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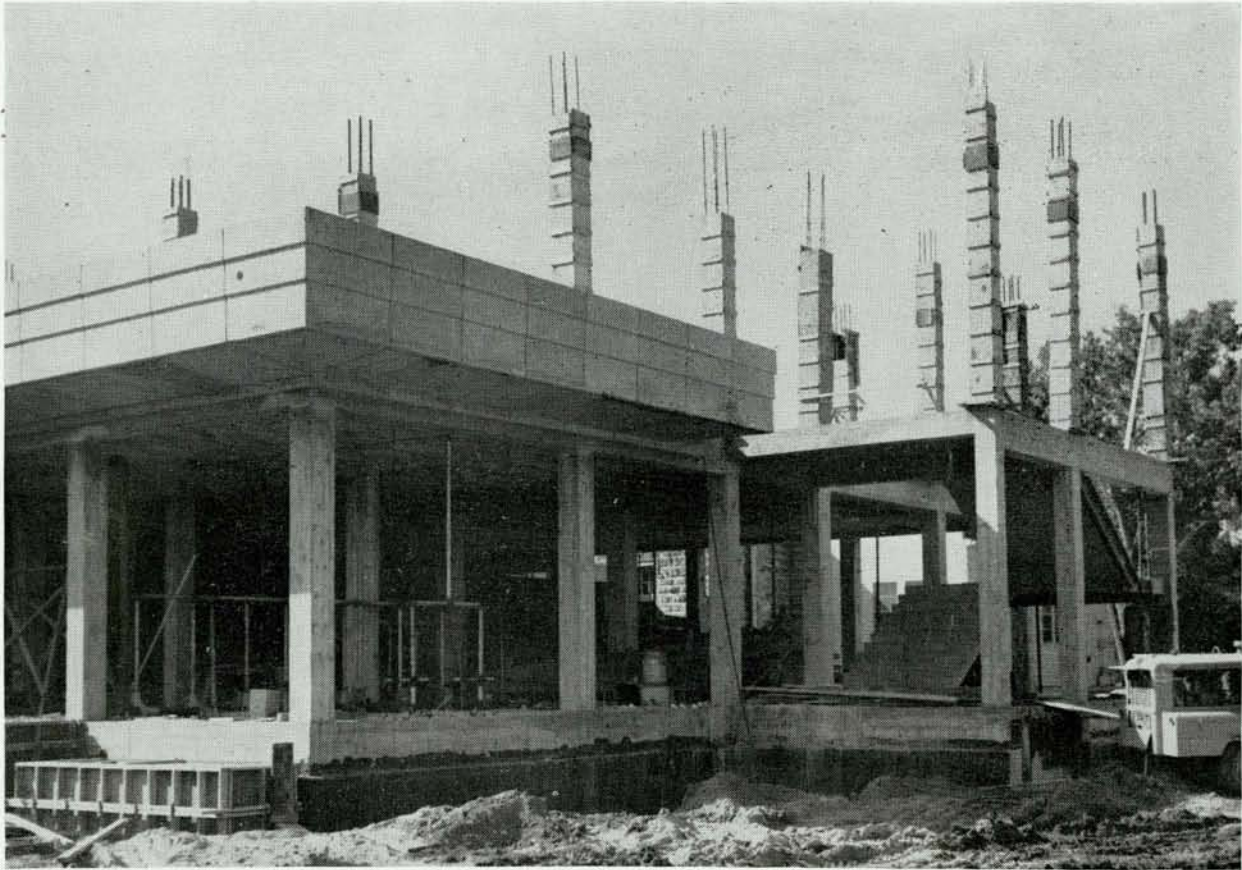
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August 5, 1957

Dear Friend of Fort Hays State,

The picture above shows the state of your Union. You will be happy to know that work is ahead of schedule for the grand opening, September, 1958.

Plans have progressed so well that a director for the Memorial Student Union has been hired—Lilburn Horton. Mr. Horton, an experienced food service director, will take charge of social activities on the campus. His offices this fall will be located on the balcony in the Social Building.

As far as specifics concerning construction are concerned, the first and second floors are 75 per cent completed structurally. The beams around the ball room will soon be in place, when the roof can be started. Total concrete work is 66 per cent complete, and the rough floor of the northeast wing should be in place shortly. Part of the building's air conditioning units are being installed now. Masonry work will be started in the middle of August.

Your funds, or pledge of funds, have made the Memorial Student Union possible. Won't you complete your pledge so that the building will be well furnished? Plans are being made now for decorating schemes. If you wish to make an additional donation, your money will help to make your Memorial Student Union a recreational and cultural center in Western Kansas.

Sincerely,

Memorial Student Union Committee