

Savings on Food Seen For Ohio State Houses

Fourth of a Series

Fraternities at Ohio State University, which purchase all their food through a joint-buying program, spend substantially less per year for meals than do fraternities at the University.

According to John Valentine, Interfraternity Council secretary-treasurer, each of Ohio State's 75 fraternities and sororities spends approximately \$7500 per year for food, compared with about \$10,000 per year by local fraternities.

Prof Speaks On Freedom Of Thought

Dr. Moses Hadas, professor of Greek at Columbia University, believes it is more difficult to attain independence of thought today than any other time in history.

Dr. Hadas, speaker at the Liberal Arts Lecture Series Monday night, attributed this to the force of the mass media of communications which enables people to read, hear, and see the same things. This tends to unify them in thought, he said.

Stresses New Approach

Dr. Hadas spoke on "The Relevance of Ancient Books."

Dr. Hadas said that the Greeks had fresh, mature minds, free from hereditary conventions. They offered solutions to intellectual problems, although their answers were not always right, he said.

He pointed out that Greek tragedy was clearly and beautifully written. Its main theme, Dr. Hadas said, was that life is filled with the necessities of making choices. The individual is bothered with many moral problems, and "Euripides" is a good example of this, he said.

History Is Unrepeated

Dr. Hadas said that history doesn't repeat itself, but people's motivations do. He said that the Greeks believed in freedom of expression and being outspoken.

Dr. Hadas closed the lecture with a quote from the wall in front of 121 Sparks. "The unexamined life is not worth living," and said that the way to examine life is to go back to ancient books.

Spring Week Committee Applications Available

Applications for Spring Week Committees are available at the Hetzel Union desk.

Robert Krakoff, committee chairman, asks that applicants specify their choice of committees. Applications must be returned by Monday.

Valentine and IFC executive secretary Steven Jordan, recently visited Columbus to study the Ohio State plan, after which the Fraternity Marketing Association is largely planned.

Plan 'Extremely Profitable'

Valentine said the joint buying program at Ohio State is "extremely profitable," despite the fact that the university is a "streetcar college," with many students not eating all their meals at fraternities.

Ohio State's 75 fraternities and sororities made approximately \$560,000 worth of food purchases during the past year, he said. Fraternities at the University also have a yearly potential of more than half a million dollars, according to Valentine.

Large Volume Necessary

He described the ability of FMA to guarantee a large volume of business to wholesalers who would give substantial discounts as necessary to make the joint-buying program at the University comparably profitable to Ohio State's plan.

The Interfraternity Council will vote Monday on a constitutional amendment which would make membership in IFC automatically include membership in FMA.

Visiting Professor Will Discuss UN

Dr. Luke Lee, United Nations tour adviser and visiting professor in political science, will discuss "United Nations, Today and Tomorrow" at a joint meeting of the University Christian Association and the International Relations Club.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 tonight in the Helen Eakin Eisenhower Memorial Chapel lounge. Students may attend.

Advisory Board Forms

Applications will be accepted for positions on the freshman and sophomore class Advisory Boards until 5 p.m. Friday at the Hetzel Union desk.

Students interested in applying should submit a letter stating their activities and reasons for wanting to be on the board.

Nittany Council To Award \$100 In Yule Contest

Nittany Council has allocated \$100 in prize money for a Christmas decoration contest in the area.

The sum was agreed upon at the bi-weekly council meeting Monday night.

First, second, and third prizes will be awarded to the dormitories with the outstanding outside decorations, while the winners of the indoor competition will also merit the same amounts. Top prize will be \$25.

The judging will take place Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. Melvin Weaver, council president, will be in charge of the judging.

The council decided to petition the Association of Independent Men to investigate the possibility of extending the Friday and Saturday night hours of the University skating rink. The group unanimously favored the plan. The rink closes at 10 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Weaver announced that \$100 worth of records for the Nittany dining hall had been purchased and would be ready for use by the end of the week.

'What's This?' Answer

The picture on page two shows a bird bath which is situated in the back yard at the President's Mansion.

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FOUR-MAN COMBO to play for West Hall dances. Any interested readers contact Mike Roberg ext. 1185.

3-PIECE COMBO for Mil Ball weekend. Call AD 7-7732, ask for Dave.

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Co-op Allows Coeds To Live Off Campus

The cooperative organization, known as Co-op, is the only organization at the University permitting undergraduate coeds to live off campus.

The organization is much like a combined fraternity and sorority in that both the men and women eat their meals together. However, the men do not live at the house.

Located at 224 E. Nittany Ave., the Co-op is one of a chain of college cooperatives located on campuses throughout the country.

Members Share Duties

Co-op was so named because each member shares in paying expenses, housecleaning and duties, such as, waiting on tables.

It works on the Rochdale principle. Every member buys a small share of stock and therefore owns a part of the organization. Charges are based on the expenses for the month and any money left over at the end of the year is split among the members, since it is a non-profit organization.

A professional cook is the only outside person hired by the Co-op.

Social Program Provided

A wide social program is one of the most important functions of the Co-op. Two large living rooms provide space for dancing and parties, while a ping-pong room in the basement and a basketball court behind the house are available. Co-op coeds also enter teams in the Women's Recreation Association intramurals.

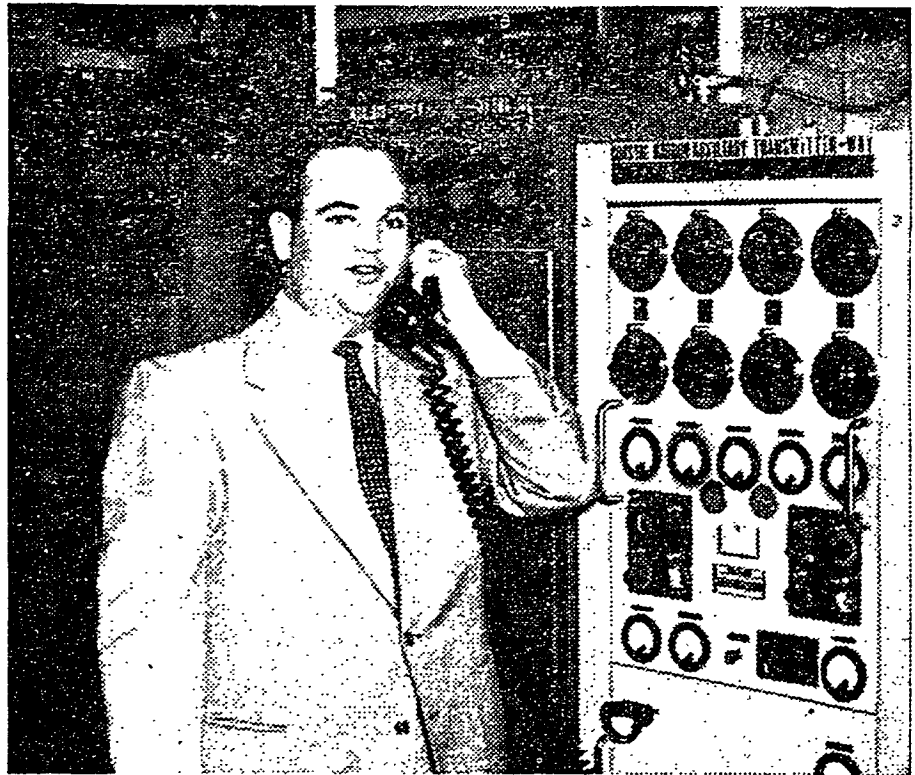
An All-University average of 2.0 is the only requirement for membership. As soon as they are accepted, persons start boarding at the Co-op. In two weeks they are voted upon and become full members. The organization has no racial, religious, or political segregation.

Co-op Managed Capably

The success of Co-op is no small undertaking and is due to capable management.

Daniel Watanabe, senior in bacteriology from Philadelphia, is the president of the organization for 1956-57. Other officers are James Ifft, senior in chemistry from Stroudsburg, vice president; Donna Kumpf, senior in bacteriology from Reedsville, secretary; and John Kenemuth, senior in physics from Van, treasurer.

A Campus-to-Career Case History



He puts communications on the go

Martin Jepson, E.E., Purdue, '53, is an Engineer in the Radio and Special Services Section of Illinois Bell Telephone Company.

"I help design mobile radiotelephone systems," says Martin. "We have a wide variety of customers, including trucking firms, railroads and marine traffic of all kinds. Many businessmen, too, want these systems for their private cars. Each customer has his own communications problems, and these are a constant and stimulating engineering challenge."

"Another part of my job is to help set up facilities for conventions,

sports events and the like. Last summer's Democratic National Convention, for instance, used enough circuits and facilities to serve a small city. There were special circuits for broadcasting, teletypewriters, the press, and for inside communications. It was our job to set those facilities up and keep them operating."

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