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BUCK SOUNDS WARNING ON FRATERNITY RUSHING

CALLS ATTENTION TO INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL RULES

Official Rushing to Commence Saturday—End to Come Next Wednesday

A warning to fraternity men to observe the rushing rules, and not to schedule parties for the entertainment of incoming students before Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, has been sent to each Greek letter society by Prof. P. M. Buck, Jr., chairman of the interfraternity council.

The letter does not make any mention of penalties that will be imposed on societies that do not observe the rushing regulations. Officially, rushing is slated to begin Saturday evening, September 16, at 6 o'clock, and to close Wednesday, September 20, at noon.

Professor Buck has asked the fraternities not to give out the names of the men they have pledged until these can be gone over by the registrar, to see whether they are eligible for pledging. Each pledge must have at least 25 hours of entrance credits, and be carrying at least 12 hours of university work.

Up in the Air

Fraternities have been very much up in the air regarding the rushing dates, and some of them went so far as to schedule dates with rushes for the first three days of registration, and not to schedule many dates during the official rush week. Other fraternities, observing the rushing limits, did not schedule any dates with prospects during registration.

The result is that both groups of fraternities feel that they have been wronged. The fraternities that do not observe the rushing limits may be penalized and not permitted to pledge, with the result that their rushing gains them nothing. At the same time they find it difficult to make dates during the actual rush week, because the other group has heavily dated their men.

On the other hand, the fraternities that have observed the rules face the prospect of having their rivals gain a lead that cannot be overcome, during registration week. If they break the rules and date with the men, they also face the possibility of being penalized.

GIRLS EARNING OWN WAY IN LARGER NUMBERS THIS YEAR

More university girls are this year paying part or all of their own expenses by doing work while attending the college than ever before, according to faculty women in charge of the employment for girls. The number of partially self-supporting girls has increased steadily year by year, and the old illusion that only a man could earn his own way to higher education, is giving way.

One of the surest ways for the co-ed to help pay her own expenses is to do housework for board and room, and many have undertaken this work. It is said that Lincoln women who have helped university girls in this way have received them into their homes as one of the family, and made the work almost a part of the family life. The little bit of daily home work, as a relief from the exertions of the classroom, has proved a helpful balm to homesickness in more than one case. In addition to doing housework, the girls have found that clerical and stenographic positions, tutoring, sewing and dressmaking, and kindred lines of work are open to those who must add to their allowances.

In a Dilemma

In short the fraternities are in a dilemma, and it seems that either course they pursue can result in nothing but loss. There has not been any back-biting among them, the feeling has simply been that there has been a misunderstanding and that they must make the best of it all.

A mass meeting of all fraternity men is called for Thursday evening, September 21, to which all pledges are invited, when the new rules which are to go into force will be explained. A great outpouring of Greeks and near-Greeks is expected. This meeting has been held with the greatest success for the past few years.

Professor Buck's letter on the rushing problem is printed below: To the Presidents of the Fraternities, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Gentlemen:

I wish to call your attention to the rules governing rushing and pledging which are in force until the close of the present semester. It is the desire of the council that the fraternities observe these rules in spirit as well as in letter especially as this is the last time they will govern our actions.

Rushing begins on Saturday evening, September 16, at six o'clock, and closes at 12 on Wednesday, September 20, at which time the list of pledges must be announced to the chairman of the council. They are not to be published until the registrar has had an opportunity to check them to see if all are eligible, that is, that each pledge has at least 25 hours of entrance points and is carrying 12 hours of university work. Adult specials must have the equivalent of the 25 points of entrance credits, one university hour of credit being regarded as equivalent to one-fourth of one entrance point.

No parties or dinners must be scheduled before Saturday evening to which incoming students are invited.

A mass meeting of all fraternity men is called for Thursday evening, September 21, to which all pledges are invited, when the new rules which are to go into force in the second semester are to be explained. It is hoped that all fraternity men will be present. Other matters of interest to the fraternity situation in Nebraska will here be discussed.

Cordially yours,

P. M. BUCK,

Chairman Inter-Fraternity Council.

EX-STUDENTS ARE COMING BACK IN GREAT NUMBERS

This fall has marked the return to the university in probably greater numbers than ever before, of students who have attended for a time and then dropped out for a year or more.

A reason that has been suggested for this return of old students is the general prosperity that is being experienced in the state, with good crops and high prices, and money comparatively "loose."

LEON GILLILAN FIRST SUBSCRIBER

To Leon Gillilan of Hardy, Neb., member of the class of 1915, belongs the honor of being the first subscriber to this semester's Daily Nebraskan.

Gillilan made sure that some would be ahead of him in taking the varsity paper, by subscribing as soon as publication of last semester's "rag" was discontinued.

The second alumna to subscribe was Kenneth Snyder of Omaha, class of '15, former managing editor of The Nebraskan.

Russel C. Israel, '16, now practicing law in Kansas City, mailed a subscription that was received at the office yesterday.

Wins New Athletic Honors



Miss Louise Pound.

Miss Louise Pound won the state golf championship for women at the Omaha Field club course last summer, establishing a new woman's record. She has also held championship titles

in tennis, and is known as an expert ski-runner, bowler, and basketball player. Her hobby is teaching English literature, and presiding over Phi Beta Kappa meetings.

VARSAITY DEBATE TO START NEXT WEEK

KANSAS WILL BE PROBABLE DECEMBER OPPONENT

Only Three Members of Last Year's Teams Return—Will Organize Seminary

For the University of Nebraska's work in intercollegiate debating, preparations will start early this year—next week. The present expectation is that in December Nebraska will again lock logical horns with Kansas, which she met last year for the first time since 1904, and won the decisions both at Lincoln and at Lawrence—on the affirmative and the negative of the question of increased armament.

Of the eight members of the 1915 teams only three, it is understood, will be in the university this year—E. Everett Carr, law, '17, Beaver City,

of the affirmative team, and Charles E. Schofield, '17, Lincoln, and Robert B. Waring, law, '17, Geneva, of the negative team. Of the other members of the affirmative team, S. C. Zimmerman, law, '17, and J. L. Polk, law, '17, are practicing law in Lincoln, and A. C. Swensen, '17, is teaching English (including debating) and civics in the Blair high school. Guy C. Chambers, law, '17, of Sidney, is practicing law in Lincoln with Judge Holmes, and H. F. Schwab, '16, of McCook, will be in business, it is reported, at Laramie, Wyo.

Prof. M. M. Fogg, in an announcement yesterday on the intercollegiate debate bulletin board in University hall, requested that those students confer with him who are interested in securing membership in the intercollegiate debate seminary. The members of the seminary—usually fifteen—will be selected as soon as possible after the question is decided on, at an open tryout debate.

FRESHMEN ENJOY "Y" OPEN HOUSE

Open house at the Y. M. C. A. last night drew a hundred or more entering students, who enjoyed several hours of hilarious fun and made new friends among other underclass and upperclass students.

Two fast and furious games of "hot hand" were staged in the course of the festivities, Caleb Jackson and Matt Finney acting as major domos for the fun, and Con Wilson and Will Urbach being the chief receivers.

Harry Bigglestone, the new secretary, and Steele Holcombe, the president, met the new men. Other cabinet men were present, and an evening of hearty good fellowship was spent.

EDUCATIONAL TALKS FOR AG CLUB MEMBERS

Talks on different subjects of agricultural and general interest will be made to members of the agricultural club and others who are interested at the Ag club meetings this fall, Grove Porter, the club president, announced yesterday. The first meeting of the club will probably be held the last Thursday of September, with regular monthly meetings thereafter.

The Ag club took the lead in Nebraska university in the growing effort to secure the honor system, and had a prominent part in boosting other agricultural college activities, notably the first Farmers' fair, which proved so successful last spring.

Officers of the Law Ended Dawson's Ford Adventure

John Cejnar and Homer Lawson, both of Omaha, had many and dubious adventures during the past summer, when Cejnar was selling indestructible aluminum ware to overworked housewives, and Lawson was brightening many homes by prevailing upon the lords and masters thereof to purchase beautiful paintings.

The couple worked mainly in the western part of Nebraska, and to expedite their labors, bought one of the ever-popular Ford cars. They had some adventures and misadventures with the Ford out west, but managed to get into Lincoln with it a few days before the state fair opened.

Lawson then conceived the brilliant idea of using the Ford as a taxi to convey visitors to the city to the state

fair grounds. Accordingly he stationed himself in a favorable place, and advertised his wares, offering to take strangers and friends to the grounds for 20 cents, a cut of a jitney on the prices charged by the more regular chauffeurs.

All went well for a time, and Lawson had carried nine passengers, enriching his exchequer to the amount of \$1.50, when an officer of the law interfered with the business by taking Lawson to the bar of justice to face a charge of operating a motor vehicle as a common carrier without having previously thereto obtained a license—or legal terms to that effect.

Lawson was discharged and did not have to pay a fine, but the experience proved so discouraging that he did not re-enter the business.

CORNHUSKERS TAKE THE FIELD FOR FIRST WORK

THIRTY-FIVE CANDIDATES ON THE GRID WEDNESDAY

Fat Men Lose Sweat in Callisthenics—Coaches in Charge Saturday

"I got 'er. She's mine. 'At a boy. 'Ereya go. Nice work Jim." Thus was the 1916 football season opened on Nebraska field yesterday afternoon. Although not officially begun, it was nevertheless opened as were some of the freshmen's eyes who viewed for the first time the beginning of a real football season.

At 3 p. m. sharp Messrs. McGlasson and Thurber appeared and proceeded to fumble the ball around. From then on the candidates appeared in a steady stream. Big men, little men, fat men and skinny men, until a total of about thirty-five had appeared. This number will be greatly increased as soon as registration is over and the coaches get out.

After they had all limbered up, by attempting to kick and catch, for a few minutes, the squads were separated into the varsity, in charge of Captain Corey, and freshmen, in charge

of Otoupalik. Punting and returning were then practiced, and Manager Reed decided that if Munn, a freshman, was to receive the proper amount of practice the fences would have to be moved out a ways.

Callisthenics Tried

Callisthenics followed and great beads of sweat rolled off of some of the smaller men. The varsity men lost no fat and very little sweat, as they know how to treat callisthenics. As notable examples we cite Mr. Cook and Mr. Doyle.

The fat men received the real workout when it came to falling on the ball. For fall on it they did, indeed, but they stayed on it generally instead of rolling off of it in the usual fashion.

A brisk practice of forward passing and a jog around the track completed the first day's practice.

The men who appeared for the first practice were: Gardner, Corey, Caley, Cook, Selzer, Proctor, Hoadley, Doyle, Moser, Dale, Otoupalik White, Kelley, Kositzky, Rhohdes, Clark, McGlasson, Ralston, Thurber, Baer and Wilder. These were all varsity men or freshmen of last year.

The freshmen who were out were: Munn, Loty, Cox, Young, Janda, McGoogen, Kelog, Kennelmeyer.

HEWITT-THURMAN WEDDING

Homer C. Hewitt, '14, law, '17, member of the university debating team that won from Minnesota in 1913, member of the Innocents, colonel last year of the university cadet regiment, and teacher of argumentation and debate in the Lincoln high school, married Miss Sarah B. Thurman at the home of the bride's parents, Oconto, August 24. Miss Thurman was graduated from the Lincoln high school, and she attended the university last year when she was also one of the secretaries of the Lincoln Y. W. C. A. On their return from Estes park, Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt will be at home at 1230 K street.

STIEHM HAVING SOME HARD LUCK

Former Varsity Coach Loses Stars for Hoosier Football Team

Coach "Jumbo" Stiehm, who developed five championship teams at Nebraska university before going to Indiana as head coach this fall, is having a lot of hard luck in his first year at the Hoosier institution.

Five or six of the experienced men on the Indiana team are lost because they are serving in the Indiana guard on the border, and cannot return. As many more promising members of last year's freshmen team are also with the border guards, and Stiehm will have to develop raw and comparatively untried material.

The most crushing blow to the Hoosier hopes came last week, however, when the news leaked out that the varsity captain, Freal McIntosh, would not be able to play this year because of typhoid fever. McIntosh had fully expected to be back for an early start, but recently he was stricken with the illness, and is now sick in an Indianapolis hospital.

Indiana has to face her hardest opponents for Big Nine conference honors early in the season. A week from tomorrow the schedule opens with the Purdue game, and the Chicago game follows very soon after.

The Slavonic department is in receipt of an inquiry from a New York commercial agency asking the facilities of Nebraska for teaching Russian and allied languages. The agency states that after the war is over that there will be a large demand for men qualified to take positions in the slavie countries of Europe. "The Russian language will not only be valuable for cultural purposes, but also for practical purposes," was the thought expressed by Professor Hrbkova.

FACULTY RECEIVES UNI STUDENTS

Chancellor's Reception Saturday Night in Art Hall

Chancellor and Mrs. Avery will give their annual reception to all university students in art hall, second floor of the library, Saturday evening.

In the receiving line, in addition to the chancellor and his wife, will be the deans of the different colleges and their wives, and other faculty men and faculty women.

The usual cordial invitation to all students to attend the reception has been made. Upper class students will be present to introduce the newcomers, make them acquainted with their instructors, and with each other.

The Y. W. C. A. rooms will be the meeting place for many of the girls who wish to attend the reception. They will gather at the association and go together to art hall, shortly before 8 o'clock.

"N" BOOKS BEING DISTRIBUTED BY THE Y. M. C. A.

Two hundred "N" books, the student handbooks published annually by the University Christian associations, were distributed at the Temple this morning at 8 o'clock. Additional quantities of the books will arrive from the printer during the day and other days this week, and will be passed out free of charge at the desk at the Temple.

The "N" book in general follows the style of previous books, containing a complete resume of the university, and being of especial value to the freshmen. The book is put up in diary form. It contains pictures of Harry C. Bigglestone, the new general secretary of the Y. M. C. A.; Steele Holcombe, the Y. M. C. A. president, and Mary Haller, the Y. W. C. A. president.

The staff for the 1916 book was George Grimes, editor; Eva Miller, Glen Everts and Jean Burroughs, associate editors, and Carl Harnsberger, assistant business manager.

At Chicago Anniversary

Dr. H. M. Plumm and Dr. Upson attended the twenty-fifth anniversary of the University of Chicago, held at Chicago in the early part of June. They are both graduates from that university.