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STUDENT LOAN FUND

Concerning the recently proposed student loan fund Dean Rienow said, "I know of no worthier cause on the campus". This is enough to make students consider the importance of the plan and the feasibility of putting it into operation. We have an Iowa Memorial Union; we have athletic teams needing support; we need new and larger buildings; we must contemplate the honor system, the cooperative store, and student government; and when one who is in a position to know campus problems mentions in the same breath with these a student loan fund we must take notice of the proposition.

Perhaps Dean Rienow is right to a greater degree than we might imagine. The many things of importance that we have named as vital to student life are but its accessories; when we ponder on the actual maintenance of the student body we are getting at the very essence of our University existence. Economic conditions are not the best at the present time that we might hope to foster the growth and maintenance of our student body; even the normally healthy pocketbook is going through a lean period. In the case of students who are unable to support themselves, who need a loan to tide them over or must put their hands on a little ready money, there is a real problem to be solved, and it is one that a loan fund may have a share in solving. It mean keeping our students on the campus and at their studies; it is a matter of self-preservation to just the extent that the need exists.

Iowa City business men are generous in their response to such a plan and now it lies with the students to make it a success. It is not an appeal for charity. On the other hand, it gives the students an opportunity to dance under a reasonable admission price; it should fill the need of bringing students together into a democratic assembly; and, the thing that is uppermost in the minds of those who have proposed the system, it will serve to keep our own students on our own campus by our own efforts.

ARMORY DANCE WILL AID NEEDY STUDENTS (Continued from page 1)

a loan of ten to twenty dollars for a short time keeps them in school throughout the year where in the other case they would be forced to drop their work and go home. "Every year there are from twenty to thirty students who have to give up their plans for an education and go to work simply because occasions arose during the academic year that they could not foresee and there was nothing available with which to help them," declared Douglas Boynton, "and these are the people that we need."

This Dance a Worthy Enterprise As far as the dances are concerned, if the first few dances prove successful, the price will probably go down to seventy-five cents a couple, and no one will have any more cause to complain of the high cost of dancing. There isn't any reason in the world why the dances shouldn't be patronized, after all the talk that has been going the rounds of the campus with regard to this proposition of all-University parties. "Now is the chance for the students to get behind this proposition and put it across," Boynton stated. "There could be no worthier cause conceivable than the cause to which this money is being contributed, and the money spent for these dances could very well be classed as a necessary expense in the expense account that goes home to dad, rather than luxury, and once the idea of such dances is explained no one can have any cause for complaint because a student chooses to spend his money in this way.

Truly an All-University Party "There is no one organization behind it," Boynton explained. "It is simply a bunch of students who realize the opportunity that is present and the necessity for putting it across."

Student Orchestras Offer Aid Only student orchestras will be used to furnish music for the dances and some of them have already offered reduced rates in order to make the dances successful. Novelties will be introduced in the way of feature dances and so forth, and in no way will the dances present a "cheap" aspect, except in the price the patrons pay at the door. Chaperons for the dance Saturday night will be Dean and Mrs. Chester A. Phillips and Dean Wilbur J. Teeters.

Committee of 50 is Named The committee that has been named to carry on the ticket sale for the first dance is as follows: Geraldine Mars A4 of Iowa City, Marjorie Proudfit A3 of Des Moines, Frances Kellogg A2 of Sioux City, Josephine Thielen A4 of Grundy Center, Helen Starbuck A2 of Iowa City, Mary Watkins A3 of Williams,

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Elizabeth Ensign A3 of Iowa City, Jane Wheeler A1 of Fort Dodge, Ruth Wilson A4 of Seymour, Marjory Barfoot A3 of Decorah, Agnella Gunn A3 of Sioux City, Marjorie Meardon A4 of Iowa City, Emily Withrow A2 of Mount Pleasant, Ruth Van Law A3 of Marshalltown, Rebecca Miller A3 of Corydon, Miriam Roe A4 of Burlington, Lucile Bennison A4 of Des Moines, Gertrude Spencer A2 of Des Moines, Helen Rule A3 of Little Rock, Ark., John J. Dondore A3 of Iowa City, Hal McCann S 3of West Liberty, Francis J. Halford A2 of Cherokee, John Cumberland S4 of Iowa City, Glenn Anderson D4 of Iowa City, J. Hope May A3 of Milford.

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To the Editor:

The sports reporter who wrote the basketball story in Thursday's Iowan is making a serious mistake in taking the attitude of a "knocker." Evidently the gentleman watched the practice, then immediately drew the conclusion that

Iowa will finish in a lower place in the conference standing than last year. He gives Wisconsin some nice compliments and from the tone of the article it is uncertain whether his sympathies are with the Hawkeyes or the Badgers. Does the reporter know that in her practise games Iowa has shown up better than at least six of the other conference teams, including Chicago Minnesota and Wisconsin? Knox college outplayed Chicago five points and held Wisconsin 14 to 9, while Iowa trimmed Knox six points.

Iowa has won six out of seven practice games. The team has been slow in developing but now is rounding into form and deserves the support of the University. Stories which knock Ashmore's men and belittle their chances have no place in a University paper. Let's give the team credit for the games they have already won and show them that we think they can place high in the conference. If they do, let's not say it was all luck; if they don't let's tell them that they put up a good fight. Anyway they deserve a royal send-off for their first conference game. Why be pessimistic? Eric C. Wilson.

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LITERARY SOCIETIES ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE SECOND SEMESTER

New officers for winter term were elected by the three literary societies for men at their last regular meetings held on December 16, 1921. The new officers for the different societies are as follows:

The Philomathean literary society elected Delmar A. Olson L1 of Humboldt, president; George Kloek A3 of Doon, vice-president; Leonard M. Ekland A2 of Clinton, recording secretary; Harry W. Voltmer A3 of Galva, corresponding secretary; Daniel J. Ryan A2 of Danbury, sergeant-at-arms; and Raymond P. Marple A4 of Pomeroy, critic.
Harold M. Ofelt L2 of Burlington was elected president of the Zetaganian literary society; Glen J. McLaughlin L1 of Anamosa, vice-president; M. M. Piper A2 of Iowa City, recording secretary; B. J. Beems A2 of Anamosa, corresponding secretary; F. O. Paulson L1 of Clear Lake, sergeant-at-arms, and Robert Cooper A2 of Newton, gentleman usher of the Black Rod.
The Irving Institute elected Lovell Jahnke S4 of Muscatine, president; W. J. Dehner A3 of Iowa City, vice-president; and Harry E. Mundt A2 of Eberly, secretary.

Moines and Lois Drennan A4 of Osceola were married at Nevada recently. Mr. Ackerley graduated from the University and is a member of Sigma Pi fraternity. He is now practicing law in Des Moines.

Allen-Ballard
Miss Geraldine Allen of Cedar Rapids and Herbert M. Ballard of Minneapolis, Minnesota, were married Monday, December 19, at Minneapolis. Both Mr. and Mrs. Ballard are graduates of the University of Iowa. Mr. Ballard is at present an accountant with the Northern States Power company in Minneapolis.

Byfield-Thompson
Miss Grace Byfield of Blairstown and King Thompson of Cedar Rapids were married at Estherville Saturday, December 17. Mr. Thompson graduate in liberal arts and law at the University and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

Phi Alpha Delta
The 18th National Convention of Phi Alpha Delta law fraternity was held at Kansas City, Mo. during the holidays. Charles B. Hoeven L3 and Henry W. Wormley L2 were delegates from Hammond chapter of this University.

Mrs. E. C. Mabie, wife of Professor E. C. Mabie of the department of speech, is a new patroness of Alpha Xi Delta.

FRATS TO DISPLAY TALENT IN BASKETBALL TOURNAY
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Arranged for by the physical training department. Some fast teams are being organized and speedy games will take place during the series. Probably a trophy will be given the winner of the series. Schedules and definite plans on the event are promised in a few days.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hamlin Garland literary society will hold a business meeting at 4 p. m. today in room 116 liberal arts building.
Myrtle Keeley, president.

Order of Artus will lunch this noon at the Pagoda.
Henry J. Prentiss, president.

Philomathean literary society picture for the Hawkeye will be taken Saturday, January 7, at 12:30.
D. A. Olson, president.

SOCIETY

Stover-Jones
Miss Jessie Stover of Iowa City and Lemuel T. Jones of Ottumwa were married in Omaha Wednesday, December 23. Mr. Jones is a graduate of the University and is at present teaching bookkeeping in the Ottumwa high school.

George-Elwood
Dale Elwood L1 of Elma and Miss Marian George A3 of West Union were married at her home December 27. Mr. Elwood will continue his law course at the University and Mrs. Elwood will continue her commerce course.

Drennan-Ackerley
Leland G. Ackerley '19 of Des

Varsity will be chaperoned Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hart Jr.

Kappa Beta Psi
The Kappa Beta Psi will entertain at a dancing party at the Criterion Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Moffett and Professor and Mrs. F. H. Potter will chaperon.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon
The Sigma Alpha Epsilon will entertain at a dancing party at the Burkley hotel, Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aurner will chaperon.

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