

# Union Officials Question NFU's Right To Meet

The Free University almost failed to get off the ground at its initial meeting Thursday night.

Shortly before the beginning of the meeting a spokesman for the Nebraska Union called Phil Boardman and Dick Schulze out of the assembly to question the credentials of the Free University.

He had taken down several posters announcing the Free University meeting in the Student Conduct committee room. The committee which originated the NFU had not billed the meeting as a Free University meeting, but as a Student Conduct committee meeting, according to the Union spokesman.

The Union representative asked, "Are you ASUN or Nebraska Free University?"

Schulze, chairman of the Conduct committee, admitted that the meeting was the Free University.

"Then this is not a University recognized organization," the Union official replied.

Boardman said that a letter of intent, the requirement for "University recognition" had not been filed with the Activities Office "because of time. We wanted to set up our courses before vacation."

Schulze summarized the exchange later by saying, "The Union can serve the student body, but not students."

Boardman and Schulze were allowed to hold the meeting as planned.

Fifty students and faculty members waited for Boardman and Schulze to return. Boardman stressed

that the coordinating committee is only going to provide publicity for the group, and that the long-run success or failure of the NFU would depend upon the students.

"We're not trying to duplicate the University," Gene Pokorny stressed. "In most courses, you sit in a class and soak up the subject matter. You aren't asked for a response, or to discover anything for yourself. NFU will be student-centered."

A member of the coordinating committee said that classes will be held somewhere off-campus. "We don't want to use the classrooms because of the conditional response so many of us have in the classroom."

Nearly 20 courses have been tentatively scheduled, according to Pokorny. Boardman asked if anyone present wanted to suggest courses.

Astronomy, the thought of Marx and Engels, the anti-novel, politics of the under-developed nations, the relationship between philosophic ethics and psychiatry, and the evolution of the detective story were some of the suggested courses.

"With the reaction I've seen tonight," Pokorny said at the end of the meeting, "the Free University is no longer just an idea. It's going."



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## Davor: Science, Culture 'Unity' Hope Expressed

A fervent hope that "the science of America and the culture of India" can unite was expressed by Ashok Davor, an exchange student from India at a People-to-People meeting Thursday.

Davor said that one of the first traits in the American character he noticed was the American tendency to "believe only what you can see."

Ashok believes that there is another realm which exists besides the known realm. It is this realm, according to Ashok, that Americans insist on explaining, when no explanation is possible.

"There are many things which you feel," explained Ashok, "which cannot be explained."

Ashok said that he "feels greatly for the American nations. You have something of France something of America, and a culture I greatly admire."

Already, Ashok noted Indian culture is beginning to influence American culture, and American science is beginning to influence Indian science.

Another negative aspect Ashok noted in modern American life he expressed in a "love poem." "Your walk is like the agitator in the washing machine. You look like plastic flowers and shine like neon signs. But your smile is like the stream emptying into the river, and the river emptying into the ocean."

She did not like the last line, and she broke with me for she had always lived in the city."

But Nebraskans are closer to nature, Ashok added, then people on the East coast who live in large cities.

Most of all Ashok said that he admires "the sense of freedom in America. You can wear any clothes you want. I hope you appreciate the precious freedom that you have in your hands."

## Campus Calendar

- Friday
- ENGLISH DEPARTMENT, 12 noon, Nebraska Union.
  - PLACEMENT OFFICE, Luncheon 12:30 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - A. P. H. A., 1:30 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - PUBLICATIONS BOARD Interviews, 3 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - JAZZ'N JAVA, 3:45 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - FACULTY - GRADUATE Club, 4 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - PHI BETA LAMBDA, 7 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - CORNHUSKER Interviews, 7 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - NIA, 7:30 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - INTER-VARSITY, 8 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - PALLADIAN Society, 8 p.m., Nebraska Union.
  - MOVIE - "Good Neighbor Sam," 7 and 9 p.m., Nebraska Union.

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## Seven Seniors; Ten Graduates Earn Phi Beta Kappa Honors

Seventeen University students were named Thursday evening as members of Phi Beta Kappa, scholastic honorary limited to the highest ranking students in arts and sciences.

Seven seniors were honored for specially high academic achievement, having been elected to membership during their senior year.

They are:

- Louise Ellis, majoring in history and minoring in English and political science.
- Judith Young Hamilton, majoring in English and minoring in history and German.
- John Rosenberg, majoring in mathematics and minoring in physics.
- Paul Rudolph, majoring in zoology and minoring in chemistry and mathematics.

Virginia Rybin, majoring in journalism and minoring in English, history, and economics.

Joan Spivey, majoring in English and French.

Gary Watzke, majoring in history and minoring in English.

Graduates at the June or August 1966 commencement who were named to membership include:

- Richard Elliott, now attending the University Medical College in Omaha.
- Chery Wagner Kellison, now attending the University graduate school.
- Gaylord Nordine, now attending the Northwestern University School of Medicine in Chicago, Ill.
- Ronald Paulson, who is planning to teach in college.
- Christina Perrin Revis, a management trainee for the Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Omaha.

Emily Schlaht Rosenberg, teaching at North-east High School in Lincoln.

Robin Aronson Sutton, a correspondent for the Bankers Life of Nebraska insurance firm.

Andrea Georgi Vrana, attending the graduate school at Illinois State University.

Two other candidates for fall election to Phi Beta Kappa were also announced. They are:

- Carol Van Steenberg, attending graduate school at the University of California at Berkeley.
- Larry Einemann, serving in the armed forces.



A. Vrana G. Watzke

## ASUN Committee Interviews Over Discrimination

The Student Welfare committee of ASUN is investigating the problem of discrimination on the University campus.

According to Gene Hohensee, a member of the committee, interviews have been held with the Negro girls on the campus to determine their feelings on discrimination on the campus.

"Next week the committee plans to begin interviewing members of Kappa Alpha Psi, the Negro fraternity on the campus."

Hohensee said that the main problem that the committee has faced so far is the fear of some of the girls interviewed that their names and opinions would be published. He stressed however, that any reports on discrimination will be done on an anonymous basis.

"The problem that we found came up in the majority of the interviews was that the girls felt there was a definite lack of unity among the Negro students. In addition, we have found two opposing views on discrimination. Some say they are discriminated against, while others say they are not," he stated.

The committee will continue its interviews after vacation by contacting foreign students on problems they face in the area of discrimination.

## New PBK's Hear Talk On State

The people of the Plains need to develop a more constructive attitude toward the role of government in solving problems of the region said Dr. Everett E. Peterson, extension economist at NU.

Dr. Peterson spoke on Nebraska and the Midwest—"an area with a rich history of hardship and heroism"—at the initiation banquet of Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honorary Thursday evening.

Speaking on the topic "Where the Coyotes Howl and the Winds Blow Free," Peterson said, "Every citizen of the Plains region should know and understand his community and the region in which he lives and works."

"He should analyze his own business or profession to see what adjustments are needed to contribute more effectively to the goals of growth, prosperity and stability in the Great Plains."

If Plainsmen are to have a more effective voice in the private and public decisions which affect them, he said, then they will need a better understanding of public issues by more citizens and more active participation in politics, he concluded.

## Interfraternity Council Elects Olson Treasurer

Jerry Olson, former Interfraternity Council Scholarship chairman, was elected treasurer of the organization Wednesday night.

Olson, a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, was opposed by Larry Foster, Alpha Tau Omega, and Jim Guretzky, Pi Kapa Phi. Olson has also served with the IFC affairs committee prior to post as scholarship chairman. He is also treasurer of his fraternity.

Olson proposed the formation of a Finance Committee to work with the Interfraternity Board of Control. He proposed that this committee also work on individual fraternity financial problems.

He also proposed that the fiscal year of the IFC be changed to from January 1 through December 31 to July 1 through June 30 to avoid confusion resulting during the busy months of the year.

Olson noted that one of the problems with IFC is that the fraternity system is "bogged down in mechanics and tradition" and does not change with the times.

He urged the IFC to "take

# Hoover Nominated For 'Outstanding'

A nomination for Dr. Floyd Hoover, professor of secondary education, as faculty choice for "Outstanding Nebraskan" has been received citing his "overwhelming concern for students both in the classroom and on the campus."

Letters will be accepted in the Daily Nebraskan office until noon Dec. 14. Two "Outstanding Nebraskans", one student and one faculty member will be named in the Dec. 16 issue of the paper.

Other nominees include Polly Rhynalds, Cathie Shattuck, Gary Larsen and Dr. Peter Wolfe.

Miss Shattuck received her fourth letter of nomination Thursday.

Hoover, the letter stated, has been in academic circles for 36 years "of which 21 of those were at the University."

He has served as director of registration and records, assistant registrar, registrar and is now teaching two education courses.

"His enrollment projections, in the ten years he was registrar could only be termed fantastic in their accuracy," the nomination said. "And he brought to the University one of the

most progressive systems of registration in the country."

More important to many students than the renovations he brought to the enrollment system, the letter continued, was "his concern for the University student."

"His classroom is inspiring and the personal interest he shows in the students, whether they be in his classes or not, is phenomenal" the letter states. "Those who know Dr. Hoover no doubt value the evenings spent with him in his home as some of the most rewarding moments in their college careers."

The letter cites his willingness to help students with schedule problems ("whether he is their counselor or not"), academic problems and "he has even been known to give constructive advice when approached with social problems."

"Anyone who knows him will attest to the fact that he is an outstanding individual," the letter concludes. "And even those who do not know him can attest to the fact that he is an outstanding Nebraskan—all he lacks is the title."

## Summer School

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school program, Sorenson explained.

"This interim week is also important for the large schools in Omaha and Lincoln are not out until a week after University graduation. Therefore the teachers and just-graduated seniors would have an opportunity to take part in the summer session," he said.

With the eleven week session, the summer school program would be concluded the last Monday in August. The session would allow a student to take a total of twelve hours in one summer, or a maximum of 6 hours per five and a half week session.

"The question that is foremost in most minds is would students attend the second half of the session? On most campuses where such a program is utilized, the second half usually attracts 40 percent of the number of students that attended the first session," he emphasized.

If enough students would attend the second half of the session, Sorenson said that the University would keep the library, Nebraska Union, and at least one dormitory open for student use.

He said the under the pres-

ent program, the University is encouraging students to attend the August session, but there has not been a large enough enrollment to have these facilities open more than for minimal use.

"The students will have to help in the decision making on whether or not to adopt such a system; would they be interested in attending the second half?" he added.

Sorenson noted that the times are changing, where once the campus was unbearable in the summer, now it is "often more comfortable than for the student to stay home."

"The student receives good food, entertainment, lives in air conditioning, and receives an educational challenge. The campus has become an island of education and comfort in the state," Sorenson continued.

"The people will want to attend summer school and the University is obligated to study its calendar to determine if the present approach is the best one."

"The University has a challenge in this case. It must consider how to best use the facilities, faculty and at the same time take care of the student's interest in the summer," he concluded.

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