

Weather 'R Not

Cloudy with occasional snow flurries
Wednesday. Cold Wednesday with high near
32. Moderate easterly winds.



the NEBRASKAN

LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

It Happened At NU

Two University pre-med students are taking virtually the same courses. So that one will not make the other feel uncomfortable by studying too much, they made a pact to only study together. This agreement has resulted in countless extra hours before the television set, since neither wants to infringe on the rights of the other.

Vol. 59, No. 52

Wednesday, February 22, 1956

Orin Stepanek: Memorial Fund Set For Prof

By NANCY DE LONG
Nebraskan Reporter

Memorial for the late professor Orin Stepanek, University English and language professor, who died in the spring of 1955, has been initiated by the English Department, Assistant professor of English Wibut Gaffney announced Tuesday.

The English Department thought some lasting memorial might be in order for the late



Courtesy Lincoln Star STEPANEK

Professor Stepanek, whose death last spring ended some thirty-five years of continuous service to the University," Gaffney said.

"The most fitting and permanent memorial seems to be a scholarship fund, in the name of Professor Stepanek, to be administered by the University Foundation," Gaffney continued.

The fund-raising campaign will be directed first to the faculty and then, by newspaper publicity and other devices, to the alumni and non-University people.

contribute to the fund may address contribution to Miss Florence Maryott, 108 Andrews, Gaffney said.

Checks should be made payable to the University of Nebraska Foundation and marked, "Orin Stepanek Memorial."

The Foundation has advised the committee that contributions to recognized foundations are tax-deductible, he said.

The memorial fund was promptly

ed by interest displayed by undergraduates, outsiders and members of the department.

At the suggestion of Gaffney, in a English Department Faculty meeting, a committee was appointed to investigate the possibility of establishing a memorial.

The committee found that the memorial was possible and took charge of the campaign.

It is hoped that the goal of approximately two thousand dollars will be reached. The sum so far is gratifying in view of the fact that the campaign has just started, Gaffney stated.

The terms for qualification for the scholarship have not been outlined. The scholarship, however, will be for English majors, and if possible, presented annually.

The sudden death of Stepanek, last spring, was a great shock to his many friends.

He came to the University in 1920 as assistant professor of English and Slavonic languages and remained here for thirty-five years.

Teaching, his first love, took loved writing, he did not have time to write any books.

He did publish a Czech grammar, several articles on American and Czech literature in 1931 and poetry at different times during his career.

"I myself knew him for thirty-two years," Gaffney said. "He always went out of his way to help any student he felt had potential."

Professor Orin Stepanek was born in Crete, Nebraska. He attended the University from 1909 to 1913 when he received his bachelor's degree, earning his Masters' degree from Harvard in 1914.

He continued his studies at Harvard and at Charles University in Prague, Czechoslovakia, beginning his teaching career at Saoldau High School from 1915-1917 in St. Louis, Missouri. His next position was at Michigan State College.

Stepanek served for a time as secretary to a U. S. Congressman.

He moved from assistant professor in 1920, his first year at the University of Nebraska to the position of associate professor in 1914.

Stepanek was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Crucible Club, American Legion, and an Honorary member of University Players.



Nebraskan Photo

'Pot Luck With Profs'

More than 100 persons enjoyed food and friendship at the fourth "Pot Luck with the Profs" Sunday evening in the Ag Union.

From left to right are Mary De

Mars, Marion Janda, Marian Sokol, Jerry Gillespie, and Dick Hagemeier. Servers are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ward. Ward is an associate professor of vocational education.

Rochester Dean:

Nu Council Announces Noyes As '56 Montgomery Lecturer

Dr. W. Albert Noyes, Jr., Dean of the Graduate School of the University of Rochester has been named as recipient of the Montgomery Lectureship for 1956.

The lectures, generally entitled "Science on the National and International Scenes," will be given the week of Feb. 27-March 3 at Love Library Auditorium, the University Research Council announced.

Dr. Noyes, who is a native of Indiana, received his A.B. degree from Grinnell College in 1919, and his Doctor of Science degree from the University of Paris in 1920. He was awarded the Doctor of Science degree by Grinnell College in 1946 and by the University of Rhode Island in 1953.

Dr. Noyes served on the faculty of the University of California 1920-23, the University of Chicago 1923-29, Brown University 1929-38 and the University of Rochester since 1938. He has been Dean of the Graduate School since 1952 and was chairman of the Department of Chemistry at Rochester from 1939 to 1955.

Dr. Noyes was president of the American Chemical Society in 1947. He also served as assistant editor of "Chemical Abstracts" from 1929 to 1938, editor of "Chemical Reviews" from 1938 to 1949 and is now serving as editor of both the "Journal of the American Chem-

ical Society" and the "Journal of Physical Chemistry."

Dr. Noyes was chairman of the Division of Chemistry and Chemical Technology of the National Research Council, Sectional Chairman and Divisional Chief of the National Defense Research Committee.

He also served on the U.S. Naval Research Advisory Committee as consultant to the Atomic Energy Commission, Trustee of the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research, vice president of the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry and treasurer of the International Council of Science Unions.

The Montgomery Lectureship on Contemporary Civilization was established in 1946 from the income of the James Henry Montgomery Memorial, an endowment given to the University in 1941 by the Ora Clair Montgomery estate. The Lectureship is designed to generate constructive thought on contemporary problems.

Previous recipients of the Lectureship were: Carl Friedrich, Owen Lattimore, Clyde Kluckhohn,

Helen Snyder Given New Responsibilities Johnston To Administer Scholarships

Helen Snyder, Assistant Dean for Women, will assume new duties in women's housing and counseling previously handled by Associate Dean for Women Marjorie Johnston, J. P. Colbert, Dean of the Division of Student Affairs, announced Tuesday.

Miss Johnston has been placed in charge of handling all University scholarship awards, as part of re-organization of the Division of Student Affairs.

For the present, Colbert explained, both Miss Johnston and Miss Snyder will retain their present titles, but both will be directly responsible to Colbert. Previously only Miss Johnston was responsible to Colbert for all the duties of the combined office.



Snyder

Courtesy Lincoln Journal Johnston

Miss Snyder's new responsibilities will include women's housing, Panhellenic, counseling for women students and some masters of discipline, Colbert explained.

"Miss Snyder is very capable in these areas and has been handling much of the work concerned with these things under the old system," he added.

Colbert explained that with the increasing number of scholarships being offered each year it had be-

come necessary to put one person in charge of their administration, leaving policy and awarding of Scholarships to the General Awards Committee.

"Dean Johnston has served on the scholarship committee for many years and is thoroughly conversant with the problems and procedures," he said.

In addition to being responsible for the full administration of the scholarship awards program, Miss Johnston will retain her duties as advisor to the Associated Women Students Board.

Colbert explained that the change is part of a plan to assign duties in the Division of Student Affairs along functional lines.

"Each person on the staff will be made responsible for one particular thing," he said.

The change was announced at a meeting of all sorority, fraternity and residence halls housemothers Tuesday morning.

Miss Snyder began her work in college administration when she became Dean of Women at Northland College, Ashland, Wis.

She came to the University in 1949 as Director of Counseling at Women's Residence Halls and was made Assistant Dean of Women in charge of housing in 1950.

Shift Aids Integration ... Colbert

The recent shift of responsibilities between Marjorie Johnston, Associate Dean for Women, and Helen Snyder, Assistant Dean for Women, is part of an over-all plan for the integration of the Division of Student Affairs.

This was started, according to J. P. Colbert, Dean of the Division of Student Affairs, in the Spring of 1952 when the Board of Regents approved the organization of a Division of Student Affairs.

This division included the Office of Student Affairs, the Registration and Records office, Junior Division and the Testing Division.

Three and one-half years ago the office of Dean of Women was placed under the Division of Student Affairs and the title of Dean of Women was abolished.

No further integration could be realized at that time because the associate deans for men and women were in different buildings; the former in the Administration Building and the latter in Ellen Smith Hall, Colbert explained.

Last summer when the decision was made to move the Office of Student Affairs to Ellen Smith Hall, integration became possible.

Colbert explained that the philosophy behind the various changes is to cut out "departmentalization." Instead of having one office for men and another for women, with overlapping duties and records, the work is to be made functional. One person would be made responsible for each area; job placement, scholarship awards and scholastic standings, he said.

VHEA Elects

New officers of VHEA, professional organization for home education, are president; Marion Sokol vice-president; Jean Hathaway, secretary; Rogene Lees, treasurer; Dorothy Novotny, program chairman; and Margie Edward, publicity chairman. New class representatives are Janice Baker, Marion Janda, and Evonne Einspahr.

Rifle Corps Awards Title To Einspahr

Evonne Einspahr, sophomore in Agriculture, was named Honorary Captain of the Pershing Rifle Company at their annual dinner dance.

Miss Einspahr was elected by the freshmen and sophomore members of the company to reign during the remainder of this semester and first semester of next year. Runner-up for the honorary position was Marjane Craig, freshman in Teachers College.

As Honorary Captain Miss Einspahr will accompany the company early this spring to the annual drill meet to compete against the honorary captains of the six other companies of the Second Regiment for the title of Honorary Colonel or Lt. Colonel of the Second Regiment. The meet will be held in Madison, Wis.

Active in campus affairs, Miss Einspahr, is treasurer of Ag YWCA, a member of Home Economics club and a member of Alpha Lambda Delta.

Col. Frank Eager, retired colonel and past Professor of Military Science and Tactics was the main speaker and guest of honor.

Col. Eager reminisced about his days as a member of the original Pershing Company.

An Army ROTC movie, made on first showing.



Courtesy Sunday Journal and Star Einspahr

Correction

In yesterday's Nebraskan in the story on the Ag Campus poll on exams it was stated that 205 students said they answered "Yes" to the question, "Is cheating on exams a problem on the Ag Campus?" Only 61 answered, "No."

This is incorrect as it was the other way around, 205 answering "No" and 61 answering, "Yes."

The Inside World

BABW Filings

Independent freshmen, sophomore or junior women with a weighted average of 5.5 are urged to file for Barb Activities Board for Women Wednesday through March 28. Application blanks are now available in Union Room 309 and at Ag Campus. At the time they file, girls should sign up for an interview. Interviews will be held March 3 from 9 a.m. to noon and 1-5 p.m.

Physics Colloquium

G. K. Werner of the Oak Ridge National Laboratories will discuss "Optical Spectroscopy at Oak Ridge" Tuesday at a physics colloquium at 4:15 p.m., Room 210, Brace Laboratory. Tea will be served at 3:45 p.m.

Engineers To Meet

American Society of Mechanical Engineering will meet Wednesday at 7:15 p.m. in Room 206 Richards Hall. Students will present professional papers and a movie will be shown.

4-H Officers

Newly elected officers of the University 4-H Club are Doyle Hulme, president; Milton Fricke, vice-president; Joan Norris, secretary; and Paul Yeutter, treasurer.

Math Colloquium

A mathematics colloquium will be held Tuesday at 3 p.m. in Room 209, Burnett Hall. Dr. Earl Schewpe will discuss "A Projective Generalization of Convexity."

Bridge Tournament

The Intercollegiate Bridge Tournament will be held Saturday at 2:45 p.m. in Room 315 of the Union.

Russian Tour: Students To Give Illustrated Speech

An illustrated speech on the experiences of two Columbia graduate students during their tour of Russia will be given in the Union Ballroom Feb. 24 at 7:30 p.m.

The program will be sponsored by the University Convocation Committee and is open to the public.

On their 6000 mile trip through Russia, Gay Humphrey and Ted Curran made the movie which will accompany their speech.

The trip carried the students to many parts of the Soviet Union which are usually not open to foreigners. They spent two weeks in Moscow and toured through remote parts of Asiatic Russia.

The Russian Institute of Columbia University, which Miss Humphrey and Curran attended, has been labeled as a school for spies by the Communist press.

Curran commented, however, on the freedom which his group was allowed throughout the trip: "We

Pre-Convention Air Approaches Climax

By BEV DEEPE
Special Writer
Caucus dinners, brass bands and vocal enthusiasm will set the pre-convention atmosphere on the Nebraska campus.

Simultaneously with the announcement that Sen. Bourke Hickenlooper (R-Ia) would speak at the March mock convention, one fraternity was completing plans for a caucus dinner.

Wes Pittack, assistant chairman of the California delegation (Kappa Sigma) announced that selected delegation chairmen were being invited to pre-convention sessions to map strategy.

It was understood by the convention steering committee that several movements were afoot on the campus to organize voting support for presidential hopefuls Adlai Stevenson and Sen. Estes Kefauver.

Arrangements were being made for several informal brass bands to appear on the convention floor in support of nominations.

Floor fights on several issues



CURRAN . . . HUMPHREY

could wander around and talk to anybody and when they found out we were Americans and that we spoke Russian, that was something."

seemed certain. One delegation prepared a stand on a controversial issue which James Harrison, faculty advisor, called "a small atomic bomb." It is known that the issue involves interposition.

Reports indicated that the Law Association students were contesting for seats on their Pennsylvania delegation.

Convention steering committee members urged campus houses which have not filed for states to do so at once in response to personal letters sent to each house this week. Applications must have the name of the organization, three choices of states, name of chairman and list of delegates. It must be filed in the Student Union NUC-WA box by Thursday, Feb. 23.

The rules and platform committees will meet March 1 and 8 to draft their recommendations. Times and places will be announced.

The mock convention will be held March 14-17 in the Coliseum.

Farm Program: Johnson Releases Second Statement

Dick Johnson, candidate for Republican nomination as representative of the First Congressional District, has made his second public statement for The Nebraskan.

Johnson announced his candidacy Monday and will be in the running for the congressional seat for the first district this fall. He included several of his concepts of the Farm Program in his statement.

One of the primary issues the Republican party faces is the problem of giving the farm family unit a fair and adequate income.

Johnson emphasized that this cannot be attained by continuing the cutting of production on the farm and giving the farmer only 70 to 80 per cent of the parity. He stressed, "First, we must let the farmer have the opportunity to produce all he wishes at a price he knows will remain stable through our consumption programs."

He added, "Secondly, we must give the farmer an opportunity to farm economical sized units. This can be done through our present credit systems such as FHA."

"Thirdly, we must provide a way

for the farmer to move off the farm if he so desires. Farming today is a very technical business . . . a very large business in fact. The least efficient farmer should move off the farm and be trained in trade schools allowing him to fit into the industrial economy."

"The subsidy to agriculture is too high," Johnson continued. "Any such drain on the taxpayer is too much over a period of years." He went on to imply that our nation cannot continue the giant giveaway programs it has fallen into.

Johnson concluded that he advocated "the type of farm program which may be a little more costly the first year or so or will at least cost the same as our present program. The program of providing consumption practices instead of storage and underproduction will in long run planning solve our farm problem and the American farmer will once again be able to stand on his own two feet without the help of the governmental crutch."



Nebraskan Photo

Top Speakers Fellman, SAM Take Honors

Stan Fellman was awarded a trophy as the individual winner of the Delta Sigma Rho Speech Contest. Sigma Alpha Mu won the house trophy.

Fellman is a member of Sigma Alpha Mu and is a freshman. Runner-up was Kay Williams, Delta Delta Delta. Third place was awarded to John Chappell, Acacia.

Delta Delta Delta was the runner-up for the house trophy.

Fellman spoke on the topic "How should we meet the Russian bid for influence in the Middle East?"

Other finalists were Vivian Lemmer, Gary Frenzel, Larry Schwartz and Jacqueline Miller.

Graham To Speak

The Rev. Gilbert Graham, Director of Vocations for Dominican Fathers and Brothers, will represent the Catholic faith in Religious Emphasis Week to be held March 4 to 8. He has been retreat master and lecturer for schools, colleges and universities throughout the Midwest and South. His talk and other activities of the week will be sponsored by the Religious Emphasis Week committee and the Student Union.

The Outside World: Appropriation Requested

By ARLENE HRBEK
Nebraskan Staff Writer
President Eisenhower asked Congress Tuesday to provide 5 1/2 million dollars to construct a power line from Fort Randall Dam to Grand Island.

Nebraska interests have been seeking this proposal which will provide more summer power for irrigation pumping for more than a year. Sen Curtis (R-Neb) said Tuesday he had learned the Interior Department would ask for the 2 1/2 million dollar appropriation for the fiscal year starting July 1, 1957.

Nebraska power leaders were elated at the news. They were in agreement that this measure would be a major step toward meeting the state's power demand. Officials felt the appropriation should pass Congress without much difficulty.

Bulgarian Announces Policy

Premier Nikolai Bulganin Tuesday proclaimed a policy of atomic war Communism designed to socialize the world without war. He said war between capitalism and Communism is not inevitable.

He coupled his call for Communism-through-peace with a declaration that the Soviet Union is ahead of all countries in the world in developing atomic energy for peaceful uses.

Bulganin also stamped his approval on the new era of collective leadership which has followed the one-man rule of the late Josef Stalin. That is the way the Soviet Union now is being run, he said.

Czechs Blame U.S.

The Czechoslovak government charged Tuesday that a U. S. balloon caused the Jan. 18 crash of a Czech airliner in which 22 persons died.

The charge broadcast over the Prague Radio said "The cause of a plane disaster on Jan. 18 in which 22 passengers were killed and 4 seriously injured, was an American balloon dispatched to Czechoslovak territory from a base in Western Germany."

The U. S. government has replied that it has dispatched weather balloons which are not a danger to aircraft and that it has no control over propaganda balloons dispatched by private organizations in Western Europe.

Public Views Missiles

The public got a look at the world's first known inter-continental guided missile—a pilotless U. S. bomber that can pack an atomic warhead.