

Rose Named Chairman Of '57 Alumni Drive

George S. Rose, class of '23, has been named general chairman of the University 1957 Alumni Fund Drive.

The first official function of this year's campaign was to send the Honor Roll of contributors for the '56 fund to more than 52,000 alumni in the United States and foreign countries.

The fund will try to encourage more alumni to make tangible gifts to the University.

This has been its principal aim in the five years of its existence. Last year \$177,800 was contributed by 9,731 alumni.

Approximately 500 alumni will serve as class agents or class or college chairman in the colleges from which they graduated. About 150 class chairmen attended a special Alumni Fund Conference held on campus last October to begin formulating plans for the 1957 campaign.

President Eric A. Walker will speak at six kick-off meetings to be held this spring in eastern cities. Dr. Walker will address alumni in Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Erie, Cleveland, O., Newark, N.J. and Buffalo, N.Y. No speaker has been named for the seventh meeting which will be held in State College.

Agents Will Get Kits

At these meetings the president will outline the University's needs and future plans. The class agents will also receive kits to help them in canvassing.

Walker will be accompanied on his speech tour by Rose; Ridge Riley, alumni secretary; Bernard P. Taylor, fund director; and Robert Bean, assistant fund director.

Gifts may be earmarked for the support of one of six worthwhile projects suggested by the committee or may be contributed with no specific request as to how they should be used.

New Project Planned

The amount raised by the fund each year is one of the largest of its kind in the country. The list of projects supported by the fund is designed to be most beneficial to the students currently attending the University.

A new project planned for this year is the donation of \$5,000 for engineering tests and foundation borings at Stone Valley, the site of the new summer recreational area.

Other projects aided by the drive are the Fred Lewis Pattee Library, campus religious activities, the All-Faith Chapel, the Alumni Memorial Scholarship program and the Levi Lamb Scholarships, athletic grants in aid.

Chairmen Named

Rose, executive secretary of the American Iron and Steel Institute and 1956 Alumni Fund chairman has named Robert W. Ostermayer of the class of '17 and President of the Pennsylvania Industrial Chemical Corp. at Clairton, as his vice-chairman.

Glenn Thiel, class of '38 and professor of physical education will serve as chairman in canvassing the College of Physical Education and Athletics, and State Senator Jo Hays, State College, will head the drive in the College of Education.

Other college chairmen are Homer Martz '33, assistant manager of the Dairymen's Cooperative Sales Association in Pittsburgh, College of Agriculture; Albert E. Diem '35, vice president in charge of manufacturing for the Dictaphone Corporation at Bridgeport, Conn., College of Business Administration.

More Chairmen

William B. Wallis '11, president of the Pittsburgh Lectromelt Furnace Corp., College of Engineering and Architecture; R. Burns George, '22, vice president in charge of sales for the Vanadium Alloys Steel Co. at Latrobe, College of Mineral Industries; and Fredrick J. Close '28, manager of market development for the Aluminum Company of America in Pittsburgh, special gifts section.

Mrs. Joseph Konharuser (Aileen Holz) '42, assistant professor of hotel administration at the University, College of Home Economics; Fred W. Mowrey '24, director of research at the American Window Glass Company's Research Center at Monroeville, College of Chemistry and Physics.

J. E. Holtzinger '25, publisher of the Altoona Mirror in Altoona, College of Liberal Arts; and Thomas S. Oakwood '31, professor of chemistry at the University, Graduate School.

7 Events Planned For Greek Week

Seven major fraternity-sorority events packed into a week and a half will take over the campus spotlight Mar. 26 for this year's Greek Week.

Greek Week Chairman Robert Nurock yesterday released preliminary plans for the week's events, including numerous additions and changes designed to bring this year's celebration more than its usual campus-wide attention.

The events planned for the week are the Interfraternity-Panhellenic sing contest, community work projects, Greek-Sunday, the Outstanding Pledge Banquet, fraternity-sorority exchange dinners, the IFC-Panhel Banquet and the IFC-Panhel ball, followed by fraternity house parties.

Greek Week will officially close with a "big weekend" including the IFC-Panhel ball April 5 and fraternity house parties the following night.

Trophies to be Given

Trophies, rather than the plaques formerly given, will be awarded the winning fraternity and sorority in the sing contest, which will begin Greek Week with preliminary rounds on March 26 and 27.

Finalists will compete March 29 and the winners will be announced at the finals, according to Nurock. Negotiations are underway with station WFBG-TV of Altoona for a television broadcast of the winners and possibly the finalists, he said.

Fraternity and sorority members will participate jointly in community service projects on March 29. On Greek Sunday, stressing attendance of religious worship services; many fraternity and sorority groups will attend the University Chapel en masse.

Outstanding Pledge Award

Each Greek organization's most accomplished pledge will receive recognition at the Outstanding Pledge Banquet April 1. The banquet will be followed the next night by fraternity-sorority exchange dinners, when each group will entertain members of a complementing organization.

The president and advisor of each Greek group will attend the IFC-Panhel banquet April 4 at the Nittany Lion Inn. The name of the guest speaker for the event has not yet been announced.

Engagements

Kelly-Staub

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Kelly Jr. have announced the engagement of their daughter Patricia Anne to Roger B. Staub, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Franklin Staub of State College.

Miss Kelly is a senior in music education and a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

Mr. Staub, a graduate of the University, is a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

A June wedding is planned.

Weber-Reda

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weber of Freedom have announced the engagement of their daughter Bernice Louise to Donald E. Reda, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Reda, Patterson Heights, Beaver Falls.

Miss Weber attended the University and is a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma.

Mr. Reda is a senior in trade and transportation.

Paxton-Berger

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin L. Paxton of Mechanicsburg have announced the engagement of their daughter Patsy Ann to Earl Berger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Berger of Lehigh.

Miss Paxton is a junior in art education and a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

Mr. Berger is a senior in dairy science and a member of Delta Theta Sigma fraternity.

Kill-Murphy

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kill of Glassport have announced the engagement of their daughter Gertrude R. to James P. Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Murphy of Glassport.

Miss Kill is a junior in industrial engineering and a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

Mr. Murphy is a student at Lock Haven State Teachers College.

University Allotted Scholarship Fund

The Babcock & Wilcox Company, New York City, has allotted the University a scholarship fund of \$2600. Details on the grant will be announced later.

The gift is part of an over-all aid-to-education appropriation authorized by the company this year. Most of the money will go to technical and engineering schools and the money will be apportioned according to the number of graduates of these schools who are now employed by the firm.

MI Council to Meet

The Mineral Industries Student Council will meet at 7 tonight in 217 Hetzel Union.

Dr. John J. Schanz, assistant professor of mineral economics, will speak to the council on the coming open house. The council elections will also be discussed.

ICG to Meet Tonight

The Intercollegiate Conference on Government will meet at 7 tonight in 204 Willard.

A report on local government and proposed changes in the state constitution are scheduled for discussion.

20 Students Named To Chapel Choir

Twenty students have been named to the chapel choir.

They are:

Carol Norris, Edith Heck, LaVerne Cowan, first soprano; Myra Meacham, Mary Rohrbeck, second soprano; Henry Deemer, Glenn Jones, Arthur Park, first tenor.

Jim Rhoads, David Garman, Robert Davis, second tenor; Paul Wenhold, Lewis Wagman, John Dawson, baritone; Frederick Heal, John Hendrickson, Robert Campbell, bass.

Frances Griffin, Joan Heilman, first alto; Nancy Eisman, second alto.

Officers for the chapel choir are Donald Fought, president; Frank Podlizek, first vice president; Carolyn Stehly, second vice president; Anne Linberger, secretary; Robert Steele, treasurer; Roger Seremula, John Thomas, Ralph Shields, Howard Wolfley, librarians.

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