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## Herbert Miller Band To Play At "After Finals Prom", Jan. 21

### Parnassus Queen To Be Presented Candidates Announced Today By Organizations

Herbert Miller and his fifteen-piece G.I. band will play in their college style at the all-school "After Finals Prom," semi-formal to be held at 9:00 o'clock, Monday evening, January 21, at the Roof Garden of the Broadview hotel. Brother of the late Glenn Miller, Herb Miller was formerly a trumpet player with that famed orchestra. Miller brings a girl singer and specialty entertainers direct from his appearance at the Playmore in Kansas City, where he played for college sets during the holiday season.

Traditional crowning of the Parnassus queen will climax the gala evening which heralds the end of the semester and of final week.

Mr. Miller will select the queen among the candidates chosen from the five social sororities and Independent Students Association. Election of the queen will be made preceding the dance at a dinner given by the Parnassus staff in honor of the candidates.

Bob Hollowell, chairman of the "After School Prom" has requested that no corsages be worn at the dance. Members of the University and are sponsoring the prom. Mr. Hollowell's student committee includes: Gloria Fouts, Lyle Dilley, Ashcraft, and Dale Shelley. Candidates for Parnassus queen are as follows: Arlene Cooley, Reba Holloway, editor-in-chief of the Parnassus yearbook, will preside at the coronation ceremony.

## Wright Audits Books Monday

Treasurers of all University campus organizations are requested to present their books to S. W. Wright, professor of economics, by Monday, January 14, to have them audited.

Mr. Wright can be found in room 12, Administration building from 10 to 12, Monday through Friday, during final examination week. If cannot be located, books may be left in the office of Grace Wilkie, in of women.

Books are requested to be balanced before they are submitted. Cash books, ledgers, receipt books, bank passbooks, bank statements with checks for December, 1945, savings passbooks, statements of the amount of bonds owned by the organization, and checks and money on hand are to be submitted. This will be counted returned to the treasurer at the time. The treasurer must submit copies of accounts receivable and accounts payable.

Financial statements may be found in Dean Wilkie's office. Free of these must be filled out and submitted with the books. Books to be submitted: Omega; Francis Linchield, Pi Kappa Psi; Gloria Fouts, I.S.A.; Virginia Kohen, Epsilon Kappa; Shirley Holloway, Alpha Tau Omega; and Sally Sandifer, Sorosis.

## Eskimo Iceboxes Necessary Says Montague of Mounties

"Eskimos, contrary to popular belief, do not purchase ice boxes and refrigerators as a means of keeping their food from freezing," denies Sidney Montague, former Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

On the University of Wichita campus last Monday as the third series of Student Forum lectures, the humorist declared that as warm in many spots of the state as it is in Kansas. "True eskimos do buy ice boxes but they are used as a device to keep cold, not hot."

With the Mounties for seven years, Mr. Montague has witnessed a great variety of experiences which he added color to his personality. It was during his period in this famous police force that he learned to read and write. This talent of Mr. Montague's aided him not only in his winning over an audience but also in writing bonds and stamps during the war. He has toured through-

monies honoring the queen, during intermission.

Alumni students may purchase tickets at the Fine Arts department office in Morrison hall.

Tickets are \$3.05 including tax. In charge of the ticket sale is Lyle Dilley, and tickets may be obtained from the following people on the committee: Dorothy Hodges, Nancy Glenn, Zelah Dustin, Helen Frambers, Bob Jones, Abbie Slentz, Harold Lutz, Maxine Sargent, Lois Burrell, and Reba Holloway.

## Constitution Is Ratified

### Veterans To Elect Officers

A constitution for the newly-organized veterans' organization on the campus was ratified at a meeting third hour, Tuesday, according to Wayne Simmonds, chairman of the committee which consists of Robert Jackson, Elmer Hidenbrand, Eugene Galloup, Vann Jones, John Stover, and Robert Gerber.

The purpose of this organization as stated in the constitution is to aid and promote the welfare of honorably discharged veterans in every way, spiritually, mentally, physically, and socially.

All veterans separated from the armed forces, either discharged or on inactive duty, attending the University of Wichita are eligible for membership regardless of race, color, creed, or sex.

Election of officers will be held at the next meeting which is to be announced later.

## Staff Members To Be Appointed

Sunflower staff members will be appointed and Parnassus printing bids will be considered at a meeting of the Student Board of Publications, 12:30 o'clock, Friday, in the Commons.

Applications for positions on the Sunflower staff are being received in the journalism room until noon, Friday. Applications may be addressed to the Board of Student Publications and will receive consideration by this organization.

Members of the Student Board of Publications are: Dr. Francis J. Nock, chairman; Mrs. Jessie Lou Givens, assistant professor of journalism; and Mr. Roy W. Elliott, comptroller. Student members are: Reba Holloway, senior representative; Lois Burrell, junior representative; Betty Ann Brush, sophomore representative, and Waymuth Wollner, freshman representative.

out the country with bond shows and Red Cross units.

Mr. Montague contends that "a person can lie with every part of his body except his hands. His hands will never lie."

Author of the first Eskimo dictionary, Mr. Montague expresses the belief that Eskimo is one of the hardest languages to learn. He pointed out that instead of merely saying 99 in the Eskimo language they say "20,20,20,10, and 9."

Writing the first and only Eskimo dictionary is not the only "first" of which he can boast. Mr. Montague was a member of the first expedition, the Hudson Strait Air expedition, to fly north in the Arctic circle. Bases established in these expeditions were the only Aleutian bases in existence at the outbreak of World War II.

## CALENDAR

Thursday, Jan. 10—Kappa Delta Pi meeting.

Victory Bond Convocation. Basketball game Phillip's University (here).

Tuesday, Jan. 15—Basketball game Oklahoma A. & M. (there).

Saturday, Jan. 19—Basketball game St. Louis University (there).

## Enrollment May Climb

### Finals Are Monday Thru Friday

Contrary to the usual drop in registration for the second semester, pre-registration figures indicate that second semester this year will have an increase in enrollment over the enrollment figure for the previous fall semester.

Final examinations will begin Monday and last throughout Friday, announced Dr. Worth A. Fletcher, registrar. Pre-registration ends at noon Saturday.

The length of the final examination is determined in each class by its number of hours credit. Students may find out the time of each examination by their respective professors.

All students should make appointments with their officially-appointed faculty counselors or major advisors if they have not already done so before pre-registration, according to Dr. T. Reese Marsh, professor of English.

New students enrolling or students needing advice as to determining their major or desiring to change their major can be helped through the Student Counseling Program established for that purpose. To be properly assigned an advisor the student should check at Room 143.

In the interests of a more effective counseling program, all entering freshmen students are required to take certain tests at some specified time before completion of registration, usually during the pre-freshman period. The tests are used to enable counselors to give students better advice about courses of study and the choice of a vocation, but not as the sole basis for admission. A student whose performance on one or more of these examinations is unsatisfactory may, however, be required to limit the amount of work he may take during the first semester of his freshman year, or to do some work without credit, according to Dr. Marsh.

Pre-registration examinations for enrolling freshman will begin at 8:30 a.m. January 21, Room 207, Science building, announced Dr. Marsh.

Intermission is scheduled for January 21, Registration for Second Semester January 22, and January 23 classes will begin for second semester. The final date for removing incompletes will be March 2.

January 12, Saturday—Pre-registration ends at noon.

January 14-18—First semester final exams.

January 21, Monday—Intermission and freshman tests.

January 22, Tuesday—Registration for second semester.

January 23, Wednesday—Classes begin for second semester.

March 2, Saturday—Final date for removing incompletes.

## Death Claims Wife Of Dean Hoare

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Lucia Hoare, wife of Dean Arthur J. Hoare, professor of mathematics at University of Wichita, on Wednesday, January 2, at the Gill Mortuary.

Born at Kent, Michigan, Mrs. Hoare came to Wichita with her husband 38 years ago. She was active in college and church circles and in the activities of the Roe Indian Institute.

## Students To Launch Stadium Drive Early Next Semester

### "Veterans Field" Adopted As Name \$250,000 Needed To Complete Athletic Arena

As a "citation to the living" and "a memorial to the dead" of World War II, Student Council announces today that it has obtained sanction for the students of the University to sponsor the drive necessary to raise \$250,000 for the completion of the stadium.

The student drive will start early in next semester, according to Betty Deshler, chairman of the committee.

"Veterans Field" will be the name of the new football stadium, which will have a seating capacity of from 8,000 to 10,000 persons. This is four times the seating capacity of the present 2,500 person stadium.

To present "something useful as well as youthful" to the honor of the fighting men is the purpose of the stadium.

## Beacon Gives Scholarships

### \$5,000 Granted To W. U.

The Wichita Beacon, through its owners, Louis, Max and John Levand, has granted a \$5,000 scholarship to the University of Wichita which will enable four students to complete four-year college courses, as announced by Dr. W. M. Jardine, president of the university.

"The Beacon scholarship is the first received by the university which will take a student all the way through four years of college," Dr. Jardine said.

"The Levands have been most generous, not only in the amount of the gift, but the basis upon which it is to be given—'regardless of race, creed or color,' he added.

"This means that \$1,250 is on deposit now in the university for each of four freshmen, the same to be equally distributed over the four-year period, thus insuring their completion of the four-year college education."

Any student wishing to qualify for the Beacon scholarship may choose any regular college course he desires. To be eligible the applicant must have made at least a "B" scholastic average in high school if he is an entering student or must have maintained at least a "B" average in the university if a sophomore or above. He must have demonstrated qualities of sound character and leadership and must show need for such aid.

Students may apply for the scholarships through the university's regular constituted committee on scholarship and student aid, of which Dr. Hugo Wall, professor of political science, is chairman.

"We are happy to have the opportunity and the money to make this gift possible," the Levands said. "It will enable young men and women to get their college training. We hope we will be able to do this each year. We feel that this is our duty to our community."

## Cram Sessions Jam Library As Formidable Finals Loom

Come hares or high water the search for knowledge continues. Come snow or sleet or rain or Christmas vacation, eager students will jam the public and University library.

Pixie-glassed women with red sweaters and purple skirts sit with bowed heads and devour passages from Shakespeare.

Men with white cords and orange stocking caps gently flip through dusty books of mythology and grammar manuals.

A casual observer might say that these many young people were successfully gaining an understanding of why Lady McBeth knocked off her husband, why Apollo guzzled apples or how to conjugate a few hundred verbs. In reality, however, these appar-

"It is the energy of the men and women that is being honored and only something alive and useful can honor energy," said Miss Deshler.

There are 892 men and women graduates or former students of the University who are or have served in the service during this war and will be honored by the stadium. However, Ester Wenzel alumni secretary, points out that this number is not complete. It is the number of those who have reported to the alumni office. Of this number, 102 were killed in service.

Alumni members have approached several downtown business men and received a number of advanced gifts.

At the present time the stadium is one-third completed and the board seats and steel have already been purchased. Remainder of the needed money is for concrete and labor.

When research for the stadium was started as a W.P.A. project in January of 1940 it was planned that it would be ready for use by 1942. However a minimum of four years was set as the time required for absolute completion. As a result of the war work had to be abandoned in 1942.

In 1940 the University's allotted \$452,502 for the stadium was approved by Washington W.P.A. officials. This allotment covered the government share of the first phase of the project which was to total \$100,000.

## Sorosis Wins Victory Bond

A \$25 Victory Bond was presented to Sorosis sorority at convocation today which featured the music of Jack Colvin and his orchestra. With a total of \$3,907.46, Sorosis led all other social organizations on the University of Wichita campus in the sale of stamps and bonds during the seventh Victory Loan.

Following a short address by Dr. Henry Onsgard, sponsor of the bond committee on the University campus, songs by the University Trio, composed of Beth LaGree, Zelah Dustin and Barbara Brosius were presented.

Dr. W. M. Jardine, president of University of Wichita then presented the award to Louise Williamson, Sorosis bond representative.

At the close of the bond drive, organization standings were as follows:

|                   |            |
|-------------------|------------|
| Sorosis           | \$3,907.46 |
| Alpha Tau Sigma   | \$1,730.44 |
| Pi Kappa Psi      | \$ 606.21  |
| I. S. A.          | \$ 460.21  |
| Delta Omega       | \$ 145.71  |
| Rectangle         | \$ 80.46   |
| Epsilon Kappa Rho | \$ 80.46   |

The Victory Committee is composed of Vernon McGuire, Marian Meyers, Martha Lou Porterfield, Peggy Reed, Betty Jacobs, Clyde Brown, Louise Williamson, and Bob Oursler.



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## January 21 Is The Date

Through cooperation of a group of unsung heroes the campus is going to be treated to the rhythm of a "name" band for a between-semesters fling. Hard work, perseverance, and determination of a group of music students has made possible the appearance of Herb Miller, brother of the late Glenn Miller, and his band for an all-school dance in which the Parnassus queen will be crowned.

This dance would not be possible financially because of the limited number of people who could attend, except for the efforts of the people who gave liberally of their time and efforts. These people worked hard recently and presented an all-musical convocation, earning a tidy little sum towards defraying the expenses of a "name" band.

Joining forces with the Parnassus Board this group of agitators has been able to promote what is probably the biggest social event of the year complete with Miller-style music and the presentation of the Parnassus Queen.

The moral of this little story . . . get your dates early or you'll miss out on the biggest social event of the year.

## Time's 'a' Wastin'

Mass meetings of righteously indignant G.I.'s in Manila have arrested the attention of the nation. In a forceful, but orderly manner the G.I.'s have demanded that they be allowed to return to the country which they fought to defend.

They protest that "army brass hats" as the enlisted men term their commanders, are deliberately delaying the transport of troops homeward that they may continue in their high-ranking positions. Available ships are now at hand, the G.I.'s maintain.

Such accusations as these are serious, and if true, Americans at home may be justly angered and ashamed of their military leaders.

Time marches on, while the thousands of U. S. soldiers mark it idly on sweltering islands and foreign soils. They have left a void in the lives of their wives, children, friends and relatives.

Youth is short. An education, job, or career has been balked for each lonely soldier by the onslaught of this war. Certainly the American people who await their return, will give the utmost support to the plea of the G.I. for support in Congress against his grievances.

## Time For Finals Again

To paraphrase a trite expression, "these are the weeks that try students' souls." The after-Christmas slump is here and students find themselves compelled to finish the term papers begun in vacation and get ready for final examinations.

Burning the midnight oil will probably not help, but it is the common practice at the last minute.

Black coffee, cokes, and cigarettes are the stock equipment required to keep awake long enough to absorb a little knowledge the night before the big day.

Although some are convinced that cramming does not help, it has been known, according to some students, that they would happen to cram on the exact question that the professor asked on the examination.

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## Grad Gossip

Among those service men and women who were on leave and in Wichita for the holiday season are the following: Pfc. Virginia Lee Blackburn, '42, stationed at San Antonio, Tex.; Col. Ernest O. Black, '32, on terminal leave from the Philippines; First Lieut. Robert F. Hudson, former student, home on terminal leave from Camp Chaffee, Ark.; Capt. Lewis M. Belden, '41, home from the South Pacific; Bill McMurtrey, '34, home from the Pacific; Maj. James T. Hamilton, '38, on terminal leave from the European theater; and Capt. Herbert M. Chittenden, '36, home from the Aleutian Islands.

Alma White, '40, who is employed in Honolulu, Hawaii, recently met with an accident and is now confined to a hospital for treatment.

After one and a half years combat duty in the Pacific, Bill McCullough, former student, has returned to civilian life and joined the aviation insurance department of the Wheeler-Kelly-Hagney company.

S/Sgt. James F. Gould, '40, recently received his army discharge.

Dr. Harold M. Scheer, former student, has completed his schooling at the Washington university school of dentistry at St. Louis, Mo., and recently opened a dental office in the Bitting building in partnership with his father, Dr. G. W. Scheer.

Hestell M. Nuckolls, '43, of Bentley, Kans. was a recent campus visitor, following a discharge from service.

## Flu Ranks High On Excuse List

Couldn't get the car started, had a flat tire, bus was late, my ride didn't come, flu, cold, upset stomach . . . these are only a few of the many excuses students give each year for being late or absent from the University.

It is just routine work for the deans of the colleges to go through the day's stack of excuses, either giving their O. K. or disapproval, and once in a while getting a laugh. For instance, one student asked for an excuse for being tardy saying that his sister had a baby and he had to drive his mother to the hospital.

Flu seems to lead the list so far this year in all colleges with colds and upset stomachs running second. Dental appointments and relatives' deaths are well up on the list. Business trips take others and Uncle Sam's Leavenworth has lured quite a number of the male sex.

Several helped during the flood and were excused as well as those who couldn't get out of their houses. A student is granted an excuse on his or her wedding day. And registering at the draft board gets the dean's approval.

Perhaps the excuse that received the quickest NO from a dean this year was "out of state hunting deer."

Deans are generally agreed that excuses of illness or relatives' deaths are accepted. Other reasons have less chance of receiving an okay.

## Officers Discuss Future of R.O.T.C.

A board of visiting army officers flew into Wichita last Thursday and met with the administrative officers of the University. They discussed future military training here at the school.

The board consisted of Colonels Luke D. Zech and Llewellyn D. Tharp of the Army General Staff Corps, Col. Ray W. Aviera of the Field Artillery, Lieut. Col. Paul A. Johnson and Major Carl A. Killion of the Air Corps.

The visiting officers were observing facilities of the University for advanced ROTC training.

Colonel Zech indicated that a complete revision was contemplated with the use of modern training aids and the latest weapons. This equipment will be furnished soon.

The survey so far, by the board, has found that considerable interest in the advanced course has been shown by the G.I. students and a large per cent of the authorized quota will be filled by these men.

This trend is also indicated locally and a large number of veterans are entering the advanced course next semester.

## Schedule of Examinations First Semester — 1945-1946

| CLASSES                                  | EXAM. DAY    | EXAM. TIME  |
|--|--------------|-------------|
| <b>8:00-8:55—First Period Classes</b>    |              |             |
| 3, 4, or 5 hour M T W T F                | Mon. Jan. 14 | 8:00-10:40  |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Mon. Jan. 14 | 8:00-9:45   |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Mon. Jan. 14 | 9:50-10:40  |
| 2 hour T T                               | Thu. Jan. 17 | 8:00-9:45   |
| 1 hour T T                               | Thu. Jan. 17 | 8:00-8:50   |
| <b>8:55-9:45—Second Period Classes</b>   |              |             |
| 3, 4, or 5 hour M T W T F                | Wed. Jan. 16 | 8:00-10:40  |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Wed. Jan. 16 | 8:00-9:45   |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Wed. Jan. 16 | 9:50-10:40  |
| 2 hour T T                               | Tue. Jan. 15 | 8:00-9:45   |
| 1 hour T T                               | Tue. Jan. 15 | 8:00-8:50   |
| <b>9:50-10:40—Third Period Classes</b>   |              |             |
| 3 hour M W F                             | Fri. Jan. 18 | 8:00-10:40  |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Fri. Jan. 18 | 8:00-9:45   |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Fri. Jan. 18 | 9:50-10:40  |
| <b>10:45-11:35—Fourth Period Classes</b> |              |             |
| 3, 4, or 5 hour M T W T F                | Thu. Jan. 17 | 9:50-12:30  |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Thu. Jan. 17 | 9:50-11:35  |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Thu. Jan. 17 | 11:40-12:30 |
| 2 hour T T                               | Tue. Jan. 15 | 10:45-12:30 |
| 1 hour T T                               | Tue. Jan. 15 | 10:45-11:35 |
| <b>11:40-12:30—Fifth Period Classes</b>  |              |             |
| 3, 4, or 5 hour M T W T F                | Mon. Jan. 14 | 10:45-1:25  |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Mon. Jan. 14 | 10:45-12:30 |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Mon. Jan. 14 | 12:35-1:25  |
| 2 hour T T                               | Thu. Jan. 17 | 12:35-2:20  |
| 1 hour T T                               | Thu. Jan. 17 | 12:35-1:25  |
| <b>12:35-1:25—Sixth Period Classes</b>   |              |             |
| 3, 4, or 5 hour M T W T F                | Fri. Jan. 18 | 10:45-1:25  |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Fri. Jan. 18 | 10:45-12:30 |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Fri. Jan. 18 | 12:35-1:25  |
| 2 hour T T                               | Tue. Jan. 15 | 12:35-2:20  |
| 1 hour T T                               | Tue. Jan. 15 | 12:35-1:25  |
| <b>1:30-2:20—Seventh Period Classes</b>  |              |             |
| 3, 4, or 5 hours M T W T F               | Wed. Jan. 16 | 11:40-2:20  |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Wed. Jan. 16 | 11:40-1:25  |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Wed. Jan. 16 | 1:30-2:20   |
| 2 hour T T                               | Thu. Jan. 17 | 2:25-4:10   |
| 1 hour T T                               | Thu. Jan. 17 | 2:25-3:15   |
| <b>2:25-3:15—Eighth Period Classes</b>   |              |             |
| 3, 4, or 5 hour M T W T F                | Fri. Jan. 18 | 1:30-4:10   |
| 2 hour M W F                             | Fri. Jan. 18 | 1:30-3:15   |
| 1 hour M W F                             | Fri. Jan. 18 | 1:30-2:20   |
| 1 hour T T                               | Tue. Jan. 15 | 2:25-3:15   |

## LATE AFTERNOON AND EVENING CLASSES

Examinations for this group of classes should be given during the week of January 14-18. If the class meets for a sufficient length of time for the examination, it should be given during the last period the class meets. If there is not sufficient time available in the last period, the last two periods should be used; but in no case must any examination be longer than 3 hours for a 3, 4, or semester hour course, 2 hours for a 2 semester hour course, and 1 hour for a 1 semester hour course.

## EXAMINATIONS FOR VETERANS IN SHORT TERM COURSE

All classes and examinations held during the week of January 14-18 will be held in Room 215, Science Hall. Classes for January 14, 15 and 16 will meet as usual. Examinations for courses will be held as follows:

History 135 (The American Heritage), Thursday, January 17, from 8:00-10:40, Room 215, Science Hall.

Speech III (Extemporaneous Speaking I), Thursday, January 17, from 11:00-12:50 in Room 2:15, Science Hall.

English III (Elements of Composition), Friday, January 18, from 8:00-10:40 in Room 215, Science Hall.

## "Trees in America" Is Library Display

"Trees in America" is the theme of the new display which opened today for observation in the University of Wichita library, announces Mrs. Dorothea Welsh, reference librarian. The display includes the cultivation of trees, the kind of trees, pamphlets on national forests and the use of trees in art, and the use of trees in making paper, lumber, drugs, and recreation.

Home Economics club meeting was postponed Tuesday because of a special meeting called of all sororities.

## Sorority Initiates Seven Musicians

Melba Bram was in charge of Mu Phi Epsilon initiation service held at the home of Helen Southerland for seven pledges following initiation dinner at Innes Room Friday evening.

Those initiates were Al Slentz, Frances Shuler, Paul McKinney, Beth Lyon, Mary Frances Titus, Mary Margaret Padgett, and Zellah Dustin.

Debaters and prospective debaters will meet Thursday afternoon in the speech department, according to Don Williams speaker of the club.

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# Muptial Dates Are Announced

Mrs. Wilma Manion announces engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Gloria, Donald T. Poorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Poorman. The vows will be an event of interest, January 22 at the St. Paul's Methodist church. Rev. Ernest Gordon will officiate and the double ring ceremony.

Miss Manion is a graduate of high school and is now attending the University where she is a member of Pi Kappa Psi society. Mr. Poorman graduated from East high school and has recently been discharged from the army air corps.

Plans are being completed for marriage of Carol Croft to George William Penfold, Jr. The double ring vows will be exchanged in a candlelight ceremony, which will be read by Rev. Samuel E. St. at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening, January 19, at St. James' Episcopal church.

Mrs. Gene Swaney will attend as Croft as matron of honor. Miss and Jessie Anne Croft, sisters of the bride-elect will be bridesmaids. Joanne B. Penfold, sister of bride-groom-elect, will serve as flower girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brush announce the engagement of their daughter Betty Ann to Pvt. Ernie Ensign, son of Mrs. H. N. Fox.

Miss Brush was graduated from Wichita North in 1944 and is now attending the University where she is a member of Pi Kappa Psi society.

Pvt. Ensign was graduated from Wichita East in 1944 and is now serving in the army on Tiaian in South Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Cummings announce the engagement of their daughter, Nadine, to S1/c Bernie St. son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. St.

Miss Cummings was graduated from Wichita North in 1945 and is now a freshman at the University. She is a pledge of Epsilon Kappa sorority.

After his graduation from Wichita North in 1945 Mr. Witt entered navy and has been on active duty for the past year. He is now stationed in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

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# Wins Scholarship

Barbara Mitchell, violinist, is the winner of the Mu Phi Epsilon National Music Sorority scholarship which is presented to the freshman having the "best major performing medium," according to Madge Marshall, president of Mu Phi Epsilon.

From this day forth all threatening letters, bribes, insults and invitations to "Come outside and say THAT!" should be directed to the new society editor. As our last column goes to press we do not know who will fall heir to "Roundabout" but to that l-u-c-k-y gal (heavy sarcasm) we say "Good hunting and NEVER fail to carry a .38!"

Said the blonde Bob Jackson to the blonde Jane Crittenden: "On bended knee I ask thee to take this ring from me." Moral of story: they're engaged.

On Saturday Ruth Dieffenbacher and Dick Hartwell will celebrate their third anniversary. Been going steady for three weeks now . . . quite a record in this maaaaaad world. Incidentally Dick will be shoving off for college classes soon and then watch that mail man work!

The melodious melodies of a sweet swing band floated down the quiet passages of the library the other morning. On closer investigation we discovered that it was merely a class in Shakespeare, minus the prof., trying out some new platters.

Gloria Lembke received a long cablegram from her boy Olive Bailey who is now in Japan. He wished her a happy birthday and gobs of other goo.

Sidney Montague, the Student Forum speaker, caused quite a sensation in the Commons this week. Seems as though he revealed a lot about the character of a lot of people who were surprised they had so much.

Warren "Veronica" Taylor passed his exams for V-5 and will be shoving off before too long. Figures he'll stick around for the Parnassus dance unless the Navy beckons and he obeys.

Seen at Katie Smith's birthday party: Betty Heft and Ted Leland, Shirley Fisher and Del Phillips, Jackie Yaggy and Don Penfold, Eileen Lucas and Wayne McKay.

Basketball hot-shots returned from a SUCCESSful road trip the other day. Understand they polished off Creighton by one point and handed them their first defeat since 1942. Drake was more agreeable, however, and generously permitted the Shockers to take them in basketball as well as other things . . . How 'bout that?

St. Nick certainly had matrimony in his heart and a labor of love clutched in his grimey little paw when he hit this town. Platinum, gold, diamonds and frat pins are sparkling all over the place. Takealook. Betty Brush and Ernie Ensign will middle-aisle-it when he comes home from the navy. Eleanor Eaton and Jerry Carr will claim their decree when Jerry gets his degree from Kansas State next summer. Bob Rumsey said it with a ring to Kathryn Rice . . . means business. Ditto Nadine Cummings and in-the-navy Bernie Witt. Chuck Forrer has Ginny Chisholm dated up indefinitely 'cause he nailed her but good with his frat pin. Clyde Brown and Waymuth Wollner made it official by the hanging of the pin on the sweater . . . and Jo Miller and Jim Barr are sooooo . . .

The Women's Trio of the University of Wichita sang at the Veterans hospital last night. This trio consists of Zella Dustin, Barbara Brosius, and Beth LaGree.

Three men are still needed in the cast of the play "Claudia," according to Prof. Geo. D. Wilner, director of the play. Appointments for tryouts may be made with Professor Wilner and rehearsals will begin soon after finals.



# Two Sororities Elect Officers

Betty Deshler was installed as president of Alpha Tau Sigma sorority yesterday. Other Alpha Tau officers installed were Lois Kaelson, vice-president; Benita Howard, secretary; Marjorie Thompson, treasurer; Rosemary Schwarz, historian; and Mary Lou Hobson, junior Pan-Hellenic representative.

Sorosis sorority has installed Olivann Shaw as president of the organization for next semester. Rita Lyman is the newly elected vice-president. Other officers are Betty Bircher, secretary; Dorothy Hodgson, treasurer; Leslie Jean Parker, pledge mother; and Shirley Scott, Pan-Hellenic representative.

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Fibber McGee and Bob Hope are the programs best liked by the Iowa radio audience while singing commercials are most disliked, according to Dr. Forest L. Whan's book "The 1945 Iowa Radio Audience Survey" recently published. It includes station preferences, listening hours, what people think of radio, program preferences, and is a survey of every county in the state with a total of eight thousand homes.

Dr. Forest L. Whan has been subpoenaed by the Federal Communication Commission to testify whether the Midwest radio stations should have more power. Dr. and Mrs. Whan will be in Washington, D. C. from January 9 through 20.

The Sedgwick County Medical Society presented a program on cancer yesterday to the freshman hygiene class. The program was especially styled for college men and women.

Dr. Jerry Carter, director of the Wichita Guidance Center, will talk at the Kappa Delta Pi meeting tonight, according to Bob Peters, program chairman.

All students having second hand books they would like to sell are asked to bring them to the bookstore. The new books are coming in and may be obtained, according to Rose Wakefield, manager of the bookstore.

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# Students Air Strike Opinions To Inquiring Staff Reporter

In view of an impending national labor tie-up, the repercussions of which would affect all of us, the Sunflower reporter considered it of sufficient interest to "Gallup-poll" campus men and women and visitors alike on the following question:

"Do you believe that the government should mediate by government fact-finding boards to settle labor disputes, outlaw strikes or, not interfere—in view of the critical national labor situation?" The following comments constitute the main opinions:

Del Kettler: I think the government should set a certain time limit for labor and management to settle, and, if no agreement can be reached within a reasonable time, congress should have the power to either intervene or outlaw strikes to the best national interests.

Van Jones: My opinion is for no government intervention . . . let the management handle the affair by discarding the strikers and hiring vets out of separation centers.

Virginia Curtis: In my opinion, the government should only outlaw strikes in the case of actual violence, or material detriment on either side. . . first I believe in government mediation, and if this fails let the government show its strength by outlawing.

Dale Branster, visiting university student: Strikes? Well! . . . Labor power may be all right as a force to improve bad labor conditions, but when it seeks to control the nations lifeline by tie-ups, . . . all I can say is, "Congressional action by outlawing, at least till the end of a successful reconversion."

John Haerland, Wisconsin U. student: It seems to me that the government should affix wage scale nationally. If the employee is not satisfied with the wages, he could just look elsewhere. Hence no major wage disputes between labor and management. Let it be run on a federal system, such as the civil service wage scale.

Marjorie Free, K. U. senior: I think the President's idea of government fact-finding boards is the best solution because the government could then mediate on the basis of facts. This way the real faults would come to the surface. No actual government intervention as far as outlawing is concerned, though.

Robert Lessing, visiting veteran: Compromise is the only method, it seems to me. This compromise between labor and management will have to come with the government providing fact-finding boards to force these disputers to remain in conference until a compromise is reached. Outlawing would never work, I believe. After all I've just got through fighting in a war for freedom. If I want to strike, I certainly want that freedom. I have confidence in Mr. Truman's statement in which he says that there is no intention of taking away labor's right to strike. What pleases me is when he says, "That right remains inviolate."

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## Shockers Return Victorious; Meet Phillips Here Tomorrow

Returning from a two-day trip that saw them winning from Drake University at Des Moines Monday night 55-41 and nosing out a 33-32 victory over Creighton U., the Shockers varsity basketball squad will be seen in action at 8:15 p.m. tomorrow as they meet Phillips University of Enid, Okla.

Wichita came out on the long end of a 39-32 score at Enid earlier in the season, but Coach Binford expressed the belief this morning that tomorrow night's game would be a battle.

It was the second Missouri Valley game for the Wichitans Monday as they overcame a 14-point lead held by Drake in the first period and were within one point of the Bulldogs at half-time.

It was Bob Hudgins' night as he rang up 18 points and was followed by Keith Oliver with 15 counters.

| WICHITA   |    |    | DRAKE |    |    |
|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| fg        | ft | pf | fg    | ft | pf |
| Beal      | 2  | 0  | 2     | 2  | 2  |
| Barnhouse | 0  | 0  | 0     | 2  | 3  |
| Hudgins   | 8  | 2  | 4     | 1  | 0  |
| Fouts     | 0  | 1  | 1     | 3  | 2  |
| Oliver    | 5  | 5  | 2     | 0  | 1  |
| Scott     | 0  | 0  | 0     | 2  | 1  |
| Krafels   | 5  | 2  | 3     | 2  | 1  |
| Vaughn    | 1  | 1  | 4     | 1  | 0  |
| Durbin    | 0  | 0  | 0     | 1  | 1  |
| Parker    | 1  | 0  | 2     | 0  | 1  |
| Totals    | 22 | 11 | 18    | 15 | 11 |

The Shockers' Missouri Valley opener at Creighton was a nip-and-tuck battle all the way with the locals finishing one point in the lead. This was Creighton's first home defeat since 1942. Wichita held a half-time lead of four points.

| WICHITA |    |    | CREIGHTON |    |    |
|---------|----|----|-----------|----|----|
| fg      | ft | pf | fg        | ft | pf |
| Beal    | 3  | 2  | 0         | 4  | 3  |
| Hudgins | 3  | 2  | 1         | 5  | 1  |
| Durbin  | 0  | 0  | 0         | 1  | 0  |
| Oliver  | 2  | 3  | 0         | 2  | 1  |
| Scott   | 0  | 0  | 1         | 1  | 0  |
| Krafels | 1  | 4  | 2         | 1  | 0  |
| Vaughn  | 1  | 2  | 1         | 0  | 1  |
| Parker  | 0  | 0  | 1         | 0  | 1  |
| Totals  | 10 | 13 | 6         | 13 | 6  |

W. U. basketballers started the New Year off with a bang as they handed a 50-30 defeat to Northwestern State College of Alva,

Okla. Rush Holloway's "B" team took the opener from El Dorado Juco 46 to 23.

## Independents Are Undefeated

Delta Omega and Independents were victorious over Pi Kappa Psi and Alpha Tau Sigma in the women's intramural volleyball games played Monday night.

Delta Omega defeated Pi Kappa Psi 37 to 31, while Independents trounced Alpha Tau Sigma 40 to 16.

This win for the Independents completes an unbroken string of wins through both the soccer and volleyball tournaments this semester.

Officials for the games Monday were Jackie Purnell, Pat Suhm, Thelma J. Bateman, and Ann McLane.

## NEW at the LIBRARY

**TEST TUBES AND DRAGON SCALES** is a book to make the reader chuckle with its account of the combination of ancient and modern medicine as told by the author, George C. Basil, who spent many years as superintendent of the Syracuse-in-China hospital in Chungking which he calls a "witch's cauldron of heat and muck and filth."

**A TREASURY OF SATIRE** compiled by Edgar Johnson covers world literature from Aesop to Thomas Wolfe. It also has three introductory chapters entitled, "What satire is," "How satire works," and "Why satire is important," which will increase the reader's comprehension and appreciation of this type of literature.

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## "Sad Sacks" Lead Volleyball League

Volleyball intramurals at Henrion Gym began to look up last week after an apparently happy vacation. The "Sad Sacks" in League I, came through with a total of 8 games won out of a possible 9 played and they hold the top percentage of .889.

The "H.I.'s", while not on top, hold second place with 5 games won out of the 9 played and have the percentage of .556.

Third with 3 games won out of the 9 played are the "Mis-Fits", who hold a percentage of .333.

As usual, the "Fluff-Offs" are last with only 2 games won out of the 9 played, with the low percentage of .222.

Top men in League II are the "T.N.T.'s", with a total of 7 games won out of the 9 played and have the percentage of .778.

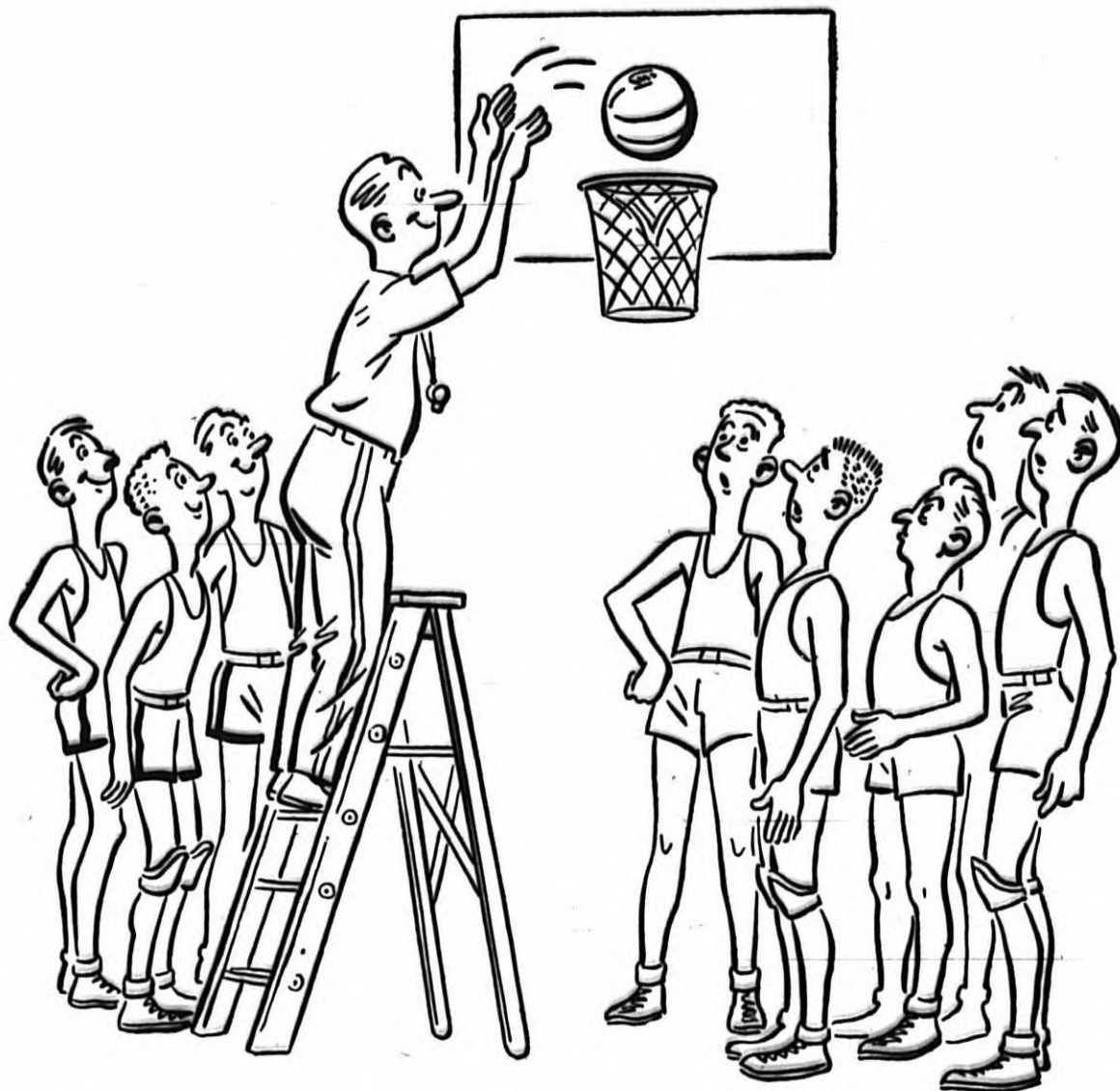
Next in line are the "Exterminators" with 5 won out of the 9 and

## Varsity Basketball Schedule for 1945-46

| Date    | Team                 | Place             | W.U. |
|---------|----------------------|-------------------|------|
| NOV. 30 | Hutchinson N. A. S.  | Hutchinson        | 45   |
| DEC. 7  | Warrensburg Teachers | Wichita           | 44   |
| 11      | Southwestern         | Wichita           | 40   |
| 15      | Phillips U.          | Enid, Okla.       | 39   |
| 18      | Washburn             | Topeka            | 33   |
| 19      | Warrensburg Teachers | Warrensburg, Mo.  | 38   |
| JAN. 3  | N. W. State College  | Wichita           | 50   |
| 5       | Creighton            | Omaha, Nebr.      | 33   |
| 7       | Drake                | Des Moines, Iowa  | 55   |
| 11      | Phillips U.          | Wichita           | ...  |
| 15      | Oklahoma A. & M.     | Stillwater, Okla. | ...  |
| 19      | St. Louis U.         | St. Louis, Mo.    | ...  |
| 21      | Washington U.        | St. Louis, Mo.    | ...  |
| 28      | Hutchinson N. A. S.  | Wichita           | ...  |
| FEB. 2  | Drake                | Wichita           | ...  |
| 7       | Washburn             | Wichita           | ...  |
| 15      | Southwestern         | Winfield          | ...  |
| 26      | Oklahoma A. & M.     | Wichita           | ...  |

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