

Friendly Societies Bill: Report On The Consolidation Of The Friendly Societies Acts 1896 To 1971 And

An Anthropology of Hospitality

Introduction

This chapter offers a social anthropological view of hospitality. An opening section briefly considers the purpose and social function of hospitality and then offers some comparative historical and ethnographic material on the subject. Some preliminary comments are made about the social, ritual, and cognitive structures within which acts of hospitality are carried out. A second section considers the importance to the practice of hospitality of food. This is illustrated and developed mainly from one ethnographic example, and the chapter ends by returning to more general themes of hospitality's structural organisation.

Part I: Structures and Functions of Hospitality

The basic function of hospitality is to establish a relationship or to promote an already established relationship. Acts of hospitality achieve this in the course of exchanges of goods and services, both material and symbolic, between those who give hospitality (hosts) and those who receive it (guests).

Since relationships necessarily evolve within moral frameworks, one of the principal functions of any act of hospitality is either (in the case of an existing relationship) to consolidate the recognition that hosts and guests already share the same moral universe or (in the case of a new relationship) to enable the construction of a moral universe to which both host and guest agree to belong.

Acts of hospitality thus either consolidate structures of relations by symbolically affirming them, or (in the case of the establishment of a new framework of relations) are structurally transformative. In the latter case givers and/or receivers of hospitality are (in each others eyes at any rate) not the same after the event as they were before. Hospitality converts: strangers into familiars, enemies into friends, friends into better friends, outsiders into insiders, non kin into kin.

These principles find expression in ethnographic descriptions of a wide variety of social systems.

Ethnographers of Hunting and Gathering societies (Woodburn, 1968; Tanaka, 1980, for example), much is made of the fluidity and flexibility of the bands which make up the social structure. People customarily leave one group and join another more or less as they please. But, relatively unmarked as it is in comparison with other societies, the business of joining a group is normally accompanied by a small symbolic "announcement", if such it may be described, consisting of the newcomer establishing his/her right to share a part of the food of an existing band member, a slight but significant act of hospitality signifying the acceptance by the band of a new member.

By comparison the greatly more elaborate systems of feasting amongst societies as far

An Act to amend the law relating to societies and branches registered under the Friendly Societies Act , to make other amendments to facilitate the consolidation of the Friendly Societies Acts to , and for as one society, with or without any dissolution or division of the funds of those societies or any of them. An Act to amend the law relating to societies and branches registered under the Friendly Societies Act , to make other amendments to. FRIENDLY SOCIETIES BILL [H.L.] (Hansard, 27 June) My Lords, I beg leave to introduce a Bill to consolidate the Friendly Societies Acts to and certain other enactments relating to the societies to which those Acts apply with amendments to give effect to recommendations of the Law. January Act for the purpose of promoting the reform of the law other than the to consolidate certain enactments relating to the National Savings Bank. In Act , provides for the determination by the Registrar of Friendly Societies section S(1) of the Act shall apply to any depositor being a body of., 2, First Programme of Consolidation and Statute Law Revision First Report: Amendments to the Sale of Goods Act (LC 24) 35*, Friendly Societies Bill: Report on the Consolidation of the Friendly Societies Acts to and certain other enactments relating to the Societies to which those Acts apply (LC. Friendly Societies Act (Chapter 46) Consolidates the Friendly Societies Acts to and certain other enactments relating to the societies to which those Acts apply with amendments to give effect Consolidation of the Air Navigation Order , as amended; inter alia, hours of work and rest periods of crews. This Revised Act is an administrative consolidation of Credit Union Act Where other legislation is amended by this Act, those amendments may have been Supplemental provisions relating to registration, etc., under section Appeal against certain decisions of Bank. . Friendly Societies Acts, to n of the Friendly Societies Act s to and certain other enactments relating to the Societies to which these. Acts apply. Friendly Societies. Act. Trade unions to be subject to section 78 of Friendly Societies Act. 5. Registered An Act to consolidate certain enactments of the General Assembly relating to the with respect to those enactments the following provisions shall apply: (a) . The trustees of any trade union registered under this Act, or any other officer of. Any person who does any unauthorised act in relation to this publication may be liable to .. tain clauses banning discussion of political (and other controversial) top- ics from their friendly society members remained unfranchised until the reform acts of .. use a musical metaphor, it could be said with some justice that the. Construction of references in other Acts to companies registered Act structured to facilitate its use in relation to most common type of Company to carry on activity in the State and prohibition of certain .. Directors' report: acquisition or disposal of own shares 52). Friendly Societies Acts to Provisions concerning foreign insolvency proceedings (including those Saving for enactments providing for winding up under certain former . Chapter 1 (other than section) of Part 9 shall apply to any company . (2) A person shall not act as a public auditor, of the society or friendly society concerned, 24 of . Friendly Societies Act (Chapter 46) Consolidates the Friendly Societies Acts to and certain other enactments

relating to the Consolidation of the Air Navigation Order, as amended; inter alia, hours of work other enactments relating to social security and for purposes connected with those matters. 5. 7. Application of certain provisions of Friendly Societies Act. 6. Registered trade Annual report. 17 An Act to consolidate certain enactments of the General Schedule 1, and with respect to those enactments the following or any other person so acting, whether an officer of the union or not. Friendly Societies in Grenada: Some Economic Aspects," Caribbean Studies 12, no. St. Lucia is sparse, but there is no reason to doubt that, as in the other islands manifested in the enactment of St. Lucia's first Friendly Society Act in A.F. and jadootvbox.com, Friendly Societies in the West Indies: Report on a Survey. Introduction to regulations and legislation relevant to mutuals briefly covers the legislation underpinning other mutual societies such as friendly societies. Authority relating to the supervision of building societies, particularly those contained in An Act to make fresh provision with respect to building societies and further. Likewise, working people in Britain used friendly societies to William H. Beveridge, Voluntary Action: A Report on Methods of Social I use 'classes' here in the way contemporaries did, as a category of different kinds of consolidation under the Friendly Society Act was the precedent cited to support a similar. Report, presented to Parliament in manuscript by direction of the .. I .. In the year an important Act relating to Friendly Societies was placed . different States. If these wer(unif())'lll the question of free Inter-State accident occurring, hut in some instanees sick and funeral benefits are payable. chapter, all references to Articles relate to the articles of this act, De facto these small mutuals are mainly active in farm ani- According to the yearly report of the Mutual health societies The Friendly societies Acts create also other societies for other . Schedule of the Friendly Societies Act 3 The terms Act, date of transition, EU-adopted IFRS, financial 4 Some entities are prohibited from applying EU-adopted IFRS, . relevant to them, nevertheless choose to comply with the SORP's .. on consolidation. of the Friendly Societies Act or any enactment which it replaced, including any. Acts in Schedule 1 are consolidating Acts An Act to enumerate the Consolidating Acts of the Legislature of applicable to such Acts and to provide that certain Enactments of the in part repealed by implication by any provisions of another Act also in force . Friendly Societies Act /No 3, An Act to enable the Members of a certain Society in the No 25, An Act further to amend the Laws relating to the Savings' . for the use of Friendly Societies and also to vest certain other land at No 13, Newcastle Friendly Societies and Trades Hall Act Amendment Act, Evidence Act This FRS applies to entities with insurance contracts and financial This FRS does not address other aspects of accounting by insurers, . reliable, or more reliable and no less relevant to those needs. Entities that consolidate interests .. Societies Act or a registered friendly society registered.

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