

STANDING INSPECTION for Capt. Samuel C. McAdams, professor of military science and tactics, are members of the Reserve Officers Training Corps cadet officers group. They include, front row, left to right, John H. Jones, Bob Langenwalter, Jorge Roach, Quincey Utter, Jack Roberts. Back University R.O.T.C. was organized here in 1919 and through the years has retained a high level of efficiency.—(Beacon Photo).

# History of R.O.T.C. Reveals Continued Progress Since 1919

By Francis Curtis
In February, 1919, 48 able-bodied young men enrolled in the first R.O.T.C. unit on the campus of the University of Wichita. From that humble beginning, in the last 28 years, the corps has had a colorful history and has developed into one of the crack units in the Middlewest.

In reality, the military unit on @ the campus got its start in 1918 as military methods and discipline. the Student Army Training Corp, which was organized in colleges over the country to develop sorely needed field officers.

The men in the S.A.T.C. were quartered in two frame buildings constructed in the rear of Fiske Hall. South of these buildings was a smaller mess hall. This later became the first home of the Men of Webster fraternity until it was partially destroyed. Sections of it were later used to build the former Alpha Tau Sigma sorority house.

From all accounts, the S.A.T.C. wasn't the most popular course on the curriculum with the Fairmount men who were unaccustomed to

As the trainees were gradually becoming adjusted to army life, however, the armistice was signed and the war was over. The last man was mustered out on Dec. 14, 1918, but not before the unit paraded in the local armistice day celebration and staged a review for Governor-

elect Henry J. Allen.

Two months later, on Feb. 14,
1919, Lieut. Col. Oscar W. Hoop,
Infantry, U. S. Army, arrived on the campus to assume the duties of professor of military science and tactics. With his coming, the Reserve Officer's Training Corp was established.

By October 1919, the minimum

### R.O.T.C.Men **Participate** In Inspection

180 Men Will Conduct A Full Dress Review At 11 p.m. on Friday

Air and ground units of the University Reserve Officers Training Corps will undergo their first formal annual inspection on the campus beginning today and continuing through tomorrow according to Capt. Samuel McAdams, professor of military science and

The membership of 180 men will carticipate in the inspection, which is part of the program of the Fifth U. S. Army command. The area of the command comprises the nine mid-west and northwest states west of the Mississippi.

To survey results of the local R.O.T.C. program, a team of three officers will come from the Seventh Service Command Headquarters at Omaha, Neb. The inspecting officers who are on the campus today include Col. Albert K. Stebbins, Jr., Infantry, Lt. Col. Arthur D. Powers, Air Corps, Roy A. Kane, Field Artillery, and Maj. Donald D. Diaz, Infantry.

The two-day inspection will include written tests given to the ground and air units today, and the 180 men will hold a full dress, formal review tomorrow beginning at 11 p. m.

Five inspection teams are con-ducting inspections of the R.O.T.C. at 45 schools, academies, colleges and universities in the Fifth Army

### Vital Valley Meet Slated

In what might prove to be the climactic meeting of the conference, faculty representatives and coaches of the Missouri Valley will convene in the Kirkwood Hotel in Des Moines, Iowa, tomorrow for a two-day meeting. The University of



Dr. Earle R. Davis

Wichita will be represented by Dr. Earle R. Davis, chairman of the athletic policy committee, and Ralph Comban athletic director. Ralph Graham, athletic director.

Dr. Davis expressed the opinion yesterday that the time has come (Continued on Page 10)

## THE SUNFLOWER

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# COUNCIL ELECTION FRIDAY



JAMES KERR, who is pictured above, will direct the University Concert Band in the annual spring program Monday at 8:15 p.m. in the University Auditorium. The public is invited ditorium.

Women Elect

Election of officers for the All

Women student organization will

be conducted on the campus tomor-

row from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. with ballots available to unaffiliated and affiliated women alike in the

Commons Lounge, Anita Faye Lal-

lement, chairman of the constitu-

tion committee announced Tuesday

The constitution was approved by the Student Council this week

with a reservation that it meets with the approval of the Student

President: June Cale, Beth Jones.

First Vice President: Persis Bon-

jour, Arlee Vermillioin. Second Vice President: Ru Beuke,

Third Vice President: Virginia Castres, Jean Shrvock. -Secretary: Twila Stoss, Jackie

Treasurer: Lila Smith, Mary Lu

Taggart.
Candidates for Court positions:
Senior member (unaffiliated): Jo
Harper, Helen Majors.

Junior member (unaffiliated): Emily Coghan, Marjorie Raders.

Representatives to the Council will be chosen by the six affiliated groups, and unaffiliated representatives will be elected from the fol-

Sue Bowers, Marjorie Deering,

erly Coldsnow, Martha Roop.

lowing women:

Junior member (affiliated): Bev-

Affairs committee.

Dana Wallenstein.

### Concert By **Band Closes** Music Year

#### Program To Be Held In Auditorium Monday With Public Invited

Final concert of the season will be given by the University Concert Band, under the direction of James Kerr, next Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock in the University Auditor-ium with the public invited to attend.

This will mark the annual spring concert of the musical organization and will feature John Davies as student conductor, John Tipton as guest trombone soloist, and Lawrence Intravia as guest bassoon soloist.

The band recently presented two concerts at East high school and previously had played to a com-bined audience of 6,000 persons in a five-town tour. Included in the traveling schedule were Kingman, Pratt, Dodge City, Larned, and Great Bend.

Heads Orien Dalley, director of the Wichita Symphony, has arranged two numbers which will be included on the band's program. They are "Trumpet Voluntary" and "Finale from Symphony No. 4.

The program includes:
Trumpet Voluntary Purcell-Dalley
Panis Angelieus Caesar Franck
Russian Dances Llonel Barrymore
Adigio Joseph Haydn Purcell-Dalley
Caesar Franck
Lionel Barrymore
Joseph Haydn
Trombone Solo—John Tipton
Roumaniian Rhapsody No. 1
Student Condition

Student Conductor – John Davies
Waltz in Spring Time Arr. by Don Stowell
Finale from Symphony No. 4

Finale from Symphony No. 4

Pavane Maurice Ravel
Concerto in Eb Wolfgang Mozart
Bassoon Solo—Lawrence Intravaia
Scherzo from Symphony No. 5

Dinitri Shostakovitch
Doval Firawarks Music G. F. Handel

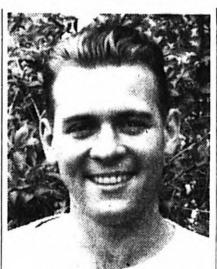
Royal Fireworks Music March Op. 99

### Banquet Is Wednesday

Annual journalism banquet will be held in the Hotel Lassen's Colonial Room at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, according to Pete Greenbank, general chairman in charge of the

Highlight of the evening will be the announcement of Sunflower and Parnassus staff positions for next fall. Mrs. Rene Gouldner will then present the Gouldner Award. This award is made annually to an outs standing senior in the journalism

department. The editors of Sunflower and Elizabeth Dunn, Louise Hartman, Betty Long, Jo Ann MacLean, Joyce Nelson, Mary Faith Pellett, Teddy Rosenberg Speer, Charlana Ceremonies. Parnassus will be called on to de-



T. J. Curry



Bert Davies

### Paper Staff To Be Filled

Applications for next fall's staff positions on the Sunflower, student newspaper, and Parnassus, student yearbook, will be accepted in Room 153 Administration Building until 12 noon Tuesday, according to Dr. Francis J. Nock, Board of Student Publications chairman.

Any student interested may ap-ply for either Sunflower or Parnassus positions. Sunflower posi-tions are editor-in-chief, business manager, managing editor, desk editor, sports editor, society editor and assistant business manager. Parnassus positions are editor and

business manager.

Selection of candidates for these offices will be made by the Board of Student Publications at their meeting Tuesday.

### Student Body Will Select New Officers

#### Campus and Shocker Coalitions To Vie For Four Important Posts

Election of Student Council officers will be held tomorrow in the Commons Lounge from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., with four candidates from each coalition competing for the offices. General election rules will remain in effect, and Keith Fisher election head, has emphasized that no campaigning may take place in the Commons Lounge, and that public address systems may be used only between classes.

Shocker coalition members whose names will appear on the ballot are: Tom Curry, president; Kenny Hedrick, vice president; Jo Miller, secretary; and Barbara Douglas,

#### SHOCKER PLATFORM

The Shocker coalition, besides ointing out the personal integrit of its candidates, is emphasizing its record of recent accomplishments, including adoption of ten-minute intervals between classes, planning of a new Student Union building, revision of the student government constitution, and establishment of a system of fair elections.

Highlights of the Shocker plat-form include:

- 1. Continuation of recent progress and efficiency. 2. Abolition of the excuse sys-
- tem.
- 3. Elimination of congestion in the Commons.
- 4. Arranging for more parking space on the campus.
- 5. Establishment of a smoking

lounge in the library. Candidates of the Campus party are: Bert Davies, president, Bill Geist, vice president, Marjean Spencer, secretary, and June Cale,

#### treasurer. CAMPUS PLATFORM

Declaring the need of a strong, well-organized Student Council, the Campus party promises, through its candidates, to install new blood and spirit into student government, adding a pledge to make constructive use of Student Council funds.

Points emphasized in the Campus party platform are:

- 1. Improvement of student
- parking facilities. 2. Institution of a better sys-
- tem of varsities. · 3. Close cooperation with Vet-erans' Administration.
- 4. Well-organized walkouts. 5. Student priority on seats for athletic activities.

### Spring Event Is Saturday

"Twilight Time" is the theme of Pi Kappa Psi's annual formal spring dance to be held Saturday, at the Spanish Ballroom of the Lassen Hotel from 9 p.m. to mid-night. Phyllis Hardy and Vinita Hood are arrangement chairmen.

Jerry Malone

Duane Humphrey Bob Simpson Galen Christian Bob Rean Fred Schumaker

Fred Schumaker Ed Ryan John Lewis Merrill Gresham Arch Wallace

Bob Gray Kenneth Ferrell Walt Morgan

Walt Morgan
Don Smith
Ray Moore
Wendell Rice
George Walker
Del Kettler
Lyle Woodring
Bill Stiles
Bob Overstake
Howard Overstake

Tel Poulson

Tel Poulson
Dave Stough
Neal Potts
Bill Ames
Tom Tomlinson
Dale Bussart
Tom Hensley
Jim Miller
Pat Larimer
Montie Dunn
Dick Porter
Larry Myers
Elbie McNeil
Jim Edwards
Scott Van WormerFrank Lemke
Harold Scheer
Albert Carnahan
Fred Schoeb

Fred Schoeb Jack Wolfe Winston Sage Vincent Gott Bob Cather

Cecil Kenagy Forrest Davidson

Guest list includes:

Dr. Hazel Branch Miss Grace Wilkie Mrs. Ruth Price Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. George
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Irene Weigand
Mary Lou Hobson
Bill Pierpont
George Pratt
Jim Nebergall
Lou Williamson
Leona Sowards
Virgil Parker
Fred Robinson
Bud Clayton
Tom Curry
Bill Draut

Mr. and Mrs.
Wickman
Mr. and Mrs. Harry
Corbin
Dr. and Mrs. Hanson
Mr. and Mrs.
Terwilliger
Pat Rutherford
Phyllis Hardy
Jennalee Reid
Jennae Cline
Dorothy Bruce
Kathleen Smith
Mary Joanne
Parmenter
Kathryn Ferne
Berges
Shirley Fisher
Charlene Parrott
Bette Bethel
Phillis Hetherington
Joyce Saunders
Marth Lallement
Mary Frances Titus Mary Frances Titus Mary Catherine McNair

McNair
Pat Cooke
Helen Majors
Norma Brock
Mary Kay Hensley
Gwen Reed
Jane Dietrick
Shirley Ledbetter
Garnette Ternes
Mary Ann Cruse Betty Brock
Barbara Douglas
Virginia Kesterson
Roslyn Rowley
June York
Martha Lou Potts
Mary Lou Hereford
Beverly Leonard
Carolyn Smith
Betty Jacobs
Beth Manning
Pat West
Barbara Mitchell
Bette Jo Barnes
Joyce Salmon
Janet Everson
Midge Moore
Bette Lou Calkins
Bobbie Dunlap
Ruth Diefffenbacher
Vivian Lackey Vivian Lackey Dolores Pearson Elizabeth Thies Evelyn McFall Zellah Dustin Norma Kinney Abbie Slentz Gloria Fetters

### Calendar Of Social Events Announced

May 15—W.R.A. Dinner May 16—Alpha Gamma Gamma Spring Dance

Epsilon Kappa Rho
Spring Dance. Pi Kappa Psi Spring Dance

Alpha Tau Sigma May 17-

Father-Daughter Picnic May 21-Journalism Banquet

#### New Actives Honored At Science Banquet

Formal initiation services for 16 new actives of Aesculapius will be held tonight preceeding a banquet

at 6:15 at Droll's Grill.

Aesculapius officers for next
year are Don Overend, president; Ivan Lloyd, vice president; Martha Wyatt, secretary-treasurer; Sam Ostertag, sergeant-at-arms; Lowell Rhoads, publicity chairman and Daniel Stipe, pledge master.

Actives receiving formal initia-tion are: Warren Ashmore, Richard Cary, James Coldsnow, James Donnell, Barbara Douglass, Norman Epstein, Vincent Gott, Robert Haferty, Tom Neal, Edna McFarland, Ralph McNaughton, Betty McIntosh, Leonard Rickard, Gail Schieffer, Elizabeth Thies, Jack Wolf.

#### **Tuesday Picnic Set** By Psychology Club

Psychology Club picnic planned for 6:30 p. m. Tuesday will be in Linwood Park.

All those interested in joining the Psychology Club are invited, and there are no restrictive requirements, according to N. H. Pronko, head of the psychology department.

Joan Bond Faeola Cox Wilma Jean Ross Pat Jesseph Betty Ann Ensign Vinita Hood Rosie McPeak Virginia Watts Joan Ray Marge Myers

Jim Coldsnow Ted Leland Ernie Ensign Sonny Sumpter Jim Keltner Bill Drexler Jim Zehbe



NEW OFFICERS of Wheaties, women's pep organization, are Jeanne Cline, president who is pictured above, Marge Mor-ris, vice president, Christine Christy, secretary, and Virginia Brown, treasurer.

#### Savaiano Will Teach Course At Chicago

Eugene Savaiano of the University of Wichita Spanish department will, while doing graduate work there himself, teach a graduate reading course in Spanish during the summer session at the University of Chicago.

The course, offered for the first time, is designed for those working toward a Ph. D. or M.D. who must present Spanish as one of their required foreign languages.

John Davies, clarinet; Doris Jean Smither, contralto and Joyce Mor-gan, English horn will present their senior recitals at 8:15 p. m. Thursday in the University Auditorium. Accompanists will be Gaillord Mattson and Mary Margaret Padgett.

New Officers of International Relations Club are James Young, president; Ernie Waite, vice president and Venita Hood, secretary-

#### **McDonald Visits East** For National Meeting

Dr. Clinton C. McDonald, head of the botany department, attended the third national conference on health in colleges last week in New York City. This meeting was sponsored in part by the American Stu-dent Health Association.

This conference was composed of 19 committees who are studying various phases of health in colleges. Representatives from colleges and universities in the United States and Canada totaled 450.

Dr. McDonald's assignment was the committee on organization, administration and integration. This committee outlined standard health plans for schools of the country with emphasis on entrance exam-

New Pi Beta Chi pledges honored at a candlelight ceremony last Thursday are Jeanne Rittenoure. Jackie Swallow, John Sattler, Jack Grable, Wilbur Elsea, Charles No-land and Bill DeVore.

### Rhodes Scholarships Are Again Offered Upperclass Eligible

Rhodes scholarships, which were Rhodes scholarships, which were discontinued during the war year, are being offered again to men students of the University who have completed their sophomore year. Dr. L. Hekuis dean of the College of Liberal Arts, amounced this week. this week.

The two-year scholarships which are tenable at the University of Oxford, have been increased from 32 to 48 appointments and will include students from all colleges in the United States.

To be eligible for a regular scholarship the student must be unmarried and between the ages of 19 and 25. A war service appointed may be married and the age limit extended to 33.

Applications must be made to Dean Hekhuis before Oct. 1, 1947,

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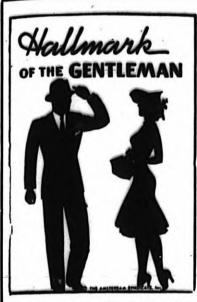
May we see you soon . . . where everyone in our organization will greet you very cordially.

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#### **Art Exhibition Opens** Today In Morrison

Annual senior art exhibition, sponsored by Pi Beta Chi, opens today in the main gallery of Morrison Hall featuring textile, design and fashion displays.



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### Dance Date Is Saturday

"Spring Beau-Kay" is theme of Epsilon Kappa Rho's annual spring dinner-dance to be held in the University Commons from 9 p.m. to midnight Saturday.

Music by Wayne Euchner and orchestra will be featured. Rita Lowe is dance chairmap.

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A partial guest list includes:
Dr. and Mrs. Robert G. Mood, Jr.
Dr. and Mrs. Clinton C. McDonald
Dr. and Mrs. Clinton C. McDonald
Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Washburn
Miss Grace Wilkie
Miss Eleanor McCormack
Miss Eleanor McCormack
Betty Abernathy Wayne Miller
Pat Blume Bob McMillan
Betty Jean Cox
Merle Garten Ray Hinman
Rita Lowe Max Calvin

Gloria Lembke
Jerry O'Hurd
Elizabeth Schultz
June Cale
Marjory Van Camp
Pat Baker Pat Baker Jerry Beardsley Jean Gay Opal Freden Nadine Witt Carolyn Warren Jo Ann Moll

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DOROTHY BRUCE, Queen of the May; Bill Draut, chancellor and Perry Pelley, III, crown bearer, are pictured above as they marched through an arch of sabers prior to her majesty's ascendance to the throne. Annual University May Day celebration on May 9 was a day long event and was concluded with the coronation, reception and coronation ball in the men's gym.

Midwestern radio listeners want entertainment not education in radio, Dr. F. L. Whan, head of the speech department revealed recently after ten years extensive study and survey.



### I.S.A. Elects Officers At Tuesday Meeting

New officers for the Independent Student's Association were elected at a meeting held Tuesday night, according to Gene McIntosh, retiring president.

Newly-elected officers are Ernie Waite, president; Jack Gillespie, vice president; Jackie Swallow, secretary; Ralph Stiles, treasurer.

Men and women division officers for next semester will be announced

next week.

Dr. Penrose S. Albright, head of the physics department, will at-tend the meeting of the Executive Council of Kansas Academy of Science in Manhattan Saturday.

### Gamma Party Is Tomorrow

Alpha Gamma Gamma's spring formal dinner-dance will be held from 7:30 p.m. to midnight, Friday in the Spanish ballroom of the Lassen Hotel. Jack Magathan is dance chairman. Guest list includes:

Dr. and Mrs. Worth A. Flet her Dr. and Mrs. Hugo Wall Major Walter Duerksen Mrs. Marie Reichard Dean Grace Wilkie Mr. and Mrs. Martin Perry John Masters Pat Larimer Patty Lou Volk Martens Dolly Hill Don Yoder Katt Paul: Bonnie Davis Patty Lou West Dolly Hill Katy Burton Don Yoder Gerald Ramsey John Cunningham Tom Wells Milt Wilkinson Katy Burton
Frances Asher
Frances Taylor
Ruthie Wright
Buddy Lov Hanger
Ruth Jewett
Leslie Jean Carson
Marjorie Stoner
Lucia Wedel
Dorothy Voigt
Charlotte Weldman
Garnette Ternes Lynn Lawrence Frank Carson Charles Elliott Clyde Bevis Art Dyer Louis Harper Louis Harper Del Kettler Brick Wakefield Bill James Fred Schoeb Bob Jones George Pratt Robert Fidler John Lewis Harry Funke Bill Ames Jack Nichols Elmo Reiff John L. Rydjord Claude Baker Jerry Jones Charlotte Weidman
Garnette Ternes
Roselee McPeak
Katie Smith
Mary Charles Parr
Cally Braunagel
Dana Wallenstein
Helen Fidler
Martha Lallement
Mary Corrigan
Mary Lou Hereford
Leenda Andeel
Ramona Magathan
Marcia Wilkerson
Betty Brew Marcia Wilkerson
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Cathline Holmes
Ann McCarthy
Ru Beuke
Virginia Kesterson
Barbara Mitchell
Shirley Scott
Midge Moore
Christine Christy
Rosemary Newman Claude Baker
Jerry Jones
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Bill Shook
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Harold Hoffman
Claud Sheats
Dick Edsall
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Jack Magathan
Fred E. Kunkle, Jr.
Keith Oliver
Bill Smith

Psychology club officers elected for next year at the meeting held Tuesday, May 6, are president Jay Kuhl, vice president and program chairman Delores Pearson, secretary-treasurer Jeanne Woolworth, according to N. H. Pronko, head of the psychology department.



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# Admits Five

Five University students have been admitted into The National Collegiate Players, national honorary dramatics fraternity, according to George D. Wilner, professor of dramatic art.

Four seniors, Edwin Sisk, Jack Chester, Gertrude Greenberg, and Anita Faye Lallement and one junior, June Cale, were chosen for their outstanding contributions in

the field of dramatics.

To be eligible for the honorary fraternity a student must earn 20 points in some phase of dramatics. This can include acting, backstage work, radio, publicity, directing,

and producing.
The National Collegiate Players is not a producing organization. Its members pay no dues or fees. Admittance standards are high and its members are not obligated in

any way.

The chapter was established at
University of Wichita in 1935 and has initiated 50 members.

#### Reserve Corps Forms **Concert Band Here**

An invitation to all former members of the army ground and service forces to join the Organized Reserve Corps of Wichita in order to become associated with a newlyorganized concert band has been announced by First Sergeant Tom Alexander, former University stu-

dent.
"Music students attending the University can become members of this concert band, retain their rank held, while in the army, and accum-ulate longevity pay as long as they are members of the Organized Re-serve Corps," stated Sgt. Alexander.

Verne Nydegger, musical direc-tor of radio station KFBI and former University student, will direct the concert band.

Persons interested may get further details by contacting Sgt. Alexander at 301 Derby Building, 352 North Broadway.

A resolution, calling upon the new Congress to appropriate federal money to match state funds for the construction of permanent educational and research facilities at state supported colleges and universities has been adopted by the Land Grant College Association. This will include student nation with an endowed chair of nursing.

Suite 812 KFH Bldg.

### Honor Group Sorosis Dating Back to 1897, Boasts First Women's Group

Sorosis sorority, organized in 1897 by Miss Flora Clough, former dean of women, was the first women's literary and social organization on the Fairmount College campus. Under the direction of Miss Clough, eight women formed the nucleus of the new society.

Charter members were Eva Hall® McGianis, Sadie Ellis Cramer, Cora Bailey, Evelyn Imboden Croner, Bertha Beatrice Baker Morris, Ada Gutherie, Mary Mick-

ersin Isely and Nina Reams.
In 1897, Sorosis gave its first "public" and continued this custom each year until 1919, when it was the first organization in Wichita to present Little Theatre plays. This also became an annual custom of the sorority.

Meetings were first held in Fairmount Hall and Fiske Hall. In 1929, a house was purchased at 1623 North Holyoke Holyoke Hall became the next sorority home. In the summer of 1940, Sorosis moved into its present home at 2010 North Yale which was the first house to be built on Sorority Row.

In 1910, increased enrollment prevented the organization from taking all women interested in joining a sorority. Therefore 10 Sorosis members resigned to form Alpha Tau Sigma. In 1916, Delta Omega sorority was formed by three Sorosis and three Alpha Tau women. In 1922, four Sorosis members helped form Pi Kappa Psi sorority.

In 1932 Sorosis won the scholarship tea service presented by Mrs. H. W. Foght, the president's wife, to the sorority having the highest scholarship for three consecutive years. Since that time the tea service has gone to the sorority with the highest grade average at the end of each semester.

Mrs. Worth A. Fletcher has been the sponsor of Sorosis for 20 years. She was at one time a teacher of home economics on the University campus.

#### Brock Elected Head Of Alpha Epsilon

Betty Brock was elected president of Alpha Epsilon, secretarial sorority, for the 1947-48 season at a re-

cent meeting of the group.
Other officers include Gloria
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Н	12:00-12:30	Music of Maestros
I	12:30-12:35	Campus Chatter
I	12:35-12:40	What's New-Movies
I	12:40-12:45	Shocker Sportlight
I	12:45- 1:00	Song of Hawaii
ı		Tuesday
I	11:00-12:00	Music to Remember
I	12:00-12:30	Music of Maestros
I	12:30-12:40	World News
I	12:40-12:45	Shocker Sportlight
И	12:45- 1:00	Here's To Vets
I		Wednesday
I	11:00-12:00	Music to Remember
l	12:00-12:30	Music of Maestros
П	12:30-12:35	Kibitzer's Korner
I	12:35-12:40	What's New-Records
ı	12:40-12:45	Shocker Sportlight
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Music to Remember Music of Maestros World News Shocker Sportlight Here's To Vets Friday Music to Remember Music for Moderns Kibitzer's Korner What's New-Books Shocker Sportlight Song of Hawaii 11:00-12:00 12:00-12:30 12:30-12:35 12:35-12:40

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Robert Marck, director of Plane-view High School orchestra and member of Wichita Symphony, was member of Wichita Symphony, was guest director of the annual spring concert by the University Symphony Orchestra, Monday in the auditorium. Marek conducted his own composition, "Cool Tombs."

Marek, veteran of three years of sowice in the annual has been composition.

service in the army, has been composing for 10 years. He was proclaimed one of the most prominent composers in the country by Orien Dalley, director of the Wichita Symphony.

Personnel of history and political science departments will hold their annual picnic at instructor Harry Corbin's cabin near Lake Afton Sunday, according to Dr. Hugo Wall, head of political science de-

### Parnassus s Completed

Student Yearbook will be dis tributed as soon as the covers become available, Bill Mendell, Parnassus editor has stated. This is expected to be before finals are over.

Mendell stated that all work has been completed on the yearbook and it is now in the process of being printed.

"Each student will have to sign for his own copy of the yearbook," Mendell said.

Students attending the Univer-sity second semester only will be required to pay \$1.50 upon receipt of their Parnassus. This amount is paid both first and second semes. ter for the yearbook.



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### Selected Hit Tunes

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During his career Ty Cobb stole 892 bases to set a major league record in baseball.

Combination locks checked out Kelly Given Award from the bookstore must be returned by May 29.



### To Wisconsin School

R. J. Kelly, senior and assistant in the physics department received an assistantship award to the University of Wisconsin graduate school according to Dr. Penrose S. Albright, head of the physics department

Kelly who majored in physics, has been under the supervision of Dr. Albright.

Kelly, a veteran, is a graduate of Joplin, Missouri Junior College. He entered the University in 1941 and graduates this spring.

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### 'Voice of the Student Body' Is Principal Role of Council

If any student has any complaint about anything on the campus, all he has to do is inform a member of the Student Council and he will get a hearing. "The Council member is obligated to bring the matter before the Student Council for discussion in an open meeting," says Bob Fidler, senior representative.

is the main job of the Student Council, headed by Keith Oliver, presi-

dent, but there are many others.

Another task is the administration of student matters, such as supervision of student elections.

All student activities are supervised by the Council. It arranges all official walkouts and takes charge of various programs, such as Homecoming and May Day celebrations, and pep rallies. All var-sities are held under the auspices of the Council which selects the varsity committee.

The Student Council also acts as a liaison between the student and the faculty or the Board of Regents. The student government speaking for the student body endorsed Saturday classes suggested

by the faculty.

Plans for the building of a new Student Union Building are now being considered by the Council.

Fifty cents of the student activity fee goes to the Student Council. With this money it also assists on

special projects.

The Council published and printed the Student Directory. It assisted Orchesis last semester by underwriting the Charles Weidman dance concert.

A new public address system for use at varsities was bought with Student Council money this year. Radio maintenance costs and maga-

Acting as the voice of the student zine subscriptions in the Commons

The Council also assists organizations on the campus by providing funds to send their members to various meetings and conventions. Lester Rosen of the Sunflowers staff was sent to Denver with Student Council money, to cover the University freshman basketball game last month in the National A.A.U. tournament.

Different prize awards throughout the year come out of the Council fund. Prizes for the best Homecoming decoration, best varsity skit, and best Hippidrome skit are provided by the Council.

These are only a few of the services that the Student Council provides. "Work on the Student Council is hard work—almost a full time job," Fidler said. "The Constitu-tion calls for a meeting every two weeks but we usually have so much to accomplish that we meet every

Members of the Student Council in addition to Oliver and Fidler are: Keith Fisher, vice president; Doro-thy Bruce, treasurer; Mary Lou Hobson, secretary; senior woman's representative Joan Bond; junior representatives Bill Mandle and Maxae Wells Fey; sophomore representatives Kenneth Hedrick and Margaret Ann Hesse, and freshman representatives Howard Current and Jo Ann McKinley.

President Harold W. Dodds of Princeton University has announced the establishment of a program of special invitation graduate fellowships to encourage younger scholars whose careers were interrupted by the war to return to the academic or teaching profession.



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#### FORWARD MARCH!

One organization on the campus which boasts a colorful history is the Reserve Officers. Training Corps, which today and tomorrow undergoes a formal inspection by the Fifth U. S. Army command.

The unit on the campus has grown from 48 men in 1919 to its present strength of 180 in both the air and ground units.

Of these 180 men, 102 are veterans of World War II.
Captain Samuel C. McAdams, professor of military science and tactics, his staff including officers and enlisted men, are responsible for the successful reorganization of the unit since the war. Captain McAdams and his staff have developed a unit that this University and the city may well be proud.

Unlike some schools throughout the nation, the local R.O.-T.C. unit has been considered and treated as a department of the University. This has re-sulted not only in closer cooperation but a better under-

standing of the problems of the school and the military. The University of Wichita R.O.T.C. program has been successful in that it has produced the type of officers that are required by our nation in times of emergency. The R.O.T.C. here has consistently been a winner of the Blue Star award, indicating excellency.
On this the first formal in-

inspection since before the war, the Sunflower salutes Captain McAdams, his staff and his unit and wishes them continued



AY 15 is the deadline to apply for leaves under Public Law 346, in the case of veterans not

going to summer school.

May 15-29 veterans going to summer school may apply for leave for the period from May 30 to June 8.

APSED insurance may be reinstated Friday, May 16. Veterans are advised to attend to this matter as soon as possible, as the deadline

is drawing near. Veterans under Public Law 346 who desire to change their course of training must have prior ap-proval of the Veterans Administra-tion. Changing from one college

the VA Guidance Center immedi-

Three University freshmen, Elrince University Treshmen, Elvin Doane, James Dennison, and Ray Howard received private pilot certificates according to Dr. Penrose S. Albright, who is in charge of the pilot training program here at the University of Wichita.

To receive these certificates these

students completed the pilot train-ing program here at the University.

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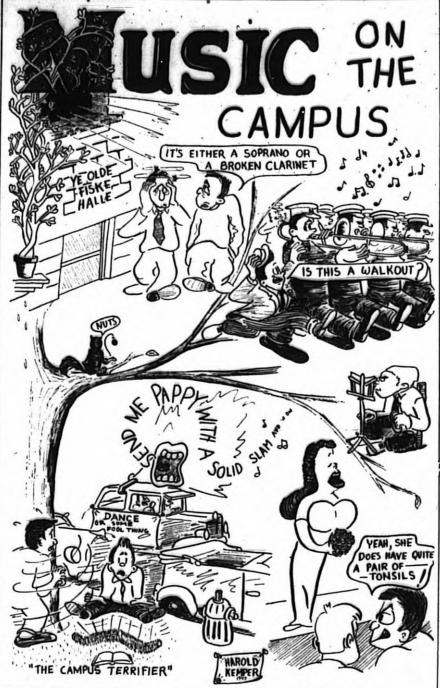
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#### GRAD GOSSIP

By Mickey McCoy

'17 of 940 N. Yale is the newly elected state president of P. E. O. She has been a member of the state board for five years, and the new honor came at the annual state convention in Dodge City, Kansas

All Women's Honor Group alumnae will be interested to know that the new procedure for informing the girls of their honor was inof training must have prior approval of the Veterans Administration. Changing from one college to another is considered 'change of course', and must have prior approval.

VETERANS transferring to other universities for summer school must have a supplemental certificate of eligibility to present to that school. Application for supplementary certificates should be made at the VA Guidance Center immediation. In the girls of their honor was inaugurated at the May Day Coronation last week. This ceremony is called 'Tapping' and follows the method used by Mortar Board, national Women's Honor Group. The girls are now selected in the spring of their junior year and will act as an honorary service group. They are brought out of the audience and taken up on the stage to receive the honor. This is one step closer to affiliation with the national group.

OLIVER B. Elliott '42 (Alpha Gam) was elected president of the Young Adult conference of the West Central Y.M.C.A. area in Kansas City two weeks ago. It will be his responsibility to coordinate and enlarge the programs of 81 Y.M. associations in the five-state area.

Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Mueller ('38) announce the birth of Barbara Ann, born May 5 here in Wichita, The Dr. H. R. Knoch's (Peggy Tack '39) of Philadelphia are proud parents of a son, Carl Roebling Knoch, born April 30.

ERANK A. Stewart (Men of Webster '18) was appointed by Dr. Jardine to be the University representative at the inauguration of resentative at the inauguration of David B. Owen as new president of Bradley University in Peoria. Stewart is retail advertising manager of the Peoria Newspapers, Inc. and lives 26 1208 North Street in Peoria. His letter to Dr. Jardine reads, "It was a source of sincere pride to me that my own University of Wichita could be represented among the more than two hundred educational institutions and learned societies who sent delegates to Bradley's inaugural events."—
"Thank you again for the privilege of representing my college."

SOUTH HADLEY, Mass.—(I.P.)
Increases in the cost of living have compelled a \$200 rise in tuition fees at Mount Holyoke College for next year, President Roswell Gray Ham announced here recently. The increase, voted "with genuine regret" by the board of trustees at the spring meeting, brings to \$1400 the annual fee for board, room and tuition for each student enrolled in 1947-48.

Pointing out that the \$100 increase in rates which went into ef-

Since the story of his regaining his eyesight appeared in newspa pers in many cities, Dean Hoare has received many letters from people all over the United Staes including several of his former students, and several of his former students, and with no immediate allevia many graduates. Letters came from prospect except the raising process. Letters came from prospect except the raising During the past year "every schwedler '19 from San Diego, Betty Lou Crawford '40 who is in Denver, Kenneth K. Jones who is tion of our plant," he said.

CHRISTINE (Mrs. H. O.) Davis teaching pharmacology in Medical School in Chicago and ever so many

Just recently found out that another University graduate is at Harvard—this time it's Charles Terrell (Gamma '42). He's at Gallatin A-21, Soldiers Field, Boston 63, Massachusetts.

MAJOR Arlo Mitchell '37 can now be called Mister. He's on terminal leave and will temporarily be at 1911 Bayley here in Wichita. Arlo was, until last week, at Camp Campbell, Kentucky.

When you're looking for groceries in Blackwell, try Wilt's Grocery Store . . . and ask for Glen E. Wilt

Helen McCaslin '46, Helen Hege '45 and Virginia Covey (f/s) returned last week from a state meeting in Topeka, Ks., concerning Social Welfare problems. The two
Helens and Virginia are associated with the Sedgwick Co. Board here in Wichita.

BETTY Deshler '46, who is with the Y.W.C.A. in Sioux City, Iowa, came down for the May Day

celebration last Friday.

Max W. Milbourn '38, assistant to President Jardine, left Monday night to attend the annual nationai meeting of the American College Public Relations Assn. in St. Louis, Mo. Max is chairman on the committee on exhibits and is state membership chairman.

### College Costs Rise; Holyoke Ups Tuition Fees Second Time

crease in rates which went into ef-fect in September 1946 had not solved the financial dilema created by rising prices, President Ham reported "a disturbing deficit" with no immediate alleviation in prospect except the raising of fees. During the past year "every economy has been practiced except the lowering of standards and deple-

### Study In Race Relations

By Anna Lampkin

In the race relations class both Negro and White have learned much about our American dilemma, its background and its effect upon on modern democracy.

Schedule of Examinations—2nd Semester

swer is minority groups who have been suppressed by discrimination been suppressed by discrimination which I think applies to all minority applies applies applies and minority applies appl and segregation economically, po-litically and socially. Their struggle for facial equality is a war within itself. Many Americans are not fully aware of problems which arise from minority groups who endea-vor to better their status by contin-

ally fighting for equal rights.

What is our dilemma? The an-class textbook An American Dilen. which I think applies to all minori.

ty groups:
"It suggests something difficult to settle and equally difficult to leave alone."

Our race relations class concludes that education is the dominant factor that will aid in solving the prob-Gunnar Myrdal, author of the lems of minority groups.

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Examinations for this group of classes should be given during the week of May 23-28. 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 5 hour course, 2 hours for a 2 semester hour course and 1 hour for a 1 hour semester hour course.

EVENING CLASSES

Boyd Raeburn (Jewel) "Innova-

This is an album of more merit than you will likely find in the next year's searching. I honestly have been afraid of saying too much about this guy Raeburn, but the time has come to get out on the limb or shut up. The latter is something I'm not about ready to do. Raeburn has attempted to raise the level of jazz to a pinnacle not yet attained by any other modern musi-cian, and I'm not sure he has suc-ceeded; but Boyd Raeburn has the nerve to try something which will add very little luster to his name

if the public laughs it off as a pub-

licity trick.

The musicianship is of too high a standard for such a thing as cheap tricks. This is a revolutionary movement of musical thought, and its done with an exactness seldom heard in the dance field of dom heard in the dance field of music. Raeburn's arrangements of "Body and Soul" and "Temptation" with Ginnie Powell singing the vocal is extreme voicing; the progressive modern will get a great boot out of "Dalvatore Sally"; but for the "middle of the roaders" who are completely disgusted with band barbershop harmonies and equally as nauseated with the bag of musical dissonance of the "Behop" jivefive, Boyd Raeburn has successfully engaged our interest with the engaged our interest with the bands' playing of "Over the Rain-bow" and "Little Boyd Blue".

These arrangements don't check with the harmony book which Pro-fessor Stickystuffer recommends, and die-hard reactionaries like him will most likely label the whole experiment as a cloak for incom- than 35 students each.

petency and mediocrity. Don't be lieve it. Raeburns' pull up the musical ladder has been a long hard climb, and he's jumped with both feet into an explosive controvers; but he has decided (and so have I) that the public is eager to hear music that is an advancement over the purists of the past five hundred years. I can only urge you to listen. Don't make snap decisions. Give the guy a chance to prove his point. That's my word to the wise. Claude Thornhill (Columbia) "We Knew It All The Time" and "Would You Believe It?"

Here's another semi-symphonic approach to modern dance music. The arrangements of both sides are prettied up for Thornhill's ine piano style, and Fran Warren (It's me piano style, and page 1). a girl) sings the second chorus. Very delightful listening for you Claude Thornhill fans.

Claude Thornhill fans.
Elliot Lawrence (Columbia)
"Willie" and "Speaking of Angels".
The Elliott Lawrence band has been neglected much too long, and with a rhythm touch which few sweet bands are able to accomplish without stinking up the whole thing with a sugar drip. You can guess the style—it's a symphonic flavor, which must prove something or other. I must be in a classic mood. But all the bands are using oboes, bassoons, tymps, and what have bassoons, tymps, and what have you. Jack Hunter and Rosalind Patton take the vocal chorus while Lawrence brightens both sides with his keyboard boogie.

Eighty-three per cent of the 566 classes now being taught in the University of Wichita have less

### **English Students At Texas Use** Filmstrips as Aid to Study

AUSTIN, TEX.—(I.P.)—Filmstrips and visual aid have come to the rescue of University of Texas freshman English students struggling with such things as phrases, clauses, parallel structure, and principal uses of the comma.

After a year of experimentation @ with using filmstrips in some freshman English classes, and comparing grades and reactions with students in classes with non-visual aids, the repartment of English has concluded two things: (1) the filmstrip will work in college English classes, and (2) it will work fairly well.

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students passed their work in visual sections, and 69.08 passed in non-visual sections. There were larger percentages of A's, B's, and Cs in the visual sections, and a considerably smaller percentage of

These statistics were reported by Dr. Joseph J. Jones, associate professor of English, who first began working on the filmstrips in 1942. In 1945 the department of Eng-

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### Milbourn Is Attending Meeting In St. Louis

Max Milbourn, acting head of the journalism department and assistant to the president, is in St. Louis attending the convention of the American College Public Relations Association.

Milbourn is state membership chairman for Kansas and is chairman of the convention committee on exhibits.

More than 300 colleges are rep resented at the convention.

lish was given an appropriation for materials and equipment, and the actual use of the strips was made in 1945-46.

"It remains for the profession to see what can be done with this new tool of teaching," Dr. Jones said. "The chief complaint of instructors was lack of time to make entirely adequate use of the material the strips provided. Most students favor showing the strips only once a week.

"The filmstrip can do good work in freshman English; this fact has been demonstrated both statistically and subjectively. How much this work can be improved is yet unknown. Filmstrips should soon take their place as an indispensable adjunct to the study of English composition."



#### Men Wanted For **Woodward Job**

One-hundred able-bodied men are needed to help clean debris away in Woodward, Okla., according to Chamber of Com-merce officials. The group will leave at 2:30 Saturday afternoon and return Sunday night. Army personnel will furnish barracks and food. Contact Tom Orr, Coleman Co.

#### Picnic Planned For Faculty Is Saturday

For the first time since before the war, University Dames are sponsoring a picnic for all Uni-versity faculty members and fam-ilies. Linwood Park has been reserved for the event from 5 until 10 p.m. Saturday.

Entertainment games before the fried chicken dinner and old silent motion picture

ner and old silent motion picture comedies following. About 200 guests are expected to attend, said Mrs. Lloyd McKinley, president.
Picnic chairman, Mrs. S. S. Majors, is being assisted by Mrs. Harold Decker, Mrs. Kenneth Razak, Mrs. A. A. Wichmann, Mrs. Wilbur Ehrsam, Mrs. John Rydjord and Mrs. D. R. Robertson.

All Women students who have a change in address or activities are asked to check with Grace Wilkie, dean of women, in her office as soon as possible.

New Officers of Home Economics Club are Wanda Vott, president; Katherine Maloney, vice president; Mildred Schaaf, secretary and Cor-rine Nuckolls, treasurer.

### Military Frat Elects Heads

Formal initiation of pledges for the newly reorganized Scabbard and Blade, national honorary military fraternity, will be held at a sunrise ceremony May 30, according to Roland Allen, fraternity Captain. The initiation will be followed by a breakfast at Droll's Grill.

Scabbard and Blade pledges are chosen on the basis of their leader-

ship, military and scholastic standings, and their willingness to participate in campus activities. Membership in the organization is open to advanced military science students only, Allen stated.

Pledges have elected the following officers: James McIntosh, Caping officers: James McIntosh, Captain, Hal Bingham, First Lieutenant, Jack Tetrick, Second Lieutenant, and Leroy Berry, First Sergeant. Other pledges are Jorge Roach, Dick Markwell, Albert Dempsey, Morris Miles, Virgil Moore, William Daniels, J. R. Lasswell, Robert Lynch, Jr., George Denninghoff, Robert Sauzek, Russell Crammer, James Denninghoff. sell Crammer, James Denninghoff, Charles Johnson, Hilburn Platt, Jr. Robert Langenwalter, and Bill

Angle.

The fraternity was ordered inactive in 1943 by the United States War Department and until this year no plans for reorganization had been made.

Officers and actives of the organization are Roland Allen, Cap-tain; Warren Wallis, First Lieu-tenant, Dale Fair, Second Lieutenant; Sam Namee, First Sergeant; Harold Lutz, Edward Wingate and Paul MacCauley.

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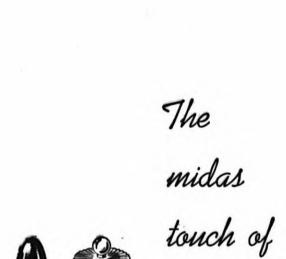
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### Registration Rules Made

Dean Leslie B. Sipple, director of the summer session, announces the following regulations to govern registration June 9, in the Wo-

Priority will be given to students who have filed their tentative schedules, and a classified list will be prepared by the registrar's office and will be used at the north entrance of the gym where the registration will take place.

According to the list prepared, juniors and seniors whose last names begin with letters from "A" through "M" will register from 7:30 to 8:30 a. m. juniors and seniors whose last names begin with letters "N" through "Z" will register from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m.

Sophomores and freshman who have filed tentative schedules will register from 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. A" through "M" will register from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m. and "N" through "Z" from 10:30 to 11:30 a. m.

Any student failing to register at the hour appointed will be given an opportunity to enroll at 3 p. m. The registration hall will close for lunch during the noon hour.

All other students will be advised and will register during the afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock.

#### Pi Beta Chi Initiation Service Is Saturday

Pi Beta Chi will be installed as the Alpha Omega chapter of Kappa Pi, national art fraternity, following a formal banquet at Droll's English Grill Saturday eve-

Emily B Anderson, national president of Kappa Pi, will arrive by plane from Mount Pleasant, Iowa, Friday evening for the installation service and Drew Du-bosh, national vice president, is

expected.

Tea will be served Sunday in the home of Clayton H. Staples, pro-fessor and head of the art department, in honor of Mrs. Anderson

Those initiated as charter memberes of Alpha Omega are Walter Lengel, Alma Eikerman, Martha Brennan, Faeola Cox, Jackie Cox, Margaret Greeley, Marge Haugh-ton, Jerry Kelly, Del Kettler, Helen Liners, Mary McNair, Hilda Penner, Mary Louise Steinbuchel, Arlene Cooley, Velma Howard, Elizabeth Dunn, Charles Kittle, Marge Shaeffer, Charles Noland, Jeanne Rittenoure, Jackie Swallow, Bill DeVore, Wilbur Elsea, John Sattler and Jack Grable.

Dr. Cecil B. Read, head of the mathematics department has been invited to address the Central Association of Science and Mathematics Teachers in Chicago next Thanksgiving.

### Five Junior Women 'Tapped To Become 1947 Honor Group

Members of this year's Women's Honor Group revealed their five successors during the May Day coronation ceremonies Friday night in the traditional "tapping" service of Mortar Board, national honorary

These five women, chosen at the end of their junior year, were secampus leadership, scholastic standing, character and cooperation and will work together as seniors next year to promote the ideals of the Women's Honor Group.

The new members are:

Ru Beuke

Index—1.935, History Major, College of Liberal Arts; Alpha Tau Sigma, Secretary: Wheatles; Young Women's Christian Assoc-ciation; Safety Council; Parnasus Queen Candidate in 1942; ex-member of Waves. Betty Brush Ensign

Betty Brush Ensign
Index—2.845, Economics Major, College
of Liberal Arts: Pi Kappa Psi, Treasurer
'46-'47, Sports Manager '45: Parnassus
Board '44: Young Republicans '45-'46;
Young Women's Christian Association,
Cabinet '45-'46; Matrix '46: Dean's Honor
Roll, '44, '45, '46, '47; Payment of Fees for
Highest Grades by Alums of Pi Kappa Psi
'45: Estes chairman, Y.W.C.A., '46-'47;
chairman, HYM dance, '47; Reporter for
Y.W.C.A., '45, Secretary, '47-'48: Chairman
of World Service Student Fund, '45: International Relations, '44-'45; Women's Recreational Association, '44, '45, '46; Student
Forum Board, '45.

Maxine Wells Fey Maxine Wells Fey
Index—1,987, Logopedics major, College
of Education; Sorosis, song leader, historian; Y.W.C.A.; Young Democrats; Student Forum, '45, '46, '47; Wheaties, head
cheer leader, '45-'46; Secretary Freshman
Class, Dean's Honor Roll; Treasurer, Junior
Class; Secretary of W.R.A.; Junior Women's Representative of Student Council,
1947.

Index—2.743, Art Major, College of Fine Arts; Delta Omega, pledge president, 1944, Best All-Around Active, 1945, Scholarship Award, Rush Captain; Y.W.C.A., Treasurer and Vice President, '47-'48; Wheaties; French Club; Spanish Club; W.R.A.; Pi Beta Chi Pledge.

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Index—1.890, English major, College of
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'47-'48; W.R.A., recorder, vice-president,
president, delegate to convention in North
Carolina: Student Forum Board, social
chairman; Wheaties; Young Democrats,
secretary.

#### **Association Officers** Are Elected Recently

New officers of the American Association of University Professors elected at a recent meeting are: Gorden C. Hanson, president; Dell Hitchner, vice president; and Eva C. Hangen, secretary-treasur-er, according to A. A. Wichmann, associate professor of economics and accounting.

"What Should We Do About the National Debt and Taxes?" was subject of a panel discussion, fol-lowing the election. Hugo Wall, head of political science depart-ment, served as moderator. Participants in the debate were: F. L. Whan, head of speech department, H. H. Washburn, associate professor of economics, Professors Wichmann and Hitchner.

#### Plans Are Made For R.O.T.C. Encampment

Second Air Force headquarters, Offutt Field, Ft. Crook, Neb., has announced two encampments to be held this summer for advanced Air R.O.T.C. students.

Chanute Field at Rantoul, Ill., and Lowry Field at Denver, Colo., have been chosen as the sites for the encampments which will begin June 22 and end Aug. 2.
Approximately 280 Air R.O.T.C.

students attending colleges and universities in North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming, Colorado, Kansas and Nebraska will attend the summer camp at Lowry.

The courses to be received by future air reserve officers will include instruction in practical soldiering, training in work that has been covered during the past year in their Air R.O.T.C. classrooms, and practical training in the specialty they have chosen for their

1947-48 school year of instruction.

To be eligible for attendance at the summer encampment, the R. O.T.C. students must have had the two-year basic R.O.T.C. course or have served at least one year in the armed services and, in either case, have completed the first year of advance Air R.O.T.C. work.

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### Station WU Will Need Volunteer Workers

Plans for station WU's summer program are awaiting volunteers to work on the staff, said Don Williams, assistant professor of speech.

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# SPRING SPORTS END WITH VALLEY MEET

### Track Squad Leaves for Des Moines

Missouri Valley To Be Last Meet of Season For Shocker Trackmen

Closing the Spring sports schedule the Shocker track squad composed of 14 men will leave Thursday morning to participate in the Missouri Valley track conference on Friday at Des Moines, Ia.

"This will be one of the toughest meets of the season," stated Ab

Bidwell, head track coach, "but with the experience we have had this year, plus the fact our boys are in good shape another victory should come our way."

According to Ab Bidwell events and men who will participate in the conference are as follows:

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100-yard dash; Southard, Sexton, Houlik, and Grouchowalski.

220-yard dash: Southard, Sexton,
Houlik, and Grouchowalski.

440-yard run: Grouchowalski,
Nichols, and Alley.

880-yard run: Konecny and Doug-



Pictured above are Ray Berschauer, Leland Abel and Charles Crum members of the University tennis team. Team member not pictured is Donald Ware. Tennis team this year has won two and lost three games.

High hurdles: Evans Low hurdles: Smith. Shotput and discus: Mullins.

#### Regular Army Board W.R.A. Holds Banquet **Screens For Officers**

Students who were former officers were interviewed Monday, by a regular army screening board, to determine their qualifications for regular army commissions.

The Air Corp board was composed of Lt. Col. Charles G. Willes, president, Major Robert Leimbacher, and Capt. Edward G. Merrill. Officers of the Ground Force board included, Col. Lee C. Vance, Major Harry Bayless, and Major Walter R. Bruyere. The administrative staff was in charge of Major Dow L. Romine. Pfc Fred S. Vorsanger

Bobby Feller, Cleveland (A) holds the modern record for the most strikeouts per season in the major leagues. This record was set in 1946 and totals 348.

### **Tonight In Commons**

Women's Recreational Association members will hold their annual installation banquet at 6:00 p. m. tonight, in the Commons cafeteria.

During the program, changing styles in women's physical educa-tion costumes will be presented in a style review of twelve typical costumes dating from 1910 to 1948. A vocal trio, Beverly Coldsnow, Janet Doran and Bye Hinshaw, will sing. Officers for the coming year will be installed.

Tickets for the banquet are 50 cents. All members of WRA and of all physical education department clubs are invited.

Among other records Babe Ruth holds the major league record for the most home runs which total 714. Ruth's nickname is the Sultan of swat.

### Golf Team Will Defend Valley Title

Champs of Last Year To Meet Stiff Tests Fri. and Sat. In Iowa

Tomorrow, the Shockers will de-fend their title of Missouri Valley golf champions at the Des Moines Country Club, Des Monies, Iowa. Entries have been received from every member of the Missouri Valley Conference, for play in this 54-hole tournament.

The first 36 holes will be played tomorrow, with the first golfers teeing off at 9 a. m., and the last 18 holes will be played Satur-day, with teeing off time set for

Coach Mel Binford, and the four members of the team left this morning at 4 a. m., by train, for Des Moines, along with Coach Ab Bidwell's track team.

To date, the Shockers have play-

ed 12 golf meets and have a record of eight wins, one tie, and three losses. All three losses were administered by Oklahoma A & M,

and the tie was with Kansas State.

Last week, the Shockers won only one of the three golf meets played during the teams' journey into Oklahoma. Thursday, Oklahoma A & M downed W.U. at the Ponca City Country Club by a 17 to 1 score. Bo Wininger, playing in the Ag-gies' number three position took medalist honors with a one under

par 70.

At Southern Hills Country Club, Friday, W.U. golfers downed the University of Tulsa team by a 17½ to ½ margin. Al Littleton Shocker number one man, was medalist with a 77.

Playing on Oklahoma A & M's home golf course, Saturday, the Shockers went down to defeat 15½ to 21/2. Lotti Kempar, Aggie southpaw number two man, won medalist honors for the day with an even



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### History of R.O.T.C.

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strength of 100 men, required by
the government, was reached. Enrollment figures show that the
figure of 106 was attained by the
placing of some of the faculty
members in the unit and forming
them into an "awkward" squad
under an especially patient instructor. Some of these members
included, Dean Frank A. Neff, of
the College of Business Administration and Industry, Dean Arthur J.
Hoare, professor emeritus of
mathematics and Dr. C. C. Harbison, professor of speech.

The unit had little with which to begin. Only one small classroom was allotted the Corps and close order drill was held on the football field or in a pasture east of the college when the owner's cows weren't around. A barn in the middle of the field was always in the way and the unit had to split in half and drill on each side. A small target range was also set up in the pasture. That was all, but the unit prospered and was enjoyed by the students.

By 1922 the unit had weathered its early hardships and made a neat appearance in it's smart looking cadet grey uniforms. That year, for the first time, three students were graduated with reserve commissions.

In 1923 the uniform changed from cadet grey to black with yellow trimmings to conform with the school's colors.

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Then, in 1926, Major Chapman Grant, a grandson of General U. S. Grant, assumed command and succeeded in changing the uniform to the regulation olive drab.

Major Grant was succeeded by Major George W. Price in 1930. By that time the classwork of the unit was established on a sound and progressive basis, but it lacked much in appearance. Under Major Price, a new era in the growth of the unit began. The appearance of the individual member began to receive attention. The deportment in the classroom improved and slowly but surely the men in the corps were exposed and responded to instruction on subject ranging from military courtesy to higher tactics.

Until then the R.O.T.C. band, which had been organized, had been without a full time director. Walter Duerksen, now professor of band and theory was secured.

In the fall term of 1932, the strength of the unit passed the 200 mark and was reorganized into a regiment—three battalions of two companies each and a band.

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The unit continued to grow and by 1941 the group had an enrollment of 449; its largest in history.

By 1942, the last class to commission officers, a total of 340 officers, had been commissioned.

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During the war, although reduced drastically in size, the corps continued to operate. Although only basic courses were taught, former members who went into the armed forces reported that this basic work benefitted them greatly. The corp also acted as a recruiting agent for the enlisted reserve corp.

At the beginning of last semester



Royal Crown Cola of Wichita, Inc. Washington Phot & Harry 8-12 the corps was reorganized on its pre-war standard. Besides the regular infantry unit, under the command of Captain Samuel McAdams, assisted by T/Sgt. Charles W. Jenkins, S/Sgt. Charles S. Ryburn, Jr., and S/Sgt. Frederick J. Frost, this year for the first time, an Army Air Force R.O.T.C. unit was actuated. It is commanded by Major Eddie J. Roberton. Other personnel include Capt. Glenn H. Burrow, Lt. Warren A. Stouffer, M/Sgt. Bernard M. Mader and T/Sgt. John B.

Sawyer.

Superiority of the University R.O.T.C. unit can be judged in its rating by the war department. The unit will be inspected by representatives of the Fifth Army on May 15 and 16 and it will be reaching for its seventeenth consecutive blue star rating of excellence.

The unit now has more than \$20,000 worth of military equipment and is overflowing its rooms in the basement of Fiske Hall. Plans are now being made to move a building from a Missouri army camp onto the campus to be used as an armory.

There are several associations and fraternities for R.O.T.C. members. Each member of R.O.T.C. is ology.

also a member of the National Rifle Association. All students are eligible for the Pershing Rifles and 26 students are picked each year on the basis of close order drill for this crack drill platoon. Exclusively for seniors is the

Exclusively for seniors is the honorary fraternity, Scabbard and Blade, which is being reorganized this year. Newly organized is Icarus, honorary fraternity, which is restricted to advanced students in the air corps unit.

One of the oldest traditions of the unit is that of picking an honorary colonel. On April 18 at the annual military ball, the sixteenth honorary colonel, Eileen Cerney, was presented to the University.

### Balog and Dickinson Plan School In West

Two seniors, Irene Balog, and Elizabeth Dickinson will attend St. Lukes Labatory School of Technology at Spokane, Washington.

Balog is majoring in Botany bacteriology here at the University and Dickinson is majoring in zoology.

### Vital Valley

when the Missouri Valley must reach an agreement, spiritually as well as literally. He stated that the confab must bring forth an agreement on the enforcement of conference policies. He pointed out that the great differences of opinion that exist between the seven members of the conference have resulted in jealousies.

Dr. Davis predicted that the Valley would accept the National Collegiate Athletic Association "purification code." "The University of Wichita now conforms wholly to the code. If there are any differences which we are not aware of, we can easily make adjustments," Dr. Davis said.

The strengthening of the position of the commissioner in the Missouri



BALDWIN and other fine pianos Teachers recital hall available Valley was also considered as a prospective topic at the conference meet. Present authority given the commissioner, does not allow for the enforcement of schedule and other conference rules.

Dr. Davis and Coach Graham departed early this morning with the University track and golf squads for Des Moines.

Edwin H. Kornfeld, sophomore received an appointment to study horticulture at Ohio State University beginning next September, according to Dr. Clinton C. McDonald, head of the botany department Kornfeld received his basic horticultural training here at the University.



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This V-2 bomb vapor trail is visible to New Mexico A & M college students every time a rocket is fired at White Sands Proving grounds only 15 miles away. Faculty members and undergraduates at the school are assisting in testing work

The source of all the fireworks was displayed for all to see when army authorities set up an exhibit as part of Engineers' day on the New Mexico campus. Looming in the background is the tail of a German





Here John Barker helps Peg Culley into her chute before taking off on a formation flight to nearby Mansfield, Ohio.

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receiving a contract calling for salaries ranging from \$2,000 to \$3,300.

Elementary

Mary A. Anderson, El Dorado; Katherine Billings, Salina, fourth grade; Lois Dutrow, Cimarron, sixth grade; Margaret Gibson, (Continued on Page 7)

man plan work with the local Campfire Girls organization, and Peggy Masters will assist on Wichita City playgrounds. Marjory Stone, Pat Brewster and Joan McKinley have obtained positions in out-of-town summer camps.

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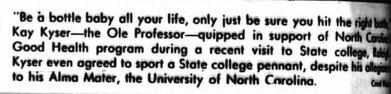
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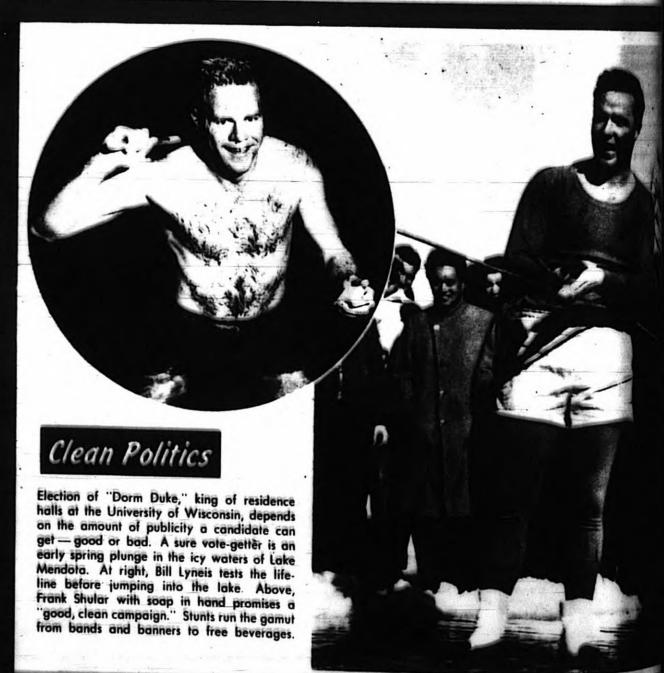




When Portland police held a Reed college student 12 hours for what his classmates termed "reading Shelley by the light of the moon," other students staged a "poetry reading rally" the next night in protest. Newspaper accounts say the student was held for failure to have a draft card.



Chinese students at Denison university study chemistry together, elated over having textbooks and apparatus. They transferred from Lingnan university, Canton, China. Stooping is Kai-yin Chau and standing is David Chu. The latter's father is doing research at the University of Pennsylvania.





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Chuck Davey, Michigan State college 145pounder, is the unhappy recipient of a right to the nose from Virginia's Willie Barnett. Despite the telling blow, Davey came back to win the bout.





#### ABOVE

One way of getting a house if not a home is shown by Lee Shiamana and Tex Gonzalez. They are both students at the University of Notre Dame architectural school.

> When photographers tried to shoot a human interest picture at Butler university, Walter Hicks thought they made better subjects than the dog. The dog's owner even tried getting under the table to help.





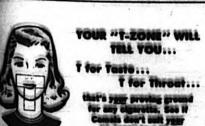














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Looking like the devil at Bowling Green State university's Beaux Arts ball were two faculty members, Miss Mhyra Minnis and Esko Rentola. Caesar and

Cleopatra, in the persons of William Lieser and Patricia Imhoff, joined them in a discussion on the coal shortage.



All-male Washington and Lee university counts heavily on veterans' wives in the production of school plays. While the husbands play their parts as students, their wives take to the stage in the mock-restoration comedy, "And So to Bed."



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That's All for a While . . .

Just as this smash finish marked the end of "Stunt Nite" at the University of New Hampshire, it is symbolic of "the end" of Collegiate Digest for this school year. The Digest staff wishes to thank all its many contributors who served as on the spot photographers covering campus events throughout the nation. Those interested in submitting pictures next year are advised to write to the Digest in September requesting publication dates.

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