

## Exon: Arms control agreement is essential

The arms control issue between the United States and the Soviet Union is the issue of the decade, the century and of mankind, Sen. J. James Exon said Saturday. The senator spoke at the Lancaster County Democratic Party fund-raiser, in the East Union.

Exon said if the United States and the Soviet Union do not come to a successful arms agreement within a few years, they will never be able to stop the spread of nuclear weapons in the world.

Exon called for the United States and the Soviet Union to act together as a police force to control arms around the world.

The senator also spoke of his concerns about the federal deficit. He said most people think the fastest growing item in the budget is military spending, while it is actually the interest the government must pay on the deficit. The interest costs \$4,000 per second, he said.

In 1981, President Reagan promised a balanced budget by 1984 and budget surpluses after that, but he has since been the "leader of the most astonishing surge in the nation's deficit," Exon said.

Reagan ended the fiscal year Sept. 30 with a budget deficit of more than \$200 billion. Exon said he expects that figure to double within a year.

Exon quoted Reagan as saying that his administration would not sit on its hands and do nothing about the budget deficit. Exon said it "would have been far better if the president had, indeed, sat on his hands."

Exon also expressed his concerns about the current agricultural situation by saying that he would like to see agriculture used as an instrument of peace.

The United States needs to recognize that agricultural abundance is an asset and that family-size farms deserve a fair return, he said.

## Police Report

The following incidents were reported to the UNL police between 1 a.m. Thursday and 10 p.m. Saturday.

**Thursday**  
1:25 a.m. — A car stereo reported stolen from a car at 2224 U St.

2:15 a.m. — Fire alarm reported sounding at Manter Hall, possibly because it malfunctioned.

7:45 a.m. — Landscape bricks reported stolen or damaged at the College of Home Economics building.

10:30 a.m. — Briefcase reported stolen from Law College.

10:35 a.m. — Ten gallons of gas reported siphoned from government vehicles parked in the Auto Compound on East Campus.

10:47 a.m. — Wallet reported stolen at 1541 S St.

1:30 p.m. — Window reported broken at Burnett Hall. According to reports, a student who failed a test slammed a door causing a window to break. The student paid for the damage.

1:38 p.m. — Ladder reported stolen at 1531 S St.

4:31 p.m. — Belated report of indecent exposure at Andrews Hall.

7:35 p.m. — Twenty-seven dollars reported stolen from a locked room in Abel Hall.

8:13 p.m. — Tape recorder reported stolen from Westbrook Music building.

10:43 p.m. — Fire alarm reported sounding in Abel Hall. According to reports, the alarm was set off by a fire in a trash chute, possibly caused by ignited paper wads intentionally thrown down it.

**Friday**  
12:08 a.m. — A woman reportedly called for an officer from the emergency phone at 19th and Vine streets. Officers couldn't locate anyone in the area.

2:15 a.m. — Intoxicated person reported at Selleck Quadrangle. The person was turned over to the Office of University Housing.

2:37 a.m. — Loud noise reported at Broyhill Fountain.

11:26 a.m. — Purse reported stolen from an unlocked room in Selleck Quadrangle.

11:58 a.m. — Two-car accident reported in Parking Area 36 near the Dental College at 40th and Holdrege streets. No injuries and moderate damage were reported.

3:16 p.m. — Hit-and-run accident reported in Parking Area 1 by Cather Hall. Damage is estimated at \$200.

4:24 p.m. — Noise and fireworks reported in front of 1430 Idlywild Drive. Officers couldn't find the persons responsible.

5:51 p.m. — Intoxicated person reported at 10th and U streets. Officers took him to the Lincoln Detoxification Center.

6:06 p.m. — Beer bottles reported smashing through window of a parked car at 23rd and Vine streets.

6:36 p.m. — Two males reported trespassing at Mable Lee Hall. Officers warned the trespassers and they left.

8:18 p.m. — Security alarm reported sounding at 3705 Chapin Circle, a university-owned house. According to reports, it was an accident.

11:30 p.m. — Loud stereo reported near 16th Street between S and T streets. Officers couldn't find the persons responsible.

11:43 p.m. — UNL police helped the Lincoln Police Department find a person wanted for disturbing the peace.

**Saturday**  
12:38 a.m. — Bottles reported being thrown out of windows at Schramm Hall. Loud music also was reported. Officers couldn't find persons responsible.

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## Annual livestock contest yields winning exhibitors

By Randy Christy

Sixty-six exhibitors participated in the Block and Bridle Club's Little Ak-Sar-Ben Showmanship Contest Friday at the East Campus Judging Pavilion.

Horses, sheep, dairy cattle, swine and beef cattle were the livestock categories in the university-wide contest. Each category had novice and an expert category competition.

Dirk Jones won the overall Grand Champion Showman with Terry Maul receiving Grand Champion honors.

Expert competition winners were: horse — Christy Jensen; sheep — Jones; dairy — Tracy Moore; swine — Maul; beef — Lois Vech.

Winners in the novice competition were: horse — Jay Wolverton; sheep — Vonda Felster; dairy — Deb Scholtz; swine — Denise Gary; beef — Cindy Jensen.

The animals are provided by the university, and each competitor is given

one week to work with the animal and prepare it for the show, said Marc Bauer, co-chairman of the event.

"The show provides the students in the university an opportunity to show animals competitively, but most of all, it's a lot of fun," Bauer said.

Rodger Johnson, senior faculty advisor of the Block and Bridle Club, said the benefits of the show are two-fold. "It gives the students a chance to interact... and members of the club gain experience in planning such an event," Johnson said.

The show is an annual event. Ribbons and plaques are donated by the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben of Omaha.

Most of the competitors have had experience showing livestock in high school, but the contest allows them to work with types of livestock they have not shown before, officials said.

"This is the only chance I get to show anymore," Jeff Mencke, a senior majoring in animal science, said. "It's fun, and I like the competition."

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Linda Hirschman keeps her eye on the judge during Little Ak-Sar-Ben, in the Livestock Pavilion at East Campus Friday afternoon. One week ago, the Block and Bridle Club assigned the lamb to Hirschman to prepare and show at the contest.