## Student watch group gets new office

By Jonathan Taylor

The Nebraska Union Board voted Tuesday night to reallocate space in the Nebraska Union that was previously occupied by the Student Y Office, to the Student Watch Organization.

"It was apparent they (the Student Y) haven't been using their space up there," Phil Karsting,

operations committee chairman said.

Student Y lost its full-time staffing, causing it to subsequently lose some of its United Way funding. The organization, he said hasn't used the space since it was assigned July 1.

Because the Student Y had no elected officers, a letter was sent to a contact person, notifying the organization that it might be denied office space in the union. Kuhn said the board did not receive a

The Student Watch Organization was sharing office space with the International Student Organization in Room 345-10, and now shares Room 335B with the Young Republicans and Student Veteran

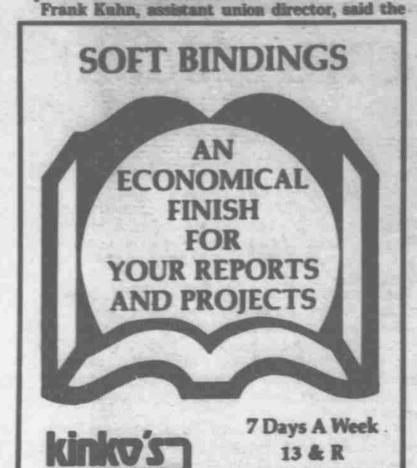
Union Director Daryl Swanson informed the board that he had received the final report on the reallocation or consolidation of the union bookstores and supply store from Ken White and Associates, college bookstere consultants.

Swanson said the Bookstore Reallocation Committee attached its recommendations to the report at its final meeting and plans to forward it to UNL Chancellor Martin Massengale.

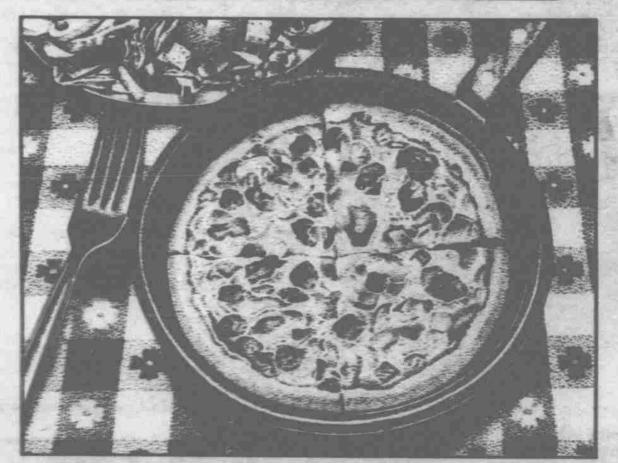
He will then review the report and submit his own recommendations, Swanson said.

There are two options being studied for the bookstores' reallocation, Swanson said. The leading choice involves construction of a completely new building in the lot across from Memorial Plaza in front of Selleck Quadrangle. The other option would be to consolidate the two bookstores and supply store in the area now occupied by the Recreation Center.

Swanson said the stores are very difficult to manage now because the bookstores are in the basement and their offices are on the third floor.



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### Weinberger orders troops withdrawal

WASHINGTON — Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger said Wednesday night that all hostilities on Grenada have ceased and that he has directed all U.S. forces on the Caribbean island to begin withdrawing, the Pentagon said. U.S. officials in Grenada said earlier that 2,300 servicemen on the island would leave by air today for Fort Bragg, N.C. The pullout would leave about 3,000 U.S. servicemen on the island. The withdrawal announcement followed the evacuation from Grenada earlier in the day of 57 wounded Cuban soldiers, who were given a hero's welcome by Cuban President Fidel Castro when they arrived in

Deputy Secretary of State Kenneth Dam told a congressional panel that the Soviet Union. Cuba and North Korea signed secret agreements with Grenada to provide arms to the

#### U.N. deplores invasion

UNITED NATIONS — The General Assembly Wednesday approved without debate a resolution deeply deploring the armed intervention in Grenada and calling for the immediate withdrawal of foreign troops from the Caribbean island. The United States, whose troops led the invasion, vetoed Friday a similar resolution in the Security Council. The 158-nation assembly approved the proposal, submitted by Nicaragua and Zimbabwe, by 108 votes to 9 with 27 abstentions. There is no veto in the assembly.

Troops from the United States and seven caribbean lands entered Grenada Oct. 25 after a coup led by Marxist extremists in which Prime Minister Maurice Bishop and several members of his cabinet were killed.

#### Defense bill approved

WASHINGTON — The House Wednesday approved 328-97 a record \$247 billion defense bill containing funds for all major military systems requested by President Reagan except chemical weapons. Efforts to delete funding for the MX missile and the B-1 bomber were defeated.

#### November shuttle launch

NEW YORK - The ninth space shuttle mission, which will carry the first European member of a U.S. space crew, will be launched Nov. 28, NASA announced Wednesday. The launch date had been in doubt because of concerns about how much scientific information could be gathered by the six-man crew during wintertime in the Northern Hemisphere.

The flight will be an unprecedented joint venture between the U.S. and the European space agencies, with NASA providing the shuttle and ESA providing the billion-dollar Spacelab, a self-contained scientific research labor-

#### Reagan signs King bill

WASHINGTON - President Reagan Wednesday signed a bill creating a holiday in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. and praised the slain civil rights leader as a man "whose words and deeds stirred our nation to the depth of its soul." Reagan credited King with helping him win passage of landmark civil rights legislation in 1964 and 1965 and lauded him for remain-ing committed to non-violence despite of frequent beatings and arrests. King was assassinated in 1908 in Memphis, Tenn.

### New York frees inmates

NEW YORK — City officials Wednesday reluctantly freed dozens of muggers, thieves and petty criminals from overcrowded jails even though Mayor Edward Koch said he feared the public would be exposed to a crime wave. The city's commissioner in charge of prisons, Benjamin Ward, said at least 341 prisoners being held on bail of \$1,500 or less would be set free by week's end. Bail for the prisoners, by court order, was reduced by 90 percent. The prisoners were released because U.S. District Judge Morris Lasker ruled that the city's jails were overcrowded.