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## Huskers Take Big Six Track Meet

### Tax Plan Goes to Students

#### VOTE WILL BE HELD IN CONNECTION WITH EARLY REGISTRATION

#### Eight Items Are Listed on Ballot by Student Council.

The activities tax proposal goes to the student body itself for approval or rejection when the referendum vote, held in connection with registration for next fall, begins Monday morning.

All undergraduate students who register for classes for next fall will vote on a ballot prepared by the Student Council, which has gathered information and prepared the tax proposal, in their respective deans' offices as they complete their registration process this week. The referendum will continue through the week, closing at noon Saturday, May 27th.

The ballot is divided into three parts. First, there is a brief explanation of the compulsory activities tax plan for financing student publications, athletics and other projects of all-school interest. The second part puts the question to a "yes" or "no" vote as a principle. The third part of the ballot lists eight items proposed by the Student Council for inclusion in the plan with squares where each student will check those he thinks should be included.

A copy of the activities tax ballot will be found elsewhere in today's Nebraskan.

If a majority of the underclass students approve the plan as a principle for financing student projects, a detailed recommendation to the board of regents, including those items which get the approval of a preponderant majority of those voting, will be formulated by the council.

A sample vote of senior opinion on the plan was taken at the recent regular spring election, giving the plan 210 to 79 approval. "It is, however, the opinion of the underclass students—since they, not graduating seniors, will have to pay the tax—that the council wants before it goes further with the plan," the council

In a final statement before the activities tax committee explained, voting begins, Howard Allaway, chairman of the committee Saturday asked that every student read the ballot carefully before he votes

#### GEOLOGY GROUP ELECTS

#### Sig Gamma Epsilon Chooses Mc Callum as President Thursday Night.

R. K. McCallum was elected president of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, honorary geology fraternity, at the last meeting of that organization this year held in Morrill hall, Thursday night. F. W. Johnson was the retiring president.

Other officers elected were Keith L. Rathbun, vice president; Thomas Wright, secretary-treasurer, and Marion Graetz, editor.

#### BOARD INSTALLS NEW BIG SISTERS MAY 20

#### Lucille Reilly, President, Was in Charge of Arrangements.

Forty-one girls who are to serve as Big Sisters during the coming year were installed Saturday afternoon at Ellen Smith hall. The installation was in charge of Lucille Reilly, president of the Big Sister board. Virgene McBride was in charge of refreshments. Miss Letta Clark of Teachers college, advisor of the group, was the only guest.

The new Big Sisters are chosen by the members of the Big Sister board on the basis of reliability and leadership. They will assist freshmen during registration next fall and sponsor parties and informal affairs for them during the year.

The new Big Sisters are: Rowena Miller, Jacqueline James, Barbara Barber, Laura L. McAllister, Frances F. Scudder, Rachel L. Baker, Patricia Frisbie, Mary Frances Kingsley, Marjorie Showe, Alaire Barkes, Myra Grimes, Phyllis Riddle, Ruth Hornbuckle, Kathleen Becker, Roberta Stevenson, Margaret Medlar, Denise Greene, Paula Mac Davis, Kathryn M. Gaebel, Marjorie Shostak.

Others include Maxine Packwood, Thelma Sterkel, Beth Schmid, Vera Oxenford, Lois Hilt, Helen Lutz, Genevieve Jeffries, Elinor Price, Bonnie Sparggaard, Mary Svoboda, Dorothy Cathers, Ada Petrea, Mary Edith Hendricks, Hallene Haxthausen, Betty Barrows, Cathleen Long, Lois Rathburn, Phyllis Jean Humphrey, Marie Louise Davis, Gertrude Hill, Lucille Hille.

#### AWGWAN TO MAKE LAST APPEARANCE OF YEAR TUESDAY

#### Article in Publication by Art Wolf Is Reply to Women's Issue.

The Awgwan, Nebraska humor publication, will make its final appearance of the year on the campus Tuesday, according to an announcement released yesterday by H. Francis Cunningham, editor of the publication.

The forthcoming issue, the ninth this year, will be featured by a cover of black, yellow and green colors, depicting a festive spring dance.

Headlining the large variety of stories, and written by an alumnus of the university who must remain anonymous, appears a story "Eugene O'Neill Writes a Commencement Address," which satirically pictures the annual commencement events.

Retaliating for the women's issue which appeared last month, Art Wolf writes a reply called "Its Your Turn Ladies." "Sorority Mythology," by Charles Ledwith, contains a compilation of selected articles from various sorority magazines.

In this month's issue will also be found two pages of cartoons drawn by Robert Pierce and Morris Gordon, headed "Out in the Cold, Cold World," which presents Nebraska scored the greater part

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#### EMMERT WILL HEAD MILITARY HONORARY

#### Carlson, Allen, Smith, and Davis Are Other Officers.

Max Emmert, Omaha, arts and science sophomore, was announced as captain of Pershing Rifles for the coming year at the organization's annual banquet held in the Georgian room of the Hotel Cornhusker, Friday night.

Approximately seventy-five Pershing Riflemen and their dates attended the event.

Other officers announced were Leonard Carlson, first lieutenant and leader of the first platoon; Nathan Allen, second lieutenant and leader of the second platoon; Robert Smith, second lieutenant and historian; and Robert Davis, first sergeant.

The Gillaspie cup presented each year to the most outstanding member of the organization was awarded this year to Vean Stone. Awards were made to winners of individual compet as follows: Doyt Naden, first, a jeweled Pershing Rifle pin; Raymond Elliott, second, a plain Pershing Rifle pin; Nathan Allen, third, a Pershing Rifle watch charm.

Colonel Oury and Colonel Frankforter each spoke a few words to the group during the banquet.

Following the dinner, a dance was held in the main ballroom of the hotel, for which Eddie Jungbluth and his orchestra furnished the music.

#### Dr. Fordyce Addresses Nurses Thursday Night

Dr. Charles Fordyce, chairman of the department of educational psychology and measurements, addressed the nurses of St. Elizabeth's hospital Thursday night on the theme, "Personality As It Effects the Efficiency of the Nurse."

## FAIL TO PLACE IN BUT THREE EVENTS

#### Cunningham of Kansas University and Newblock of Oklahoma Set Up New Records in 880 Yard Run and High Jump Respectively.

Winning points in all of the events except the 440 yard dash, the 880 yard run and the 220 yard low hurdles, the Nebraska Cornhuskers came through in great style in the Big Six track and field meet Saturday afternoon to cop first honors with a high total of 71 1-3 points. Two conference records fell during this fifth annual Big Six track meet which was held at the Nebraska Memorial stadium.

#### EARLY REGISTRATION WILL BEGIN MONDAY

#### Students May Enroll for Summer Session at Same Time.

Early registration of resident students for the fall semester will begin Monday morning, May 22, at eight o'clock, and continue through the week until Saturday noon, May 27, according to an announcement made at the Registrar's office Saturday.

Only students registered during the current semester and those school of music students registered for university credit may register for next fall at this time. Students now in attendance at the university who intend to remain for the summer session may register for it this week or may wait until the regular summer session registration, scheduled to be held from Friday, June 9 to Saturday noon, June 10.

Any student who fails to register this week for the fall semester must wait until September to do so, and will be charged a late registration fee at that time. Tuition fees for the fall semester must be received by the finance secretary

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Cunningham of Kansas and Newblock of Oklahoma were responsible for the bettering of the old marks in the 880 and the high jump respectively, and Cunningham made it a big day for himself by winning the mile and the two mile also. The great Kansas running machine negotiated the half in 1:52.2, which time bettered his old mark of 1:53.3. Newblock high jumped 6 feet 3 3/4 inches to oust the 6 foot 3 5/8 mark held by Milton Ehrlick of Kansas State. The old half mile mark was set last spring, and the jump record was set up in 1931.

Heye Lambertus, who was doped to set up a new Big Six record in the 220-yard low hurdles, hit the last barrier and sprawled in the dust, thus blasting his hopes until next year. He won this title last spring when he was clocked in 23.6 seconds. Plumley of Kansas won the race in 24.7 seconds.

Coach Schulte's squad made the affair a dual meet with Kansas, with the other teams delving in for a few points now and then. It was the second and third places which enabled the Huskers to come thru with the successful defense of the title. Out of the fifteen events the Jays won 10 and the Scarlet 3. Nebraska, usually powerful in the track events, and not much so on the field, reversed the usual set of things, and piled up eleven counters in both the discus and javelin events, and 10 in the broad jump. Scoring 6 points in the shotput, 6 1-2 in the pole vault, and 2 5-6 in the high jump.

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### A Summary of the Arguments In Favor of the Blanket Tax

The following summary of points in favor of the activity tax plan which will be voted on by all undergraduate students during the coming week presents the editorial point of view as to why this paper favors the activity tax.

1. Because every student pays the tax, the cost of the various enterprises to each individual is reduced very greatly.
2. All enterprises and publications which are a part of the tax plan are guaranteed a certain financial support and can lay their plans definitely to insure a uniform quality of their services to the students.
3. The tax plan provides a means for financing such campus improvements as a student union building, unusual convocation programs, etc., which is clearly the best way of financing such projects.
4. The tax plan makes probably the existence of a far more unified student spirit on the campus since all instead of just part of the students will be taking part in various student enterprises.
5. The tax plan eliminates the necessity for so many subscription and sales campaigns. Like a community chest subscription, the tax takes care of these various items in semestery payments.
6. Student projects such as the Student Council would become absolutely independent student organizations not having to rely for their financial support upon gifts from university and athletic funds.
7. For those who are absolutely financially unable to pay the tax exemption provisions will be made.

### Sample Ballot

#### ACTIVITIES TAX BALLOT.

The activities tax plan, as here proposed by the Student Council, is a plan for financing certain activities and enterprises of general student interest by spreading the cost over the entire student body, thereby reducing the cost to the individual student and, at the same time, maintaining the necessary revenues for the operation of these activities and enterprises.

The proposal, if approved by this all-student referendum, will be submitted to the Board of Regents for their action with the recommendation of the Student Council that it be adopted beginning next fall.

The fee, one-half the lump sum total for the year for the several activities and enterprises included in the final plan, would be paid at the same time regular university fees are paid each semester.

The fee would be compulsory for all full time undergraduate students, excepting those at the Medical College and School of Nursing at Omaha. Exemptions would be granted only on the grounds of financial inability to pay and only after a hearing and approval by a committee of faculty members.

The items to be included in the final plan recommended by the Student Council to the Board of Regents would be those approved by the preponderant majority of students at this referendum. The figures quoted below, while not final, would in no case exceed those quoted for any item. They would be subject to downward revision after investigation by the Board of Regents. If any item could not be offered in the plan at the figure quoted, it would not be recommended by the council for inclusion in the compulsory plan at all.

Do you favor the adoption of the student activity tax plan at Nebraska?

Yes.....  No.....

	Present Cost Per Year	Cost Under Tax Plan Per Year	
Daily Nebraskan	\$2.00	\$0.50	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cornhusker	4.50	3.00	<input type="checkbox"/>
Awgwan	1.00	0.50	<input type="checkbox"/>
Student Athletic Ticket	6.00	5.00	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prairie Schooner	1.00	0.10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Student Council Fund		0.05	<input type="checkbox"/>
Convocations Fund		0.10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Student Union Building Fund		0.15	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other Suggestions (price to be later decided):			<input type="checkbox"/>

Above is printed a sample activity tax plan ballot on which all undergraduate students will vote this coming week when they register. Every student is particularly urged to notice that if he votes "yes" on the plan he is also expected to check any or all of the items listed at the bottom of the ballot.

The final form of the tax plan will be determined by the vote of the students. If, for example, a large majority of the students vote for the plan, those items which receive the greatest number of votes will be included in the plan to be submitted to the Board of Regents for approval.