

NEW MEN VISIT AT FRATERNITIES TO OPEN RUSHING

Rushes Are Entertained at Fraternity Houses to Which They Were Invited.

The rushing season for 1932 was officially opened Sunday afternoon when all the social fraternities on the campus were hosts to all the freshmen whom they are planning to rush. The period of visitation began at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon and continued until 12:00 midnight.

Each man was required to visit every house to which he had been invited some time during this period and to make any further dates he wished. However, the number of dates that he could make with any one fraternity the first day was limited to two, in order that no chapter would be able to monopolize his time and so prevent him from giving a fair consideration to all those which were rushing him.

Rushing Ends October 8

Yesterday, with the filling of the first dates, marked the beginning of the period of rushing that will continue through midnight Saturday, October 8. There will then be a period of silence of two days after which the bids will be given to the rushees in Graham Memorial Monday afternoon. At that time the men who are expecting a bid will write their first three choices in their respective order on a slip of paper. A faculty committee will then notify the man which of these fraternities has accepted him, and the pledge will then go to the house to be received by the chapter members.

During the period of rushing, freshmen are required to leave the house at which they are being entertained by 9:00 o'clock except on Friday and Saturday nights. The time for leaving on these nights is 12:00 o'clock midnight.

MANY APPLY FOR WORK AT SWAIN

Lanier and Harmon Report Great Increase in Applications For Self-Help Work.

According to statements by Obie Harmon, manager of Swain hall, the University dining room, and by Edwin S. Lanier secretary of the Y. M. C. A. self-help bureau, the number of applications coming in for work in the University dining hall has exceeded those of all former years.

It has been noted that, as a general rule, in the past the number of applications increased steadily year by year. A tremendous pile of applications were sent in last year, but the number of inquiries concerning work in the hall which have come in this time has gone beyond any previous bounds.

Manager Harmon at Swain hall was unable even to estimate the number of applications for work this year that he has received, but he stated that many students applied to him early last year in an attempt to secure work this fall. Many more applicants visited him or wrote to him during the summer months; and he is already receiving applications for work in Swain hall during the terms of summer school next year, and even more for the regular term beginning in September 1933.

Financial Problems Are Discussed For New Men

Dean Francis F. Bradshaw spoke on the financial problems of the students in Memorial hall at the regular assembly period yesterday. He stated that what he had to say concerning finances would be of vital interest to approximately eighty percent of those to whom he was talking. After making it plain that their problem was not solved merely because they had registered and had started to classes, he urged the new students to arrange their financial problems in a business like manner and to promptly call at the office to take care of their notes and scholarships. As a feature of his talk he gave an original skit.

COUNCIL EVOLVES RULES FOR CO-ED PLEDGING SEASON

Sororities Will Begin Rushing in Ten Days; Truce Between Societies Is Now On.

The Pan-Hellenic council of the Woman's Association met Saturday night to evolve the rules which were to govern the campus sororities during their rushing season which will begin in about ten days.

The rules approved by the group Saturday night are:

1. There shall be a two weeks' truce at the beginning of each college year, dating from the first day of registration.

2. During two weeks' truce there shall be no fraternity or personal rushing. Anything that entails the spending of money by a fraternity member for the benefit of a rushee (drug store, picture shows, automobile rides, etcetera) shall be considered rushing.

3. Fraternity members shall be on their honor not to discuss fraternity matters in the presence of rushees during two weeks' truce.

4. Fraternity members shall be on their honor not to speak disparagingly of other fraternities and their members.

5. No rushing with boys shall be allowed.

6. No rushee shall be invited to stay with a fraternity member overnight.

7. Rushing by patronesses and agents of fraternities will not be allowed.

PLAYMAKERS TICKETS ON SALE YESTERDAY

Season tickets to the six major productions of the Playmakers were placed on sale yesterday afternoon. Priced at two dollars per book of six, they may be bought from various students selling them on the campus, at the Book Exchange, at Alfred Williams & Co., or at the Playmakers Theatre. The first production of the season, the name of which will be published in a few days, will be a modern comedy.

Scholarship Applications

R. B. House, executive secretary of the University, yesterday announced that the scholarship books were closed at noon last Saturday. He stated that no new applications could be considered, but he will be glad to talk to any students who had their applications on file before Saturday and who are not sure yet as to whether they have received the scholarship or not.

Professor Edgar W. Knight Tells Of Economic Conditions In Iraq

University Professor as Member of Educational Inquiry Commission in Iraq Relates Impressions of Agricultural and Educational System of Country.

Professor Edgar W. Knight of the University school of education returned this summer from a leave of absence spent in Iraq as a member of the Educational Inquiry Commission, at the invitation of the government of that country. He traveled in the Near East from January until late May.

Iraq is one of the new states formed after the World War. It has a modern form of government imposed upon very backward economic and social conditions. The population, of about three millions, is made up chiefly of Arabs. Mohammedanism is the state religion. King Faisal the First became the ruler of the country in 1921 under a constitutional monarchy and, according to Professor Knight, he is in favor of highly progressive measures.

Iraq Very Backward

"Iraq is more backward than Egypt, Syria, or Palestine," declares Professor Knight. Agriculture is quite primitive, although some authorities believe that it could be restored to the rich position it must have occupied centuries ago. Irrigation, on which agriculture in Iraq must depend very largely, is carried on through outworn methods. The water is raised from the irrigation ditches to the fields as it was in the distant past by camels, donkeys, and water buffaloes, a slow and wasteful process. Mechanical pumps have been introduced at only a few places because they are so expensive and the average Iraq farmer cannot afford to have them.

With the introduction of suitable machinery it is believed that agriculture can be restored and that the agricultural products of Iraq can find a proper place in the markets of the world. These are chiefly dates, cotton, tobacco, wheat and other small grain.

Educational Facilities Poor

Educational arrangements are not numerous or extensive except in some of the cities. There are numbers of elementary and some secondary schools in the cities of Baghdad, Basra and Mosul. Besides there are small village schools out among the

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Orchestra Meeting Scheduled Tonight

Students who play any orchestral instruments are invited to attend the organization meeting of the University symphony orchestra tonight at 7:00 o'clock in the Hill music hall.

Dr. Harold S. Dyer, director of the orchestra, plans one concert before Christmas, other than matinee concerts for school children. The highest type of symphonic literature will be studied and performed. In the past the orchestra has had a full instrumentation, many of the faculty and their wives being members.

Geology Department Offers New Course

The department of geology is offering this year a course in introductory geophysics taught by Dr. G. R. MacCarthy. Arrangements have also been made with the Bureau of Mines through Dr. J. H. Swartz, formerly a professor in the geology department, so that graduate students may get advance training in geophysics under the supervision of Dr. Swartz and make use of the Bureau of Mines geophysical instruments.

Local Women's Club To Start Work Next Month

Miss Mary L. Cobb, who will head the Association of University Women for the coming year, stated yesterday that the association's meetings have not yet begun but will get under way in October.

Buccaneer Staff To Meet For Try-outs

An important meeting of the Carolina Buccaneer staff is scheduled for tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock in their office on the second floor of Graham Memorial. Editor Bobby Mason urges all desiring to tryout and old members of the staff to be present and on time.

Since the staff has not been chosen, new men will have equal good chances of hooking up with either the art or the editorial staff of the magazine.

It is the desire of the editor to release the first publication by October 15. Therefore promptness and willingness to work will play a big part in the promotions.

DUKE HOST FOR Y. M. C. A.-Y. W. C. A. MEET SATURDAY

Bill McKee Will Preside at Conference for Better Relations Between Groups.

The executive committee of the North Carolina Y. M. C. A.-Y. W. C. A. Training Conference will meet Saturday night at Duke university.

Bill McKee, president of the Carolina "Y," is also president of the state-wide group. Other members of the executive committee are: Elizabeth Taylor, vice-president, of Greensboro college; Rosanella Cash, secretary of Duke university; Sam Wiley, treasurer, of Davidson; Curtis Spence, Duke "Y" president; Ed King, secretary of the N. C. State college "Y"; Miss Lucy Crisp, secretary of the Women's college "Y"; Mrs. Hazen Smith of Duke university; Miss Elizabeth Smith, national student Y. W. C. A. secretary; Claude Nelson, southern student "Y" secretary; and Harry F. Comer of the Carolina "Y."

The purpose of the committee will be to discuss the possibility of forming a Y. M.-Y. W. C. A. cabinet from the college "Y's" of the state which would meet thrice yearly; to discuss the problem of effecting better integration and cooperation between Y. M. C. A.'s and Y. W. C. A.'s of the state; and to form a delegation to be sent to the southern "Y" conference to take place at Atlanta during the Christmas holidays.

Literary Societies Will Meet Tonight

The first meetings of the two debating and forensic societies of the University is planned tonight when the Phi Assembly convenes at 7:00 o'clock in New East building, and the Dialectic Senate meets at 7:00 o'clock in New West building.

President Dan Kelly will deliver the inaugural speech to the Phi Assembly, and President Charles G. Rose, Jr., will address the Senate.

COKER AND VALENTINE ABSENT ON YEAR LEAVE

Professor R. E. Coker and Dr. J. M. Valentine, of the zoology department, will be absent from the University this year, furthering their scientific studies in France.

Professor Coker, on leave of absence for a year, is carrying on experiments concerning the heredity of small crustacea, at the University of Paris.

Dr. Valentine, who has been connected with the University of North Carolina for the past three years, is continuing studies of the evolution of blind cave-dwelling beetles.

Vining at Columbia

Professor Morgan F. Vining, chief of the bureau of lectures, short courses, and radio in the extension division of the University, is taking courses at the teachers' college of Columbia university. Professor Vining is working for a Ph.D. in education.

ALUMNI OFFICERS PLAN UNIVERSITY DAY CELEBRATION

Representatives of Fifty-Nine Clubs Are Invited to Assemble in December.

Plans were put underway yesterday by the board of directors of the University alumni association for University Day celebrations October 12th in fifty-nine alumni clubs in North Carolina and in alumni centers in other states.

The officers and directors of the University alumni organization met Saturday in the Graham Memorial, and in addition to initiating plans for University Day gatherings, also voted to conduct the annual Alumni General Assembly early in December, heard reports of the alumni secretary and general treasurer, and conducted other routine business.

Assembly Meets Here

To the Alumni General Assembly, which will meet in Chapel Hill, will be invited representatives of the forty-four alumni clubs in North Carolina and the fifteen clubs outside the state. The Alumni Assembly is the principal general meeting of the University's alumni organization.

The board elected Judge E. Earle Rives, of Greensboro, as a member of the board to succeed himself for a term of three years.

The meeting was presided over by Kemp P. Lewis, of Durham, President of the association.

Others at Meeting

Others attending the meeting were: R. G. Stockton, of Winston-Salem, vice-president of the association; R. Arthur Spang, Jr. and Bowman Gray, Jr., of Winston-Salem; Tyre C. Taylor and A. L. Purrington, Jr., of Raleigh; Judge E. Earle Rives, of Greensboro; A. C. Lineberger, Jr., of Belmont; Judge James R. Patton, Jr., of Durham; and alumni secretary J. Maryon Saunders, of Chapel Hill.

SOPH ORDERS TAP FORTY NEW MEN

Sheiks, Minotaurs, and "13" Club Announce List of Pledges.

The three sophomore social organizations of the University, the Sheiks, the Minotaurs, and the "13" Club, have announced their pledges for this fall.

These pledges are as follows:

Sheiks: Beta Theta Pi, Frank Hargreaves and Jim Cordon; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Walter Carson and Claude Freeman; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Henry Burnett and Charles Shaffer; Kappa Alpha, Ed. Broadhurst and Ed. Everett; Zeta Psi, Lee Folger and Percy Brown; Kappa Sigma, Jack May and Dave Ison; Alpha Tau Omega, Stewart Robertson; Phi Delta Theta, Jack Hershey.

Minotaurs: Zeta Psi, Joe Webb and Dick Lewis; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Simmons Patterson and Ralph Gardner; Sigma Chi, Foster Thorpe and George Blanton; Sigma Nu, Jack Dey and Eugene Bagwell; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Emmet Joyner and Frank Kenan; Kappa Sigma, Henry Young, Beta Theta Pi, Mark Dunn and Dick Weesner.

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