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AN URGENT NEED

At last the University of Nevada has an opportunity of getting a badly needed student union building.

We will have a student union built for us IF the legislature will match the \$300,000 donation of the late Wesley Travis.

For the past twenty-five years, various groups have worked toward raising the necessary money to finance such a building. Now the will of Mr. Travis has left the university a large sum to carry out the plan.

BUT one of the stipulations of the Travis will is that his \$300,000 be matched by an equal amount from the state legislature. This amount must be matched within two years from last February. This means that the appropriation must be passed in next winter's session of the state legislature. If the appropriation is not approved, the \$300,000 reverts back to the Travis estate.

The present student union building, given to the university in 1931, is completely inadequate. The building is old, poorly constructed, and far too small for the many needs of the ASUN.

Contained in the present union building are offices for the student newspaper and yearbook, the graduate manager, the student senate and the student body president. All these offices are much too small. And nowhere are there any facilities for recreation.

The proposed new student union building will be a modern two storied structure located at the north end of Manzanita lake. It will fulfill the pressing needs of the university for a building of this sort.

The new building will have space allotted to the ASUN bookstore, which is now located in too small quarters.

At present there is no student cafeteria where students can get together. The snack bar in the basement of Stewart hall is inadequate. A place where students can gather in their spare time would serve to unite the student body.

There is at present no adequate place to hold dances on campus, or to hold rallies, lectures, assemblies or band concerts. The gym is being used for those purposes now, but the gym is a poor substitute for the hall which is included in the plans for the new building.

With the present facilities, offices for the student officers are widely scattered. Most of them are small, stuffy and overcrowded rooms housed in the building pictured at the right. There is now only one small, shabby meeting room for all the various groups meeting on campus. The student senate has to crowd itself into a veritable cell.

Plans for the new student union building also call for a coke bar (plus, of course, a cafeteria), music room, recreation room with ping pong and pool tables, and adequate offices for the publications, the graduate manager and the alumni association. The building will be so located that an auditorium can be added as a wing.

The proposed location at the end of the lake will make the building the most centralized part of the campus, no matter which way the campus expands in future years. The modern building with its view of the lake will add infinitely to the appearance of the university grounds.

This is an opportunity for parents to help their sons and daughters. The legislature must be made to see the importance of the appropriation. Without the appropriation, the money left by Mr. Travis will be lost.

Actually, with the money from the Travis estate, the state university will be getting a dollar's worth from each fifty cents allotted by the legislature.

If the appropriation is not made during next winter's legislative sessions, the university may never have another chance to get a student union building. This is one of the few universities in the country without adequate facilities for student non-academic life.

There is an urgent need for legislative support. The university needs your help.

UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA Sagebrush

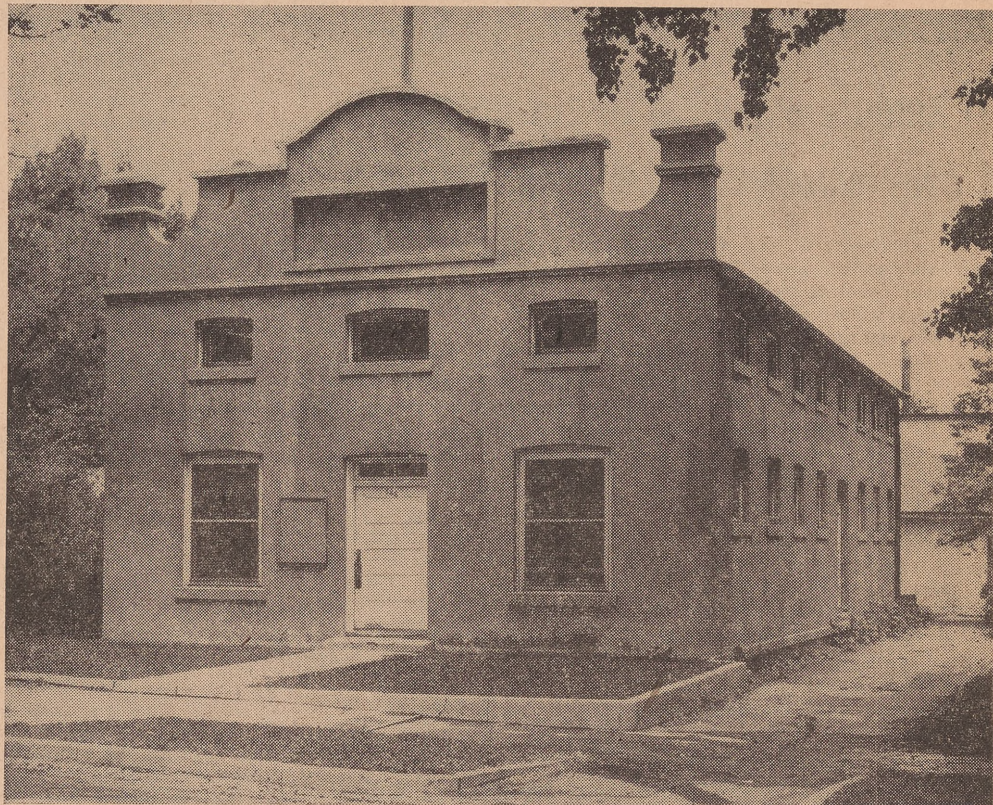


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Nevada's present student union



Recapitulation of year's athletics

With the close of school for the spring semester a week away, the year's athletic program was ended last Friday with a final practice in spring football.

Starting last fall with an intramural football program in place of the usual intercollegiate variety, the athletic department kept up a busy schedule during the entire year. Highlighted by a Homecoming game with an alumni team composed of recent Nevada stars, the program ended with an intersquad game on November 3, with fifty-five students participating. Although the glamour of intercollegiate play was lacking, the spirit and enthusiasm expressed by the large turnout is a splendid indication of what can be done in the future in football at the university.

Basketball, boxing and skiing, the three big major winter sports were carried on successfully.

In basketball the varsity had one of its finest seasons in years, winning 19 while only losing three. Led by such fine veterans as Burt Larkins, Mert Baxter, and Dan Vidovich and supplemented by several returning squad members, as well as two fine sophomores, Reg Depaoli and Bob Wilcox, the team as a unit showed great winning spirit.

Boxing

Boxing came back as a regular sport after a two year lapse, and the boys under the fine tutelage of Jimmy Olivas, former boxer on the Nevada teams in the late 20's, kept up a steady improvement all season. They won but two matches out of six, one of these being a split with Chico state, while the losses were to three formidable teams on the western coast, UCLA, San Jose state, and Idaho state. With mostly freshmen and sophomores on the squad, the squad is looking toward a bigger and better season in 1953.

Outstanding boys on the squad were Surber, Macias, DeRuff, Byington, Moore, and Haggerty.

Skiing

Skiing took a beating, with the worst storm season in many years causing the cancellation of two meets, and difficult conditions for others. The team managed to win one big meet, and come second in two others, to show themselves one of the top teams on the coast.

The Ramsey brothers, Myers, Bulkley, Aiken along with several other hard workers were the mainstays of the Nevada team.

Track

In the three spring sports of track, tennis and golf, the teams had fine seasons, although the latter had difficulty in getting into the win column. Coach Smithwick's track team won three out of five meets scheduled, the largest number of meets in five years. One of the losses was a very close three-way meet with College of the Pacific and S.F. state. The other was more or less for experience, in which 8 of the top independent teams of the coast were competing.

Marvin Byars, senior star, broke the school record in the 440 yd. run, tied the 15 year old record in the 220 yd. dash.

Other shining lights on one of the best rounded track teams in Nevada history were Altenberg in the pole vault, Hug in the hurdles, Bell in the middle distances, and Jager in the high jump.

Golf

In golf, as has been mentioned, the team was handicapped considerably by a late spring. It was impossible to get on the golf course for much play before the first of April, and the first match was in the last week of March. Although they lost five of the six matches played, they did manage to salvage the last one with Cal Aggies by coming out with a tie. The big six players on the team were Boyle,

Petroni, Nannani, Patterson, Surber, and Bourn.

Tennis

Led by Jack Mackey playing number 1, the tennis team lost two tough matches by identical scores of 5-4, and ended up with more in the losing column than the winning. Out of eight matches five were lost and three won. Along with Mackey, Hancock, Wooster, Luwe, Lindsay, Miller, and Pastorino carried the load for Nevada.

Considering the fact that the season before Nevada did not win a match, the boys were happy with the results.

With a light ten day spring football practice and 35 boys participating, the sports year was ended. No pads were issued for this activity, but work on play formations, both offense and defense was very successful.

Success

After all is settled, it is found that the program for the entire year was a financial success, results showing the expenditures well within the budget allotted. Although with a short-handed staff of only two men and two special sport coaches on par-time basis, as well as the handling of all features of athletics, financial and otherwise, the department feels that the sports year, limited though it might have been in scope, was successful.

It will be interesting to watch its growth next year, with the return of football, and an anticipated increase in student spirit and interest in the program. It was definitely an experimental year after the change in stature, and the experiment seemed to indicate return to a good substantial program athletically in the future.

CHESS TOURNEY

Winner of last month's double round robin chess tournament held in Lincoln hall was Bob Adams.

Adams easily defeated the eleven other contenders.

The Hat No Sagebrush

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171 seniors expected to get degrees at commencement exercises this year

One hundred seventy-one students are tentative candidates for graduation this year, announced Mrs. Jeanette Rhodes, registrar.

Ceremonies will begin June 7 with the Phi Kappa Phi banquet and baccalaureate services on Sunday, June 8. Graduation will be Monday, June 9, at 10:00 a.m.

Dr. Monroe E. Deutsch, vice president and provost emeritus of the University of California at Berkeley, will be the principal speaker at the banquet and commencement.

Services

Baccalaureate services will be held in the new gymnasium at 11:00 a.m. Sunday. The Reverend Fred Trovitt of the High street Presbyterian church, Oakland, California, will speak on "What Are You Standing For?" Reverend Trovitt is a Nevada graduate and one of the few men in the ministry from Nevada.

The invocation and scripture reading will be given by The Reverend George Smart from the Stewart Baptist church.

The Reverend Father Maurice Walsh, also a graduate of the university in journalism and present head of the Catholic publications in Reno, will offer the benediction.

Music for the baccalaureate and commencement exercises will be provided by the music department. A university - community orchestra conducted by Felton Hickman will play an orchestral selection from La Traviata by Verdi as introductory music. They will also play the Cornelius Festival March by Mendelssohn.

Anthem

The University Singers and a brass quartet will combine to offer the anthem, "How Brightly Shines the Morning Star." The brass quartet includes Paul Fox and Don Young playing cornets, Thaddeus Hess on the French horn, and Jarvis Bastain on the trombone.

The congregation will sing "America the Beautiful" accompanied by the orchestra. Concluding the program, the University Singers will present "The Lord Bless and Keep You."

Monday, June 9 at 10:00 a.m. the orchestra will begin commencement exercises by playing the march from

Kappa Phi banquet at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, in the Fable room of the Mapes hotel. Phi Kappa Phi members and their guests are invited.

Graduates

This is a tentative list of the candidates for graduation:

Arlene Allen, Robert Allen, Bruce Anderson, Barbara Andrae, Alfred Wayne Ashley, George Assuras, Walter Averett, Robert Baird, Beverly Ballam, Margaret Bassett, Patricia A. Bastain, Edwin Beauchamp, June Bell, Bruce Belnap, Ervin Billman, Robert Bondurant, William Boyd, Edward Boyle, Fred Bratmon, Howard Browne, LaVonne Brownning, Geunther Brueckner, Donna Burton, Howard Byars.

Charles Capell, Thomas Carlson, Barbara Carruth, Dyle Carter, James Cole, John Coleman, David Collings, Robert Coughlin, Edward Covington, Jean Cozzallo, Joyce Cranor, Lois Darney, Hughes Davis, Willis Davis, Donald Dawson, Lide Dearing, Hassell DePree, Samuel Eccles, John Eder, Ivan Eisenberg, James Eliades, Theodore Emidy, Jerome Etchegoyhen, Jack Fenkell, Carlton Forbes, Charles Ford.

William Forman, Marjorie Friend, Elaine P. Gallagher, Mary Getto, Dean Gloster, James Godbey, Horace Rodlin Goff, Edna Mae Gregory, Nancy Haggerty, Hazel Hardy, Muray Harper, Donald Harris, Evan LaMar Harris, Weldon Hedges, Harrie Hess, James Hulse, Marilyn Humphreys, Clayton Hurst.

John Iacovelli, Willis Ireland, Wilbur Jager, Arthur Johnson, Verlita Johnson, Alton Kay, Emi Kito, Elizabeth B. Knight, Richard Knight, Alice Joyce Ko, Mardelle Kornmayer, Thomasine Kurtis, Charles Lambrecht, William Lanahan, Catherine Lancaster, Burt Larkins, Jeanne Lartey, Myron Leavitt, Edward LeMaire, Cornelius Lingenfelter, Joan Lundy, Mark Lyons, Edward Lytle.

Walter MacKenzie, Maureen Magee, Constance Malcolm, Anna T. Martin, George Martin, Stella Mason, Albert Matteucci, Berlien McCray, Edith McDonald, C. Lowell Miller, Elizabeth H. Miller, Stanley Miller, Norman Minola, Marvin Moss, Harlan Moyer, Mary S. Murray.

David Naylor, Claude Nichols, Rocco Nobile, Chris Nolan, Eric Nummela, Rufus Ogilvie, Lloyd Osborne, Elmo Oxborrow, Ann Parrish, Wayne Pearson, Mona Perry, Dawn Pershall, Joan Petermann, John Petersen, Donald Peterson, Vivian P. Peterson.

Donald Petroni, Gordon Pflug, Robert Pice, Robert Pringle, Robert Ramsey, Rachel Rand (Rowe), Michael Rauhut, Juanita Rector,

Army commissions to 35 RO seniors

A total of thirty-three seniors will receive second-lieutenant commissions upon graduation, June 9, according to the military department. Five of the seniors will go into the regular army, while the remaining twenty-eight will receive commissions in the organized reserve corps. Of the twenty-eight prospective lieutenants in the reserve, twenty-one will go into the infantry, four

Gretchen Reuter, Joann Rich, Bethel Roggenkamp, Frank Sala, Laura Sauer, Alice Shelly Schafer, Gerard Schafer, Frances Schmalting, Margaret Schulz, Edward Scripps, George Shontz, Donald Smith, William F. Smith, Paul Sprague, Edgar Stratton, Donald Taylor, Lorraine G. Taylor, Donald Vandervelden.

Roscoe Vassar, Anna Bee Wallace, James Walsh, Norma Walsh, George Waltenspiel, Patricia Welty, Thomas Whalen, Arthur Wigg, Richard Williams, Clare Willis, Joanne Wilson, Suzanne Winer, Raymond Winton, Gerald Wyness, Floyd M. Yates.

Candidates for advanced degrees are: Robert Boal, Monty Boland, Ayfer Derbil, Frederick Jensen, John R. Miller, Corwin Mokler, Leon Wall.

into ordnance, two into the signal corps, and one to the engineers.

Of the five seniors going on active duty, four will be in the infantry and one in the transportation corps.

The following are the names of the seniors who will receive their commissions in the organized reserve: Marvin C. Abrams, Robert E. Barrett, LeRoy R. Bergstrom, Howard E. Brown, jr., John F. Cowley, jr., Donald R. Eckles, James J. Etcheto, Harold C. Fields, William N. Forman, Muray E. Harper, Donald A. Harris, Wilber B. Jager, Jack L. Keen, Richard G. Knight, William J. Lanahan, Clarence L. Miller, Marvin L. Moss, Claude W. Nichols, Robert E. Petrini, Michael M. Rauhut and Leonard J. Savage.

The above twenty-one men will go into the infantry reserve.

Ordnance

Fred M. Burton, Howard M. Byars, Billy I. Meyer and John C. Peterson will receive commissions in the ordnance reserve corps.

Samuel F. Eccles and James Eliades will go into the signal corps, while George G. Assuras will have his second-lieutenant commission in the reserve engineer corps.

Ervin L. Billman, Edward B. Covington, James M. Lee, Albert Matteucci and Thomas R. Whalen will go on active duty in the regular army soon after they receive their commissions. Billman will go into the transportation corps, while the others are destined to go into the infantry.

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Change in plans for Senior week

A change in the Senior week program was announced this week by Wayne Ashley, senior class manager.

The senior-faculty ball game has been changed from Thursday, June 5, to Wednesday, June 4. The game will take place on Clark field at 4:30.

Senior week starts off Tuesday, June 3, with the senior picnic at Bower's mansion. There will be no charge. On Wednesday the ball game will be played.

Banquet

The senior banquet will be held Friday at the Trocadero. Tickets are \$2.50 each. Tentatively scheduled is the senior trek that day at 1:30.

On Saturday the juniors will honor the seniors at the Redwood room of the Riverside. Time, 9:30.

NOTICE

Will the following men report to the Sportsman, 350 N. Virginia street, for award measurements:

Track: Reggie Depaoli, Louis Le-maire; Boxing: Pat Drescher, Sam Macias, Ed Stephens; Freshman Basketball: George Gadda, Tom Hardester; Riflery: William Engle, Charles Taylor; Tennis: John Mackey; Varsity Basketball: Roy Laralde.

No charge. At 11:00 the same day, all seniors must show up for the commencement rehearsal at the quad.

The University of Nevada is one of the few universities in the United States without a student union building.

GOLD MEDAL

Richard Williams, senior political science major, recently won Time magazine's competitive gold medal award on a current affairs test.

The test is an annual competitive test given by Time to all college classes using Time magazine as their source of information on current affairs.

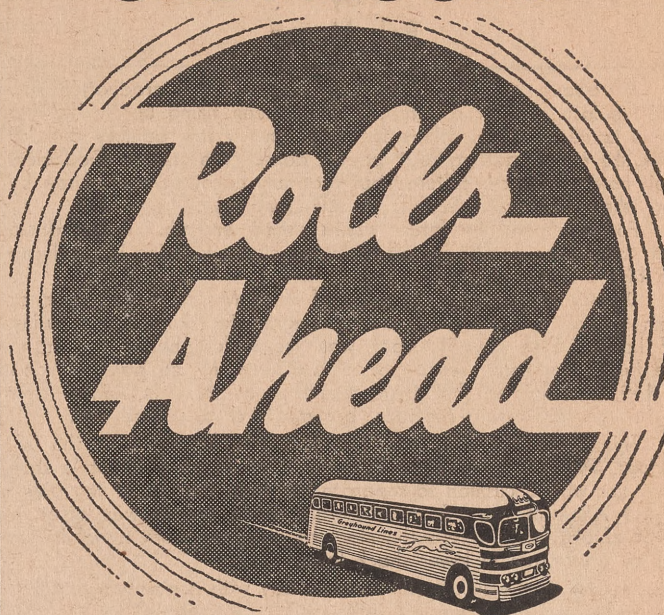
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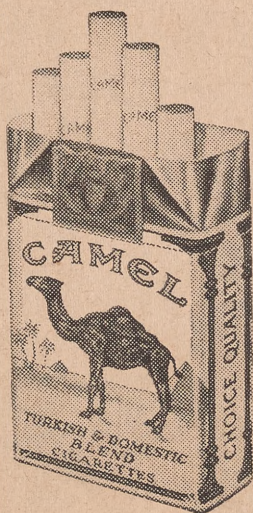
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OUT OF THE DIRT

by
Bob Moran

It's about that time of the year again—finals, graduation, etc. For the last week or so, students have been filling up the library. Some come to sleep, others to study, and a few panicky ones to work like a dog getting term papers done. The seniors, God bless their now supposedly cultured but probably calloused souls, know by now where they stand (if any are left standing).

For the men, the future seems simple enough. Either Uncle Sam takes over, or else it's off to higher higher learning in graduate schools.

During the years of the reign of Alice Marsh, former dean of women, the boys and girls used to congregate on the lawns during off hours. One favorite spot was the hollow below the tram. Eventually, for some reason or other, Dean Marsh objected and forthwith proclaimed that there would be no more horizontal lawn parties on said lawns, rooftops, basements or anywhere else.

This resulted in a few wise people putting up signs like the following: "Any coed who rides in a boy's lap in an automobile shall carry her with a cushion to separate her from the lap of the boy," signed Alice Marsh. Soon afterward Dean Marsh was given a leave of absence. This is the story as obtained from a well-known English prof down in lower shack town.

Big Bonanza, which is still Mackay day with a new name and a few modifications, came off quite well. However, it could have been still better. There are still those who moan about the lack of spirit because no one ELSE seems to have it. But if we just see that number 1 takes his part, we will probably notice that numbers 2, 5, 14, etc., will be doing all right too.

In this particular case, it has been the custom in the past to wear some kind of a costume on the last day of the celebration and

at the Saturday dance. This adds tremendously to the spirit of the occasion. It would have been much better to have seen ten or twenty more people trying for the costume and beard trophies than the two or three for each contest. But that's probably enough on Big Bonanza.

TRI-DELT DOOR: Not to contradict any other stories, but it seems that better informed sources would agree that said fixture was neither damaged nor replaced. Nor was it exposed to any hazards up to the time the girls had it in their little hands and were seen running like a twelve-legged centipede across Virginia street to get it home.

WAR PAINT: Let's hope that in the future someone will get original and not run this red paint business into the ground. Granted that things buried have been the subject of most of this column, but even a change of color might be better.

MEMORIES: Just thinking of the days when such live ones as brothers "Wild Bill" Horton and Bob "Old Dad" Calvert, the two mighty mouses (or is it mice?), used to keep things in confusion hereabouts. Among their more quiet exploits was the time when they had a hard time attracting a waiter's attention in a club. So they set fire to the tablecloth. Another time they rented two adjacent single rooms in a San Francisco hotel. They knocked a large hole in the wall so they could have adjoining rooms.

PANTY RAIDS: The Deans Griffin and Mobley have undoubtedly been sweating out the panty raiding party wave sweeping the country. However, it is unlikely any such thing will take place here for a number of reasons:

First, there are better and more tactful ways of obtaining such dainties. (One could even buy them.)

Second, what red-blooded Nevadan doesn't already have some similar trophy in his room or car?

Third, Nevada male students are of a higher moral character, than those of other colleges.

Fourth, the women are tougher than the men on this campus.

Of course, no one wants to be around when the women start squawking.

So long for a while and remember: Old seniors never die, they just smell that way.

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