

Fraternity Book Receives Praise

In commenting on this year's edition of "Penn State Fraternities," a booklet put out by Interfraternity Council to aid incoming freshmen, L. G. Balfour, chairman of the National Interfraternity Conference, said, "It is my personal opinion that this booklet is the outstanding contribution to the fraternity world which has been made by an Interfraternity Council."

The National Interfraternity Council has recently adopted a platform embodying the seven principles of democracy to which these fraternities subscribe. A creed prepared for the membership states these principles as follows:

"The college fraternity of the United States and Canada which was conceived in the atmosphere of a struggle for political independence, and came into being as an expression of self-government:

1. Adheres steadfastly to social, religious, political, and economic democracy as the only sound basis for satisfying personal and national life.

2. Defends the individual's right to liberty and equality of opportunity.

3. Inculcates a sense of responsibility to self, to college, to countrymen and to society.

4. Stresses the spiritual values of life as the foundation of the truly democratic way of living.

5. Supports our countries' championship of the cause of democracy.

6. Condemns all activities tending to subvert the principles and processes of democratic government.

7. Pledges unqualified loyalty and devotion to country."

Fraternity Rushing

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members of the Judiciary Committee between 9 a. m. and 10 a. m. in Prof. Sheldon C. Tanner's office, 107 Sparks Building. The application must state the purpose of the party, the destination, the time of departure, and the time of returning to State College, as well as the name of the chaperon.

Concerning out-of-town parties, George W. Ferguson '42, IFC rushing chairman, said yesterday they must be "conducted strictly according to the rushing code." He emphasized that the use of liquor is prohibited, and that women may not assist in rushing.

Ferguson also warned that "no fraternity rushing" should interfere with the Freshman Week schedule. He pointed out that, according to the code, failure of fraternities entertaining freshman rushees to see that they leave the house in time to attend Freshman Week activities shall be considered a "serious breach of fraternity ethics."

He urged fraternities to report names of pledges to IFC at Student Union immediately after pledging. A secretary will be stationed at Student Union to receive the official acceptance cards, which must be used.

Telling Their Ages

The approximate age of a horse can be told by its teeth; a tree by its ring growths seen in cross section; and a salmon by the annual growth rings on its scales.

Heinz Warneke To Bring Model Of Proposed Lion Shrine Here

Heinz Warneke, noted animal sculptor who will carve the Lion Shrine, plans to bring his three times life-sized plaster model of the crouching mountain lion figure to the campus in a week or two, the Shrine committee revealed yesterday.

The plaster model will be temporarily set up on the approved site in front of the Water Tower, between Recreation Hall and New Beaver Field. There Warneke will determine the exact spot to place it and the proper height of the base of the figure.

Later the plaster figure will be sent to an Indiana limestone quarry where the large stone will be roughed out. With the original plaster figure as a model, Warneke will start carving the Shrine about October 1.

Students will have an opportunity to watch the sculptor at work because his commission stipulates that he permit the public to observe him at work.

Henry Varnum Poor, Land Grant muralist, was so impressed by the interest of students who crowded around him as he worked in Old Main that he was instrumental in enlisting Warneke's interest in the Lion Shrine project, a gift of the Class of 1940.

Warneke was trained in the Academy of Fine Arts in Berlin and Paris before coming to America in 1923. He has won many awards including the Logan Medal given by the Art Institute of Chicago and the Widener Gold Medal of the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts. He has also finished several commissions for the Federal government.

Ten Complete CAA Training

Ten students have recently completed the summer Civil Aeronautics Authority flight training course, according to the new local administrator, Prof. R. O. Wickersham. He also revealed that the arrangements for the next course are still tentative, but it is expected that it will be limited to 10 students.

Any students interested in this CAA course should apply promptly at 208 Main Engineering. The applicants for the course are subject to rigid physical and educational examinations.

The CAA instructed nearly 11,000 air minded students this summer at approximately 500 colleges. In addition to the actual flight training, courses are given in meteorology, navigation, and civil air regulations.

The two local instructors for the course are Sherm Lutz and Robert W. Ishler. Instruction is meant to perfect flyers for national defense and to stimulate private flying activities.

The students who have completed the course are: Paul M. Goldberg '42, C. Brooke Jones '43, Irving M. Jontow '42, James A. Leyden Jr. '42, Michael Lorenzo '43, William M. McMurray '42, Douglas B. Moore '42, Arthur D. Seides '41, Harry R. Stengle '43, and Robert S. Walker '43.

Freshman Week Begins

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men from 9 to 8:20 a.m. this morning at 120 Sparks.

All other events which are published in the Freshman Week booklet will be held.

Student Union victrola dances, featuring the recordings of all popular dance orchestras, will be staged in the Armory at 4 p.m. today and tomorrow. A victrola dance and entertainment by various campus personalities will be held in Recreation Hall from 8 to 12 p.m. Saturday.

Rev. Elmore M. McKee, rector of St. George's church, New York, will speak on "Pioneers in Training" at the opening chapel service in Schwab Auditorium at 11 a.m. Sunday. Reverend McKee has edited two books of university sermons.

Because of the large number of freshmen, upperclassmen, College staff members, and townspeople are requested to attend church

Gilbert '19, Awarded Service Cross, Earns Second War Medal

Among the many Penn State alumni who have earned high military honors, Harold Napoleon Gilbert '19, a first lieutenant in the A.E.F. in France during the World War, was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross in 1918 and the Distinguished Service Medal in 1940.

Less than 75 yards from the enemy lines in Mezy, France and in full observation, Lieut. Gilbert exposed himself to heavy machine gun and rifle fire to render first aid to comrades of his platoon.

But Lieut. Gilbert did not pass from the military picture after the war was over. In 1940 he turned up in the Adjutant General's office. And for his service there as officer in charge of all army recruiting activities Lieut. Col. Gilbert was rewarded the Distinguished Service Medal by President Roosevelt.

The Secretary of War paid his tribute to Gilbert for "his unusual foresight, excellent judgment and resourcefulness in planning, organizing and conducting with conspicuous success the largest peacetime recruiting program in the history of the army."

elsewhere this Sunday.

The Senate Calendar Committee will meet early in October to determine how to make up the week which was lost when Freshman Week activities were postponed last week.

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