ASUN urges building upkeep

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"It affects the atmosphere on campus," he said. "To high school seniors who are touring, when they see a rundown building like Richards Hall, it gives them an extremely bad taste in

Part of the money for building repair will come from students, Marintzer said, but the entire burden shouldn't be placed on the shoulders of current UNL students, as the chipping away of paint and crumbling of walls has been going on for decades.

"Literally thousands of students have passed through the hallways,' Marintzer said.

Marintzer said the state has the the work force.

The bill brings together two of the

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> ERIC MARINTZER **ASUN President**

tion and quality of campus facilities. money. The two buildings don't look

obligation to keep up its assets. He also would be affected by the bill. The bill brought up to par on American with said universities gave back to the state also allots money to Peru, Chadron Disabilities Act requirements and fire by sending qualified applicants into and Wayne state colleges and three safety codes. other NU campuses.

issues that are always on students' dent Jason Winterboer said two build- ence was a starting point and she minds, Marintzer said: cost of educa- ings at UNO would be fixed with the would later contact key senators.

UNL isn't the only campus that that bad, he said, but need to be

Britt Anderson, UNL's student lob-UNO student government presi- byist, said Wednesday's press confer-

State senators on campus to meet, eat with students

By JIM GOODWIN Staff Reporter

Ham on rye with a side of Lincoln Sen. Dave Landis wasn't the official dish Tuesday at the State Senators on Campus Luncheon.

The combination was possible for students, however, at the annual student-senator gathering in the Nebraska Union.

tors and about 40 students the opportunity to discuss mutual issues, said Britt Anderson, a lobbyist for the Assity of Nebraska.

"This is a way for anyone on campus who has a concern to talk person- islators also involved with the bills. to-person with his or her senator," Anderson said. "It is an informal way to cross that boundary."

The luncheon, sponsored by

ASUN, was a brief break in the day for some students who also were attending legislative committee hearings on three university-related bills.

Brandon Steenson, the student senate speaker at the University of Nebraska at Omaha, attended the morning hearing on LB857, which would provide funding for construction projects at state universities and col-

Steenson said he would spend the The luncheon gave the five sena- rest of the day after the luncheon at legislature hearings.

Steenson said the luncheon was an sociation of Students of the Univer-opportunity for he and students from the University of Nebraska's other campuses to personally speak with leg-

> "I think that our doing this as a unified front is important in their passage," Steenson said.

Phillips sentenced to jail

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That history got even longer Tuesday morning, as he was served with a civil suit for improper sexual contact at the party in Omaha.

Anderson said outside the courtroom that Phillips was served with "that silly case in Omaha." Women at the party told police several men, including Phillips, improperly touched them.

In court Tuesday, Phillips admitted that he violated probation and did not contest the state's motion to revoke.

'Lawrence just wants everyone to know that he regrets being in court today," Anderson said. "He made a at issue, Stiles said.

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mistake and he's owning up to it." Anderson said Phillips went for-

"He's here to accept responsibility for it," the attorney said. "He's a strong

Lynn Stiles, vice president of foot-

'Until something comes along and we are told otherwise, he is our number one guy."

Phillips' status with the team is not

ward with the sentencing Tuesday to just get it over with."

young man, a fine young man."

ball operations for the St. Louis Rams, echoed Anderson, saying Phillips was taking responsibility for his mistakes.

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By Kasey Kerber Staff Reporter

Imagine knowing who won the ASUN elections moments after the polls close at 8 p.m.

Just don't imagine it this year. But it could one day be a reality because of polling technology that will be used for the first time in today's ASUN elections.

The new technology is being provided by American Information Systems, the same company that produces the ballots for the ASUN elections.

Marlene Beyke, ASUN director of development, said the machines will have no impact on the time election results will be available this year.

"We still want to double check the votes from those sites," Beyke said. "Just to be sure."

The machines operate similar to ATMs and would tally votes automatically by scanning each ballot fed into the machine.

Three ASUN polling sites where a majority of students usually cast their votes will feature the new technology, Beyke said. Those

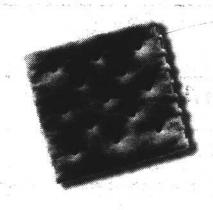
sites are the Nebraska East Union, the Nebraska Union and the Lee and Helene Sapp Recreation Cen-

The new technology is being offered at no cost.

Although the machines are experimental this year, they could be used in the future, Beyke said, and they could decrease the amount of time needed to determine who won the ASUN elections.

Until that day, election results will come in at about the same time tonight they have every year -10:00 to 10:30.

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