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PHYSICS DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES VACANCIES

The Department of Physics, of the University of Kentucky, announces the following vacancies:

"Instructorship, Salary \$800.—Applicant must be a graduate, having majored in Physics or some allied subject. Teaching experience not required but desirable. Service up to a maximum of 18 hours per week may be required. This service consists in the conduct of recitation classes in general college physics, the preparation of apparatus in laboratory, instruction in laboratory, and in the grading of reports. The actual requirement may be much less than the maximum. Opportunity is given for advanced study, and the instructor is expected to select studies in physics or allied subjects to the amount of half a year's work.

"Graduate Assistant, Salary \$400.—Applicant must be a graduate, having majored in Physics or some allied subject. Service up to a maximum of 10 hours per week may be required. This service includes no teaching, and will consist generally of preparation of apparatus, and in keeping of records of department. Hours of service will be so arranged as not to interfere with the carrying of a full schedule of graduate work in the University.

"Any one interested in these positions should send letter of application, accompanied by letters of recommendation from their former teachers, to Professor William S. Webb, head of Department of Physics, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky, not later than May 30, 1919."

PROFESSOR NOE HONORED BY FRANKLIN COLLEGE

Professor J. T. C. Noe, head of the Department of Education, University of Kentucky, has been advised that his Alma Mater, Franklin College, Indiana, would confer on him the degree of Doctor of Literature at the commencement exercises June 18, if he would accept the honor. Professor Noe will accept the degree and will attend the commencement exercises. He will deliver the principal address at the annual commencement dinner.

ENGLISH CLUB ENTERTAINS SAX AT PATTERSON HALL

Carroll M. Sax, of the Vagabond Theatre, Baltimore, head of the Department of Art and Design of Maryland Institute, gave a lecture on the little theatre movement, at Patterson Hall. The meeting was under the direction of the English club and the Strollers. Guests were invited from the faculty and from other educational institutions of the city.

Members of the English club living at Patterson Hall were the hostesses and the talk was given in the recreation hall which was attractively decorated with vases of lilacs and roses. After the lecture a pleasing presentation of J. M. Barrie's "Rosalind" was given by Augustus Gay, of Lexington, Miss Henrietta Bedford, of Winchester, and Miss Christine Hopkins, of Louisville.

Tea was served, Miss Dora Berkeley, of Lexington, presiding at the tea table, assisted by Edna Smith, of Corbin; Nancy Smock, of Harrodsburg; Elizabeth Card, of Pineville; Era Deboe, of Marion; Roberta Thornton, of Newport; Louise Will, of Louisville, and Mina White, of Blackford.

CORNELL EXAMINES DELINQUENTS.

By request of the board of control of the Greendale Reformatory, Dr. B. C. Cornell of the psychology department of the University of Kentucky is devoting two days of each week to examining the inmates of the institution. The purpose of these examinations is to determine the mental capacity of the delinquents that they may obtain training more suited to their several mental abilities.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM FOR COMMENCEMENT GIVEN

The tentative program for commencement week beginning Monday, June 15, at the University of Kentucky will consist of class day exercises, Monday morning; Glee Club concert followed by the President's reception at his home, Maxwell Place, Monday afternoon and Senior ball in Buell Armory Monday night.

Tuesday will be known as alumni day and every class, sorority, fraternity and society is requested to arrange reunion plans for the day.

At noon Tuesday an alumni luncheon will be held which will be followed by a parade of alumni and students to Stoll field for athletic events.

The Tuesday night program will probably be in charge of the Strollers.

Wednesday, June 18, will be Commencement Day and in the afternoon a final cadet hop will be held. The speaker for Commencement Day and the time and place of the baccalaureate sermon have not been announced.

CAPTAIN ROYDEN RETIRES; MAJOR BYARS SUCCEEDS

After nearly two years of service at the University of Kentucky as head of the Department of Military Science and Tactics, Captain H. N. Royden, retired U. S. Army officer, has retired from temporary active duty. His duties were concluded at the University of Kentucky, April 30, and he was succeeded by Major D. O. Byars, who came to the University more than a month ago.

Captain Royden was taken from the retired list in October, 1917, and stationed at the University of Kentucky as head of the Department of Military Science and in command of the battalion of cadets, at that time members of the R. O. T. C. When the S. A. T. C. was organized at the University Captain Royden was placed in charge.

The policy of the War Department now is to return to the retired list those who were called into active duty in the recent war. It is under this rule that Captain Royden is retiring after successfully performing the emergency work assigned to him. Captain Royden will leave soon to make his home in Chicago. Major Byars, who has succeeded him, is a former Kentuckian and former student of the University.

DUMMITT AND HALEY DEFEAT ROSS AND GREEN

At the regular weekly meeting of the Henry Clay Law Society, held Wednesday, April 16, E. S. Dummitt, of Moneta, Missouri, and H. P. Haley, of Grayson, negative, were given the decision over H. H. Green, of Bruin, and D. C. Ross, of Sacramento, affirmative, in a debate. "Resolved, that there should be Universal Military Training for all Male Citizens of the United States Between the Ages of 20 and 22 years."

UNIVERSITY REGISTRAR IS GIVEN HIGH HONOR

Professor Ezra L. Gillis, registrar of the University of Kentucky, was elected president of the American Association of College Registrars at their annual meeting in Chicago, Friday, April 25. Professor Gillis had been the secretary of the association for six years. His election as president established a precedent in the association, which had hitherto elected annually the first vice president to the highest position.

One hundred and eight colleges and universities were represented at the association by their registrars. A. G. Hall, of the University of Michigan, was elected first vice president; C. M. McCann, University of Illinois, second vice president, and C. S. Marsh, Northwestern University, was elected secretary-treasurer.

STROLLERS ADD NEW LAURELS TO THEIR RECORD

"Under Cover" presented by the Strollers, dramatic organization of the University of Kentucky, at the Lexington Opera House, Saturday night, May 3, was a success. The entire house was sold out and the production declared the best ever given by the organization.

The leading characters were taken by Augustus Gay and Miss Lucy Young of Lexington and Emery Frazier of Lawrenceburg. These three young players brought new laurels to the Strollers, and led the cast to a real triumph.

Miss Eliza Spurrier, of Louisville; Lee McClain, of Bardstown; William Baker, of Winchester; Duane Rogers, of Frankfort; Margaret Smith, of Maysville; Terrell Tapscott, of Owensboro; Carlisle Chenault, of Maysville; Fred Augsberg, of Lexington; Mary Elizabeth James, of Louisville, and Auryne Bell, of Eminence, composed the remainder of the cast.

Grover Creech, of Pineville, stage manager of the production, and Frederick Jackson, of Versailles, publicity manager, accomplished wonderful results. Carol W. Sax, of Baltimore, was with the cast during the last two weeks of preparation and is accredited with a great part of the excellence of the play.

SENIORS SELECT HONOR SOCIETY REPRESENTATIVES

Lamp and Cross, honorary senior society for men of the University of Kentucky, and Staff and Crown, honorary society for girls of the University, in observing Top Day, pledged the following students:

For Lamp and Cross—Edward Dabney, Hopkinsville; Smith Park, Richmond; Edward Parker, Maysville; Emery Frazier, Lawrenceburg; Charles Gordon, Lexington; Thomas Guthrie, Harlan; Jess Tapp, Corydon; John Davis, Lexington, and Neal Knight, Louisville.

For Staff and Crown—Louise Will, Louisville; Margaret Wolf, Hawesville; Virginia Helm Milner, Union Star; Elizabeth Davis, Lexington, and Mary Turner, Louisville.

MABIE ATTENDS CON- VENTION AMERICAN DRAMA LEAGUE

Professor E. C. Mable of the English Department, University of Kentucky, attended the ninth annual convention of the Drama League of America which convened in Chicago, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 24, 25 and 26. On Thursday evening he took part in the round table discussion at the dinner of State representatives at the Garden Club and Friday evening he spoke at the annual banquet of the league.

MECHANICALS GUESTS AT UNIVERSITY PICNIC

The first picnic ever given for the faculty, students and working staff of the University of Kentucky is being planned by the College of Engineering for May 24. A train sufficient for all guests will be chartered and the outing will be held at High Bridge or Natural Bridge.

The all-day party has been proposed with the expressed desire that the faculty and students may become better acquainted socially. A request is made that all personal schedules and dates be arranged so that the entire personnel of the University may attend and enjoy the picnic.

VARSITIES TO PLAY ALUMNI.

A base ball game between the Varsity team of the University of Kentucky and the Alumni of the University will be played on Stoll Field Commencement week, probably on the afternoon of Monday, June 16. It is not known who will compose the Alumni team but it is expected that the contest will be a lively one.

NEW FRATERNITY HOUSES ON CAMPUS PROJECTED.

The idea of building fraternity houses on the campus for the students of the University of Kentucky is rapidly becoming popular. Representatives of several fraternities have called on the President and the Dean of Men of the University to discuss the matter.

Certain restrictions would have to be imposed, it is thought by the authorities of the University, if these houses were located on the campus. They would have to be endorsed by the national councils and grand chapters and properly sponsored. In addition they would have to abide by regulations laid down by the University with respect to care of property, management of houses, type of architecture in building, financial relationship with banking institutions, and such other conditions as the University might deem proper to impose.

BOOK OF LAMENTATIONS IN DRAMATIC INTERPRETATION

A spectacular, dramatic presentation of the Book of Lamentations was given in the chapel of the University of Kentucky, Tuesday, April 29, by the class in Biblical Literature, before an audience unequalled in number and appreciation in chapel exercises this year.

The drama was taken directly from the Book of Lamentations, with arrangements by Professor E. F. Farquhar, of the Department of English, who prepared and coached the play.

Lee McClain, of Bardstown, was selected to impersonate a Roman soldier driving the exiled people from Jerusalem into captivity.

The City of Jerusalem laid waste by the Babylonians in 586 B. C., was personified by Miss Elizabeth Marshall of Lexington. The only prophet who remained to share the sorrow of the city was portrayed by Bernard Moosnick of Nicholasville.

The part of two elders of the city among the refugees was taken by Frederick Jackson of Versailles and Charles Plank of Lexington.

The chorus was employed as in the Greek drama in an interpretative manner. It was composed of Misses Ruth Thomas, of Maysville; Vivian Delaine, of Carrollton; Dorothy Walker, of Pineville; Elizabeth McGowan, of Bagdad; Lucille Dean, of Marcellus; Almer Bolser, of Dayton; Floris Whittehill, of Glen Dean; Catherine Meigs, of Cynthiana; Nettie Pushin, of Bowling Green; Eleanor Baker, of Princeton, and Thompson Van Deren, of Lexington.

Spectacular costumes were worn and a special program of violin music was played.

ROMANCE LANGUAGE CLUB HEARS INTERESTING TALKS

The Romance Language Club of the University of Kentucky met Monday night, April 28, with Miss Elizabeth Featherston, 426 Aylesford Place, Lexington, Ky., and was addressed by Professor A. C. Zembrod, who spoke on impressions of Italy he gained during his travels there. He gave special attention to a description of beautiful scenes, buildings and paintings of Naples and Florence.

The club has been recently organized. It adopted a constitution at its last meeting. The club accepted Miss Margaret Tuttle's invitation to meet with her at her home for the next program and social hour.

BOYD HONORED IN ABSENCE.

Dean Paul P. Boyd was elected president of the Kentucky Academy of Science which assembled Saturday, May 2, at the University of Kentucky. Dean Boyd was not present for the meeting but was attending National Convention of Deans of Colleges of Arts and Science which met at the University of Kansas, May 1 and 2.

SENIORS DEDICATE TREES TO DEPARTED COMRADES.

The senior class of the University of Kentucky dedicated the tree planted Arbor Day to members of the class who lost their lives in the war and to their classmate who was killed in a parade in 1916. The men who made the supreme sacrifice are L. W. Herndon, Stanley H. Smith, Aubra H. Townsend and Chester B. Helm. Edridge Griffin was the victim of a fatal accident at Broadway and Third street, September, 1916, when the freshmen were celebrating a class victory.

The speakers for Arbor Day exercises were Lee McClain of Bardstown, orator for the senior class, and Ed Dabney of Hopkinsville, who represented the Junior class.

JOSEPHINE P. SIMRALL NEW DEAN OF WOMEN.

Miss Josephine P. Simrall, at present dean of women at Sweet Briar, Virginia, has been elected to the corresponding position by the University of Kentucky and will take up her work about the first of September, 1919.

Miss Simrall is a graduate of Wellesley and has done graduate work at the University of Cincinnati and Johns Hopkins University. She is a native of Kentucky and has lived in Kentucky all her life until recently. She is at present, in addition to holding the position of dean of women at Sweet Briar, head of the Department of Psychology. In recommending Miss Simrall to President McVey, President Emilie W. McVea of Sweet Briar said, "Miss Simrall is an excellent teacher, has unusual executive and administrative ability and much social acquaintanceship. I consider her in every way qualified to fill the position, but I am not going to tell you anything more about her because I don't want you to have her."

Chancellor Frank W. Chandler of the University of Cincinnati in speaking of Miss Simrall said, "Miss Simrall is possessed of marked literary talent. She was active in this community in the work of women's organizations as well as socially, and during her residence at Sweet Briar she has done much in an executive way to assist the president in developing that college. She is sympathetic and gentle in manner but by no means lacking in force."

JOURNALISTS TO ENJOY OUTING ON THE RIVER

Enoch Grehan, head of the Department of Journalism, and Mrs. Grehan will give an outing the afternoon of June 7, for majors of the department and staff members of the Kernel and Kentuckian, University publications. The party will motor to Idelwild on the Kentucky river, where a picnic lunch, provided by the host and hostess will be enjoyed after a plunge into the river.

The party will comprise about sixty persons and the return trip will be made by moonlight.

BOYD MEETS WITH DEANS.

Dean Paul P. Boyd, College of Arts and Science, attended the National Convention of Deans of Arts and Science colleges, which met May 1 and 2 at the University of Kansas. Dean Boyd addressed the conference on "Future Military Training for State Universities." He returned to the University of Kentucky, Tuesday morning, May 6.

McVEY DELIVERS ADDRESS.

President McVey of the University of Kentucky made the chief address at the dedication exercises of the Eastern State Normal School at Richmond, Thursday, May 1, and addressed the Woman's Club at Danville Friday, May 2, on "Some Kentucky Problems." His subject at Richmond was "An Educational Problem."