

Problems Aired At Encampment

Approximately 130 students, faculty members and representatives of the College administration met last week at Penn State's second annual Student Encampment held at Mont Alto, a branch of the Pennsylvania State Forestry School.

They discussed mutual problems and possible solutions in workshop sessions. Topics covered by discussion groups dealt with 13 phases of student life and activity.

Chairman of the encampment which began last Thursday, was

French Give College Rare Greek Vase

A third century B.C. Greek amphora, ancient jar or vase used for storage or decorative purposes, has been presented to the College by the Calypso Oceanographic Expeditions. Penn State is the only college or university in the United States to receive one.

The amphora is one of several recovered by an archeological expedition sponsored by the French government and the National Geographic Society. This expedition is considered by Nino Lambrogia, leading Italian Hellenist, as the most important archeological work since Pompeii.

The wreck from which the amphora was salvaged is that of the oldest seagoing vessel thus far discovered.

The French government has permitted the export of 12 of the amphorae to institutions in this country.

The amphora, about 30 inches high, is encrusted with marine fossils which, however, do not blur the graceful bellied Ionic form.

Tribunal Tries Male Students

Student Tribunal, men's judiciary body provided in the constitution of All-College Cabinet, has judiciary power over undergraduate male students.

This body, consisting of four juniors, and two sophomores, will be headed by Thomas Farrell this year. It meets once a week and hears cases of traffic violations, customs violations, and undergraduate regulations violations. Borough ordinance violations are sometimes handled.

Tribunal has the power to summon any student for behavior unbecoming a College student and inflicts any penalty it deems just. It can recommend to the Dean of Men either probation or expulsion.

Fulbright Fellowship Awarded to Grad

Dr. John A. Hostetler, who received his Ph.D. degree at main summer session commencement, has been awarded a Fulbright fellowship to conduct a study of the Mennonites in Europe and compare them with the sect in the United States.

Scientists Inspect Tunnel

Four Italian naval engineers and architects visited the Garfield Thomas Water Tunnel at the College during June to study the tunnel's testing facilities. They expressed belief that Italian ship testing methods could be improved.

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Active Year Sponsored By PS Club

The Penn State Club, one of the most active campus non-fraternity organizations, will begin its 21st year with the opening of fall semester classes.

This independent group was founded in 1932 as a social and athletic organization for non-fraternity men. Among its activities are picnics, hayrides, dances and mixers. A semi-formal dance each spring, usually held at the University Club, and a mixer at Atherton Hall are annual affairs.

An annual "outstanding independent senior" award is presented by the club. The winner, selected on the basis of extra-curricular activities, is awarded an inscribed plaque and honored at the spring banquet.

The club conducts socials in cooperation with Leonides, independent women's organization.

The organization sponsors an all-College talent show each year in Schwab Auditorium with cash awards for winners.

Present membership numbers about 60. The Penn State Club is open to all independent men.

Dean's Office Counsels Men

An administrative organ of the College, the Dean of Men's office, 109 Old Main, offers varied services to the individual man on campus.

Primary purpose of the office is its student counseling function. Members of the office, including Dean of Men Frank J. Simes and Harold Perkins, assistant dean of men, advise students in personal, financial, and military-service problems.

The dormitory counseling program is also under the office's supervision. Disciplinary matters concerning male students are referred to the Dean of Men's office and penalties are meted out for infractions of College regulations.

Along with the individual counseling program, the dean of men advises Interfraternity Council, individual fraternities, and the Association of Independent Men.

Matters concerning the Selective Service Qualification Tests are also handled through the office.

Edgar Fehnal, seventh semester animal husbandry major. The program, he said, was designed to promote greater understanding among student, faculty, and administrative personnel.

Each of the 13 workshop discussion groups had a chairman who will report results of the encampment to All-College Cabinet with any recommendations his group may have suggested.

The group-dynamics process was used in the workshop sessions. A recorder read back to the discussion group material that had been covered by the group. An observer then gave a summary of the material covered since the previous report of the recorder.

Committees and their chairmen were: cultural aspects, John Garber; student-town relations, John Flannagan; campus chest, Richard Gibbs; resident counselor program, Ross Clark; operation of the new Student Union Building, Donald Herbein; student recreation, Gerald Maurey; and student leadership, Robert Smoot.

Political conventions, James Dunlap; book exchange, Charles Obertance; judicial, Thomas Farrell; academic honesty, Robert Carruthers; cabinet finances, David Arnold; and student publications, David Jones.

Richard Crafton and Edwin Kohn were on the evaluation committee and Pegge Shierson was secretariat.

State Draft Head Praises College

Henry M. Gross, Pennsylvania director of Selective Service, praised the work of the College in reporting changes in status of students in a letter to C. O. Williams, Dean of Admissions and Registrar.

Within two weeks of the close of the Spring semester the College mailed 7000 reports to local draft boards and students. One thousand supplementary reports were also mailed, and 500 inquiries from students and local boards were handled within this period. Gross said he considered this a "magnificent job."

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Fraternities Begin Fall Rushing Today

Freshman-men and male students new to campus during Orientation Week will be rushed by fraternities during the week and during the fall semester.

Rushing occurs when a freshman or upperclassman is invited to a fraternity to visit the house and meet members. He is then considered for possible membership.

No freshman may be pledged to a fraternity until his second semester. Upper classmen may be pledged starting 24 hours before classes begin.

When a person pledges to a fraternity, he makes an agreement for membership into that fraternity.

Fraternity rushing and pledging on campus is regulated by the Interfraternity Council rushing and pledging code. The code was set by representatives of national fraternities and members of the College administration.

Dorm Contract Releases

In the code, upperclassmen are defined as students in the sophomore, junior, and senior classes. A fraternity may invite any upperclassman to live in the house providing he does not have a dormitory contract with the College. Neither freshmen nor upperclassmen are allowed to live in fraternities until their dorm contracts have expired.

According to the code, rushing may not interfere with regular Orientation Week activities for newcomers to campus. Neither rushees nor fraternities are obligated to each other and there is no limit to the number of fraternities which may rush a particular student.

Broken Pledgeships

No student is considered eligible for pledging or initiation unless he has an All-College average

of 1.0 or had an average of 1.0 the previous semester. No fraternity may offer pledgeship to a student who is not receiving resident instruction on the campus at State College. No rushee shall be recognized as pledged until IFC receives an official acceptance card from the fraternity and \$2 pledge fee.

Under a system worked out last year, students may be released from dormitory contracts if the fraternity can find another student to move into the room, vacated by the rushee. To get students released from contracts, the fraternity must submit two lists to the Dean of Men's office containing (1) names of men desiring to transfer to dormitories, and (2) names and room addresses of men living in dormitories who desire to be released from contracts.

If a rushee breaks his pledge, he may not remain overnight in any fraternity nor be pledged by another fraternity for 30 days. This does not apply to pledgeships dissolved by the fraternity.

IFC is empowered to interpret this code and enforce penalties.

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