Social Security Application

Aliens and naturalized United States citizens must prove their citizenship or legal alien status to get a social security number when applying for the first time, according to William Kesey, social security manager in Miami.

"The proof is required under a recent amendment to the social security law," Kesey said. "The requirement also applies to American citizens, who may be asked to prove their age, alien-ship, and citizenship to get a social security number."

People applying for duplicate numbers because they've lost their social security cards or changed their names generally aren't affected by the proof requirement.

Application forms are available at social security offices and area post offices.

To acquire a social security number, aliens applying for the first time are required to submit an Alien Registration Receipt Card, an Arrival-Departure Record, a non-resident Alien Border Crossing Card for Canada or Mexico, or other evidence of lawful admission to the United States.

The Miami Social Security Office is located at 511 S. Miami Drive or telephone 346-8464.

Area Workshop Discusses International Education

Missouri Southern State College, Joplin, Mo., will be hosting a Geographical Area Workshop in International Education, Friday, March 16, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the MSC campus.

Sponsored by the National Association for Foreign Student Affairs, the area workshop will be a panel meeting of foreign student advisors that represent both university and junior college aspects of international education.

The meeting will address various procedural, language program, cultural programs, questions of immigration information and will share basic ideas of interests.

Serving on the panel will be Northeastern A&M's Jana Lynn Thompson, foreign student advisor, and assistant registrar.

Mrs. Thompson attended the National Foreign Student Education Association's alumni conference in Los Angeles, N.M., last spring, and invites all interested foreign students to contact her in the foreign student advisor's office.
Editorials

**Deception And Litter**

Does the NED campus renovation program include making new roads on the campus grounds?

I'm referring to the messes that are in front of and to the side of Shipley Hall and also in front of Cunningham Hall. It's great that Cunningham is being remodeled and Shipley is receiving air conditioning, but does the work crew have to destroy the rest of the campus doing their tear? The grounds directly in front of Shipley have been transformed into muddy rut below the wheels of pickup trucks and various cars being driven back and forth over them. The same runs appear over by Cunningham. Students could once walk on campus without worrying about stumbling into holes and mud traps. But now, with the grounds in their present condition, this isn't even possible.

It seems to me that this campus improvement going on, could be made in order to reduce the amount of damage to surrounding grounds. If there were to be a contest judging campus beautification, NED would surely place last in the competition. And, speaking of campus beautification, have you noticed the amount of litter lying around? This problem can be blamed on no one but the student body. I've witnessed several incidents when people throw coke cups, potato chip packages or whatever down on the ground without even a second thought. I've even seen people empty their wastebaskets by dumping the trash out their dorm window, this type of abuse is repulsive.

With the rate of littering on this campus rising every day, before long two types of obstacles courses will exist, dirt piles and garbage piles.

Kerry Thompson

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**L.A. Building Needs Phone**

Being an officer of the Student Senate, I was approached about the idea of placing a pay telephone in the Library-Administrative Building. I think this is a great idea.

The only pay phone on campus that I am aware of is in the Student Union. Why not place one in the Library-Administrative building?

Many people use the Library-Administrative Building for research and are treated as such.

Kerry Thompson

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**Lot One Is Still Trouble**

Have you ever taken the time to go around and see your classroom building? I mean your classroom building? It is nice to drive into it, but it is a small and narrow. But then the people you go in and out of your classroom building are not the people you are thinking about. The only way to get to your classroom building is by driving into the parking lot behind the Fine Arts Meth. As you walk down the lot, you realize that you have made a mistake. As you make your way around the lot, there are large holes, feels like a wasteland. People do not like to drive in on a lot such as this.

Also, there are some people who like to park their cars near the lot. If you do this in the lot, you will find that you cannot park your car too close to the building. This affects your car. But it is even worse after a rain, when the ground is muddy. I think that there is just a simple reason for the parking lot not being well maintained. There are probably many others, but I fail to see what would need to come up to this argument.

So, while I am debating over this problem, try to keep it in mind. The problem associated with this lot is one that I have stated in the letter above.

Joe Panel

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**Cheerleaders Work Too**

In the past week, much time has been placed on the Brigantine, Pop Team, and NED Films. These groups have received attention from upperclassmen and from the school's administration. It seems that the cheerleaders have received little recognition for their hard work, dedication, and付出. The cheerleaders have been working long hours and have been seen carrying out their duties with great enthusiasm. I think that the cheerleaders should receive more recognition for their efforts.
Postmistress Enjoys Student Acquaintances

By Joyce discarded
One of the people on the North- eastern A&M campus most taken
for granted is Loraine Street, the
supervisor of station one, or the
post office.
She is the only postmistress
that she knows of in the area.
There has never been a post- mistress
in the NEO post office, as she
recounts.
The post office, located in the
basement of the Library Admin-
istration building serves the NEO
students, faculty, administration,
and staff.
She and her husband have re-
signed in Miami for 25 years.
Before coming to NEO three years
ago, Mrs. Street worked as a pro-
Fridays, Rt. 121.
her government, "I'm in my own
civilian job.
She lives on the NE campus
while her husband was a student
from 1944-48.
When asked about her job as
postmistress, she replies, "I love
it. NEO is a great college with
a great bunch of students and a
great administration.
Mrs. Street says the biggest pro-
blems with being a postmistress
is trying to get all the mail out to
the students in time. Sometimes
the mail arrives at the office late
and it's rather difficult to get
all the mail up by 10 a.m. It's es-
pecially difficult during the busy
times of the year, which is Christ-
mas and Valentine's Day. "stu-
dents send and receive a lot of
cards during these particular hol-
days," continued Mrs. Street.
"The most exciting part of the
work," said Mrs. Street, "is when
people get mail. When the stu-
dents get mail they're happy, and
when they're happy, I'm happy. But
since some students who don't
receive mail as often as they
would like a number of them are
reviewed, the most popular bag
I'm going to have this post
officer down.
Mrs. Street enjoys talking to
the students and getting to know
them.
"Being around the students
keeps me young." And anyone
who knows Mrs. Street will
see, she is enthusiastic with many
of the problems of today's youth
people and she always has an en-
try for listening.
"I know a lot of the name
They.
She added.
When asked why it takes so long
to receive mail some of the time,
she explained that it could be for
a number of reasons, ranging
from an incorrect zip code to
mailing it late at the office.
So the next time any of you
guess to pick up your mail or
buy a stamp from Mrs. Street,
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RETIERNING — Northeastern A&M's Housing Director Joe T. Hudspeth, left, discussed daily business with Carol Smith, his secretary. Hudspeth will be retiring from his position at the end of the Spring semester following 15 years in public education.

Housing Director Retires
After Years of Service

Terry Chapin

Joe T. "Pappy" Hudspeth is re-
tiring at the end of the Spring
semester, a year early of ad-
ministrative work in Northeastern Ok-
lahoma.
Hudspeth, currently serving as
Northeastern A&M's housing di-
rector, started his career in ad-
ministration in 1934 in Alton as high
school principal and coach for 12
years and later as superintendent
of schools for 17 years. In
1961, he moved to Miami to be-
come superintendent of public
schools before coming to NEO
five years later. He was born as
the first full-time counselor by
NEO, a position which he held
for one year before becoming
housing director.
Hudspeth and his wife, affec-
tionately known as "Mom," have
also been married for 52 years,
living in Russell Hall. "I think the housing direc-
tor should live in the dorms,"
continued Hudspeth. "That's the
only way you can understand the
dorm problems."
Hudspeth observed that the job
has become increasingly easier be-
cause "as students are getting
older, they're more mature, and
have a more positive attitude.
He added, "They seem to be con-
ing to school with a purpose in
mind and are willing to sacrifice
to obtain the goal."
"My plans after retirement are
travelling abroad," said Hudspeth. "If
my wife, Zetta, does not remain as
day mother, we will probably
retire to our Miami home and do
some traveling.

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SPORTS

Freshmen Dominate Norse Golf Squad

With no returning members from last year's team, the 1975-76 Northeastern A&M Golf team consist almost totally of freshmen.

Starting out the season are Bob Rosi, Todd and Fred Lowry, Bartlesville. "Those two golfers played fall golf and have the lowest average and most experience," commented Coach Al Moffatt.

Other members of the team include: Mike Magill, Tulsa; Jim Williams, Minco; and Ted Parem, Dale Springs, Ok.

The team beat three golfers by transfers. These members were: David Wilson, who went to Southeastern in Durant. Kirk May, who went to Duke University in Raleigh, N.C.; and John Daugherity, who received a golf scholarship at Northeastern State University in Tahlequah.

The first tournament for the Norse will be at Seminole, where they won the Bi-State conference title last year, whereas the Norse won in 1975.

The Norse schedule for the season is as follows:

Mar 12 Northen J.C. Ponca City
Mar 27 Western Port Smith, Ark.
Apr 2 Oka... City Southwest Oklahoma City
Apr 8 NEA Tournament Midwest City
Apr 17 Independent Invitational Independence Ks.
Apr 21 St. Gregory's Shawnee Apr 18 Claremore J.C. Town.
Pryor May 1 Regionals Shawnee May 18 National Championships Hattiesburg, Miss.

Indoor Track

The Norse trackmen will be competing for the first time this season in the regional track meet at Bartlesville.

The meet, the first indoor meet of the season, will have seven contests: the 1000-meter run, the 440-yard dash, the 880-yard run, the 1-mile run, the 60-yard dash, the 110-yard dash, and the high jump.

Indoor Track

The Norse will compete in the NEA Indoor Track Meet on Monday, April 8, and the national championships on May 18 in Hattiesburg, Miss.

Women Fared With Northern In Region Tilt

Northeastern A&M's Lady Norse will meet Northern of Tulsa at 4 p.m. Sunday, in the first round of the NEA Region I women's basketball tournament at Bartlesville.

The tournament will open at 4 p.m. with Murray of Tahlequah against Seminole. St. Gregory's and Women's will meet at 6 p.m. Seminole with a first-round bye will meet the winner of St. Gregory's and Women's.

The Lady Norse finished the regular season at 15-14, and the second leading scorer was Miss Linda Brewer, who scored 13 points during the game against NEA. The game was played at the University of Central Oklahoma, and the Norse won 112-71.

The Lady Norse are the reigning champions of the NEA Conference and will be playing in the National Tournament in Hattiesburg, Miss., on May 18.

Lady Norse Not Libber

By Maurice McGee

"I'm not a woman's libber and I think women's basketball should be played as a man's sport and not as a women's sport," commented Michelle Vogt, co-captain of the Northeastern A&M's women's basketball team.

Michelle plays guard for the Lady Norse basketball team and was the second leading scorer with an 11.4 average per game. Michelle started playing basketball at the age of ten. A graduate of Bishop Kelly High School, she played basketball for four years.

"The most difficult thing for me to get used to was leaving high school basketball. It was the two twenty minute halves instead of the four eight minute quarters."

Michelle's women's basketball coach Ross Wilson commented on Michelle's abilities. "Michelle has quickness, aggressiveness and the desire to play as a team." "The height of the team is a great jumping shot and hopes to become competitive in her overall basketball ability." - Coach Wilson

SHOOTING LONG -- Lady Norse Michelle Vogt shoots a long jump shot for two of her five points, as Todd Spencer of Claremore guards her. NEA lost to CIC 77-47, recently at Claremore.

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MEN'S VOLLEYBALL
The deadline for the volleyball tournament is May 28. The teams will consist of a nine-man squad, six players and three reserves. The tournament will be a consolation tournament, meaning the first-round losers will play for a consolation trophy.

PING-PONG TOURNAMENT
The intramural ping-pong tournament got underway this past week with ten entrants. The winner will receive a trophy.

MEN'S BASKETBALL
A new high scoring mark was set last week as the Maried Apartments hit a high of 96 points, as they easily won by a 96-54 score. Jimmy Varnell of Mansfield is still the leading scorer, as he scored 34 more points to raise his total to 83 points, for a 31 point scoring average. David Wesner, a freshman from Delaware, has the second highest point total in one game of the tournament. He scored 16 points for his Russell Three No. 2 team. Russell Three No. 2 meets the winner of Dyer No. 1 and Harrill Three. The finals will pit Russell One against the Married Apartments.

BOWLING
The NEO bowling tournament will get underway March 20. The teams will consist of four men bowling against four women, and the fee will be one dollar for three games, 30 cents for shoe. The games will be bowled on Tuesday and Thursday.

FREE THROW CONTEST
There will be a women's free throw contest after spring break ends. Sign up for the contest by March fifth, in coach Wilkins office in the old gym. There will be a preliminary of 40 free throw attempts, with the top four to meet in the finals.

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Lady Norse End Season With Defeat
By Chuck Rehman
Bringing the regular season to a close, the Norse women compiled a season record of 54-8. The Lady Norse beat Chuck Beil College from Jasper, 48-24. Michelle Vogt was leading scorer with 16 points, followed by Lena Jeffries and Rosemary Holladay with 10 points each. The Lady Norse traveled to Nacogdoches, TX, where they toured the Crowley Community College Women's 73-31. Top score was Lena Landon with 17 points, followed by Miss Jeffries with 18 and Miss Holladay added 14 points. Leading scorer for Crowder was Otis Kelton with 19 points.
The Lady Norse were not be held, as they had spots of six, six, and 14 points, to lead at half 30-14. In the second half the women rang up 30 unanswered points in a five minute span, with Miss Holladay contributing 12 of her 14 points on fast breaks. Leading rebounders for the Lady Norse were Lena Landon with 12 and Miss Jeffries with 11. The Lady Norse had a total of 75 rebounds compared to 35 for Crowder, and out shot Crowder 31 per cent to 26.

Crowder Junior College was sent on the list for the season. Earlier in the season, CJC defeated NEO 73-16, CJC had all even playing in leading the Lady Norse 41-16. The final score showed the Lady Norse down by 8. J.C.'s Top score was Miss Landon with 13 points, with Elaine Williams scoring 10 for the Norse. Miss Jeffries was leading rebounder with 16, followed by Miss Landon and Miss Landon with nine against.

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Mike Wilkes 5 9 3 20
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Charles Warren 3 2 1 4
Bon Johnson 1 0 1 2
Udy Jennings 3 0 1 4 Totals 26 15 19 57

Friday night's regular season contest of the year. Northeastern Alan's Golden Norsemen were defeated by the Independence Community Junior College Pirates by a score of 67-71, in Independence, KS.

Serving leader for Norsemen was Rick Jackson with 22 points. Leading the Pirates was Ray Marty, also with 22. Following Jackson for the Norsemen was Mike Connaghton, Mike Wilkes, and Andy Martin all with 18 points. Arnell Ball and Charles Warren each had eight points for the night.

LJC PG PT PW TP
Ray Marty 8 6 4 22
Brad Schrock 6 1 3 10
Jeff Kiss 9 0 3 12
Steve Odell 3 2 2 12
Mike Smith 3 2 1 7
John Hunter 1 3 5 6
Byran Joy 1 1 1 3
John Kuske 1 0 1 2
Ken Denny 0 0 0 0
Jeff McFarland 0 0 0 0
Jerry Man 0 0 1 1
Totals 38 16 27 92

SHOT CONNECTED — Mike Connaghton, NEO sophomore, connects on this shot over John Hunter of Independence in NEO's 82-71 loss to Independence last week.

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Applications Available For Talent Competition

Applications are now being taken for the second annual talent show to be held Thursday, March 26, at 6 p.m. in the Fine Arts Building.

There are no application fees, according to Joe Wills, administrative coordinator of the show. The theme of the talent show will be determined following tryouts. Many times if students know the theme in advance, they find they need to select numbers that correspond to the theme. At the same time, the theme can be chosen by looking at the selection of the student performers to design a theme more fitting to them," said Wills.

Deadline for applications will be Monday, March 3.

Council Elects Spring Officers

Inter-Dorm Council officers for the spring semester were elected in a business meeting recently held in the Library Administration Building.

The new officers are president, Jan Hodges, Connors; vice-president, Marilyn Koons, Tulsa; secretary-treasurer, Jean Ann White, Claremore; and student council representative, Debbie Ryn, Westville.

Home Economics Students Travel To Dallas For Fashion Design Tour

Members of three home economics classes at Northeastern A&M traveled to the heart of fashion industry in Dallas, Texas, on Feb. 22 through March 2, for a tour of the various fashion markets.

Accompanying the group as sponsors were Mary Garrett, instructor of home economics at NEA, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simon, in-structors at NEA, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson, a Miami clothing store owner.

Steps included on the tour included the Liz-Ann garment factory; the J.C. Penny distribution center; Neiman-Marcus department store; and the Dallas Fort Worth International Airport.

The students also participated in a fashion group career day at the Apparel Mart. Speaking to the fashion group was famous designer, professional models, and fashion coordinators.

Highlighting the tour was a fashion show narrated by well-known fashion designer, Stan Herman. Students participating in the tour were Jerry Trelfa, Becky Easler, and Jimmie Enos, of NEA.

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