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PROGRAM REVIEW: TRIP TO THE ARCTIC CIRCLE

"We stayed at Anuvik ten days trying to find a way home." -was how Mrs. Tom ' Horrocks described one of the final incidents on her and her husband's eventful trip of last summer, down the Mackenzie River to the Arctic Ocean. Their slides taken on this trip through little-known, almost un-populated territory in a small cance provided the program for our April 16 open house, which was a frank, accurate, and most entertaining presentation. "Several times when things were bad we were ready to go home-and we would have-but there was no way to get there!" It led to a lively question period in which we learned more details about this unusual trip. Despite the river's having its highest water in 70 years, the Horrock's cance never upset, -- though they hadseveral close calls. During the entire trip, they never portaged once. They were often greeted by the Indians and Eskimos in motor boats playing transistor radios. In reply to their letter notifying the Canadian government that its maps were not accurate in some respects such as showing trading posts where there were none the Horrocks were told, "Thank you for the information, we are changing our maps accordingly." The program had a terrific attendance with standing room - -C.L. only.

As those of you who are active members of the hostel know, the Arts & Crafts Building is owned and maintemanced by the City of Pittsburgh. The little bu lding that serves as our meeting place is also owned by the City and is kindly let out to us rent-free. (as is Arts & Crafts.) The Arts & Crafts Center has seen fit to evict us from our cubby-hole on the third floor for an unexplained reason. We are now looking for office space for supplies and such, as we have been notified to vacate by Sept. 1, 1964.

—D.M.

DEADLINE for articles for June Triangle is Thursday, May 21.

Printing on May 23.

Mail articles in <u>BEFORE</u> the 21st.

Sign up for staff with editor, Dave Magram, at any open house.

BOOK OF THE MONTH

"SILENT SPRING", by Rachael Carson
An excellent book for hostelers to
read and an answer to our "Triangle"
illustration. Miss Carson tells how
every living thing has by now a "poison
storage" and shows how many diseases
caused by improper use of insecticides,
such as cancer. Miss Carson died of
cancer last month.

—D.M.

PERSONALITY OF THE MONTH - - PETE SCHUSTER

You may have wondered who owns the sleek black Honda that is parked on the doorstep of H. Q. Thursday nights?? It is the property of Fete Chuster, who was going to be our personality of the month. However, with the purchase of this motor cycle, a black leather jacket, and a white crash helmet, his personality seems to have changed. (Ed. note: which way?)

Anyway, Pete still lives in Squirrel Hill where he has lived all of his life. He is still a junior majoring in Physics at Carnegie Tech. He can be seen at all hours of the night or day operating the com(continued next page)

puter at Tech's computer center.

Peter has been a folk song enthusiast for a long time and if he is not speaking Algol to the computer on Friday nights he is generally found singing at the Ciilly where his sister Ellen is a well-known

songstress).

Peter is an expert canoist and leads canoe trips. He also leads caving and rock climbing trips for both A.Y.H. and the Allecheny College Outing Club. He has explored previously unvisited caves in West Virginia. Asked if he plans to lead a trip in the near future, Peter replied that he intended to see the world on his motor cycle. (Editor's Note: Climb Seneca Rocks too?) - C.L.

## Letters to the Editor

On March 26th Thomas Rodd, in protest of the draft law, staged a sit-in at the United States Attorney in the Federal Building.

Although his aim was to present his views through the publicity

it wasn't accomplished.

Mainly because the Pittsburgh Press took a right wing, biased view on the matter and kept endlersly stating the Government's policy on conscientious objectors.

As Tom is a member of the Hostel and his ideal of world peace is similar to that of the Hostel movement, we reprint Tom's reasons for

disobeying and attacking the draft law.

"I have personally come to the conclusion that I cannot do personal violence to any other human being, nor can I train to do so. Therefore, I must not serve in the armed forces. Furthermore, I cannot register for the draft and request conscientious objection status. You see, by registering for the draft, I am in effect saying to the government, "I give you the right and the power to decide whether I should go into the army." If I registered for the draft, and was not classified as a CO, I would, by virtue of my original registration, be morally obliged to accept the government's decision."

"The Allied judges at Nuremberg rendered a judgment that applies to my case. It is simply this: when individual conscience is in conflict with man-made law, conscience must be obeyed. Eichman's crime, you will remember, was that he obeyed orders when they contradicted a higher law--God's Law.

I do not wish to be another Lichman. In the judgment of my friends and my own conscience, I would prefer to be known as one who refused to obey an immoral law. "-T. Rodd

## Our Foreign correspondent - veronica Anderson

"Portugal had much more to offer. In Oporto we visited the wine caves. Here we saw thousands of liters of port aging-some was 150 years old. You are given a glass on the tour and have samples along the way. I'm not much for port so I threw mine away. while they weren't looking. We also got small souvenir bottles to take home. We walked through the city's slums, teeming market places with fighting women and I swear they never saw a girl in jeans before because almost everyone stopped to stare at me. Portugal has many beautiful mountains and cathedrals which suddenly appear on the horizon and one thinks they are a mirage because they are in a small village. In the hostel at Nazare I ended up sleeping in the boys dorm because a man was trying to get into the girls! part-I was the only one there. My friend left me at the hostel outside Lisbon. I stayed at this beauty for 2 weeks. It was right on beach, was modern, had meals provided and was only ... 30 a night."





Here is the long-awaited-for news!! Cycling season is here at last. Our goals are set higher than ever and with plenty of new ideas and various participation we will have an excellent program. As an added feature we will have two 10 speeds in our fleet this year. We hope to have organized racing with awards given. We will also have two century rides and other notable events. - A.T.

Further Trops and Tros tulps Announ-CPEN HOUSE Carpentry Work Party at Baker Trail Shelter 4. Call Don Wood land, Lo. 3-5419. Price: Free (bring lunch).

Mon 4 © Cycle trip - Mel Tobias. 630 HQ.

Wed 6 © Cycle trip - Mel Tobias. 630 PM HQ

Sun 10 — Harry Rhule leads a Baker Trail hike. Meet at HQ at 8:30 A.M.

with lunch. Reserve: 362-6325 Call Don Woodwith lunch. Reserve: 362-6395.

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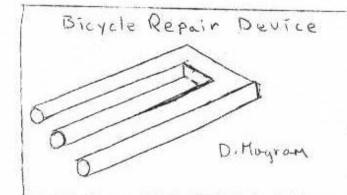
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OPEN HULSE SIBLEM

Thusday, May 7 - Hugh Gilmour clomps on to the Hostel dance floor with folk dances a la Gilmour.

Thursday, May 21 - Lloyd Geertz describes progress in canoeing.

Thursday, May 28 - Joan Roolf (formerly Joan Heike) slides us through Europe, highlighting Germany.



Notes:
We had a Most success ful Banque to
with a very interesting show by
Ivan the Explorer, who Led us thru
South American Jungles and up unclimbed Mountains.

GT Worting contest. Winners get a Free Hotdog and 20 Golden Triangles in one Month wowiel