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GUILTY

Women's rushing this year has provided the college with the best show it has had since Colonel Leitze...

The evidence against Kappa Alpha Theta is overwhelming. Briefly, the fraternity "hasn't a leg to stand on..."

That the leaders of Kappa Alpha Theta would permit their house to go into anything which so endangered the house's prestige and reputation shows a lack of good judgment...

It will take a long time for Kappa Alpha Theta to regain the position of honor and leadership which it held in the eyes of the student body previous to this rushing season.

But then maybe a few extra pledges are worth it. Even if Kappa Alpha Theta had been found not guilty of violating the rushing code, its leaders would be guilty of having endangered the reputation and position of their fraternity.

A MILESTONE ON THE PATH OF AMERICAN FASCISM

On May 13, 1935, the most direct attempt to violate American civil liberties ever put over on the American people slipped quietly through the U. S. Senate...

As conceived by Machiavellian minds whose efforts to put through fascist legislation under the guise of 1000 per cent Americanism would make the Founding Fathers twist in their tombs, this uncanny bit of legislation is the most notorious attempt of the militarists thus far in time of peace to squelch public sentiment against war by fine or imprisonment.

The bill itself reads: "An act to make better provision for the government of the military and naval forces of the United States by the suppression of attempts to incite members thereof to disobedience."

Violating freedom of the press and freedom of public expression, this fantastic imitation of Hitlerism makes it a crime to criticize the military or naval forces of the United States. As the bill now rests before the House, it imposes heavy fines and imprisonment for any newspaper editor who publishes or any reporter who writes stories critical of the army, navy or their military equipment.

Congressman Maury Maverick, one of the most outspoken opponents of the bill said of it: "... in my opinion, it is one of the most outrageous invasions of human rights ever attempted on the American people. It gags the press. It gags every liberty given in the Constitution of the United States. It violates every precedent of American liberty."

On this campus, any attempt to criticize the R. O. T. C. could be promptly suppressed under this act as sedition.

For, while the Military Disaffection Bill does not specify the reserve corps in text, criticism of the R. O. T. C. on this campus could be construed as a criminal offense because such criticism would inevitably reflect upon the instructors who are regular army officers.

FOR STUDENT UNITY

On December 29, five hundred students from colleges and universities throughout the United States met in Columbus, Ohio, to form the American Student Union, the first attempt on the part of college students to solidify student progressive thought on a nation-wide scale.

Since its inception, the American Student Union has met with overwhelming response from that cross-section of the American student body representing liberal opinion. Chapters have sprung up in hundreds of American colleges and universities as a definite challenge to the threadbare thinking of the forces of reaction.

A local chapter, which has been organized here, is now petitioning for recognition. It will embody the two objectives of the A. S. U.: to submit progressive student opinion in a manner conforming to the standards of academic freedom of expression and to support and further legislation against war and fascism.

CAMPUSEER

BY HIMSELF

Fantasia:

It may have been just the reaction of the last two cups of coffee the night before or possibly the subconscious result of talking to too many persons who are taking Greek 26. Anyhow, we woke up the other morning after a nightmare in which we dreamed that Penn State had turned into a Greco-Roman theatre and the faculty were players. Here was the cast as nearly as we can remember it:

Scene: The Parthenon (Old Main) located in a valley (Elysian fields) between Mt. Olympus (Mt. Nittany) and Parnassus (Bald Eagle).

Argument: Furnished by Prof. John Henry Frizzell.

Characters:

- Jupiter, the king: President Hetzel
Juno, his queen: Mrs. Hetzel
Minerva, goddess of wisdom: Miss Nitzky
Plutus, god of wealth: Treasurer Martoff
Mars, god of war: Colonel Venable
Oracis of Delphi: George Donovan at Student Union
Ceres, goddess of the earth: Penn State Jessie
Sacred cow: The horse barns
Hercules: Bezdek
Neptune: Mahatma Galbraith
Orpheus: Dean Grant
Bacchus: Doc Martin
Vulcan, celestial workman: Mr. Ebert
Venus: (What am I bid?)
Apollo: Jack Richards
Pluto, ruler of the dead: Doc Ritenour
Stygian realm: The Infirmary
The Three Fates: Dean Ray, Dean Warnock, and Neil Fleming
Cerberus, guardian of the gates of hell: Registrar Hoffman
Scylla and Charybdis: Leitzell and Yougel
The Nine Muses: Calliope, epic poetry: Prof. Werner; Clio, history: Doc Martin; Euterpe, lyric poetry: Doc Dergler; Terpsichore, choral dance and song: Sock Kennedy; Polyhymnia, sacred poetry: Prof. Mason Long; Melpomene, tragedy: Prof. Cloetingh; Urania, astronomy: Doc Yengley; Erato, love poetry: Miss Brill; Thalia, comedy: Prof. Julius Kaulfuss; Morpheus: Prof. Oscar Smith; Charon, ferryman of the Styx: Resides Taxi; Pyramus and Thisbe: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bassett; Siren: Prof. Lucretia V. T. Simmons; Pan: Prof. Hum Fishburn; Wood Nymphs: Docs Kern, Hill, Overholts, and Kelly; Cupid: Mr. Willard P. Lewis; Mercury: Mr. Adrian O. Morse; Satyrs: All forestry profs; Chimera: Any Bluebook

Campusights:

Ruth Edgar and Tat Humes building up Newell Townsend's band with loud plaudits at the Red Cross Dance while they wait for Price Longstreet and Towner to stop playing and dance with them...

Walt Freunsch, in his sober moments sports editor of this sheet, has disappeared leaving a cryptic message behind. Knowing his fondness for winter sports we are offering odds that he is lost in a Garmisch-Partenkirchen hofbrau...

NECKWEAR

Styles of Tomorrow for the College Man of Today

MORE OR LESS, EVERY HABERDASHER KEEPS UP WITH THE FASHIONS. THIS ESTABLISHMENT REGARDS IT AS AN OBLIGATION TO THEIR REPUTATION AS STYLISTS TO KEEP AHEAD. WE DON'T DELAY TO SHOW A NEW NECKWEAR FASHION UNTIL IT BECOMES SO FASHIONABLE THAT IT CEASES TO BE A FASHION AT ALL.

OF COURSE, WE ALSO DISPLAY THE SMARTLY CONSERVATIVE STYLES FOR THE MAN WHOSE MOTTO IS, "BE NOT THE FIRST BY WHOM THE NEW IS TRIED, YET NOT THE LAST TO LAY THE OLD ASIDE."

STARK BROS. & HARPER

HATTERS HABERDASHERS TAILORS

Women's Fraternity Violates Rushing Rule

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has not decided what the penalty will be but the house will be penalized. We have not decided the penalty because we have never had a case like this before.

The incident which the Council held as rushing by Kappa Alpha Theta was a dinner at the Delta Upsilon fraternity house last Wednesday, a silent period. The dinner was attended by approximately ten members of the women's fraternity and eight freshman women, rushees of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Women Invited by Jane Parker '36

According to members of Kappa Alpha Theta, it was not a rushing party, in that members of Delta Upsilon had asked that these freshman women be invited and that they (Delta Upsilon members) had accompanied these freshmen to and from dinner. However, it was shown at the Council meeting that Jane A. Parker '36, Kappa Alpha Theta social chairman, had called the freshman women and invited them and that the members of Delta Upsilon fraternity were assigned freshman women to entertain.

The freshman women who attended the now-much discussed dinner are: Helen V. Anderson, Helen R. and Jean M. Beakley, Elizabeth A. Evans, Julia C. Schubert, Mary C. Thornton, Ann Vey, and Barbara A. Wood. Only the Misses Thornton and Wood were not pledged to Kappa Alpha Theta Sunday afternoon.

A. Frances Turner '36, president of W.S.G.A., and a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, said at the Council meeting that she had called Miss Eileen M. Burkholder, assistant Dean of Women, before completing plans for the dinner, for her approval. Miss Burkholder is said to have said that it was within the letter of the rushing code but that she questioned whether it was ethical or not.

S. Elizabeth Shaffer '36, Kappa Alpha Theta president, then called Miss Diehl after hearing that Miss Burkholder had said that it was within the law and asked for her permission. Miss Diehl is said to have asked her what Miss Burkholder had said in the matter. Miss Shaffer is then said to have told her that it had met with Miss Burkholder's approval. Miss Diehl then gave her approval. Other

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Co-Edits

Julia M. Brandt '38 has been named general chairman of the Mac hall dance to be held at Mac hall Friday, February 21, with Bill Bortoff playing from 9 to 12 o'clock. Tickets may be purchased at the Student Union desk or from any woman living at Mac hall. Admission is one dollar per couple.

Members of Alpha Chi Omega were disappointed to receive word that

Miss Jeanette Rankin was unable to come to Penn State. Miss Rankin was to visit at the Alpha Chi Omega suite.

Alice J. Parkinson '36, Phi Mu, has left school to join her parents in Puerto Rico. Miss Parkinson's father, Prof. H. G. Parkinson, of the department of agriculture, now on leave of absence, is serving as Dean of the School of Agriculture at the University of Puerto Rico.

Dartmouth made \$36,609 on football last season.



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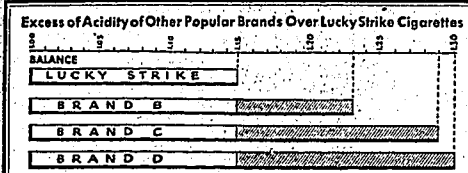
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