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Sen Spessard Holland

Charters Granted To Fraternities

Senator Holland Speaker at FSU

National charters were granted to seven Florida State University fraternities in installation ceremonies here yesterday.

National officers and scores of alumni were on the university campus to take part in the nationalizing ceremonies. Some 700 fraternity men and special guests attended the formal inter-fraternity banquet and dance held last night.

Senator Heard

Speaking before the large banquet gathering, U S Sen Spessard Holland told the fraternity men to maintain high principles and extend their service not only to their fraternity and school but to the state and nation. He declared membership in a fraternity a responsibility as well as an opportunity.

The senator, who limited his talk to five minutes because of an attack of laryngitis, told the collegians "your horizons must extend far beyond your immediate group."

Holland was introduced by FSU President Doak S Campbell. Frank Wright, assistant to Gov Fuller Warren, welcomed visiting dignitaries on behalf of the governor.

Dr Campbell presented charters to Epsilon Sigma chapter of Alpha Tau Omega; Delta Phi chapter of Delta Tau Delta; Delta Lambda chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha; Beta Iota chapter of Phi Kappa Tau; Gamma Eta chapter of Kappa Alpha; Florida Beta chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon; and Gamma Rho chapter of Theta Chi.

Presidents of the national groups participating in the weekend ceremonies included John McGregor, New York City, worthy grand chief of Alpha Tau Omega; W Harold Brenton, Des Moines, Ia, president of Delta Tau Delta; W Elliott Dunwoodie, jr, Macon,

Ga, knight commander of Kappa Alpha; Clifford Beasley, Gainesville, domain chief of Phi Kappa Tau; Andrew H Knight, Birmingham, Ala, Pi Kappa Alpha; G A Ginter, Cincinnati, O, eminent supreme archon of Sigma Alpha Epsilon; and Frederick Ladue, past national president of Theta Chi.

Informal banquets and parties Friday night preceeded yesterday's initiations and installation ceremonies. The fraternity groups

will wind up the weekend's activities after attending church services en masse this morning.

Florida State University sororities will honor the new national fraternities with coffees and informal parties at the sorority houses this evening.

Officers of ATO participating in the weekend ceremonies included McGregor, Stewart Daniels, Champaign, Ill, executive secretary; John Vann, Atlanta, Ga, chairman of high council; Henry Palmer, Atlanta, province chief.

Aiding Delta Tau Deltas in installation of their 80th chapter were Brenton, Charles Pearson, Atlanta, president of southern division; Francis M Hughes, Indianapolis, Ind, vice president; Martin B Dickinson, Kansas City, executive secretary; Hugh Shields, Indianapolis, executive vice president.

In addition to Dunwoodie, Kappa Alpha officers were Ransom H Bassett, Louisville, Ky, executive secretary; Frank H Elmore, Jacksonville, commander of Crawford province, and Rev James L Duncan, Winter Park, councilor.

Here to install the 94th chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha were knight Robert D Lynn, Memphis, Tenn, executive secretary, John R Horton and Pat Clendinning, Memphis, field secretaries; J Blanford Taylor, DeLand, national editor, and William Graham, Gainesville, district president.

Broward Williams of Tallahassee was in charge of installation arrangements for the local chapter of Phi Kappa Tau. Assisting him were Tom They, Manassas, Va, field secretary, and Clifford Beasley, Gainesville, domain chief.

SAE national officers included Ginter, Lauren Foreman, supreme recorder; McCarthy Crenshaw, Jacksonville, archon of Province Epsilon; Howard P Falls, Richmond, Va, deputy archon of Province Gamma.

Aiding in the installation of the FSU chapter of Theta Chi, Ladue, George W Chapman, Trenton, N J, executive secretary, and Roby B McClellan, Tallahassee, alumni chapter president.