Pres. Nelson Says
Student Government
Unrepresentative --- Too Many Greeks

Student Body President Ken Nelson, addressing a gathering at a recent "Y" noon luncheon, told of the influx of Communist propaganda currently being sent to him through the postal department.

Speaking on the topic of the role of student government, Nelson answered the question, "Is it important," by saying, "The Communists seem to think so." He went on to say that, "although much of this political propaganda has filtered through to me, the Postal Department has held up the unsealed publications."

Continuing on the role of student government, Nelson said it is important because it represents an organized student force directing campus activities and the use of student funds.

"At the present," continued Nelson, "student government is a totally unrepresentative body.

He emphasized this by referring to the fact that senate is Greek dominated, with only three independents in the group. "Senate seems to be a status group for social climbers, operating as a unit and not as a group of individuals," Nelson concluded.

Nelson went on to say that the university government "should object to the fact that senate is a whole is apparently unrepresentative and the fact that henceforth the library will not close during vacations.

Nelson emphasized that student government should "Seek to work with the administration to make NDSU a university; that is, a community of scholars in search of truth, rather than simply an institution training students to fill a profession."

In closing, Nelson said that student government "should objectively expose situations which are unhealthy to the welfare of the university-affairs carried on by the students in the name of the university which are in outright violation of both state and university laws."

SU Choir and Oratorio Society to Present Concert

The North Dakota State University SU Choir and the Oratorio Society will present a very exciting music works on Sunday night, May 5, in Memorial Hall. The concert begins at 8:15 p.m.

FAUTEUR'S "REQUIEM" AND HANDEL'S "JUBILATE" WILL BE SUN. Both works are scored for chorus, orchestra, and soloists. Robert Godwin of the NDSU music faculty will conduct.

The orchestra for this performance is drawn from the F-M Symphony and the NDSU Gold Star Band.

Soloists will be Audrey Klaasen of Fargo, former winner of the "Caucus Cover Gift" contest sponsored by the "Minneapolis Tribune," and Reinhold Schuster, graduate assistant in civil engineering. Mrs. Klaasen, soprano, sang leading roles in musical productions while attending Fargo Central High, and at Jamestown College. Schuster has had considerable experience in stage and musical productions and has appeared previously as soloist with the Oratorio Society.

There is no admission charge.

Students are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to hear superb music excellently performed.
Forness Elected Kappa President

Bunny Forness, a speech major from Valley, has been elected president of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

The other officers are: Meri-del McLaughlin, 1st vice president; Maggie Swanson, 2nd vice president; Mona Larson, recording secretary; Dodi Sholts, treasurer; Marilyn Mertens, public relations; Jodi Green, scholarship; Liz Bartley, corresponding secretary; Sara Avery, membership; Carol Moffitt, social; Nancy Avery, activities; Ginger Mease, senior; Panbellenic; Janet Griffin, junior Panbellenic; Julie Dunkirk, marshal; and Ellen Bigelow, registrar.

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SU Dieticians Get Positions As New Interns

Nine NDSU senior girls, majoring in home economics and graduating with food and nutrition majors in dietetics, received their internship appointments at a tea held Monday, April 15, in the Founders Room in the Home Economics Building.

Students awarded internships were: Judith Amoth, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston; Janice Hanson, Eastman Kodak Co., Rochester, N.Y.; Sharol Hopwood, U. S. Veterans Administration Center, Los Angeles, Calif.; Shaleen Johnson, University Hospital, Madison, Wis.; and Ellen Bigelow, registrar.

Recently selected as candidates for TKE Sweetheart are, from left to right, Sara Gildersleeve, Judy Selle, Theresa Koszachko, Kathy Lindgren, Barb Daley and Lavonne Peterson.

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Although my son is a college freshman, I am glad to say that he is still not too old to climb up on my lap and have a heart-to-heart talk. Children are especially endowed by their parents to climb up on our laps. My boy is enrolled at Harvard where he is studying to be a fireman. From the time he was a little tiny baby he always said he wanted to be a fireman. Of course, my wife and I believed that he would eventually grow out of it, but so far, the little chap never showed a sign of ambition for one minute!

So here he is at Harvard today taking courses in net holding, snow breaking, tree climbing, and Halftan dogs. It is a full schedule for the young man, and that in a week to sample any of the fascinating courses outside his major.

Still, when you come to a really complicated tool—like a cricketeer's, you can be fairly sure it was made by someone who 'get into trouble' would immediately do something to cover it. Do not make the tool, but see that you could do with it. Even, in a recent excavation in the Olden Gorge a large assortment of hominid fossils was found, all dating back to the Middle Pleistocene Age. Buried with the fossils was a number of their artifacts, the most interesting being a black metal box which emitted a steady beeping sound. Now, of course, I would tell you that I never lackstruck at the corners, their manly mouths twisted in funny little grins.

The editors of the paper summed up their feelings by saying, "Increased Senate coverage will become effective when Senate becomes effective. We are not preparing for any sudden change in coverage."

The main trouble with our student government is that they feel they are VIP's and NDBU's answer to responsible government. They fail to realize that just because they won a popularity contest, this doesn't make them good senators. Any student on campus who has a little knowledge of parliamentary procedure could do as well as the present senators.

As soon as they yanked down from their pedestals and learn Robert's Rules of Order (I suppose made by Nelson at the last meeting) the Spectrum will increase their coverage of the student government.

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To the Editor:
The excellent attendance at our first Parents’ Day, the unprecedented turnout for High School Day, and “sellouts” for “The Pajama Game,” and the gammoners, are impressive evidence of the success of SHARIVAR. Although the impressions left with SHARIVAR visitors are not measured by numbers but by the buzz during the weekend were highly favorable.

The faculty steering committee, in one of its first newsletters, suggested that the effectiveness of this open house would be contingent upon a total University effort. In my opinion, we had that total University effort and, because of it, for success an open house.

I take this opportunity to express my deepest appreciation to each student, faculty, and staff member, both those who are NDSU who contributed to this effort. From the student stationed at the entrance counting visitors and the faculty member who planted extra chairs to his Friday classes to the student and faculty chairmen of the various committees and chairmen of the faculty steering committee, in fact, for most we are grateful, is the open house.

Edward W. Alberhe President

Toward A University Image

Physical alteration in this campus since the name change has been explosive. Still, some valued alumni have missed the old house.

Our president tells us of a new era—”NDSU will be a university in every sense of the word.” Unyielding Greeks and uninterested independents take his remarks in character; however, a closer look reveals the real issue. Approval of the Board of Education has been secured on a new contract offering to instructors. For the first time, teachers may sign a contract of period of years rather than months. Perhaps soon, with salaries increased to boast, this campus will become more than a stopping place.

The often-maligned feeding and housing conditions, when considered in a longer and longer range perspective, are negative. (I am reminded of the statistician who drowned himself wading across a river whose average depth was three feet.)

Now, one can’t help but wonder what the future holds for a university image, and the students to come.

Students:
The certificates of recognition for “Who’s Who” and “Who’s Who” have arrived, and can be picked up in the office of the Dean of Women. In case you have not received your “Who’s Whos” are urged to pick them up as soon as possible.

A Survey...

In the near future, a survey is going to be made on this campus image. It will concern the possibility of a new legislative bill to give all men and women 18 years of age and over the right to vote. The survey will be made up of the student population. The Circle “K” Club will carry out the survey by contacting students at random from the Student Directory. Have you anything to say about the issue some thought and formulate your views as to the effect the event are they called...

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Guest Editorial

A Look At The Average Wash And Wear Collegian

For once, says a letter to the editor of the “Western Mystic” (Moorehead State College), let us ignore the scholarly, the literate, the intelligent and the unassuming. Let us look at the average everyday wash-and-wear college student. What is he?

Why is he here? There is, of course, the overriding, vital reason. A college degree is the key to a good job and a good salary for the ordinary person. It is almost a certain way to gain security. This, for the insecure, makes the pain of getting a college degree bearable. Not only is the degree a path to the man for the education. The ordinary college student treats classes as a necessary evil. He has got to attend, but the man for the education.

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Senate Overrides Rahjah Club

by Joe Schneider

An end to the problem as to how the cheerleaders are going to be picked was reached at the Student Senate meeting last Tuesday evening.

Rahjahs Compromise

Dave Pollock, commissioner of the Student Union, speaking to the Senate as president of the Rahjah Club, introduced a motion which would change the decision of that body at their last meeting.

In last week's meeting, Pollock stated, "In the interest of NSDU, I move that the Athletic commission, Miss Nass, (instructor in Physical Education) and one representative each from: YMCA, Letterman's Club, Men's Physical Education Department, Freshman class officers, IBA, Blue Key, plus the Rahjah Club in total be responsible for selection of the cheerleaders.

Powler Humphrey, senator, asked Pollock why he cut out some of the fraternities in his selection of representatives. When Pollock replied that he thought that most of the fraternities were represented, Humphrey informed him that the Sigma Nu and Sigma Phi Delta fraternities were not included.

Grim, who had admitted that he approved of Pollock's motion, added that he thought the SDS's and Sigma Nu's should be included.

After Senate decided on the proper method of amending Pollock's motion to include the two fraternities, the motion passed.

Poor Coverage

In an open statement to the Senate, Student Body President, Ken Nelson complained of the news coverage the Spectrum was giving their organization.

Several senators voiced their opinion of the type of coverage they expected from the campus newspaper. Spectrum's reporter, Joe Schneider, asked Nelson to name the areas in which he though the paper failed the Senate.

Nelson replied that he felt the publication should give front page news stories covering the Senate's accomplishments. Giving authority to his statement, Nelson reminded Senate that they controlled the paper through the commission of Publications.

The discussion was dropped when no one would make a motion which would insure better coverage.

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In Spring Judging Contest

The March issue of the "Crescent," Gamma Phi Beta's national magazine, featured Gamma Phi Beta, Alpha Omicron Chapter, with the highest sorority scholarship on the NDSU campus.

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TRACK NEWS

Three North Dakota coaches are selected to compete for the Bison-Jaycee track meet, May 4, at Dacotah Field in Grand Forks. Arnold Bakke, principal of West Fargo High School, was again named as honorary starter by SU track coaches.

From some 60 area colleges and high schools, 700 athletes will be competing in the Class "B" division. Competitors in the "C" division are: Bemidji State, Dickinson State, Ellendale, Jamestown, Mayville, Minot, Moorhead, St. Cloud, Wahpeton, North Side Track Club of Minneapolis, UND Varsity and Freshmen and NDSU Varsity and Freshmen. Class "A" participants are: Fargo Central, Grafton, Grand Forks Central; Buns Ratsaff, Valley City.

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Pollock's Pitches

by Dave Pollock

And it was related that the students of this university are not fired up when it comes to growth and expansion. When it comes in print that our pals to the north added 10 new tennis courts and we had not added at all, students will ponder on or about our progress. Now the thing for the students to do is let every one of the administrators on this campus know that the time is ripe for adding or building our first court. Students, we must give the word that we want progress as this is the first step in the direction of progress. The ones amongst you who do not advocate may be the first to retaliate.

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Students Appointed To Serve On SAC

Student Body President Ken Nelson has announced the appointed student representatives on the Student Affairs Committee and its sub-committees.

Bill Findley and Ene Kovastik will serve on the Student Affairs Committee.

Career Guidance Committee representatives are Fowler Humphrey and Tracey Robson. Student representatives on the Student Conduct Committee are Duane Bergland and Nancy Madson.

Gary Knutson and Ginger Mease will sit in with the Student Counseling body.

Student Employment representatives are Don Homuth and Maxine Jordheim.

Dr. Fred Taylor, chairman of the Student Affairs Committee, said that complete reports by these and other subcommittees under the SAC will be released this week.

The appointments listed above are for the coming academic year.

RODEO NEWS

Rocky Rockabar is pictured on his way down from the back of "Dick" at the 1965 National Finals Rodeo in Los Angeles, Calif.

Dick is one of the rugged bulls owned by stock contractors Sutton and Korkow of Onida, S.D. Sutton and Korkow will furnish the stock for the second annual Bison Stampede, NDSU Inter-collegiate Rodeo, to be held at 2 p.m. May 11 and 12 at the Red River Valley Fairgrounds. The show, sponsored by the NDSU Rodeo Club, has been approved by the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association.

Sutton and Korkow furnish stock for top-notch RCA shows all over the nation. Just last year, ten of their horses were chosen to be part of the bucking string at the National Finals Rodeo in Los Angeles, along with Dick and six of their other Brahma bulls. Only the toughest animals from top bucking strings all over the country are chosen for the Finals Rodeo and at that show, Baldy, one of their bulls, was named the roughest Brahma bull in the nation. Their Snake River was also chosen champion bareback horse of the year.

They will be bringing 30 horses to the Bison Stampede, along with 15 Brahma bulls, calves for the roping competition and fresh Texas longhorns for the steer wrestling.

Duane Howard of Minnewauken, N.D., a top RCA cowboy for many years and runner-up in the national bull riding competition for two years, will serve as one of the judges for the Stampede. Also judging will be Bob Aber of Litchville, N.D., another top rodeo hand who was leading the national RCA bareback and saddle bronc standings in 1966 when he was injured and forced to discontinue for that year. Charles Hunt of Jamestown will serve as show announcer with Jimmy Korkow of Onida and Jack Salsieder, an NDSU student, working as the rodeo clowns.

Entries for the rodeo close today, May 1. Anyone interested in participating in the show must contact the rodeo secretary, Kay McGuiness at Burgum Hall.