Low revenues cause budget cuts

Dr. Don Reiff, president of University of Nebraska at Kearney, announced in December that the University will cut 12% next year to balance a $3,291,127 deficit. Reiff stated that the cuts are necessary due to a decrease in state funding and to keep the University viable.

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Activities planned to promote spirit

Activities are planned to boost the morale of the University of Nebraska at Kearney students and faculty. The activities will include music, sports, and social events.

Collage
Reserve tickets for the Norse-Grievor football game.

Reserve tickets for the Norse-Grievor football game. The game will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 20.

Newman club organized
Offering an opportunity to express oneself through the arts, the Newman Club is organizing events for the fall semester.

ROPE TRICK

Town residents respond to initial meeting

Approximately 200 residents attended the initial meeting of The Community Organization for the University of Nebraska at Kearney (COURNE). The group discussed the need for a stronger sense of community and the importance of addressing community issues.
Favored industries hold needed funds

For a state that is currently facing as many problems as Oklahoma, no one seems to be searching as hard for solutions.

Raising taxes seems to be out of the question. But there is a valuable and, as yet, untapped resource that could contribute hundreds of millions of dollars to our state's sinking budget.

In a time of massive budget cutbacks—cutbacks that affect us, especially those of any kind of education, everyone suffers—or so it seems. There are those who are fortunate enough to be involved with certain favored industries, organizations and other enterprises which circulate an incredible amount of funds yearly and currently benefit by sales tax exemptions that total nearly $550 million.

It's a good time of year in the pork barrel, boys and girls. And no one seems to be willing to give it up, even now. Gasoline and motor oil sales alone, one of Oklahoma's largest industries, have nearly 60 million dollars in exemptions. Even 3.2 beer and billboard advertising take nearly 30 million away from a state economy that badly needs all the help it can get to see us black again.

Giving up some of these sales tax exemptions would, no doubt, anger these happy, yes, and undoubtedly rather well-off constituents of Oklahoma business. However, if the state economy that has been good to them for so long should go under, so would they. Taking away their exemptions could be perhaps presented to them as an extremely wise and practical form of insurance and its acceptance could be easier than expected.

That is, providing, that those industries which currently enjoy the sales tax exemptions, would be wise and practical.

It is also providing, of course, that the Oklahoma legislators would give up their loans and attempt to face the true rule-makers of Oklahoma to begin with.

Not an easy task. But the hardest seems to be even realizing that the resources to pull Oklahoma out of its economic tailspin are readily available and not really that hard to get.

Perhaps a debate of ike Oklahomaans descending on the state capitol would stir some action. Or, taking it to the extreme that might be necessary to wake the state legislators, perhaps the sinking of the Good Ship Oklahoma might provoke a response on the last "gurgle".

It's time for Oklahoma to realize that economic salvation isn't going to appear on command. It has to be looked for. The cure is there, just beyond those blindsers the Oklahoma legislators are wearing.

Letter to the Editor

I am writing concerning an article in the News Wind, November 1, 1983, page 2, column 2, "Doomsday is here".

The article states that "self-proclaimed prophet" Reverend Hughes demanded the cancelation of the nuclear arms treaty.

I would like to make some comment on the facts in the article. Reverend Hughes, an ordained Assembly of God minister, organized the Southern Missouri District Assembly of God on the 26th day of April, 1975, but I am not his evangelist. I have always been a pastor and am a pastor now. I did not do any preaching on the campus of NGU. The speaking was done by campus evangelist, John Gilson, who has spoken on over 300 campuses this year and also ministered in our local church on Wednesday.

Furthermore, his name has been misrepresented and he was not given the opportunity to complete his message.

Daniel Hughes

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Sapulpa freshman competes for Miss Rodeo U.S.A. title

Kim Garrett

Come Jan. the 9th, when everyone and everything is thinking of Christmas, Sapulpa High School's senior, Susan Baker, will be competing for the title of Miss Rodeo U.S.A. Baker has always been one of the girls who stand out in any crowd. She is a sweet, yet competitive, young lady who always seems to be in the right place at the right time. Her beauty, poise, and grace are qualities that make her stand out. She has been very involved in rodeo activities since she was a little girl, and this year she has the opportunity to represent Sapulpa High School and the rodeo community at the national level. The competition will be held in Oklahoma City, and Susan is very excited about the opportunity to represent her school and the sport she loves so much. She is a true competitor, and she will give her best in the hope of bringing home the title of Miss Rodeo U.S.A. This is a very proud moment for Susan and her family. She is a hard worker and a true professional, and she will do everything in her power to succeed. She is a true role model for all young women, and she is sure to make us all proud. Good luck, Susan!
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Chet Baker

With four returning lettermen to provide a solid nucleus, second-year head coach Larry Gipson enters the 1983-84 basketball season with guarded optimism. "We will need our returning lettermen to be the leaders, both on and off the court. Three of our returners played in every game last year, so we have the valuable experience to draw from," Gipson said.

During his inaugural season the Norsemen finished second in the Eastern Division of the Bluegrass Conference with a 10-2 mark. The Norsemen compiled a 45-2 record at the hands of the coach at the hands of his son, assistant coach Tony Gipson.

The Norsemen are one of the strongest teams in the league and are expected to do well in the Western Division. This season's team will feature three players who were on the starting lineup last year, including junior forward Mike Brown, senior forward Steve Craft, and junior guard Mark Thompson.

The Norsemen return all five starters from last year's team and are expected to contend for the conference title. The team is led by senior center Mike Brown, who averaged 16.8 points per game last season.

The Norsemen are known for their strong defensive play and will rely on the skills of Brown and Craft to lead the team this season. Craft is expected to be one of the top scorers in the conference and will be counted on to provide leadership on the court.

Overall, the Norsemen are a strong team with a lot of potential. They are expected to be one of the top teams in the Western Division and will be a team to watch throughout the season.
Cisco falls in offensive shootout

Cisco defenders were beside themselves with grief at the end of the game as they were unable to prevent the Cowboys from scoring their winning touchdown.

Nona Wind, November 11, 1983

Cisco and Savoy were tied at 14-14 with one second remaining in the game. The Cowboys kicked off to the Cisco 53 yard line. John Kenny of the Cowboys returned the kick to the 49 yard line. The Cowboys then marched down the field and scored the winning touchdown with 8 seconds remaining.

Cisco's defense was unable to stop the Cowboys' rushing attack, which gained 326 yards on 40 carries. The Cowboys quarterback, John Kenny, completed 14 of 21 passes for 241 yards and 2 touchdowns.

Vikings finish season with win

The Vikings defeated the rival Bulldogs 21-14 in a hard-fought game. The Vikings had a strong rushing attack, gaining 254 yards on 43 carries. The Bulldogs' defense was unable to stop the Vikings' running game, which was led by the fullback who gained 124 yards on 10 carries.

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