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Fund: Stepanek Memorial At \$883

A total of \$883 has been received by the University Foundation for the Orin Stepanek Memorial Fund.

The fund was originated by the English Department as a memorial to the English and language professor, who died in the spring of 1955 after 35 years at the University.

Wilbur Gaffney, assistant professor of English, said that the memorial is a scholarship fund to be administered by the Foundation. The fund raising campaign was directed first to the faculty and then extended to alumni and non-University people.

It is hoped that a goal of approximately \$2000 will be reached, according to Gaffney.

The terms of qualification for the scholarship have not been outlined. The scholarships, however, will be for English majors, and, if possible, will be presented annually.

Stepanek came to the University in 1920 as assistant professor of English and Slovenic languages. He was born in Crete, Nebr., and attended the University from 1909 to 1913 when he received his bachelor's degree. He earned his Master's degree from Harvard in 1914.

He continued his studies at Harvard and at Charles University in Prague, Czechoslovakia, beginning his teaching career at Sault High School from 1915 to 1917 in St. Louis, Mo. His next position was at Michigan State College.

He moved from assistant professor in 1920, his first year at the University, to the position of associate professor in 1924.

Check contributions for the fund should be made payable to the University of Nebraska Foundation and marked "Orin Stepanek Memorial," according to Foundation officials.

CCRC: Campaign Nets 500 Signatures

Approximately 500 signatures were finally obtained by the City Campus Religious Council in their petition for a chapel in the new Union addition.

There was very little interest shown in the houses," Dick Tempero, chairman, reported after a drive Monday night in all the organized houses.

The total of 500 was only 200 above the earlier total of 300 obtained early in the campaign.

Because of state laws regarding separation of church and state, the Union is considering a meditation room as a substitute for the proposed chapel.

"Asked how the CCRC felt about this plan, Ron Blue, president, said, "We realized in looking over the state laws that it is impossible to have a chapel, but a meditation room is entirely acceptable."

He pointed out that the petition asked for either a chapel or a meditation room. A meditation room would probably be similar to that in the United Nations building, and used only for private meditation rather than for religious meetings.

Legacies: Panhellenic To Sponsor Style Show

Sorority legacies will be guests on the University campus Friday and Saturday during Legacy Week-end.

A legacy is a daughter, sister or granddaughter of a sorority active or alum. The legacies must be juniors or seniors in high school.

Panhellenic will present a style show to explain "What to wear during Rush Week" at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Union Ballroom.

Chairmen of the event are Gerry Swanson, Cynthia Henderson, Babs Jelgerhuis and Sarol Wiltse.

Representatives from the various sororities will model for the show. The individual houses will sponsor other events for their guests during Legacy Week-end.

Madeline Girard, Panhellenic advisor, said approximately 80 legacies visited the campus last year.

Council

Filings for the Student Council elections will close Saturday noon. Glenn Berry, Council vice-president, announced. Application blanks may be obtained from the Dean of Student Affairs. Freshmen and sophomores with a minimum average of 5.0 may apply to represent the various colleges.

Ivy Day Sing: KK Votes To Invite RAM Chorus As Guest

Kosmet Klub voted to invite the Residence Association for Men Glee Club to sing as a guest group in the Ivy Day Inter-Fraternity Sing Tuesday.

KK would be willing to sponsor a separate sing for dorm participants if time were allotted by the Innocents-Mortar Board committee, Von Innes, president, said.

The Klub has a constitutional provision which states the group will sponsor an "inter-fraternity sing" and makes no other provision, he said.

RAM's petition to compete was rejected because Kosmet Klub felt that it would be unfair for a group representing 900 men to compete with groups representing 55 to 60 men, Innes said.

"Kosmet Klub would consider sponsoring a separate independent sing if there were sufficient interest," he said.

Kosmet Klub had invited RAM

to participate in last year's Ivy Day Sing but there was no Selleck Quadrangle glee club organization at the time.

RAM submitted its petition to compete before spring vacation, stating that "RAM is proud to offer its services in order to make the Ivy Day Sing an all-campus event."

The RAM Glee Club was organized last fall under the leadership of Dick Oehring.

In other Klub activities, the spring show, "Kiss, Me, Kate," will be presented in Schuyler April 13, Innes said.

The appearance of the show before its University presentation is being sponsored by the Schuyler Junior Chamber of Commerce, he said.

The appearance was arranged through Bill Walton, director of the show and a native of Schuyler.

Regents, Johnson: Fellowship Winners Announced By Dean

Recipients of the \$1500 Regents Fellowships and the \$1000 Franklin and Orinda Johnson Fellowships for the 1956-57 school year at the University were announced today by Dean R. W. Goss of the Graduate College.

Don Gerlach and Konrad Suprunowicz were named recipients of the Regents Fellowships.

Successful applicants for the Johnson Fellowships are: Melvin Rumbaugh, Glenna Berry, Mrs. Bernice L. Schear and Clarence Attig.

Twenty-three-year-old Gerlach received his Bachelor of Science in Education degree with distinction from the University in 1954. He is now working toward his master's degree which he hopes to receive this summer. He was 1954-55 recipient of the \$1000 Donald Walters Miller Fellowship. Gerlach is majoring in history and will use the Regents Fellowship in pursuit of a doctoral degree.

Suprunowicz, 36, plans to seek a doctor of Philosophy degree with a major in mathematics. A former displaced person, he came to Lincoln in 1950. He received his Bachelor of Science and Master of Arts degrees from the University, the latter in July 1953. From 1954-55, he was an instructor in physics at State Teachers College, Minot, N.D.

Rumbaugh, 26, who is majoring in agronomy, received his Bachelor of Science degree from Central College, Pella, Ia., in 1951, and his Master's degree in 1953 from the University. He was a recipient of the Johnson Fellowship this present school year.

Miss Berry plans to receive her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University this June and then continue with her graduate studies, majoring in English and Spanish. Twenty-two years old, she is a member of Mortar Board.

Mrs. Schear will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree from Kansas University in August, 1956. She is majoring in English, with a minor in French.

Film Society To Feature French Film

A French film, "Devil in the Flesh," the fourth attraction for members of the Union Film Society, will be held at the Capitol Theater Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

The film is translated to screen by a cast starring Gerard Philippe and Micheline Presle. Philippe, who also starred in "Fan Fan, the Tulip," portrays a tender, wistful headstrong schoolboy in love with a lonely girl.

Miss Presle portrays this girl, the unloving bride of a soldier of her family's choice. Their performance has been rated by international critics as "something to be remembered and cherished by all ardent admirers of true screen art."

Ping Pong Tourney Slated Saturday

The final game of the Ag College ping pong tournament will be played Saturday at 7:15 p.m. in the Ag Union, according to Mrs. Kathryn Peters, Activities Director.

A table will be set up in the TV lounge, and interested spectators are invited to attend, Mrs. Peters said.

Finalists in the tournament are Ernie English and Jim Feather. The winner of this final match will be presented with the championship trophy and will have his name inscribed on a permanent plaque on display in the Ag Union trophy case.

Exam: Montllor To Relate Careers

The State Department has announced that a special written examination for the Foreign Service will be held on June 25.

Eligible candidates must be between the ages of 20 and 31, American citizens of at least 10 years standing and if married, married to an American citizen. Applications to take the oneday written examination must be received on or before midnight, May 11.

Joseph Montllor, a representative of the Department of State, will be here April 10 to present information on career opportunities in the Foreign Service and to explain the examining process for entry into the Foreign Service as a career officer.

Those appointed will be expected to serve in any of the Department's 267 embassies, legations and consulates abroad, as well as in the Department's headquarters in Washington. Starting salaries for successful candidates range from \$4,725 to \$5,475 per year, depending on the officer's qualifications, experience and age at the time of appointment.

New Officers Of Houses Announced

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Physics: Students, Dr. Jehle Engage In Research

Attig, a former professor of history and political science at York College from 1951 to 1955, is now seeking a doctorate degree with a major in history at the University. He was a recipient of the Johnson Fellowship this year.

The object of the project, Specificity of London-Eisenstich-Wang Forces," to determine what makes interactions specific. Dr. Jehle explained that for many years scientists have been baffled as to why various cells are able to unite immediately with like cells, ignoring ones of different types.

As an example, Dr. Paul Weiss, lately of the University staff, separated the cells of two different kinds of sponges and mixed them together. The different types of cells immediately separated themselves into the two original sponges. The three men are attempting to discover why the cells are able to do this.

Biophysics is a relatively new field, according to Dr. Jehle and most of the work on this problem has been done from the biological point of view. Yoss, Bade, and Jehle, however, are attacking it from the physics angle.

Their work supported by the Research Corporation, a private organization to finance research projects, the National Research Council and by the Nebraska Science Foundation. Dr. Jehle explained that a tremendous amount of travel is involved in such a project in order to correlate the find-

ings of other scientists on the project.

The fundamental biophysical problem was originally stated by Dr. H. J. Miller of Indiana University in 1922. Dr. Jehle, assisted by Mr. Bade, expects to continue working on the problem until his own words "I'm dead."

Mr. Yoss expects to study in the Department of humanities for a while. Both Mr. Yoss and Mr. Bade took their PhD in the field of physics and are members of the National Science Association.

Outside World: Troop Use Denied

By CYNTHIA ZSCHAU, Nebraskan Staff Writer

President Eisenhower would not use U.S. armed forces in the Middle East without congressional approval unless a sudden emergency made it impractical to go to Congress, according to Secretary of State Dulles.

At a news conference Dulles said that the administration does not foresee any such emergency and will not ask Congress for standby authority to use American troops in the Middle East.

New Proposal Offered

The United States has presented new disarmament proposals to Russia which are aimed at decreasing the nuclear threat over the world.

The proposals, which called for a nuclear census, were offered at the meeting of the five-power subcommittee of the U.N. Disarmament Commission.

U.S. Delegate Harold Stassen said the proposals were designed to carry through the first phase of a world disarmament program.

Rain Would Help Wheat

Rain averaging about an inch in much of eastern Nebraska is expected to stop the decline in winter wheat conditions, according to the State-Federal Division of Agricultural Statistics.

The heavy precipitation will be a big help in the recovery of wheat fields which had been nearly destroyed by recent dry weather and strong winds.

41 Democrats Nominated

Forty-one persons have been nominated as candidates for delegates and alternates to the Democratic national convention in Chicago on Aug. 13.

The candidates will compete in the May 15 primary for the 12 delegates and 13 alternate seats.

Negro Bus Line Denied

Leaders of the Negro boycott against the city bus line in Montgomery, Alabama, were denied city permission to establish and operate an all-Negro bus company.



Courtesy Lincoln Star
DR. JEHLÉ

IFC Announces '56 Student Council State

... Election Committee Picks Twelve

The elections committee of the Interfraternity Council announced the 1956 Student Council slate Tuesday night.

Candidates for the Council representatives for the various colleges are:

Arts and Sciences: Monroe Usher, Phi Gamma Delta, and Art Weaver, Phi Delta Theta.

Business Administration: Bob Schuyler, Phi Gamma Delta, and

elections committee as the official IFC representative to the Council, pending final approval by the IFC.

Members of the election committee were Bob Cook, Delta Tau Delta; Don Beck, Alpha Gamma Rho; Joe Krause, Delta Upsilon; Charlie Trumble, Farmhouse; Nelson Jensen, Phi Delta Theta, and Rex Fischer, Phi Gamma Delta.

"The slate this year is a strong

one" Sam Ellis, IFC president said, "and all the candidates selected have the necessary qualifications to make excellent Council members."

The IFC candidates will be opposed in the spring elections by an independent slate, which will be announced in Friday's Nebraskan. Last year the IFC slate won all but one position, that of the Dental School representative.

Student Council: All Independent Slate Planned

The University's four largest independent organizations will sponsor an all-independent slate of candidates for Student Council college representatives.

This was announced by Douglas Jensen, president of the Residence Association for Men, after a joint meeting of the RAM Council and the House Council of the Women's Residence Halls.

In addition to the residence halls governing bodies are the Inter-Operative Council and the Bar B Activities Board for Women.

First tried last year, the idea of an independent slate was suggested to give independent students a better chance of election, Jensen said. He pointed out that often several independent students would run for a single office with little chance of any being elected because none had the official backing of organizations beyond his own living unit.

"Under the consolidated plan," viewing board is named with representatives of the four organizations. The board interviews aspirants to office and selects the best fitted candidate for each position. All candidates thus selected are then given the official support of the united organizations."

The interviews will be held Thursday evening. From 7-9 p.m. all interested men will be interviewed in the Resident Advisor's office in Selleck Quadrangle. Included will be Quadrangle residents, members of co-ops, Ag campus men and Lincoln men.

At 9 p.m. the interviewing board

will move to the Pine Room of the Women's Residence Halls where all interested women will be interviewed. Any independent women may be interviewed at this time, whether they live in the residence halls or elsewhere, Jensen said.

Going before the interviewing board will not obligate any student to file for election if, after the interview and an explanation of the post he wishes to fill, he decides to not be a candidate, Jensen pointed out.

"Last year the plan suffered from lack of adequate preparation," Jensen added. "We started to work too late and did not have time for good publicity," he said, "but we hope to profit from our earlier mistakes."

"The whole effort depends for its success on the cooperation of the independent voter; no matter how good the slate is it is useless unless independent students go to the polls," Jensen said.

According to Vic Goletz, president of the Inter-Co-Operative Council, the independent slate could easily lead to the formation of a party system on the NU campus similar to those on other campuses.

"The important thing is not an election contest between independent and affiliated candidates," Goletz said, "but any one year with a sizeable number of independent students on the Student Council could easily lead to a splitting of independent factions and eventual merger with factions of affiliated students." Goletz said some affiliated students are not satisfied with the present system and are ready to join any strong independent group which agrees with their views. This situation can lead to a party system which would be of great service to the University, Goletz pointed out.

Mary Sue Herbek, secretary of the House Council of the Women's Residence Halls, pointed out that that the forming of the slate indicates a greater interest among independent students.

"I think it is a good idea by the interviewing board. It gives more independent students a chance to get into activities," Miss Herbek said.

Literary Review Pub Board Authorizes Supplement

The Board of Publications Tuesday authorized the publishing of four more eight-page editions of the Nebraskan during the rest of the school year, according to Dr. Weaver, chairman.

The nature of the supplements are to be determined by the editor. "The editions will probably include three literary supplements and one special Ivy Day issue," Bruce Brugman, editor, said.

A trial edition of the Literary Review was introduced March 24. Janet Gordon and Glenna Berry, senior in Arts and Sciences, edit the supplement.

The special literary edition features the creative material of University students. Those interested in contributing short stories, poetry, fables, essays, sonnets and other creative material should submit them to the Nebraskan office.

The Board also approved increasing the number of Cornhusker managing editors from three to four, at a salary of \$40 per month. The Rag Press Club Luncheon will meet Friday at 2 a.m. in Parlor Z in the Union. All staff members, columnists, Pub Board members and those associated with the paper are urged to attend.

Councils: Dorms Plan Joint Series Of Sessions

The first of a series of joint meetings was held Monday night between the Main Cabinet of the Residence Association for Men and the House Council of the Residence Halls for Women, Dorm House Council president Ruth Vollmer announced Tuesday.

The two independent groups agreed to meet together the first Monday of each month, alternating the meeting place between Selleck Quadrangle and the Women's Residence Halls.

Discussion at the first meeting included the recent conference of the Association of College and University Residence Halls, a joint residence halls social function, better relations between the two groups and merging of men's and women's food service for noon meals on Sundays.

Olivia Hansen, Social Director of the Women's Residence Halls was appointed to head a committee to investigate possible improvements in the financial status of the residence halls groups.

April 16: Union Plans Ping Pong Tourney

The third annual ping pong tournament will be held April 16 through May 2 at the Union ping pong room, announced Phyllis Kapustka, chairman of the Student Union Recreation Committee.

Any person is eligible to sign up if he is an undergraduate in good scholastic standing with the University. Previous first-place winners of a ping pong tournament are not eligible to compete in this year's tournament.

Any eligible student may sign up at his house or at the Union Activities Office by April 12 for either the doubles or singles tournament. For doubles, he should sign up with a partner; those who are in the singles draw for their opponents.

A trophy is awarded to the first-place winner of the singles tournament and to each of the winners in the doubles tournament. The winner's names are put on a plaque which is kept permanently in the Union.

Over ninety persons participated in last year's tournament. Ilmara Bergman was the first-place winner of the singles tournament. The winners in the doubles tournament were Bill Soleberg and Noris Ecklund.

The Union Recreation Committee is sponsoring the tournament, and urges everyone interested to participate. Tom Gilliland is chairman of the event. Arlene Nordstrom, and Karen Kruger, are in charge of publicity.

For further information, those interested may contact Gilliland at 2-4763, or at the Union Activities office.

Irrigation

Three officials from the Soil Conservation Service will review new problems in irrigation at the ASA (American Society of Agricultural Engineers) meeting Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the auditorium of the Agricultural Engineering Building. All interested persons are invited.

Radio, TV: TV Comic To Speak At Dinner

Alpha Epsilon Rho, radio and television honorary, will hold its annual banquet April 1 at 6 p.m. in the Union Ballroom.

Television comedian Johnny Carson and Dr. Armand Hunter, director of TV at Michigan State University, will be the featured speakers at the banquet.

The banquet will honor student and faculty members who have made "outstanding contributions" to University radio and television, Ingrid Swerre, Alpha Epsilon Rho president said.

Carson, CBS comedian, was born in Corning, Ia. He was graduated from the University in 1949 and worked for WOW radio in Omaha. Until recently, Carson had a nation wide television show originating from Hollywood.

Dr. Hunter is also director of WQAR TV in Lansing. He was formerly director of the University Theater here and received his Bachelor's and Masters degrees from the University. Dr. Hunter was also director of speech at Temple University.

Tickets to the banquet can be purchased from any AE Rho member for \$2.50.

Farm Youth To Visit NU For Contests

More than 2500 Nebraska youth will be expected Thursday and Friday at the University Ag campus for the annual high school Voc-Ag Judging Contests.

The total of 955 teams representing 146 schools will participate in the 15 contests scheduled. Contests will be held in livestock judging, farm mechanics, poultry judging, crops and soils management, crops judging and identification, farm management, dairy products judging, meats judging and identification, metals, tractor driving, carpentry, tractor maintenance, soil conservation, farm machinery and dairy cattle selection.

The State Future Farmers of America will hold their Convention on the Ag campus at the same time.

NU Coeds Collect \$632 For Fund

A total of \$632 was collected by University of Nebraska coeds dressed as Easter bunnies for the Crippled Children's Society in the "Lily Parade" tag day collections in downtown Lincoln.

Dr. Lucile Cypranssen was chairman of the event, and the coeds were volunteers from Chi Omega and Kappa Kappa Gamma sororities and speech therapy students.

The "Lily Parade" collections, together with other donations during the Easter Seal campaign, go to support local activities of the Crippled Children's Society, which aids individual crippled children and also contributes to the support of several programs for the handicapped.