

Pep Clubs Boost Point Club Drive

Tassel, Cob Signups Grow, Organized Houses Lagging

Tassels President Georganna Humphrey and Corn Cob president Larry Schrag have expressed optimism that their organizations will reach 100 per cent membership in the Extra Point Club.

Recognition Granted to Physics Dep't

The University's physics department was recognized for its contributions to the field of nuclear science last week.

Dr. Theodore Jorgensen, professor of physics, was one of 25 speakers at a conference on the problems of energy loss suffered by heavy and light particles passing through matter.

Sponsored by the National Research Council, the conference at Gatlinburg, Tenn., was attended by some 50 invited authorities in the field, who had contributed the most to the area in study.

Dr. Jorgensen presented two papers. One was "Measurements Concerning the Negative Helium Ion," by Jorgensen and Chris Kuyatt of Grand Island, a doctorate candidate; the other, "The Stopping Power of Some Solid Hydrocarbons and Helium Ions," by Donald C. Lorents, a former NU student, and Dr. Edward J. Zimmerman, associate professor of physics.

Besides the U.S., other nations represented at the meeting were Canada, Denmark, England, France, Switzerland, Poland, Japan and India.

"and I feel that all of them will belong before the drive is over."

Half Paid
She estimated that half of the Tassel organization belonged now to the Extra Point Club.

"Of course, many of the girls were already members before Monday's meeting," she added.

Schrag said that an estimate of the number of memberships sold by Corn Cob workers was impossible because workers were still selling the memberships.

"I think we'll get 100 per cent membership," he added. Al Krizelman, cheerleader, reported that the drive was still not getting very good support from the student body.

No Sales

"Excepting for Tassels and Cobs, we're not selling too many student memberships," he said. "If fraternities, sororities and organized houses would get 100 per cent behind the drive too, I think the whole University would back it."

Out-state and Lancaster county sales were reported "going very good", by Bob Wagner, president of the Extra Point Club.

"Last year we gave \$4,500 to the University athletic department," he said, "and we're trying to make it at least \$15,000 this year."

At least half of this amount will come from Lancaster county, he said.

No Close

No closing date for the drive has been set, and a final tally of money collected will probably not be available until the end of the football season, according to Wagner.

Extra point memberships may be obtained from members of Corn Cobs or the yell squad.



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Mortar Board—Scholastic Minimum Upped Again

The Black Masque Chapter of Mortar Board has voted to raise the minimum scholastic average for membership to 6.5.

This is in keeping with their selection criteria, scholarship as well as leadership and service.

It was pointed out by Dean Snyder at the meeting Wednesday that this is still below the average required by many of the groups in the national honorary.

Several years ago the chapter began raising the average from the original 6. Last year's Mortar Boards were required to have at least a 5.4 average to be considered for membership.

"Our requirements before were just barely above the minimum requirements of National Mortar Board," Nancy Copeland, Mortar Board president said, "and now they are more in keeping with other chapters in the nation."

Mortar Board, senior women's honorary, selects its members from junior girls who are campus leaders and scholars.

Campus Parking Faces Thorough Investigation

Student Council Requests Copies of All Constitutions

By John Hoerner

A thorough investigation of campus parking is in the offing.

Jack Nielson, chairman of the Student Council parking committee placed a motion before the Council Wednesday calling for complete investigation of the parking problem.

The motion passed unanimously by the Council.

read: "I move that the parking committee conduct a thorough investigation of parking on the campus as it stands today. Such an investigation would include:



Nielson

Would Include

- 1 A study of the two hour parking rule on the campus, and methods of eliminating it;
- 2 The possibility of closing 14th St. to through traffic;
- 3 Some type of a survey of the present facilities to determine if they are being used to their fullest extent;
- 4 Some type of rule which would force more cars into the 17th St. lot in or-

Council Committees Announced

Dwaine Rogge, Council president, announced the names of the remaining Student Council standing committees. The nominating committee was named last week.

The Committees and their chairmen are:

Activities: Tom Smith, chairman, Don Binder, Chuck Wilson, Jolaine Loseke and Pat Flanagan.

Calendar: Bob Blair, chairman, and Sally Downs.

Commencement: Chuck Huston, chairman, Marilyn Pickett, Gary Frenzel and Dwaine Rogge.

Elections: Don Schick, chairman, Marilyn Pickett, Dave Godby, Bob Paine and Harry Tolly.

Honors Convocation: Kay Turner, chairman, Chuck Wilson and Bob Blair.

Judiciary: Gary Frenzel, chairman, Tom Smith, Don Schick, Jack Muck, Rosemary Kuhl, Lawrence Kuhl and Dorothy Glade.

Library: Pat Flanagan, chairman, and Kathy Roach.

Migration: Kay Turner.

Nominating: Mary McKnight, chairman, Gary Frenzel, Howard Holmquist, Marcia Boden and Mary Vrba.

Parking Committee: Jack Nielson, chairman, George Porter, Darrell Lau, Sally Downs and Bob Kohn.

Social: Jack Muck, chairman, and Kathy Roach.

Ass't Chairmen Needed in Union

Assistant chairmanships on two Union committees, Recreation and Music, are open. Anyone applying for the positions must have an accumulative average of a 5 or above, must have worked in Union activities for at least one semester and must be a sophomore or above.

A sign-up sheet will be posted in the Union Activities Office.

Interviews will be held Tuesday in Union 211 starting at 8 p.m.

Open House

An open house will be sponsored by the Department of Elementary Education and the Assoc. for Childhood Education on Tuesday.

It will be held in 200 Teachers College from 7-8 p.m.

All new students who are majoring in elementary education are invited to attend.

No Social Caller



"JUST SEND ONE DOLLAR". A sharp-eyed campus policeman offers the unsuspecting owner of this car the chance to trade a parking ticket for \$1 at the campus police department.

IFC May Adopt Rushing Changes

A change in the fraternity rushing program may result from Wednesday's Interfraternity Council rush meeting.

John Glynn, vice president of the Interfraternity Council and chairman of the IFC rush committee, said that the committee hopes to "revamp rush week altogether." In addition to the complete change in rush week, mention was made of having a second semester rush week and of carrying on the most extensive out-state rushing program ever conducted by IFC.

The new rush week would include more than the present eight compulsory open house periods and would double the number of rush dates. Glynn said that this new schedule would be carried out in approximately the same three-day period that the present setup now uses.

Primary reason for making such a change in rush week would be to "cut down intensive rushing" and "give rushees a better chance to look around," Glynn said.

Mention was also made of a new method of pledging. The rushee, instead of walking over to the house of his choice to accept a pledge pin, would put down his first three preferences on paper and

turn it over to the IFC. The rush chairmen of the various houses could then look over the list and choose their pledge classes from it. A house would have priority on any man that listed that house as his first preference.

The second innovation that was discussed at the meeting was the possibility of having another rush week during the second semester. A committee will be set up next Wednesday to investigate such a possibility and determine whether it would be practicable.

The final problem brought up before the committee was the lack of interest in fraternities shown by matriculating freshmen. An inadequate out-state rushing program was blamed by a majority of the men present at the meeting.

Another investigating committee will be established to consider the problems of expanding the present out-state rushing program.

Howell Strategy Planned For 2-Barrel Campaign

By Dick Shugrue

The University Theatre will be opening a double-barreled campaign next week to kick off a gala theatre season for patrons of the Howell Theatre.

Dallas S. Williams, director of the University Theatre, has mapped out a master plan to get new patrons for the theatre and keep the old stand-bys. And his approach, from all indications, will get the job done.

Honorary Producers

Highlighting the campaign will be the Honorary Producers contest which begins Tuesday. Williams noted that every campus organization, all the Greeks and the independent houses have been asked to take part in the frontal assault on "cultural apathy" on the campus.

And the major "secret weapons" theatre people will be baiting the public with are getting results. "I received nine replies the first day," Williams pointed out, "and each of the organizations indicated it wanted to help in the Honorary Producers contest."

Nebraska Masquers, honorary theatre group, is handling the bulk of the ticket sales. Much of the selling, however, will be left to the house "producers."

Added Attractions

Added incentives aimed at selling more tickets are:

- 1) A special price of \$5 for the 5-show season.
- 2) A completely transferable ticket, which can be used for each of the five performances or for a party of five persons at any one show.
- 3) A saving for organized houses, which

can sell the tickets for \$4 and "keep the change" or give the extra buck to the producer in that house.

4) A dinner Oct. 22 at the Cornhusker Hotel for all the house producers.

5) A "formal" opening night, complete with tuxes and the announcement of the Honorary Producers.

"The theatre wants to express its appreciation for what the organized houses are doing to make our season a success," Williams explained.

These added incentives should give more students an opportunity to attend the theatre's season of comedy and, at the same time, make the theatre ticket-sales program more of a campus activity, he indicated.

Merchant of Venice

The opening show of the season will be The Merchant of Venice, starring Charles Weatherford as Shylock and Jo Couch as Portia. It will run Oct. 22-25.

Aristophanes' Lysistrata will be the second show on the bill and opens Dec. 10, closing the 13th.

The Cloak, by Puccini, is scheduled Feb. 4 to 6, and is being produced in cooperation with the Department of Music.

March 11-14 The Matchmaker, written by Thornton Wilder, will be on the Howell Theatre boards, and the season will close with Eugene O'Neill's Ah! Wilderness, running May 6 to 9.

Williams is directing The Merchant of Venice and The Matchmaker. A newcomer to the University Theatre, Joseph Baldwin, will direct Ah! Wilderness. Don Russell will handle the director's chores for Lysistrata.

Planetarium—

'Autumn Skies' Attendance Low; Fall Term Gives Little Help—Howe

"Attendance at 'Autumn Skies,' featured at Ralph Mueller Planetarium, has been low since the beginning of school," said John Howe, coordinator of the planetarium program.

Howe added that tourists and townspeople constituted a fairly large audience for the shows during the summer, but very few University students have attended this fall. Several outstate public schools are scheduled to attend programs during the year.

Music

Hi-fidelity music introduces the evening program and serves as a background throughout the show. The buildings of Lincoln's skyline are silhouetted against the theatre dome and Standard Model Spitz Planetarium projection equipment recreates the night skies visible over Lincoln during this season without the distraction of haze, smog and clouds that frequently hinder "star-gazing." Explorers and the spunkies cross the sky accompanied by their respective sound effects.

Mythical tales of the skies will be narrated by George

Premed Exams Scheduled Oct. 28

The national Medical College Admission Test will be given Oct. 28 for those pre-medical students who have never taken it.

Applications are now available at 306 Bessey Hall. They must be sent in to the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey, before Oct. 14.

Applications for 1959 admission to the 1959 freshman class of the University College of Medicine must be made before Dec. 1, 1958. Applications may be obtained at 306 Bessey Hall.

NU Prof to Talk At Wheat Show

A University Ag professor will be one of the featured speakers at the 1958 Nebraska Wheat show to be held in Lincoln Oct. 23.

Dr. Rosalind Morris, professor of agronomy at the University, will speak on "Tagging Wheat Chromosomes."

Other speakers include Loren Johnson, vice-president of the Continental Grain Company at New York and Earl Cross, Colorado Mill and Elevator Co.

Eagleton and Douglas Kent, lecturers, who will also point out star formations.

All of the planetarium equipment was donated through the University Foundation by Mr. Ralph Mueller, University Class of '98.

Shows are given at 2:45

Non-Music Majors—

Glee Club Takes 47 Men; Dolly Swift Will Solo

Forty-seven male students have been selected for the 1958-59 University Varsity Glee Club, Dale Ganz, director, announced.

Dolly Swift will be the group's soloist, and Patricia McIntyre will be accompanist. They are the only two coed members of the club.

The glee club is composed of non-music majors. They make appearances at campus events and throughout the state during the school year.

Members are:

First tenors: Kermit Erickson, James Pinkerton, Merlin Montgomery, Pro Sherman, Gary Christiansen, Laurence Smith, Don Novicoff, Vance Uden, Robert Helm, James Pickett, James Miller, Dennis Ellithorpe, and Ira Kruese.

Second tenors: Stan Widman, Ronald Wiens, James Cadwallader, John Lindell, Glenn Dutton, Art Hughes, Norman Papke and Roger Hanke.

Baritone: Tom Eason, Ron McKeever, John Liakos, Don Epp, Dale Piper, Jim Greer, Bryon Dillow, Lowell Fritsche, Thomas Platt, Larry Piersol, John Gilliland.

NU to Sponsor Training Group

The Union will be headquarters Friday and Saturday for the 7th annual training institute for state employment office managers, interviewers and clerks.

Among the speakers for the two-day session are C. W. Bowman, program coordinator of the University Extension Division, and Dr. Knute Broady, director of the Extension Division.

An attendance of 80 is expected at the meeting, sponsored by the Extension Division and the Nebraska Chapter of the International Assn. of Personnel in Employment Security.