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Mayor, ASUN Discuss Traffic Routes

No Plan Yet On 14th Street, Responds Mayor Petersen

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There has been a concurrence of opinion between the city and the University that 14th Street should be closed so that it will not run through the campus, stated Dean Petersen, Mayor of Lincoln, Wednesday.

Petersen's statement was in response to a question on traffic asked during his appearance before the Student Senate.

"As yet, no definite plans have been developed, because this action depends on several related projects and problems which first must be straightened out," the Mayor explained.

Before answering questions from the senators, Petersen made a brief presentation. He stated that his purpose in coming before the Student Senate was that they might "visit with you about our mutual problems."

"Problems have a way of

disappearing if you just sit down and talk around a table about them," Petersen said. "I have always stressed the importance of keeping the lines of communication open between various groups."

One of the problems touched upon by the Mayor was that of low cost housing. He said that there is a resolution on the November ballot asking that the Lincoln Housing Authority be given the power to provide low cost housing, of decent standards, for those who are presently forced, to live in sub-standard housing.

Also concerning housing, Petersen stated that there is a minimum housing standards bill before the City Council. "It is essential that no one be forced to live in housing that is not of a decent standard," Petersen declared.

In answer to question concerning the proposed University budget, Petersen stated that "the University is the

major industry in the city of Lincoln."

"I believe, personally, that we have been short-changing the future generations by not providing the best education obtainable. Therefore, I am very much in favor of an increase in the budget," he stated.

When asked why, when a student breaks a Lincoln ordinance, this is reported to the University, Petersen answered that reporting was a procedure developed over a long period of time.

"This process is presently carried on with other organizations in the city, and, until recently, with the air base. Most likely the reporting to the University is done at the request of the University," Petersen concluded.

Petersen also answered questions on liquor by the drink, parking, recreational opportunities, and other problems concerning students and the city of Lincoln.



HANDSHAKE . . . for Senator Liz Aitken, while visiting with Andrea Warren and SchAAF.



MAYOR ARRIVES . . . and is greeted by ASUN President Terry Schaaf.

AUF Motion Vetoed After Two Tie Votes

Action at the Student Senate meeting Wednesday centered around three motions dealing with an AUF request to limit activities on Oct. 29; the setting of a date to return to school after Christmas; and an investigation about a new grading scale.

The motion, made last week by Sen. Pam Wood, concerning AUF asked the Senate to request that no campus organizations hold any activities on Oct. 29, the night of the AUF dance.

Roger Doerr, ASUN vice president, explained that this would mainly discourage living units from holding a party on that evening.

Following some debate on the proposal, a vote was taken which ended in a tie. Doerr as presiding officer, voted in favor of the motion breaking the tie.

Sen. Dick Schulze then made a motion that the senate reconsider the previous motion. Schulze's motion passed.

After further reconsideration of the problem, another vote was taken, again ending in a tie. Again Doerr voted in favor of the motion.

The meeting was then adjourned for two minutes. When the meeting reopened, Doerr announced that Terry Schaaf, ASUN president, had vetoed the motion according to the power granted him by the constitution.

Schaaf then explained that since a clear majority could not be obtained concerning

the resolution, he had chosen to veto the motion. In order to override the veto, two-thirds of the Senate must vote against the veto next week.

The second proposal, presented by Miss Wood, asked that ASUN go on record starting that Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1967, be the first day of classes for the University following Christmas vacation.

Miss Wood stated that she had understood, from a reliable source, that if the Student Senate would come out in favor of the motion, it would have "a good chance of getting on the University calendar."

After some discussion on the proposal, a vote was taken and the motion passed.

Sen. John Gerlach then proposed that the Senate instruct the Academic Research Committee to look into the possibility of a one-half-point grade scale and report to the senate in two weeks.

"This would allow the professors to give an A plus, B plus, etc. When converted to numerical grades, they would be 4.5, 3.5, and so on," Gerlach explained. The motion passed.

The senate also approved the requirements for Homecoming Queen drawn up by the electoral commission. It was announced that the interviewing board, for candidates, would be composed of Joan McClymont, Ron Pfeifer, Karen Westerberg, Jerry Olson, and a faculty member, Dr. James Roberts.

Drugs In Lincoln: No Real Problem

By Toni Victor
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Lincoln has no real problem with addictive or non-addictive drugs at present, said Lt. Gail Gade of the city police department at a panel discussion of non-addictive drugs.

The panel discussion Wednesday was sponsored by the East Union as part of their Lounge Series.

Panelists included Mrs. Donald Grant, clinical psychologist at the University Health Center; Dr. K. D. Rose, staff physician at the Student Health Center; and Gade of the juvenile office at the Lincoln Police Station.

Isolated Cases
Gade summarized the drug situation in Lincoln by saying that there have been isolated cases in the past involving possession of drugs. "Once in a while we hear rumors from the University campus concerning drugs," said Gade.

He cited an example of a boy who was picked up by campus police officials recently. Gade said that the boy appeared to be under the influence of something other than alcohol. Campus police turned the boy over to his dormitory head and the case went no further.

"LSD is as close as the University of Kansas and it is probable that it has arrived here," Gade explained.

According to Gade, there has not been a single case involving LSD in the city.

"We are not naive enough to assume that no one has used it on campus, however," noted Dr. Rose, from Student Health.

Rose answered a question from the audience concerning the reaction of the Student Health Center if a student was admitted after a "bad trip" with LSD.

"There would be no communication between us and the law, unfortunately, and nothing would be reported to Administration, unless we were subpoenaed in connection with a crime committed by the patient," stated Rose.

Non-Addictive?
Concerning marijuana, barbiturates and peyote, Rose said in his opinion, "there is no such thing as a non-addictive drug."

Though these drugs usually leave no physical disturbance upon withdrawal, Rose noted that there is always a mental dependence upon the so-called "non-addictive" drugs. This idea of non-addiction, Rose said, leads to the fallacy that "if I'm not dependent, it's all right."

A desire to experience something new, and a longing to be part of a group, are the two most common reasons given by college stu-

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Repertory Cast Chosen For Season's Starters

"As You Like It," which opens Oct. 21 at the University Theatre, and "Look Back in Anger," which opens Oct. 28, have been cast, for the repertory season.

Dr. William R. Morgan will direct the Shakespearean play, "As You Like It." The play is a light comedy involving pairs of lovers. The pairs of lovers are Rosaline and Orlando, Celia and Oliver, Touchstone and Audrey, and Silvius and Phoebe.

Bobbie Kierstedt will play the role of Rosaline. A junior from Lincoln, she has been properties mistress at Lakes Region Playhouse in Laconia, N.H. the last two summers.

Orlando is played by Bill Jamison, a sophomore from Springfield. He appeared in "Mother Courage" last year and worked on the technical crew at Lakes Region Playhouse that summer.

Worked At Playhouse
The role of Celia is played by Jane MacLaren, a senior from St. Charles, Ill. Bruce Borin is cast as Oliver. Borin appeared as Ross in "Macbeth" last year and has also worked at the Lakes Region Playhouse.

A member of the Purple Masque, Robert Hall, plays the part of the court jester, Touchstone. Hall, a senior

from Lincoln, played Malcolm in "Macbeth" last year. Audrey is played by Kristi Rapp, a sophomore from Pierce. She played Adolphina in "The Physicists" at the theatre this summer.

Tom Coty, a junior from Clarinda, Ia., will play Silvius, and Phoebe will be played by Roni Meyer, a freshman from Allen.

Role of Jacques
A radio and television broadcasting major, Jack McCoy, a junior from Lincoln, will play the role of Jacques.

Ed Fern, a junior from Kansas City, Mo., who played the doctor in "Macbeth" has been cast as Duke senior Mike Nelson, a freshman from Omaha, will play Duke Frederick.

Also appearing in the play are: Richard Ralston, Mike Ote, Mike Dobbins, Marc Armstrong, David Peterson, Todd Slaughter, Alan Plessman and Bill Dalberg.

Lords in the cast are: Mark Beech, David Peterson and Terry Weymouth. Ladies are Pat Foreman, Adrena Valverde, and Lana Vahlcamp. Foresters are Richard Holman, Gordon Hauptman, Pam Hathaway, Diane Bernard and Al Lundby.

Dr. Baldwin Directs
Dr. Joseph Baldwin, who just returned from a year's

Tiemann: College Faction Was Not Sub Rosa Group

GOP gubernatorial candidate Norbert (Nobby) Tiemann told the Daily Nebraskan Wednesday that he was "definitely not a member of any sub rosa."

"The group I was associated with during college was not a sub rosa," he emphasized. "It wasn't undercover and was simply called 'the Faction.'"

Tiemann, in a speech be-

Court Will Judge Senate Seat Case

A decision is expected Thursday evening on whether or not the ASUN electoral commission acted correctly in reapportioning a Student Senate seat last spring.

David Senseney, a Senator from the Professional College, has declared that Bill Tooley, also a senator from the Professional College, unjustly received a seat through the reorganization.

The case will be presented before the Student Court at 8 p.m.

leave of absence from writing plays in New York, directs "Look Back in Anger" by John Osborne.

Cast as Jimmy is Dean Tschetter, a junior from Lincoln. Tschetter played McDuff in "Macbeth" last year and the cook in "Mother Courage." Last summer he played Edgar in "King Lear" and Oborn in "Midsummer Night's Dream" at the Ledges Playhouse in Grand Lake, Mich.

Ric Marsh, a sophomore from Lincoln, plays Cliff. Marsh appeared as Swiss cheese in "Mother Courage" last year.

Allison is Phyllis Knipping, a graduate student from Beatrice. Graduate student Steve Gaines plays the colonel. Helena is played by Joey Close, a sophomore from Albuquerque, N.M.



PROSPECTIVE SPEAKERS . . . Art Cramer and Randall Christ await the renewal of Hyde Park sessions Thursday!

Soapboxers Move Outside For Hyde Park's Opener

Hyde Park, the soap-box forum of free speech, will begin its second year on campus Thursday at 3:30 p.m. according to Larry Grossman, chairman of Talks and Topics committee.

The forum will be held on the south steps of the Nebraska Union instead of in the lounge if the weather permits, he said.

Any student or faculty member is invited to sign up to speak for ten minutes on any subject, said Pam Dal-

ling, assistant chairman of Talks and Topics. Members of the committee will sign up and time speakers.

Hyde Park will be very similar to last year, Miss Dalling said. Any one may question the speaker at any time and audience participation is encouraged, she added.

"We want to interest the average student, to get him to stop, listen and think," Miss Dalling said. She emphasized the importance of free exchange of ideas on

current issues as a means of getting the student to form his own opinions.

Talks and Topics initiated Hyde Park last year modeled after the free speech forum found in London's Hyde Park where speakers stand on soapboxes and talk on any subject.

Rich Scott, Nebraska Union program director, said last year's Hyde Park was very successful and that it since has spread to other Big Eight campuses.