

New Plan Adopted By Skull and Bones

Scholarship To Be Included In Requirements For Membership; Physical Hazing, Costumes Eliminated

Ray Owen, president of Owl and Key, honorary senior organization, announced Wednesday that a new four-point program has been evolved which will govern the activities of Skull and Bones, honorary Junior organization, not only in the coming election of candidates, but in relation to the activities of the organization later.

It is not now the present plan to recognize scholarship as well as activities when choosing members for Skull and Bones, but in filling out the new application blanks, scholarship average must be recorded as well as extra-curricular activities. Members will be chosen from those having the highest scholarship average and the greatest participation in extra-curricular activities. The deadline for application blanks has been set for Friday, March 16.

Points Given

The other points in the new plan include: The members of Skull and Bones will assist in conducting High School Day, they will help sponsor the new Utah song contest, and last, there will be a re-organization in initiation proce-

sure, which will include a costumed goathood for one day only, the elimination of physical hazing, and the conducting of an entire Friday assembly by the goats of Skull and Bones.

Members To Be Chosen

At the present time there are no active members of Skull and Bones because of the fact that those members of last year were automatically made members of Owl and Key, honorary senior organization, and for this reason the procedure of Skull and Bones must be conducted by members of Owl and Key. Ray Owen, president of Owl and Key, assisted by the advisors, Dean Maw and Marv Hogan will choose the candidates from the applications received.

It is thought that the changes made in the policy of initiation will remedy ills evidenced by the uprising of last year's goats, when they rebelled and refused to continue with initiation unless the paddling and physical hazing be stopped. It is also believed that the one day costume goathood is sufficient instead of the usual week as in previous years.