



At San Diego—

# SDX Writing Prize Nabbed By Petsche

Jerry Petsche, a '58 University graduate, was awarded first place in outside writing at the annual Sigma Delta Chi convention in San Diego, Calif.



Petsche

Petsche, a school of Journalism alum, won the prize for his study on police-press relations which appeared in the April issue of the Nebraska Newspaper.

**Research Project**  
The article was based on a survey he made as part of his Journalism 199 research project. He is now news editor of the Denison, Ia., Register.

"This is one of the highest awards available to a student journalist," Dr. William Hall, director of the School of Journalism, said. "It is awarded to the student submitting the best article contributed to an outside magazine."

The University chapter of Sigma Delta Chi won fifth in the nation in the Beckman report. The Beckman award is given to the undergraduate chapter of Sigma Delta Chi with the best overall program.

### High Tribute

"The Nebraska chapter has not been in the running for the past several years," Dr. Hall commented. "Winning fifth is a high tribute to last year's members and Dr. Robert Cranford, their adviser."

Marilyn Coffey also won third in feature writing. The award is made to schools, thereby giving the University third place in that division.

The convention was held from Nov. 13 to 16 with approximately 400 delegates, members and guests attending. Lyman Cass, vice president of the Nebraska SDX chapter, represented the University.

There are 66 undergraduate chapters of Sigma Delta Chi in the nation as well as 48 professional chapters.

## Debaters Split Two Tournaments

University debaters wound up two tournaments this weekend with five superior ratings in various speaking contests and an even win and loss record.

Robert Ross and Melvyn Eikleberry received superior ratings at the University of South Dakota Tournament in Vermillion for discussion. James Ehret received superior in debate and Ross in extemporaneous speaking. Wanda Head was awarded superior in interpretative reading.

William Cords and Ehret won three and lost one in the junior division debate competition. Eikleberry and Ross and Miss Head and Phyllis Elliott won two and lost two in the senior division. Douglas McCartney and Richard Nelson also won two and lost two in the junior division.

At the University of Wichita competition George Moyer and Charles Keyes won three and lost three debates. Donald Epp and Renny Ashleman won two and lost four.

Donald Olson is director of debate.

### Closed Crib

The Union Corn Crib will close at 7 p.m. today. It will reopen Monday morning following vacation.

# Tassels Veto Council Rec Action Delayed Till Next Week



ACTIVITIES QUEEN finalists Barb Barker, Sue Carkoski, Skip Harris, Mary Lou Valencia, Kay Hirshback and Linda Rohwedder were selected from the candidates nominated by University activities. The candidates are all sophomores. The contest is sponsored by AUF.

**Action Delayed Till Next Week**  
By George Moyer  
A motion to adopt the Homecoming Queen election procedure recommended last week by Student Council was defeated by Tassels Monday.

The vote was 21-16. Georgann Humphrey, Tassel president, said after the meeting that the vote merely meant that nothing would be done about the Student Council recommendations at this time.

## Panhellenic—Health Council Formed

A Health Council, composed of representatives from all sororities on campus, has been organized by Student Health and Panhellenic. The council's purpose will be to inform students of various health problems and to get suggestions from the students for Student Health. Last year the council was able to provide help and care for those who contacted Asian flu.

Although only the Panhellenic Health Council has had a meeting as yet, Interfraternity and Inter-Coop chairmen have been appointed to begin the same program. The Panhellenic program is being coordinated by Angie Holbert, while Jim Anderson will direct the IFC's. Gary Northouse is chairman of the Inter-Coop council.

In their Wednesday meeting, health chairmen were handed cold pills which are being used for research to determine which type pills are the most effective. Brochures reviewing Student Health Insurance were also distributed.

Another Food Handlers' Institute was also announced for Dec. 12. The institute will be held for busboys, giving a basic course in dishwashing, personal hygiene, sanitation and sterilization.

Dr. Samuel Fuenning, medical director of Student Health, emphasized that both cooks and busboys must obtain a Food Handlers' card.

He also told of a Housing Code which is now being published in booklet form. The booklet will set forth minimum standards of light, plumbing facilities, sleeping space and ventilation.

Health Council meetings will vary from once a month to once a week, according to need, Dr. Fuenning explained.

## Sigma Alpha Eta Charter Granted

The national assembly of Sigma Alpha Eta, a society for students preparing in the fields of speech and hearing rehabilitation, has authorized a charter for the University chapter of the society.

Sigma Alpha Eta is headquartered at Louisiana State University and has 55 campus chapters throughout the United States. Organized in 1949, it is the only professional fraternity in speech and hearing rehabilitation.

The local society, which was admitted at the ninth annual National Assembly in New York last Tuesday, will be under the guidance of advisor Harlan Adams.

## Six Sophomores Named Activities Queen Finalists

Six sophomore coeds have been named as finalists for AUF Activities Queen.

They are Barb Barker, Sue Carkoski, Skip Harris, Kay Hirshback, Linda Rohwedder and Mary Lou Valencia.

The finalists were picked from candidates nominated by University activities. Each activity could enter one sophomore candidate in the AUF-sponsored contest.

Miss Barker, the Builders candidate, is in Business Ad-

ministration. She is a Builders assistant, an AUF assistant, Cornhusker section editor and a member of Alpha Phi.

A member of Coed Counselors Board, a Union chairman, an AUF assistant, a Masquers worker and member of Kappa Alpha Theta. Miss Carkoski is the candidate from Coed Counselors. She is in Teachers College.

Harris is an AUF assistant, a Red Cross assistant chairman, a member of University Singers and the AWS Board and Rush Chairman of Pi Beta Phi. She is in Teachers College and is the candidate from AWS.

Miss Hirshback, Teachers College, is a cheerleader, an AUF assistant, a Union chairman and a member of the WAA Board and Kappa Alpha Theta. She is the Union candidate.

A Cornhusker section editor, a Red Cross assistant chairman, a member of Coed Counselors, Alpha Lambda Delta and Kappa Kappa Gamma. Miss Rohwedder is the Cornhusker candidate. She is in Arts and Science.

Valencia is a WAA candidate, is a member of the AWS Board, the WAA Board, Newman club, Aquettes and the Residence Halls for Women. She is in Arts and Science.

The finalists were picked on a basis of activities, appearance, poise, scholarship, leadership and service to the University.

Rychie Van Ornam, Delta Delta Delta, was last year's Activities Queen.

## Ten Committees Plan Union Yule Trappings

The annual Union Decorating Party will be held Dec. 2 from 7 to 9 p.m.

All Union members and workers are urged to attend. Sharon Fangman, Hospitality Committee chairman said. A prize will be awarded for the best decorated room and refreshments will be served after the decorating is completed.

### Ten Committees

The party is being conducted by the Hospitality Committee under the direction of Miss Fangman. Ten

committees have been assigned to various rooms for decorating with two members of the Hospitality Committee assisting each of these committees.

The Main Hall is under the direction of Patsy Schmidt and Jeane Garner working with General Entertainment and Arts and Exhibits.

Nancy Booth and Karen Fagler are working with Special Activities and Music committees in the Ballroom.

Parlors  
Barb Sitorius and Anne Nordquist are helping Talks and Topics with Parlors A, B and C.

The Crib is being decorated by Jackie Poff and CeCe Cole working with the Dance committee.

Sylvia Bathe and Janet Hoepner are assisting the Film committee with the Round-up Room and Judy Ellis and Linda Harm are working with Personnel on Parlors XYZ.

Karen Knaub and Gwen Eric will work with the Recreation committee, and Sharon Moncreif and Sylvia McNally will work with Public Relations in decorating the outside of the Union.

## Anthology Selects Senior's Poem

"Variety" by Ruth Blank, senior in Arts and Science, has been chosen to appear in the Annual Anthology of College Poetry.

The Anthology, compiled by the National Poetry Association, consists of poetry written by American college men and women, representing every section of the country.

Selections for publication in the Anthology were made from thousands of poems submitted.

## 'Candide' Scheduled Sunday

### In Community Concert Series

"Candide," the second performance in the Community Concert series, will be presented Sunday at 8:15 p.m. in Pershing Auditorium.

Admission is by membership only.

**Music and Satire**  
Starring Robert Rounseville, Martyn Green and Ira Petina. "Candide" is a musical work based on a satire. Rounseville and Miss Petina will recreate their original Broadway roles.

The book "Candide" was written by Lillian Hellman. Leonard Bernstein composed the music and Richard Wilbur wrote the lyrics with additions by John Latouche and Dorothy Parker.

In reviewing the musical, Howard Taubman in the New York Times said:

"Though music can be employed satirically, it imposes grave obstacles to the satirist. His touch must be light and his taste impeccable. . . . Prokefiend had the touch. . . . Bernstein has it in "Candide."

Skill Used  
"Mr. Bernstein has met this test handsomely. There are felicitous examples of his skill throughout the score and his orchestrations add spice to the jest.

"There is nothing highbrow about the music, though there is a great deal of art in it. The score of "Candide" speaks directly and thoughtfully. Mr. Bernstein and his colleagues have made another contribution to the expanding potentials of America's musical theater."

### Med Applications

Final date for acceptance of application for the 1959 College of Medicine freshman class is Dec. 1.

According to assistant dean Dr. James Benjamin, an equal or larger number of applicants is expected as compared with last year.

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