



## Gustavson Commends UNESCO Conference

Chancellor R. G. Gustavson recently wrote a letter commending the action taken for holding a UNESCO conference on the campus this month.

The conference has been scheduled Feb. 16, 17 and 18. Speakers for the event include Archibald MacLeish, statesman and poet; Constance Roach, education director of the United States commission; and Walter Laves, former assistant director general of UNESCO. Chancellor Gustavson will address Nebraska students at the conference. An international pageant under the supervision of Arthur Cosgrove will highlight the Thursday evening session of the three-day conference.

The project was planned jointly by the campus YM and YW and plans were begun last fall for the model session of the educational arm of the United States.

Following is Gustavson's letter:

The student body at the University of Nebraska is to be complimented for having taken steps to hold on the university campus on Feb. 16, 17, and 18 a UNESCO conference which will provide opportunity for careful consideration of a number of critical world problems. I feel sure that this worthy project will receive the support of the university faculty.

One way to find a solution to world problems is for representatives of organized groups to come together to study these matters from many points of view. As a result of such study should come recommendations and programs of action.

The nations of the world are coming to recognize that they are now a part of the world community. Learning to live together in understanding and in peace presents many of the problems which will no doubt receive the attention of the conference. Perhaps the students at the University of Nebraska will be able to suggest the solution to some of these critical problems that must be solved if world peace is to be achieved.

As students you have great responsibilities. The leaders of tomorrow will be chosen from your group.

R. G. Gustavson



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R. G. Gustavson

## Leading English Historian To Appear at Convocation

World-minded students, will have the opportunity to hear one of the leading writers and historians of England Monday, Feb. 7,



Hector Bolitho

Hector Bolitho, well-known British biographer, will appear at 11 a. m. in the Union ballroom at a convocation. His subject will be "British People and the Monarchy Today."

Bolitho is especially famous for his biographical accounts of the great men and women of the past British royalty of the Victorian age.

His first important work, the account of the life of the Prince Consort, "Albert the Good," established him as a biographer of importance. This was followed by "Victoria, the Widow and Son," "Edward VIII" and several others.

Bolitho spent many hours in research for his extensive literary accounts. To obtain material for his series of biographies, he spent many years searching through the

archives in the cloisters at Windsor castle and in Germany. He accompanied Edward VIII on a number of excursions. Of his books, one London critic said, "Hector Bolitho makes the dead bones of history live again."

## 'Shucks Business Staff Appointed

Al Abramson was named business manager of Cornshucks, campus humor magazine, by the Publications Board, Saturday, Jan. 22. Bob Mosher was selected as assistant business manager.

Abramson, a Bizad junior, is circulation manager of The Daily Nebraskan, secretary of Alpha Phi Omega, and member of All-University Fund, Student Union Games Committee, and Corn Cobs. He is treasurer of Zeta Beta Tau.

Mosher, an Arts and Sciences sophomore, is a member of Student Foundation, Corn Cobs, Red Cross board and Delta Upsilon.

## Nordin, Ewing Named to Staff

Reappointment of Pat Nordin as society editor of the Daily Nebraskan was made by the publications board Jan. 15. Miss Nordin has served on the staff for two years. She is publicity director of Coed Counselors, a member of YWCA cabinet and Alpha Omicron Pi.

Editorial appointment of Jerry Ewing as assistant sports editor has also been made. Ewing has served as a reporter the past semester. He is a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon.

# Archibald MacLeish Opens UNESCO Meet with Talk

## NU Spring Enrollment Near 9,200

Second semester enrollment at the University is expected to total about 9,200, according to Dr. G. W. Rosenlof, director of admissions.

A total of 8,750 had completed registration Wednesday. This does not include a number of late registrants in the undergraduate colleges or several hundred in the Graduate college who have until Friday to complete registration.

The estimated enrollment for the second semester represents a normal drop of about eight per cent from the first semester, which had a total of 10,073. The enrollment for the second semester a year ago was about 9,400 at this time.

The University graduated 532 students at mid-year. These were replaced by over 500 new students who enrolled in the university for the second semester.

## Council to Ask Military Ball Finance Report

The Student Council will ask the military department for a financial report on the results of the military ball, according to a proposal adopted at its weekly meeting. Acting upon a suggestion by Jack Selzer, president Dale Ball appointed Selzer to secure the necessary information.

**BALL PRESENTED A PLAN** for foreign student exchange to the Council. The proposal involves transporting worthy foreign students to the University of Nebraska for study.

The administration will provide free tuition for such a student if the Council can supply funds for his subsistence and transportation, Ball said.

The plan has been successfully used at Stanford University and a 12-page report of its results was mailed to the Student Council. Ball appointed a committee of Phyllis Cadwallader and Rose Howard to examine the Stanford report.

**LOUISE McDILL**, corresponding secretary, read a letter to the Council from Dean T. J. Thompson in which he stated the action which he has taken on a Council proposal to have Council representation on the Faculty Senate. The Thompson letter stated, in effect, that the recommendation had been sent to the proper committees and action would be taken sometime in the spring. He also suggested that the judiciary committee and the Council faculty sponsors meet with him to reline the duties and responsibilities of the Council in light of the constitution.

The usual committee reports were absent because of inactivity during exam week.

## Sigma Nu's Elect

Sigma Nu has selected a new slate of officers for the coming year; president, George Shaw; vice president, By Hooper; secretary, Rex Pettijohn; treasurer, Bill Bates.

## Interfraternity Council Plans Annual Ball Feb. 12 at Union

The annual Interfraternity ball will be held from 9-12 p. m., Saturday, Feb. 12, in the Union ballroom. Eddie Haddad's orchestra will play for the dance, which will be formal.

Highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the Queen by Walt Dorothy, Interfraternity council president. Each organized women's group may enter a candidate and six finalists will be selected by the executive committee of the council. The Queen

## Other Conference Plans Announced

Archibald MacLeish, noted statesman and poet, will address the campus on the subject of UNESCO Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 16.

The UNESCO student executive committee announced MacLeish's presence today in setting up the meeting calendar. They revealed that Constance Roach, education director of the United States com-

mission, and Walter Laves, former assistant director general of UNESCO, will also address Nebraska students at the three-day session on the campus.

**MacLEISH WILL ADDRESS** the UNESCO conference on Wednesday afternoon. That evening Chancellor Gustavson, former UNESCO delegate for the United States, will speak. Miss Roach will appear at the

## 'Daily' to Stage Get-Acquainted Reporter Party

The Daily Nebraskan is having a party!

To start the semester anew, the "Rag" is holding an open house for all prospective reporters Tuesday, Feb. 8 at 7:30 p. m. To acquaint all interested students with the staff and with the duties involved in putting out the paper, the party will be held at the Nebraskan office in the basement of the Union. Cokes and brownies will be served.

All students who have attended the University for one or more semesters are eligible for reporting positions. Reporters will be assigned to work under one of the five news editors, society, feature or sports editors. Students attending the reception will state their preference of work they wish to do.

This semester lectures will be conducted for reporters by the editor and journalism faculty members. Reporters will be paid for the inches of copy that they have printed.

All students who are interested in working on The Daily Nebraskan staff are invited to come down and get acquainted, according to Editor Norm Leger. Those who plan to attend are asked to leave their names in the "Rag" office this week so that enough food can be ordered.

## Faculty Plans Foreign Dinner For Students

The International Friendship dinner is to be held Feb. 9 in the Union ballroom at 6 p. m. Faculty members, student pastors and students may bring a foreign student as their guest to the dinner.

The annual dinner is sponsored by the Religious Welfare council and the Faculty Women's club foreign affairs commission with the aid of the Cosmopolitan club and in the International house.

Foreign students will prepare some special dishes for the dinner and present an informal program. Dr. G. W. Rosenlof will act as master of ceremonies.

UNESCO chairmen of organized houses or dormitories may attend the banquet, bringing the representative of their countries as guests.

Tickets are \$1 per person, and reservations may be secured no later than Monday by calling the university YMCA or YWCA.

Father George Schuster is head of the planning committee. Other members of the committee are: Flo Arnold, Jack Levi, Lois Kroehler, Mrs. Fred K. Beutel, Jack Jacobs, Don Crowe, Miss Ruth Shinn and Gordon Lippett.



Archibald MacLeish

Thursday, Feb. 17, afternoon session. Laves is scheduled to address university students at the Friday afternoon closing session on Feb. 18.

**MacLEISH WAS THE UNITED STATES** representative to the United Nations conference which set up UNESCO. In 1946 he served as vice-chairman of the U. S. delegation to the first general conference of UNESCO and became the American representative on the executive board. He resigned in 1947.

MacLeish served as Librarian of Congress, Assistant Secretary of State and other posts dealing with international relations.

**HIS WRITINGS INCLUDE** Pulitzer Prize poetry and prose and U. S. propaganda work. He has contributed to such periodicals as The Atlantic Monthly, The Nation, Yale Review and Fortune Magazine. He also served as educational section editor of Time.

MacLeish is a graduate of Yale and Harvard Law college. He distinguished himself as a scholar and activity man in both schools. Later he taught government at Harvard, prior to a brief practice of law.

## YM-YW Program Features Banquet

The YWCA and YMCA will hold a joint annual campus banquet on Tuesday evening, Feb. 8. The program is scheduled to begin at 6:15 p. m. in the Green room of the city YMCA.

This year's banquet will feature a varied program, details of which will be announced soon. During the course of the evening, the Ag and city YM-YW cabinet and board members will be introduced by Duane Nielsen, master of ceremonies.

The retiring presidents are: Don Crowe, city campus YM; Barbara Speer, city campus YW; Dale Stauffer, Ag campus YM; and Lois Thorfinnson Mickle, Ag campus YW. These outgoing officers and their cabinets will receive special recognition. Honored also will be the new presidents and their cabinets.

Tickets can be secured from old and new cabinet members as well as the YWCA office in Ellen Smith hall and the YMCA office in the Temple building.

## Pharmacy Group Selects Officers

Kappa Psi, pharmaceutical fraternity, has elected the following new officers: Calvin T. Doman, president; Martin T. Bakken, vice-president; Edward F. Schenasse, secretary; Robert L. Hildebrand, treasurer; C. Jack Christainson, historian.