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PLEDGES Complete list of fraternity pledges will be published next issue.

SOOSE, KOCIUBINSKY ARE DECLARED INELIGIBLE

433 Freshmen Sign Preference Cards

Fraternities To Post Bonds By Tomorrow

1st Informal Bids May Be Issued During Open Period

Pledging Ceremonies End Season Monday

With the filing of 433 preference cards by prospective fraternity men yesterday, indicating the fraternities of their choice in 1-2-3 order, the field of choice of the 1937 rushing season is vastly narrowed down for both rushees and fraternities.

The 433 preference cards filled out yesterday are the implement devised by the Interfraternity Council where by the rushees may formally indicate to rushing fraternities just where the fraternities stand in their minds, enabling the fraternities to gain some idea of whom to "put the bug on" and who it would be merely a waste of time on the part of both parties to continue with rushing.

Moeller Sets Bond, Dues Deadline

An announcement from John S. Moeller, '38, president of the Interfraternity Council, states that all fraternity semester dues and the \$50 rushing bond must be paid up at the Student Union desk in Old Main before Saturday noon. Pledging cards will not be signed to a fraternity until that fraternity's dues and bond have been posted.

A change in the rushing code by the Council will allow a fraternity to begin its rushing dates with a rushee during the free period, which begins this morning, every morning at 7 o'clock instead of at 8 o'clock as is printed on the date cards.

All freshmen, desiring to pledge to a fraternity and who neglected to fill out a preference card as prescribed, will be prohibited from pledging for a period of 30 days; and if a fraternity pledges an ineligible man during this period, it will be fined \$10.

Open Period In Force Today

This morning at 7 o'clock the free rushing period begins which will end at exactly 8 o'clock Sunday night. It is during this period that both fraternity and rushee get their last chance to thoroughly make up their mind upon their choices.

During the open period of rushing the dinner dates may last from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 1 o'clock the next morning on Friday and Saturday and until 8 o'clock on Sunday evening when the rushing period is over. In this period the first informal bids may be extended by a fraternity to its prospective pledges.

These bids are neither binding on the part of fraternity or rushee, and may be broken by the date of pledging.

A "silent" period will begin Sunday evening at 8 o'clock and last until Monday evening at 6 o'clock.

Filing of Bids

Fraternities will signify their final choice of the men they wish to pledge by filling out formal bids. All bids should be typewritten on regularly prescribed cards to be furnished by the Interfraternity Council and should be presented to the rushing committee at Student Union desk in Old Main by 10 o'clock Sunday evening, September 19.

A rushee may receive all bids assigned to him by calling at Student Union desk in Old Main from 8:30 to 5 o'clock on Monday, September 20.

The rushee shall then appear unattended at the fraternity of his choice for a formal pledging dinner on Monday evening at 6 o'clock.

The Collegian will bring out a special issue containing the names of all who pledge to the 52 various fraternities on Monday evening shortly after 6 o'clock, the time designated for pledging.

Cornell Game Tickets To Go On Sale Monday

Tickets for the Penn State-Cornell game at Ithaca September 25, go on sale Monday at the Athletic Association ticket office on the first floor of Old Main, it was announced today by Harold R. Gilbert, assistant to the graduate manager of athletics.

The tickets will sell for \$2.20, as compared with \$3.30 last year. Seats will be available between the 40 and 50-yard lines.

Tribunal Grants 72 Exemptions

5 Freshman Custom Release Petitions Refused; Dates Legalized In Rushing

Of the 77 freshmen who applied to the Men's Student Tribunal on Monday and Tuesday nights for exemption from customs, only five were refused. The board freed the 72 freshmen from the customs code on the basis of age and of undergoing similar treatment on other campuses. These students were given printed custom exemption cards which they must carry with them at all times.

Those rejected by the Tribunal are: Alfred Austin, James Cohen, Mack Dick, Otis Grendler, and Seymour Resnick.

Made up of five student members—Herbert A. Barron, John J. Econo-

Exemption From Dating Custom Given Freshmen

The men's Student Tribunal yesterday announced that all freshmen entertained by fraternities at rushing parties today, tomorrow, and Sunday will be excused from rule No. 3 of the Men's Freshman Customs Code, only in reference to dates while they remain in the house. Under no circumstances shall freshmen accompany women to or from rushing parties.

moore, Russell G. Gohn, Thomas H. Moore, Jr., and Emmett E. Rhoades. All seniors—the Student Tribunal stated that all upperclass hat societies will serve as officers and will strictly enforce the customs code as printed in the Freshman Handbook.

The board also announced that customs will be lifted for the Student Union dance to be held Saturday, September 25, only for those freshmen who attend the dance.

Name tags must be worn on coat lapels, the Tribunal stated, and not on the dinks.

The Tribunal will meet on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 8 o'clock in room 305, Old Main.

Three Weeks Allowed For Senior Pictures

Seniors will be allowed only three weeks in which to have their class pictures taken for this year's edition of La Vie, senior class yearbook, William D. Fish, editor, announced today.

Because of the new legislation restricting working hours, the Williamsport Grit has been forced to save two months working time on the yearbook's production. The pictures will be taken in about two weeks' time at the Penn State Photo Shop.

Anyone who doesn't report to have his or her picture taken during the allotted time will not have their picture in the yearbook. No exceptions will be made to this rule. The pictures will cost \$1.50, which must be paid at that time.

Wolf To Coach Cornell

Alfred B. "Allie" Wolf '29, Penn State's eastern intercollegiate 160-pound champion from 1927 through 1929, has recently been named boxing coach at Cornell. Wolf was undefeated in his three years as champion, and captained the boxing team here in his senior year.

Athletic Cup Awarded To Delta Upsilon

1st Leg On New Trophy Given For Sports Excellence

Phi Delta Theta Places Second; Sigma Nu Third

Compiling the highest point total during the past school year, Delta Upsilon yesterday was awarded the first leg on the new Pennsylvania State College Athletic Trophy.

The trophy, a huge five-gallon sented annually by the School of Physical Education and Athletics to the undergraduate group compiling the most impressive intramural record.

The new athletic cup will be presented annually by the School of Physical Education and Athletics to the undergraduate group with the most outstanding record in both varsity and intramural athletics. Three legs are needed for permanent possession of the award.

Phi Delta Theta Second

Coming in a close second was Phi Delta Theta. Sigma Nu, Beta Sigma Rho, and Beta Theta Pi completed in the first five in that order.

Other groups finished as follows: Alpha Chi Sigma, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Phi Sigma Kappa, Alpha Tau Omega, Tau Sigma Phi, Phi Kappa Delta, Sigma Chi, Sigma Tau Phi, and Beaver House.

Oldest Soil Tests In U.S. Conducted Here

Since 1881 the College has been conducting experiments with the Jordan soil plots. These 144 plots, arranged in four tiers of 36 plots each, were laid out by Dr. Whitman H. Jordan and constitute the oldest continuous soil experiments in the United States.

It has been found that none of the original treatments given to the plots can be recommended in light of present knowledge of soil fertility and plant needs. Results of these experiments on corn, wheat, oats, and hay show that without sufficient phosphoric acid, crop yields decrease.

Until 1922 and 1923 lime was applied to only three plots in each tier. In those years two tiers were treated with ground limestone, except two of the phosphoric acid and potash plots and those previously treated with lime. The greatest increase was shown in the plots in which sulphate of ammonia was used.

Hetzel Urges Town-College Co-operation

Prexy Asks Students To Take Advantage Of Opportunities

First Convocation In 4 Years Draws 4,000

Cultivation of hand-in-hand cooperation between students, faculty members, and townspeople—overlooking no opportunities—was urged in a 35-minute address by President Ralph D. Hetzel before the first all-College convocation in four years at Recreation hall Wednesday night.

More than 4,000 people crowded the hall, overflowing the upper tier. Freshmen, bedecked in green ribbons and blue-and-white sashes, nearly filled the portable chairs reserved for them on the gymnasium floor.

Chasing the 1925 yearbook of the now defunct State College Chamber of Commerce, President Hetzel pointed out that the community and the College have grown up together, sharing each other's fortunes, and mistakes.

Urges Student-Boro Cooperation

"This community is an enterprise of great work," the President added. "There should be a closer association between each one of us—the student body, faculty, and townspeople."

"No other generation of students has had the opportunities that this generation has," he said, alluding to the huge six million dollar appropriation for the new building program, the largest grant in the history of the College.

"Make a resolution that no opportunities be lost... Try to develop Penn State spirit," President Hetzel urged.

In the course of his speech, the President reviewed Penn State's legal and traditional history, pointing out the fact that this year marked the 75th anniversary of the Morrill Act, upon which the College was established as a land-grant institution.

Blue Band Plays

The 80-piece Blue Band, under the direction of Major Wilfred O. Thompson, opened the program. Songs and cheers followed, featured by a freshman salute to the upperclassmen.

Prof. Richard W. Grant, director of the College music, led the singing. Chairman of the convocation, Dean of Men Arthur R. Warnock outlined the "landmarks" of the College's history, naming the passage of the Morrill Act, the institution of a Student Board in 1908, the educational expansion of the College in 1921, and the vast building program in 1927, out of which grew the present athletic policy and the School of Physical Education and Athletics.

Optimistic Of Future



CARL P. SCHOTT

New Dean of the School of Physical Education and Athletics, Dr. Schott is optimistic about Penn State's future athletic program. In a statement to the Collegian yesterday, he said: "We of the School of Physical Education and Athletics are starting off the new school year with the purpose in mind to do all we can to make our School eventually the best of its kind in the East. Two women have been added to the staff in anticipation of a larger program for women students when the new athletic building is erected. In intercollegiate athletics, I feel sure Penn State's teams will enjoy successful campaigns."

Collegian Offers Recreation For Tired Rushee

Well, Rushee, perhaps you are a little tired of hopping up and down to meet Brother Maskedmarvel, whom the brothers assure you is a genuine subsidized member of the Penn State Stock Judging Team, and Brother Jones, and Brother Something-or-other whose name the intruder seems to have forgotten and so mumbles under his breath.

Perhaps you have begun to tire of being shown through the house two or three times by Brother Slick who is obviously sweating to think of something to say, and maybe you are even tired of saying, "Oh, don't mention it," in his hurried explanation of why the rooms are such a mess.

For all such sufferers the Collegian offers an even better way out than to get a good laugh out of watching the brothers rack their brains when you inquire into the mortgage or assessments. Our solution—attend the Collegian Dance and Beauty Show on October 8—forget about handshaking and shake a leg or two to the music of Booth Watmough and his stellar all-Penn State dance band at Rec hall—We'll fix it for freshmen to date that night for the dance. A free ticket is given with every subscription to the Collegian, Penn State's only College newspaper. Tickets are not on sale.

Two Lion Boxing Stars Barred From Collegiate Ring For Professionalism

Action Of Committee Blasts State's Chances To Regain Eastern Crown; 'Chose Own Course,' Houck Says

By CHARLES M. WHEELER, JR. Editor, Collegian

Billy Soose, State's sensational 155-pound Eastern Intercollegiate Boxing champion, and Nestor Kociubinsky, rugged 175-pounder, were declared ineligible for further intercollegiate boxing yesterday morning.

The decision of the eligibility committee was announced by Prof. Franklin L. Bentley, chairman. Other members are Dean Arthur R. Warnock and Prof. Oscar F. Smith. Dean Edward Steidle was absent.

Centers Expect Increase In Size

Enlargement Of Undergraduate Divisions Begin; DuBois Will Get Estate

The College's four undergraduate centers, which are rapidly becoming an important factor in the school's program, are ready to receive the largest student body since their establishment in the fall of 1931. According to David B. Pugh, supervisor of the undergraduate centers, approximately 320 full-time students will register at the schools located in DuBois, Hazleton, Pottsville, and Uniontown. Last year's enrollment numbered 266.

The latest registration figures show that 287 students have already enrolled. These students are distributed among the centers as follows: DuBois 95; Schuylkill, located in Pottsville, 71; Hazleton 68; and Fayette, in Uniontown, 53.

To cope with the increase of registration, an expansion program has been carried on involving the transfer of two schools to new quarters and the addition of rooms to the other two.

The DuBois center, now situated in the Huber street school building, will move to the DuBois estate, consisting of the DuBois mansion and approximately ten acres of ground, in about six weeks. The estate was deeded to the Board of Education to be leased for the school's use.

Workmen began to repair and alter the new school building last Tuesday. Only one room, the spacious music room, will be changed to any great extent. It will be transformed into an auditorium. The large organ—too far gone to be profitably repaired—will be removed and the wall set back to make room for a stage.

Handball and tennis courts will be constructed on the grounds but, in order to preserve as much of the original estate as possible, the baseball and football teams will practice and play on the nearby fair grounds.

The Hazleton center transferred its quarters from the Markle bank building to the Broad street school building, where it will occupy the entire structure.

A new physics laboratory has been installed in the Schuylkill center. The center has also added five new instructors to its faculty as an aid to handle the increased enrollment. At Fayette, new faculty and conference quarters were added.

Customs Lifted For Student Union Dance

Freshmen will welcome the first all-College Student Union dance, Saturday, September 25, for on that night those attending it will be excused from customs, according to an announcement made today by George L. Donovan, manager.

Booth Watmough and his band, who will also play for the Collegian dance, will furnish the music. Dancing will be from 9 to 12 o'clock. The admission price is 75 cents and there will be no checking charge.

No stags will be admitted to this affair. The dance is informal dress. Tickets are now on sale at the Student Union office and will be at the door.

Despite the fact that the new College ruling set September 1 as the deadline for deferring fees, Clark explained that the "policy of this office is not to force anyone out of College." "Deserving cases still will be considered," he added.

Amateur Status Reason

The committee based its decision on the ethics of amateur boxing barring the two formidable mitemen on the grounds of professionalism.

The loss of the two sophomores is a serious blow to State's chances of regaining the Eastern Intercollegiate Boxing Crown next year.

Both are known to have fought upon numerous occasions during the summer. Last night both fought in Clearfield.

The barring of Soose and Kociubinsky is in accordance with rules and precepts of the Eastern Association drawn up at Syracuse last spring. Its provisions were to have been effective next year, when both men would have undoubtedly been barred from the association.

The committee, however, felt that State's status of amateur athletics demanded the action this year.

Coach Leo Houck, when contacted, said that he held no brief for the disqualified stars. He said that had chosen their own course, and this was the result.

Last year Houck was a leading advocate of the establishment of amateur rules and regulations.

Upperclass Fees Due Tomorrow

Collection Booths in Armory Open for 12-Hour Period; 'System Working'

The last step in the College's new simplified registration system will take place in the Armory tomorrow with the payment of fees by upperclassmen from 9 o'clock in the morning to 9 o'clock at night.

With the doors remaining open even during the usual noon hour, collection of fees will be held throughout the entire 12-hour period. Five-dollar fines will be assessed for tardiness.

Students who have deferred their fees also will be required to make their initial payments tomorrow.

For the first time in the history of the College, upperclassmen will receive itemized receipted bills.

Windows Alphabetized To facilitate fee payments and avoid congestion, 14 alphabetized collection windows will line the platform along the Armory drill floor. An easel showing the lineup of the windows will be placed at the entrance to aid the students.

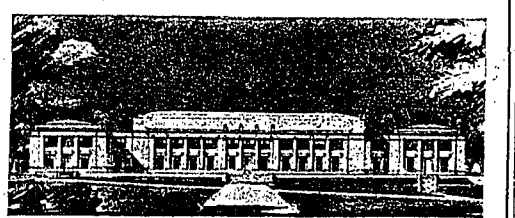
Reading from left to right, the windows will be lined as follows: No. 1, Aa to Bol; No. 2, Bom to Cog; No. 3, Coh to Dun; No. 4, Duo to Gar; No. 5, Gas to Has; No. 6, Hat to Jog; No. 7, Joh to Lav; No. 8, Law to Mak; No. 9, Mal to New; No. 10, Ney to Rec; No. 11, Ref to Sof; No. 12, Sez to Sti; No. 13, Sto to Wal; No. 14, Wam to Zy.

Besides the general and special academic fees, the five-dollar fine for late registration also will be collected. Appeals from the fine may be filed in writing with Bursar Russell E. Clark not later than 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Meanwhile, students still may apply for deferment of fees, Clark said yesterday.

College Building Program - - Education

The Collegian presents today the second of a series of short articles describing new buildings to be erected at the College in the General State Authority's five million dollar building program, scheduled to get under way this fall. Material for these articles has been furnished to the Collegian by the State Authority, of which Col. Augustine S. Janeway is executive director.



The Education buildings will be a new fireproof structure and will be located across the drive facing the completed Liberal Arts building. It will have three stories and a basement, 170 feet by 50 feet.

Footings will be of reinforced concrete, and the building will have a steel frame and floors of concrete and tile slabs. The exterior, like the Liberal Arts building, will be faced with brick, with a limestone trim, and the structure will have steel window sashes, a pitch and slag roof, and steel entrance doors.

Floors will be finished in asphalt tile, cement, and terrazzo. Walls and ceiling will be of birch wood and the interior doors will be of wood in steel frames. Plumbing is to be of standard type and practice. Electrical work is to be standard with exterior entrance light fixtures of bronze. The structure will have a small electrically operated elevator.

Heating is to be standard and the source will be the College power plant. Forced ventilation will be provided in special laboratories and class rooms.

Estimated cost of the building's construction, exclusive of architectural, engineering, and supervision fees, is \$300,500.