

SLPP platform— a real platform

by Steve Strasser

Ask for a platform, you get a platform.

The Daily Nebraskan asked parties entered in the ASUN elections to submit their platforms. The Get Off Your Apathy (GOYA) party and the Unity and Progress (UP) party produced paper platforms full of promises. The Surrealist Light People's Party (SLPP) is the only one that submitted paper promises of a platform.

In SLPP's words: "The platform shall be placed in the coliseum (sic) on the main floor with bi axial (sic) symmetry relative to the goal posts. The platform shall be 60 yards by 90 yards. The platform shall be of a reinforced structural concrete base, with a Mozzola (sic) oil top surface contained by a semi-permeable latex membrane."

We include the unorthodox spelling because, frankly, SLPP's statement is so confusing to our comparatively orthodox minds that we're not at all sure the unusual spelling and sentence structure throughout SLPP's thesis are unintentional.

The SLPP may be conversing on an existential level too far removed from that of your average, unstimulated Daily Nebraskan staff writer. High, high in the clouds.

For instance, if someone came up to you and promised to "press for enviorements (sic) that nurture (sic) actualization (sic) and neuron optimisation (sic)," would you criticize their spelling?

SLPP speaks from heights of irreproachable authority. Consider: "There are those who will speak to the issues. SLPP wishes to speak to those who issue the issues." That has the same ring as "Ask not what your country can do for you . . ."

Controversial issues dissolve before SLPP's logic: "Some have spoke (sic) of the need for a day-care center. Surrealistically SLPP can say the day can take care of itself."

You can see why we don't presume to correct

SLPP's spelling.

SLPP candidates for executive positions are Shama: Jack Mason, president, and Willie Wonka, first vice president. Two SLPP candidates are running for the ASUN senate.

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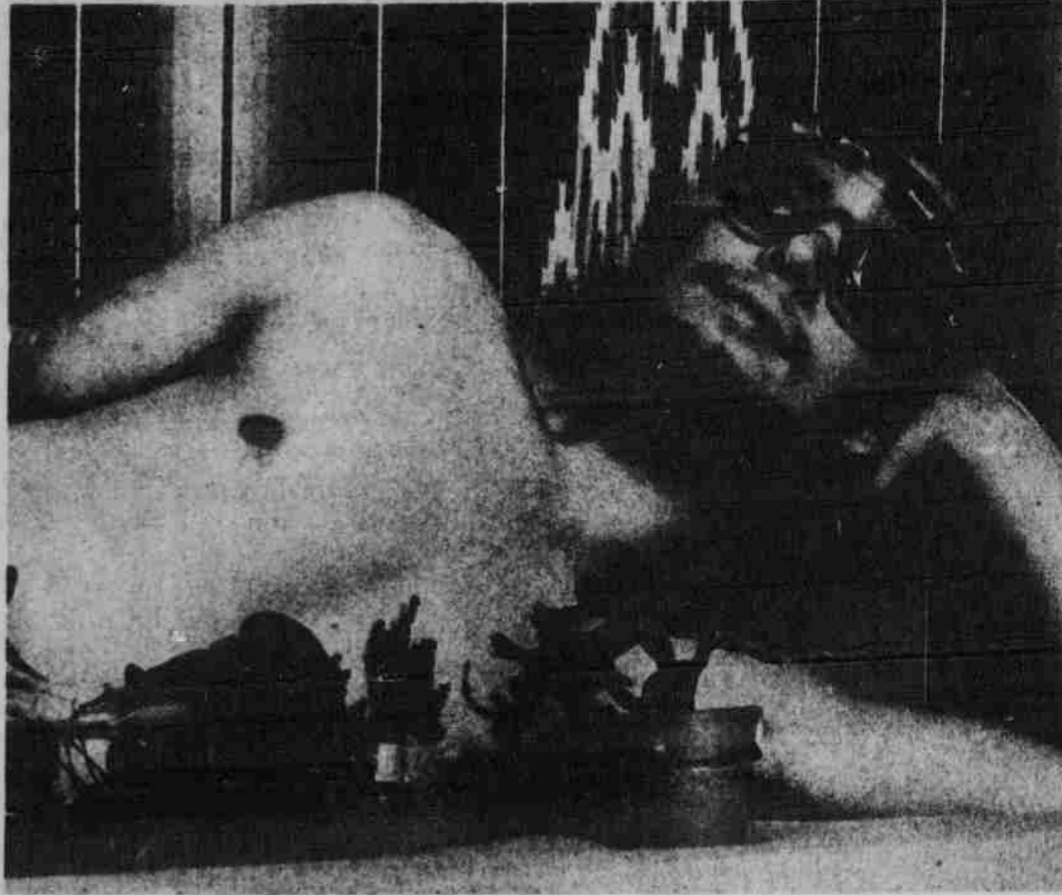
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Willie Wonka . . . SLPP second vice presidential candidate.



Shaman Jack Mason . . . the SLPP presidential candidate promises to build a platform.

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