

Is Ring Replacing Diploma As Goal of Many Coeds?

Dean Snyder Comments on Trend

College coed catches college man—no college diploma.

It appears this is fast becoming a standard American joke.

Robert Jameson, whose article in the Saturday Evening Post was reviewed recently in the Daily Nebraskan, noted only one in three college freshmen will graduate.

Diploma For Ring
Chances are many of these were the coeds exchanging a diploma for a ring to match the ones they acquired somewhere between studies and vacations.

Dean of Women Helen Snyder agreed this is one of the "biggest dropout factors among college women today."

"There are so many more early marriages, and the idea seems to be to let the boy finish," she said.

"What the woman with only

a fraction of a degree forgets is," said Miss Snyder, the "real problem she is creating for herself."

"An educational disparity can cause a lot of trouble socially and job-wise in a marriage. Some employers even interview wives of applicants," she said.

She also noted that many women who marry young and have their families young will want to work after their children are grown. And the number of widows who must support families also is increasing nationally.

Miss Snyder has collected figures to prove her point.

24 Million
In 1890, only 4 million women worked, but now approximately 24 million women combine domestic and professional duties. Fraction-wise, one-sixth of all women worked when grandma was young and two-fifths are working now.

Even more startling is that in 1890, half of the women never worked at all and now nine out of 10 will work at some time or another, said Dean Snyder.

And the coed who may be aside should note that national figures show today's

women work an average of 25 years. In 1890, the working woman worked only 11 years.

What does all this mean to the Nebraska dolly-freshmen sophomore, junior—with the new Christmas diamond?

Preparation Needed

Miss Snyder says, "It shows if she is planning to get married and not work right afterward she still should prepare for a profession."

The dean of women also noted reports from various graduate schools that the number of female students is dwindling.

Yet national figures show 40 per cent of all professional workers today are women. So, the opportunity is there.

For example, in 1890 four-fifths of all professional women were teachers. Now only two-fifths are.

'Need Show'

"It just goes to prove women are branching out, and need more education," the dean said.

Miss Snyder did note that during the first semester last year, 12 women living in the Women's Residence Halls dropped out. A total of 495 lived there.

She noted that only two dropped at the end of the first semester for marriage. Twelve of the other 25 went to different schools. Other reasons were health, work and financial. One dropped without reason, she said.

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"Most of the girls were freshmen and sophomores," dean Snyder noted. No records were kept second semester.

In addition to marriage ideas, Dean Snyder listed other reasons she thinks students drop out.

—She agreed with Jameson that many students may not have been "excited to learn" in high school. "This is essential to good scholarship," the dean added.

—College educations come too easy to many students, Miss Snyder thought. Diplomas were more seriously sought in less prosperous times. "Many parents who didn't get a chance to go to college are handing the opportunity to their children on a silver platter," she said.

—There are actually more jobs than there used to be for good money for people who aren't college graduates.

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Corn Cobs Sponsor Mathis Appearance at Pershing

Johnny Mathis, known as "The Nation's Singing Sensation," will be the first big name entertainer of the second semester when he appears at Pershing Auditorium Feb. 10.

His Nebraska appearance will be one of 10 in the nation on Mathis' special college tour. His appearance will be the only one within 500 miles of the University.

Cobs To Sponsor

The Columbia Recording star will be sponsored by the Corn Cobs. Tickets, which will be sold to students only on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, will be available from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Student Union.

Corn Cobs suggested that

houses send a representative with money and order to avoid long lines. After Friday tickets for the public will be available at the city auditorium.

All seats will be reserved. Prices are \$2.95, \$2.25 and \$1.50.

Mathis, who has gained momentum slowly but surely, has to his credit 10 best-selling albums, an appearance in the motion picture "A Certain Smile," has sung title songs for "Wild is the Wind" and "Lizzie," and has appeared frequently on television.

The 24-year-old versatile entertainer has no age limit in audiences as his style appeals to teen-agers as well as the sophisticates.

Two records, "Chances Are" and "It's Not For Me To Say," have totaled more than a million each.

He was still a San Francisco collegian and well known athlete when he was brought to the attention of Columbia Records executives after being discovered by a co-owner of San Francisco's Black Hawks.

High Jumper

One of the best athletes to emerge from San Francisco school systems, Mathis set a 6'5½" high school high-jump record that is still unbeaten locally.

The potential Olympics contestant abandoned his plans for additional medals and being an educational instructor when he signed for Columbia.

In 1957 a Billboard poll named him as "Number One Most Promising Male Vocalist of 1957." Later San Francisco honored him as "Outstanding Citizen of the Year"

Worksheets Are Due This Week

Worksheets are due at 208 Administration beginning today.

Each class is to turn in their worksheets on a designated day. Seniors, who will receive priority, should turn their worksheets in today.

Junior worksheets are due Wednesday; sophomore worksheets are due Thursday; and freshman worksheets, which are turned in by their advisors, will be due Friday.

Students who fail to turn in their worksheets on the assigned day will be assessed a late fee of \$3.

Card Pulling

Cards will be pulled the same day the worksheet is turned in.

Students may pick up their cards at the men's physical education building on specified days according to how their name falls in the alphabet.

Starting Jan. 22 students whose last names begin with letters from A-G may pick up their cards; Jan. 25, H-M; and Jan. 26, N-Z.

Schedule Change

If a student wishes to change his schedule he must wait until Jan. 29 through Feb. 1 to do so. At this time he may exchange class cards at the men's p.e. building if the change requires only a switch in the order of his class schedule.

To change courses a drop and add slip is required. Registration for students who are not pre-registered will be Feb. 2 through Feb. 13 at 208 Administration.

Med School Plans Clinic On Alcohol

Clergy Will Study Drinking Problem

A two-day institute for the clergy, centered on "Alcoholism," will be held at the University College of Medicine's Conkling Hall January 7 and 8.

William Ferguson of New York City, field representative for the National Council on Alcoholism, will be the featured speaker. His topic will be "Alcoholism in the U.S.A."

The health secretary of the Omaha United Community Services, the chairman of the Medical College's department of internal medicine and a resident at the Nebraska Psychiatric Institute will also speak on the subject of "Alcoholism." Panel discussion will follow each topic.

The program will draw pastors from parishes throughout the state and is designed to acquaint the minister with the problem of alcoholism. "It will disclose that it is more a moral problem. It is a disease with physical, social, emotional and financial ramifications," according to Rev. Mr. Moyer.

"We hope," he added, "to give the pastors resources for helping alcoholics who want to be helped, and we will try to tie in alcoholism to the whole concept of pastoral care to the individual."

The course, open to clergy from all denominations, is sponsored by the College of Medicine in cooperation with the Nebraska Lutheran Social Service, the Omaha Council of Churches and the Archdiocese of Omaha.

Rag Contest Candidates Submitted

Seventeen coeds have been selected as candidates for the Daily Nebraskan-sponsored "Best Dressed Girl on Campus" contest.

The girl winning the title will be entered in the national contest sponsored by Glamour magazine. The 10 winners of the national contest will be flown to New York in June for 10 days of parties, fashion shows, tours and dinners.

Interviews for the University candidates will be held after Christmas vacation. Candidates will be notified as to place and time of their interview.

The coeds and their affiliations are Jeannie Spahnake, Alpha Chi Omega; Jackie Shaffer, Alpha Omicron Pi; Sueleal Thompson, Alpha Phi; Mary Anne Weber, Alpha Xi Delta; Kay Strauss, Chi Omega; Janet Hoepfner, Delta Delta Delta; Jeanie Garner, Delta Gamma; Penny Praulle, Gamma Phi Beta.

Janice Hellweg, Kappa Alpha Theta; Ruth Huston, Kappa Delta; Kay Swoboda, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Claire Vrba, Love Hall; Bunny Aikens, Pi Beta Phi; Rhoda Skiff, Residence Halls for Women; Kaymarie Swarts, Sigma Kappa; Patricia O'Dell, Towne Club; and Karen Knaub, Zeta Tau Alpha.

Bob Kennedy Comes Here Saturday

Robert Kennedy, former chief counsel for the Senate committee probing labor-management racketeering and brother of Sen. John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts, will address the University Saturday.

The convocation, open to the public, will be held, at 10:30 a.m. in the ballroom of the student union.

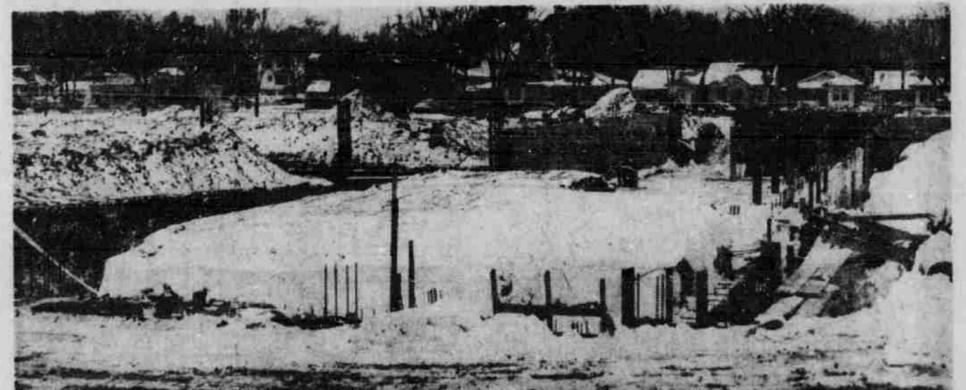
According to Don Geis, president of University Young Democrats, sponsors of the investigator's appearance on campus, Kennedy's speech topic will be: "The Role of Congressional Investigating Committees."

The convocation address will be followed by a luncheon address at a general meeting of the "Nebraskans for Kennedy," a state-wide organization formed to promote his brother's candidacy in Nebraska.

Saturday evening he will meet with district heads and county leaders of the Nebraskans for Kennedy group. Robert Kennedy, 32, is married and has seven children. He has devoted the past few months to writing a book based on his experiences with the McClellan Committee.



Kennedy



NU CENTER—Foundation for the Kellogg Center now is being poured at its Ag College site. Completion of the Center, which will be used in development of educational programs, is expected in about a year. Ground was broken in July for the construction.

Philosophy of Kellogg Center Given

Construction continues on the W. K. Kellogg Center for Continuing Education located on Ag Campus.

Completion date for the \$2.6 million center, for which ground was broken last July, is about a year from now.

The Kellogg Foundation recently published a brochure presenting the philosophy and aims of its center on continuing education being built on key U.S. campuses.

The brochure includes a report of the center under construction at Ag Campus.

"It will serve the state of Nebraska in an intensive manner and to some extent will serve the regional needs of all 10 states of the Missouri River basin," the brochure states.

Engineers Meet

The meeting and election of officers of AIEE-IRE will be held Wednesday at 7 p.m. in Ferguson 217.

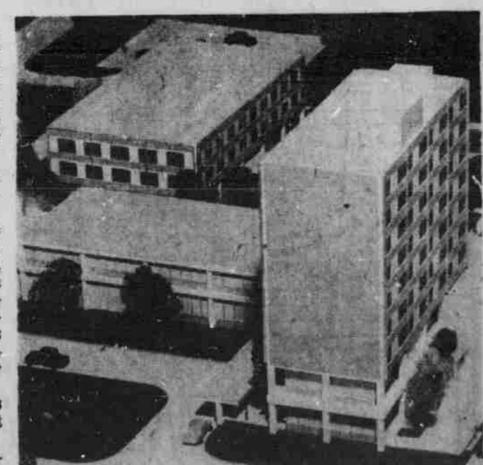
It goes on to say, "Educational programs encourage and help adults and young people to develop their individual leadership abilities and to enforce their training to meet the demands of changing times."

"It is to this prime aim that the new center is dedicated."

Nebraska's center's unique feature, the brochure states, is the "Hall of Nebraska Youth—in recognition by a state university of its obligation to the 49 per cent of today's high school graduates who would not otherwise enter an institution of higher learning."

The "Hall" also recognizes school students who drop out of school before graduation.

These youths will be encouraged to attend two to four week sessions, learning vocational, recreational, family and civic responsibilities.



YEAR FROM NOW?—Above is a model of the proposed Kellogg Center, expected to be finished in about a year. Total cost of the structure will be \$2.6 million.

NU Students Attend Ecumenical Meeting

Forty-four University students returned Sunday from Ohio University where 3,600 students from 300 American campuses and 100 other countries met for a week at an Ecumenical Conference on the Christian world mission.

The group represented the religious houses and YWCA's on campus.

Nine Frontiers

Nine strategic frontiers for study forums were led by experts in each field. The study forums and an explanation of them included:

1. **Technological Upheaval**—Due to the fantastic development and extension of the machine and consequent growth of cities and vast organizations where men are treated less than human the Gospel needs to be spoken in new ways.

2. **Racial Tensions**—Dr. Martin Luther King, recognized authority on racial tensions and author of books on Southern conditions, told the group that segregation in any form is a moral evil which no Christian can accept.

Great Role

He also said that colored people have a great role to play in that they must work for first class citizenship but not use second class action to get it.

3. **Militant Non-Christian Faiths**—Many millions of people find that the meaning and destiny of life in ancient and modern faiths today show fresh vigor.

Emphasis was made that scandalous attitudes and actions should not be allowed against those apart from the Gospel.

4. **New Nationalisms**—People today forcefully thrust their way to a new national identity and integrity. The question raised was, "Will the Christian witness be heard by people within this explosive situation?"

5. **Modern Secularism**—Secularism of this age is seen in the organization of life around values which reject the reality of God. God's word to materialistic culture is often stifled by the secularism in the church itself.

6. **Responsibility for Statesmanship**—In a world where communities stand in precarious antagonism, students wonder "Can a Christian witness be made through constructive statesmanship?"

7. **The University World**—The world's universities are a crucial battleground for the loyalties of this generation, and a training ground for the world's leader. "Can the word of God come alive for the world's student?" was the topic of discussion.

8. **Displaced, Rejected, Uprooted Peoples**—Large numbers of these which exist in every country are a direct challenge to the world and the Church: The question, discussed by those who come from the areas and others completely unaware of the situation, was, "What can be done?"

9. **Communism**—This sub-

ject which has influenced more people in less time than any other movement in world history needs to be understood, as well as its total purpose and how it can be dealt with constructively.

Foreign Problems

Firesides in the evenings brought representatives from different countries together to discuss problems which ranged from labor and politics to science and the church.

"We were made aware of problems in many parts of the world ranging from independence for Nigeria to fraternity rushing," according to Don Epp who attended the conference.

"We discovered a real need for Christian action on the University campus," he continued.

Study groups for those attending were held for seven weeks previous to the conference follow up groups covering the above frontiers and other subjects will be open to all students during the following weeks.

Final Exam Schedule Has Just One Change

The final exam schedule for this semester has been confirmed by Administration with only one change.

All sections of Business Organization 3 and 4 will have their final exams Tuesday, Jan. 19, from 2-5 p.m.

Students who have conflicting exams should be sure to notify their teachers before exam week begins.

The exam schedule is correct as follows:

Saturday, January 16	
2-5 p.m.	All sections of English A
Monday, Jan. 18	
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 11 a.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF or any one or two of these days.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 11 a.m. TTH or either one of these two days.
	All sections of Speech 9, 10.
7-10 p.m.	All sections of Education 61, 62.
Tuesday, Jan. 19	
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 1 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF or any one of these days.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 1 p.m. TTH or either one of these two days.
	All sections of Bus. Org. 3 and 4.
Wednesday, Jan. 20	
9-12 p.m.	Classes meeting at 2 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF or any one or two of these days.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 2 p.m. TTH or either of these two days.
	All sections of Economics 15.
	All sections of French 11, 13.
	All sections of Spanish 51, 53.
	All sections of Home Economics 41, 42.
Thursday, Jan. 21	
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 3 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF or any one or two of these days.
	Classes meeting at 5 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF or any one or two of these days.
	All sections of Economics 11, 12.
	All sections of Education 30, 31.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 3 p.m. TTH or either of these two days.
	Classes meeting at 5 p.m. TTH or either of these two days.
1-3 p.m.	All sections of Math 11, 16, 17, 42.
1-4 p.m.	All sections of Math 1, 14, 18, 115, 116.
Friday, Jan. 22	
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 4 p.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF or any one or two of these days.
	All sections of English B, 1.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 4 p.m. TTH or either one of these two days.
	All sections of English 2, 3, 4.
Saturday, Jan. 23	
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 8 a.m. 5 or 4 days, or MWF or any one or two of these days.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 8 a.m. TTH or either of these two days.
	All sections of Bus. Org. 21.
Monday, Jan. 25	
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 9 a.m. 5 or 4 days, MWF or any one or two of these days.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 9 a.m. TTH or either one of these two days.
Tuesday, Jan. 26	
9-12 a.m.	Classes meeting at 10 a.m. 5 or 4 days or MWF or any one or two of these days.
2-5 p.m.	Classes meeting at 10 a.m. TTH or either one of these two days.

NU Wildlife Club Meets Wednesday

The University Wildlife Club will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in Room 202 of the Poultry Husbandry Building.

Dr. Pinche of the Game Commission Staff will show field movies.