

University Foundation Reports All-Time Highs For 1957

The University Foundation has announced "all time highs," featuring new funds totalling \$676,948, in every phase of its 1957 program.

The report, which was given at the annual board of trustees stated that the Foundation's assets were now \$2,417,712, an increase of \$267,712.

John Selleck, former chancellor, comptroller and business manager of the University, was elected Foundation president for a two-year term.

He succeeds W. W. Putney, Lincoln insurance executive, who last year filled the unexpired term of the late Arthur Dobson.

Other officers elected include: Joe Seacrest, co-publisher of the Lincoln Journal, vice-president; Howard Hadley, Lincoln banker, treasurer; and Perry Branch, director-secretary.

Branch stated in his financial report given at the meeting that "1957 proved to be the best year in the 22-year history of the Foundation."

He said the new funds of \$676,948 topped the previous high recorded in 1955 of \$669,439.

According to Branch the University received \$347,618 last year compared with \$260,557 in 1956.

University benefits from the Foundation included:

- \$108,826 for research projects.
- \$103,135 for scholarships and grants in aid.
- \$49,998 for fellowships and assistants.
- \$7,288 for Morrill Hall improvements and exhibits.
- \$5,565 for purchases of specialized research instruments and equipment.
- \$2,171 for judging team expenses at recognized intercollegiate contests.
- \$32,118 for faculty and University support.
- \$4,500 for lectureships.
- \$2,000 for distinguished teaching awards.
- \$31,082 for Mueller Planetarium (partial payment).

An increase in the number of Foundation donors from \$5,327 to \$5,487 was also reported by Branch. Of the total 1,961 gave for the first time.

Chancellor Clifford Hardin called the work of the Foundation "an important part of the University's total picture. All in all, the Foundation has aided in strengthening the teaching and research phases of the University."

The trustees also elected Fred W. Thomas of Omaha and C. Wheaton Battey of Lincoln to six-year terms on the executive committee. New members of the board of trustees are: Harold R. Deitemeyer of Beatrice; Arnett R. Folsom of Lincoln; Roy M. Green of Lincoln; Ernest A. Hubka of Beatrice; Clark Jeary of Lincoln; J. M. McDonald Jr. of Hastings, and John H. Wiltz of Falls City.

Need Help? Scholarships And Grants Can Aid Student Purses

Deadline for applications for general scholarships for the school term 1958-59 is noon Feb. 22, Miss Marjorie Johnson said.

Approximately 600 scholarships are being offered students at the University by various persons, companies and funds. Other scholarships are offered through the College of Agriculture and the English and Business Administration departments, according to Dean Johnson.

Seventy-five Regents scholarships are being offered to each class. Regents scholarships are the only ones depending entirely upon scholastic achievements. The student must have an accumulative average of 6.7 to qualify for the Regents.

Registration Building and must be filled out completely, according to Dean Johnson.

There are some new scholarships this year and some which have never been awarded due to the fact that no one has qualified for them. One such scholarship is the \$150 offered by the Lincoln Hearing Society which designates that the student given the scholarship must have a loss of hearing to warrant the use of a hearing aid.

Seldom Idle

Members of the scholarship committee for 1958-59 are Miss Johnson, chairman, Dr. Dudley Bailey, Prof. Judson O. Burnett, Mrs. Fern Brown, Dean J. P. Colbert, Dr. Harold Mander, Dr. Wesley C. Meierhenry, Dr. Floyd Hoover, Prof. Gerald R. Swihart.

There are other scholarships for descendants of World War I veterans, residents of Seward County, sophomores, Nebraska residents and daughters of veterans, junior or senior women active in coed counselors, junior or senior men in activities, members of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity, and other scholarships to be used in specified colleges or departments.

Miss Johnson commented that many more students apply for scholarships than receive them and that very seldom, if ever, a scholarship lies idle unless no one qualifies for it. Usually the number of applications demands at least a 6 average.

Bridge Tops Sunday Fare

A small group of University students who met during the first semester to learn the rules of Duplicate Bridge this semester will give instruction to any students interested in learning the game, said Bob Handey, Union Activities Director.

The first Duplicate Bridge game for the semester will be Feb. 9 in Union 316 from 1-4 p.m., he added.

The University chapter of the American Contract Bridge Association will hold a Duplicate Bridge session every Sunday, Handey said.

Scores are tabulated and sent to a central committee on Duplicate Bridge. This way, according to Handey, University students will be competing with students from colleges and universities all over the nation.

These Sunday bridge sessions will provide an excellent opportunity for those who are thinking of entering the Intercollegiate Bridge Tournament to brush up on playing, added Handey.

May Queen Filing Blanks Ready

Filings for 1958 May Queen are now open, according to Marilyn Heck, election co-chairman.

Applications may be picked up in the Union Activities Office. Filings will be open until Feb. 14. Senior women who have a cumulative scholastic average of 5.5 and who are carrying twelve semester hours may file.

A primary election to select ten finalists will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 26. From these ten finalists the May Queen and her attendant will be selected. The final election will be held at the All Women's Elections March 5.

Local Francophilian Makes 'London Times'

The influence of Protestantism on the French Revolution has found a unique spokesman at the University.

Dr. Burdette Poland, assistant professor of history, and confirmed Francophilian received front page recognition from the London Times Literary Supplement concerning his recent book, "French Protestantism and the French Revolution."

The "Times" lauds his effort as "remarkable" and refers to Dr. Poland as a man of "scholarly wisdom." In final evaluation it was called "a good book; erudite and convincing and not any the worse for an undercurrent of passion."

Interest in Minorities

Dr. Poland accounts for his interest in the French Protestants during the era of the French Revolution as motivated by his consciousness of minority groups. Because he grew up in the cosmopolitan cities of Boston, New York and Philadelphia, reactions to minorities have become a part of his life. He also proclaimed himself an ardent francophile, a person friendly to France but not French.

Study of Behavior

The book itself is a study of the behavior of the Protestant minority group in France during the eighteenth century. Its purpose is to disprove those accusations made by historians that Protestant groups fomented the French revolution. The logic of Dr. Poland's argument is recognized as believable.

According to Dr. Poland, religious viewpoint did not influence the reception of the revolution. The Protestants accepted the revolution in the beginning in order to achieve their religious emancipation, but after they had gained their immediate aims, they behaved much as did other Frenchmen both Catholic and Protestant. French Protestants were to be found in all political factions.

"Some were defenders of the monarchy, some opponents. Some were hostile to the Catholics, but others tried to defend them," asserts Dr. Poland.

Dr. Poland also brought out that the Protestants as a small minority were not strong enough to exercise enough influence to start a full scale revolution. As further evidence he cited the fact that the Protestants finding themselves in a position to participate in politics did not seek out vengeance upon the Catholics and that formal Protestant worship was suppressed for some time after the revolution.

Comments on Review

Commenting on the review in "The London Times," Dr. Poland expressed his "elation" and "amazement" over the "sympathetic review." "The honor," he said, "was completely unexpected." Dr. Poland, a subscriber to "The London Times," missed the issue in which his review appeared and was not aware of it until a friend pointed it out to him.

Dr. Poland received his B.A. at Swarthmore College and his M.A. and Ph.D. at Princeton. Before coming to the University of Nebraska, he taught at Denison University.

His book, "French Protestantism and the French Revolution," was published by the Princeton University Press.

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Pictures Become By-Word

April Blue Print Will Shed Words

Pictures worth the proverbial "1000 words" will be the by-word in the April issue of the Nebraska Blue Print.

Usual technical articles will be replaced by picture stories in that issue of the engineering magazine, said its editor, Gary Frenzel.

"It will sort of be Nebraska's answer to Life magazine," said Frenzel.

To Increase Interest

The temporary change from the normal format of the magazine stems from an effort by the Blue Print staff to increase interest in the various phases of engineering, Frenzel added.

A large number of high school students will be visiting the University during E Week, and added interest should bring more students into the College of Engineering next year and in years to come, Frenzel said.

Short Explanations

The April issue will carry pictures of interesting machines and other features of the engineering departments. Short explanations of the pictures will constitute most of the printing in the issue.

The Blue Print will be sold during the E Week tours. Students from over 300 high schools attended E Week last year.

Frenzel said the magazine would be published two weeks late in April to allow time to run pictures of the E Week displays.

The Blue Print has a circulation of over 1750 and sends copies to almost every engineer in the state. Twenty five cents is charged for the magazine although it actually costs 52 cents to publish.

The staff feels that people should know what is happening in the field at a lower cost. The loss is absorbed through advertising, said Frenzel.



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Foreign Victuals Readied

University students from Hungary, Sara Laszlo and Julius Szabo, are making early preparations for the Cosmopolitan smorgasbord to be held Sunday evening from 5-8 p.m.

The event, the third annual at the University, will feature nearly 20 different dishes from Latvia, Turkey, India, Korea, Mexico, Russia, China, Germany, Iran, Afghanistan, Arabia, Hungary and United States.

Hostesses for the event will be attired in their native costumes and the dinner will be followed by entertainment provided by a calypso band of University students from Jamaica and England.

Tickets, on sale at the Union ticket office, Peden's Book Store, First National Bank and Miller and Paine's, are priced at \$1.50 for adults, \$1.25 students and 75 cents for children under 12.

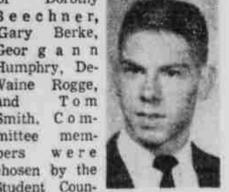
Smidt Selected Chairman Of Spring Day Committee

Beechner, Berke, Humphry, Rogge, Smith Compose Central Committee

Bob Smidt, junior in mechanical engineering, was selected chairman of the 1958 Spring Day Committee by the student council at its weekly meeting Wednesday.

Smidt heads a six-man committee composed of Dorothy Beechner, Gary Berke, George Humphry, DeWane Rogge, and Tom Smith. Committee members were chosen by the Student Council nominating committee headed by vice-president John Kinnier and approved by the entire organization.

The new Spring Day chairman is a member of Kosmet Klub, assistant business manager of the Daily Nebraskan, a member of the E-Week board and a member of Farmhouse Fraternity.



Committees' Activities

Miss Beechner, a junior in Arts and Sciences, is a member of Coed Counselors, the Union board, and Alpha Chi Omega sorority.

Berke, a junior in Agriculture, is a member of Corn Cobs, Ag Exec Board, Farmers' Fair Board and Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity.

Miss Humphry, a junior in Arts and Sciences, is a member of the Red Cross board, and president of Kappa Delta sorority.

Rogge, a junior in Engineering, is treasurer of the Student Council, IFC scholarship chairman, on the Blue Print staff, and a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity.

Smith is a junior in Engineering, a member of the RAM Council, ASME and Pi Tau Sigma.

Miss Beechner, Miss Humphry and Berke were members of the 1957 Spring Day Committee.

Regents Bookstore Will Relocate

Regents Bookstore, presently located in Temporary Building B, will soon be moved to the basement of the old Administration building.

No definite date has been set for the move, according to reliable sources.

The new location, sources stated, will place no additional burden upon book-buying students and will be an advantage to many.

AWS Announces Board Filings

Filings for positions on the Associated Women Student Board are being held in Rosa Bouton Hall until Feb. 11, said Sara Hubka, president.

Requirements for eligibility for sophomore, junior, and senior women are: 1) She must meet the eligibility requirements for participation in extracurricular activities as set up by the University; 2) She must be a bona fide member of the class which she proposes to represent; 3) She must have a weighted scholastic average of no less than 5.7; 4) Members of AWS will be asked to resign if their weighted average drops below 5.7.

The AWS board includes seven sophomore members, seven junior members, and five senior representatives in addition to the president and vice-president.

Farmer's Fair Board Named

New junior members of the Farmer's Fair Board were announced Thursday by Roger Hubbard, president.

Groundwork for the Farmer's Fair scheduled for this spring, according to Hubbard.

New board members are: Bob Paine, Alpha Gamma Rho sophomore; Larry Wolf and Fred Bliss, Farmhouse sophomores; Nadine Calvin, Love Hall junior; Nola Obermire, Love Hall sophomore; and Angie Holbert, Delta Gamma sophomore.

Annual RE Week Stresses 'Dynamics Of Faith' Theme

Annual Religious Program Features Shapiro, Lishner

Prof. Karl Shapiro, Pulitzer-Prize winning poet, and Leon Lishner, Professor of Voice, will be presented at the opening program of the third annual University Religious Emphasis Week. The program, entitled "Religion and the Arts," will be in Love Library Auditorium Sunday at 8 p.m.

High Averages: Seniors Honored By MBs

Six senior women will receive special recognition at the annual Mortar Board Scholastic Tea for having maintained an 8.0 or above scholastic average while attending the University.

The tea, sponsored by Nebraska's Black Masque Chapter of Mortar Board, national women's honor society, will be held Sunday from 3-4:30 p.m. in the Union.

The six women being honored are:

- Mary Williams, Teachers College, 8.383.
- Joan Weerts, College of Arts and Sciences, 8.320.
- JoAnn Sander, College of Business Administration, 8.299.
- Nancy Coover, College of Arts and Sciences, 8.289.
- Evyonne Einspahr, College of Agriculture, 8.128.
- Barbara Millnitz, College of Arts and Sciences, 8.073.

Appearing in the program will be Mr. John Moran of the Music Department who will sing "A Gregorian Chant" and "Pans Angelicus," and Professor Laging who will show slides relating the religious significance of art.

Adam and Eve

Rae Marie Pasmanik will do interpretive dancing and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia will sing the famous "Last Words of David." Professor Shapiro will read from "Adam and Eve" and "Interlude." Sacred music including "In Faith I Calmly Rest" by Bach will be sung by Professor Lishner. A number from "The Sacred Service" by Ernest Bloch will also be sung by Lishner.

"This is one of the highlights of the week's activities and I know



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that the students will be very interested in this program," commented Dave Rhoades, RE Week Chairman.

Eight speakers have been selected to conduct the seminars and individual programs in the fraternities, sororities, dorms and campus organizations for both Ag and City camps.

They include: Prof. Robert Bertram, Department of Philosophy, Valparaiso University; Dr. Philip Kaye, Professor of Speech at Wesleyan University; Rabbi Meyer Kripke, Omaha; Miss Alice Otterness from St. Olaf College; Dr. William Meyers, Sociology Professor at Ottowa University, Kansas; Miss Ruth Crockett, Music, Westmar College; Rev. Charles Tyler, Wheeler Memorial Presbyterian Church of Omaha; and Msgr. Jerome MacEachin, Bishop Howard Brinker, Bishop of the Nebraska Diocese, will visit the Episcopal Chapel on Sunday.

Certificates of award will be presented to these women by Karen Dryden, Mortar Board president.

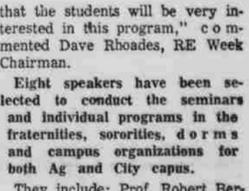
Approximately 350 women will attend the tea. All University women having a 6.5 or above cumulative average are invited.

Sno-Ball Tossed Tonite

The tenth annual Sno-Ball dance, programmed to be held tonight at 8:30 p.m., will feature Bud Holloway and his orchestra.

The dance will be held in the Ag College Activities Gym. Intermission entertainment will be provided by the Silhouettes, University freshman quartet. Composed of Clay White, Kent Murray, Dick Lenington and Mike Adams, the "Silhouettes" placed second in the Union talent show.

Winners of a baby photo contest will be announced during intermission and the "Cutest Baby" will be presented. Contestants in the photo contest are Elda Bloomfield, Evyonne Einspahr, JoAnn Fahrenbrock, Margot Franke, Don Herman, Ann Klosterman, Tom Kraeger, Mary Kyes, Marty Nielsen, Nola Obermire, Mary Seberger, Bill Spiker, Roberta Switzer, Roger Wehrbein, Marilyn Jensen, Terry Howard, and Max Waldo.



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Rathjen Elected 4-H President

Robert Rathjen, a junior in Agriculture, has been elected president of the University of Nebraska 4-H Club, succeeding JoAnn Norris, a senior in Agriculture.

Rathjen, an Alpha Gamma Rho, is a former International Farm Exchange delegate to Pakistan.

Other new officers are vice president, Mary Seberger; Judy Sieler, secretary; and Max Waldo, treasurer.

The Ag College 4-H Club is composed of approximately 100 Ag and home economics students who were formerly 4-H club members in their home communities.

Special Speakers

Speakers and their topics include: Monday—Contemporary Problems in Human Relations (Tyler, 4 p.m. City campus; Meyer, 5 p.m. Ag campus); and "Are the World's Religions Essentially One?" (Rabbi Kripke, 4 p.m. City); Thursday—"Religion and Contemporary Fine Arts" (Crockett and Davidson, 4 p.m. City).

A full schedule of the RE Week program including other seminars will appear in Monday's Daily Nebraskan.

Vivian Long, Ag Program Chairman, commented that "several special programs including seminars and a faculty-student luncheon with the RE Week speakers were being planned particularly for the Ag campus students. Our committee hopes that these seminars will be well attended since they are of a special nature for Ag students."

According to Marilyn Linquist, there will be a book display across from the circulation desk in Love Library. "The individual student houses have selected those for display during RE Week as some of the most outstanding religious books available for the student."

Remarks Misunderstood

Rhoades commented "my remarks in this paper of a few weeks ago could easily have been misunderstood. Certainly any 'religion' does not necessarily have to involve a relationship of an individual with God.

Business Staff Needs Workers

Opportunities are open for University students as workers for the Daily Nebraskan business staff, according to Jerry Sellentin, business manager.

A meeting will be held Monday at 4 p.m. in the Daily Nebraskan business office for all interested students, Sellentin stated.

Business workers will have an opportunity to sell advertising on a commission basis, Sellentin added.

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