

Allison Elected AWS Prexy

Sammies Change to USA Membership

AGS Line

Sigma Alpha Mu social fraternity dropped from the ranks of the Associated Greek Students Monday with a formal withdrawal from the Greek Bloc submitted to Bill Grey, AGS president.

The action followed a meeting of the fraternity Sunday night, at which members voted for the political step. Members submitted a statement to the United Students Association Monday, asking recognition of their withdrawal by that body.

The statement explained, "After consideration, it was deemed in the best interest of our organization to take this action. We find ourselves considerably more in accord with the principles and methods of the United Students' Association."

Desire Coalition

"We strongly believe in coalition government, and we believe that the USA better represents this form of student government. It is our opinion that the party constitutes a more representative segment of the student body."

"We feel that the USA, by the very nature of its organization, represents honest, fair, and just student government. Therefore, we sincerely request favorable consideration of this petition by the Steering Committee."

At a special meeting Monday afternoon, the USA Steering Committee officially recognized the new political status of the organization. By the USA constitution, however, the party recognizes individuals, rather than living organizations, in its membership. Participation must then be on an individual basis, Ernie Baldini, acting president of the USA, declared.

Baldini stated that members of Sigma Alpha Mu "were not inticed by me and were not given any promises."

In a statement accepting the participation of Sigma Alpha Mu members in the USA Party, Baldini explained:

"We are appreciative of the fact that the members of Sigma Alpha Mu are in general agreement with our principles of overall representation in student government, and coalition government as exemplified by USA."

Turnipseed Asks for Closing Of Four University Dormitories

A recommendation calling for the closing of four units of the dormitory system at the end of winter term was formulated Monday morning by Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed, director of dormitories. Halls affected are Cherney, Hunter, and Nestor—all in Vets II—and Susan Campbell.

Reasons for the recommendation, as stated by Mrs. Turnipseed, are the increasing number of vacancies throughout the dormitory system and the continuously rising costs for maintenance.

Before becoming official the recommendation must receive the approval of Donald M. DuShane, director of student affairs; J. O. Lindstrom, business manager; and University President Harry K. Newburn.

At present there are 488 vacancies in men's and women's dorms. Vets I and II vacancies are the greatest accounting for 313 of the total figure. Other vacancies by dormitory units are: John Straub, 42; Carson, 44; Hendricks, 34; and Susan Campbell, 55.

By closing three of the four remaining units in Vets II (French Hall was closed at the end of fall term) the vacancies in the remaining men's units can be filled. Sederstrom Hall will be the only Vets II dormitory maintained as a living



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Pan-hel Names King Leaves Council; New Exec Council Sports Night Readied

Joanne Lewis, junior in English, was named president of Panhellenic Monday.

Other officers selected by the Panhellenic executive council were Pat Mullin, vice-president; Shirley Hillard, second vice-president; Betsy Erb, secretary; Nancy Gloege, treasurer; Barbara Metcalf, scholarship chairman; Donna Anderson, standards chairman; Betty Jean Bonner, social chairman; Elaine Hartung, publicity; and Norma Beetem, relations.

The council will hold a dinner meeting Thursday in the Student Union.

Tom King submitted a letter of resignation from his post as Senior Representative to the Executive Council at its Monday night meeting. He resigned because his living organization—Sigma Alpha Mu—has changed its political affiliation, and he is no longer a representative of the party on whose ticket he was elected.

Dick Daugherty, Sports Night Chairman, gave a report on proposed entertainment for the event. ASUO President Barry Mountain said he would see if the Sports Night could be moved from Mar. 30 to Apr. 6. This would give the athletes more time to train for the events, and some other entertainers could be secured who are not available for the Mar. 30 date.

Committee Named

Mountain also announced appointments to the representatives committee to study dormitory living conditions. Named were fraternities: Stan Turnbull, Dick Dahlberg; sororities: Leslie Tooze, Nancy Kuhnhausen; men's dorms: Bill Clothier, Bob Schooling; student co-op: Helen Jackson; women's dormitories: Jackie Pritzen, Nancy Allison; and Mountain.

The council also received a letter from the Freie Universitat, Berlin, asking that a representative be appointed on the UO campus to send them information on the University.

Entertainment Talked

The problem of campus entertainment was also discussed. An expansion of the present entertainment committee to have authority over all campus entertainment was suggested; Gerry Pearson, entertainment chairman, was asked to submit an outline setting forth authority that this committee would have, for approval by the council. In other business, the council also:

Heard complaints about athletic ticket sales and awarding of letters. Mountain said he would speak to Athletic Director Leo Harris and investigate.

Named Virginia Wright and Herb Nill to investigate the possibility of cleaning up and restoring the millrace.

Russian Movie to Run Wednesday in Chapman

"The Magic Horse," a film based on one of the favorite Russian folk tales, will be featured in the regular Wednesday evening movies in 207 Chapman. Showings are billed for 7 and 9 p.m.

The "Magic Horse" is filled with the variety and splendor of the "Arabian Nights" and has its source in the primitive nature myths of ancient Russia. This is the first Soviet feature-length color cartoon to be released in America.

SU Mixer Slated Friday

"The Last Chance" is the theme of a mixer set for 9-12 Friday night in the Student Union ballroom. The Dick Dorr quartet will furnish music. Admission will be 20 cents.

Entertainment will be furnished during intermission.

New Lights Delayed

Equipment for completing the installation of the 80 new campus lights still has not arrived. H. D. Jacoby, assistant superintendent of the physical plant stated.

Work on the area adjoining 13th St., which is one of the two circuits planned, have been completed as far as possible without the equipment needed, Jacoby said. He added that work will not be started on the second circuit, the area adjoining University St., until the needed material arrives.

Reason for the delay is not known. Jacoby explained that the equipment was supposed to have been shipped six weeks ago, but no word has been received as to why it has not arrived. He reported that work is not being done on the second circuit because the government could step in and take the equipment before it arrives. Workmen do not want to disturb any more of the campus until they can carry the job through to completion, Jacoby added.

New Heat Plant Opens March 19

Date of operation for the new University heating plant has been tentatively set for Mar. 19. H. D. Jacoby, assistant superintendent of the physical plant, said Monday.

The plant will take over campus heating following removal of boilers from the old steam plant, which are being moved in order to permit extension of the School of Architecture and Allied Arts.

Jacoby reported that the last turbine for the new power plant is now being installed, but that it would be some time before the power plant will operate fully. The power plant is located in the same building as the new heating plant.

'Seville' at Mac Court Tonight; Choral Union Concert Thursday

The "Barber of Seville," two-act opera, will be presented at 8 p.m. tonight in McArthur Court by the Wagner Opera Company. The event is sponsored by the Civic Music Association.

Students will be admitted free with student body cards; faculty members must have association season tickets.

This opera by Rossini has been translated into English by George Mead, so it will be more understandable.

"The Barber" is supposed to have been written by a young man of 24 years in about 13 days; however, this was accomplished by several cuts and by borrowing

Skordahl and Darby Get WRA, YWCA Posts

Nancy Allison, Joan Skordahl, and Ann Darby will assume the presidencies of Associated Women Students, Women's Recreation Association, and YWCA respectively as the result of Monday's women's elections.

The AWS constitution was ratified by the necessary two-thirds of the total number of votes. WAA members decided to change their name to the Women's Recreation Association.

Officers Named

Others coming out on top in the AWS race were Marilyn Thompson, vice president; Helen Jackson, secretary; Elaine Hartung, treasurer; Barbara Manley, reporter; and Joan Walker, sergeant-at-arms.

Belle Doris Russell, Barbara Bates, Lois Hamar, Mary Bennett and Delores Tritt were chosen to fill the WRA offices of vice president, secretary, treasurer, and sergeant-at-arms respectively.

YWCA officers for the coming year will be Karla Van Loan, vice president; JoAnne Hewitt, second vice president; Lillian Schott, secretary; Virginia Kellogg, treasurer; Bonnie Birkemeier, upperclass commission chairman; Nancy Vincent, president of the sophomore commission; Cathy Tribe, sophomore commission vice president; and Sally Hazeltine, secretary of the sophomore commission.

A good turnout at the elections, was announced by Barbara Stevenson, out-going AWS president. She added that the style show held yesterday afternoon at Gerlinger attracted many women to the balloting place.

The newly-elected officers will take over their positions spring term.

Vodvil Petitions Asked

Petitions for publicity and promotion committees for the All-Campus Vodvil to be held Apr. 13 may be turned in to Frances Neel at Alpha Delta Pi until 5 p.m. Wednesday.

Positions to be filled include poster, radio publicity, and Emerald promotion posts.

Living organizations are asked to appoint Vodvil chairmen and select tentative acts, according to Rex Balentine, co-chairman of the programming committee. House representatives will meet at 4 p.m. March 14 to discuss plans for the all-campus show, Balentine said.

Grades Ready Next Term

Registrar Clifford L. Constance has announced that he is "almost certain" that grades for winter term will not be out until spring term classes start.

Replace Messiah

Mozart's "Requiem" and Kodaly's "Te Deum" are the numbers selected for this year's Choral Union concert at 8 p.m. Thursday at McArthur Court. The University Symphony Orchestra will accompany the choral group.

Directors will be Dr. E. A. Cykler, orchestra conductor, for the "Te Deum," and Donald W. Allton, choral union director, for the "Requiem."

This all-campus affair will be Lenten this year instead of Christ-massy, but the mass effect will be there just the same. The public will be admitted free.