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## AWS vs. Men's Points ...

With registration woes still popping up in the 'drop and add' stage and not completely subsided, another campus monster is already rearing its ugly head to further complicate the life of the eager. That monster represents the activity point system ... as regular a part of each new school year as the registration lines and equally as complicated.

The return of the senior men's honorary, the Innocents, to the campus activity melee last spring caused a jump in activity point stock thruout the university's extra-curricular system. Soon a men's point system will again make its appearance as a regulator to stymie any ill-advised overloading. And with it will come more woes.

This new point system, inactive for the past several years, will be the counterpart of the infamous woman's alphabetical game. To put it bluntly both systems are ridiculous and short-sighted at the present time. While each is primarily interested in protecting the activity minded individual neither is fulfilling that aim. A side-by-side comparison of the two systems leaves little to be desired in the way of confusion.

Basically a point system for activities is a sound and practical device but as employed here, completely lacking in any semblance of unity between organizations, it is of little value. While the activity season is off to a good start and not waiting for point rulings or anything else, it's still not too late to make the whole practice practical.

In the way of a suggestion why not throw the whole stagnant thing overboard and start anew? Why not form a unified, mixed board composed of an equal number of men and women who have a thorough knowledge of the entire activity system. By so doing the many little discrepancies that are now law could be ironed out and brought up-to-date.

Such a board could create a consistent figure, either numerical or letter, as a point designator. It would be the duty of this board to study every bona fide activity and by agreement establish a uniform point for that activity. At the present time, in many activities, men and women doing exactly the same type of work as receiving a different number of points for their efforts—some too low, others too high.

Give the activity-minded students a break and admit that you're both wrong and make your systems practical. The AWS has ideas, the men's point board has some too—by unifying those ideas, a strong activity evaluation system can be drawn up to the satisfaction of all concerned. Now's the time to change before another year is too far gone to save. How about it?

## Girls Pledge Ribbons Confuse Befuddled Frat Men, Wolves

BY PAT NORDIN.

As the fellow said when he saw the house burning down, "It looks as though the frat's in the fire." And so it is as coeds of one week's standing meander about the grassy knolls gazing at the architectural marvels of the quadrangle and become objects of interest to prowling male students who yearn to meet and court the fair damsels of their choice.

And in accordance with the primary urge of the age, what is the emblem of womanhood for which they are looking? You guessed it—the pledge ribbons! Yes, the girls are walking the streets with their bare ribbons hanging out casting furtive glances at each other to see if they should speak or not, depending on the similarity of color in the decoration.

### Encounter in Crib.

One pledge, having slipped into the crib to study, gasped audibly when a certain fraternity man looked soulfully into her eyes and said, "What kind of a girl are youoooo?" Ere she fled, she murmured in what might pass for

a sultry voice, "A Tri Delt." And she was.

Frosh girls who arrive late to class will tell you that they had no trouble at all finding the building, but on arrival made the discovery that they had neglected to wear their pledge ribbons and naturally had to return for same. To these wise ones I give this warning: Devise some new means of escape soon. This is guaranteed for a short period of time only.

### Key to Puzzle.

For the benefit of unintimate the colors of the respective pledge ribbons are as follows:

- Alpha Chi Omega, Red and Green.
- Alpha Omicron Pi, Red.
- Alpha Phi, Silver and Bordeaux.
- Alpha Xi Delta, Gold and double Blue.
- Chi Omega, Red and Yellow.
- Delta Delta Delta, Silver, Gold and Blue.
- Delta Gamma, Bronze, Pink and Blue.
- Gamma Phi, Brown and Tan.
- Kappa Alpha Theta, Black and Gold.
- Kappa Delta, Green and White.
- Kappa Kappa Gamma, Navy and Blue.
- Pi Beta Phi, Wine and Blue.
- Sigma Delta Tau, Gold and Blue.
- Sigma Kappa, Lavender and Maroon.

Do not memorize these, however, for in six weeks they will be exchanged for pledge pins.

## It Says Here

Another Monday night and more candy passings—along with some damply unfortunate individuals who neglected this little ritual—marked the beginning of another week.

The Chi O's were treated by Lois Thorfinnson, who announced her pinning to Jim Mickle, Farm House, and by Barb Gooding when she made her pinning to Sig Chi Johnny Bell official.

The DG's had candy, too ... Mary Frazee and Howard Purdy along with Ginny Douglas and Perry Rankin did the honors ... p. s. new rules for such events call for handshaking instead of kissing ... helps prevent epidemics.

### Mistaken Identity.

Alpha Chi Mary Ann Dalthrop is pretty red-faced these days ... of course it's hard to learn the names of some twenty pledges right away, but Mary Ann made it a trifle embarrassing for AOPi Jackie Wightman the other day when she confused her with Alpha Chi pledge Jackie Denny ... come around to the house and meet the girls, Mary Ann.

The pinning of Marilyn Eidam, Alpha Xi, and Harris Graves was officially announced Monday when cigars were passed at the Sig Alpha house ... Marilyn had passed her candy earlier ... true to form, the SAE's trooped over to the house only to discover that the pinned pair had taken a powder ... showers are ready.

DG's expected candy from Nancy Garey after a barrage of red roses and candy from Ardie Means, but it turned out merely a steady deal.

Tibby Curley, Alpha Chi, has found a new way to amuse herself with pinmate Fred McLafferty out of town ... and babysitting is profitable, too.

### Private Secretary.

Theta Sal Swiler is spending lots of time over a hot typewriter these days ... typing law briefs takes lots of time and the lucky law student in question seems to have lots of persuasive ability ... they say being Coyne's private secretary is all right.

The gals at Rosa Bouton had candy, too, on Monday night ... from Dorothy Brubaker and John Schmidt.

Jody Srb, one of the more cautious girls, astounded her AOPi sisters by announcing that she has already invited pinmate Dick Kuhl, Fiji, to this year's Mortar Board ball ... this couple, familiarly known as the tumbling team, will probably be planning a wedding one of these days ... Jody has asked Dick the fatal question, even though it is three months until leap year, and received a negative answer ... not disturbed, Jo pleaded: "Think it over for awhile" ... the gallant Kuhl lad replied, "O. K., Jody, but I know already what the answer will be."

### Summer Weddings.

The Alpha Xi's announce that eight of their girls were married this summer, including former

Nebraskan editor, Shirley Jenkins who took the big step in Wyoming ... who says most girls don't come to college in search of a husband?

Rumor has it that the showers at the Phi Psi house were extremely cold Monday night for Rex Jones and Ted Liggett ... the boys evidently expected to be invited over to the Alpha Chi house.

Another shower was in progress Monday when the Phi Delt tubbed Ed McEachen who is pinned to Theta Nancy King.

SDT's gasped when they saw several ATO's carrying Claire Cassman's luggage up to the house at 2 o'clock Sunday morning ... seems fiendish ZBT pledges had hidden it on the Tau porch earlier that evening.

## Univets Sponsor Campus Program

A proposed University Veterans Organization sponsored campus radio program will be organized at the first meeting of the Univets Thursday, September 25, in Union parlor Y at 7:15 p. m.

An all-campus show, the variety program will be broadcast over station KOLN. Other business includes a round table discussion of the campus parking situation and acquiring a publicity director. Candidates for the publicity job should report to the Univet office, 209 Nebraska hall.

## Bulletin

P.A.D.

Professor Edmund Beysheim will be guest speaker at the Pi Alpha Delta smoker scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Persian room of the Cornhusker Hotel. All first year law students are invited.

### STUDENT COUNCIL

Student Council meeting Wednesday, 5 p. m., Room 316, Student Union.

### SALESBOOKS.

All Tassels and Corn Cobs have been asked to turn in Cornhusker salesbooks to Rusty Ayers at the Cornhusker office by 5 Wednesday afternoon. Cornhusker office hours are 1-5 p. m., Monday through Friday.

### A.V.C.

The university chapter of the American Veterans Committee will meet at 7:15 this evening in room 316 of the Student Union.

### Cosmopolitan Club.

The Cosmopolitan Club will hold its first meeting of the year 4:30 Wednesday afternoon in room 315 of the Union.

### Cornhusker Countryman.

Anyone interested in working on the Cornhusker Countryman are asked to attend a meeting at 7:30 Wednesday night in room one of the Ag Union.

### SIGMA TAU

Sigma Tau will meet in the Student Union, room 316 at 7 p. m. Thursday.

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