

Soshnik indicates higher UN '68-'69 fiscal budget

According to Vice-Chancellor Joseph Soshnik, the University of Nebraska's operating budget for fiscal 1968-1969 will be "significantly higher" than the 1967-68 budget.

"The budget study is just beginning," said Soshnik. Faculty members in the separate departments will prepare the actual figures, he said. These figures will be reviewed by the deans, who will then make specific recommendations for their colleges.

The figures will then be considered by administrative officials. After necessary alterations, the proposed budget will be sent to the Board of Regents, probably in early April. Unicameral approval must then be secured.

Proceeds from tuition

"We must take into account our proposed expenditures in relation to our probable income," Soshnik said. Proceeds from student tuition greatly affects income.

"Enrollment will increase next year, but will still fall short of previous expectations," said Soshnik. The exact increase cannot be estimated until second semester enrollment statistics are compiled.

While Soshnik would not indicate an actual figure for the '68-'69 fiscal budget he declared, "It will definitely be on a higher level than this year's budget." Any budget increase for the Lincoln campus is "above and beyond" any prospective increase due

to the merging Omaha campus, said Soshnik.

Federal funds denied

Federal matching funds totaling \$216,500 earmarked for the remodeling of Nebraska Hall and Andrews Hall are not forthcoming, however. Soshnik said that the Nebraska and Andrews Hall projects will proceed as planned. Preliminary work will be accomplished using funds already procured.

The University will renew its application next year for the federal funds. If federal funds are still denied, the remodeling projects would be completed by using university funds presently earmarked for other future projects.



"You're right there is no underwater bead stacking at 7:30 a.m." University students face the confusing procedure of drop and add.

AWS pondering changes in rules

by Jan Parks
Senior Staff Writer

Greater flexibility and provisions for increased member participation are prime elements of the revised AWS Constitution, Nancy Coufal Hungerford told the AWS Board Tuesday.

Mrs. Hungerford, chairman of the AWS Constitutional Convention, moved that the Constitution be approved at the next board meeting Wednesday prior to the AWS ratification election in February.

The Constitutional Convention, composed of delegates elected by individual women's living units, has been revising the old AWS Constitution since the first of October.

Nesha Neumeister, assistant chairman of the Constitutional Convention, explained that the original AWS Constitution was "probably drawn up sometime before 1950. Since then many amendments have been made by the AWS Board, she said.

"The revised AWS Constitution is not a new Constitution," Mrs. Hungerford noted, because it does follow the basic format of the present AWS Constitution.

"As I understand it, a new Constitution cannot be written unless a new organization is formed," she said.

The chairman stipulated, however, that the revised Constitution is not merely a list of amendments, but an overall revision to update and simplify the AWS Constitution.

Board members were instructed to read the Constitu-

tion carefully before the next meeting. "All of the ideas for the revised Constitution are in this copy of the Constitution," Miss Neumeister said, "the only changes we will make before the next meeting will be minor changes of grammar, clarity and legal wording."

"One of our main objectives in revising the AWS Constitution has been to make the document understandable to the average coed."

Explaining the schedule for ratification of the revised Constitution, Miss Neumeister said that the delegates had decided to hold elections in the living units. "Since there are so many major changes we felt that more informed voting could occur within the living units."

Each dorm will have an election, and probably two, three, or four sororities will meet at one house to vote, Mrs. Hungerford said.

Three dates — Feb. 19, 20, and 21—have been chosen for the ratification election, the chairman explained, so that each voting group may select their voting date according to their convenience.

"AWS representatives and Constitutional Convention delegates will be responsible for distributing copies of the Constitution to the living units by Feb. 16 to introduce AWS members to the content of the new Constitution," Mrs. Hungerford said.

In other business, the Board heard a report by the chairman of the AWS Coed Folies ticket committee.

Meredith Willson . . . Department sponsors "Weekend with Music"

By Barb Martin
Campus Life Editor

Meredith Willson, musician, conductor, humorist, writer, philosopher and composer of the Broadway musicals "The Music Man" and "The Unsinkable Molly Brown," will appear at the University Feb. 3 in conjunction with the seventh annual "Weekend with Music."

Willson began his musical career at 14 when he enrolled in the Damrosch Institute of Musical Arts in New York. Three years later he contracted to tour with John Philip Sousa and his band.

He later performed with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra and in 1932 he was employed by NBC as director of the Western Division. He has served as conductor for the Seattle Symphony, the San Francisco Symphony and the Los Angeles Philharmonic.

Willson extended his activities in the field of entertainment when he initiated several new trends on radio programming and commercial format, according to W. Colston Leigh, Inc., who recently released a character sketch of the performer.

Composer and author

As a composer, Willson was the first to have two songs on the "Hit Parade" simultaneously, "You and I" and "Two

in Love." He also produced "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You" and "I See the Moon."

Serious compositions by Willson include the "San Francisco Symphony," "Missions of California" symphony, "Jervis Day" and the "C.C. McIntyre Suite."

Two best-selling books have also been released by Willson, "And There I Stood With My Piccolo," an autobiography, and "Who Did What to Fedelia?"

The entertainer will speak at a luncheon in the Nebraska Ballroom sponsored by the music department and the Extension Division of the University.

The "Weekend" also includes performances by orchestra, opera, glee club and small ensembles.

"Albert Herring," opera by Benjamin Britten, will be presented Jan. 31, Feb. 1, 2 and 3 by the music department and theater department at Howell Memorial Theater at 8 p.m. A limited number of tickets are available for the Wednesday and Thursday performances, according to John Zei, director of the opera.

The Beatrice Public Schools Orchestra directed by Miss Maxine Stone will perform Saturday morning at 9:35 a.m. in the orchestra room of the Westbrook Music Building.

The University Faculty Woodwind Quartet will also perform on Saturday at 10:20 a.m. in the orchestra room. Members of the quartet include Professor Donald Lentz, Associate Professor Wesley Reist, Robert Probasco, Assistant Professor Russell Bedford and Professor Jack Snider.

The Varsity Men's Glee Club will complete the Saturday morning program with a 10 a.m. performance. Under the direction of Professor Raymond Miller the Glee Club will sing a variety of selections including religious music, traditional songs and popular tunes.

The Omaha Youth Symphony Orchestra directed by Professor Kermit Peters of Omaha University will perform at Westbrook Building Saturday at 1:45 following the luncheon.

A Contemporary Music Session arranged by Professor Raymond Hagg will be presented at 2:45 in the Westbrook Building followed by an introduction to the "Albert Herring" opera by Dr. Richard Grace, musical director and John Zei, dramatic director.

A meeting of the NCD will be held Thursday, Feb. 8. A

member of McCarthy's official Nebraska campaign staff will be present, Pokorny noted.

Student's for McCarthy chapter will be formed at this meeting with a constitution already written for the organization.

The Student's for McCarthy will work in conjunction with the Nebraska campaign staff and national staff for McCarthy, headed by Clark.

McCarthy to campaign for Nebraska's primary

Senator Eugene McCarthy will spend "substantial" time in Nebraska campaigning for the Democratic primary May 14, Gené Pokorny, treasurer of Nebraska Concerned Democrats, said Wednesday.

Pokorny said that McCarthy will make a full scale effort to capture the Nebraska primary along with the primaries in Oregon, California, and Massachusetts. He has also entered the New Hampshire primary.

The national campaign manager for McCarthy, Blair Clarty, was in Nebraska on Jan. 4 and spoke with NCD leaders. NCD has taken an official stand behind McCarthy, and will open a campaign office next week.

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Panhellenic has passed a motion that will call for Greek solicitation of trading stamps for a service project during Greek Week.

According to Greek Week chairman Jan Binger, if Greeks collect three and one half million stamps, a bus for the Lincoln Park Department could be purchased for use

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by senior citizens, scouts and service organizations.

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University begins English honorary

Sigma Tau Delta, a professional English fraternity, is being organized at the University this semester according to Nesha Neumeister.

Stephen Hilliard, assistant professor of English, will sponsor the honorary, she said.

Debate team to compete in tourneys

University of Nebraska debate teams will participate in tournaments at Denver, Colorado and Lawrence, Kansas Friday.

As the only national organization for English at the University, "it seeks to promote the mastery of written expression, encourage worthwhile reading, and foster a spirit of fellowship" among men and women professionally engaged in the study or teaching of English.

Suggested criteria for membership, said Miss Neumeister, are 18 hours of English, a 3.5 major average, and a 3.0 cumulative grade point average. This will be decided at an organizational meeting within the next two weeks she added.

Some advantages to membership, said Miss Neumeister, would be an atmosphere of intellectualism in which to discuss literature and the possibility of the group sponsoring seminar speakers.

Seniors eligible for testing

Seniors in Teachers College are eligible to take the National Teacher Examination (NTE) at the Nebraska Hall Testing Station Feb. 3, April 6, or July 6.

Dr. Wesley Meierhenry, assistant dean and coordinator of teacher placement at the University says that many school systems are requiring teacher candidates to take the NTE.

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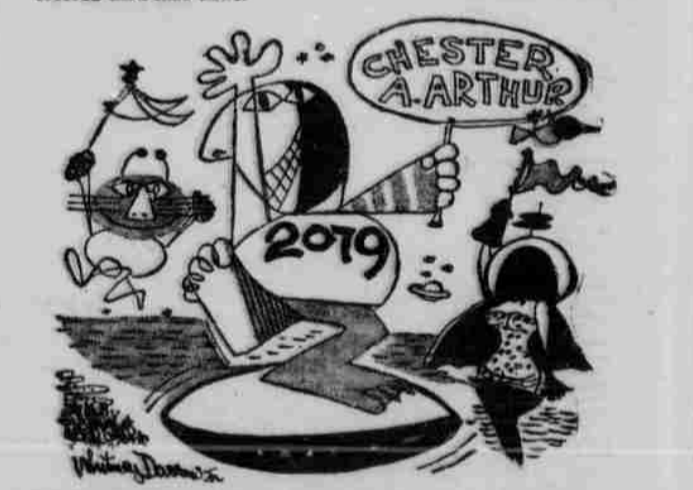
On Campus with Max Shulman

(By the author of "Rally Round the Flag, Boys!" "Dobie Gillis," etc.)

1968: ITS CAUSE AND CURE

Are you still writing "1967" on your papers and letters? I'll bet you are, you scamp! But I am not one to be harsh with those who forgot we are in a new year, for I myself have long been guilty of the same lapse. In fact, in my senior year at college, I wrote 1878 on my papers until nearly November of 1874! (It turned out, incidentally, not to be such a serious error because, as we all know, 1874 was later repealed by President Chester A. Arthur in a fit of pique over the Black Tom Explosion. And, as we all know, Mr. Arthur later came to regret his hasty action. Who does not recall that famous meeting between Mr. Arthur and Louis Napoleon when Mr. Arthur said, "Lou, I wish I hadn't of repealed 1874! Whereupon the French emperor made his immortal rejoinder, "T'piti que vous et tyler tu". Well sir, they had many a good laugh about that, as you can imagine.)

But I digress. How can we remember to write 1968 on our papers and letters? Well sir, the best way is to find something memorable about 1968, something unique to fix it firmly in your mind. Happily, this is very simple because, as we all know, 1968 is the first year in history that is divisible by 2, by 5, and by 7. Take a pencil and try it: 1968 divided by 2 is 984; 1968 divided by 5 is 393.6; 1968 divided by 7 is 281.1. This mathematical curiosity will not occur again until the year 2079, but we will all be so busy then celebrating the Chester A. Arthur bi-centenary that we will scarcely have time to be writing papers and letters and like that.



Another clever little trick to fix the year 1968 in your mind is to remember that 1968 spelled backwards is 8491. "Year" spelled backwards is "raey." "Personna" spelled backwards is "Annosrep." I mention Personna because I am paid to write this column by the makers of Personna Super Stainless Steel Blades, and they are inclined to withhold my check if I omit to mention their product.

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But I digress. We were speaking of the memorable aspects of 1968 and high among them, of course, is the fact that in 1968 the entire House of Representatives stands for election. There will, no doubt, be many lively and interesting contests, but none, I'll wager, quite so lively and interesting as the one in my own district where the leading candidate is none other than Chester A. Arthur!

Mr. Arthur, incidentally, is not the first ex-president to come out of retirement and run for the House of Representatives. John Quincy Adams was the first. Mr. Adams also holds another distinction: he was the first son of a president ever to serve as president. It is true that Martin Van Buren's son, Walter "Blinky" Van Buren, was at one time offered the nomination for the presidency, but he, alas, had already accepted a bid to become Mad Ludwig of Bavaria. James K. Polk's son, on the other hand, became Salmon P. Chase. Millard Fillmore's son went into aluminum siding. This later became known as the Missouri Compromise.

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