

# Director Advances Museum

By Jan Sack

Years before he ever thought of becoming the Director of the Nebraska State Museum at the University, Dr. C. Bertrand Schultz had a museum all his own in the upstairs of his parents' house. "I nearly moved them out with all the displays I had," Dr. Schultz said.

The modest man who was "so surprised because I didn't think I had a chance when I read all the other names" deserves the Daily Nebraskan faculty award of "Outstanding Nebraskan."

A native of Red Cloud, Dr. Schultz received his education at the University. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1931, his Master of Science in 1933 and his Doctorate degree in geology and zoology in 1941.

The Outstanding Nebraskan has been with Morrill Hall since 1927 when he started working for Dr. Henry Barbour, the director. Dr. Schultz became director in 1941 when Dr. Barbour retired after 50 years of service.

### Continuation

Instead of starting an entirely new plan for furthering the Museum, Dr. Schultz has continued with Dr. Barbour's ideas. "It's been nice that we have continued with his ideas because they were good," said Dr. Schultz. "We have expanded and developed his plans."

Some of Dr. Schultz's achievements include—elephant hall; outstanding fossil collections dating back millions of years; the Ralph Mueller Planetarium; Ceres, the \$15,000 plastic lady; the Nebraska Hall of Wildlife; an exhibit of space flight; and the opening of the Trailside Museum at Ft. Robinson on July 3.

Dr. Schultz also belongs to many national, international and state science and museum organizations. Recently

he received word that he has been selected as a U.S. delegate to the Sixth Congress of the International Association for Quaternary Research to be held in Warsaw, Poland, September 2-7.

Especially interested in vertebrate paleontology Dr. Schultz has published over 100 papers of "various sizes and shapes." At present he is working on a manuscript with Charles Falkenbach of the Frick Laboratory of the American Museum of Natural History located in New York City.

### Renown

Colleagues and students alike commend Dr. Schultz's world renown position in paleontology and especially his dedication to the University and to Nebraska.

Norman, Geske, Director of the University Art Galleries, said, "Dr. Schultz is widely known and respected for his personal contributions to scholarship. Dr. Schultz has made the museum not only a source of general knowledge to the public, but a source of specific knowledge to the student and specialist."

John Nolan, secretary of the Interfraternity Council, (IFC) has found Dr. Schultz's council and direction most valuable.

"Serving as a liaison between the IFC and the Senate Subcommittee and the Interfraternity Board of Control Dr. Schultz guided our group in serving the greatest interest of the University," Nolan said.

### Extracurricular

Extracurricular activities are not really extracurricular to Dr. Schultz; they are an integral part of his way of living. On campus he is the Interfraternity Council adviser, on the Interfraternity Alumni Council, on the Interfraternity Board of Control, a past member of the Publications Board, a member of the

Student Affairs Committee, and on the subcommittee of social activities.

Last year Dr. Schultz was tackled as an honorary member of the Innocent Society.

As IFC adviser for the last 10 years Dr. Schultz has observed this about young people: "You can't preach to them. You have to reason and make suggestions and let them draw their own conclusions."

"I have faith in the University students, but they do need guidance. Like everything else students have their ups and downs."

### Improvements

Dr. Schultz said that in general he has seen many improvements in the fraternity system since he was a member of Theta Xi in his college days.

"They (fraternities) are trying harder now than in many years to build a better system. The boys realize that they do have problems. The key to getting things done is working with others."

A man who believes it is very important to take an active part in community affairs, Dr. Schultz is a member of the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis, a member of the Lincoln Community Council and chairman of the Juvenile Committee of the Lincoln Community Council. He is also on the Board of Governors of the Willa Cather Pioneer Memorial Association.

The Outstanding Nebraskan gives much credit to his wife for his success. "During our first 12 years of marriage she spent three or four months of every year living in a tent with me on the field trip expeditions. I never would have done all the things that I have if she hadn't given me so much encouragement," he said.

### 'Great Evening'

"It's always a great event."

ning when he's at home," said his wife, Marian, "but, we're willing to share him."

His wife said the whole family including their daughters, Tranda and Donna, are interested in the outdoors and spend their time outside on their country home, "Hilltop," which includes seven acres of woods.

Dr. Schultz is a family man and on occasion likes to take over the grill and do some cooking. The family also takes an especially active interest in trees.

"We have over 100 varieties some of which are native to Nebraska and others which have been brought in from all parts of the country," said Mrs. Schultz.

According to his wife, Dr. Schultz's favorite is the Ginkgo or Dinosaur tree from Kentucky.

An honor of another sort has also been given to Dr. Schultz. His wife and daughters are active in Girl Scout work and he has been made an honorary Girl Scout.

Sally Osborn, his secretary of one year, said about her boss, "Dr. Schultz is a very fine person and has a wonderful disposition. He is very fair in everything he does. . . . he goes out of his way to help everyone."

### Macy's Honors

#### Uni High Band

Macy's of New York has issued an invitation to the University High School band to apply for participation in its 35th annual Thanksgiving Day Parade next fall.

The company wrote Orlan Thomas, director of the Band, that it was urging the band to apply on the basis of "being one of the outstanding bands in the country."

Only 10 bands are accepted each year to participate in the nationally televised spectacle.

Dr. Norman Thorpe, principal of University High School, said as yet no decisions had been made on sending the band but he doubted very much if approval would be given. He said the trip would be very educational, but he felt the cost would be prohibitive.

However, he said, this is both a fine honor for the band and recognition of the work that has been done by Director Thomas.

### Ag Frosh Take

#### Judging Honors

Top honors in the Block and Bridle Club's meat judging contest were taken by two College of Agriculture freshmen.

Keith Carlson was high man with 524 points out of a possible 550 followed by Rodney Vetter with 502 points. Results of the contest were announced Thursday night at a Block and Bridle Club meeting. Thirty-eight students participated.

Top honors in pork judging went to Jerald Loseke, a junior, followed by Vetter and Myron Schoch, a senior.

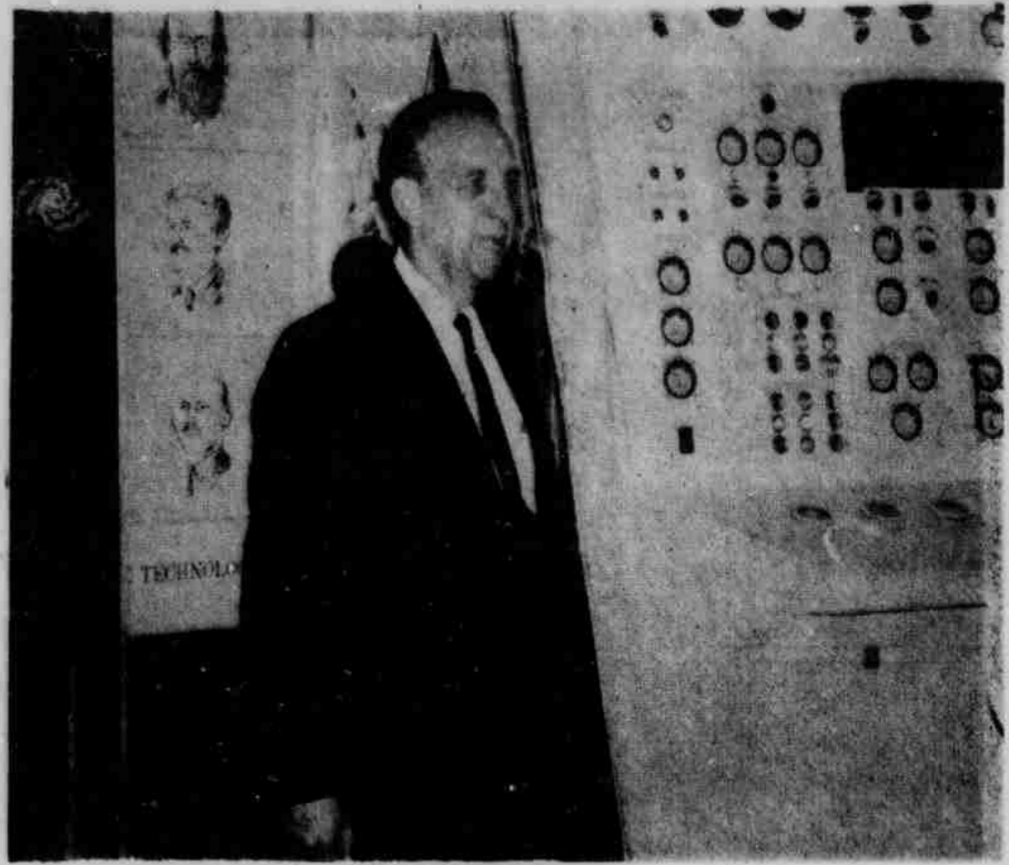
Carlson was high man in the beef judging followed by Larry Hammer and Don Miergard, both sophomores. In lamb judging, Doug Gustafson, a senior, took top point honors, followed by Loseke and Dave Zimmer, a freshman.

### High School Student

#### Gives Piano Recital

Elizabeth Burton, a Southeast High School student and piano pupil at the University, will present a piano recital today at 7:30 p.m. in Social Science auditorium.

The program will include: Sonate Pathetique, Gardens in the Rain, Toccata and other selections by Bach and Chopin.



DIRECTOR . . .

Dr. Schultz examines Morrill Hall's newest display, an explanation and exhibit of the space and astronaut age.

# Union Officials Propose Campus 'Dell' Repair

By Jim Forrest

"Subject to the approval of the type and extent, it is definite that considerable restoration of the Dell's facilities will be completed this summer."

This was the announcement made Thursday by Allen Bennett, Student Union Manager, concerning the food service area of the Ag Student Union.

Although no definite amount of money has been set aside to accomplish the restoration and remodeling, Bennett said that \$10-\$18,000 has been established as a beginning estimate of the approximate cost. This figure has not been submitted to actual cost estimates, he said.

"The question now is not whether to do the work, but how much will be spent and to what extent the remodeling will take," said Bennett. "The Union Board of Managers will meet June 1 with representatives of the Ag department staff and Ag Union staff to find an agreeable and economical method."

### Food Service

The type of food service

carried on in the Ag Union will also be under consideration. According to Bennett, the Board is wondering whether the Ag Union should continue serving hot, complete meals during the noon hour.

"The serving of such meals is in direct competition with the Ag Cafeteria across the street," he said. "We are considering rather this part of the Ag Union's food service should be done away with."

The Union Manager said that the major concern of the Board is to serve the campus clientele and what we do and how properly we serve the campus is the question.

"There is just so much money on Ag campus," said Bennett, "and the duplication of this phase of food service may not be economical. This is what must be determined before we can plan what new facilities must be added and which at the present ones should be removed or not included in the remodeling."

### Remodeling Aim

He said that the aim of the remodeling is to provide the Ag campus with faster food service, modern facilities and sanitary conditions.

He also said that in addition to the physical changes there will also be some menu

changes and some price changes, but that it is not anticipated that either change will be great. He did not state specifically what changes will be made.

The expected expenditure for the expansion and remodeling of the Dell's facilities was called an "expenditure of deferred maintenance" by the Union manager. This means, he said, that we are now doing what hasn't been done in the last 5-6 years because of the always present hope of obtaining a completely new building.

"There is still hope for a new building for the Union on Ag campus, but we must make necessary repairs and expansions until it becomes definite," he said.

Bennett said that there are no plans to extend the remodeling beyond the Dell at this time. "Perhaps next year," he stated.

In explaining the economic reasons for expanding the Dell's facilities, Bennett reported that the Ag Union's gross income is up 30-percent over last year.

"However," he said, "this does not represent a great volume of dollars and cents since the annual income from the Dell is equal to slightly less than the average monthly income from the total food service of the Crib."



ADVISER . . .

In his capacity as an Interfraternity Council (IFC) Board of Control member, Dr. Schultz discusses the organization with John Nolan, IFC secretary.



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