

# Tenth Street safe after changes, study says

By Todd von Kampen  
Senior Reporter

A study of North 10th Street traffic, which started after a UNL student was injured crossing it last spring, found the street needed only minor changes to improve pedestrian safety, a city traffic engineer said Monday.

John Tobin said the city's transportation department has restriped crosswalks and traffic lanes and lowered the speed limit along the street between Q Street and Avery Avenue. However, he said, the study indicated installing a stoplight along the stretch would not decrease the already low accident rate.

The city launched the study after Fusan Sayood, a UNL graduate student in chemistry, was hit by a car April 30 while in the crosswalk on North 10th Street near UNL's 501 building.

Several faculty members, including Sayood's husband, Khalid Sayood, an assistant professor of electrical engineering, complained that the crossing

was dangerous, especially for those who cross the street several times a day.

The study found that between 2,700 and 3,300 people daily cross the stretch of North 10th Street passing through UNL, Tobin said. Over the last three and a half years, two pedestrians have been injured, he said.

Tobin said the city prefers to avoid installing stoplights whenever the evidence shows pedestrians are watching the traffic well without them. Although parking stalls are available along the street near the 501 Building, he said, they are far enough removed from the traffic flow that pedestrians and motorists can see each other well.

To give pedestrians a greater safety margin, Tobin said, the city decided to lower the speed limit from 35 mph to 30 mph between R Street and Avery Avenue. He said the study showed that most motorists accelerate to the 35-mph limit upon entering the stretch from Lincoln's central business district.

Tobin said the city restriped the crosswalks at 10th and U streets to direct pedestrians onto the island in the middle of the intersection. He said the study showed that pedestrians were using the island as a "pedestrian

refuge" from traffic, which made more sense to city engineers than continuing the previous "three-leg" crosswalk striping.

Lane striping on North 10th Street near Avery Avenue has been moved so

that vehicles travel closer to the west side of the street, Tobin said. By doing so, he said, the city hopes to give motorists westbound on Avery Avenue a better view of northbound traffic and prevent roadside accidents.

## Bessey Hall now 'quality space'

By Linda Hartmann  
Staff Reporter

Bessey Hall's remodeled rooms and auditorium are a welcome change for the UNL geology and anthropology departments, said Peter Bleed, anthropology department chairman.

Bleed said his department did not gain office space, but the quality of its space improved. The department formerly was housed in Benton Hall.

The move means anthropology offices, research areas, labs and classrooms are all in the same building rather than scattered across campus, he said. The quality of lab and research space also is much improved, Bleed said.

"Anthropology is very object-oriented," he said. "We spend a lot of time looking at objects, pictures and slides. Bessey provides good space for that, especially the auditorium."

The geology department also was able to regroup scattered offices and define specific lab and research areas, said Samuel Treves, department chairman.

Research space now is next to the professors' offices. Treves said the move will make research easier.

"Consequently, more research will be done," he said.

Geology students now have a new lab for studying the effects of ground water.

No new equipment was needed, Treves

said, because the department bought equipment in the last few years anticipating the move to Bessey Hall.

Treves said the geology department has improved computer resources and a large library, which takes up most of the building's lower level.

"The space available will carry expansion (of the library) well into the next century," Treves said.

Treves said expansion of the library was not possible in its former location on Morrill Hall's fourth floor.

The \$3.46 million dollar project began in May 1984 and was finished this summer.

"Bessey Hall's renovation was really an economical project," Bleed said. "We really made an efficient use of space."


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## Shorts

Nationally known Nebraska author Gail Rock's work will be featured in two programs this month. The event is part of continuing programming by the Heritage Room and The Nebraska Literary Heritage Association to increase the public's awareness of the resources and services of the Heritage Room in the Bennett Martin Public Library.

A videotape of the CBS special featuring Rock's "The Thanksgiving Treasure" will be at 2 p.m., Saturday, in the auditorium on the 4th floor of the Bennett Martin Public Library. This program is free and open to the public.

Rock will appear in person and discuss her work at 2 p.m. Sept. 29. Her CBS special, "House Without A Christmas Tree," will be shown during this program, in the auditorium on the 4th floor of Bennett Martin. This program also is open to the public free of charge.

"Welfare: Who should be entitled to public help?" is the topic for a National

Issues Forum discussion Thursday, at McPhee School, 820 S. 15th St. The discussions are sponsored by the UNL Division of Continuing Studies in cooperation with the Domestic Policy Association.

The association, supported by the Kettering Foundation, is a network of educational institutions and collaborating organizations concerned with public policy issues.

The National Issues Forums try to define what the public interest is, and how it can best be served.

The weekly discussions on the welfare topic will be moderated by Ronald H. Ozaki, UNL professor of social work, and are limited to 25 participants. They will end before Thanksgiving.

Dates, locations and registration information are available by calling the UNL Division of Continuing Studies, 472-1924. A small registration fee includes the cost of the study guide for each discussion. Participants may register for one, two or all three discussion topics.

"Lessons From Total Wars," a series of six diverse events offered to the public by Nebraska Wesleyan in cooperation with the Nebraska Committee for the Humanities. The first event, Women in War, continues through Oct. 4, except on Mondays, at the Elder Gallery, Rogers Center for Fine Arts, 50th and Huntington streets. This exhibit includes war propaganda posters which, although from World War I, set the stage for a discussion of how images and media can shape the thoughts of a nation. This event is open to the public free of charge.

Credit Telecourses are now available on the UNL Campus through the Division of Continuing Studies by closed circuit television. Participants can view courses in room 126 of the 501 Building. Employees enrolling in the telecourses are eligible for tuition remission. For more information, call the Division of Continuing Studies, 472-3587. For registration call 472-2175.

## Who's News

Scott Norberg, a first-year graduate student in the College of Architecture, has taken office as president of the American Institute of Architecture Students for 1985-86.

AIAS represents 15,000 architecture students in 135 chapters at U.S. colleges and universities with accredited architecture programs.

As AIAS president, Norberg represents student needs and concerns to the American Institute of Architects and the architectural profession.

A native of Sioux Falls, S.D., Norberg earned a bachelor's degree in business from Sioux Falls College and a bachelor's in marketing from UNL before receiving a bachelor's in architectural

studies at Nebraska. He currently is pursuing an MBA at UNL.

Franklin Eldridge, UNL animal science professor, has written a new book called "Cytogenetics of Livestock."

Cytogenetics is the branch of biology that deals with the study of heredity and variations by the methods of both cytology and genetics.

Eldridge has taught at UNL for 30 years. He also taught and conducted research at the University of Edinburgh and the National Dairy Research Institute at Karnal, India. He is the past associate dean and director of resident instruction for the UNL College of Agriculture.

The book, published by AVI Publishing Company of Westport, Conn., is available for \$49.50.

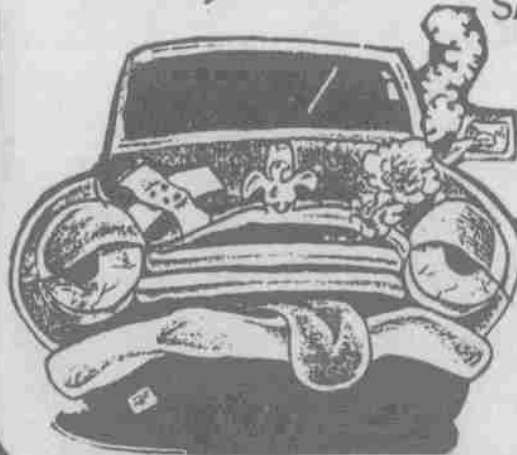
Cynthia Sherman Goodman has been awarded the 1985 Phi Upsilon Omicron Presidents Research Fellowship for study toward a master's degree in textile, clothing and design at UNL.

Phi Upsilon Omicron is a national home economics society which has 76 chapters in colleges and universities across the country. Phi Upsilon Omicron recognizes and encourages academic excellence, professional leadership and service to the home economics profession.

Criteria for the Presidents Research Fellowship include academic achievement, professional experience and goals, honors and recognitions, publications, participation in Phi Upsilon Omicron activities and professional competence. The fellowship is funded by the Phi Upsilon Omicron Educational Foundation, Inc.

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