

Dallas Williams, director of the University Theater, isn't really worried. Although the price of the season tickets to the theater has dropped from \$6.50 to \$5, Williams says he is confident that the theater "will at least break even."

Theater: Whitaker Releases Play Cast

The cast for the first University Theater play of the season, "The Desperate Hours," has been announced by Max Whitaker, director of the production. The leading role of Dan will be played by John Crowell, that of Glenn by Skip Weatherford and Cindy by Trudy Scriven.



Shapiro, Students Discuss

New English professor, Karl Shapiro and English students, Mrs. Ellie Ashida, Bruce Bruggmann and Marv Breslow discuss the University during an informal session.

Poet At NU: English Department Adds Shapiro To Edit 'Prairie Schooner', Teach

By NANCY COOVER Copy Editor Karl Shapiro, Pulitzer prize winning poet who has joined the University English Department this year, is impressed with the literary climate in Lincoln and at the University.

es. He said that its chief function is to encourage young people who are interested in writing professionally and to encourage creative thinking among amateur writers. Wimberly suggested that the "Prairie Schooner" could be improved to interest more people.



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868 Cadet Wing: McNeice, Bedwell AFROTC Heads

Marvin McNeice has been named cadet wing commander of the University Air ROTC unit for the coming year. Col. Carter Duncan, professor of air science, announced today. A senior in the College of Business Administration, he will have the rank of cadet colonel.



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Both McNeice and Bedwell are in the pilot training phase. Other cadet members of the wing staff are: Maj. Francis Ost-diek, personnel; Maj. John Morrow, operations; Charles Summers, materiel and inspector; Capt. Walter Gerlach, Jr., adjutant; Capt. James McConnell, information; 1st Lt. James Oehm, (cq), assistant personnel.

Death: Bess Steele, Ex Home Ec Teacher Dies In Oregon

Miss Bess Steele, 67, University home economics department staff member for more than 30 years, died Saturday at her home in Portland, Ore.

'Multi-Jet' Summer Ends For Bourne Richard Bourne, associate professor of economics, returned to the University this week after spending the summer at Boeing Airplane Company's Wichita, Kan., Division, where he took active part in multi-jet bomber production.

Yearly: Dietetics Scholarship Established

A yearly scholarship, valued at \$300, has been established at the University's department of home economics by the Standard Market of Lincoln to encourage women to enter the field of dietetics. The announcement was made Wednesday afternoon by Stanley Sands of Standard Market at a party honoring University and Nebraska Wesleyan University house-mothers and members of the Lincoln Institutional Directors and Dietitians Association.

Freshmen: Gains Shown In Enrollment

The University's Junior Division announced Thursday that 2,003 new students have taken placement tests for enrollment compared with 1,870 last year at this time. Dr. Charles F. Warnath, chairman of New Student Week, said between 30 and 50 new students will probably be added to this figure during the coming week.

Biggest gains were made by the College of Engineering, with Arts and Sciences, a perennial favorite, second. Dr. Warnath attributed the engineering increase to the much publicized shortage and the high starting salaries in that field. Dr. Warnath also attributed the enrollment increase, which came in spite of Nebraska's worst drought in the last decade, to a general realization that a college education is more necessary for success in all fields than it was twenty years ago.

Comedy: YWCA To Hold Program

"This Is Your Life," a comedy sketch, will be presented by the YWCA Thursday, 7:15 p.m. in Love Library Auditorium. The program is especially for freshmen students and the sketch will feature the life of a prominent Nebraska University student whose name will be disclosed Thursday evening.

Barb Sharp, as master of ceremonies, will present guests out of the subject's life. Gifts will be presented to the subject at the end of the sketch. Also included in the program of the evening will be a debate on the subject, resolved: That college is a waste of time. Debaters will be: Helen Snyder, Dean of Women and Dr. Robert Knoll, professor of English; affirmative, Bruce Bruggmann, president of Student Council and Dr. Rex Knowles, Presbyterian-Congregational student pastor. YWCA commission leaders will be introduced during the evening.

Theta Sigma Phi Meet Changed

The Theta Sigma Phi women's journalism fraternity meeting originally scheduled for Tuesday will be held Friday at 3 p.m. in Union Room 313, according to Bev Deepe, president.

Dr. William Hall, new director of the School of Journalism will discuss plans with the group. Lucille Switzer, vice president, will report on the national convention, and plans for the coming year will be made, Miss Deepe said.



Cob Meeting

Sophomore men interested in becoming Corn Cob workers and have not yet signed up may attend the Corn Cob meeting Tuesday, 5 p.m. in Union Room 315. Tickets for the pep section will be reserved at that time.

Dr. William E. Hall, new chairman of the Department of Journalism, discusses his plans for the department with Susan Sauvan, sophomore in Arts and Sciences, and Russell Rasmussen, freshman in Arts and Sciences, at the Nebraska Open House held Friday. The Open House was planned to acquaint new students with The Nebraskan staff members and the Publications Board and to encourage new students to work on The Nebraskan. The Open House also enabled journalism students to become acquainted with the new department chairman.