



Educational First Greet Nebraska

Gardner Ties Two World Records

Keith Gardner tied two world indoor track records and Joe Mullins set a new meet record in the half mile as Nebraska won a dual track meet from Oklahoma Saturday, 54 2/3 to 49 1/3.

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Lark Tryouts This Week

Tryouts for the University Theatre production "The Lark" will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. in 301 Temple.

Dallas Williams, director of the University Theatre will direct the production of Jean Anouilh's drama about Joan of Arc.

"This will be a difficult play to cast," Williams said. "Easter vacation will cut a week of rehearsals from the production."

There are parts for seven women and 22 men in the show. Williams commented that there are "no straight juvenile parts in the show."

"Picture such characters as Joan herself, the king of France, the archbishop—all are complex characters," Williams noted.

"On top of the other problems," Williams said, "the rehearsals of Ondine, which also has a large cast, make it difficult to draw from that show's cast."

The play will be produced earlier than the last play of the season usually is, the director stated. "We plan to take it to Fremont and Wayne in late April and early May," Williams said.

Charles Low Jr. is technical director of the play. Williams said that the settings will be done in part with rear projection equipment.

Students interested in trying out for the play may do so, regardless of previous theatre experience, Williams said. Crews for the show will be signed at the same time as the tryouts.



PROPOSED CENTER—This is a scale model of the proposed Continuing Education Center, which has been made possible by a grant from the W. K. Kellogg Foundation. The \$2 million building would be located at 33rd and Holdrege on Ag Campus.

Coed Board Filing Will Close Friday

Filing for Coed Counselor board positions close Friday according to Joanne Bauman, president.

Girls may sign up in Rosa Bouton Hall on City Campus. Ag girls may file at the booth in the Ag Activities Building.

Sophomore, junior and senior women must meet the following eligibility requirements: 1) participation in activities as set up by the University; 2) must have a 5.7 average. No previous Coed Counselor experience is necessary.

Board members will be chosen following the interviews Feb. 22 in Union 313.

Coed counselor board has six sophomores, eight juniors and two senior members.

Book Exchange Will Reopen

The Book Exchange will be reopened Tuesday from 12-4 p.m. for the return of money and books which were not picked up February 10 and 11, Jack King, president of Alpha Phi Omega announced. The booth will be located on the main floor of the Union.

All money and books left after Tuesday will become the property of the exchange.

Youth Program Expansion: Educators, Leaders React

The possibility of expansion of youth training with the announcement of a proposed continuing education center drew comment from several educators and youth organization directors, contacted by the Daily Nebraskan.

In regard to a possible extension of the 4-H Club Week to four such weeks, Wesley Antes, State 4-H club leader commented that with such an extension 4-H Club Week would "have the opportunity to do considerably more training than in the past."

Facilitate Agent Training Antes said that in previous years, students in attendance at the Week, which meets on the Ag Campus, have had to sleep in make-shift dormitories in the Ag Engineering Building and the Ag Activities Building.

The addition of the Center would also "facilitate the agent training," he added and benefit to a greater extent 30,000 club members and 5-6,000 volunteer leaders in the state.

Harold Duis, state adviser for the Future Farmers of America stated that the FFA state convention is held for three days in Lincoln during the school year.

He added, "there is a possibility that the state leadership camps, which are held in church camps throughout the state, could be held here" with the completion of the Center.

Journalism Institute A possible additional journalism institute for high school students added in the Center, was met with favorable reaction by Dr. William Hall, Director of the School of Journalism.

Dr. Hall said, "We have been looking forward to the day when we can have a summer training institute for students who will be editors of their high school newspapers and yearbooks."

The proposed institute would probably be comparable to the All-State Fine Arts Course held every summer at the University, Dr. Hall added.

One-Day Convention Miss Rose Wanek, Director of Home Economic Education for the state of Nebraska, stated that the Future Homemakers Association has been holding a one-day annual convention in Lincoln for approximately 350 girls. The convention meets in Love Library.

However, with the new Center, the FHA, which has some 3,800 state members, might be able to hold a longer conference for 800 girls.

Dr. David Foltz, Director of All-State doubted that All-State would use the new Center, because of the impracticability of transporting students to and from the Ag Campus for private lessons.

Gifted Dames Will Perform Guest Night Slated Thursday

The University Dames will have a Guest Night 8 p.m. Thursday at University High auditorium.

The meeting will feature member talent and will include dramatic readings, songs and baton twirling.

The purpose of the Guest Night is to acquaint interested women with the organization.

"There are 1600 married students in the University and only 266 wives in Dames," said Mrs. Vern Torczon, Union representative.

Mrs. Torczon mentioned that the group has many activities for the ladies, such as the Chancellor's Tea, interest groups, a baby show, summer parties, Christmas and Spring picnics and a baby furniture trading service.

"Those who come to Guest Night do not have to join the group," said Mrs. Torczon. "We would just like them to come and see what we do."

Dames is an organization which started at Harvard in 1896. It came to the University in 1934.

Membership is \$1 a semester. The club meets the third Thursday of each month.

Miss Lincoln

Twelve NU Coeds Named Finalists

Twelve University coeds were among 15 girls selected this week as finalists for Miss Lincoln of 1958.

The girls were judged equally on the basis of personality and intelligence, poise and grace, talent and beauty of face and figure, the same basis of selection, that is used in the Miss America Pageant at Atlantic City.

The Miss Lincoln Pageant will be held March 2 at 7:30 p.m. at the Cornhusker Hotel Ballroom, according to Pageant Chairman Dick Simonson.

The finalists were chosen from a total of 40 applications. University coeds vying for the Miss Lincoln title are:

Sharon Abrams, freshman in Arts and Sciences, and a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority.

Breanna Johnson, sophomore in the College of Agriculture, rush chairman of Alpha Xi Delta sorority, and a member of KNUSS staff.

Mary Margaret Lewis, a sophomore in Arts and Sciences and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Barbara Meston, junior in Teachers College, Union board and Pi Beta Phi sorority.

Jean Murphy, freshman in Teachers College and a member of Chi Omega.

Patricia Prouty, sophomore in Arts and Sciences, active in KUON TV and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Rosanne Rodgers, freshman in Teachers College, and member of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Dolly Swift, sophomore in Teachers College, soloist for the Men's Glee Club, and a member of Kappa

- Alpha Theta.
- Sueleel Thompson, freshman in Arts and Sciences, and a member of Alpha Phi.
- Mary Kay Uehling, freshman in Arts and Sciences and a member of Alpha Phi.
- Sharon Lee Vahl, sophomore in Teachers, member of Red Cross board and Alpha Omicron Pi.
- Sally Wells, a freshman and member of Delta Gamma.



Miss Nielson . . . back to Atlantic City

Honor Court Names Nielson

Kay Nielson, last year's Nebraska delegate to the Miss America contest, has been chosen to be in the Miss America Court of Honor at the famed beauty contest at Atlantic City during the first week of September.

Each year three girls are chosen to return to the pageant to be in the Court of Honor. The other girls are Mary Nancy Denner, Miss Oklahoma, and Valerie Joy Strong, Miss Michigan.

The girls will assist the present Miss America, Marilyn Elaine Van Derbur, present trophies and participate in social affairs.

Kay expects to perform several dances, be in parades and possibly be on television.

"I think it will be a lot more fun this time," Kay said, "because I won't be so nervous."

Arts Concert Set Thursday

Fine Arts Ensemble will present a concert 8 p.m. Thursday in the Union Ballroom.

Leon Lishner, Associate Professor of Voice, will assist the ensemble in the performance of Dover Beach, by Samuel Barber.

The Ensemble consists of Emanuel Wisnow, first violin; Truman Morsman, second violin; Max Gilbert, viola; and Rosemary Madison, cello. Gladys May will accompany them on the piano.

The program will open with String Quartet in D major No. 18, by Mozart. String Quartet No. 6, by Porter, will also be played.

Dover Beach will open the second part of the program. Highlighting the program, it is based on the poem of the same name by Matthew Arnold, the English poet.

String Quartet No. 2, by Borodin, will conclude the program.

Tickets can be obtained at the door. They are 75 cents for students and \$1.50 for all others.

A special concert will be presented at the Joslyn Art Museum Concert Hall in Omaha 5 p.m. Sunday. It will feature 17th and 18th century chamber music.

Advance prices are \$1 and door sales will be \$1.50.

Both programs are sponsored by the Friends of Chamber Music.

Library East Study-Lounge Will Be Cut

Science Room, Greater Book Space Planned in Present Building

By DICK SHUGRUE Editor

In line with a long-range expansion program which will enlarge the capacity of the Don Love Memorial Library from 600,000 to 1,200,000 books, immediate plans call for the elimination of the ground-floor east study lounge in the building.

"But a study area will be provided for the many students who have used the east room in what is now the technical services area of the library," commented Frank Lundy, director of the University Libraries.

New Study Room The new study room would be about half the size of the present reading room, Lundy noted.

The east reading room of the 15-year old library will be converted into a science and technology room, complete with bookshelves and tables, 25,000 books on open shelves, service desks and seats for 150-200 students.

Lundy, who has been director of the complex library system of the University since 1944, stated that all vending machines would be removed from the east reading room. However, arrangements are being made to place the coffee, soft drink and apple vending machines

in the proposed west reading room.

Furnishings for the west room would include some of the large pieces presently used in the east room and some pieces which would come to the library through the Union, Lundy explained. About 12 pieces will be placed in the new reading room.

The general library director who received his masters degree in librarianship in 1949 from the University of California said that the use of the new room would depend on when money is available for the shift.

Kellogg Foundation Sets Stage For \$2 Million Center

By BOB IRELAND News Editor and HERB PROBASCO Staff Writer

The limelight of education has been focused on the State of Nebraska and its University.

With a grant of \$1,856,000 from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation of Battle Creek, Mich., the University has assumed leadership of adult educational continuance in the Great Plains area—a phase still in its pioneer stages.

Contacted by the Daily Nebraskan Sunday, Dr. Emory Morris, director of the Kellogg Foundation, stated that Nebraska's "demonstration of its willingness to aid education" was one of the primary reasons the state was chosen for the establishment of a \$2,642,000 Center for Continuing Education.

Dr. Morris stated he was "delighted" that the University was willing to assume responsibility for the development of continuing education.

A First Nebraska will be the first land grant school supported directly by state funds to house such an education center, Dr. Morris stated.

The Kellogg Foundation is committed to provide \$1.5 million toward construction and equipment, as well as \$356,000 to help finance a part of the Center's program during its pioneer stage of operation.

This commitment is contingent upon the University raising the balance of the necessary construction funds of \$1,142,000 within a 12-month period.

Chancellor Clifford Hardin reported that the University Board of Regents would probably meet around the first of March to discuss plans to finance the operation.

The announcement of the project culminated three years of planning and negotiations between the University and the Foundation, Chancellor Hardin stated.

According to Dr. Morris, discussion of the project between the University and the Foundation became after Hardin left Michigan State in 1954 to become NU chancellor.

"This is a wonderful opportunity for the University and for Nebraska. It clears the way for the University to extend its educational influence to thousands of people, both youth and adults who are not enrolled in college," Hardin stated.

"When the Kellogg people are willing to pledge that amount of money to our future," he said, "I am sure Nebraska contributors can be counted upon to make up the balance of the investment."

Five Stories The center's central structure—about 400 feet long by 80 feet wide—will be a five-story adult conference facility having an auditorium seating 700, meeting and lecture rooms, an educational television studio, and hotel and dining accommodations for guests. Estimated cost of the building and its furnishings is \$2 million.

A special four-story wing will be named the "Youth Hall" with facilities for meetings of Future Farmers, 4-H clubs, Boy's and Girls' States, and Fine Arts courses for youth. The wing, 176 feet long by 56 feet wide, will include a small auditorium, two assembly and instructional rooms, a cafeteria served by a central kitchen and dormitory quarters for 336.

Michigan Enthusiasm The W. K. Kellogg Foundation furnished the major portion of the funds which permitted the establishment of the Kellogg Center for Continuing Education at Michigan State University in 1951.

The enthusiastic participation of the public in the Michigan University venture led the Foundation to join the State of Georgia in the creation during 1957 of the Georgia Center for Continuing Education at that State University.

In addition to the Nebraska grant, the Foundation also announced that it will establish a similar center at the University of Chicago. The Chicago Center will be housed in a \$3.5 million building, with the Foundation providing \$2.3 million, plus \$500,000 for its program.

Society Will See Best Foreign Film The 1958 Film Society's second presentation, "Ordet," has been chosen as the best foreign film of the year by the National Board's Committee on Exceptional Films.

"Ordet" is based on "The Word," a picture written by Kaj Munk. The picture is Danish, and opened its first run in New York City during December of 1957.

"Ordet" will be shown at the Nebraska Theater at 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, the 19th.

Director of the movie is Carl Theodore Dreyer, considered the screen's foremost artist by theater magazine "Films in Review."

According to "Films in Review," "The composition of some of Ordet's scenes equals that of the world's best paintings, and Dreyer's direction brings forth from his players the drama that occurs in the secret places of the heart."

Smoking Allowed Smoking will be allowed in the west study room.

Lundy said that the plans for a commuters area in the Union addition would give the students who store their lunches in the east lounge a place to eat their noon meal. He admitted that there might be a period of "a pinch" before the completion of the addition to the Union during which the west lounge might not be sufficient.

"We're looking ahead five, possibly ten years," Lundy explained. "We will need a doubled capacity for the library in line with the increasing need and desire for education as well as for the storage of new books and periodicals."

He said that the boom storage area is practically full at the present time. "Now there is a new area in the Law College library addition which can cope with a temporary book stacking problem," Lundy stated that 175,000 books can be kept in general storage in the Law Annex.

Richard Farley, the assistant di-



Chancellor Hardin

Chancellor, Officials Comment

University representatives and officials contacted by the Daily Nebraskan have expressed favorable reaction in regard to the \$1.8 million Kellogg Foundation grant received by the University for the construction of a Continuing Education Center.

Chancellor Clifford Hardin pointed out that "although the Center is to be located on Ag Campus," this location was selected primarily for parking space. "The program to be offered by the Center will be University-wide," he continued.

Hardin stated that he is "hoping that there will be some sizeable gifts" toward the additional \$1.5 million needed to be raised by the University before construction can begin.

He added that he has received several phone calls in regard to contributions with one offer of \$1,000.

Professional Seminars A center already established at Michigan State University when Hardin was Dean of the Agricultural College at that school has had a "highly successful operation in every standpoint," Hardin commented.

He mentioned that various professional conferences and seminars will be held at the Center, and from time to time members of the faculty will participate in these training programs.

The Chancellor, who left Sunday for a series of West Coast alumni club speeches, said he hoped that construction of the Center will get under way shortly after the first of next year.

"Terrific Tribute" Clarence Swanson, member of the Board of Regents, stated, "I think it's a terrific tribute to the University and to our Chancellor, and I hope we can get the fund raising job done."

The Board of Regents will hold its next meeting the first part of March.

Dr. Knute Broady, Director of the University Extension Division, to whom the director of the Center will be responsible, stated that no plans have been made yet, regarding a staff for the Center.

Plans are in the offing for the installation of new stacks which would permit a doubling of the library's capacity without an addition to the building. Lundy showed three types of stacks which can hold twice the number of books the present stacks hold in the same space.

"The installation of any of these stacks would necessitate the pouring of a new floor to hold the added weight. At the present time about 100,000 books are kept on the open shelves.

A greater and more efficient use of the existing library space is the general goal of the shift of the study rooms, the three librarians agreed.

Lundy summed up his sentiments regarding the change to the full exploitation of the Love Library building for what are essential library services and purposes.

"We must now move ahead to the full exploitation of the Love Library building for what are essential library services and purposes."