

Brooks Budget Policies Draw Speculation

Gov. Ralph Brooks' announcement to the legislature Tuesday has been the cause for criticism and speculation.

The governor told the senators that he would veto bills calling for additional tax expenditures "above and beyond those called for in my budgetary message" of Jan. 23.

Two days later, Sen. Ter

ry Carpenter of Scottsbluff said that it appeared "a little inconsistent" for Gov. Brooks to recommend an additional \$2 million for the University only 48 hours after telling the legislature "I'll veto your increases."

Brooks had recommended in a letter to the Budget Committee that his original budget boost of \$2 million for the school be hiked

another \$2 million.

The letter, dated a week ago Friday, was released the following Wednesday.

Brooks' announcement caused John Lynch, reporter for Nebraska Education News, to speculate on its possible effects on pending school legislation.

Lynch pointed out that the governor urged the sol-

ons not to pass measures that would cause funds to be raised by the "imposition of an additional property tax."

Possible repercussions from this statement could be, Lynch wrote, that the normal schools might have to raise their tuition to meet the difference between

their budget and the governor's recommended budget.

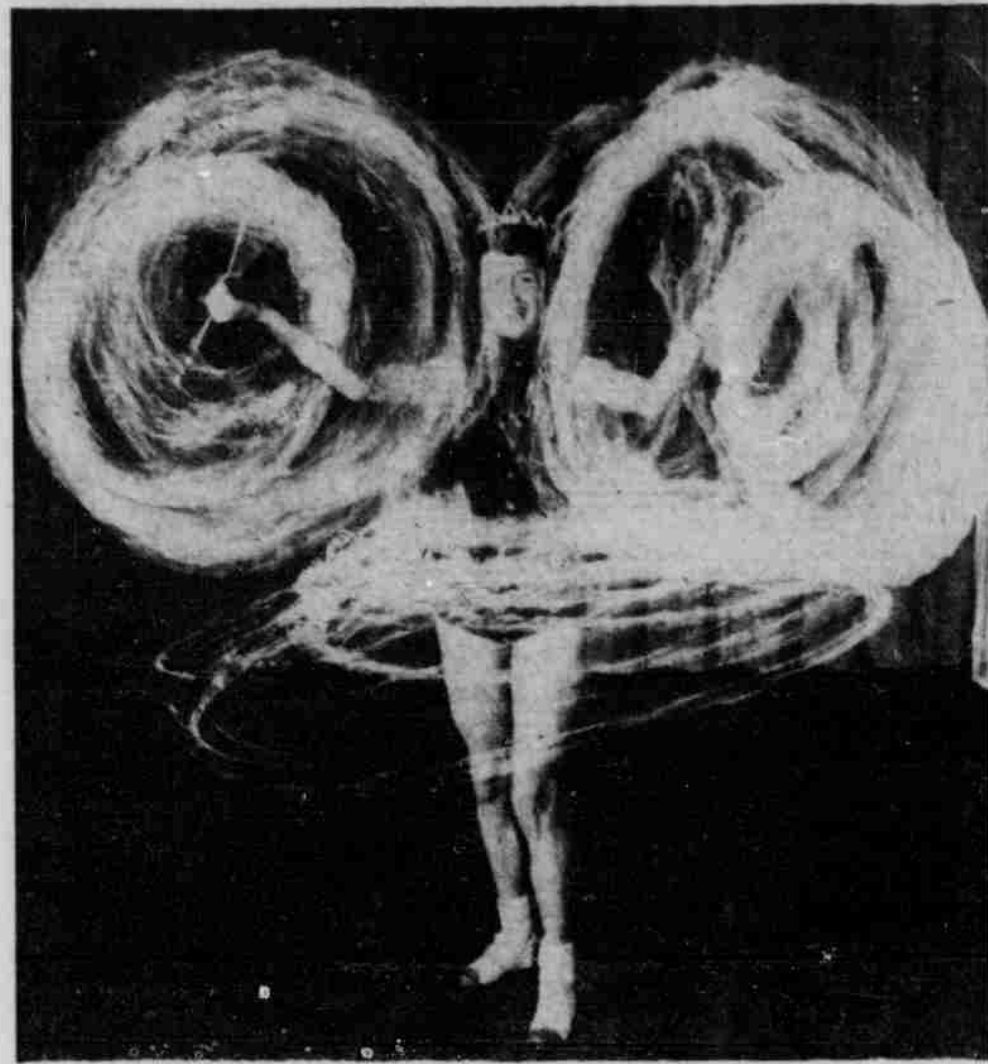
The bills providing for an increase from .75 mills for the state institutional building fund levy and the bill asking for \$30,000 for a study of the mentally gifted children's program might also be affected, Lynch said.

In his legislative message, Brooks said that measures requiring "an additional number of dollars to be levied through the general fund" would not have his approval.

In addition, any new source of revenue must be placed in the general fund rather than be earmarked

for a special purpose.

This would mean that the pari-mutuel tax, had it retained its original provision allotting 75 per cent to schools, would probably have been vetoed, according to Lynch. The bill has been amended to provide that the revenue be placed in the general fund.



HULA HOOPS AND BATONS provide the base for a fiery display by University coed Dixie Teebken, as she practices for an appearance on the national television

production "You Asked For It." Miss Teebken was selected for the show by letters from residents of Nebraska and other states.

-Hoops and Batons-

Flaming Act Nets Coed TV Chance; Miss Teebken on 'You Asked For It'

A flaming coed, whose act features fiery batons and a hula hoop, will leave for Los Angeles and the "You Asked For It!" TV show next Sunday.

Dixie Teebken, University freshman, disclosed that she

had been contacted by show officials to present her act for a nationwide audience.

Date Not Known

"We practice Monday and then it's filmed Tuesday," she said, "but I don't know the date it will be televised yet."

Miss Teebken juggles a flaming baton in each hand and one in her mouth while keeping an aluminum hula hoop, also on fire, whirling around her waist.

"I used to wear my hair long," Miss Teebken said, patting her now cropped hair, "but it got singed so much I had to cut it."

She added that she had never been seriously burned.

Letters Ask

Explaining that people write in and request acts for the program, Miss Teebken said that she had been told letters came from Seattle, Wash. and Los Angeles, Calif. as well as Nebraska communities asking for her.

"I'd like to go into this professionally, but you need a lot of breaks," she said.

Her hula hoop, designed by her blacksmith father, consists of eight short bars extending from the hoop. The bars are wrapped with gasoline-soaked rags and lighted.

Open House Cancelled; No Interest

The Student Council sponsored All University Open House has been cancelled because of lack of interest among high school principals.

Jack Nielsen, co-chairman of the event, told the Student Council Wednesday that the Open House committee had received "complete cooperation" from the University administration.

According to Nielsen, the University helped the committee send letters explaining the planned open house to all high school principals in the state.

The open house was originally scheduled for April 13 but was later changed to April 23 to coincide with E-week open house and Science in Agriculture Day.

Only four high school principals answered the letter, Nielsen said, and most of these were mainly interested in E-week.

The Council passed a motion to drop the Open House this year but to continue plans for an Open House in 1960.

Reading Postponed

The Poetry program scheduled for Tuesday has been postponed to May 12. Featured on the program for this date will be Karl Shapiro, professor of English.

"I started twirling with flaming batons when I was 15," Miss Teebken said, adding that she had twirled regularly for six years. "We just added the hoop about a month ago."

Her previous appearances include the All University Talent Show, KOLN-TV and fairs and rodeos.

Convocation Requires Behind-Scenes Work

Three weeks to prepare for three hours. This is how long it took three full-time workers at the Administration office to prepare data for the 31st annual Honors Day Convocation, to be held April 21.

Mrs. Irma Lasse, assistant registrar, commenting on the preparations, said that most of the time was consumed with checking the eligibility for superior students, determining which organizations shall be honored, and verifying

Rush Week Frills Seen By Legacies

The latest in female frills for wear during sorority rush week were "oh'd" and "ah'd" by about 330 high school and college women at the Legacy Weekend style show at University High Saturday.

The clothes, which included outfits for coffee hours, open houses, afternoon and evening parties, were owned and modeled by members of the sororities on campus.

Refreshments and conversation in the activities area of the high school followed the show.

Beverly Heyne was chairman for the show. Marti Hansen narrated and Phil Bonner provided piano background for the models.

Previous to and following the show, the individual sororities entertained their own guests.

Models for the style show were: Donnie Keys, Gamma Phi Beta; Jan Peterson, Pi Beta Phi; Judy Humann, Tri Delta; Judy Adams, Kappa Alpha Theta; Pat Betts, Alpha Chi Omega; Breanna Johnson, Alpha Xi Delta; Jean Garner, Delta Gamma; Mary Patrick, Alpha Phi; Marty Mount, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Kay Strauss, Chi Omega; Kathy Fisk, Alpha Omicron Pi; Judy Freed, Sigma Delta Tau; Marcia McCallum, Zeta Tau Alpha; Sandra Humphrey, Sigma Kappa.

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Cadets To March Ivy Day, Conflicts Will Be Few

By Marilyn Coffey

Centennials come but once a century — and when they coincide with the University's Ivy Day, some conflict and some misunderstanding seems inevitable.

The University ROTC department will be participating in the Centennial Parade

during the noon hour of Ivy Day.

What's Missed

Those cadets who will be part of the fraternity sings will not be able to participate in the parade; the cadets who will be warming their feet on Lincoln's pavement will miss part of the

Ivy Day ceremonies.

The only visible reactions to this is a sudden surge of cadet volunteers to sing with their house; a few grumbles and many questions as to why and how this whole thing came about.

A. James Ebel, president of the Centennial committee, explained the city committee's choice of dates:

Salute to Ivy

"We chose the opening to be on Ivy Day because we felt it would be a salute to Ivy Day. We hoped by combining the events, we could bring more people to Lincoln to participate in both."

The Centennial Committee, he explained, checked the Ivy Day schedule and discovered a lull in activities during the noon hour. They planned the parade at this time to keep conflict at a minimum, he said.

The schedule for Ivy Day,

shortly before and after the noon hour, was explained by Nan Carlson, vice president of Mortar Board. From 10:20 a.m. to 11:45, the Men's Sing; from 11:45 to 1 p.m. the court will be recessed; at 1:05 p.m. the Sorority begins and at 2 p.m. the awards will be given.

March at Noon

The ROTC cadets participating in the parade will be marching during the noon hour, according to Colonel Vernon Rawie, professor of military science and tactics.

The cadets will be marching behind the distinguished guests, at the head of the parade. The parade begins at 12 noon from 20th and O Sts.

The students participating in the parade will probably be tied up from about 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. estimated Commander J. P. Edwards, associate professor of naval science.

-Wesley Student Center- Foundation to Bid For 16 and R Lot

The lot at 16th and R sts. will probably be "perfectly acceptable" for the location of the new Wesley Student Center, according to Frank Hallgren, chairman of the Wesley Foundation Board of Trustees.

Hallgren said that he was "sure the building committee would negotiate for purchase of the lot".

Four buildings are situated on the lot, including Rosa Bouton Hall, Home Management House, Wilson Hall and a cooperative house for special education in Teachers College. The buildings will go with purchase of the lot, according to John Stewart, treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

"We won't be able to use the buildings for our purpose," he said. "They'll have to be either moved or torn down."

He added that the University wouldn't release the buildings immediately, but would first find places for the activities located there.

Carl Donaldson, business manager of the University, said some of the activities might go into the new Union.

Building on the project will not start before the summer of 1960, Steward said. Wesley House will either remain in its present location or move into one of the houses at 16th and R until that time.

Math Colloquium

Hubert Schneider, assistant professor of mathematics, will speak at a mathematics colloquium, 3 p.m. Tuesday, in Room 209, Burnett Hall.

His subject will be "On Congruence Relations in Certain Algebraic Systems."

Spring Day Chairmen Meet

Spring Day House chairmen will meet today in room 315 Union at 4 p.m. to discuss participation rules for Spring Day competition.

Each organized house which intends to participate in the Spring Day competition must have a representative at this meeting according to Bob Paine, competition chairman.

Brooks Okays Retirement Bill

The bill empowering the Board of Regents to establish a new retirement system for University employees was signed by Gov. Ralph Brooks last week.

The measure provides for contributions by employees and the University. Under the present system the employee does not contribute, but the University contributes eight per cent of the employee's annual salary.

* * * * * Memo Tells ROTC Dept's 'Work out' Ivy Conflicts

After the University decided to participate in the Centennial parade, a memorandum went from the Administration to the heads of the Navy, Air Force and Army ROTC departments, notifying them of the plans.

The University will try to do all it can to participate in the Centennial, read the memorandum, A. C. Breckenridge, dean of faculties, said.

"As Best They Can"

In case of conflict, the students and the military should try to work them out as best as they can, it continued.

"We realized that you can't be two places at once," Dean Breckenridge commented. "We wanted to continue with University activities and at the same time, without crippling University plans, help with the Centennial at Lincoln."

Army ROTC cadets are being asked to participate in the parade on a volunteer

basis, according to Colonel Vernon Rawie.

"This was about as fair a policy as we could establish," he commented. "If a student can't participate, I won't be a Simon Legree about it."

He estimated that about 500 of the Army's 900 cadets would be marching. About 200 have volunteered to date, he said.

Commander J. P. W. Edwards said that those in Ivy Day will be excused from marching with the Navy cadets. The Navy ROTC will provide approximately a battalion (150 people), of which 20-25 will be the drill squad.

Navy cadets were told that they would march unless they were participating in Ivy Day in official capacity, a navy cadet told the Nebraskan.

"Each case is to be decided on an individual basis," he said.

AF Voluntary

The Air Force are asking their students to participate in the parade on a voluntary basis, Colonel Willard Atwell, professor of air science, said.

At this time, the colonel estimated that about one half of the air force's 850 cadets would be participating in the parade, the other half in Ivy Day.

Chuck Humphrey, Air Force cadet, said they were told: "Don't sweat it. If you have a good excuse, you'll get out of the parade."

Counselors' Big Sister Filings Open

Filings for Coed Counselor big sister positions will open tomorrow.

Coed Counselors is the women's organization which sponsors the big sister program established to welcome and to orient all new incoming women students to the University.

Any woman student with a 5 average or above may apply. Applications will be in Rosa Bouton Hall and are due by 5 p.m. April 21.

The Counselors made several changes in their program this year, including the dropping of Penny Carnival and the shortening of their spring and fall program.

Each big sister is assigned several new women students to contact over the summer and in the fall. Coed counselors also work during New Student Week.

NU Faculty Art Show Is Opened

The annual exhibition of works by University art faculty opened yesterday at the University Art Galleries.

In conjunction with the show is a special one-man showing of works by Miss Jeanne Richards, newest faculty member in the art department.

Miss Richards, who joined the faculty in 1957 as instructor of graphic arts is displaying 30 works, including prints, watercolors and oil paintings.

She studied at the State University of Iowa from 1952-54 where she earned her Master of Fine Arts degree. The following year she studied in Paris under a Fulbright grant.

Miss Richards' prints are in the permanent collections of the Mellon Gallery of Art and Corcoran Gallery of Art, both in Washington, D.C., in the Society of American Graphic Artists, Inc. and others.

She has displayed her works in more than 35 national juried print competitions, a one-man show at Washington, D.C. and in Paris.

Other faculty members whose works are being displayed include: Peter Worth, Gail Butts, Richard Trickey, Thomas Sheffield, David Seyfer and Thomas Schmidt.

The show will continue through May 10.

Pi Lambda Theta Picks Linda Walt

Linda Walt is the new president of Pi Lambda Theta, teachers honorary.

Other officers are Dorothy Hall, vice president; Marcia Boden, secretary; and Pat Arnold, corresponding secretary.

State YR's Pick Smithberger

Wynn Smithberger, University junior and member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, was elected corresponding secretary of the Nebraska Young Republican Federation at that group's recent convention in Ogallala.

She is vice president of the campus YR's.



LEGACIES MEET ACTIVES over legacy weekend. Active Sue Carloski, center, chats with two legacies before the traditional style show. Left is Madalyn Miroff, and at right is Becky Boyer.