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Law & Order

A LOOK AT CRIME ON CAMPUS AND IN THE COMMUNITY

Fraternity reimbursed for theft

From Staff Reports

Triangle Fraternity soon will be receiving a check for \$5,000 — not as a reward, but a reimbursement.

Chad McQuinn, a former UNL engineering student, was recently convicted of theft by unlawful taking of \$500 to more than \$1,500 after he pleaded guilty to the charge. The charge was reduced from a Class III to a Class IV felony.

McQuinn was treasurer of the fraternity in late 1992, when court records state the offense occurred. The charge carried a maximum punishment of 20 years in prison and a \$25,000 fine. McQuinn was allowed to go through a diversions program and pay \$5,000 in restitution.

A court order filed Tuesday by Lancaster County District Court Judge Bernard McGinn reported McQuinn had paid the money to the Lancaster County Diversion Services. McGinn then ordered the money be forwarded to Triangle Fraternity, 1235 N. 16th St.

The order also states that a computer, computer equipment and soft-

ware McQuinn bought with the stolen money should be sold at the next public auction. Police seized the items after McQuinn's arrest. The judge ordered the money from selling the computer equipment be forwarded to the fraternity.

McQuinn first appeared in Lancaster County Court in July 1992. The case moved to District Court when felony charges were filed. McQuinn was sentenced last Tuesday.

on Jan. 30. Boone's lawyer is arguing the arrest was unwarranted, so any evidence against him is not admissible in court.

The hearing closed Tuesday morning with McGinn taking the matter under advisement. McGinn will decide the issue in three weeks.

ASSAULTS

A Lincoln woman attacked a man in a domestic dispute at their residence Sunday morning.

Rolanda Levi, 24, began arguing with Michael Adam, 26, at 1117 N. 30th St., Lincoln police Sgt. Ann Heermann said.

She allegedly grabbed Adam, put him in a headlock and punched him in the face two or three times.

She then allegedly pulled a knife from the kitchen sink and swung it at him while threatening to kill him.

A man outside the house heard the dispute. He entered and broke up the argument, police said.

Levi was arrested on charges of terroristic threats.

COURTS

Courtroom arguments to suppress evidence against an NU basketball player charged with drunken driving were completed Tuesday.

But junior guard Jaron Boone must now wait another three weeks as lawyers for both sides submit legal briefs to Lancaster County District Court Judge Bernard McGinn.

Boone was cited for speeding Aug. 6, 1994, at 2:20 a.m. A misdemeanor charge of first-offense driving while intoxicated was filed against Boone in Lancaster County District Court

Parking fee not put on cyclists

By Angie Schendt
Staff Reporter

Motorcyclists will not pay to park at UNL, the Parking Advisory Committee decided at its monthly meeting Tuesday.

The committee moved to defeat the motion to charge students a \$3 monthly fee and faculty and staff a \$4 monthly fee to park motorcycles at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Committee members did not hear motorcyclists' opinions at the open forum of the meeting, but three letters were presented by Tad McDowell, UNL parking manager.

"I am not as inclined to press the issue because of the letters," he said.

Issues brought up in the letters were discussed, including whether revenue generated by the permits would outweigh the cost of making them and enforcing the policy.

In other business, the committee discussed car permits, which will look different next year, McDowell said. The committee viewed the new permits, which will be a little smaller and wider and will have the symbol of UNL.

"The picture on the front is our attempt to make it harder to duplicate," McDowell said.

The committee was informed of the possible use of bubble scanners or telephones for permit sales. McDowell said his office had one scanner and would get another. He is looking at software, and the earliest the scanners could be used would be fall 1996.

The ceiling of 900 reserved faculty and staff permit sales will be retained for next year, the committee decided. The current level for students will be maintained from the number of permits sold this year, which was 734. The maximum level for reserved sales this year was 741.

When students pick up their permits this fall, they will have to go to 1941 Y Street, where Parking Services will relocate on May 15. The office was supposed to move into the new location in April, but setbacks forced the date back, McDowell said.

Summer projects also were discussed at the meeting. Mike Cacak, director of parking services, outlined the lots to be paved during the summer. The biggest project is the lot on 19th Street between U and R streets near the Cather-Pound tennis courts, Cacak said.

ASUN officers to take oaths of office

From Staff Reports

The 1995-96 ASUN executive officers and senators will take the oath of office tonight at the Wick Alumni Center.

Shawntell Hurtgen, president-elect of the Association of Students of the University of Nebraska, will be installed by Andrew Loudon, outgoing

president and student regent. Martin Massengale, NU president emeritus, will instate Hurtgen as UNL's student regent.

Britt Ehlers and Judy Rishel, outgoing first- and second-vice presidents, will introduce and administer the oaths of office to their successors, Steve Korell and Brent Goertzen.

Outgoing executives will receive

plaques for their contributions to the senate.

New senators will be introduced by outgoing senators and will be sworn in by Ehlers. Ehlers also will give the oath of office to members of the ASUN Student Court, Committee for Fees Allocation and the Appointments Board.

Protest

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sexuality, which were outlined in the Bible.

"It's enough of a crowd to cause a commotion," he said, "but not enough to start a riot."

Scott Clifford was on his way to the performance when he saw the protest and joined the gay rights supporters.

Clifford said he had friends in Kansas who told him last year about Phelps' active protesting in the Topeka area.

"It's ironic because Phelps made Topeka one of the most gay-friendly towns because he exposed how ugly homophobia really is," Clifford said. "He is an embarrassment to their community."

Karen Skiber, a Lincoln resident who joined Phelps and his congregation, said the homosexual population in Lincoln was an embarrassment to the community.

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CHRIS PAVAO

Director of the UNL Gay and Lesbian Student Association

"I moved here because it was the most decent place I could find," she said.

Skiber shouted at gay rights supporters.

"We are righteous. You are not," she said. "God hates sin."

Steve Reichenbach, a computer science professor at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, said he was upset Phelps was using God and biblical references.

"They're outsiders to our community and they're preaching to us," he said. "That's bad enough."

Chris Pavao, director of the UNL Gay and Lesbian Student Association, said the majority of gay rights supporters comforted him.

"It's good to see that Lincoln can come together on such short notice," he said. "We've got several people here to show that hate is not a family value. Hate breeds nothing but hate."

Wearing a pink triangle sticker on his jacket, Dale Rodgers joined the protest. Rodgers, who recently moved to Lincoln from Phoenix, described himself as a person with AIDS who joined the protest.

"Hate is alive and well and breeding in the Heartland."