

'Scholarship' Can Not Be Coerced' Declares Trask During IFC Seminar

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"People who have never been in fraternities think that they should be places where the kids sit and talk about Plato and the muses instead of coeds," said David Trask, assistant professor of history at the University.

Trask, speaking at one of the Interfraternity council Seminars, a part of the University's Greek Week, said that this is not the case, "fraternities are fundamen-

tally social institutions, not educational institutions."

"Fraternities are not wanted on most campuses," continued Trask, "but they are situated on them." Trask noted that if fraternities wish to continue their existence, they are going to have to accomplish at least three things. First, terms such as Greek Week and the Greek system, should be abolished. Second, the idea of conformity inside the fraternity must change. "Conformity will

eliminate the kind of people who are needed to run the group; conformity will keep out the leaders." Lastly, Trask noted that any kind of race or religion clause which is in a fraternity charter must be abolished. If this doesn't go," he said, "you are going to go."

Trask feels that fraternity scholarship chairmen, study halls and proctors, should be gotten rid of. "Scholarship cannot be coerced," he said. "Fraternities are fundamentally anti-intellectual," observed Trask, "but everyone should have a little anti-intellectualism in his life." The secret of the whole scholarship program is to stay out of each other's way during intellectual pursuits. "Don't stifle another's academic achievement or the universities will not allow you to continue," he told the group.

Roger Myers, another member of the panel, noted that there is too much grade orientation in the system. "Kappa Alpha Theta, 6.5,

FarmHouse, 6.5, fine," said Myers, "and some of the rest of the fraternities and sororities are way down on the bottom of the list. "Why do we really study," he asked. "It's not to gain knowledge in many cases, but because it's good for the house."

"One role of colleges," stated Chip Kuklin, "is to make the student socially acceptable in the community." "In the mid '50's the fraternities were interested in this facet of the college's role; but they were interested in it too much."

One of the students attending the seminar asked Trask whether or not he thought that the dormitories had a better atmosphere for study than the fraternities. "I don't like dormitories," replied Trask. "I like smaller living groups. The dorms don't have academics either."

Commenting on the University Party for Progress, Trask said that "The UPP is obviously a group of fraternity-minded, non-fraternity people."

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"HAVE THE TERM EXAM GRADES BEEN POSTED?? THE HOUSING OFFICE HAS BEEN SHOWIN' OFF OUR ROOM TO A LOT OF NEW STUDENTS."

Swanson Receives Fellowship

Jack L. Swanson, 29, has received a fellowship amounting to approximately \$9,000 from the National Science Foundation (NSF) to continue his advanced study in chemistry for 15 months at the University.



A teacher of chemistry at Nebraska State Teachers College in Kearney, Swanson came to the University in February, 1962, as one of the first members of a new program NSF is supporting to encourage promising Nebraska science teachers to pursue graduate study and research activity.

Swanson's new award is made under NSF's national about 400 similar fellowships each year.

Another NSF recipient, Ernest E. Underwood, presently an assistant professor of mathematics at Utah State, will come to the University for a further year of graduate study in September.

Swanson received his undergraduate degree from Kearney in 1956 and his Master's from the University in 1959.

Tassels Interviews

Tassel interviews will be held Saturday. Applications may be picked up outside 345 Student Union and are due in the Tassel mailbox by 4 p.m. today.

Senior Soloists To Sing Sunday



Tenhulzen

Five senior music students at the University will be honored by performing with the University Symphony Orchestra Sunday at 4 p.m. in the Student Union Ballroom.

The senior soloists were selected by a vote of their class in the department of music. They are:

Judy Tenhulzen, a member of University Singers, Mu Phi Epsilon music sorority, Pi Lambda Theta teachers honorary and Kappa Alpha Theta social sorority.

She played the lead role in the opera "Street Scene" presented at the University this year. As a freshman, she sang with Madrigals. Miss Tenhulzen is a finalist for May Queen this spring.



Lantry

Virginia Lantry, who plays bassoon with the Lincoln Symphony and University Symphony Orchestras. She is a member of Mu Phi Epsilon.

Roger Quadhamer, a member of University Singers, Gamma Lambda band and Beta Sigma Psi social fraternity. He has served as alumni secretary of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia music fraternity and has appeared in four University operas.



Salter

Peter Salter, who plays with the University Symphony Orchestra, Band and Brass Ensemble and is a member of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia and Gamma Lambda. He has served as secretary-treasurer of the University Band.

JoAnn Otradosky, first oboist with the University Symphony Orchestra and a member of Mu Phi Epsilon, Pi Lambda Theta, Alpha Lambda Delta and Pi Kappa Lambda honorary fraternity in music.

Selections on the concert program include "Introduction to Act III of 'Lohengrin'" by Wagner; "Ah, fors e lui" from "La Traviata" by Verdi, with Miss Tenhulzen as soprano soloist; and "Concerto for Bassoon, op. 75" by von Weber, played by Miss Lantry.



Otradosky

Other solos will be "Rolling in Foaming Billows" from the "Creation" by Haydn, with Quadhamer as baritone soloist; "Concerto for French Horn" by Strauss, with solo by Salter; and "Concerto for Piano No. 3, Op. 37, in C Minor" by Beethoven, with Miss Otradosky as solo pianist.

The orchestra will be conducted by the department of music.

Alpha Lambda Delta Pledges Sixty Coeds

Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman women's honorary, has announced 60 new pledges for the present school year.

To be a member of Alpha Lambda Delta a freshman girl must attain either a 7.5 average for her first semester at the University or a 7.5 cumulative average for her freshman year.

The new pledges are:

Kathryn Anderson, Martha Anderson, Janice Armstrong, Barbara Beckman, Donna Black, Karen Boeckenhauer, Judith Boehmer, Carolyn Bond, Barbara Brown, Lettie Clark.

Linda Cleveland, Vicki Cline, Jeanette Coufal, Alice Dow, Victoria Dowling, Mary Farner, Beverly Fentsemacher, Beverly Graham,

Carol Hall, Elaine Hanthorn.

Sharyn Heikes, Virginia Hemphill, Jean Holmquist, Karen Honisky, Harriet Hunter, Betty Jordan, Kathleen Kilpatrick, Ann Kotouc, Mary Landgren, Linda Lane.

Beverly Lee, Marjorie Martin, Della Meyer, Linda Miles, Barbara Miller, Andrea Mohnsen, Mona Morris, Maija Paegle, Christina Perrin, Mary Rakow, Sharon Ruby, Elaine Ruff, Ellen Samuels, Eula Scheer, Barbara Schnegelberger, Karen Schnurr, Roberta Schock, Sarah Shaw, Allegra Smith, Joann Smutny, Kathleen Sorensen, Carol Stoner, Carol VanSteenberg, Shirley Voss, Cheryl Wagner, Janice Woelfle, Priscilla Wood, Greta Woodward, Mary Wright, and Pauline Zillich.

Campus Calendar

TODAY
AWS, house representative meeting, 4 p.m., 340 Student Union.
WILDLIFE CLUB meeting, 7:30 p.m., Ag Union.
880 CLUB, 7 p.m., KNUS radio.
YELL SQUAD practice, 5 p.m., Coliseum.
LECTURE, Dr. Jerry Lilly, "What Can Cancer Do to You?" 11 a.m. Student Union Ballroom.
FILM SOCIETY, "Jules and Jim," 7 and 9 p.m., Nebraska Theater.
TOMORROW
WEEKEND FILM, "The Great Imposter," 7 and 9 p.m., Student Union Small Auditorium.
JAZZ AND JAVA, The Challengers, 5 p.m., Student Union Crib.
LECTURE, "The Happy Desert of Daniel Defoe," William McBurney, 4 p.m., Love Library.

New Surgical Instrument Aids Bovine Tonsil Biopsy

Dr. Robert Sweat of the University's Department of Veterinary Science, recently developed a technique of clipping a small piece of a tonsil from live cattle. This tissue is for use in virus isolation research on respiratory diseases of cattle, one of the most important groups of cattle diseases.

In research serving as a basis for his masters thesis, Dr. Sweat developed an all-purpose surgical instrument which makes the technique called bovine tonsil biopsy possible.

The instrument developed for illumination of the oral cavity could also be used by veterinarians for examination of the mouth and throat of cattle during clinical examinations.

Since bovine tonsils are shaped differently than human tonsils, a different approach had to be taken to obtain tonsil tissue from cattle. The tissue would then be used in virus isolation re-

search in cell culture to isolate viruses which may cause bovine respiratory diseases.

One of the difficulties was the lack of a surgical instrument which incorporates a light source for seeing into the animal's throat, rigid tubing easily sterilized with sufficient leverage to allow depression of the tongue. Such an instrument had to be operated with one hand by a researcher and ultimately a veterinary practitioner, leaving the other hand free to operate the forceps.

Techniques and an instrument have been developed which have overcome previous mechanical difficulties in obtaining tonsil tissue from a live animal, with relatively little danger to either the animal or operator.

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