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MEET ON ROSTRUM

ZETS AND IRVINGS TOMORROW NIGHT

Biggest Preliminary of the year
Both Teams are Unusually
Well Prepared

The Nebraska preliminary debate between Irving and Zetaganian societies will be held in the opera house.

Despite the fact that Nebraska has called off the debate it was thought best by the Debating League to go on with the preliminary that the younger men in the contest might receive the training.

The question is: Resolved, "That the interests of the U. S. no longer require the maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine as a principal of national policy."

The Monroe Doctrine is defined to mean:

1. No European nation shall henceforth maintain or establish a dependency in the western hemisphere.

2. No European nation shall interpose to dictate or to control any form of government or any nation in the western hemisphere.

3. In asserting rightful claims against an American state in European nation shall make such an application of force as amounts to a permanent occupation or acquisition of territory.

It will be affirmed by Zetaganian, represented by W. T. Brinton, Purly Rinker and F. E. Snedcor, and denied by Irving represented by J. F. Kunz, H. G. Walker and E. R. Johnston.

According to the rules of the Debating League each man has fifteen minutes for his first speech and five minutes rebuttal. Mr. Walker will close for the negative and Mr. Rinker for the affirmative.

Each society is represented by an especially strong team and the contest will be a spirited one. Every man has had previous training in inter-state preliminary contests and the preparation has been thorough.

Mr. Johnston was a member of Iowa's winning team in the Minnesota final last year and Mr. Walker was in the Wisconsin final and is Iowa's representative in the coming N.O.L. contest. Mr. Kunz has also had training in preliminary contests. Mr. Rinker was in the Wisconsin preliminary and was the leader of the winning team in the freshman debate. This is Mr. Snedcor's first appearance on a preliminary. He was a member of the Zetaganian successful freshmen and sophomore teams. Mr. Brinton received training in the State Normal before entering the university.

This will be one of the best and the last preliminary debate for the year and should receive the loyal support of the student body.

OVATION FOR FRIENDS OF S.U.I.

The demonstration which greeted the successful university lobbyists of their return from the capitol city was second only to that which greeted the Iowan solons when they visited the university city. Prof. A. V. Sims, head of the engineering department



PROFESSOR A. V. SIMS

which has been placed in the foreground by the action of the Thirtieth General Assembly; President George E. MacLean and others who have been looking after the cause of the university in the legislature were accorded unusual honors when they returned from Des Moines this morning. They were met at the train by shouting students accompanied by the university band and escorted in a carriage to the steps of the old engineering shed where they were accorded a great ovation. Each of the returning lobbyists were called upon for addresses and they responded happily. Prof. T. A. MacBride gave an address as did also Prof. Magowan of the engineering faculty. Each of the speakers told of the efforts of the friends of the university before the general assembly.

Representative George W. Koontz was unable to return this morning but this did not lessen the enthusiasm for him. It was agreed that he had been one of the university's strongest friends in the legislature.

The demonstration was accompanied by the booming of cannon north of the old capitol building.

Upon the receipt of the first news from Des Moines yesterday the engineering students paraded the streets making loud and sundry noises. The old shed was advertised for sale. Last evening it was dobed with red paint by its enthusiastic occupants.

The total special S. U. I. appropriation is \$208,000.

Edda Banquets

Edda, the Scandinavian society of the university, held its annual banquet at the Burkley Imperial last evening. About forty guests were present. Dr. Geo. T. Flom acted as toastmaster, and toasts were responded to by Attorney B. L. Wick, of Cedar Rapids, for the Scandinavian alumni, Dr. William Jepson of Sioux City, Prof. C. E. Seashore and Prof. A. A. Veblen.

Although the state of Iowa has not such a large Scandinavian population, nor the university as many students of Scandinavian descent as there are in Wisconsin, Minnesota and other states, the University of Iowa has a larger number of Scandinavians represented on its various faculties than any other university in the United States and is well entitled to rank as a leader in Scandinavian American thought.

Gift for Sims

The Engineering society of the University enjoyed a delightful "smoker" in the Athena club rooms, Saturday night. The society presented Professor Sims with a fine silk hat and one of the new pins.

Phi Psis Win It

The tie game of whist that had remained from the regular interfraternity schedule between the teams representing Beta Theta Pi and Phi Kappa Psi was played off last night. The match was won by Law and Thornberg for Phi Kappa Psi. Elbert and Finkbine represented Beta Theta Pi. The score was 6-4.

Phi Kappa Psi now leads in the race for the trophy although Kappa Sigma has not yet played off its tie game with the team of Phi Delta Theta. Should the Kappa Sigmas win this contest the final disposition of the trophy will have to be settled by a game between the Kappa Sigmas and the Phi Kappa Psis.

Change in Editors

On account of increased work due to graduation George H. Coulthard, athletic editor of the DAILY IOWAN has resigned this position. The place will hereafter be filled by Carl W. Ross who has been chosen to a place on the board. Mr. Ross is manager of the basketball team and one of its star players. He is excellently qualified for the new work.

MANY SCHOOL MEETS

HIGH SCHOOLS ARE ALL ORGANIZING

Many Schools May Not Be Represented At The State Meet Here

The Iowa state high school athletic association is up against the proposition of preserving its individuality. It is probable that the coming state meet to be held here at Iowa City under the auspices of the university athletic union will see something of importance done which will have much to do with the future of the state organization.

For some time past there has been an inclination on the part of Iowa high schools to enter into organizations with other high schools in their own parts of the state for the purpose of holding local field meets. The Missouri River association was one of the first to cut in upon the work of the Iowa high school association and it has extended even as far as Des Moines, one of the high schools of the capitol city being a member of it. The next local organization of importance was that of the Northwest Iowa high school association including Sioux City, Ida Grove, Le Mars, Cherokee and a number of the most important cities of northwest Iowa. Last year this organization held a very successful meet at Cherokee and this year will meet at Ida Grove. The organization is almost as pretentious a one as the state organization.

The northwest association got too large, however, and now a number of the cities interested formed another association which will meet at Alta this year, Humboldt, Rock Rapids, Algona and a number of cities in that corner of the state are members of the new association.

Probably the reason for the smaller organizations is the great distance which teams have to be sent to participate in the state meet and the fact that a larger number of high schools are bidding for athletic honors every year which if admitted to the state association would soon make it unwieldy.

Basketball Leaders

At a meeting of the varsity basketball team last night Plume Schenck was elected captain for the coming year. He had played guard on the five for three years now and is admirably qualified for the captaincy. The team has promise of being strong next year in view of the fact that most of the old stars will be back and there will be the new gymnasium to practice in.

Carl W. Ross was re-elected manager for the coming year. His work both as a business manager and as a member of the team during the past season has been of a very high order.

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A number of our city subscribers have not paid their subscriptions. They should settle at once. The manager will be in the Iowan office every afternoon from one to six.

Time To Rejoice

Students, alumni and all friends of the university should congratulate themselves upon the good fight that has been made for the university's future in the present general assembly. Very few people in the university would have believed that so much good could come from combined action as has come from the effort of the university's friends in the struggle which has just closed. Much of the good resulting is due to the excellent fight made by the alumni of the institution but a large part is also due to the fight made by the faculty members and officers of the university who presented the claims before the various committees and showed just what the money was to be used for. A great portion, however, is due to the enthusiasm of the students themselves on the day

the legislature visited Iowa City. It would be a peculiar man indeed who would not be influenced by such a display of enthusiasm and loyalty.

The university has passed a danger mark. If the effort to remove the engineering department had been successful, who knows where the dismemberment would have stopped? On the other hand the failure of the effort to take away this department is liable to serve as a precedent for those who in the future may start a campaign against the seeming duplication of work.

The university has been well treated by the general assembly and it should rejoice.

Carl Wesley Ross, the only Iowa student who is entered for the Rhodes Scholarship examination left this afternoon for Des Moines to take the final examination with the representatives of the other Iowa schools who are to compete. Ross has made extensive preparations for the examination and he is expected to land at the top or near it.

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A. C. Lane, L. A. '04 of Lorraine, N. D., left this morning for Humboldt Iowa, where he will represent All Souls Church of this city, at a state Unitarian convention. He will deliver an address upon the subject "Young People and the Church."

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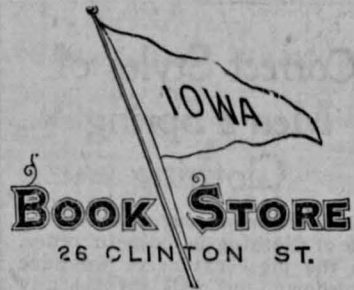
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In the short-distance runs the candidates who are showing up to the best advantage are Hamilton, who is said to be good for the 100, 220 and 440 yard dashes; Campbell is aspiring for a place in the long-distance runs, and Missildine will run the half-mile. Ehert thus far is the only aspirant for the discus. There are already three candidates for the pole vault with chances about equal. They are Star Wilson, Wood and Evans. Wright, St. John and McElhinney are rushing the weights hard. Walker is a new man, with good prospects for getting a place in the two-mile run. Tommy and Sivert Jones are getting in trim for the weights, pole vaults and short-distance dashes, also the jumps. George Wallace, it is claimed, will be able to show some of the old-timers a few things in short-distance runs and pole vaults. E. L. McConkle is devoting his energies to the broad jump.

NOTICES

Students and faculty members are requested to send all notices to THE DAILY IOWAN for publication. Notices must be left at THE IOWAN office or the President's office before 9:00 A. M.

Baseball Meeting

There will be an important meeting of those who are soliciting season tickets tonight at 7 o'clock in the old capital building. Everyone must be there.

H. G. WALKER.

The Alliance Francaise will meet on Wednesday evening, April the thirteenth, instead of Tuesday April the twelfth, with Miss Swire, 516 College Street, at 7:30. Members will please observe this change.

ETHELIND SWIRE
Secretary.

The following addition to the rules in relation to absences has been adopted by the liberal arts faculty:

Unexcused absences on the last day before a recess and the first day following a recess, shall be counted double.

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