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Enrollment Increase Creates Problems

Professors Recipients Of Awards

Three University professors—authorities in the fields of education, history and English—were selected yesterday as holders of Regents professorships.

The honor carries with it a yearly stipend of \$3,750 in addition to the recipients' regular salaries.

The recipients are: —Dr. Royce Knapp, professor of history and principles of education, appointment Professor of education

—Dr. James C. Olson, professor and chairman of history, selected as Martin Professor of History.

—Karl Shapiro, professor of English, named Charles J. Mach Professor of English.

Both the history and education professorships have been newly established, but the English professorship was vacated this summer when Prof. James E. Miller, Jr., resigned to join the University of Chicago faculty.

Anonymous Donor Chancellor Clifford Hardin told the Board that the Regents professorship of education is being supported by an anonymous donor. The Mach professorship is financed by the estate of a Grant County rancher. The Martin chair is supported by a yearly grant from Mr. and Mrs. Bennett S. Martin of Lincoln.

Dr. Knapp, a native of Omaha is considered a national leader and specialist in the field of social studies and civic education. He has served as consultant to many metropolitan school systems on curriculum.

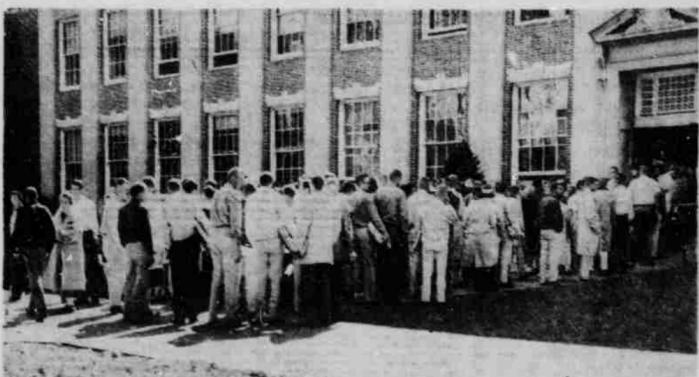
He is author of many widely used social studies textbooks and one of his books, "American Regionalism and Social Education," published by the Harvard University Press, is a basic reference in many courses on social education.

Dr. Olson, who is now on a two-month leave of absence as Organization of American States professor of American History at El Colegio de Mexico at Mexico City, joined the University staff in 1956 on a full-time basis. From 1946-56, he served as superintendent of the Nebraska State Historical Society as University lecturer.

Iowa Native A native of Iowa, Dr. Olson earned his B.A. from Morningside College, and his M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Nebraska.

Professor Shapiro, regarded as one of the nation's foremost poets, teaches creative writing and is editor of the "little magazine" Prairie Schooner, sponsored by the University's English department and Press. Winner of the Pulitzer Poetry Prize, in 1945, Professor Shapiro joined the University staff in 1956. From 1950-54, he was editor of "Poetry" and in 1955 an associate professor of English at University of California.

The new appointments bring to seven the number of Regents professorships in existence at the University. The other four are: Dr. Norman H. Cromwell, chemistry, and Dr. John Lundquist, agronomy, both Howard Wilson Regents Professors; and Dr. Curtis Elliott, insurance, and Dr. George Young, veterinary science, both Bert Rodgers Professors.



INSIDE OR OUT... WE'RE TRAPPED —Between each class break and at the main entrance to every University classroom building is heard the comment, "If these 'people jams' continue throughout the year, we'll have to have twenty minutes between classes." Pictured above is the typical between-class "waiting-to-get-in" scene which is a result of the University's enrollment increase.

Friday Rally Will Feature Street Dance

The Corn Cob rally for the Iowa State game will be held Friday night beginning at the carillon tower at 6:30. A parade will follow the traditional route, but will end on the south steps of the Union. The highlights of the rally will include guest speaker, Don Bryant, sports editor of the Lincoln Star and a street dance.

The dance will be approximately two hours long and will be keynoted by the ATO combo, playing the latest "locomotion," "mashed potato," and "fish" music.

Traffic Regulations— Student Affairs Issues New Parking Penalties

By TOM MCGINNIS Daily Nebraskan Reporter The University Division of Student Affairs has issued several new parking violation penalties effective Sept. 1.

Dean Adam C. Breckenridge, head of University traffic regulations committee, stated that the purpose of the new rules is to force the very small portion of students who continually violate parking regulations to be more careful.

The new regulations are the result of several conferences Dean Breckenridge had with Student Council president Don Burt last spring discussing council recommendations.

Dean Breckenridge pointed out that the recommendations of the Student Council were in general followed and several compromises were worked out.

Captain Masters of the University police stated, "The problem of the student who can afford to pay \$40 or \$50 in traffic fines per semester has existed for a long time. The new regulations should solve this problem on campus."

In the University traffic regulations booklet for 1962, these new penalties are outlined:

- 1. A parking violation charge is \$1 within five days of the violation; \$2 from five to ten days and \$4 after ten days.
2. Beyond the cost per ticket, an additional parking charge of \$5 will be charged for the eleventh ticket, \$6 for the twelfth, \$7 for the thirteenth, \$8 for the fourteenth and \$9 for the fifteenth.
3. A sixteenth ticket will result in revocation of a driver's parking permit.
4. Staff members who fail to pay parking charges shall be subject to such actions as their dean or director may see fit.
5. Students who disregard traffic notices are subject to action by the Division of Student Affairs.

Tassels Positions

Interviews for Tassels, the women's pep organization, will be held Oct. 10 from 6:30-8 p.m. Eligibility requirements include sophomore standing and an accumulative average of 5.5. All interested persons are asked to sign on the sheet by room 245, Student Union. Anyone interested in Husker spirit is urged to apply.

Union Positions Now Available

Union assistantships are available on Special Events, Forums, Entertainment and Concert Music Committees. Applications may be picked up at the program office. Interviews will be held Saturday from 9 to 11 a.m. in room 245 Student Union.

Lundy Suggests Libraries As Addition To Sororities

Panhellenic delegates and sorority scholarship chairmen were told Monday by Frank Lundy, director of Love Library, that every sorority ought to have a small library.

"Reading is a habit one ought to cultivate," he said. "It is my fond hope that students get in the habit of reading and looking at books."

"It seems as though there is a myth on this campus that my ambition is to get all books into Love Library and keep them there," quipped Dr. Lundy. "However, I would like to see books everywhere."

In response to the argument of finances, Dr. Lundy explained that books are not terribly expensive and that the beginning of the library is the worst effort. "Fifty dollars a year will add many books to a library," he added.

Houses should first buy the books that satisfy serious study needs and then expand their collections into the fields of research, classics and fiction, Lundy said.

He refused to act as censor and say what books should be in the library and which ones should be left out. At the Panhellenic business meeting, the chairman of the groups for the Panhellenic Workshops to be held Oct. 15-17 were announced: Donna McFarlin, social; Dian Moody, exchange; Jane Hobbs, training school; Ann Lemon, awards and Suzie Walburn, Panhellenic night.

Dr. Colwell Speaks

Dr. William Colwell, chairman of the Governor's committee on public relations in agriculture, is speaking this morning at 11 a.m. at a College of Agriculture convocation on "The Truth about Agriculture."

Objections Presented

AWS Will Consider Abolishment Of Present Activity Point System

By KAREN GUNLICKS Nebraskan Staff Writer Objections to the AWS point system, which limits the number of positions a girl can hold in organizations, were discussed yesterday at the AWS meeting.

"As mature college girls, we know how much we can handle," expressed Julie Westerhoff.

"The girls may be being governed too much," commented Susie Moffitt. "College is the time for girls to learn how much they can handle, if they don't know already," she continued.

Kim Pohlman said that the system tends to favor the weak at the expense of the strong. "An organization could get mediocre leadership because the good, capable girls cannot accept any more positions," Miss Pohlman added.

"However," Maggi McCracken commented, "if an organization has only one strong person for a position, it is a weak organization."

Another objection, cited by Elaine Anderson, was that it is hard to evaluate the boards and positions as to their importance and how time-consuming they are.

Billy Spies also explained that it is almost impossible to manage such a system since it requires keeping track of every girl in every organization on campus.

A committee will be appointed next week to consider the abolishment of the point system.

Record Lending Started

A record lending library began operating today with classical, jazz, mood, movie soundtrack and popular music albums being offered to students.

The lending library will be held in the music rooms and book nook of the Student Union with checkout times from 12:30 - 1:15 p.m. on Wednesdays and 4-5 p.m. on Thursdays.

According to Vicki Elliott, member of the Nebraska Union Contemporary Music committee, the student must make a \$1 deposit before checking out a record. When the record is returned, 75 cents will be refunded. The student is responsible for any damaged record.

University Regents Approve New Proposals To Combat Fall Boom

By DIANA COPSEY Daily Nebraskan Reporter Enrollment Booms—We've set a record! Hooray! — or HELP!?

Students trapped in Burnett, or standing patiently outside of Social Sciences are aware of one University problem connected with the enrollment increase—overcrowding.

Meeting yesterday morning with Chancellor Hardin, the University's Board of Regents spent a brief 45 minutes voting through twelve pages of recommendations related, directly or indirectly, to problems created by the enrollment increase.

A brief comment interjected by Dr. Hardin as the board voted to approve twelve full time, 44 temporary or part time faculty appointments and the adjustment of 35 present faculty appointments, centered attention on the enrollment increase.

Effect of Increase

Answering questions framed by various board members, Dr. Hardin analyzed the effect of the increase on student housing and crowded classrooms.

"Fortunately for us, the enrollment was general throughout the institution," said Dr. Hardin. He noted that almost 35% of the 965 new students are upperclassmen, and the increased enrollment, though highest in the College of Arts and Sciences and Teachers, is spread throughout the departments.

In answering questions on student housing, Dr. Hardin said that while it is known that a certain number of students did not complete their plans to attend the University because of a lack of adequate housing, the people of Lincoln have "been exceptionally helpful" in accommodating an estimated 3,500 students.

Increased Interest

Where did the students come from? Apparently from an increased interest in higher

education, said Dr. Hardin. The chancellor went on to summarize a few facts disproving theories ranging from the "war baby" boom to "student stealing."

A comparison of 1961 and 1962 figures shows an increase of only 200 Nebraska high school graduates; not even one-third of the 615 student increase in freshman enrollment. Early reports from other colleges in the state also show enrollment increases.

Following the enrollment discussion, the board voted to accept the remaining items on the agenda. Included were proposals for several additions to University facilities; allocation to the National Defense Student Loan Fund; contracts with the Bureau of Naval Personnel for training of enlisted men and scholarship provisions for undergraduate students in the Naval ROTC program.

Rag Interviews

Interviews for Daily Nebraskan positions will be tomorrow afternoon before the Publications Board at 3:30 p.m. in the Student Union. Room number will be posted.

Positions to be filled are two junior staff writers and a copy editor.

Large Grants Are Accepted

Research, training and fellowship grants totaling \$809,465.74 were accepted Tuesday by the University's Board of Regents.

Eighty-seven grants have been received since July 1, including three large grants from government agencies.



SIGMA NU'S NEWEST PLEDGE—Sam, a five-month old Basset Hound, has joined the ranks of the 1962 Sigma Nu pledge class. Sam's only problem with pledge training is his ears—he can't walk without stepping on them. (Photo by Pixie Smallwood.)

Regents, Lincoln Swap Property By Agreement

By BOB RAY Ag News Editor

The Board of Regents agreed yesterday to swap land with the city.

"All we're doing," said Carl A. Donaldson, University Business Manager, "is dedicating some land north of Dead Man's Run that we own for some land closer to the campus that we don't own."

The University land, which will be cut off from the campus by a proposed four-lane road connecting University Place with 33rd Street, is now in corn.

Comparing what the University will give away to what it will get, Donaldson said that the Leighton Avenue right-of-way will only amount to 140 square feet. "We'll get an equal amount in paved roads and allies near 33rd Street," he pointed out.

The proposed four-lane street will begin in University Place on 48th about a half-mile northeast of the married student's housing on Holdrege. It will follow Leighton Avenue from 48th to 45th, follow 45th one block north to Huntington and extend from there west along Huntington to meet 33rd about four blocks north of Pershing Armory.

Council To Select Pub Board Today

Student Council will choose the coming year's student members of the Publication Board today from two representatives of the sophomores, juniors, and senior classes.

The representatives were chosen last Sunday by the Elections Committee of the Student Council. They include: Seniors—Arnie Carson and Vicky Cullen; Juniors—Tom Chandler and Maureen Proluk; Sophomores—Mike Wiseman and Jo Ann Stratzman.

Dean Wright Announces Danforth, Wilson Grants

Information on Danforth and Woodrow Wilson graduate fellowships with values up to \$2,000 is now available in the office of Dr. Walter F. Wright, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.

These scholarships are open to students preparing for careers in college teaching. There are also Rhodes Scholarships which are available for those wishing to study at Oxford University in England.

Both Danforth and Woodrow Wilson fellowships carry annual stipends of \$1,500 for single and \$2,000 for married students.

Nominees for the Danforth awards should be male seniors planning to major in any field of the liberal arts and sciences curriculum. They will be given for one year and renewable for four academic years of graduate study.

University candidates for the Danforth awards must be nominated by Dean Wright, liaison officer for the Danforth Foundation.

Woodrow Wilson fellowships are available primarily to students in the humanities and social sciences. Science and math majors may be nominated if they also apply for a National Science Foundation Fellowship.

Seniors or graduates not registered in a graduate school are eligible for nomination by any faculty member. Nominations must be submitted to Dean Wright, regional chairman, by Oct. 31.

Rhodes Scholarships are open to unmarried male citizens between the ages of 18 and 24. They must have at least junior standing and be endorsed by the University.

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Graduate Exams Planned for Year

All graduate students who expect to apply for Cooperative Fellowships through the National Science Foundation will be expected to take the Graduate Records Examinations (GRE).

The GRE tests will be administered at the University on Nov. 17, Jan. 19, Mar. 2, Apr. 27, and July 6. Information about the examinations, which test general ability as well as achievement in several fields, can be obtained from the University Examinations Service, 225 Nebraska Hall.