

Campus Building:

Students' Union Building

Construction will begin this summer on a \$4 million centre for student activity at U of A.

The students' union planning commission and design consultants have created a three-storey structure with a six-floor tower which is now ready for final approval by students' council.

The building is designed to provide the most efficient service for the intellectual, social and recreational needs of students.

Students are responsible for all the features of the new building and their first concern has been to design a building which is beautiful as well as functional.

Andy Brook, SUPC chairman, says the building will fulfill a great need on campus.

"It will serve as the social heart of campus and therefore will unify and integrate the various groups on campus to a greater extent than is possible at present," says Brook.

"Its various activities, be they governmental, social, cultural or recreational will cause students to develop sides of their personalities which would otherwise lie dormant.

"Hence it will increase the level of student activity on campus and, ultimately, the quality of education at this university."

The autonomy of student government at U of A is an important asset for planning a building which will meet student needs adequately, says Brook.

"With students responsible for all levels of project planning and design, the SUB will be tailored more closely to student needs than any in North America."

The building will have extensive food facilities, including a 700-seat cafeteria and a 500-seat snack bar which will remain open long hours to accommodate students throughout the day and night.

A wide range of recreational tastes will be catered to by the social, cultural and recreational services which include:

- bowling lanes, billiard tables, table tennis and a curling rink,
- art gallery, theatre, music listening area and meditation room.

The new building provides offices for students' union officials and lounges and meeting rooms for clubs and organizations on campus.

The tower will be occupied by administration services for students and a student club on the top floor.

The students' union will lease part of the ground floor for commercial use for a bank and a barbershop as well as the university book store.

"On a specialized campus the SUB offers the best centre for inter-faculty interaction — and a chance for the commuter students to become involved in campus life," says Marvin Swenson, general manager of the students' union and professional adviser to student's council.

"An adequate SUB will contribute to the achievements of the overall objective of campus life and the preparation of people for a constructive life in modern society," says Mr. Swenson.

The new student building will be located west of the administration building and a sky-walk will extend across 89 Ave. to the bus stop.

The university board of governors has approved the new building, scheduled for completion by the fall of 1967.

"The project will pay dividends in improved student life on campus in the future," says Dr. Walter H. Johns, president of the university.



PROPOSED STUDENTS' UNION BUILDING DESIGN

... features "needle" tower

Henry Marshall Tory Building

The largest building on campus should be completed in 1966, says J. R. B. Jones, director of campus planning and development.

Construction of the social sciences complex, the Henry Marshall Tory Building, should begin next month.

"I have hopes that construction will be finished in July 1966, because in the fall of 1966 our situation of accommodations for the various faculties will be desperate if we do not have the building by then," said Mr. Jones.

The departments of geography, political economy and sociology will be permanently located in the building.

Until a second social sciences building is required, probably by 1970 or later, the departments of history and philosophy will also occupy the building.

Another temporary occupant will be the faculty of business administration and commerce.

The social sciences departments and the faculty of business ad-

ministration and commerce are presently dispersed throughout the campus and North Garneau.

The Henry Marshall Tory building will consist of:

- a 14-storey office tower,
- two classroom wings, each three storeys high,
- a separate building, connected by a tunnel, containing four large lecture theatres.

Space in the building will be distributed among classroom, office accommodation, and special facilities such as laboratories and seminar, reading, conference and study rooms.

The building will contain approximately 154,000 sq. ft. of useable floor space with a gross area of approximately 266,300 sq. ft.

Biology Building

A biology building will be constructed between the math-physics building and Saskatchewan Drive.

Tentative target date for its completion is fall, 1968.

Five wings, a central connecting wing and two lecture theatre wings will make up the building.

Classrooms, offices, teaching and research facilities will be contained in the five wings:

- a five-floor microbiology wing,
- a seven-floor botany wing,
- a seven-floor genetics wing,
- a twelve-floor zoology wing,
- a five-floor psychology wing.

The centre connecting wing will have six floors.

The first two floors will contain elementary biology laboratories to be used by the departments of genetics, botany, and zoo-

logy. Electron microscopes available to all departments will also be housed there.

The third floor will be used by the departments of botany and zoology.

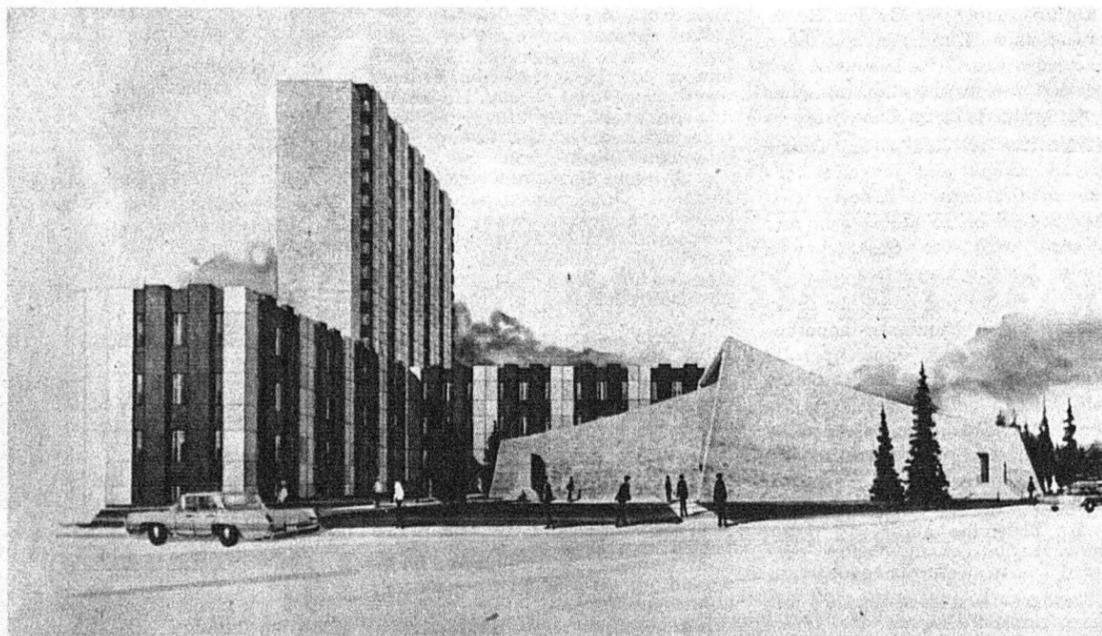
The fourth floor will have facilities for the department of botany plus a staff lounge and library.

The upper two floors of the centre wing will contain greenhouses.

An extensive area will be used for a research aquarium on the first floor of the zoology wing.

Special facilities for the study of Arctic biology, including controlled environment rooms and low temperature greenhouses, will be included in the building.

The top two floors of the genetics wing will be used as animal quarters by all departments.



HENRY MARSHALL TORY BUILDING

... largest campus structure

Program For Guests

FRIDAY

- 1 p.m.-9 p.m.—Guest Registration, Students' Union Building.
- 8:30 p.m.—Varsity Varieties, Jubilee Auditorium.
Studio Theatre, The Red Eye of Love, Old Education Building.
- 9 p.m.—Moccasin Dance, University Ice Arena.
- 10 p.m.—Judging Ice Statues.
- 11 p.m.—Crowning of Education Queen, University Ice Arena.

SATURDAY

- 9 a.m.-12 noon—Registrar's office open, Administration Building.
- 9 a.m.-4 p.m.—Guest Registration, All Major Buildings.
- 9 a.m.-5 p.m.—Bus Tours.
Nursery, Dinwoodie Lounge, Students' Union Building.
Tour of Education Building, Education Building.
Tour of Lister Hall, Lister Hall.
Tour of Agriculture Building, Agriculture Building.
- 10 a.m.-11 a.m.—Wauneita, Panhellenic, Wauneita Lounge
WAA coffee party, Students' Union Building.
- 10 a.m.-4 p.m.—Education Hot Chocolate party, Students' Union Lounge. Education Building basement.
- 11 a.m.—Sub-Aquatic Show, Varsity Pool, Physical Education Building.
Tours of Van der Graaff Building, Van der Graaff Building.
- 11 a.m.-12 noon—Wauneita Coffee Party, Wauneita Lounge. Students' Union Building.
- 1 p.m.-2 p.m.—Wauneita, Panhellenic, WAA Coffee Party, Wauneita Lounge.
- 2:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.—Wauneita Tea, Wauneita Lounge.
- 7 p.m.-9 p.m.—Education Winter Games, Ice Arena. Physical Education Building.
- 8:30 p.m.—Varsity Varieties, Jubilee Auditorium.
Studio Theatre, Old Education Building.
- 9 p.m.—Dance: Ivy League Ball, Physical Education Gymnasium.

SUNDAY

Weekend visitors invited to attend services in neighboring churches.