

# Vacation approacheth ... Hop to it



## Swing shift experiment held at Massachusetts

Amherst, Mass. — (I.P.) — Swing shift, a pioneer admissions experiment at the University of Massachusetts, is working well, will be continued and may be expanded.

These are the conclusions of a survey by associate admissions Dean Robert J. Doolan on the University's first Swing Shift freshmen — the 80 men and 102 women admitted in June of 1964.

Swing shift, begun at the University and since adopted with modifications by other institutions, creates some additional spaces for those qualified freshmen who remain in the admission files after all regular freshmen class openings are filled.

The Swing Shift group takes its first semester of work during the summer,

leaves campus for study elsewhere or work during fall semester, then returns to complete its freshman year in the spring semester.

Swing Shifters return to fill spaces created by between-semester graduations, dropouts and other causes. The program, which now admits an average of 300 freshmen a year, helps the University utilize facilities to the fullest extent on a year-round basis.

The survey in general indicates that Swing Shift performance levels are as high and in some cases higher than those of regularly-admitted freshmen. "There was less academic attrition at the end of their freshman year than the 'regular' class and they performed at an equal academic level," Doolan reports. "Their academic major selections and their performance fell within the general range of the class of 1968."

The cumulative academic average for the Swing Shift group during the first semester was 2.30 on a three-point scale, definitely better than the regular class first-semester average of 1.94. The balance changed during the second semester, the Swing Shift grade average dropping to 2.03 and the regular average climbing to 2.09.

The summer session, with fewer students and fewer activities going on, probably helps to boost the Swing Shift first-semester average, according to Doolan. The second semester drop may have been caused by the adjustment of the re-entry, he added.

The academic dismissal rate for Swing Shift was 7 per cent at the end of the first year, far below the total dismissal rate of 13 per cent for the whole class.

"The results of this study justify the original decision to begin the program and to continue it to the present time," Doolan concludes. "Since 1964, the program has provided opportunities for study at the University for almost 1500 young men and women who would have been denied admission into the regular academic year."

"The program should be continued, and with the increasing number of qualified applicants each year, should be expanded," he said.

## Matchbox

### PINNINGS

Marsha Elkon, Sigma Delta Tau freshman in speech from Omaha, to Todd Greenstone, Sigma Alpha Mu sophomore in physical education from Omaha.

Mary Stuart, Student at Creighton University in Omaha, to Bill Dowd, Pi Kappa Alpha junior from Omaha.

### ENGAGEMENTS

Ruth Watson, Gamma Phi Beta sophomore in elementary education from O'Neill, to Tom Hanse, Sigma Chi senior from Plattsmouth.

Sandra Chalupsky, senior in home economics education from Burwell, to Jack Vandewalle, Ag Men senior in pharmacy from Albion.

Vicki Evans, Alpha Chi Omega senior in teachers college from Lincoln, to James Herzog, Alpha Gamma Rho senior in agriculture from Bloomfield. Jo McDowell, Alpha Xi Delta senior in home economics education from Arnold to John Sennet, in pre-law from Mason City.

Cheryl Linquist, Alpha Xi Delta freshman in history from Omaha to Paul Jensen sophomore in pre-law from Kearney.

Margie Schessler, Towne Club senior in anthropology from Lincoln, to Richard Osborne, Tau Kappa Epsilon junior in business administration from Houston, Texas.

Betty Christensen, Kappa Delta senior in teachers college from Omaha, to Tim Turner, Acacia junior in political science from Omaha.

### PINNINGS

Bev Rabe, Gamma Phi Beta sophomore in elementary education from Lincoln, to Allen Murphy, Kappa Sigma sophomore in business from Rockford, Ill.

Sandie Kirkegaard, Smith Hall sophomore in speech therapy from Omaha, to Craig Lamaster, Harper Hall sophomore in speech therapy from Omaha.

Karen Kellogg, Sigma Kappa junior in mathematics from Emerson to Andy Kuhn, Delta Chi junior in business administration at Midland College in Fremont.

Janice Lawler, senior in history and psychology from Riverside, Calif., to Jim Lentz, Triangle senior in architecture from Wood Ridge, N.J.

### ENGAGEMENTS

Jan Clarke, Sellenck junior in liberal arts from Omaha, to Dennis Huffaker, Triangel junior in civil engineering from Omaha.

Cheryl Van Vleck, sophomore in teachers college from Lincoln, to Norman Hayes, Triangle sophomore in civil engineering from Superior.

Cindy Null, Sigma Kappa junior in elementary education from Lincoln, to Steve Werner, junior in history from Hebron.

Jean Reynolds, Sigma Kappa senior in speech therapy from Omaha to Dave Ley, finance major from Lincoln.

Linda Henrichs, Zeta Tau Alpha senior in elementary education from Lincoln, to Tom Haase, Phi Gamma Delta senior in pre-law from Lincoln.

Pat Dunn, Fedde Hall senior in dietetics from Osceola, to Dennis Rittenhouse, Cather Hall sophomore in matrematics and physical education from Lewellen.

Susy Vlach, Sandoz senior in home economics and journalism from Cotesfield, to Doug Milbourn, Beta Sigma Psi senior in pre-law from Columbus.

Kathy Klingman, Love Memorial Hall sophomore in home economics education from Chappell, to Allen Cunningham, University of Missouri junior in wildlife from Fullerton.

Ginny Ashburn, sophomore in psychology from Omaha, to Gary Gunderson, Delta Upsilon alum from Omaha.

## Campus Calendar

### THURSDAY, APRIL 3

(All events in the Nebraska Union unless otherwise indicated.)

12 p.m. Tri-University Project  
Martin Luther King Memorial Week Films

12:30 p.m. College of Engi. & Arch.

2:30 p.m. Christian Science Org.

3 p.m. Peace Corp Testing  
Union Contemporary Arts

3:30 p.m. American Marketing Club  
People to People  
Hyde Park

4 p.m. Union Special Events

4:30 p.m. SDS

6 p.m. AUF Exec.

6:30 p.m. Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia  
Christian Science Org.

7 p.m. Peace Corp-Movie  
Quiz Bowl

Baptist Student Union  
YWCA-Cultural Crafts  
AUF  
Quiz Bowl Isolation

7:30 p.m. Career Scholars Seminar

Math Counselors  
Glee Club Concert

8 p.m. Student Action Front

8:30 p.m. Policies Control Committee

9:30 p.m. Spring Day

## SAF plans orientation for all volunteers

The Student Action Front (SAF) will hold an orientation for all volunteers Thursday evening in the Nebraska Union, according to Dan Looker, SAF member.

"We'll explain how SAF works, what it does and exactly what is involved in various assignments available to volunteers," Looker explained.

He added that some volunteers who have been working in several Lincoln neighborhoods will explain what they have been doing. Looker said that slides of action agencies and community centers would be shown.

The orientation is open to all volunteers and students interested in working with SAF.

## Educators debate Afro-American study

(ACP) — The role of Afro-American studies in undergraduate education was debated vigorously by a militant from San Francisco State College and the moderate head of the United Negro College Fund at the annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges in Pittsburgh, Pa.

"A black education which is not revolutionary in the current day is both irrelevant and useless," Nathan Hare, chairman of the department of black studies at San Francisco State, said.

"To remain impartial in the educational arena is to allow the current partiality to whiteness to fester. Black education must be based on both ideological and pedagogical blackness," Hare said.



Ray Vavak Jr., a candidate for the ASUN presidency, addresses a meeting of the newly formed Student Independent Party.

# ASUN ticket formed; SIP eyes elections

The Student Independent Party (SIP) announced Wednesday the formation of a campus political party for this year's ASUN election.

Ray Vavak Jr., a senior in political science, announced his candidacy for president of ASUN. His executive ticket includes Randall Prier as candidate for first-vice-president and Tim Kincaid for second vice-president.

Vavak said he has ten senatorial candidates who are running with SIP. He added that more candidates are expected to join his party.

Commenting on the educational reforms SIP proposes, Vavak said that he would like to see changes in at least four main directions:

—Frequent and open public meetings by Board of Regents. He advocated one student be elected to the Board of Regents with full voting powers.

—Commenting on educational reforms Vavak emphasized the necessity of conducting classes with a maximum set enrollment of 30 students.

"These classes," he said, "should conduct one seminar a week, at least."

Vavak then said that his party would work to abolish the present Greek system. "We want to initiate reforms in this direction," Vavak said.

Commenting on the present prevailing parking problems, Vavak added that he would like to see the elimination of parking meters. Park-

ing space should be on a first come first serve basis, he said.

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### Miscellaneous:

Reading Dynamics classes. April Series begin April 3, 7:00 p.m. For information, call Bob Henderson 435-8359 or 435-2168.

Lost: brown briefcase, in Coliseum. Reward offered. Call 799-2225.

## AWS election scheduled for April 18

University women will vote April 18 for AWS representatives for next year and to select the 1969 May Queen, according to Neesha Neumiester, AWS spokesman.

May Queen finalists include: Cheryl Adams, from Broken Bow, served as ASUN 2nd vice-president, and was the recipient of the Junior Key Award.

Maggie Evenson, from Soldier, Iowa, is a Pom Pom Girl, and 1968 Nebraska Sweetheart.

Sally Leonard, from Auburn, serves as Tassels president, was a finalist for NU Sweetheart.

Mimi Hester, Lincoln, served as Pom Pom Girl, and was a member of Budders.

Tyche Lindquist, from Ashland, has been active in A.C.E., and Angel Flight.

Joleen Phillips, from Wallace, was a finalist for Nebraska Sweetheart, and a 1967-68 Homecoming Attendant.

Nancy Probasco, from Lincoln, served as ASUN treasurer, and received the Gold Key in Business Administration.

Ruthie Saunders, from Omaha, has been active in AWS Congress, and Union.

Nyla Soukup, from Seward, was a Bes-Dressed Coed, and a Miss E-Week finalist.

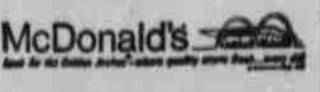
Shirley Waggoner, from Huntly, was 2nd runner-up in the Miss Nebraska-Land Pageant, and worked on the Cornhusker.

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