delta Delta for their booth, "Pitch a Ball to your Delta Doll," and Alpha Omicron Pi won third with the theme, "Win a Heavenly Prize with the AOPi's."

Alpha Phi, Delta Gamma and Alpha Chi Omega won honorable mentions.

Encephalitis Hits? Possible 3 Victims

Mortality Rates Often High, Health Official Warns Area

At least three persons in the immediate Lincoln area have what is believed to be encephalitis.

Dr. G. R. Underwood, director of the Lincoln-Lancaster county health department, said Monday that three medical cases in the area show symptoms of the dread disease.

He stated that he could not say definitely whether the cases were encephalitis because it takes several months to discover whether the symptoms hold true or whether they are the symptoms of another disease. For instance, he said that early symptoms for mumps and encephalitis are very much alike and have often been confused.

High Mortality

But encephalitis is far from being as simple, common, and conquerable as mumps. Mortality rates vary with the disease, but they are often high, Dr. Underwood said. In many epidemics they may reach nearly 100%. Dr. Underwood said.

And so far there is very little to be done about the disease. "There is no treatment, no cure, and no prevention but to get rid of mosquitoes," Dr. Underwood said. Mosquitoes—particularly one kind called Culex Tarsalis—spread the disease. They are especially bad around sunrise and sunset.

Brain Damage

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Rodgers' Eligibility Uncertain

Gary Rodgers, vice chairman of the Student Tribunal, said Monday that he did not know who would be in charge of ruling on his eligibility for the Tribunal.

Rodgers was named by the Student Council last spring to serve as a junior class representative on the Tribunal this year. Rodgers, however, has since transferred to Law College where he is now a freshman.

The Tribunal charter calls for only one representative from Law College. This is Joe Baldwin, a senior law student, who has been elected head of the Tribunal.

Rodgers, when asked who would be responsible for determining if his transfer of colleges would effect his eligibility, replied, "I don't know." He added that he did not know who would rule on the matter.

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International Movies Set Oct. 23-24

Two prize-winning foreign films will be offered by a local radio station Oct. 23 and 24.

The films, "Roshomon," a Japanese movie, and the French "The Red and the Black," featuring Danielle Darrieux and Gerard Philipe, are being sponsored by radio KFMQ.

They will be shown at the Nebraska Theatre at a 90 cent cost. Three performances of "Roshomon" will be given Oct. 23 and the French film will be presented three times the next day.

Herbert Burton, KFMQ program director, said the October dates will correspond with a teacher's convention here.

Burton said the presentation was an effort on the part of KFMQ to provide fine motion pictures at reasonable prices. He said "The Red and the Black" was now playing on New York's Fifth Ave. at a substantially higher cost.

Tickets are now available at the radio station. There will probably be a campus salesman, he added.

KK Meeting

A Kosmet Klub meeting will be held tonight at 7 in the Klub's room in the Union. A workers' meeting will follow at 8 p.m.

Frye Joins Army ROTC

Capt. Wayne Frye of Des Moines, Ia., has joined the University Army ROTC unit.

A 15-year veteran of military service, Capt. Frye was previously supply advisor to Vietnamese Ordnance units. Holder of a master's degree from the University of Maryland, he served with the Marine Corps Third Raider Battalion in the southwest Pacific during World War II.

He has received the Purple Heart and the Commendation Ribbon with Metal Pendant.

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NU Chem Graduates Net \$12,000

University graduate students in chemistry have netted some \$12,000 in fellowships and assistantships.

The largest award for \$3,000 went to Jack Koenig, majoring in physical chemistry. The award was the E. I. du Pont de Nemours Graduate Teaching Assistantship.

The Monsanto Chemical Co. Fellowship for \$1,750 went to Jerald Dirks, majoring in organic chemistry.

James Peterson, organic chemistry major, won the Samuel Avery Memorial Fellowship for \$1,200 sponsored by the University.