

University Hall to Be Razed



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Landmark Gives Way To New EE Building

Another university landmark will be gone next spring when University Hall is torn down to make room for a new electrical engineering building which will be built on the U Hall site.

Architects are now preparing plans for construction of the engineering building, L. F. Seaton, operating superintendent announced today. Construction work will begin as soon as plans are finished and classes can be moved out of U Hall.

The move will be made as soon as Burnett Hall, now under construction, is completed. U Hall classes will be moved into Burnett and Social Science building, probably next March or April, Seaton said.

House EE Offices

The new structure will be about the size of Burnett Hall and will house all of the electrical engineering department and offices. Electrical engineers are now located in a building just north of the new site and in several of the temporary barracks on the campus. The old building will be torn down and the temporary structures will be used by some other department if they are needed.

University Hall is the oldest building on the campus, having been erected in 1870, just one year after Nebraska University was chartered. In the first few years of the university's existence the entire institution was housed in this one building which was then a four-story structure.

Law College

The fourth floor was reserved for the law college while the first, second and third floors were primarily arts and science. At the present time, all that remains of this landmark is the first floor and basement. The language and journalism departments and the junior division now occupy what is left of the building.

About 1921 the top three floors were declared unsound and were removed. For ten or 15 years before that, these floors had been supported by iron girders. A few years after the building was constructed, the foundation failed and a new one had to be built. This was accomplished by jacking up the building on timbers.

To illustrate the antiquity of the building, a squib in the 1920 Cornhusker yearbook notes hope of the destruction of the campus eyesore—University Hall.

Student Runs Into Car, Hurt

Alvin A. Gloor, university sophomore, received head injuries when he ran into the side of a car driven by Norman F. Dockoven on 14th street in front of the Union Wednesday afternoon.

The accident occurred, according to police reports, on 14th between R and S when Gloor was running west across 14th street during the heavy rain Wednesday afternoon. He failed to see the north bound vehicle and ran into the right side of the car. The Albion, Nebr. student was taken to the Lincoln General hospital for treatment.

Gospel Singers Appear at Ag

The Blackwood Brothers, popular singers of gospel songs, will appear in concert at the college activities building on Ag campus Friday night. The program which is sponsored by the Religious Council will begin at 8:15.

Tickets for the program are now on sale and may be purchased from any council members, according to Dale Stauffer, president of the organization.

The Blackwood Brothers are well known in this vicinity, having appeared several times in Lincoln before full houses. They broadcast three times daily from radio station KMA in Shennandoah, Iowa.

Editorial Team to Address Journalism Dinner Tonight

With two of the country's outstanding newspapermen, one an editorial cartoonist and the other an editorial writer, as speakers, students and faculty of the school of journalism will gather for the annual fall awards banquet tonight at 6:30 in Union parlors ABC.

The affair, which honors scholarship for beginning students in journalism, is marked by the presentation of five gold keys, which are awarded to the five sophomore students whose freshman scholastic records were outstanding. The keys are presented through the courtesy of The Lincoln Newspapers, which sponsor

Student Council Votes to Send NSA Delegates

The student council voted that its committee studying the National Student Association recommend delegates to be sent to that organization's regional convention. The action was taken at the meeting held in the parlor Y of the Union Wednesday evening.

Delegates sent to the NSA national convention last September in Madison, Wisconsin reported that the regional meeting will be in Kansas City, Missouri, Oct. 22 to 24. The constitution of the NSA regional organization will be drawn up at that time.

Betty Jean Holcomb and Jack Hill presented the report of the national delegates to the council. Included in their report was the recommendation that a travel fund be set up by the council to help pay the expenses of students sent on official university trips of this nature.

The council accepted without discussion the recommendation of the constitutions committee, reported by chairman Bob Wenke, and approved the constitutions of two organizations, the United World Federalists, and the Spanish club. The federalists constitution had been resubmitted with revisions requested by the council last spring.

All University Fund to Solicit \$2 Donations From Students

(See picture at right) "Getting students to see what the World Student Service Fund actually does is as important as getting them to contribute," Beth Noerenberg, All University Fund director, emphasized at a recent meeting of the AUF planning committee.

"The student body must be aware of the fact that the United States is only one of many countries supporting world student relief, and that students in Sweden and England, for example, are asked to give more than twice the amount for which U. N. students will be solicited." To meet the campus goal of \$13,200, two dollars will be asked of each student. However, any amount will gladly be accepted, Miss Noerenberg stated.

Keep in Mind.

Instructing members of the committee as to what they should have well in mind, she outlined the organizational setup for distribution of funds in foreign countries. "The World Student Relief has reliable agents in the different localities, each with a committee comprised of local citizens, to help with the administration of relief. Money is not

a similar silver key award through the school of journalism for high school writers in the spring.

Cartoons on Exhibit

Daniel R. Fitzpatrick, Pulitzer-prize-winning editorial cartoonist for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, is the main speaker of the banquet. Fitzpatrick has recently published a selection of his cartoons in book form, and a group of his cartoons are now on display in Gallery A of the university art galleries in Morrill Hall.

Irving Dilliard, editorial writer of The Post-Dispatch and a past national president of Sigma Delta Chi, is the other speaker for the evening. Dilliard and Fitzpatrick will arrive in Lincoln sometime today on the Post-Dispatch private plane.

Lincoln Newspapermen

Another feature of the program this fall will be the formal installation of a Nebraska professional chapter of Sigma Delta Chi. The professional chapter will supplement the work of the undergraduate chapter, and will be organized Thursday afternoon and formally introduced at the banquet. It will be made up of practicing newspapermen in Lincoln and adjacent communities who

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Vets Will Check Sanitation, Housing At Regular Meet

Investigation of sanitary conditions of campus coffee shops and restaurants, parking conditions, and increase of GI subsistence allowances are on the agenda of the University Veterans organization meeting Thursday in the Union Ball Room at 7 p. m.

The meeting will be open to all university veterans for ideas and comments on the above problems and on other campus matters.

A dance will follow the meeting, with music being furnished by Miller Combo. Wives of members are invited to the meeting and dates and dance.

given directly to the students, but is given in the form of supplies, medical and material aid. Something else which should be stressed is that the students receiving such aid give service in return, if it is at all possible for them to do so. So, you see, it isn't just handed them on a silver platter."

Miss Noerenberg concluded her informal talk on the grave note that "if we don't get aid to these countries within the next few months, 400,000 students will be forced to give up their educational pursuits."

The All University Fund drive will open officially November 3 and will close on the eighth.

Incomplete Enrollment Figures Reach 10,068

University enrollment has reached 10,068 Dr. G. W. Rosenlof, registrar and director of admissions, announced Thursday.

Rosenlof estimated that the total would reach 10,100 when all registrations now being made are completed. The figures include the college of medicine and school of nursing in Omaha and both Lincoln campuses.

Meatless Tuesday Hits UN Campus

All food dispensing agencies of the University of Nebraska announced Tuesday, that they will give President Truman's food conservation program their full support.

The ag college cafeteria, the city and agricultural college campus Unions, the Residence Halls for Women, and the co-operative dormitories for women will serve no meat on Tuesday, no poultry or eggs on Thursday, and no bread or butter except when asked by patrons.

Honoraries Plan Meets; Name Heads

Plans for the six regular bi-monthly meetings of the Nebraska chapter of Phi Beta Kappa have been tentatively outlined and announced by D. J. Brown, newly elected president.

Dr. Gilbert Willey will discuss "The Importance of People" at the first meeting, Oct. 28. The December meeting will include a talk by Dr. Leslie Hewes on "The Nature of Geography."

Discussion

"Inside Biochemistry" will be discussed by Dr. Walter Miltzer at the February gathering. The first three meetings will all be held in the union at 6:15 p.m.

In March, the group will meet in Morrill Hall to study an exhibition of the Nebraska Art Association with Prof. Linus Burr Smith.

A joint meeting with Sigma Xi in April will be held in the Union to hear a talk on "Science and International Relations" by Dean Louis W. Redenour.

A reception and initiation of new members will be on the agenda for the final meeting in May.

New Officers

Other new officers of the organization are David Dew, vice-president; Clifford M. Hicks, secretary; George M. Darlington, treasurer, and Lenore Layman, historian.

Sigma Xi, scientific scholastic honorary, has announced that M. A. Basco was elected president at a recent meeting. Other officers are F. W. Norris, secretary, and T. A. Kiessbach, advisor. No definite program has been planned.



Courtesy Lincoln Journal. L. F. SEATON.

Chancellor Will Speak to UN Alumni in Iowa

Chancellor R. G. Gustavson will speak to the University of Nebraska alumni of Des Moines and vicinity Friday evening, Oct. 10, at a pre-game dinner before Saturday's Nebraska-Iowa State football game.

Officials of the athletic department and coaching staff representatives: Perry Branch, secretary-director of the University Foundation; George Round, director of public relations, and Fritz Daly, secretary of the Alumni association also will attend the dinner.

Chancellor Gustavson will make the trip to the Iowa capital with the Nebraska football team.

Oscar Norling, former Lincoln resident, is president of the Des Moines Alumni club.

YW Membership Drive to Start

The annual YWCA drive for freshman membership will start on Ag campus next week, according to Harriet Moline, membership chairman.

The drive is delayed each year until the end of the first three weeks due to an AWS ruling which prevents freshman girls from entering into activities until that time.

A booth will be set up in the Ag Union all week to contact all girls who wish to join the group.



ALL UNIVERSITY FUND PLANNING COMMITTEE—Seated, left to right, Norm Leger, publicity; Beth Noerenberg, director; Bob Easter, head solicitor; Florence Arnold, special projects; Joan Farrar, advisory board; Jo Ann Kellenbarger, clerical; Peggy Lawrie, treasurer; and Bruce Johnson, posters.