

Interfraternity Group Meets Swiss Athlete It Gave Grant

Interfraternity Council last night was introduced to Gilbert Leu, the 26-year-old student from Zurich, Switzerland, it has awarded the Kent Forrester Scholarship.

Leu, who arrived in this country Saturday, thanked council members for choosing him for the award and said he hopes his stay here will be "the nicest remembrance of his life."

Although he has studied electrical engineering abroad, Leu will start as a freshman

in the EE curriculum. He was a member of an European gymnast club and plans to try out for the University's gym team. His parents still live in their native Zurich.

Leu was awarded a scholarship by the board of trustees to cover his academic fees. The IFC scholarship provides \$70 a month towards room and board in a fraternity. However, he may keep the difference if he selects a house with lower fees.

To Reside in Fraternities
For the first three semesters, Leu will live in three different fraternities. He may choose any three he wishes. In his fourth semester, he may become affiliated with a house.

Robert Bullock, IFC president, instructed council members to hand in a list of their room and board fees at the Student Union desk by 5 p.m. today. A motion to limit the fees at \$50 a month, to prevent bidding for the potential member, was defeated by almost unanimous decision.

Will Move Soon
Leu will move into the first house he selects as soon after Oct. 1 as possible, Bullock said. He is now staying with gym coach Gene Wettstone.

In other business, Bullock advised the representatives to obtain a letter of recommendation from Assistant Dean of Men Edward Pollock for their house mothers. This is a requirement, he said, adding that only 14 houses have written so far.

UBA to Accept Limited Quantity Of Texts Today

The Used Book Agency will receive texts today for only ten courses. Today is the last time the agency will accept books, according to John Knaff, UBA manager.

Books that will be accepted are the ones used in English Composition 1, History 20, Philosophy 1 and 2, Economics 50, Sociology 1, Zoology 25, and Commerce 25, 30, and 31.

The agency will continue to sell books through noon Friday. Knaff said the UBA has had to refund money to students who failed to check the book-list provided. "Many departments have changed books for different courses," he added.

Knaff advised students to check the original price of the text on the book-list in order to be sure the student isn't selling the book for more than the purchase price of a new one.

Refunds will be made from Oct. 3 to 8.

Library to Check Use Of Stacks

The Fred Lewis Pattee Library is instituting a registration system for use of the stacks, Ralph W. McComb, University librarian, has announced.

Only faculty members and graduate students are permitted to enter the stacks and select their books. Regular students must make their requests to the librarians, who in turn find their books for them. Since graduate students have not been asked to present identification up to this point, students and townspeople have passed into the stacks unnoticed. The new registration system will prevent this occurrence.

Students with special permission from their professors or superiors may enter the stacks, after proper identification, but will be accompanied by a librarian.

Anyone wishing to enter the stack area will be required to identify himself as a faculty member, graduate student, or person with special permission to use these facilities, McComb explained. He will also register his name and the time of his entry into the stacks. On departure, he will be asked to present briefcases or packages for inspection and to record the time of his leaving.

A system of doorchecking to cut the number of missing books reported to go into effect at the Pattee Library has not been used. McComb mentioned last spring that instead of this action, closer checking on central points such as the reading room and open shelf area would be enforced.

Corporation Establishes Graduate Fellowship

A graduate fellowship has been established in the College of Engineering and Architecture by Curtiss-Wright Corp.

The fellowship provides \$1500 for the student—\$600 for fees, and \$900 for the University.

The recipient will be a student enrolled for graduate study in fields related to the airplane or its propulsion, or in electronics related to the field of aviation.

Selections will be made by the committee on scholarships in the College of Engineering and Architecture, with the approval of the chief engineer of the Curtiss-Wright Corp.

Minor Repair Work Nears Completion

Many minor construction projects, including the erection of fire escapes on Engineering A, B, C, and E, are in the near-completion stage, a survey of building maintenance and operation revealed yesterday.

The fire escapes are being erected on the north and south sides of the four buildings. Last semester, the Engineering

Newsletter termed the buildings unsafe without additional emergency exits and called for the construction of fire escapes.

Work on the steel structures was started about three weeks ago by a central Pennsylvania firm, Charles A. Lamm, supervisor of building maintenance and operation, said yesterday. Local workmen will cut doorways to the fire escapes in the second and third floors as soon as the steel work is completed, Lamm said.

About other construction on campus, Lamm said the elevator in Old Main which was being converted from freight to passenger use last semester has been in operation since mid-summer. A push-button type with automatic doors, it was reconstructed to go up to the fourth floor, he said.

The 10-passenger elevator has a weight capacity of 2,000 pounds. It is equipped with a lock device which can be used for special purposes.

Painting on the underside of the Beaver Field stands is about two-thirds completed, Lamm said, adding that the remainder of the job will have to be put off until next summer because of the weather. The top side was painted in the summer of 1954.

Workmen are converting part of the basement of Pattee Library for use by the division of audio-visual aids. The basement section, which used to be the receiving room for books, will be made into a main office where the division will operate for the public and into several workrooms.

Chemistry equipment is being installed in Whitmore Laboratory, the first floor of which has been completed. Work on the second and third floors is about to start. Final completion date is set for the fall of 1956.

Room 103 Agriculture is being converted from a classroom to offices for the agricultural extension service. Work, which includes painting and partitioning, is expected to be finished in about four weeks.

Workmen also are doing minor work in the basement of Frear Laboratory. A space is being converted for research work. The job, which is about one-half completed, is expected to be finished in about four weeks.

Fulton to Head Board

Jo Fulton, junior in education from Apollo, has been named temporary chairman of Freshman Regulations Board. She is replacing Suzanne Loux, junior in education from Drexel Hill, who is student teaching for eight weeks.

WSGA Senate to Meet

Women's Student Government Association Senate will hold an organizational meeting at 12:30 p.m. today in the WSGA office in the Hetzel Union Building, Carolyn Cunningham, president, has announced.

News, Ad Heads Lead New School

Dr. James W. Markham, head of the Department of News and Editorial Journalism, and Donald W. Davis, head of the department of advertising, are acting jointly as interim directors of the School of Journalism this year until a new director is appointed.

George Palmer was named director of the new school last spring by the University Board of Trustees. On June 30 he declined the position which he was scheduled to take over on July 1.

Palmer is doing research work for the Ford Foundation at present. He prefers to go into newspaper work when he completes his research, according to James H. Coogan Jr., assistant director of public information.

Dr. Ben Euwema, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, was chairman of the committee which selected Palmer as director of the school and also worked out the plans for the new school. Dr. Markham, a member of the committee said the committee is still functioning and plans more changes within the school. He said they do not plan to add more courses.

Markham explained that the committee would probably not hurry in appointing a director, but would wait until they could get someone completely suitable to their wishes. Coogan said that Markham and Davis would continue to act as directors until the vacancy is filled.

Under the new organization the school is divided in two departments; news and editorial journalism, and advertising.

Schiessler Named Research Director

Dr. Robert W. Schiessler, whose resignation as associate professor of chemistry becomes effective Sept. 30, has accepted a position as director of the research division of Socony Mobil Laboratories in Paulsboro, N.J. His new position becomes effective Oct. 1.

A graduate of the University, Dr. Schiessler received his M.S. degree at McGill University and his Ph.D. from the University.

Dr. Schiessler, who has served on the faculty since 1942, was chosen for the American Chemical Society award of \$1000 in petroleum chemistry in 1952. He served as director of the American Petroleum Institute Research Project 42, which was established at the University in 1940.

64 Sign For Course In Training

Sixty-four students had registered for the proposed eight-week leadership training program as of 6 p.m. yesterday.

Registration for the program at the Hetzel Union desk will end today, according to James Musser, administrator of the course. If registration continues to be light, he said, it may be extended through tomorrow.

The program will consist of eight 90-minute sessions which will begin at 7 p.m. next Wednesday at an as-yet unchosen room.

Musser said more freshmen were expected to register for the program which will instruct students in student government, parliamentary procedure, and the holding of various positions in student government and on committees.

Invitations were sent Wednesday to heads of campus student government associations, editors of campus publications, presidents of chartered organizations, fraternity and sorority presidents, and presidents of independent living units. These students wishing to enroll must also register at the Hetzel Union desk.

All those enrolling in the program must attend all sessions. Absence from a session will bar a student from completing the course unless he presents an official University excuse.

Three special classes will be held on one night after the completion of the main program. In them, the duties of secretaries, treasurers and parliamentarians will be explained.

Hat Societies Council is administrator of the program.

Ag Students to Attend Barbecue Saturday

A chicken barbecue will be held after the Boston University football game Saturday afternoon in Hort woods for all agriculture students and faculty members.

Dr. Lyman E. Jackson, dean of the College of Agriculture, and Donald V. Josephson, head of the department of dairy science, will talk briefly at the affair, which is sponsored by the Dairy Science Club.

Tickets are available in Dr. Josephson's office and from the officers of the Dairy Science Club. The price 50 cents.

Encampment

University Problems Aired

First of a series of two articles explaining Encampment
By ED DUBBS

"For a better Penn State," student leaders, faculty members and administrative officials, and representatives of the borough of State College met at the fourth annual Student Encampment Sept. 7 to 10 at the Mont Alto Forestry School.

Using informality as the keynote, the some 125 delegates sat down in small groups to attempt to solve problems, ranging from academic in nature to social and cultural, common to all.

The delegates were divided into eight committees, each dealing with a particular phase of University life. The committees were: student government; regulations, controls, and their enforcements; student organizations and their functions; communications; academic policies; cultural aspects; student relationships to State College and the University; and recreational and social program.

After the committees finished their reports, the delegates assembled in the center's auditorium for two plenary sessions. Unlike former Encampments, there was no voting on the committees' recommendations at the plenaries. However, the recommendations were open for discussion.

The committee on student government, headed by Robert Sturdevant, All-University vice president, recommended that All-University Cabinet "revise and reinstate the list of financial reimbursements." It suggested that Cabinet appoint a committee to study the recommendation.

The committee also suggested that representation on Cabinet be eliminated for the Women's Recreation Association, Athletic Association, Board of Dramatics and Forensics, and the Board of Publications.

Suggested as replacements were the president of the Graduate Student Council, as an ex-officio,

non-voting member, and a foreign student representative.

Other recommendations included reconsideration by Cabinet of Campus Personnel Interviewing Committee and the rewriting of a 1954 Encampment proposal which seeks further student representation on University Senate. Dealing with another phase of University life was the committee on regulations, controls, and their enforcements.

One of the largest problems facing the group was a campus parking. The group recommended that "for longer than a three-week period" be deleted from section I-A1 of the Motor Vehicle Code.

The section now reads: "Each student who intends to operate a motor vehicle in or about State College for longer than a three-week period shall register it with the Pennsylvania State University whether or not a permit to park on campus is issued."

Other suggestions dealing with (Continued on page eight)

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