



R. G. Gustavson Gives Convo Report on UNESCO Conference

Chancellor Calls for Greater Understanding Between Nations: Capacity Crowd at Coliseum

"UNESCO will never be complete as long as Russia remains on the outside," stated Chancellor R. G. Gustavson in a convocation speech before an overflow crowd in the coliseum Wednesday afternoon.

If we are to live in peace, the nations of the world must use the next five to 25 years to cement understanding between the "Russian" and "western" ideologies, according to the speaker. The emphasis is on military power by many nations is an evidence of an unsure world, he continued. Military power, said Gustavson, is a force in an insecure world. UNESCO is a force in a secure one.

Main Objective.

"How we can organize education, science and culture so that we can have a peaceful world," is the main object of UNESCO, according to the chancellor who has lately returned from its meeting in Mexico City in November.

In the course of the conference, three new members, Austria, Hungary and Italy, were accepted into the organization. The only dissenting vote was on Hungary, when the US delegation voted against its petition on orders from the American state department.

Gustavson had only contempt for the Washington order. According to the speaker, the reason for this refusal to accept Hungary was the election irregularities in that country. The chancellor raised a good point in opposition when he said he did not especially approve of the election procedures in our southern states. If our own country is guilty of these faults in voting procedures, why should we not grant membership to a country for the same reason.

Six Points.

Gustavson, who acted as chairman of the committee on program and banquet at the conference, listed six major facts on UNESCO work:

1. Reconstruction of the world's

existing educational system.

2. Facilitation of communication between countries.

3. Education of foreign peoples, especially in reading and writing

4. Increased study of social sciences.

5. Translations of the classics of all time into many languages.

6. Discussion between natural scientists of the world.

Three Council Positions Filled

Ruth Spurgeon, graduate student in the Arts and Sciences, Dace Boyland, junior woman in Arts and Sciences college, and Gerald Gardner, junior in the College of Dentistry, were elected to the Student Council at the regular Wednesday council meeting.

The three appointments fill council seats which were vacated since the last election.

Seven women made application for the junior Arts and Science post. Only three were present to be interviewed.

Several council members questioned the idea of voting without hearing all applicants. The vote was taken after previous experiences of waiting for applicants to appear were brought out as unsatisfactory.

Two of the three candidates for the woman's graduate seat were present for interviews.

Gardner was the only candidate from the college of dentistry.

Constitutions committee chairman Bob Wenke reported that processing the 145 constitutions of existing organizations would take considerable more time. He said that group revisions will be recommended to the council when the study by his committee is complete.

New organizations receive individual study to speed council approval he said.

Choir Plans "Messiah" Presentation

Choral Union In Annual Production

Handel's "Messiah," an annual university production which will be given at the coliseum at 3 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 14, will follow a custom of several years'



Mrs. Anderson



Jean Thompson



J. Dayton Smith



Donald Ellis

standing by inviting any student who has sung in a "Messiah" presentation on this or any other campus to join the Choral Union for this presentation, provided he attends the Saturday afternoon rehearsal at 1 p. m. in the coliseum.

Five University and Lincoln choral groups will combine to form the Choral Union directed by Dr. Arthur Westbrook. These groups include the Agricultural College chorus directed by Altinas Tullis, the University Singers and the University Chorus I, directed by Dr. Westbrook, University Chorus II directed by David Foltz, and the Grieg Male chorus directed by Marvin Wadley.

Soloists

Soloists for the "Messiah" will See MESSIAH, page 4.

Ball Asks Poll Return

Students who were unable to attend Wednesday's convocation are asked to answer the Student Council poll which is printed in today's Daily Nebraskan, Dale Ball, chairman of the Council's campus improvement committee, asked.

Students who answered the poll at the convocation should not answer this newspaper poll, Ball continued.

Ball said that the Council would act on the four proposals in accordance with the expressed opinions of the students. Several thousand poll ballots were collected at the Gustavson convocation yesterday, he added.

Suggested improvements include building an all-university chapel for worship of all faiths, setting up a priority system for campus parking, inaugurating a senior week of activities and social events to replace a final week of examinations, and sending a student representative to meetings of the University Senate, the faculty governing body.

A random tabulation made Wednesday afternoon on several dozen of the polls collected at the Coliseum showed unanimous endorsement of the proposal for senior week.

The poll box is located in the Daily Nebraskan office, in the Union basement.

Taft Will Speak At Convo Today

"International Trade" Topic Of Noted Economist, Lawyer

Charles Phelps Taft, nationally known reformer, economist, lawyer, and brother of Sen. Robert Taft, whose accomplishments in national life include being the first layman to hold the office of president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America,

will speak at an all-university convocation at 11 a. m. today in the Union ballroom.

Speaks on Postwar Trade.

Taft, who served as director of the office of wartime economic affairs and of the office of transportation and communications, both connected with the state department, will speak on "International Trade in The Postwar World."

As Will Clayton's special assistant, Taft had charge of the presentation to Congress of the Trade Agreement Act. It was his office that announced the agreement with the United Kingdom, France, Belgium, the Netherlands, Norway and Luxembourg for the rehabilitation and operation of western Europe's railways, highways, and canals.

Son of President Taft.

Taft is the son of the 27th president of the United States. After prepping at the Taft school, he received his BA degree in absentia in 1918 from Yale university while he was in the armed forces. On his return to civilian life he re-entered Yale and received his LLB in 1921 and was admitted to the Ohio Bar the following year. He entered law practice with his brother Robert in Cincinnati.

He is the author of "City Management," "The Cincinnati Experiment," "You and I—and Roosevelt," and "Why I Am For the Church."

Army Supply.

Perhaps no one in Washington was in a better position during the war years to know what was really happening behind the scenes than Taft, especially in regard to supplying the armies. It was during this period that he became closely connected with the field of international trade and relations, which has caused him to say repeatedly, "In this new atomic age the fullest collaboration between nations is imperative. In many respects the atom bomb has already obliterated national boundaries. A new world has been created and only the form of a constitution is required to make it one world."

Gals Open Season On Boys Friday

The second biggest mystery on the NU campus, "Who the heck are the eligible bachelors?" will be out come Friday evening when the MB's trot out a stablefull of hand-picked males, the Big Gals' cherge.

The second biggest mystery is, "Why don't the Omaha sports writers drop dead?"

Smart money had it Wednesday that the Bachelors would be Big Men On Campus—over six feet tall, that is.

Nebraska's Amazons marched to the polls a couple of week ago to tab boys for Bachelor honors.

But that's not all the fun. Next year is 1948—Leap Year, in case you hadn't heard. And the gals



Sam Donahue.

are sharpening their grappling hooks already. In fact the she-males will take the fellas to the shindig. They will treat their dates to the feed-bag first, then canter away to the Coliseum at 9 p. m.

But what a shock! Men will look like vegetable gardens, Christmas trees and party-party boys. Their escorts will pin on obscure, weird corsages to claim their men. The air will be heady with perfume (Danger), with music (Sam Donahue), and with the Black Masques themselves.

Parlays yesterday listed the following men as favorites for Eligible Bachelor honors:

Robert Metrakos, Richard Bocken, Walter Dorothy, Harold Munson, John Ayres, Harvey Davis, Randy Ewing, Irvin Dana, Bob Wenke, Howard Ford, Lee Goodwin, Jim Swanson, Bryon Hooper, Tony St. John, Al Potter, Forrest Binder, Lee Wolfert, David Levin, Harold Kopf, Jack DeWulf, John Bloom, Eugene Packard, John Doyle, Jack Guenzel, Darald May, Howard Pavelsek, Roger White, Norris Anderson and Gilbert Hueffle.

Friday is open season on men, and coeds will be Dianas!

Mervyn Cadwallader, arts and science junior, and Elmer Sprague, arts and science senior and member of Phi Beta Kappa, were named as two of the three Rhodes scholar candidates by the state committee late Wednesday.

Out of a state group of nine, these three students will appear with fifteen others before the regional committee in Des Moines which will select six urday.

Prep Athletes Hear Husker Grid Mentors

Several members of the university of Nebraska coaching staff have a full week of speaking at high schools athletic banquets. Coach Bernie Masterson heads the list with two talks scheduled.

Thursday evening he will speak at a meeting at Valentine and Friday night he will be at Hay Springs. On each occasion high school athletes will be honored.

Line coach Tony Blazine and Ray Debolt, B team coach, appeared earlier this week at Pierce, Nebr. and Hamburg, Ia., respectively. Blazine appeared Wednesday night at Ord and will be at North Platte Thursday evening.

"Pop" Klein spoke at Cambridge Wednesday and will be guest speaker at a high school dinner at Brady Thursday evening. Friday noon he will be at the Down Kiwanis club's luncheon in Omaha.

The David City high school football squad and heard End Coach Ray Prochaska Wednesday night.

Demos to Hear Ritchie

William Ritchie, of Omaha and chairman of the Nebraska democratic party will speak during the Young Democrat dinner-meeting Thursday evening, according to an announcement issued by Chairman Donald Morrow.

The dinner is scheduled to begin at 6:45 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 11, in parlor YZ of the Union.

PROPOSED CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS
This questionnaire is sponsored by the Student Council for the purpose of obtaining recommendations for the Campus Improvement Committee.

Year in school Church Preference College

I
All University Chapel

	Yes	No
1. Do you feel that there is a need for a chapel	_____	_____
2. Would you personally participate in its activities	_____	_____
3. Would you contribute to a Chapel Building Fund	_____	_____
4. How do you think such a chapel should be administered? (CHECK ONE)		
a. By a body representative of all campus religious groups	_____	_____
b. By appointment of the Student Council	_____	_____
c. By appointment of the Faculty	_____	_____
d. By appointment of a joint faculty-student administrative committee	_____	_____

II
University Senate
(This governing body consists of all University professors.)

	Yes	No
5. Do you think that there is a need for student representation on the University Senate	_____	_____
6. If so, in what capacity should the students serve, as observers, or as active participants? (UNDERLINE ONE)		
7. How should they be chosen? (CHECK ONE)		
a. By Student Council appointment	_____	_____
b. By a student election	_____	_____

III
Senior Week

	Yes	No
8. Should senior final examination week be replaced by a Senior Week, which would, among other things, acquaint seniors with the Alumni Association, and would provide appropriate social activities?	_____	_____

IV
Parking Areas

	Yes	No
9. Do you regularly have difficulty in parking on the campus	_____	_____
10. If you know of groups of students who have special parking difficulties, name these groups		
11. Do you think such groups ought to share special privileges with the faculty	_____	_____

Other Comments

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