

Breckenridge to wear one hat

By George Miller

When Roy Young becomes UNL Chancellor on June 1, it also will mean that Adam Breckenridge, UNL interim chancellor since Oct. 1 gives up one of two hats he has been wearing.

In the seven months that Breckenridge has been as chancellor he also has served as vice-chancellor for academic affairs, the job he held when he was picked to replace James Zumberge who left Lincoln Oct. 1 to become president of Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Breckenridge said he thought his biggest accomplishment while interim chancellor was "achieving better liaison with various campus groups" which includes students, other Nebraskans and interest groups, through lunches, meetings with groups and civic clubs and telephone conversations.

Through all of this, Breckenridge said, he gained a better understanding of the interests and problems of the university staff and students than he otherwise would have.

Outlook the same

However, he said, he doubted that his outlook or attitudes toward the university have changed much, mostly because he has been a staff member for 30 years.

His greatest disappointment, Breckenridge said, was that he had "hoped to get better acquainted with the department chairmen and learn more about their activities."

He said he found he did not have the time to do all that he wanted, sometimes wishing that "there were two more days in a week."

Breckenridge said he thought Zumberge's replacement would have been found sooner, but said he never

expected him to take office until May or June since "it takes time for a person to pull up stakes" and move to another city.

Besides also serving as vice chancellor for academic affairs, Breckenridge said he also served as chairman of the Central Planning Commission, which makes recommendations for new buildings and remodelings, the Academic Planning Committee and the Teachers Council, which concerns itself with improvements in teaching techniques.

'Difficult job'

With additional tasks, Breckenridge said the chancellor's job is a "difficult one, but not an impossible one."

"You need degrees of fortitude and you don't always do the popular thing," he said. "You have to make choices."

"If you wait until you know you are right (to make a decision), you'll accomplish nothing," he said.

Breckenridge said he does not think there will be an "erosion" of jurisdiction from the individual NU campuses to the University Systems Office.

Since the Nebraska Legislature created the current NU system with three campus and one central office, there was bound to be resentment on the part of the campuses toward the central office, which tries to coordinate the campuses, he said.

After June 1, Breckenridge said, he will work with Young to acquaint him with UNL. He said he was "delighted" with Young, even though he has met him only a few times.

Young is "sensitive to the interests and needs of the university," he said, adding that Oregon State University, where Young currently is vice-president for research and graduate studies, has many programs similar to UNL's.



NU second highest in resident tuition total

By Gail Smith

At the April 17 NU Board of Regents meeting, President D. B. Varner said he would recommend a 10 per cent tuition increase for next year.

And several other Big 8 Conference schools also may be increasing their tuition and fee rates.

Of the Big 8 schools, the University of Colorado (CU) had the highest resident and nonresident total tuition and fees for 1975-76 academic year. The University of Oklahoma (OU) has the lowest tuition and fees total in both categories, while NU had the second highest resident total and the third highest nonresident total.

Registration ends for voters today

Six p.m. Friday is the deadline for voter registration for the May 11 Nebraska primary election. American citizens 18 years and older must register in their home town, but there are no residence requirements, according to a spokesman at the Lancaster County Election Commission.

Two voter registration locations in Lincoln, open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday are the Gateway auditorium and the Lancaster County Election Commissioner's Office, lower level County-City Bldg. 555 S. 10th St.

The May 11 balloting will determine delegates to the national party conventions, and narrow the number of candidates for the NU Board of Regents, president, Lancaster County commissioner, U.S. senators and a representative from the first Congressional district. Three charter amendments also will be decided.

UNL Young Democrats and Young Republicans chapters are not conducting organized voter registration drives, but the presidents of both groups said they are urging members to vote.

Kent Fillman, Young Republicans president, said his organization has polled its members to determine their voting trends and results have been sent to candidates.

Fillman, junior business major from York, said President Ford and John McCollister Committee members are encouraging registration on campus.

Sue Fox, sophomore agronomy major from Lincoln and acting president of Young Democrats, said campus registration was started in January during Walpurgisnacht, but no drive now is being conducted.

The figures were provided by Jim Knisely, UNL assistant comptroller. He said the Big 8 business officers meet once a year to discuss common problems and to exchange data, including tuition and fee rates. The figures are the totals for one student for a two-semester academic year averaging 30 hours.

A tuition increase at CU is "very likely," according to William Douglas, dean of admissions and records. He said the Colorado Legislature still is preparing a bill that includes the CU appropriation. The size of the appropriation will determine how much tuition rates would increase, he added.

Cut in special fees

However, CU students' special fees probably will decrease slightly next year, said Marge Koenig, who is in charge of assessing CU tuition and fees. She said the fees are not intended to gross more money than is needed for various activities and groups, and the current fee of \$89.75 a semester was higher than the amount needed. Next year's fee for each semester probably will be \$89.25 for both residents and nonresidents, she said.

But at the University of Kansas (KU), special fees will increase by 90 cents a semester, said William Kelly, associate dean of admissions and records. For residents and nonresidents, he said, the "campus privilege" fees will increase from \$83 a semester to \$83.90.

Kelly said the major part of the increase is to support a "satellite" Union to be built on the KU campus. No increase in the tuition charge currently is planned, he said.

Kansas State University (KSU) also will raise its special fees next fall, according to Warren Strauss, an accountant in the KSU comptroller's office. Increased student health

and recreation fees will increase the fee charged by \$13 a semester or \$26 for two semesters, he said, so the \$122 two-semester charge for residents and nonresidents will become \$148.

No increase at KSU

Strauss said no tuition increase now is planned for next fall at KSU.

No tuition or fee increase is planned at Iowa State University (ISU) said Virginia Crow, administrative assistant to the ISU vice-president for business.

For Oklahoma State University, the State Regents for Higher Education may approve an increase in tuition rates, said E. E. Davidson, vice-president for business and finance.

Davidson said the Oklahoma Legislature has not decided on the appropriation for the state's higher education institutions. The state regents asked for a \$40 million increase for higher education in Oklahoma, he said, but the Legislature has indicated the increase actually may be about \$22 million.

If the appropriation is not considered high enough to meet costs, Davidson said, there probably will be a tuition increase.

MU maybe

Donald Hoehle, fiscal business officer for the University of Missouri-Columbia (MU), said there may be an increase in tuition and fees for MU students.

Hoehle said MU system President C. Bryce Ratchford said in an April 23 letter to the university governing board, the Board of Curators, that he intended to propose a \$30 a semester increase in resident tuition. An increase in nonresident tuition may be included also, Hoehle said.

Resident Tuition and Special Fees, 1975-76 (Figures are for two academic semesters, averaging 30 hours)				Nonresident Tuition and Special Fees, 1975-76 (Figures are for two semesters, average 30 hours)			
University	Tuition	Special Fees	Total	University	Tuition	Special Fees	Total
University of Oklahoma	\$367.50	\$102.50	\$470	University of Oklahoma	\$1,147.50	\$102.50	\$1,250
Oklahoma State University	367.50	106.50	474	Oklahoma State University	1,147.50	106.50	1,254
Kansas State University	410	122	532	Kansas State University	1,200	122	1,322
University of Kansas	410	166	576	University of Kansas	1,200	166	1,366
University of Missouri	540	44	584	Iowa State University	1,450.50	79.50	1,530
Iowa State University	580.50	79.50	660	University of Nebraska	1,447.50	123	1,570.50
University of Nebraska	540	123	663	University of Missouri	1,620	44	1,664
University of Colorado	531	179.50	710.50	University of Colorado	2,123	179.50	2,302.50

calendar

- Weather Extended Forecast—Clearing and Warmer, high in the 70s.
- Calendar
- 8 a.m.—Nebraska University Librarians Conference—Nebraska Center for Continuing Education, (NCCE) 33rd and Holdrege streets.
- 8 a.m.—Flights and Study Tour—Nebraska Union 232.
- 8:30 a.m.—English 255.
- Business Writing—Union 216.
- 9 a.m.—Flights and Study Tours—Union 203.
- 9 a.m.—Student Y: Mens.
- Awareness—Union 337.
- 11:30 a.m.—Knickrehm School 4th grade—Union North Conference Room.
- Noon—School of Journalism Luncheon—Union Pewter Room.
- Noon—Winside School—Union 202.
- Noon—International Studies Office; Films—Union Main Lounge.
- 1:30 p.m.—American Pharmaceutical Association—Union Auditorium.
- 5:30 p.m.—Coach's Clinic
- Dinner—Union Harvest Room.
- 6:30 p.m.—Block and Bridle Banquet—Union Centennial Room.
- 7:30 p.m.—Intervarsity Christian Fellowship—Union 202.
- 8 p.m.—University Theatre; Streetcar Named Desire—Howell Theatre, 12th and R streets.
- 8 p.m.—University Singers—Kimball Recital Hall, 11th and R streets.
- Saturday
- 8 a.m.—Black Women Speak Conference—NCCE.
- 1:30 p.m.—Track: NU vs. Iowa State—Ed Wier Track.
- 2 p.m.—Baseball: UNL vs. the University of Nebraska at Omaha—UNL Diamond.
- 8 p.m.—University Theatre: Streetcar Named Desire—Howell Theatre.
- 8 p.m.—Opera Scenes—Westbrook 123, 11th and R streets.
- Sunday
- 1:30 p.m.—Audio Tours of Exhibits—University of Nebraska State Museum, 14th and U streets.
- 2 p.m.—Mary Keogh Paintings—Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery, 12th and R streets.
- 2:30 p.m.—Sky Show: "Search For the Gods"—Mueller Planetarium, 14th and U streets.
- 4 p.m.—Varsity Men's Glee Club and Women's Chorus Concert—Kimball Hall.

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