

Pre-Holiday Parties Popular

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Social Editor

Fraternities and sororities held nine house parties over the pre-Thanksgiving vacation weekend. Word from informed sources leads this columnist to believe that this was the most gung-ho, party-hopping weekend of the year.

Alpha Gamma Rho actives held a dinner dance for their pledges at Cotner Terrace. The "Rho Rendezvous" was planned by Doyle Hulme, social chairman.

Alpha Omicron Pi held a semi-formal dinner dance in the Terrace Room of the Lincoln Hotel. More than fifty couples danced to the music of the Jimmy Phillips combo. The dance was planned

by Sue Rohrbach, social chairman.

Couples at the annual Beta Theta Pi Roaring Twenties Party entered the Beta "speakeasy" after giving the password through a slot in the front door. Flappers and sheiks, clad in bearskin coats, danced the music of the Fred Holbert combo. Before the party, the Betas took their dates to the Italian Village for dinner. Fred Daly provided informal entertainment during intermission with his semi-annual rendition of "The Jabberwock." Festivities were arranged by John Fagan, social chairman.

A treasure chest, old maps, and swashbuckling pirates were featured at the Delta Delta Delta Pi-rates' Hideaway Party. Music for dancing was provided by the Trend Four. The party was arranged by social chairman Joyce Stratton.

French chanteuses were abundant at the traditional Delta Sigma Phi Apache Ball. The fraternity-house-turned-French-cafe included murals of scenes depicting sidewalk scenes in Paris. The festivities were planned by Keith Leach, social chairman.

The Phi Delta Theta house was invaded by a crowd of hoods and their dates "On The Waterfront." The outside of the house was draped with fish nets and a fluorescent sign advertising the party. Decorations inside included large wooden kegs and life preservers arranged on the mirrors to spell out "On The Waterfront." Refreshments were served by candlelight from a waterfront bar in the basement. The Mel Wilson combo furnished the music. The party was

planned by Lee Roberts, social chairman.

Fancy cowpokes in tapered riding pants and their dates whooped it up at the Sigma Nu Gold Dust Party. Music was provided by the Court Davis combo. Sawdust and a swinging barn door added to the western atmosphere. The party was planned by social chairman Tom Stoup.

Murals depicting famous New York night spots provided atmosphere for the Theta Xi Guys and Dolls Party. Hoods with scars on their faces and their dates danced to the music of the Trend Four. Intermission entertainment included a magician act. The party was planned by John Nelson.

Shipwrecked guys and gals danced at the Zeta Beta Tau Isle of ZBT Party. Decorations included palm trees, a sand beach, coconuts, and a pair of mannequins—one of a guy in a bathing suit playing a uke and the other of a hula girl. Intermission entertainment was provided by Tony Wolpa and Mike Segal's adaptation of "Isle of Capri," called "Isle of Zebes," and Ben Belmont's ukelele solo. The party was planned by Jerry Hoberman, social chairman.

Lambert To Talk On Russian Tour

Dean W. V. Lambert of the college of Agriculture will speak and show movies of Russia at a convocation in the College Activities Building on Ag campus Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m.



Dean Lambert, as head of a twelve man delegation, traveled ten thousand miles behind the Iron Curtain inspecting Russian agriculture.

The delegation was invited by the Russian government and received the approval of the U.S. Departments of State and Agriculture. The group traveled as private citizens and arranged for their own finances.

This convocation is open to the public and is sponsored by Phi Upsilon, the Home Economics honorary, and Alpha Zeta, an agricultural honorary fraternity.

Robert Holder To Address NU Engineers

Robert Holder, consulting engineer from Kansas City, will be guest speaker at the annual all-engineering fall convocation Wednesday.

Holder, a 1951 graduate of the University College of Engineering and Architecture, will discuss "Consulting Engineering — Some Whys and Hows."

He is a member of Sigma Tau, national honorary scholastic fraternity in engineering; Pi Mu Epsilon, national honorary mathematics society; and Sigma Chi.

A graduate of Alliance High School, Holder held part-time jobs with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, the U.S. Geological Survey and the Nebraska Department of Roads and Irrigation while attending the University.

The convocation, sponsored by Sigma Tau, will be held at 11 a.m. in Love Library auditorium.

Ag Union Slates December Movies

Two movies scheduled for December at the Ag Union are "The Glenn Miller Story" and "Because of You."

"The Glenn Miller Story" will be shown Dec. 3. James Stewart and June Allyson star in a story of the Glenn Miller Orchestra and his search for a new sound in music.

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AIRC Plans Essay Contest For Students

The Association of International Relations Clubs in cooperation with the Youth's Friends Association has announced the fourth annual AIRC essay contest, according to Dr. George Rosenlot, Dean of Admissions.

The subject is "A World Safe for Mankind-Decisions U. S. A." College and university students thirty years of age or younger who are members of an international relations club are eligible to enter this contest.

First prize winner will have an all-summer tour during 1956 with a expenses from point of embarkation paid. The destination of the tour has not been announced. A second prize of \$300 and a third prize of \$200 are also offered.

NU Archeologists Speak At Meeting

Approximately 50 persons were on hand for the opening session of the 13th annual Plains Conference for Archeology Thursday afternoon at the University.

John Corbett of the National Park Service was chairman of the meeting which featured informal reports of recent archeological field work.

E. Mott Davis, assistant professor of anthropology at the University discussed the archeological survey in the Nebraska Panhandle. Franklin Fenega told of recent work of the University State Museum.

Marvin Kivett and Roger Grange Jr., both from the Nebraska State Historical Society, discussed field work done at the Fort Randall Reservoir area in South Dakota.

Others taking part in the program were Reynold Ruppe, Jr., State University of Iowa; Alfred Johnson, University of Kansas; Richard Wheeler, Smithsonian Institution; Wesley Hurl, Jr., University of South Dakota; Alan Woolworth, State Historical Society of North Dakota; Robert Bray, Richard Marshall and Jo Mett Shippee, all of the University of Missouri.

Stanford Offers Graduate Awards

Graduate scholarships are being offered by the Stanford University Department of Communications and Journalism for the 1956-57 academic year.

These scholarships range from \$1200 to \$2400. Four of the awards are grants for which no services are required. In addition, the department is offering for Asian nationals preparing to work in the Orient two fellowships of \$2400 each for which part time editorial assistance is expected.

Further information may be obtained by writing the Executive Head, Department of Communications and Journalism, Stanford University, Stanford, California. Jan. 15 is the deadline for applications.

Fair Deadline

Deadline for filing for the Farmers Fair Board is Tuesday at 5 p.m. in Room 202 Ag Hall. Any senior with an average of 5.0 may apply.

Summer Study Scholarships Available

Scholarships to American students for the 1956 summer sessions at British Universities are available. Harold Wise, assistant dean of the graduate college, announced.

Each of the schools provides a variety of excursions to places of interest in its area, he said. The courses to be offered for the 1956 session are "Shakespeare and Elizabethan Drama," "Literature and Art in England 1750 to 1850," "Literature, Politics and the Arts in 17th Century England," and "The European Inheritance."

Interested students may obtain additional information from the Graduate College Office in Room 111 Social Sciences building.

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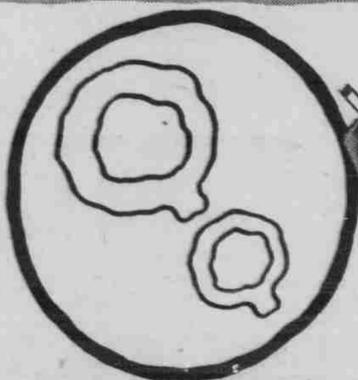
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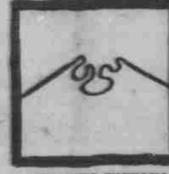
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