"The American Student Union is an organization in which I believe very strongly and for which I hope great success. One of the things we need most in American public life is a fusing together into action of the leftist groups—and by leftist I mean those from the progressives on. As I understand it, that is the underlying motive of the Student Union and I wish it all success...."

—Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn
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In defense of academic liberty, A.S.U. leads students of College of City of New York in protest against President Robinson's regime.

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The A.S.U. fosters cooperation between students and liberal educators to revitalize curriculum and combat reactionary pressure. Scene shows President MacCracken of Vassar joining peace parade.
SECURITY:
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EQUALITY:

EDUCATION:
The A.S.U. sponsors progressive education to halt the rise of reactionary student groups. Scene shows group of American students giving Nazi salute and seeking to silence liberal student opinion.
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