

# University Orients 1700 Students

## New Student Week Activities Include Matriculation, Registration, Health Exams

An estimated 1,700 incoming students took part in the University's New Student Week activities between Sept. 6 and Sept. 12.

The week's events began when the students picked up their pamphlets September 6 giving information of the week. Parents were also welcomed Sunday by the chancellor at a reception.

Physical examinations, matriculation tests, placement exams, speech and hearing tests, counseling and registration took up part of each new students day. Nights were reserved for group social activities.

### Welcome To You All

Once more it is our privilege to welcome a fine group of young men and women to the University of Nebraska. Trite as it may seem to say it, we are living in a time of challenge to youth to fit themselves for leadership in a world that sorely needs it. Every generation has called for it in the past, and the present is no exception.

We believe that you possess those qualities that are essential. That is why you have been admitted. More than that, we expect of you the very best in terms of devotion to your tasks as students preparing to better assume the responsibilities of effective citizenship and productive workmanship.

The University faculty has your interests at heart and will devote itself to your needs at all times. Cooperation on your part is all that anyone can ask. In whatever college you are enrolled, you will receive "liberal education" and at the same time the professional training so essential to your future success. Take advantage of these and justify the confidence we have in you as a future Cornhusker and a loyal and devoted servant of humanity.

Yours for a great year,  
**G. W. ROSENLOF**  
Dean of Admissions



Courtesy Lincoln Star

### Chancellor's Reception

Acting Chancellor John Selleck (second from left) shakes hands with Alan Anderson of Bennington at the annual chancellor's reception Sept. 11.

Others in the picture are Mrs. Selleck (far left) Eldon Park, president of Innocents Society and Jan Steffen, Mortar Board president.

## Selleck's First Speech Offers Work Contract

### New Chancellor Urges Freshmen To Study And 'Work Together'

John K. Selleck, speaking to his first student body as acting chancellor Monday evening, offered new student a "work contract" guaranteed to keep students from flunking.

"If I can get every one of you to enter in a contract to put in a 44-hour week of study," the acting chancellor said, "I'll guarantee you will do satisfactory work at the University."

Addressing the class of 1957, he said, "I'm starting a new job just like you are—so let's all push together."

Chancellor Selleck said the University had one of the outstanding educational institutions of the nation. He also praised the University faculty and said he hoped that the class would be one of the largest senior graduating classes in a number of years.

In regard to the housing situation, Chancellor Selleck noted that the women's housing situation was adequate but "the men's situation is much different," he said.

He enjoined the men to find suitable housing by contacting University housing authorities.

"If you are not properly housed," he continued, "you cannot do a good job in school."

Preceding Chancellor Selleck, J. P. Colbert, dean of student affairs; Marilyn Erwin, president of Coed Counselors, and Rocky Yapp, president of Student Council, spoke to the incoming students.

A film presentation of the University's fighting songs was shown to the group.

Arthur A. Hitchcock, director of the junior division and counseling service, presided over the new-student convocation.

### Upperclassmen

## NU Leaders Introduced At Luncheon

Arthur A. Hitchcock, director of junior division, presided Tuesday over a luncheon honoring upperclass students participating in New Student Week.

Acting Chancellor John K. Selleck expressed his appreciation of the part of the student leaders. Wesley Poe, director of student leaders, J. Philip Colbert, dean of student affairs, J. Clifford Holmes, guidance consultant of junior division, and Perry Branch, director-secretary of the University Foundation, also spoke.

Elsworth DuTeau, president of the Alumni Association, Joe Seacrest, co-publisher of the Nebraska State Journal, and Byron Dunn, trustee of the University, were introduced.

The following leaders of student activities were also introduced: Marilyn Erwin, president of Coed Counselors, Cal Kuska, president of Corn Cobs; Phil Shade, Corn Cob chairman of student leaders; Eldon Park, Connie Clark Cargies, Jan Steffen, and Rocky Yapp, members of the orientation panel; Gary Hill, yell king and Berne Kosenquist, editor of the Husker Handbook.

The luncheon was the courtesy of Byron Dunn.

### Freshman Barbeque

Six freshmen were tapped Tuesday as the heartiest cheerers at the freshman barbeque on Ag campus.

The winners who were each presented with a trophy are: Gladys Exans, Kay Skinner, Patsy Woodman, Bud Plummer, Jim Stacy and Bob Warrick. Mortar Boards, Joy Wachal, Lura Ann Harden and Shirley Murphy, and Innocents, Mac Bailey, Rocky Yapp and Ernie Bebb chose the winners on the basis of the most enthusiastic participants in the rally.

William Glassford, head football coach, Ed Weir, track coach, and George "Potsy" Clark, director of athletics, familiarized the new students with the athletic department and explained the students' part in the athletic program and the University.

Members of Tassels presented a skit portraying a coed who decided that Nebraska was the best school for her.

The barbeque, which was attended by 1,400 students, was sponsored by the Corn Cobs, Tassels, Ag Executive Board, Block and Bridle Club, the Home Economics Club and the Tri K.

### Religious Open House

Religious Student Houses welcomed new students Wednesday evening in individual open houses.

The open houses featured entertainment, dancing, refreshments, and an introduction to the programs of the various houses. The students were also introduced to the ministers in Lincoln of their denomination.

### Coed Caravan

The annual party for new women students was held Thursday evening in the Union Ballroom.

Now a permanent part of New Student Week, this year's party was named Coed Caravan under the sponsorship of Coed Councilors, Barb Activities Board for Women, Associated Women Students, Women's Athletic Association and YMCA.

Neala O'Dell, president of YWCA, was mistress of ceremonies.

Included in the program was the introduction of Marjorie W. Johnston, dean of women and Helen A. Snyder, assistant dean of women, who welcomed the new coeds to the University. WAA, BABW, and AWS presented skits showing various phases of college life and a tap dance, "Out of a Suitcase" was given by Shirley Jesse and Ronnie Johnson. Kay Barcum and Mary Lou Biermann sang two selections as a duet.

Following the program coeds were shown displays representing the highlights of each women's organization.

### Chancellor's Reception

The annual chancellor's reception was held Friday evening in the Union lounge.

Students were introduced to acting Chancellor John K. Selleck by Janet Steffen, president of Mortar Board, and Eldon Park, president of Innocents.

Others in the receiving line were Mrs. Selleck, Marilyn Erwin, Rockford Yapp, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock, Dean and Mrs. J. P. Colbert, ad Dr. and Mrs. S. I. Fuenning.

Mortar Boards and Innocents were hostesses and hosts for the party which featured dancing in the ballroom, magician acts, and a jam session in the Round Up room.

### New Student Mixer

The New Student Mixer, held Saturday evening in the Union ballroom, featured dancing to Johnny Cox's orchestra.

The Kosmet Klub and Innocents presented a skit during intermission.



### Beanie Sales Boom

Lining up for their 1957 tagged beanies are Gerrie Daxon, Lincoln, Janet Healey, Lincoln sophomore handles the receipts while Rockford Yapp and William Bailey, both members of Gretna; and Lyle Lemmer, At-

kinson. Janet Healey, Lincoln sophomore handles the receipts while Rockford Yapp and William Bailey, both members of Innocents Society look on.

## 'Speed 'Em Up' Cry Novices In Retort To Tedious Lines

By MARILYN TYSON  
Staff Writer

Stumbling in the crib between many bewildered people classified as freshmen, I discovered these newcomers have formed their first impression of our University.

Carolyn Elliott, a freshman from Fremont, seemed to sum up her fellow classmates opinions into one when she said, "New Student Week is very useful but it would be helpful if things started on time."

"I have never seen so many lines! Can't they speed them up?" was the plea of Milton Fricke of Papillion.

Roberta Claus of Omaha said "In spite of all the lines, I wouldn't like to start all by myself. I've found the upperclassmen and convocations very helpful."

Varied opinions were reached

on campus tours. Jane Oelschlaeger of Grand Island says she would like more thorough tours. Rosa Wendt of Madrid, Nebraska, believed that the campus tours should be omitted. "I think New Student Week activities could be combined into three days."

Charlie Trumble of Papillion said, "It seems that it would help if Ag students could do all registering on Ag Campus. It would save much confusion."

New Student Week received praise from Jaroline Johnson of Sioux Falls, South Dakota. She thought it was very well organized.

The new students who were asked their opinions said that in spite of minor criticisms, they thought the week devoted to them should be continued.

Seems as though New Student Week is here to stay!

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# 320 Freshman Named Pepsters

## First Mass Meeting Will Feature Explanation Of Duties And Cheers

Pepsters will begin the season with a mass meeting Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the Union ballroom.

The purpose of the meeting is to explain the duties of the pepster squad. Norma Lothrop, vice president of Tassels, and Ernie Bebb, vice president of Corn Cobs, will be co-masters of ceremonies.

Pepsters are asked to bring identification cards to claim their football tickets. Attendance is required.

The incomplete list of pepsters is:

Alpha Chi Omega: Ann Luck-singer, Colleen Turner, Karen Kreuger, Sharon Reincke, Karen Reed, Norma French; Alpha Omicron Pi: Donna Medred, Maryclare Dodson, Phyllis Phillips, Shirley McPeck, Janice Hussey, Rhea Yelter; Alpha Phi: Chris Mastos, Helen Weir, Linda Nelson, Melva Fahnenbruch, Mary Lou Langner, Sylvia Smith.

Alpha Xi Delta: Jane Culwell, Barbara Ely, Janet Gruber, Janet Harms, Kay Kenny, Ruth Scott; Chi Omega: Doris Anderson, Jane Felger, Emily Hemp-hill, Darlene Hooper, Jo Carolyn Kroeger, Nancy Person; Delta Delta Delta: Frances Got-schall, Rita Jelinek, Shannon Masters, Marilee Plymale, Marcia Reifschneider, Marilyn Staska.

Delta Gamma: Noni Wells, Judy Anderson, Carolyn Mingus, Gail Walling, Susie Detweiler, Judy Snell; Gamma Phi Beta: Mary Alice Anderson, Zoe Cody, Nancy Dedrick, Beverly Jacobs, Mary Keys, Pat Purcell; Kappa Alpha Theta: Diane Petersen, Beth Keenan, Jaroline Johnson, Cathy Hodder, Sandra Saylor, Carolyn Bachman.

KAPPA DELTA: Barbara Thurman, Marlene Beerman, Sharon Sue Webb, Catherine DeBrunner, Betty Sorensen.

Main Feature Clock

Stuart: "The Caddy," 1:20, 3:23, 5:26, 7:28, 9:32.  
Varsity: "Island in the Sky," 1:00, 3:04, 5:11, 7:25, 9:39.

Gamma: Nadine Bosley, Jeanne Elliott, Jane Jeffrey, Luette Makepeace, Sis Matzke, Luanna Raun; Pi Beta Phi: Nancy Allen, Elizabeth Hackman, Diane Knotek, Jachlyn Stanton, Margaret Swanson, Lorna Uphoff.

Sigma Delta Tau: Gloria Shukerft, Lena Gittelman, Phyllis Kaplan, Edith Nauen, Zeida Kominsky, Gloria Shapiro; Sigma Kappa: Jane Eppirle, Dor-cene Frost, Charlotte Benson, Rosalie Hammond, Clara Mae Ogburn, Mary Louise Hiebenthal; Love Hall: Shirley Rich-ards, Joyce Benge, Marian Jun-da, Marilyn Lingo, Kay Skinner and Ann Masters.

Acacia: Ron Dawson, Warren Osterloh, Bill Haywood, Wendell Wert; Alpha Gamma Rho: Roger Ericson, Don Beck, Bryce Johnson, Arley Waldo, Roger Moline, Stan Shelkopf; Alpha Tau Omega: Dean Rowe, Roy Keenan, Keith Kuxhausen, Don Ryons, Gary Kelley, John But-terfield; Beta Sigma Psi: Gor-don Holst, Verle Sigra, Ronald Honson, Bob Drussen, Rodney Kinspahr, Roger Lanigheim; Beta Theta Pi: Dick Reische, Jerry Miller, Walt Horning, Le-roy Hefflinger, Tom Still; Delta Sigma Phi: Wilford Brown, Paul Rasmussen, Thomas Bro-zek, Bob Woodward, Jim Copp, Bill Cummings.

The remainder of the pepster list will be published Wednesday.

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