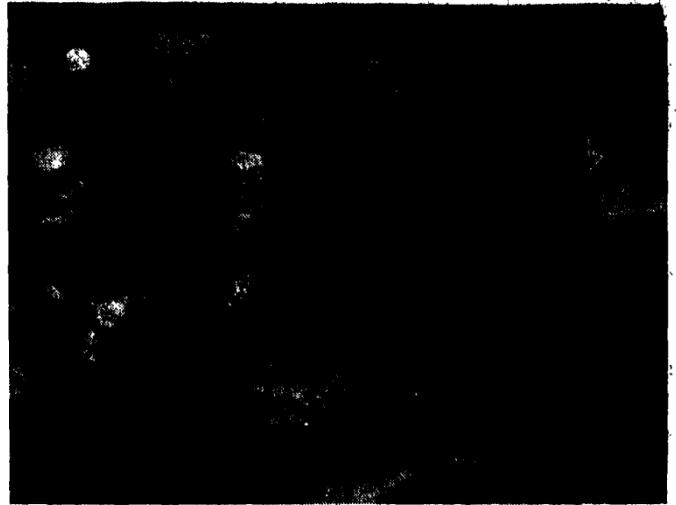


# Semester News in Pictures



AFTER FIFTY YEARS OF campaigning by students, the University finally got a permanent student center with the completion of the \$3 million Hetzel Union Building. One of the first events to be held in the new building was the Centennial birthday party attended by ap-

proximately 600 people. Governor George M. Leader (above) shakes hands with Jesse Arnelle, retired All-University president. President Milton S. Eisenhower and Mrs. Leader look on at the Feb. 22 birthday party in the Hetzel Union ballroom.



SPRING WEEK FESTIVITIES at the University this year were highlighted by the annual Spring Carnival. The week long list of activities included an Ugly Man contest, a Mad Hatters parade, the Carnival, and the Senior Ball.



## Centennial Plays Role In Big News

The top news stories this semester naturally revolved around the Centennial celebration.

Ground was broken for a new chapel, a nuclear reactor was dedicated, a Birthday party was held and Spring Week, with its Centennial theme capped the year's events.

As always, there was the spring election. The campaign raged hot and heavy, and on election day a newcomer to political ranks—the Campus party—made a clean sweep. This was completely unprecedented in campus political history.

All the semester's news, however, was not good news. A threatened party-raid resulted in the suspension of four students from the University; Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) attacked Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower, and the Campus Chest only hit half of its expected goal.

The big news event between now and the end of the school year is, of course, graduation. As a grand finale to the year's Centennial activities, seniors will hear President Dwight D. Eisenhower deliver the Commencement address on June 11.

The Centennial celebration will continue through December, with events such as Homecoming Weekend highlighting the schedule.

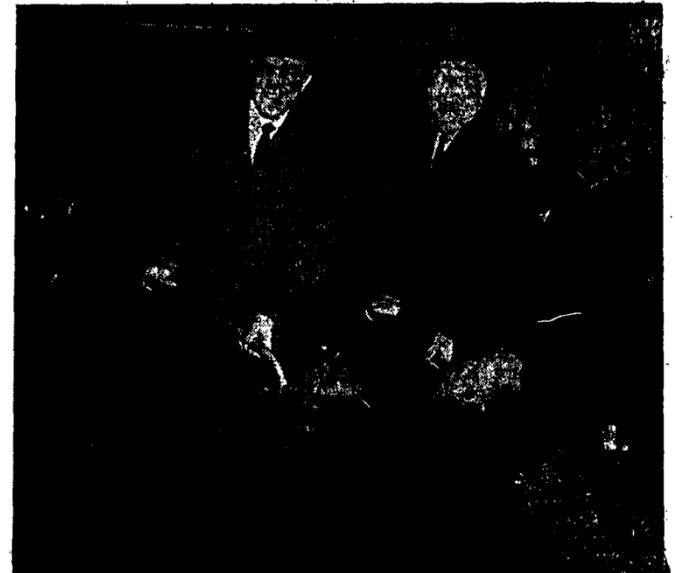
All in all, the past year has been a banner year in the history of the University.



THREE ALL-UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTIAL candidates (above) answer questions at a Daily Collegian press conference. They are (left to right) John Leasure, State party candidate; Rudolph Lutter, Lion party; and Earl Seely, winning Campus party candidate. Campus party, in its first election, made a clean sweep by winning all nine positions. At the first Cabinet meeting after the election (below) Seely presides while Philip Beard, All-University secretary-treasurer, is sworn in by Ross Clark, Tribunal chairman. Thomas Kidd, Cabinet parliamentarian, stands by with the Bible.



ONE OF ONLY two nuclear reactors on college campuses in the United States was dedicated on the day of the Birthday Party. The reactor will be available for research for all colleges of the University for instruction of graduate and undergraduate students. The reactor itself contains a 24 foot deep pool of water which acts as a cooling agent and a shield against radiation. The reactor was dedicated by Adm. Lewis L. Strauss, chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission.



AN ARCHITECT'S DRAWING of the Helen Eakin Eisenhower Chapel (at left) shows the first two units of the Chapel now under construction. President Dwight D. Eisenhower will lay the cornerstone for the Chapel on June 11, following his commencement address.

Above, Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower (left) and Judge James Milholland, president of the University Board of Trustees, turn over the first shovelfuls of dirt. A recording of the ceremony, a statement of the Chapel's purpose, and a statement of dedication will be sealed inside the cornerstone.

The chapel will be built in three units: the meditation chapel, the main chapel, and a connecting unit between the two. The meditation chapel will be used for small religious services. The main chapel, to be constructed at a later date, will include offices of the University Chaplain, a reception hall, lounge, and a small serving kitchen on the first floor.

The second floor will contain rooms for religious counseling and offices for chaplains of the three religious faiths: Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish. The three units will be arranged around a large reflecting pool.

