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## 'After, Before' Final Political Series Topic

### Thone, Schneider, Smith Talk GOP Effects On Demos

The effect of the Republican National Convention on the Democratic convention will be discussed by a panel composed of three prominent political figures at the fourth and final discussion in the Battle of the Ballots series today.

The topic of the discussion will be "After and Before." The panel will be composed of:

Charles Thone, a delegate to the just-completed Republican convention.

Mrs. Arthur Smith, a member of the Lincoln chapter of the League of Women Voters, and an active member of the Nebraska Kefauver for President Committee.

Dr. Carl Schneider, staff member of the University political science department.

The discussion series, co-sponsored by the University YMCA and YWCA, and the Student Union, is designed, in the words of Marilyn Moomey, Union Activities director, "to give participants a broader understanding of the political scene."

The discussion will be held at 4 p.m. in Parlors ABC, Union.

Mark Van Voorhis is moderator of the series.

## NU Grad Placed In Charge Of Sales For NY Company



**NEW YORK**—Arthur C. Bryan, a graduate of the University of Nebraska College of Engineering, has been appointed vice president in charge of sales for the National Carbon Company, a division of the Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation.

Bryan, a native of Minden, Neb., has been with the company in various sales activities since 1935. He started as an industrial salesman in the Chicago office, and has held positions since in the offices in Cleveland, Kansas City and New York.

# 'Out Of The Frying Pan,' Summer Theater Production, Next Week



**REHEARSALS NEAR CLIMAX**—Members of the Summer play cast, shown here rehearsing their parts, are (l. to r., standing) Shirley Fries, Harry Langdon, Nancy Pratt and Malinda Root. Kneeling is Chuck Huestis.

## Museum Digs Into Nebraska's Past

The University State Museum is conducting a two-pronged investigation into Nebraska's past this summer.

Dr. C. B. Schultz, Museum Director, said one expedition is searching near Fort Robinson in Northwest Nebraska for fossilized remains of animals living there between 20 and 40 million years ago.

These include three-toed horses, rhino, camels, and oreodonts. The latter group is now extinct but remotely related to today's hog and sheep.

A second expedition is investigating campsites containing evidence of early Indians, and animals such as bison, in the vicinity of Medicine Creek Dam near Cambridge.

In addition to excavation work for fossils of the prehistoric animals, this group is assisting in preparing two buildings at Fort Robinson which are to be the permanent field headquarters for Museum expeditions.

Dr. Schultz, in general charge of both field parties, says two important developments have marked the excavation work at the Medicine Creek Dam.

The first is the discovery of the first complete skull, with the core of the horns still attached, of a type of bison now extinct. The bison was larger than the bison first seen by the white man.

The second development is that another campsite level at the "Red Smoke Site" has been uncovered, bringing to twelve the number of human habitation levels found there thus far.

From heaps of charred bone, baked earth, and stone tools it has been determined that the Indians occupied these campsites between 8,000 and 10,000 years ago.

## One-Way Ideas Cause School Problem—Reed TC Prof Talks At Conference

Nebraska's public schools are suffering from a traffic problem with ideas—not automobiles—Dr. Calvin Reed of the University Teachers College said Thursday.

He addressed a conference sponsored by the University and the Nebraska Congress of Parents and Teachers held in Love Library Auditorium.

The traffic problem, said Dr. Reed, is this: Many Nebraska parents seem to have the idea that once taxes to support education are paid they have discharged their duty to the little red school house.

The teachers seem to feel that once they have given a pupil the required course of instruction their task is finished.

"Here we have one-way streets," Dr. Reed said. "What our boys and girls need is a broad two-way street which will give parents and teachers plenty of room to exchange ideas."

Learning, Dr. Reed said, is not the exclusive function of public schools. A child learns in many ways—in the home, in the church, and in many other community experiences—all of them supplementing and broadening his school instruction.

Dr. Reed urged parents and teachers to make the P.T.A. an effective instrument for community action. The P.T.A., he said, can give Nebraska a "two-way street in ideas which will give teachers and parents a shared responsibility in helping our children mature to responsible, constructive citizenship."

The conference also heard a report on the National Citizens Commission for the Public Schools from its regional director, Cecil H. Hartung; and a panel discussion by Dr. Galen Saylor of the University; Mrs. J. F. Lucas of the Omaha School board; Charles Davis, head of the Scottsbluff schools, and Mr. Hartung.

## Medicine?

Doctor: "Good morning, nurse. How's the patient this morning?"  
Nurse: "I think he's beginning to regain consciousness. He just tried to blow the foam off his medicine."

## Rehearsals Reaching Climax; Tickets Now Available In Union

With only four days remaining before the official opening of the Summer Theater's initial production, "Out of the Frying Pan," the cast, crews and directors are rapidly reaching the climax in rehearsals.

Tickets for the three performances, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, may still be obtained in the Union Activities office or the Union Main office. Free to the public, the tickets are being distributed this year in an attempt to space the audience evenly over the three performances. Tickets will also be available at the door before each performance, as long as there are any left.

The play concerns three men and three women— aspiring actors and actresses—who, because of financial insecurity, are forced to share an apartment. The apartment is directly above that of a Broadway producer whose current

## Health Department Offers One-Week Nursing Courses

Two post summer session courses in home nursing will be conducted by the University Public Health Department in cooperation with the American Red Cross.

The courses, under the direction of Patricia Wall will begin July 28 and run through August 2, and August 4 through August 9. One hour of University credit will be given those who desire it, but the course is limited to nurses, teachers, group leaders, and undergraduates with special permission.

Anyone interested in registering for the class may do so with Patricia Wall in Temporary Building C.

Further information will be given in the July 24 issue of the Summer Nebraskan.

## PDKs Initiate

Phi Delta Kappa will hold its summer initiation and picnic at Pioneer Park Tuesday at 5 p.m.

The meeting will be held at the group of tables near the concession stand.

The initiation will begin at 5 p.m., the picnic supper at 6 and at 7 p.m., Dr. Matt Cushman, professor of Education at Iowa State College and the National Secretary of Phi Delta Kappa, will speak to the group on the subject, "The National Program of Phi Delta Kappa."

Tickets for the picnic will be available for one dollar in Room 312, Teachers College any time before 9 a.m. Monday.

In case of rain, the meeting will be held in Room 200 Teachers College.

## Forrest McClellan Will Address IVCF Meeting

Rev. Forrest McClellan of Milford will sing and speak for the Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship this evening.

Rev. McClellan has served as state president of the Assembly of God Young People as well as pastor of various churches throughout the state.

The meeting will be held in Room 315 of the Student Union, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

## Parrot Tracks

An old Irishman collapsed on the street and a crowd soon gathered around and started making suggestions as to how the old fellow should be revived. One in the crowd, "Maggie O'Reilly, kept shouting, "Give the poor man whiskey!" But no one paid any attention to her. Finally the man on the sidewalk opened one eye, pulled himself up on one elbow and said weakly, "Will the lot o' ye hold yer tongues and let Maggie O'Reilly speak?"

show is a big success. The entire play revolves about the humorous manner in which these young people attempt to act for and be hired by this Broadway producer. Their apartment, meanwhile, is used as a rehearsal room to practice their ambitions.

A number of changes in the cast have taken place since first announced in the Summer Nebraskan two weeks ago. Two new faces have been added.

Nancy Dark will play the part of Muriel Foster and Jim Tomasek will play Arthur Kenney. The other change in the cast occurred when Harry Langdon and Clinton Nelson exchanged parts. Langdon now plays Norman Reese and Nelson is Mr. Coburn, the politician. The remainder of the cast, unchanged, is as follows:

Richard Fink plays George Rodell; Malinda Root is Mrs. Garnet; Chuck Huestis plays Tony Demmon; Nancy Pratt is Kate Ash; Shirley Fries plays Marie Benson; Betty Kaufman is Dottie Coburn; Haskell Fischell is the first cop, Mac, and Jim Riley is the second cop, Joe.

The cast contains an almost equal number of regular term University students and summer session students. Fink, Langdon, Misses Root, Pratt and Kaufman, Nelson and Tomasek are here for the summer session only. The remainder of the cast has attended the regular term in addition to their summer classes.

It is interesting to note that, for the most part, the cast members are not theater majors. Chuck Huestis is an Arts and Sciences senior and Jim Riley is a Pharmacy College senior.

Jim Tomasek has been studying for the ministry at St. Louis, and Malinda Root teaches school during the fall and spring semesters.

Nancy Dark, Shirley Fries and Haskell Fischell are all enrolled in Teachers College.

Summer Theater Director John Tolch has said that rehearsals have been hampered by short rehearsal periods, but with extra energy and enthusiasm on the part of the cast, he said, the performances of next week will uphold the tradition of the University Theater.

The play, to be presented in the Union ballroom at 8 p.m. each night, will be given in the arena staging style with the stage in the center, surrounded by the audience. This seating arrangement is comparatively new to the University. It was initiated in a piano quartet production in the coliseum last spring.

## 135 Book Volumes Gone From Book Nook—Valued At \$400

By MARILYN MOOMEY (Union Activities Director)  
Attention all borrowers!!!

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In all, 135 volumes are missing from the Nook and are valued at close to \$400. The library currently has 550 volumes valued at \$1500.

Union Calendar	
Thursday, July 17	
SPORT SHORTS, Lounge,	11:45 p.m.
CRAFT SHOP open, 4-6 p.m.	
BATTLE OF THE BALLOTS, "After and Before,"	4 p.m.
Sunday, July 20	
FILM FEATURE, "Twelve O'Clock High,"	7:30 p.m.
July 21, 22, 23	
SUMMER THEATER, "Out of the Frying Pan,"	8 p.m.